

THE LATE VERY REV. T. EWER, V. G.

We have not been enabled to procure the documents for the biographical sketch of the life of this worthy and estimable Clergyman, which we anticipated; we therefore extract the following from the "MERCURY."

"Mr. EWER was born in the city of Dublin, of respectable parents, who enjoyed a considerable degree of affluence, and perceiving in their son an inclination to embrace a religious life sent him to a Latin School at an early period, where he perfected himself in a certain course, and having also acquired a sufficient stock of classical knowledge he removed to the Irish Franciscan College of St. Isidore at Rome—the unfortunate state of Ireland (for many years before and subsequent to his leaving his native land) having led him, as it did thousands of his countrymen, to seek in a foreign clime that education which the cruel policy of the penal laws denied them at home. During his preparatory course of learning at the beforementioned Seminary he obtained the honourable distinction of Lecturer in Philosophy, and having finished his studies he was ordained priest by the Archbishop of Athens, (who was then at Rome) on the 19th Jan. 1776.

On leaving Rome, he proceeded to Prague and spent some time in that celebrated city to improve himself in those branches of knowledge which are necessary to the clerical profession. From Prague he went to Nismes and Avignon in the south of France, and after passing some time in these places he left the continent and arrived in his native city in the year 1782. Here he attracted the notice of Dr Carpenter, Archbishop of Dublin, who placed him as Curate in the parish of Rathfarnham, in which parish he was actively and usefully employed until 1789, when he solicited from the then Archbishop Dr. Troy, leave to proceed on a foreign mission, which was granted. In the same year he arrived in this country, his eminent qualifications soon became apparent to the Very Rev. Dr. O'Donnell, Prefect of the Mission, who appointed him to the district of Ferryland.

The Rev. Mr. Ewer arrived in this country at a time not so favourable to the Missionary cause as the present, and therefore during the whole period of his mission at Ferryland he had to endure many circumstances of a painful and extremely critical nature; but being blest with a robust constitution, and gifted with a courteous and pleasing address, he was enabled to dissipate many prejudices and appease the adverse passions of men who were eager to annoy him or obstruct his laudable endeavours.

In 1806, the year after the demise of the Rev. Mr. Phelan (of pious memory) Mr. Ewer visited this district, and finally settled here in 1806 having exchanged parishes with the Rev. Ambrose Fitzpatrick."

In the twenty-seven years which he spent in this district, he never failed to exhibit qualities which adorn the representatives of our blessed Saviour—Charity—charity in the fullest extent—that charity so beautifully enlorged by St. Paul—"which breatheth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things." Long will Christians of all denominations remember him, as a kind benefactor and warm friend. Affable and unceremonious in his manners and courteous to all, this truly venerable and good man gained the respect and affection of every one with whom he came in contact. But we must cease.—What can be said of a good and righteous representative of Christ, may be said of him, who only wanted a vent to exercise that benevolence in which he was so pre-eminent.

During his residence here, the Chapels of Carbonar, Harbour Grace, Brigus, Port-de-Grave, Harbour Main, Bay-de-Verds, and Northern Bay, were erected—thus shewing that he neglected not the office which he had engaged to fulfil.

The illness, which was the cause of his death, was very short but painful: his soul resigned itself to the will of the Almighty, on the Morning of Wednesday, the 6th instant.—"May he rest in peace."

THE FUNERAL.

"The sensation of extreme regret excited by the death of this truly good and faithful servant to a crucified Saviour, brought together a greater assemblage than was ever witnessed in any part of Conception Bay.—The congregated mass was composed of persons of all ages and denominations eagerly pressing forward to pay the last mark of respect to departed worth. All the necessary arrangements being, at length completed, on Tuesday last, precisely at one o'clock, the procession began to move in the following order—

