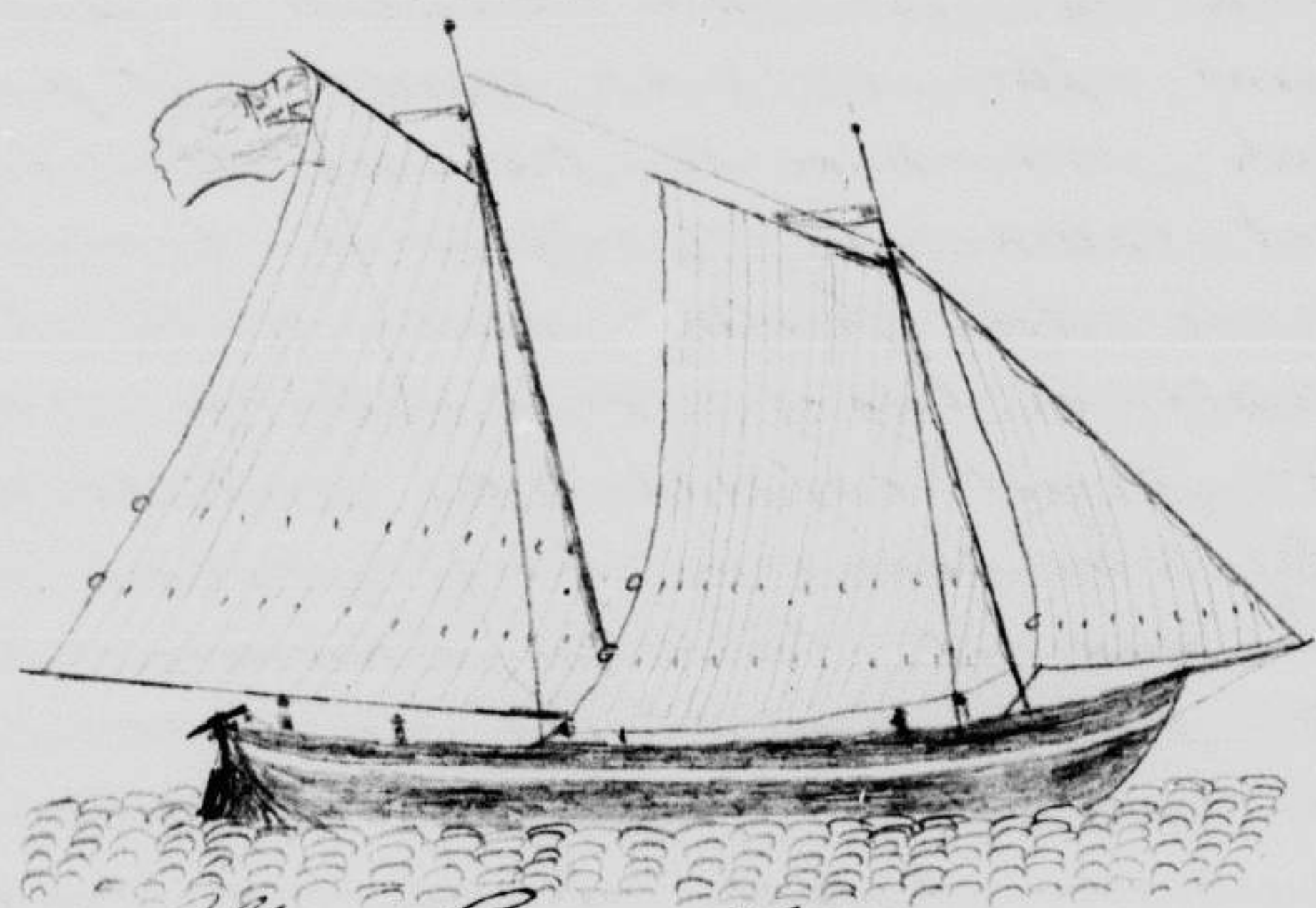




The George Henry

Blow high or low the only thing that troubled me was if anything should happen the woman and child would be in a bad fix I went on my har and got over pretty well but nearly lost boat and all I ran over a reef I did not see it till I was over the sea was very heavy and the ruder only. I looked astern and saw the rocks all out of water that we had come over if the boat had struck all would have been lost we got in to the river safe discharged our cargo took in a cargo of cher and came back to port Cooper after being away 12 days I have been the same voyage since I was getting on pretty well and had a good name at port Cooper till I got in to sail for robbery a vessel come a schooner and her cargo was tossed up on the beach some of it was stolen and stored away in the rocks I was suspected and tried but was acquitted I left the boat I had and went on shore with a man that had a ketch rigged vessel a short time I was with him

The Agnes Hannah

we ran between port nie and port Cooper I did not stop long with him of leaving the Agnes Hannah that was the name of the vessel I went on shore in a smake Fisherman called the fisherman we traded along the coast to Wellington and Nelson but I did not stop long I left one trip at Wellington and shipped in the schooner Sisley.

Goisley

I shipped in the schooner Sisley in Wellington and sailed for Taranaki now call my new flymouth the captain was drunk and all hands the whole passage we got to our port all safe discharged our cargo then started for Cape Horn we got there safe and lade the schooner on shore to clean her after she was all ready we sailed for Manacor then I left and traveled over to Auckland with my pack on my back 7 miles

Lyon of Providence

the lion whaler belonging to Providence was there and the old rich sent me a whaling again the gold had been found at that time in Australia I tried to go but could not I had to go a whaling after leaving Auckland we called at one of the navigator islands for wood and water the name of the island was Uplai we only stopped long enough for to get our wood and water onboard when we sailed there was a man fetched on board and flogged by our mate Mr. Hardwick for trying to entice some of our men to run away we called at a great number of islands on our cruise the cruise before they had left a man one one of the crews group of islands to by coconut oil