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(Am<sup>d</sup>. Copy 5/20)

Rev. S. Mayden to the Secy.

Per rem<sup>d</sup> Mr. July 19<sup>th</sup>

Per? L. Dear Sir, Com<sup>r</sup>. (in Cor.) Feb. 14/20.

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Permit me to introduce to you David Allan Esq<sup>r</sup> who has been for some years past at the Head of the Commissioned Department in this Colony, and who has been kind enough to take charge of the Dispatches for the Society. I beg in a very particular manner to refer you to Mr Allan for every information the Society may wish relative to their Affairs in this Part of the Globe. Mr Allan spent forward at the Risk of his own Life, at the time the Philanthropic Society was formed in this Colony to support that Institution, and to protect the injured and oppressed natives of the South Sea Islands, notwithstanding his high official situation as well as my own and others who were friendly towards that Institution we were compelled to relinquish it altogether — I shall leave Mr Allan to explain the Particulars, as they will shew to you