

Feb. 23/18, by the Kangaroo

Ans^d March 12/18

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Rev. J. Mauden to the Secy.

Par. numbered April 2. 1817

Rev. Sir

Comt. Mar. 9/18

Ans^d March 12/18 by the Isabella

Lieut. Mr. Jeffreys of the R.N.,
 and Commander of His Majesty's Brig Kangaroo,
 has been so kind as to accommodate the two
 workmen, whom we have deemed it advisable
 to permit to visit England, with a passage
 and to enter one of them as a boy on the
 ship's books, which will save the Expense
 of his victualling. I have no doubt should
 Lieut. Jeffreys return to this Colony, but he
 would accommodate them with a passage
 to this Country again, if it was in his Power.
 I have supplied Mr. J. with a Coil of Rope
 made from the New Zealand Flax, in
 order to try how it will answer; and
 have requested him to report his opinion to
 you on his arrival. There is also in
 Peterman's Box a few yards of Canvas

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made of the same, which you will see also
I beg to refer you to Genl. Jeffreys for
any Information you may require

I have the Honor to be
Sir

Your most obedient
humble servant
Samuel Marsden

Rev. J. Pratt
Secretary to the
Church missionary Society