

fortunate in having seen such a sight, and that he had been well repaid in having had his doubts set at rest.

Where the men and women look like this, it is certain that the homes to some extent correspond. This social improvement is not always as marked as in this case, but it is found more or less in every Christian, and in no purely pagan, village. This disproves the



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statement often made that such improvement is due to the law of the land, and not to Christianity. Pagan villages are as much under the law as Christian, no more and no less. Christian work is present in the one case, but not in the other. The social improvement follows the Christian work.

It is at once conceded that the work is slower among the Indians, and the results not so great as among some other races. There is much wickedness among