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a carpenter's axe with a long handle to it. - The two bounded across the intervening valley, as swiftly as their strength would permit, attended by a faithful dog, which, on coming nearer, I observed had lost an eye, and had a cut above the other. - The man, without clothes, I perceived had got three spear wounds, but they were all healed. - When they had come close up, they seemed greatly astonished to meet a white man in their forest, and stood still to take a silent view of me. - I knew neither of them, more than they did me. - I then told my name, with which they proved to be well acquainted: - and this information, explained the singular circumstance of meeting a white man in such a place, and they gave me a cordial reception. - They then called out to their companions informing them, who they had found. - I told them Timmorangha was on the road, and would soon be up: - They were rejoiced at this news: and when he arrived, I found that those two men, were his particular friends, and had been officers under him, in his war expedition to Towrangha (9 months before, as already described) and that he, who had been speared, was the first man wounded in action on that occasion. - They were mutually happy in thus meeting with each other.

They now informed Timmorangha of the dreadful murders committed by the "Naypoies" among others they had killed ten belonging to Wangoree. of whom they had eaten three, - a chief and his wife and a niece of Timmorangha's. - Timmorangha was greatly afflicted by this intelligence. - The spirit of vengeful retaliation fiered his every nerve, and he seemed eager for vengeance. - But when the warmth of indignation was over, he said he did not wish to go to war; - he was afraid  
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