

fully before I sailed for N. Zealand - Should
my letters not have arrived before Mr.
Rendall, you will not be able to judge of
the state of the mission when I arrived
in Aug. last. There has been great difficulties
in managing this settlement from the
abominable Traffic that has been carried
on - Mr. Rendall has acquired very considerable
knowledge of the Language, as well as the
confidence of the natives - I wish much
he had obtained the permission of the
Society; and the approbation of his
colleagues to visit England before he
had attempted to leave his station. I do
not feel competent to judge of the propriety
or impropriety of Mr. Rendalls conduct -
so as to warrant me in giving an opinion -
I feel for his family situated as they are.