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and TOBERMORY MR 17 18 - 7*

Addressed Henry Nisbet Esqr  
Pror Fiscal  
Tobermory

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Report Drowning Tyree Mar 1857

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Island of Tyree  
11<sup>th</sup> Mar. 1857

Henry Nisbet Esqr  
Sir

I have to intimate that about 11 h. a.m. on the 3d inst. – a fishing skiff capsized about two miles from the south side of Coll – and that Lachlan MacDonald – Crofter Caolis, Tyree - John MacDonald. Farm Servant Caolis Tyree and Hector MacDonald. fisherman Caolis Tyree were drowned in consequence - the body of Lachlan MacDonald was found on the 4<sup>th</sup> inst. on the Coll shore and interred in the burying ground of Kirkapoll Tyree on the 6<sup>th</sup> inst. the bodies of the other two have not as yet been found

I am Sir  
Your most obdt Servt  
Wm Wilson Registrar