

= port. I make four cups Mr. Rose tell me you
son learn - yes I say, very soon learn with my
fingers, but Book very hard.

Hope I shall have a good ship and captain. if
please the Lord spare my life I go home and
think of all kind friends in England. If you please
Mr. Pratt, Sir, I could not like to mix with
seamen that use bad language. I could not like to
leave off my book now. I go aboard and help
work the ship when I please, and learn book a
little. Suppose God please spare my life when
I get home to my country I send a letter back
to my old friend Mr. Pratt.

I very sorry leave Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer
behind: I hope see them again at New Zealand
if the Lord please.