

Bibles and Testaments — Desiret Jesus open their Understanding  
194 that they may understand the Scriptures — In the Evening Mr  
Butler read prayer and a sermon in our Cabin and Captain  
Lamb attended and worshipped with us — Mr Kemp's talk  
very poorly

Monday 22 Feb. 1819

A M Gentle breeze and very warm weather. Testorn's would  
not come to his lesson today neither forenoon nor afternoon &  
am afraid will give it up altogether. The Lord help me to bear with  
patience that which grieves me. P.M. one of the soldiers was  
in a dreadful frenzy attempted to run a bayonet into one of the  
soldiers and much insulted the officers. she was punished by  
lashing her for a time in the Mizen Rigging and pouring water  
upon her.

Tuesday 23 Feb

A M Light breeze from the N.E. very hot weather. Employed  
with Tooi in the morning & Mr Kemp engaged on the forecabin  
with the Couvets. Saw many flying fish today. P.M. Mr. K  
& myself emp. with Tooi & Endeavouring to get a few words  
of the New Zealand Language

Wednesday 24 Feb.

A M Gentle breeze from the N.E. grieved in my mind about  
Testorn who obstinately persists in not coming to his lesson  
again. Employed with Tooi and also with a few of the  
Couvets and with Mr. Butler in looking into the New Zealand  
Language. — The weather is getting hot. Lat. 6.50  
P.M. I was grieved in spirit the beginning of this day, but  
the Lord hath been pleased that I should rejoice at the close  
of it. for while Mr Kemp and myself were in prayer in the  
Cabin some one knocked at the door. It proved to be a  
Couviet whose brow had been knocked off and who asserted  
the Doctor in the Hospital — He brought his bible with him  
and asked me to explain the meaning of the 26 Verse of  
the 10 Chap. Hebrews — I did so as well as I was able.  
He seems concerned for his soul — He stopped prayers with  
us & I asked him to come every evening when his duty would  
permit. Grant Heavenly Father that he may be true in the  
Day Thou makest up thy Jewels — Another Sailor & a Soldier  
now frequently come in to prayer. I hope the Lord has  
many precious souls in this Ship

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