

Description of the Sea by Moonlight.
FROM WILSON'S ISLE OF PALMS.

IT is the midnight hour;—the beautiful Sea,
Calm as the cloudless heaven, the heaven discloses,
While many a sparkling star, in quiet glee,
Far down within the watery sky reposes.

As if the ocean's heart were stirr'd
With inward life, a sound is heard,
Like that of dreamer murmuring in his sleep,
'Tis partly the billow, and partly the air,
That lies like a garment floating fair
Above the happy Deep.

The sea, I ween, cannot be fann'd
By evening freshness from the land,
For the land it is far away;
But God hath will'd that the sky-born breeze
In the centre of the loneliest seas
Should ever sport and play.

The mighty Moon she sits above,
Encircled with a zone of love,
A zone of dim and tender light
That makes her wakeful eye more bright!
She seems to shine with a sunny ray,
And the night looks like a mellow'd day!
The gracious Mistress of the Main
Hath now an undisturbed reign,
And from her silent throne looks down,
As upon children of her own,
On the waves that lend their gentle breast
In gladness for her couch of rest!

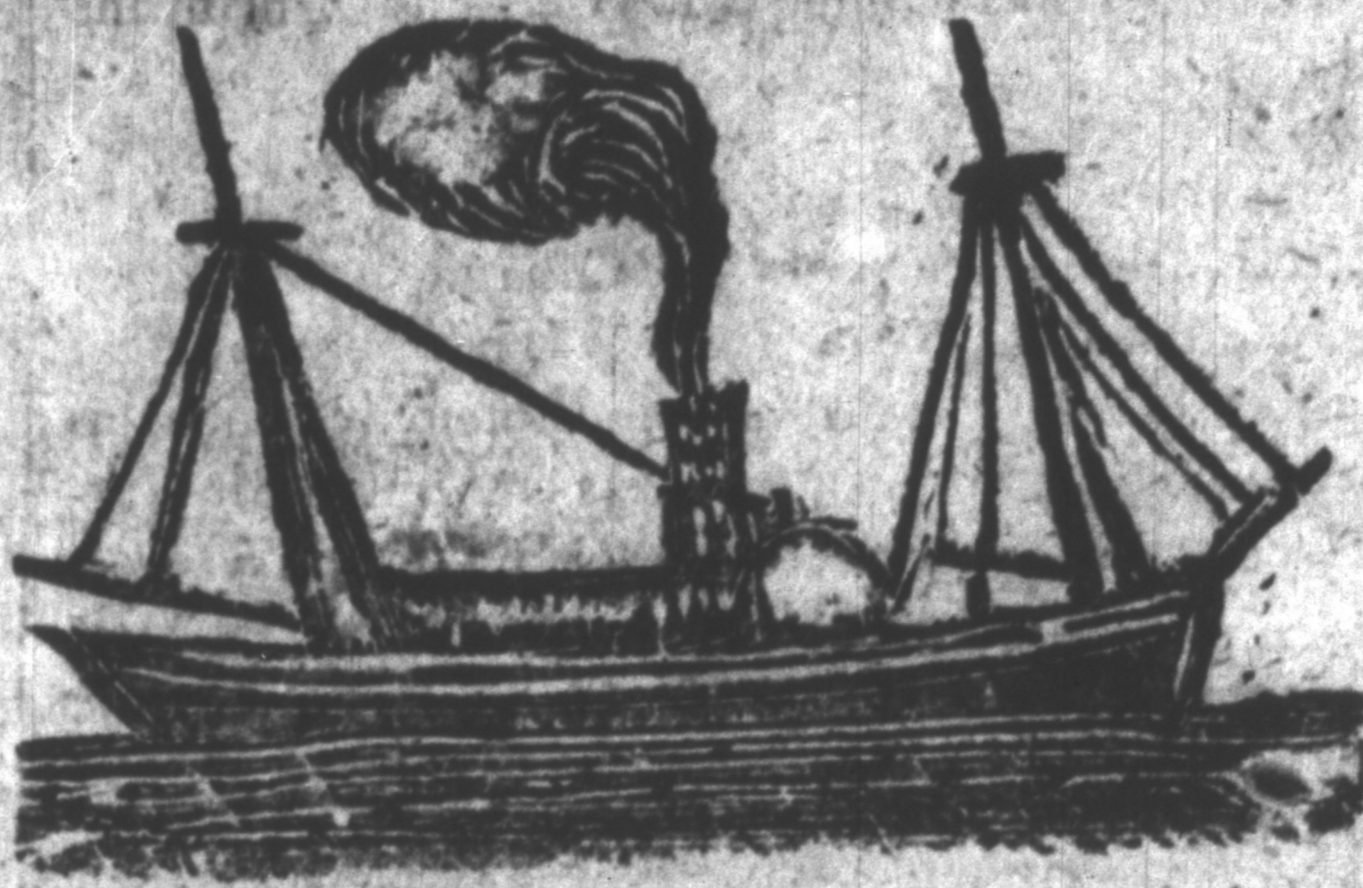
From the *Potsdam Gazette* of February 24.
Murder and Robbery!—For the following account of Murder, horrid beyond description! we are indebted to Caleb Hough, Esq. of this village, the Coroner who took the inquisition of the dead bodies, and Dr. M'Chesney, who was one of the Jurors—Their knowledge is derived from their examination of the bodies—the confession of the murderer, and the evidence adduced before the jury. On Sunday, the 18th inst. Mr. Michael Scarborough, of Louisville, crossed the St. Lawrence river to Cornwall, whence he was to proceed on Monday to Montreal—leaving at home, his wife aged twenty-four years—a lovely girl of two years, an infant of three months, and Jean Baptiste Macue, a French servant boy of fourteen years old. About 12 o'clock on the same day, Jean Baptiste Grateau, a little, black looking Canadian Frenchman, left Massena village under pretence of going to Quebec, but went immediately to Mr. Scarborough's house, about two miles where he staid fixing his plan of operations for the night; from the house he went to the woods—staid till dark, went into the barn of Mr. Scarborough, slept till 4 or 5 o'clock in the morning—went to the house entered a back door into an entry way—passed into a cellar—ate a hearty breakfast—came up—took an axe from the entry way—went into a large room where the servant boy was sleeping by a stove—warmed himself—went into the adjoining room where Mrs. S. with the infant on her arm and little girl by her side, were asleep—stood several minutes, looking at Mrs. S. and then at the trunk containing the cash—at length he determined, for his own security, to add murder to robbery—He levelled the axe twice at the neck of Mrs. S. severed the bone and artemis and most severed the head from the body—She died without a struggle. The head of the axe was let into the infant's head from the forehead to the crown—the child lived about four hours. The little girl has three marks of the axe on her head and one on her shoulder—her head is much swollen—it is not yet ascertained whether the skull is fractured—some hopes of her recovery. From the bedroom he returned to the servant boy, gave him a blow on the head and cut his throat, (he was brother to the murderer's wife) then returned to the bedroom opened a trunk took out a handkerchief containing 22 dollars and 86 cents in specie—he expected 500 dollars. A quantity of gold remained in the trunk undiscovered.

