

ed not give me the original. I then stopped to hear it read, which was done in such a manner, that it was quite unintelligible to me. I then proceeded on my way, and began to consider on what day I should appear—the nature of the complaint, and the defence I should be prepared to make,—as I did not knowingly commit any offence against the laws. I stepped into one of my neighbours, to ask his advice upon the business; but, behold, I did not recollect the day I should appear on the particulars of the complaint. They asked me for the copy of the summons: I had it not, and was therefore obliged to go a long distance to the constable's house, to ask the day in which I should go to Harbour Grace, and I was then obliged to attend, without any preparation whatever for a defence, in consequence of which, I was fined one shilling and costs, as appears by a copy of the bill:—

	s.	d.
Fine	1	0
Summons	3	4
Constable	2	6
Recording case	3	4
Total	10	2 stg.

I most respectfully ask, ought not the Clerk of the Peace furnish the constable with a copy of every summons, to be left with the person who is served with it, that he may know the particulars of what he is charged with, as well as the day on which he is to appear? You will perceive by the bill furnished, that six shillings and eightpence is the Clerk's fees, which any man would consider very excessive; and, that he would be well paid indeed, for his trouble of furnishing a copy I don't believe that it is for the sake of saving the blanks, that it is not done.—It is generally the poorest classes that are brought into Court, and these are generally, very ignorant of their rights or privileges, and of the existing colonial laws: it is, therefore, but just and right, that every man should be furnished with a copy of the complaint made against him. It is very properly the practice of the Circuit Courts. I trust that the magistrates will look to this, and see that copies are furnished every man, who may in future be summoned to appear in their Courts.

I crave, Mr Editor, the privilege of your inserting this, in the next number of your independent Journal.

A—R—

Carbonear, October 21, 1835.

[From the Royal Gazette, Oct. 13.]

Extract from a Circular Letter of the Secretary at LLOYD'S, to the Agents abroad dated

LONDON, SEPT. 4, 1835.

GENTLEMEN,

"I am directed by the Committee for managing the affairs of Lloyd's, to inform you, that the numerous and urgent complaints which have, for some time past, been made, both by Merchants and Underwriters, on the subject of surveys of damaged Goods, and the Certificates granted thereon, have imperatively drawn their attention to that portion of the duties of Agents to Lloyd's, and have determined them to adopt the most decided measures, with the view, of preventing in future, that discrepancy of practice which can only have arisen either from inadvertency, from neglect, or from an intentional evasion of the instructions furnished to each Agent on his appointment.

The total disregard in many instances of those instructions, as respects—

- 1st. The Survey on board, with reference to Stowage and Dunnage.
- 2nd. The selection and separation of the damaged from the sound portions of each package.
- 3d. The Certificate of the Ship Masters to the fact of sea damage.
- 4th. The immediate Survey of Goods stated to be damaged.
- 5th. An authenticated sound price;—and
- 6th. The charges of the Lloyd's Agents for Surveys, has led to many unpleasant discussions and to compromise of claim for average, alike unsatisfactory to the Underwriters and the assured.

You are now required, in cases where Goods are damaged by sea water, to give your Certificate thereof, strictly in accordance with the following form:

Mark, Number, and Description of Packages

[] No. 1—20

20 Bales Madda ps.

No.	Content	Sound.	Slightly dam.	Much dam.
1	100 ps.	57 ps.	30 ps.	13 ps.

In addition to which, the Captain's Certificate of the nature of the damage, is to be considered indispensable, and in the event of refusal on the part of the Ship Master, such objection, and its alleged ground to be expressly stated by the Agent, and also

the certified sound price, either of parcels of the same Goods, or of similar parcels imported about the same time, and a certificate of the actual sales of the sound, will be expected where they can possibly be procured; and it is further required that the Surveys on such Goods should be held at the earliest opportunity, and that within a reasonable time after the arrival of the vessel.

(Signed) WM. DEBSON, SECRETARY.

To Messrs. Robinson, Brooking, Garland, & Company, Agents for Lloyd's, St. John's, Newfoundland.

His Excellency the Governor, has been pleased to appoint EDWARD BRABAZON BRENTON, Esquire to be Acting Chief Justice of this Island, during the absence of the Honourable HENRY JOHN BOULTON.

Secretary's Office, }
12th Oct., 1835. }

His Excellency the Governor has also been pleased to appoint JOSEPH TEMPLEMAN Esquire, to be Acting Colonial Secretary of this Island, during the absence or leave of the Honourable JAMES CROWDY.

Secretary's Office, }
12th Oct. 1835. }

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue a Commission under the Great Seal, appointing THOMAS WILLS, Esquire, of Greenspond, to be one of his Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the Northern District of this Island.

Secretary's Office, }
7th Oct., 1835. }

—I bid.

