

take the liberty to observe, that the present is a very favourable time, to put in execution their benevolent views, towards the distressed natives of this land; and that much good may be done on the Wabash, by sending one or two suitable men to reside amongst the Indians, and teach them how to raise stock, and cultivate the earth. Witness what Philip Dennis effected amongst them the last year. At a station where he had every thing to begin, there are now at least four hundred hogs and twenty cows; and the Indians at no village in this country live so comfortably, as those at that place. If this spirit of industry is kept alive for a few years, it will certainly have a powerful influence upon the minds of the Indians at many of the neighbouring villages. The Indians have lately concluded a treaty with the United States, which has settled all their jarring interests."