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1819.

The *Star*, from which we make some extracts, is dated May 18, 1819. This paper was published by Wm. Reynolds & Co., whose office at the time was on the corner of Prince Wm. and Church Streets. Mr. Reynolds, subsequently was engaged in the book and stationery business, and, at the time of his death kept store on Canterbury street, or, as it was then called, Cross street. At this time, Cross street, opening on King street, extended no farther than Cooper's Alley. It is only within a few years that it has been opened to the water, near Reed's Point.

John Kinnear, at this time, was proprietor of a n'ck-nack shop, and advertises in stock Plaids, cloths, muslins, dimity, handkerchiefs, boots and shoes, and *Girls Beaver Bonnets*.

Miss Sarah Gage was the mantuamaker of these old times, and her establishment was located on one of the wharves in Water street. How the prim Miss of 1883 would turn up her nose if she had to go to one of the wharves to get her dress-making done.

According to an advertisement we learn that the firm of Gilbert & Tisdale (Henry Gilbert and Walker Tisdale) was dissolved on May 18th, 1818, and on the same day George G. Gilbert and Walker Tisdale form a co-partnership under the same style as that just dissolved.

On the 12th May, 1819, the Commissary General advertises for proposals "for erecting and completing a building on the King's Ground, Lower Cove, the frame to be 180 feet long and 26 feet broad," the tender to be subject to the approval of His Excellency Major General Smyth. This was the building known as the Officers' Barracks.

Samuel and Stephen Wiggins was a rising firm in the flour, sugar, molasses and cordage business.

Ezekial Dyer was a shipwright and boatbuilder.

James Codner sold Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.

McLeod, Robertson & Co. were shipbrokers and owners.

Gale & Cooke were Grocers, Seedsmen and tallow chandlers.

J. Matthews kept the "British Boot and Shoe Warehouse," and in advertising his stock he adds, "*seams warranted.*"

John Thomson announces that the pews in the gallery of St. Andrew's Church may be rented, either in whole or in part.

W.N. Venning offers the highest price for old gold and silver.

James Segee and Richard Winter inform the public that the Steamboat will run to Fredericton, leaving St. John every Saturday morning.

John Goddard was proprietor of the Portland Brewery.

Merritt & Vanhorne (Nehemiah Merritt and Gregory Vanhorne) were in the flour trade.

At a meeting of the Bible Society, held on the 26th May, 1819, in Cody's long room, at the Coffee House Corner, the FIRST Office Bearers of the Society were appointed, viz.:

President—Rev. George Burns, D.D.
Vice Presidents—Charles J. Peters, Hugh Johnston, sr., John Ferguson and John M. Wilmot.
Treasurer—Alexander McLeod.
Secretary—James Paterson.
Directors—W. H. Smith, Charles Simonds, Isaac L. Bedell, Andrew S. Ritchie, Jas. Robertson, Jas. Scoullar, Stephen Humbert, William Till, George Whittaker, Thomas Pettingell, Thomas Harding, and Benjamin Gale.

Before the close of the meeting *eighty pounds* were subscribed for the support of the Society.

It was at this time that the first coach was introduced into the city. The owner was James O. Betts. It was not intended for city purposes, as people in those days preferred to walk rather than ride, but its use was for parties wishing a pleasure jaunt to Frog Pond, French Village, or Indian Town. The charge was moderate, ranging from 20s. to 5s., horsefeed, coachman's beverage, &c included.

We notice a communication in the *Star* of July 13, signed "A Reformist," abusing most unmercifully the Episcopalians, because the funeral of Mr. Thatcher Sears—an old and respectable citizen, father of Robert, Edward and John, who died in the sixty-eighth year of his age—was held on Sunday at three o'clock, alleging that the funeral was held at this hour *purposely* to prevent persons belonging to other denominations who worship in the afternoon, from paying their last tribute of respect to the deceased.

On June 22nd, a grand exhibition of the Works of Nature and Art are advertised to be held in Cody's Coffee House, "by permission of His Worship the Mayor." The exhibition comprises The Irish Giant, Larry O'Brien, eight feet seven inches tall, and weight 647 lbs.; Daniel Lambert and wife, the former weighing 739 lbs. and the latter 80 lbs., &c. &c. "Good music on an elegant cabinet organ, tamborino, etc." What a queer taste our grandfathers and grandmothers had.

