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New South Wales. I shall then have an opportunity
of sending him Home again -
I am happy to inform you that this Colony is much
improved since my return in a moral and
religious sense - The orders given to the Governor,
and the Regulations he has adopted and followed
have been attended with the best effects. I trust God
will raise up missionaries amongst ourselves
for the instruction of the natives of these Islands.
we have now a much better prospect of this than
at any former period - my visit to England
has been attended with much real good to this
Settlement. my colleagues are men of piety.
and we have five pious schoolmasters; and here
and there a pious Prisoner scattered thro' the
Settlement. I married a few days ago a young woman
to one of the missionaries from Tahiti, where she
is going with her husband - She was born in the
Country, her father came out a convict and
mother too - Her mother died, and left a good
testimony behind her of her real piety. her