

NEWS ITEM:

Jack Barnett, an old gentleman, who lives alone in his cabin near Wendover, is missing, and has not been seen by his neighbors since December 22. A searching party scoured the hills in the vicinity of his cabin home, but to no avail.

Barnett usually crossed the river in a boat, and in his boat was found a sack, which he always carried with him, and a bottle half full of whiskey. The liquor was purchased in Guernsey the last day he was seen.

General opinion is that he fell out of his boat and was drowned, as there is not other evidence that he left the community or met up with foul play.