From the *Star* of July 20th, 1819, we copy the following important item of *late* English news:

"LONDON, May 24, 1818.

"Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Kent was safely delivered of a female child at Kensington Palace this morning, at a quarter past 4 o'clock. Her Royal Highness and Princess are doing very well."

In this female child we have the present Queen Victoria, the loved Sovereign of our own dear England, whose reign of forty-six years has won for her the affections of her millions of subjects and the admiration of every nation under heaven. "Long may she live to reign over us."

From the *Star* of August 10, 1819, we learn that there was a great horse race on the flats on the 12th August. The day was a holiday, and the "sports" living at that time seem to have enjoyed themselves. The race took place at half-past nine o'clock, and was for the Regent's Purse of Thirty Guineas. Three horses only were placed, viz.: Mr. Swinney's black g. Pelter, 10 stone 2 lbs.; Mr. Hartt's bay horse Hero, 9 stone 12 lbs., and Mr. Clark's bay mare Spindle, 10 stone 2 lbs. The distance run was one mile, and performed in less than two minutes, and the prize won by Pelter with ease.

There was a Boat Race on the 18th instant, from Reed's Point round Partridge Island and back. The contestants were Pilots' Skiffs. It was for a purse of $25 for the first boat, and $10 for the second. The winning boat (Mr. Leavitt's) was rowed by six men and six oars; the second boat (Mr. Mills') by four men and two boys and six oars. The distance was (do the *Star* says) six miles, and was performed within forty-one minutes.

The Grammar School *Prizes* for general merit were distributed by the Board of Directors, on 13th September, 1819. The following are the prize bearers:—

Masters LeBaron Hazen and William Wright, of the First Class; Master John Robinson, of the Second Class; Master John Johnston, of the Third Class; Master John W. McLeod of the Fourth Class; Master Noah Disbrow, of the English Class.

From the *Star* of Sept. 14, 1819, we learn that "Colonel Arnold and two other officers of the Engineer Department have arrived in the city in the armed brig *Chebucto*, whence they will proceed to Grand Manan, with the intention of fixing upon some position on the Island to fortify."

"His Honor Judge Bliss, and the Hon. Thomas Wetmore, His Majesty's Attorney General, arrived in town from Fredericton, in the Steamboat, on Wednesday evening last."

"A Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery was held in the City Hall, for the City and County during the last week, at which His Honor Judge Chipman presided, when J. Barret was convicted of grand larceny and sentenced to be whipped; and John Cory was convicted of a misdemeanor, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment, to pay a fine of £10, and to stand in the pillory one hour on Thursday next, between the hours of 11 and 3 o'clock."

The pillory and whipping post have been wiped out of existence long ago, a mark of progress and civilization, but we incline to the opinion that these modes of punishment might be revived in our day, with much benefit to society.

Among the advertisers are Edward Winslow, who is selling his stock of British Goods at 20 per cent. discount; C. Tonge, who has barrels and half barrels of flour, &c.; John Barry, (formerly of Praul & Barry,) proprietors of the Brass Foundry, opposite Dr. Thos. Paddock's, Princess street, who has hand irons, cow bells and candlesticks for sale; J. & A. Robson, who have nails, spikes and brads for sale, and McLeod, Robertson & Co., who offer for sale cheap, chaldrons of Liverpool coals. This article of coal, in those days, was considered a large supply.

In looking over the wholesale prices current in the city, "carefully corrected to the 21st September, 1819, New Brunswick currency being at five shillings the Spanish dollar," we find quoted, Mess Beef per bbl. 90s., Fine Boards per M. 60s., French Brandy per gal. 10s., Bricks per M. 50s, Ship Bread per cwt. 30s., and Pilot Bread 50s., Irish Butter, first quality, in kegs, per lb. 1s., New Brunswick do. 1s. 3d., Dipt Candles per lb. 1s. 2d, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia Cheese per lb. 8d., Liverpool Coal per chald. 40s, Codfish per qtl. 15s., Scale fish 10s., Mackerel (fall) per bbl. 50s, Alewives 25s., Herrings 20s., Digby Smoked Herrings per box 3s. 6d., Quoddy Smoked Herrings 2s. 6d., Flour, American Superfine, per bbl. 42s. 6d., Fine, 37s. 6d., Rye 27s. 6d., Hams per lb. 1s., Indian Meal 25s., Bolt Iron per ton £20, English Sole Leather per lb. 3s. 6d., New Brunswick do. 1s. 6d., Lime per hhd. 22s. 6d., Molasses per gal. 2s, Oats per bushel 4s., Mess Pork per bbl, £6 10s., Raisins per box 27s. 6d., Rice per cwt. 35s, Jamaica Rum per gal. 4s. 6d., Muscovado Sugar per cwt. 60s., English hard white Soap per lb. 1s., Hard yellow do. 10d., Liverpool Salt per bushel by the cargo afloat 1s. 1½d., Souchong Tea per lb 4s. 6d., Congo 4s., Leaf Tobacco per lb. 1s, Fig do. 1s. 3d., Twist do. 1s 6d.

