

to carry it on tho' I had been particular in sending
him the Supplies of Rice he had applied to me for.
At this time he had carried on much Traffick
with the natives for Muskets and Powder
and with the masters of vessels, and by his example
had induced his Colleagues to do the same. This had
brought on amongst them personal Quarrels,
to that Degree, that they did not assemble together
even on the Sabbath for public worship. Mrs
Randall had also been guilty of Adultery at this
time which added to all the other evils that
then opposed the mission when I arrived in
the General Gates - when I saw all these things
I was almost insane - I knew not what to do,
or how to remedy the dreadful evils - I reprov'd
and instructed, was angry, and kind by turns -
As the Rev. J. Miller and his Colleagues had arrived
with me, I was in hopes that they would be
enabled to introduce a new order of things -
I therefore determin'd to remove Carlisle &
Gordon, and to engage the new Missionaries
in the most solemn manner to avoid
those evils, that others had fallen into, and