

the Cheddar School, for Books for Ohio, the Bristol and Clifton Female Anti-Slavery Society, the Clifton Lying-in Charity, the Clifton Infant School, the Clifton National School, the Clifton Female Hibernian Society, the Temple Poor, and for Pews in Temple Church, 50s. each.

To the Bristol Harmonia and Edinburgh Sabbath Schools, 19 guineas each.
To the Shipham Female Club, 50s.
To the Cheddar Female Club, 19 guineas.
To the Poor Printers' Fund, 19 guineas.
For the Shipham Poor, 50s.
To the Ministers of Wrington and Cheddar, for their respective poor, 19 guineas each.

To the Minister of Nailsea, for the poor 5s.
To my old pensioners at Wrington, 1s. each.

To the Kildare-place School Society, Dublin, 100s. sterling, and 200s. Three per Cent.
In addition to the foregoing munificent legacies, this pious lady has bequeathed the whole of her residuary estate, which it is expected will amount to a considerable sum, to the new Church in the out parish of St. Philip, in Bristol.—*Bristol Mirror*.

CARBONEAR STAR.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1833.

After some time of suspense the *Gazette* has announced the advancement to the Upper House of one of the members for St. John's District (W. Thomas, Esq.): and the member for Trinity Bay District (J. B. Garland, Esq.); consequently two new members are required for the Assembly. St. John's is already provided with a candidate in the person of Dr. Carson, of whose political principles report speaks highly. The long residence of that gentleman in the Island, his acknowledged talents, and his unceasing labours to acquire for it a local government, render him fully eligible to represent its interests, and assist in framing its laws. We have no personal acquaintance with the Doctor, and therefore only speak of him from report, which is, as we said before, so favourable, that we shall hail with satisfaction his election for the important district of St. John's.

We have heard, by the by, that the Doctor, is rather visionary in his schemes for the melioration of the country, and that this is an argument against his being admitted into our Assembly; but should even this be true, we are certain that there is too much good sense, and are too many matter-of-fact men in the Assembly to allow any scheme of a visionary nature to occupy their attention beyond the time required for its proposition. Besides, visionary, at the present time, is a term almost obsolete.—The Radical who had the hardihood to declare twenty years ago, that his principles would be dominant in the British House of Commons; that Cobbett the common soldier would be a member of that House; and that Church property would be subject to Parliamentary appropriation; would have been declared a visionary—yet all these things have come to pass. The man who now would state that this country will, at no very distant period, be capable of producing all the necessities requisite for the support of its population, would be called a visionary; yet may this thing come to pass, and the visionary be lauded as a man of judgment and foresight. In fact it is to the so called visionaries that the world owes all its improvements.

When Fulton proposed to render steam subservient to the purposes of navigation—when Gurney proposed to apply steam to the purposes of land travelling—their schemes were treated as visionary; yet have they, together with very many others, equally improbable to minds of a common stamp, been brought to perfection. How ridiculous is it then to apply the term visionary to any proposition however apparently improbable.—But enough of visionaries and visionary schemes. If the Doctor be a visionary we love him for it. We expect much from the sanguine disposition of such a man, and hope not to be disappointed.

Extract of a Private Letter dated Cadiz, October 10.

The Newspapers announce the arrival of the young Queen of Portugal at Lisbon, on the 22d ult. and the disaffection of her opponents troops, in consequence of which and the French Commanders having resigned, it is expected all matters will ere long be settled, and commerce resume its former course.

Ferdinand of Spain died on the 29th ult. his Dowager governs for the heirress of the Crown, and confidence is entertained of a speedy reform in the Tariff so very desirable for the advantage of British intercourse and particularly of the Fish Trade.

Extract of a Private Letter from England, received by the Brig JULIA, Stanworth, from Poole, which arrived at St. Mary's about a week since, dated October 8.

