

be angry and a heavy calamity would befall them. When Duatera  
 perceived the time of his Departure at hand he desired his little  
 property to be distributed amongst his surviving relations.  
 I cannot learn that he made any consideration for his Chief  
 wife Dahoo. The Cow which His Excellency Governor Macquarie  
 had given him and the Calf and the Military Trappings were  
 to be taken care of for his infant Son (now named Duatera)  
 whom he commended to my notice requesting that he might  
 be sent to you as soon as he should be sufficiently strong to  
 endure the passage, and that he might be brought up in the  
 orphan School at Sydney. He desired his wife to accompany  
 + Warre and Gurra and the People of Tappooa to be kind to  
 us all when he was gone. Duatera only laid one night in  
 + the Bush, he died on Friday March the 3<sup>rd</sup> early in the morning.  
 The Chiefs Kangooka and Shunghee and the near relations of  
 the deceased were immediately sent for. I was present at  
 the time of Kangooka's and Shunghee's arrival. The latter had  
 so that instant returned from the funeral of his Niece Kahoo  
 who had died very suddenly, he had also been particularly  
 attached to his nephew and he sobbed me with many tears.  
Kangooka & Shunghee told me and my colleagues not to be  
 afraid. Duatera was dead, but they should be our friends. We  
 then ascended the hill. The coffin which was wrapped up neatly  
 with the garments of their owner (the feet being gathered up)