

of the kind I ever knew. — They are so inclined to ravish
that they will not be conpired to learn a trade, (and although
I were supplied with Tools, Vituals, payment and cloathing
for them so as to enable me to keep them in employment; they
are so fond of fighting and plundering that nothing will divert
them from it, or prevent their going away at certain times. —
Parties keep coming and going and if we employ any that will
work, by that means we can get Land cultivated vough fences
made and such work as requires no time to learn it, but
they would never learn a trade at that rate, yet I can spend
my time very benificially amongst them by conversing and doctor-
ing with them, visiting their sick and relieving them, by giving
them suitable food and medicine which they are frequently in
great need of.

They cannot let any thing remain amongst them that has got
any nails in it, neighter do they make any use of a wheelbarrow
I had one at the Dythanger that I used to wheel the stones off the
ground with, but they would as willingly bear them off in
Baskets, and when I was robed they shoped it all to pieces
to get the nails out of it. There was also a wooden house at
the Dythanger that the Surgeon left and I gave them liberty
to sleep in it, but the nails in the weatherboards was such
a temptation that they could not suffer it to stand although
it was for their own benefit, they pulled it down to the ground
and split up every bit of it to get the nails out. We have
also heard of Whalers that has left them a boat sometimes,
but they could never suffer them to remain but has