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went to Wytangee to see if we could find upon a situation for a new Settlement. The land is very good and the Situation beautiful. We had some conversation with the inhabitants on the subject and told them what our intentions were, but could come to no arrangement with them, as the principal Chiefs were absent at the wars. We crossed the wytangee River and examined the ground upon the opposite side which appeared very good also - There is a large population at both of these places and a number of very fine children who continually surrounded us. The head chief of this place was also gone to the wars, so that we could not come to any final determination this day, and therefore returned

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on Board in the Evening. [Wed. 6. I this day called a full Committee of all the Missionaries at Haddoo Haddoo with the exception of the Rev. A. Williams when the resolutions of the Parent Committee transmitted to me from London were read and considered until a very late hour in the Evening. The evils censured in these resolutions could not be denied. The concerns of the Mission had been for a very long time in a very de-