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The Mumbles people say they heard in England
that the Tangaroo is lost. I wait to hear
by return of the letter from Port Jackson. My
first New Zealand friend Toi was on board.
I do not write to our Prato by this conveyance
I intend to write fully by the Katharine and
when the letter comes to us again. Whidooa
will not take the Port Jackson Aces for the Spars
He says his friends will not be content without
a good musket when the letter returns. I
am glad to hear from Capt Thompson and others
that the greatest harmony continues throughout
the crew of the Active. Both Captain and Men
appear to take delight in their duty. I do not
know whether Tajane or his Brother of Longwood
will embark this time. I remain

Revd & Dear Sir

Mrs Kendall & Daughters unite
in best regards to yourself
Mrs Marsden. Miss Marsden
& the whole family.

Yours faithfully
Thos Kendall