

crippled in my work, on account of too little support,
and the different plans carried on in the settlement,
the one having a tendency to check the other. When I
am in trouble I am but ill calculated to do good.
The Active returned from Port Jackson with supplies for
the settlement in the month of June last. About five
pounds worth of trade and five hundred pounds of
Tie were laid aside for the School. I do not think
the School has been out of my thoughts since that
time one single waking hour. I do not attach any
Name to Mr Marsden or any one else. Mr Marsden
I am sure has at heart the welfare of the Natives.
The difficulty arises chiefly from the ready attention
of the Native children to the School, and to the want
of a settled plan from the first, for their support, and
to keep them when once collected together. If supplies
are not sent out to Mr Marsden already for the School
something ought to be sent by the Catherine, provided a
School is to be supported here at all. Should they be sent
out by the way of Port Jackson it might possibly be
two years before I received them.