On Monday morning, a Mr. Field, of Massena, went to the house on an errand and made the discovery—he immediately gave the alarm, the first who arrived were the father, mother, and brother of the servant boy. It snowed during the night—Mr. Orvis, and other gentlemen of Massena, on horseback, took the track of the murderer and pursued him about 12 miles, when they came up and took him, within two miles of St. Regis village—He asserted his innocence, while his blood

stained hands and clothes declared his guilt, until brought into the room where the bodies were, when he confessed the whole; and requested that his priest (a Catholic) might be sent for to pardon him.

He is now in the county gaol, well secured in irons. He is from St. Anne, Lower Canada, (as he says) where his father, brother, and sister live.

Mr. S. was immediately informed of the situation of of his family and returned. It is not in the power of language to describe his distress, it would be mockery to attempt it.



THE PROPRIETORS
OF THE
STEAM BOAT,
BEG leave to inform the Public, that she will commence Running early in May next, between St. John and Fredericton, to start every MONDAY and THURSDAY morning, from the Indian-House, (Saint John) precisely at 9 o'clock, and from Fredericton every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY morning, precisely at 8 o'clock; to stop at Mr. WORDEN'S, Mr. SCOVIL'S, opposite Gagetown, and at JAMES TAYLOR'S, Esq. Maugerville, for 10 minutes only at a time at each place, both going and coming, to land or take on board Passengers.

The established prices for the ensuing season will be: All after-cabin Passengers 22s. 6d; Breakfast and Dinner, or Dinner and Tea included. Children under 12 years of age 10s. and Servants eating after their Master or Mistresses 15s. All forward-cabin Passengers 17s. 6d. and Children under 12 years of age 10s.

