

requested I would procure him a passage on
 Board the Frederick to New Zealand. At that
 time one of Tippalhee's Sons a near relation
 of Duoterra's was living with me, and also 2
 other New Zealanders. They all wished to return
 home. I applied to the Master of the Frederick
 for a passage for them, he agreed to take them
 upon condition, that they should assist him to
 procure his cargo of Oil while the Vessel was
 on the Coast of New Zealand, and that when
 he finally left the Coast he would land them
 in the Bay of Islands. They were 4 very fine young
 Men having been a good deal at Sea, and were
 a valuable acquisition to the Master, I therefore
 agreed with him to take them upon his own
 conditions, on his promising to be kind to them,
 On the Frederick leaving Port Jackson in Novem-
 ber, they all embarked in hopes of soon seeing
 their Country, and their Friends. After the Frederic
 arrived off the North Cape, Duoterra went on
 shore 2 days to procure supplies of Pork and
 Potatoes as he was well known there and had
 many friends among the Natives. As soon as
 the Vessel had procured the necessary refreshments,
 she proceeded on her Cruise, and in about 6 months
 or a little more was prepared having got in her
 cargo and ready to leave the Fishery. Duoterra
 finding that it was the Masters intention