We have received the following particulars from THOMAS RIDLEY, Esq., Agent for Lloyd's at this Port. The brig Irton of Whitehaven, 200 tons burthen, Captain Thomas Little from Quebec, with a cargo of pot ash for Liverpool, ran on a reef of rocks in the Straits of Bell Isle at 11 P.M. on the 7th inst., in a thick fog and heavy gale, the vessel almost immediately filled and went down in deep water. The captain and crew got out the boats with great difficulty, and saved but a little bread, on which they subsisted for two days, when they were fallen in with by the William, Captain David Power of and bound to this Port, where they arrived in safety on Tuesday last.—Mercury, Oct. 16.

Arrived yesterday, H. M. S. SERPENT, four days from Halifax, with specie, for the Commissariat.—Ledger. Oct. 16.

Married

At St. John's on Wednesday last, by the Rev. F. H. Carrington, Rector, William Frederick Rennie, Esq., third son of the late David Rennie, Esq., of the firm of Rennie Stuart & Co. to Caroline Broom, youngest daughter of Thomas Williams, Esq., Merchant of that town.

Died

At Francis Harbor, Labrador, on the 26th August last, much lamented and regretted, Mr. Edward Best, of this town; his remains were brought to this place in the Morning Star, and interred on Thursday last.

SHIP NEWS

CARBONEAR.

ENTERED.

October 12.—Brig Indian Lass, Stabb, Liverpool, 40 tons coals, 10 bls. & 20 half-bl. pitch & tar, 55 kegs & 4 bls. painters colours, 9 crates earthenware, 85 coils cordage, 252 boxes soap, 35 boxes candles, 50 kegs gunpowder, 90 cwt. shot, 17 bags nails, 5 tons bar iron, 1 bdl. tanned leather, 1 hhd. geneva, 22 bdls. oakum, 6 bales, 2 trusses haberdashery & canvas, 3 cases & 1 crate hats, 3 puns. & 1 box hardware, 5 iron pots, 2 boxes starch, 2 bls., 1 keg groceries, 2 boxes pipes, 5 cwt. cast iron, for Carbonear;—3 crates earthenware, 7 bales haberdashery, 1 crate hats, 10 boxes soap, 5 boxes candles, 1 cask wrot. leather, 1 bl. tanned leather, 2 puns. hardware, for Harbor Grace.

ST. JOHN'S.

ENTERED.

October 8.—Schr. James, Whelan, Sydney, coal.
Brig Clondolin, Stoyles, Oporto, salt.
9.—Schr. Avon, Edmonds, Sydney, coal.
Mary Ann, Tucker, Hamburg, flour, butter, bricks.
Brig Kingaloch, Stanton, Hamburg, bread, pork, flour.
10.—Andes, Taylor, Hamburg, pork, beef, butter, flour.
12.—Velocity, Tatham, Liverpool, coal, tea, soap.
15.—Schr. Ocean, Hartery, Bridgeport, coal, & sundries.
Charles, Hooper, Arichat, cattle.

CLEARED.

October 8.—Schooner Malvina, M'Donald, ballast.
Annandale, Wrightman, P. E. Island, sundries.
Improvement, Wingood, Barbadoes, fish.
Reward, Goss, Liverpool, fish, salmon, oil, blubber.
9.—Trusty, Wills, Sydney, ballast.
Amity, Stephens, Sydney, ballast.
Industrious, Cornish, Sydney, ballast.
10.—Spanish Brig Begona, D'Arretola, Santander, fish, honey.
Brig Blandford, Hutchings, Cork, salmon, oil, fish.
12.—Schr. Jane & Sarah, White, Demerara, fish.
13 Brig Pillhead, Brimblecombe, Sydney, bread.
Schr. Surprise, Harvey, Malta, fish.
Grace, Jenkins, Cardigan, herrings, timber, & sundries.
Brig Borealis, Birnie, Oporto, fish.
Schr. Mary, Sinnet, Sydney, ballast.
Spencer Wynne, Evans, Jarnarvon, lumber.
Judith & Esther, Seymour, Cork, oil, fish, & sundries.

Notices

TO BE LET

ON A BUILDING LEASE,

For such a Term of Years as may be agreed on,

WATER-SIDE, well calculated for Shipping of every description. With a Plot of LAND, bounded by the Widow ANN TAYLOR's on the South-side.

For further particulars, apply to

JONATHAN TAYLOR, Sen.

Carbonear, June 17, 1835.

SAMUEL OVERBURY HART

BEGS respectfully to inform the Inhabitants of ST. JOHN'S, CONCEPTION BAY, and the COUNTRY at large, that he has ready for the Press,

A SACRED DRAMA,

IN THREE ACTS.

SUBJECTS:

The Rebellion and Expulsion of the S.A. TANTIC HOST from HEAVEN,

AND

The Creation and Apostacy of MAN;

Containing about 20 pages, foolscap octavo: Price, One Shilling.