- Children of the St. Patrick's Free School  
Two and two
- Mechanics' Society of Harbour Grace  
with Colours, Wands, and Insignia  
Two and two,
- Fishermen and Shoremen's Society of Carbonar  
with Colours, Wands, and Insignia  
Two and two,
- Fishermen and Shoremen's Association of Conception Bay  
with Colours, Wands, and Insignia  
Two and two,
- Benevolent Irish Society of Conception Bay  
with Wands and Insignia  
Two and two,
- Medical Gentlemen,
- Protestant Clergy, of all denominations
- Roman Catholic Clergymen  
Two and two,
- Pall supported by
- Thomas Foley, Esq. THE BODY. J. C. Nuttall, Esq.
- Wm. Bemister, Esq. John Elson, Esq.
- Felix McCarthy, Esq. Jas. Prendergast, sr. Esq.
- Right Rev. Dr. Fleming, Roman Catholic Bishop, as Chief Mourner,  
attired in a black cloak and Insignia of office,
- Sub-Collector His Majesty's Customs—Chief Magistrate of Harbour Grace,  
Magistrate of Carbonar,  
Two Magistrates of Harbour Grace,
- Deputy Sheriff—Clerk of the Northern Circuit Court,
- Commercial Society of Harbour Grace  
Two and two,
- Gentlemen of Harbour Grace and Carbonar  
Two and two,
- Populace  
Two and two.

The procession passed on through the town, in the above order, until it came opposite the house of Mr. FRANCIS RONAN when it turned, and proceeding again through the main street, at a quarter to 2 o'clock reached the Chapel, where the body was laid in a vault which the Very Rev. Mr. Ewer had caused to be built for the purpose, many years previous to his decease. In closing the details of the ceremony of consigning to their last and drear abode, the remains of this highly respected clergyman, we cannot omit mentioning that the whole was conducted with the most imposing effect, and in the utmost degree of regularity and order; the arrangements were remarkable for their appropriate elegance—calculated to produce an extremely solemn and mournful effect, and to make a deep and lasting impression on the numerous assemblage of individuals which the sorrowful occasion had brought together."

SALE BY AUCTION.

AT THE WHARF OF  
Messrs. ROBINSON, BROOK-  
ING, GARLAND & Co.

ST. JOHN'S,  
On THURSDAY,

The 26th inst., At Noon,

(By authority of the Honourable the Supreme Court, to satisfy certain preferable claims upon the Insolvent Estate of Mr. CHARLES COZENS.)

The good Brig  
PROVIDENCE,

of the burthen of 112 Tons,  
Carries about 2000 quintals of Fish in bulk; is nearly 7 years old, but had new Bows and a thorough repair at considerable expense 2 years since. Sails well, is well found in every respect, and a desirable Vessel for a Sealer or for the general purposes of the Trade of this Island.

St. John's, Feb. 15, 1833.

NOTICES.

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Co-partnership heretofore existing between the Subscribers, under the Firm of PROWSE and JAQUES, Carbonar, Newfoundland, is this day, by mutual consent, dissolved. All Debts owing to and from the said Concern, will be received and paid by the undersigned GEORGE EDWARD JAQUES. Witness our Hands, at Carbonar, this 31st Day of December, 1832.

SAMUEL PROWSE, JUN.  
GEORGE EDWARD JAQUES.

THE Business hitherto carried on in this Town, under the Firm of PROWSE and JAQUES, will be continued by the Subscriber, from this date, in his own Name.

GEORGE EDWARD JAQUES.

Carbonar, Dec. 31, 1832.

S. PROWSE takes this opportunity of acquainting his Friends and the Public generally, that he has taken a Spot of Ground from the Executor of the late W. H. Scott, (East of the Dwelling-house at present in the occupancy of Mr. Gamble), where he purposes to erect Premises and continue BUSINESS on his own account.

Carbonar, Jan. 1, 1833.

