

and advised them against the consequences of  
absenting from their public duty in future.  
We have now we closed our deliberations but that  
we deferred the further consideration of the  
matters to another opportunity —

Thurs. 4<sup>th</sup> This morning I left Keddoo Keddoo in  
company with the Rev. W. Williams and proceeded  
to Pigeon in order to buy up a new station  
of land about 16 miles from the above settlement.  
We examined the ground and determined upon  
Mr. Manns taking up his residence here —  
The land is situated on the banks of the Cerna  
Cerna River — The Head Chief was gone to  
war — He had lived with me at Par named  
and I knew him to be a very worthy man  
and would make <sup>no</sup> objection to Mr. Williams  
living there when he returned, it was therefore  
resolved to begin immediately to prepare a  
place for lodging the stores; and a temporary  
building for Mr. Williams and family —

The natives belonging to the ~~place~~ <sup>the Village</sup> were  
directed to collect the materials for a  
thatched building, and to erect it with all  
possible despatch as the master of the  
frigate was urgent to hand the stores  
from the vessel — The day was very stormy  
and wet — we were not able to return to  
the frigate which lay about 8 miles off  
with some difficulty we reached the  
Queen Charlotte after dark very cold and  
wet where we remained all night —

Directs the  
Natives  
to build  
a House  
for Mr  
Williams  
&  
Family