The last accounts from Lisbon state that Bourmont, and all his French officers had left Don Miguel's army, and returned into Spain, and that there was a prospect of a speedy settlement; we hope it will be the case, but have our doubts about it.

We have now to inform you that the King of Spain died at Madrid on the 29th ult. leaving the Queen Regent of the Kingdom, which it is fully expected will be disputed by Don Carlos, and that a civil war will be the consequence, this may last for years and it is impossible to say what effect it may have upon the Fish Trade, and it is not unlikely but it may bring on a general war in Europe.

(From a Correspondent.)

ISSUING WRITS ON A VACANCY IN THE BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS DURING A RECESS.—Act 24, Geo. III., cap. 26, sec. ii.—“The Speaker is to issue his warrant, during a recess, for making out writs for electing members to serve in the room of those who shall die or become peers of Great Britain, upon receiving notice, by certificate under the hands of two members, of the death of such member, or that a writ of summons has been issued under the great seal. The Speaker, upon receiving such certificate, shall forthwith cause notice to be inserted in the *Gazette*, and shall not issue his warrant until fourteen days after such insertion. To guard against inconvenience occurring by the death or absence of the Speaker, it is provided, that every Speaker of the House of Commons shall, within a convenient time after having been in Parliament, by a written instrument, under his hand and seal, nominate and appoint a certain number of persons, not more than seven nor less than three members of the House, authorising them, or any one of them, to execute the powers given to the Speaker for issuing such warrants. No person so appointed shall be authorised to act unless there be no Speaker of the House, or such Speaker be absent, nor any longer than such persons shall be members of the House.”

[Query.—Did the last Speaker of our Assembly appoint such persons before he was raised to the Council? if not, by whom will the writs for the election of new members be issued?]

Our Correspondent's questions are best answered by informing him that his Excellency the Governor, in the name of his Majesty, has issued writs for the election of two members to fill the vacancies in the Assembly. The election for the District of St. John's will commence at St. John's on Monday next, and conclude at Torbay on the Thursday week following. The period for opening and closing the election in Trinity Bay is not named in the Proclamation from which we have culled the above particulars. The writs bear date the 16th inst. Mr. Hogan, we understand opposes Dr. Carson in St. John's District.

It appears by the *GAZETTE* of yesterday, that his Honor HENRY JOHN BOULTON, Esquire, took the Oaths of office, as Chief Judge of this Island and its Dependencies, on the 21st inst.

The Northern Circuit Court was closed at Harbour Grace on the 20th instant, and on the following day his Hon. Judge Brenton, left for St. John's.

The Sittings of the Supreme Court are to commence on the 16th December and continue to the 8th January.—*Gaz. Nov. 26.*

[ORIGINAL.]

“REMEMBER LOT'S WIFE.”

Engrave her doom upon my heart,
That I may never wish to part,
(So apt to tempt my loving God
To stop and linger on the road.)
That I may never more draw back,
Saviour into thy bosom take;
And make this dear-bought soul of mine
A monument of grace divine.

C. W.

MARRIED.—On Monday last, in this town, by the Rev. J. G. Hennigar, Wesleyan Missionary, Mr. George Everly, to Miss Patience Summers, both of Clown's Cove.

Shipping Intelligence.

HARBOUR GRACE.

Nov. 18.—Schooner Sarah, Brien, Hamburg; 25 bls. peas, 120 firkins butter, 26 bls. oatmeal, 500 lbs. spungyarn, 2 pipes geneva, 3 cases furniture, 1 case glassware, 40 hams, 1 bale bacon, 594 bags bread, 8,400 bricks, 35 bls. pork, 50 bls. flour, 2 casks shoes.

CLEARED.

Nov. 21.—Schooner Zenobia, Bulley, Naples; 2,620 qtls. fish.

CARBONEAR.

CLEARED.

Nov. 23.—Brig John and Isaac, Martin, Falmouth; 3,300 qtls. fish.

