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Auxiliary Society, which will give us a good
hope that our designs will be perpetuated, when
your own labours or those of your worthy colleagues
are over, we shall be encouraged to commit any
reasonable funds to your disposal. For the
members of the Church answer so readily to our
call, and manifest such willingness to take
their full share in the noble efforts of these days
to bless the Heathen with the Gospel, that, let us
but shew them a fair opening for exertion and
they will support all our efforts. If John King
should be sufficiently recovered, we shall still
hope to hear that both he and William Hall set
themselves conscientiously to their destined labour.
In Mr Kendall and his family you will find,
we trust, instruments of good toward New Zealand
mercifully prepared of God. But I begin myself
to feel very strongly, both from what has occurred
with respect to our Laymen with you and those
whom we sent to Africa, that our course must
be chiefly to send ordained Missionaries, and to
commission them, in connection with Auxiliary
Societies wherever such can be formed, to train up
and employ such Laymen as may be on the spot,
natives or others, to whom God may give a heart
to assist in our designs.

The young man who
carries this is named Smith. He has been a member
of the Scots Church under the Rev. Alexander Haugh,
and goes out with his family as a settler. His
steadiness and piety will render him a valuable