THE above little WORK has been inspected and approved of, by Gentlemen of undoubted judgment, candour and talent; and he therefore solicits such a share of Patronage and support, as will enable him to submit his Performance to the decision of the PUBLIC.

For Recommendation, the Author would introduce the following quotation, as a fair specimen of the whole:—

Behold yon cloud of vital consciousness,
Whose beings' essence was their Maker's praise,
Thus sunk and ruined by their faithless chief,
By him, Son of the Morning once, and first
In love and duty's willing sacrifice;
'Till not contented with their glorious state,
And grasping at the sovereignty supreme,
They listen'd to their subtle Counsellor,
And from exalted Gods to hellish fiends
Sunk: and torment vast as former pleasure reap,
Their unspanned being now their bitterest curse.
Yet while rebellion's wages each receives,
Their chief with ampler vigour to endure
Shall in himself feel all his followers feel;
And on his countenance shall be impressed
His characters. Destruction, Shame and Sin,
His brow shall wear the diadem of Death,
His rule and sceptre shall be over Hell,
And millions by his cunning thither led,
Their pregnant curses lighting on his head,
Shall stamp his gnawing agony complete.

ACT II., SCENE 1st.

This quotation, is part of the Curse denounced by the DEITY upon LUCIFER, after his Expulsion from Heaven.

** Subscriptions will be thankfully received at the Offices of the STAR at Carbonear, of the MERCURY at Harbour Grace, of the TIMES, and by Mr. M'IVER at St. John's:—Also by Mr. M. RYAN at Brigus, and Mr. VANDENHOFF at Western Bay.

Carbonear, August 26, 1835.

Genteel Board and Lodgings.

MRS CATHERINE MARA (Widow of the late Mr. THOMAS MARA) begs permission to acquaint her Out Harbour Friends, she is prepared to accommodate GENTLEMEN or LADIES, from and of the Out Ports, coming to St. John's, with comfortable BOARD AND LODGING, at her House near the Old London Tavern—where every attention will be paid them, and on the most reasonable terms.

St. John's.
June 22, 1835.

On Sale

PUNTON & MUNN

HAVE RECENTLY IMPORTED,

And Offer For Sale,

PORK Irish and Copenhagen
FLOUR States', Copenhagen & Hambro'
BREAD Hamburg and Copenhagen
BUTTER ditto ditto
PEAS, OATMEAL
Refined SUGAR
Negrohead TOBACCO 1st quality (in kegs)
Mould and Dipt CANDLES, SOAP

WITH A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

MANUFACTURED GOODS,

From ENGLAND and SCOTLAND, consisting of
LEATHERWARE, SAILCLOTH
HOSIERY, COTTONS, MERINOS
BLANKETS, BLANKETING
HARDWARE, &c. &c.

Also on Hand,

RUM, MOLASSES & SUGAR of Superior Quality.

Cheap for Cash, Oil or Fish.

Harbour Grace,
October 7, 1835.

SLADE, ELSON & CO.

HAVE FOR SALE

The Cargo of the Brig
CARBONEAR,

Just received from St. ANDREW'S, New Brunswick:

CONSISTING OF

80 M. Feet Pine BOARD and PLANK
10 M. Feet Birch PLANK
10 Tons Hardwood BALK
25 M. SHINGLES
1 Pine MAST 20 INCHES
42 Spruce SPARS (various dimensions)
from 17 to 8 Inches.

All of the best Quality; and any part will be sold on reasonable terms, for Cash, Fish, or Oil Payment.

Carbonear,
Sept. 30, 1835.

IT IS OF THE BEST QUALITY!

J. DUNSCOMB & Co.

HAVE Imported in the Lucy, direct from MADEIRA, a small quantity of Choice London Particular WINE of the antique and celebrated Brand I A G, contained in whole, half, quarter and eighth Pipes, offered for Sale at the low price of £65 Currency per Pipe, duty included.

St. John's,
Sept. 21, 1835.

HOPE'S CARGO.

700 Barrels Fresh Superfine FLOUR
2,500 STAVES
100 Barrels TAR

Cargo of Brig HOPE, from New-York

WITH SOME

Negrohead and Leaf TOBACCO

For Sale in Barter by

JOHN DUNSCOMB & Co.

St. John's,
Sept. 21, 1835.

BY

THE SUBSCRIBER,

NEWCASTLE COAL

(Prime quality)

Bread, Flour, Pork, Butter
Molasses, Sugar, Tea
Coffee, Chocolate
Oatmeal, Bran
Wine, Gin, Vinegar, Leaf Tobacco
Soap, Candles
Hatchets, Spades, Shovels
Earthenware, Glassware
Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes
And a General Assortment of other necessary and useful

MANUFACTURED GOODS,

For which Cash, Fish, Oil, Salmon, Mackerel, and Herring will be taken in Payment.

T. NEWELL.

Carbonear,
September 9, 1835.

BLANKS of every description For Sale at the Office of this Paper.

Carbonear,
Sep. 9, 1835.