We are informed in this issue that an election for members to represent the City and County of St. John *commences* on Tuesday the 12th October, at the City Hall.

The poll for the election of the City and County of St. John was opened at the City Hall, by Sheriff White, on Saturday, October 12th, when the following candidates were nominated, viz.: For the County—Hugh Johnston, John Ward, Thomas Millidge, Craven Calverley, Zalmon Wheeler and Charles Simonds; and for the City—Stephen Humbert, Harry Peters and Alexander McLeod. At three o'clock on the same day the number of votes were—Johnston, 24; Millidge, 20; Ward, 16; Wheeler 14; Simonds, 13; Calverley, 8; Humbert, 31; Peters, 30; McLeod, 17. After four days voting some of the candidates resigned, which brought the poll to a close, when Harry Peters and Stephen Humbert were declared elected for the city, and Johnston, Ward, Millidge and Wheeler, for the County. The County vote stood thus: Johnston 209, Ward 186, Wheeler 185, Partridge 156.

A fire broke out on Friday night, October 22nd, in a range of buildings at the head of Duke Street, owned by Christopher Smiler. A vast concourse of people soon appeared at the scene of danger, and great fears were entertained for the safety of the valuable property immediately adjoining. Fortunately the evening was wet, and the wind, though it blew fresh, was not violent. Three dwelling houses, chiefly occupied by Irish emigrants, together with a bakehouse and a blacksmith shop were entirely consumed.

From the *Star* of Nov. 9, 1819, we copy the following:

DARKNESS VISIBLE.

On Sunday last, Nov. 7th, 1819, the heavens and the earth exhibited the most remarkable apppearance ever witnessed in this city by its oldest inhabitant. On looking out at about 7 in the morning the dark and livid aspect of the horizon excited our astonishment and led us to apprehend a storm of rain. About 8 a. m. we were more surprised to find the clouds still hovering around, and the light so little increased that it was scarcely possible to read ordinary print, without retiring to the door or window. The morning services in the different places of worship was gone through with difficulty, and between one and two o'clock it began to rain, which it continued to do more or less during the remainder of the day. At 3 o'clock p. m. the gloom thickened, the clouds seemed to increase in density and blackness, occasionally it seemed to brighten up, but the gleam with which we were visited only rendered the darkness more visible, and by their red, or rather saffron complexion, added to the dismal and portentous aspect of the whole scene. The only place of Protestant worship open in the afternoon was the Scotch Kirk, which is usually remarkably light, but which was so dark on that occasion, that it was scarcely possible for a single individual to follow the psalms which were sung, or the passages of scripture read by the clergyman. At 4 p. m. many houses in town were lighted with candles; but the rain did not increase, and all apprehensions of an approaching hurricane were, happily, not realized.

More fortunate, therefore, than the antideluvians, our forefathers escaped with a slight fright. There was to have been a sermon preached that night in St. Andrews Church, for the benefit of the Bible Society, but it had to be postponed.

Everybody remembers the Old National School Building which stood on the North side of King Square, and was burned a little over ten years ago. The number of the paper before us refreshes our memory with the following:

"On Friday, (24th December, 1819), the new building on King Square was opened for the reception of scholars," &c. The National School at that time was under the management of Mr. and Mrs. Bragg, and was ably conducted. At an examination of the pupils held on the day of opening, and previous to the Christmas vacation, Medals, as honorary marks of distinction were presented by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor to the following boys:—William Hayward, Thomas Halsell, William Mercer, Timothy Keghan, Joseph Godsoe, and James Holstead; and of the females, to Miss Jane Harding.

