

189 apprehended to the vessel or crew. All I wish  
is to obtain something that will lessen the  
Expenses of the vessel. The Duties upon the Timber  
and the Port Fees at Port Jackson are very  
heavy, and every Expense while in the Harbour.  
I inclose three Receipts for Fees and Port Charges  
upon the Harveis only 25. 0. 0. which amount to  
more than £ 20. I want to keep the Active from  
the Colony as much as possible, and would if I  
could keep her altogether at the Bay of Islands -  
If she should succeed in procuring oil, she need  
only come once in a year for supplies. All the  
Supplies for the School, and Settlement, together  
with the Goods sent out from you were  
forwarded by the Active the last time she  
sailed. So that their wants will be all met.  
The Rev. G. Burder can inform you how their  
mission succeeds at the Islands. The Church  
is wonderful, and will not be credited in  
England.

Samuel Marsden  
June 9<sup>th</sup> 1819.

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