

had betrayed one whole Village in the Bay of  
 Ireland, this old Chief appeared in perfect  
 health, His Village stands in a fertile spot  
 sheltered by lofty Pines and watered by many bea-  
 utiful small streams, sufficient to turn a Mill.

Here we spent the Evening conversing on  
 the agriculture and other useful arts, the Laws  
 and Customs of other Countries, the Object of the  
 Missionaries in coming to live among them the  
 Manner in which they should treat them if they  
 expected others to come to live in their Country  
 and the advantages which they would derive  
 from the richness of their Soil when once Wheat and  
 Barley were introduced among them,

We told them that it was not the custom  
 in England for Gentlemen Wives to cultivate the Land  
 wherby their Wives were working from Morning to night  
 in the field that Gentlemen in England had only one  
 Wife while some of them had ten, that so many Wives  
 occasioned much trouble and many quarrels.

They observed that what we said was  
 very true that such a number of Wives caused great  
 disputes that it often happened in these quarrels that  
 the Women would go and hang themselves, but they  
 alleged that notwithstanding these evils they could  
 not despend with their number of Wives, either  
~~labours or money they could not cultivate their~~