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They say a shock of an earthquake was felt in this place, on the morning of the 7th between the hours of three and four, which lasted upwards of 5 or 6 minutes. A number of houses were shaken to that degree that the inhabitants had to leave their beds, the articles in the cup-board were rattled on their shelves, and candles set to rocking, occasioned by the shaking of the houses. This shock was more sensibly felt on the bank of the river, than on the hills.