THE Subscriber begs to inform the Inhabitants of CARBONAR, BRIGUS, and their vicinities, that he has on hand a large and general assortment of Goods, which will be sold on

VERY MODERATE TERMS

CONSISTING OF  
Blue, Black, Brown, Olive, Drab, Broad and Forest Cloths  
Pilot Cloths, Blankets, Flannels  
Serges, Stuffs, Plaids, Shalloons  
Padding Cloths, Peruvian Cloths  
Printed Chintz and Furniture Cottons  
White and Grey Cottons  
Shirting-Cotton and Shirting  
Nankinets, Blue and Pink Stripe  
Nankeen, coloured, Cotton Bed-Tick  
Marseilles Quilts and Counterpanes  
Coloured Counterpanes, Cotton Balls  
Tapes, Pins, Needles, Silk Tabinett  
Gros de Naples, Norwich Crape  
Spotted, Book, Mull, and Checked Muslins  
Lining Sarsnets, Table-cloths, Carpets  
Carpeting, Suspenders, Combs  
Silk and Cotton Shawls, Room Paper  
Hats of excellent quality  
Cotton Check, Moleskins, and a variety of other Goods  
Congo, Souchong, and Green Teas  
Soap, Raisins, Butter, Bread  
Beef, Pork, Rum, and Molasses

ALSO,

TO LET,

BY THE SUBSCRIBER,  
(On Building Leases, for 20 Years),  
TWO Plots of Ground, (adjoining his Premises in Carbonar), each 25 feet front, and extending back to the Water-side.

THOMAS GAMBLE,

(Executor of the late W. H. Scott.)

Carbonar, Jan. 2, 1833.

BLANKS of every description for sale at the Office of this Paper.

TO LET,

On Building Leases, for a Term of Years,

A Piece of LAND; the Property of the Subscriber, extending from the House of Mr. Joseph Parsons, on the East, to the House of Mr. Ann Lockett, on the West, and running back from the South Side of the Street, to the Subscriber's House.

MARY TAYLOR,

Carbonar, Feb. 13, 1833.

ON SALE.

JUST IMPORTED,  
AND FOR SALE,

BY

THE SUBSCRIBERS,

The Cargo of the Brig Indian Lass, from Waterford,

CONSISTING OF

- BREAD
- FLOUR
- PORK
- BUTTER
- OATMEAL
- PORTER (in Tierces)
- CARROTS
- POTATOES
- FEATHER BEDS 60th each
- Men's and Women's SHOES
- OATS.

ALSO,

The Cargo of the Brig Bawthick, from New-York.

CONSISTING OF

- BREAD
- FLOUR
- BUTTER
- PORK and BEEF
- OATS.

Cash, Fish, or Oil will be taken in Payment, or Seats in the Spring.

THOS. CHANCEY & Co.

Carbonar, Jan. 23, 1833.

BY

MICHAEL HOWKEY,

- 16 Puncheons Rum and Molasses
- 10 Barrels Superior Sugar
- 10 Chests of Souchong and Congo Teas
- 20 Barrels Prime Beef
- 20 Firkins Prime Butter
- 3 Cwt. Starch
- 5 Cwt. Leaf Tobacco

With a General Assortment of

SHOP GOODS,

CONSISTING OF

- Blue Half-Cloths, Blanketings
- Flannels, Serges, Stuffs, Printed Cottons
- Calicoes, Muslins, Lace, Edging
- Moleskin, Fustians, Feather Beds
- Men's Lambs'-wool and Yarn Hose
- Blanketing Drawers
- Men's Blue and White Flannel and Cotton Shirts
- Carpenters' Tools, Coopers' Tools
- Horse Collars
- Whip, Cross-cut, and Hand Saws
- Metal Fountains, and Boilers
- Quadrants, Charts, Ensigns, Union Jacks
- Parallel Rulers, Norey's Epitome
- Gunter's Scales
- Sealers' Sculpting Knives
- Gun Locks, Gun Lock Vices
- Deck Boots
- Men's Women's and Children's Shoes
- Shingle and assorted Nails, from 1 1/2 to 8 Inches
- Superfine Blue Cloth Jackets, Trowsers and Vests
- Castor Oil, Honey, Bermuda Arrow-root

The above Articles, will be Sold ready for CASH.

Carbonar, Jan. 16, 1833.

BY

COLLINGS & LEGG,

- 50 Barrels American Flour
- 50 Barrels American Beef
- 30 Firkins Prime Butter
- 50 Boxes Raisins
- And a general assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.

Carbonar, Jan. 9, 1833.