

Oct. 25/15

Rev. Samuel Marsden to Secretary

Per recommendation Oct. 25. 1815

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Rev. Sir

(Recd. Sep. 5/16, by the Northampton)

(Ans. Sep. 5/16, by the Sir Wm Bensley)

At the request of my Friend & Colleague
 the Rev. Mr. Cartwright I write to say that he
 has a pious son intended for the ministry, and now
 at Oxford. Mr. Cartwright is very anxious, if his son
 should by his pious and Christian conduct recommend himself
 to his religious Friends, that he should be taken in due time into
 the service of the Church missionary Society, and sent out as
 a Clergyman to New Zealand. He hopes by the period that
 his son is ready for ordination, that the settlement
 will be completely formed, and a way opened for the
 regular administration of the word of God. Should
 Mr. Cartwright's proposal meet the views of the
 Society, he wishes that his son should be informed of them,
 in order that his mind may be gradually preparing
 for New Zealand.

Rev. J. Pratt
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I am
 your most obedient servant
 Saml. Marsden