

came to a spacious level of midling land, oak, and pine, next to a large rich bottom, and at the upper end to an extensive grove of white pine, after this a grassy plain of 20 acres, then round the end of a hill, and along a valley, and run N. by W. high timber and good land on the hill side N. then W. and lastly, at half an hour after 8 N. here our *Indians* shot 2 young deer. The land and timber good, brown soil, and the stones flat and gritty. From hence going over a hill we saw a gap N. N.W. and descending down a steep part of the hill to the head of a stoney brook and hollow, we made our way through it, it was full of spruce and white pine; at the bottom we killed a rattlesnake, then crossed the brook and traversed a rich bottom N. N. E. the upper end pine, spruce, oak, laurel, poplar and chestnut, some limes, stoney and brown soil, several times crossed the creek and over rich bottoms and stoney hill sides with laurel, pine, spruce and swamps, till towards night. On the north side of a deep stoney yet rich soil, I found roots of *Ginseng*; at night we lodged by a creek, and the two *Indians* that feasted with us, who accompanied us to the *Cayuga* branch.

The 14th, Having forded the creek we kept generally a N. N.E. course, mostly along rich bottoms interspersed with large spruce and white pine, oak, beech and plane tree,
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