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**TREATY OF PEACE  
 SIGNED AND ARRIVED**

ARGUS - OFFICE,

Portland, Feb. 14---2 o'clock in the morning.

At eleven o'clock last evening, an EXPRESS arrived in this town, in THIRTEEN HOURS from Boston, with the following letter and HANDBILL to Capt. William Webb, &c. containing the joyful tidings of PEACE. By the favor of an esteemed friend, we are enabled thus early to lay them before the Public.

Boston, Monday morning, 10 o'clock.

I hasten to communicate to the citizens of Portland, the tidings of PEACE, which we have this moment received by Express from New-York. We have no further particulars than what are contained in the enclosed handbill--the news may be relied on.

Your's  
 THOMAS MOTLEY.

To Capt. Wm. Webb, Innholder Portland, to be delivered to Edward or Richard Motley.

I have agreed to pay the bearer of this 50 dollars, who is to deliver it at 11 o'clock this evening --- you must make up a purse to this amount.

CENTINEL-OFFICE, (Boston,) February 13,

Eight o'clock in the morning.

We have this instant received in Thirty - two hours from New-York, the following

**GREAT AND HAPPY NEWS.**

FOR THE PUBLIC.

To Benjamin Russell, Esq. Centinel - Office, Boston.

New - York, Feb. 11, 1815

Saturday evening 10 o'clock.

Sir--I hasten to acquaint you, for the information of the Public, of the arrival here this afternoon of H. Br. M. sloop of war Favorite in which has come passenger Mr. Carrol, American Messenger, having in his possession

**A TREATY OF PEACE**

Between this country and Great-Britain, signed on the 26th December last.

Mr. Baker also is on board, as Agent for the British Government, the same who was formerly Charge des Affairs here.

Mr. Carroll, reached town at eight o'clock this evening--- He shewed to a friend of mine, who is acquainted with him, the packet containing the TREATY, and a London newspaper of the last date of December, announcing the signing of the Treaty.

It depends, however, as my friend observed, upon the act of the President to suspend hostilities on this side.

The gentleman left London 2d January. The TRANSIT, had sailed previously from a port on the continent.

This city is in a perfect reproach of joy, shouts, illumination, &c.&c

I have undertaken to send you this by express---the rider engaging to deliver it by eight o'clock on Monday morning. The expence will be 225 dollars ;--- If you can collect so much to indemnify me, I will thank you to do so.

I am with respect, sir, your obedient servant.

JONATHAN GOODHUE.

*We most heartily felicitate our country on this auspicious news, which may be relied on as wholly authentic.* Centinel,