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Rev. Saml. Menden to the Secy
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Kendall's departure for England

I am happy to inform you that N. M. Ship Provincery anchored in the Bay of Islands on the evening of the 27th inst, soon after which the Rev. M^r brother and the settlers, ^{were present} when I was informed that Mr Kendall was on the eve of his departure for England, and was expected to sail on the 29th. As Mr Kendall had made all his arrangements for Europe I was at a loss how to act - I must leave Mr Kendall to explain his reasons for the step he has taken - He takes charge with him - This I regret, as I should not recommend any more of the subscribers to be sent to Europe, as the climate is too severe for them - Sherridge has been very kind to the settlers since they have been there - I wrote to you very