

Rev. Samuel Marsden to Secretary

Sydney June 30th 1815-79
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My Dear Sir

Com. Feb. 12/16

(Ans^d. Sep. 5/16, by the Sir W^m Bensley)

I beg to introduce to you Mr Joseph Underwood a merchant resident for some time back at Sydney - It is his intention to return again to N. Wales and will take charge of any thing the Society may wish to send, should he come out - Mr Underwood can give you some information relative to the Islands in these seas, and maybe able to answer any inquiries the Society may wish to make - He knows what the Timber of New Zealand is, as he has purchased from me, the greatest part of the Cargo, brought by the Adrie - He also can speak to the Character of the New Zealanders as having several employed in his concern -

I am
Y^r Sir

Your most obedient
humble servant

Rev. J. Pratt

Sam. Marsden