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formation was not very welcome, as we had
no rest all night, and wished to get to our journey's
end. At length, another messenger came to inform
us that they were ready. We then proceeded. Our
party now consisted of about 100 persons. When we
came within a-quarter of a mile from the Chief's
residence, the Natives began to salute us with a dis-
charge of muskets; and continued to fire till we
came to the Head Chief, who was seated with his
Subordinate Chiefs, at the entrance of a very commo-
dious shed, which had been expressly prepared for
us. A Chief, who had attended us where we spent
the night, walked before us, and introduced us
to the Head Chief.

This village is situated in a very rich and extensive
valley; which rung with the welcome salutations
of the inhabitants. The Chiefs expressed their joy at our
visit. After breakfast, I walked with them through
their cultivated grounds. The land is very good, and
produces great crops of common and sweet potatoes;
and a fine stream of fresh water runs through the
village. Here we found a great population than
in any other part that we had visited. 100 Children,
of a proper age, might be taken at once into a school,
and school. They have also plenty of provisions; and
their land is fit for all the purposes of gardening
and agriculture. There are here many hundred
acres of land, which would repay the labours of the
husbandman.

I walked to the head of the valley, & followed