

ground &c. In time of war or other common danger the Chiefs assume Sovereign Authority and compell the people to put themselves under their orders and all subordinate Chiefs must also (with their dependents) attend their immediate superiors to the field of action. — The Chiefs have their domestic servants, to Cook their provisions, manage their Canoes, cultivate their land or do any menial service required — and these only are wholly under the Chiefs Authority. —

I now took my leave of this people and returned to the Brig ^{which} ~~which~~ had got underway, but was obliged to anchor again, the tide running so strong, she could not stem it with the light wind she then had. — When I arrived I was informed by some of the Chiefs, that the Jefferson Whaler had come on the coast and was anchored in the cove near Tuma's village, and that there had been, a serious difference between the people on board, and the chief Tertia, whom they had threatened ^{to}