ST. JOHN'S.

ENTERED.

Nov. 15.—Schooner Brothers, Southerland, P. E. Island; potatoes, &c.
Brig Eliza, Fowler, Greenock; potatoes, coal.
Brig Gipsy, Brown, Oporto; salt, wine.
Brig Marshall, White, Lisbon; butter, coal, and sundries.
16.—Schooner John Alexander, Janes, P. E. Island; board, potatoes.
Brig Aurora, Ward, London; soap, porter, wine, candles, coal.
Schooner Austin, M'Grath, Lunenburg; apples, potatoes, &c.
Brig Douglastown, Black, Demerara; molasses.
Schooner Nightingale, Coffin, P. E. Island; potatoes, oats, spars.
19.—Schooner Huskisson, Warner, Halifax; flour, beef, &c.
Schooner Eagle, Dowsley, New York; flour, pork, beef, butter.
Schooner Dublin Packet, —, Hamburg; bread, oatmeal, butter.
Schooner Highlander, Munden, Quebec; flour, pork, beef.
Schooner Elizabeth, Darley, Quebec; pork, beef, and sundries.

CLEARED.

Nov. 14.—Brig Creole, Peckford, Halifax; fish.
Brig Rover, Ingham, Bermuda; fish.
Schooner Surprise, Blackaller, Bristol; oil, blubber, dregs.
Schooner Loyal William, Blampied, Gibraltar; fish.
American Brig Mallery, Foster, Gibraltar; fish.
15.—Schooner Edward, Stephens, Sydney; ballast.
Brig Vittoria, Elder, Vianna; fish.
Brig Balclutha, Milray, Italy; fish.
Schooner Eliza Ann, Love, Naples; fish.
Schooner Jane, Hunt, Liverpool; oil, sounds, hides salmon.
16.—Schooner Sir Peregrine Maitland, Field, Demerara; fish; &c.
18.—Brig Arab, Smith, Cork and Waterford; fish.
19.—Brig Sarah, Hayman, Waterford; oil, fish.

ON SALE.

BY

COLLINGS & LEGG,
THE CARGO OF

The Schooner WELLINGTON, from HALIFAX,

CONSISTING OF

100 Barrels Superfine Flour
50 Barrels Middlings Ditto
50 Barrels Rye Ditto
50 Barrels Indian Meal
10 Barrels Beef
10 Barrels Pork
20 Barrels Butter
50 M. Shingles.

Carbonear, 6, Nov. 1833.

At the Office of this Paper,
A quantity of Pincock's Catechisms, viz.:
History of Greece, History of Rome
History of England, Chemistry
Astronomy, Latin Grammar
Navigation
Modern History and Ancient History.

Also,

The Charter House Latin Grammar
School Prize Books (handsomely bound)
Sturm's Reflections on the Works of God,
2 vols. (plates)
Sequel to Murray's English Reader
Pincock's Histories of Greece, Rome, and England
Bonycastle's Mensuration
And sundry other School Books.
Sealing Wax India Rubber
WRITING PARCHMENT of a very superior quality, and large size
Carbonear, July 3, 1833.

NOTICES.

LAST NOTICE.

WHEREAS many Persons who assisted JAMES DOYLE, on the 20th and 21st of May last, in towing the Schooner SYLPH into Musquito, were absent at the Labrador when Claims were advertised for,—NOTICE is hereby given, that no Claim will be received after the 2nd DECEMBER next, as a final settlement will then be made.

NEWMAN W. HOYLES,
Agent for the Sale.

St. John's, Nov. 19, 1833.

PUT on Shore from the Brig Wilberforce, from Liverpool, and now in the Store of Messrs. T. CHANCEY and Co.,

One Bundle Tar Brushes
Large Paper Parcel
(Both of which are without Mark.)

Any Person who can substantiate a claim to the above, may receive them by applying to Messrs. T. CHANCEY and Co., and paying Expenses.