Subscription Assemblies are introduced into St. John for the first time, and the opening one is announced for Friday evening, December 31st, 1819, at Cody's Rooms.

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1820.

In 1820 James Hendricks, hardware merchant, was one of the largest *direct* importers of English and Scotch goods in this City. In 1824 THOMAS MCAVITY, of the firm of Thos. McAVity & Sons, of this city, became an Indentured Apprentice to him for a period of seven years, to learn the art, trade and mystery of an Ironmonger. Mr. McAvity served the term of his apprenticeship, and remained in his employ until 1836. See Messrs McAvity & Sons' advertisement on fifth column of this page.

From the *Courier* of Sept. 1820, we copy the following instances which will give our readers a pretty good idea of the manner in which justice was administered in St. John, and the sacredness in which the majesty of the law was sustained. We sometimes think that the revival of the whipping law would prove of much benefit in these days:

STRIKING EXAMPLE—MARKED MEN.

General Gaol Delivery, September 1820.

Jefferson Bonaparte Fisher — Petit Larceny. 39 lashes, Monday, 18th September.

Thomas Perry.—Grand Larceny. To be whipped three times. 1st, Monday 18th September; 2nd, first Monday in November; and last, on Monday before expiration of six months imprisonment.

William Peters.—Thirty-nine lashes, three times, on same days as Perry.

Robert Belamy.—Three times, on same days as above.

Edward Clancy.—Thirty nine lashes on 18th of September.

Anthony R. Johnston—Stealing three kegs of gunpowder. To be publicly whipped at end of North Market Wharf.

Edward Powers — Stealing a watch and 8s. in money. One month, and twice publicly whipped — thirty-nine lashes.

Robert Wait — The master of an American vessel in port, was convicted of using seditious and contemptuous words in "damning the King," was sentenced to pay a fine of £25.

Our readers will find the following notices of marriages, quaint, original and interesting:

UNEQUALLY MATCHED.

Married.—At Grand Lake, March 8th, 1821, by the Rev. Henry Haden, John Armstrong, Surgeon, Waterborough, to Mrs. Mary Dickinson, of the same place. The age of the groom is forty years, while that of his venerable charmer, who went to the altar "blushing like the rose of morn," is said to be upward of eighty years.

Quid non mortalia pectors cogis.
Aure sacra fames.—*Virgil.*

A MARRIAGE UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

In the Gaol, on Thursday morning, August 23rd, 1821, by the Rev. Robert Willis, Mr. Henry Hatton, of the Island of St. Vincent, and late supercargo of the brig *Charlton*, of this port, to the amiable Miss Mary Campble, lately from Ireland. The cruel hearted Keeper, being absent during the ceremony, on his return turned the bride out of doors, leaving the bereaved couple the only consolation of taking a peep at each other through the gratings

A COLORED WEDDING.

"Old King *Cole* was a jolly old soul,
And a jolly old soul was *she.*"

Married.—On Sunday evening, June 23rd, by the Rev. B. G. Gray, James Johnston, aged eighty, to Mrs. Lydia *Cole*, aged seventy five years.

Poor black Jemmy Johnston, when eighty years old,
To the altar of Hymen applied,
When finding his body growing crazy and cold,
The Gods bound a *Cole* to his side,
But he married for neither warmth, pleasure nor pelf,
For his *Cole* was as black, and as old, and as cold as himself.

FIRE.—On the evening of Sunday last, we were called to witness one of those dismal scenes which our pages have been too often employed to depict. Between the hours of 11 and 12, an alarming fire broke out in the stable adjoining the pleasantly situated house in Prince William street, owned, and lately occupied by James Cudlip, Esq., which entirely consumed stable, barn, and dwelling house, together with part of the adjacent buildings lately erected by Mr. J. M'Pherson, a boat builder's shop, &c. Various accounts have been in circulation as to the place where the fire originated, but from the testimony of two respectable men who slept in a small tenement immediately connected with the stable, which was first in flames, it appears that they were suddenly awakened by the noise of the cattle, and no sooner had they opened their eyes than they beheld the flames bursting from the stable into their sleeping apartment. Regardless of their own little *all* which was threatened with almost instant destruction, and glad to escape with their lives, they proceeded, almost literally naked, to alarm the neighbourhood and city, and though the hour was unseasonable and the weather boisterous, the inhabitants evinced their accustomed promptitude and alacrity. The soldiers of the 74th Regt. and Royal Artillery, masters and seamen from the shipping, with engines, buckets, &c., were at the scene by 12 o'clock, but so rapid was the progress of the fire, that the utmost exertion was necessary to save the surrounding buildings. One horse, having been neglected, fell a sacrifice to the merciless element. The tide being low, much inconvenience was felt from the want of water, but fortunately there had been a very considerable fall of snow, which did much to favor the exertions made to save the contiguous buildings.

