



Peter Monamy
Ship on Fire
Oil on Canvas, 1720s
74 x 61.5cm

Thought to be by the celebrated British marine painter, Peter Monamy, this picture has the strong chiaroscuro dramatic atmosphere typical of his style.



Unknown artist
Portraits of Pierre and Caroline Perrot
Oil on Canvas, 1820s
80 x 63cm



Perrot was Constable from 1834 – 1845 and founded the newspaper *La Chronique de Jersey* which he can be seen reading. A member of the Rose Party, he was one of the most influential members of the States Assembly, twice chosen to represent the Island before the Privy Council, while the building of the 'New Harbour' was largely due to his energetic advocacy. In a refreshing departure from normal practice, a portrait of his wife was commissioned at the same time as his own.