

Direct that the natives of this Colony be received into it with the New Zealanders. It is the opinion of all who wish well to the Cause that this would be impossible at the present time. There are difficulties in the way that could not be removed. The Gov^r has established a School for the Native Children in which there are about 16. young Children many of these the Sons or Daughters of European Fathers and native women. They are very young. The natives of the Colony when they attain the Age of 13. or 14 years always take to the woods. They cannot be induced to live in any regular way. And as they increase in years they increase in every vice, and particularly Drunkenness, both men and women, and still go naked about the streets. They are the most degraded of the human Race, and never seem to wish to alter their habits and manner of life - I have not