WAY PASSENGERS.
From the Indian-House to Worden's 12s. 6d.
From Worden's to Scovil's, additional 5s.
From Scovil's to Taylor's, do. 5s.
And from Taylor's to Fredericton do. 7s. 6d.
AND ON THEIR RETURN
From Fredericton to Taylor's 7s. 6d.
From Taylor's to Scovil's, additional 5s.
From Scovil's to Worden's, do. 5s.
And from Worden's to the Indian-House, do 10s.

The Steward will keep a supply of the best of Liquors, which is to be paid for by those who order them. All Persons must pay their Passage money, on their having their names entered on the Boat's Books, prior to starting.

Passengers will be allowed 50lbs. weight of Baggage; all weight over, to pay at the rate of 5s. per Cwt. for all or part of the way; small Parcels without exception, under 15lb. to pay 1s. 3d. to be paid for on putting the same on board. No four-footed animal admitted on board the Boat; Dogs excepted—for each of which, 5s. must be paid, and excluded both cabins.

To avoid confusion, Passengers are requested to affix their names to their Baggage, previous to sending it on board.

All application for Passages, to be made to the Master on board.

N. B. The internal Rules and Regulations of the Boat, for the better information, good order and comfort of Passengers, will be hung up in the Cabins.

HUGH JOHNSTON,
JOHN WARD,
PETER FRASER,
JAMES FRASER,
L. DONALDSON,
ROBERT SMITH,
J. C. F. BREMNER,
} PROPRIETORS.
New-Brunswick, 12th Feb. 1816.

NOTICE.
ALL Persons having demands against the Estate of the late DAVID STACKHOUSE, of Peneyack, deceased, are requested to render their Accounts duly attested within Six Months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to
HANNAH STACKHOUSE, Administratrix.
JOHN CLEARWATER, } Administrators.
WILLIAM SEWELL, }
Fredericton, 16th April, 1816.

THE SUBSCRIBER

Has received by the latest arrivals from ENGLAND, a general assortment of
DRY GOODS, HARD WARE, &c.
Offers the same for sale at the Store lately occupied by the late Mr. BELL, on reasonable terms for Cash, Bills, Furs, or Timber.
HENRY SMITH,
16th January, 1816.

New Goods.

JAMES TAYLOR,
Has just received by the ANN, from
Liverpool, part of his Spring assortment of
British Goods,

AMONG WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING, VIZ:
BEST Superfine, Second and Coarse Cloth. Casimeres & Serges.
Ladies Pelise Cloths,
A handsome assortment of Toilett, and Swansdown Waist-coating; White, Red, and Yellow Flannels, and Blankets,
A handsome assortment of plain, twill'd & Figur'd Bombazettes & Wildboars,
Printed Cottons; Shirting do.
Ladies Worsted and Cotton Hose,
Mens do. do.
Gentlemen's Lambswool Draws and Shirts,
An assortment of Hardware; A few pairs of elegant plated Table and Bedroom Candlesticks,
Japan'd do. & Tea Waiters, &c. &c. &c. Which he now offers for Sale on the most reasonable terms.
The remainder of his assortment he expects daily by the LONDON and GLASGOW Vessels.
Fredericton, N. B. June 6, 1815.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having demands against the Estate of the late BRIDGET EDDY, of Miramichi, deceased, are desired to present the same, duly attested, within eighteen calendar months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to

ALEXANDER DAVIDSON,
Sole Administrator.

Miramichi, 1st August, 1815.

ALL PERSONS

HAVING any just demands against the Estate of ADAM DUNMEDE, late of Miramichi, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested—and those indebted to the said Estate are desired to make immediate payment to

PATRICK TAYLOR, } Admini-
JOHN GOODFELLOW, } strators.

Miramichi, Nov. 20th, 1815.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any demands against the Estate of the late THOMAS CLARKE, Esq. of this City, deceased, are requested to present them for payment; and all Persons indebted to the said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to,

FRANCES CLARKE, Adm'r.
Wm. TYNG PETERS, Adm'r.

St. John, 12th Dec. 1815.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any demands against the Estate of the late Hon. EDWARD WINSLOW, of Fredericton, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested—and all those indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to

JOHN JENKINS, } Admini-
EDWARD W. MILLER, } strators.

Fredericton, May 23, 1815.

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