

with the production of the Island. I remain

Rev^d and Dear Sir

Your faithful servant,

W. Kincaid

Tappoon Bay of Islands

Rev^d Mr. Menden

or

May 27. 1815-

P.S. I omitted to notice that the Phoenix Captain Parker
put in here for provisions, wood & water on Friday
March 3rd last.

Thursday June 1st - Anchored on the other side of the
Bay the Phoenix Capt. Parker which again put in here
for provisions, water &c. The natives of Tappoon hearing
of Capt. Parker's arrival and knowing him to have been
concerned in the destruction of their Island were
exceedingly desirous to see him, and requested me to
give him an invitation to my house. This I did
and he came on Sunday Morning the 4th June. When
a considerable number of natives collected themselves together &
he landed, two or three of the principal natives
surrounded him and said to him in their broken
English, pointing to the Island which had been destroyed,