Carbonear, Nov. 1, 1833.

FOR SALE at the Office of this Journal the CUSTOM-HOUSE PAPERS necessary for the ENTRY and CLEARANCE of Vessels under the New Regulations.

NOTICES.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE DISTRICT OF TRINITY-BAY.

GENTLEMEN,

IT becomes my duty to inform you that by His Majesty's command I have been called to a seat in the Legislative Council of this Island, which will occasion a vacancy in the Representation of your District in the General Assembly of Newfoundland.

In first addressing you as a Candidate for that post—to which your suffrages eventually raised me, but which is my duty now to relinquish—if I evinced a willingness to assume the charge, I trust that the slender confidence which I placed in my own abilities and experience for the able discharge of its functions was not the less apparent; and on now surrendering my trust, after the experience which the past session has afforded me, while I can acquit myself of any deviation from that line which independence of conduct or strict impartiality may fairly lay down, yet in a period so important as that when a long neglected colony was making her first advances in the scale of self-Legislation, I could have wished that your interest had been committed to, and been represented by, abilities more disciplined and talents more comprehensive.

My retirement will, however, afford you a fresh opportunity of exercising your newly acquired privileges as Electors by appointing my successor; and judging from those events which have lately passed, and from others which are still passing before me, I would (as one who feels a deep interest in the welfare both public and social of your District,—who in any future station in which he may be placed, will be disposed to be the advocate no less than the supporter of that welfare) respectfully remind you that the business of your Legislative improvements is but commencing;—that a revision of all existing laws affecting your persons and your properties must necessarily and speedily ensue;—that if the public welfare require a Colonial Revenue should be provided, a dispassionate and comprehensive judgment is also requisite to be exercised in its appropriation—that the best interests of a growing population, no less so in numbers than in intelligence, imperiously demand that new modes for the local administration of justice should be adopted;—that on well-grounded decisions of the Legislature to protect and support every liberal institution, will mainly depend the best hope for fostering and directing the energies of an infant Colony.—These are subjects which must press on the consideration and occupy the attention of all those who, from the exercise of privileges such as yours, may hold a seat in the General Assembly of Newfoundland, and I know not that I can more gratefully tender you my farewell in that public character which has so lately connected us, than in offering my best hopes and wishes that in the approaching Election, which will involve the representation of your most important interests as inhabitants of this Island, your choice may fall on one whose judgment, not excited by passion or warped by prejudice,—whose independence of character, founded on its surest principles—integrity and experience, may ensure to you a rational hope that while those interests are efficiently represented and protected, the public welfare of the Island will be no less regarded.

Other expressions of gratitude for the confidence reposed in me, I will not attempt but briefly remark, that to have been called into public life for the representation of interests in a District of this Island to which I owe much, while it was a stimulus to my exertions, is a circumstance which cannot be easily forgotten by him who has now the honor to subscribe himself,

Gentlemen,

Your very obedient, humble servant,
J. BINGLEY GARLAND.

St. John's, Newfoundland,
November 7, 1833.

In the Insolvency of

GEORGE TRAPNELL,
Of Carbonear, Carpenter,

Northern Circuit Court,
Harbour Grace, 5th November, 1833.

AT a MEETING of the Creditors of GEORGE TRAPNELL, of Carbonear, Carpenter, Insolvent, held at Carbonear, after due Notice; Mr. ROBERT AYLES, Merchant, and Mr. JOHN CUNNINGHAM, are appointed Trustees to the Estate of the said Insolvent, and are hereby authorised, under such orders as the Honorable the Northern Circuit Court, shall from time to time make herein; to discover, collect, realize and distribute the Estate, Debts and Effects of the said Insolvent. And all Persons indebted to the said Insolvent, or holding any Property or Effects belonging to him, are hereby notified to pay or deliver the same over to the said Trustees.

JOHN STARK,
Clerk and Registrar.