

think of the simplicity of these people, who, while they might have taken all the property left in their reach, should, without the least fear of detection, take only that which must be soon missed; but as Mr. Maclaurie did not think fit to quarrel with them, he only mildly represented to them the impolicy of their conduct towards him, observing, that as the sources of their subsistence was the sea, whence the salmon, their chief food, came from, and which they knew belonged to the white men, their fishing might be rendered fruitless, by stopping the fish from coming up the rivers. This reasoning had the desired effect, and, in less than three hours, the articles were all produced from behind a lodge.

They purchased here a fresh supply of fine salmon, and on Wednesday the 7th, departed at nine in the morning, the weather being very fine, and continued their route all the 8th and 9th, during which last day they had much rain, which compelled them to land, and make a fire to dry themselves. A great deal of water fell all the way till the 14th of August, when they arrived safe at the fort from whence they had originally set out, without meeting with any other remarkable event in the course of the voyage.

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