

A Savage's Death Song

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The sun sets by night, & the Stars shun the day
But Glory once gained shall ne'er fade away
Begin ye Tormentors - your Threats are in vain
For the Son of Aenowmæc will never complain

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Remember the arrows he shot from his bow
Remember the Chiefs by his Hatchet lay'd low
Why so slow? - Do ye ^{wait} till I shrink from my
Know - The son of Aenowmæc will never complain

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Remember the woods, where in ambush we lay
The Scalps ^{ch} w. we bore from your nation away
Now the Flame rises higher, & exult in my pain
But - The son of Aenowmæc still scorns to complain

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I go to the land where my Father is gone -
His Ghost still rejoice in the fame of his son
Death comes like a friend to relieve me from pain
And the Son of Aenowmæc has ^{scorned to} complain

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I promised you before I left N Eng. that I
would write after my arrival here to inform you if
there should be any event, ^{take place} w. would make your
removal to this Country more feasible & your
visiting after you got here more comfortable:
Going right into the woods could possibly be
& I think ~~these~~ such an one has taken place
there will be to be sold in ^a course of a few
months a farm of 200 acres good Land - a good
house upon it - about 15 or 20 acres land cleared
an ^{ch} Land right from w. you may cut & abt.
yon, hay - & an old French Mill - which is now
in use for Grinding - It joins immediately upon
W. Winslow - & is only 3 miles above Fredericton
on same side the River - The Land right is
somewhere in ^a Neighbourhood - I cant tell exactly
where