The *Star* of December 26th, gives the following list of persons to whom medals were distributed after an examination of the Madras School:

MEDALS CONFIRMED TO

Miss M. Mercer, Teacher, E. Kennedy, do., for one year's service in their respective stations.

PROBATIONARY MEDALS TO

Miss M. Price, Teacher, Harriet Gale, do., Julia Merritt, do., Isabella Stanton, do., for six months service.

MEDALS CONFIRMED TO

Wm. Stone, Usher, John Aiston, Teacher, Joseph Jenkinson, do., for one year's service in their respective stations.

PROBATIONARY MEDALS TO

Peter Drake, Usher, Edward Sears, Teacher, for six months service.

A SILVER PEN

Marked to John Lester, he having received a Medal as a Teacher at the last examination.

It will appear from the advertisement, which we copy that the Bank of New Brunswick, at its establisement, prescribed a form of check, which it was compulsory on depositors to use:

BANK CHECKS.—Checks of a uniform form, prescribed by the "Bank of New Brunswick," are printed and ready for sale at this Office, in any quantity that may be required for binding up. St. John, Dec. 5, 1820.

H. H CARMICHAEL, Esq., was the first cashier of the Bank of New Brunswick, and the Director for the first week of its existence was Hon. WM. BLACK. The first regular Discount day was to commence on Thursday, 4th January, 1821.

Fowler & Ketchum announce arrivals of cloths, linen, homespun, whitewash and scrubbing brushes, hats, caps, and loaf sugar.

James Ewing & Co. have for sale, cordage, candles, Cork butter, and wines.

John Dove has just imported soap, candles, and Hollands gin.

John M. Wilmot & Co. have received a consignment of Teneriffe wine.

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1821.

In the *Star* of February 20th, 1821, is published news from London, dated 11th December, 1820, just received. What a wonderful change has been wrought in all these years, in the transmission of intelligence from one point to another! Just fancy news from England, which *now* occupies only a few *moments* to come to us across the ocean, *then* taking eighty-one days to perform the journey.

Among the advertisers are Kinnear & Pidgeon, who offer at auction two hundred barrels Alexandria flour, at a credit of sixty days, and a "house and lot, at present owned and occupied by Mr. M. McCarty, fronting on Princess street, being, &c."; Crookshank & Johnston, who will sell at *vendue*, two hundred barrels of Alexandria flour, cloths, diapers, knives and forks, bake pans, herring nets, &c.; Fowler & Ketchum, who have received by the schooner "Ice Plant," from New York, flour, meal, buckwheat, &c.; Hanford & Raymond, who advertise tar, walnuts, cornmeal and Kentucky tobacco.

According to report laid before the House we learn that the imports of the Province for 1820, were as follows:—Flour 41,124 barrels; bread 1,715 barrels; corn 34,673 bushels; beef and pork 3,900 barrels; wine 19,568 gallons; brandy and gin 27,336 gallons; rum 949,260 gallons; molasses 289,800 gallons; sugar 11,347 cwts.; coal 4,531 tons; tea 462 chests.

It will be noticed that Rum was the favourite beverage, being in excess of brandy, gin, wine and tea by a very considerable amount. We are not prepared to state a reason for this fact, but doubtless our forefathers preferred their punch on account of its cheapness, as well as its good quality, compared with other liquors and beverages.

The annexed "order," issued by the Bank of New Brunswick, is strictly adhered to to this day:

"*Resolved*, That the Bank will not discount or receive for collection any Bill or Note drawn by any person or firm out of this City, unless on the face of such Bill or Note it is expressly made payable at the Store or Accounting House of some respectable merchant residing in the City, or some other known place therein.

