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and in a while our own canoe came, it being hard work pushing up stream. Job told us, that an Indian came in hafte to their town yesterday, and told them, that three warriors, coming from fome distance, lodged in a town above Wehaloofing a few nights past; and that these three men were going against the English at Juniata. Job was going down the river to the province-store at Shamokin. Though I was fo far favoured with health as to continue travelling, yet through the various difficulties in our journey, and the different way of living from what I had been used to, I grew sick: and the news of these warriors being on their march fo near us, and not knowing whether we might not fall in with them, was a fresh trial of my faith; and tho', thro' the strength of divine love, I had several times been enabled to commit myfelf to the divine disposal, I still found the want of my strength to be renewed, that I might persevere therein; and my cries for help were put up to the Lord, who, in great mercy, gave me a refigned heart, in which I found quietness.

On the feventeenth day, parting from Job Chilaway, we went on, and reached Wehaloofing about the middle of the afternoon; and the first Indian that we faw, was a woman of a modest countenance, with a Bible, who first spake to our guide; and then, with a harmonious voice, expressed her gladness at seeing us, having before heard of our coming: then, by the direction of our guide,