H. H. CARMICHAEL, *Cashier.*"

In this age of Railways and Steamboats connecting St. John with Fredericton, it will cause a smile to read the following advertisement:

NOTICE.—The sloop Industry, owned by the subscribers, Sherlock Parsons master, will ply regularly between St. John and Fredericton during the ensuing season. Persons who may take passage on board, will find the accommodation remarkably good, and all possible attention will be paid them. Terms of freignt and passage the same as heretofore. Discount on freight if paid in ready money 12½ per cent.

G. GROSVENOR,
Mar 7, 1821. THOMAS PICKARD.

1822.

The *Star* of June 18th, 1822, is interesting only in its advertising columns. To read over these pages is productive of the same emotions as one feels in wandering among the tombs. Each advertisement is a stone "erected to the Memory," &c. They call up incidents, as well as names, from the almost forgotten past. We can scarce do better than to present a few of these tablets to those of our readers, who will recollect the men whose memories are inscribed thereon:—

CHINA, GLASS AND EARTHENWARE.—B. L PETERS, St. John street, within one door of the Market Square, has just received an assortment of China, Glass, and Earthenware, consisting of Blue Printed Dinner Sets; Do. do Tea and Coffee Sets; Burnished Gold and Painted Choice Tea Sets; Plain and Cut Decanters; Do do. Tumblers; Do. do. Wine Glasses; Do. do. Salts; Do. Lemonade and Jelly Glasses, with a general assortment of White Enamelled, Blue and Green Edged Ware. Also,—Homespuns, Prints, Ginghams, Checks, Brandy, Window Glass, Paints and Oils, Flannels, Mustard, Loaf Sugar, Hollands Gin, Tallow and Sperm Candles, Soap. To be sold for cash or short credit.

Mr. Peters was father to our present Police Magistrate, and for some time previous to his death was Stipendiary Magistrate. He was much esteemed as a citizen, honored and respected as a Magistrate, and died regretted by the entire community.

PORT WINE.—The subscriber has received from Oporto via Halifax—Port Wine in pipes, hhds. and qr. casks, which he will sell low for cash.

may 18 GEO. D. ROBINSON.

The subscriber has on hand a general assortment of Mahogany Furniture, made of the best materials, and by first rate workmen, which he offers at very reduced prices for cash.

april 30 ALEXANDER LAWRENCE.

Mr. Lawrence was father to Joseph W. Lawrence, Esq., who still prosecutes the upholstery business, in which his ancester was engaged.

FOR SALE.—A valuable Lot of Land, on the Lower Loch Lomond, No. 1, containing 200 acres, about eleven miles distant from this city, on the Road leading from the Westmorland Road to the Upper Lakes. A further description of the Lot may be had and terms known by applying to STEPHEN HUMBERT, Esq. or to the subscriber.

april 12 JOHN HUMBERT.

Mr Humbert was for years a member of the House of Assembly, and later a member of the Common Council, and for very many years before his death chief flour inspector for the city.

1823.

The only local intelligence contained in the *Courier* of Jan. 11th, 1823, is the following:

"His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor left town yesterday for Fredericton."

Now-a-days Governors come and go, and the large majority of the people neither know, nor care to know, anything about them. But in the days of 1823, and for many a long year afterward, the "Governor" was *the* all important personage. His visit to St. John was made the subject of official announcement, weeks before the important event transpired; and, as the auspicious occasion drew nigh, the entire city was boiling over with delightful anticipations. Schools were closed, and a public holiday proclaimed by His Worship the Mayor. The youngsters of the time were up with the rising sun, on the eventful day. The military authorities were active in making preparations for the distinguished visitor. Huge sentry boxes were carted from the barracks and placed in front and rear of the St. John Hotel. The hour at which the steamboat from Fredericton was expected to arrive at Indiantown was four o'clock. After dinner the *elite* of the city drove through the streets in glittering garb, and with equipage, while the common people, in ruffles and ribbons, walked on foot, in crowds, to the scene of debarkation, that they might get a glimpse of representative royalty. One hour previous to the arrival a regiment of British soldiers were drawn up in front of the Hotel, blocking up the entire street, much to the annoyance of the matter-of-fact public, who could see nothing but child's play in the senseless parade and sham, which necessitated such a waste of time and suspension of industry. At length "they come" is the cry that issues from the small boys, who for hours have been standing with eyes and mouth wide

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