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I beg to inform you that I finally settled  
all the salaries, up to the 31<sup>st</sup> of December  
and drew upon you for the same in order  
that I might settle with the whole  
when at N. Zealand - I am therefore indebted  
to Mr Rendell for 9 months salary, which  
I will thank you to pay him, and I will  
give the Society credit for the same  
in my next Accounts - I have not been  
on Shore at the Settlement since I  
arrived, having been prevented by public  
business, I could not do this - or I should  
have called a meeting of the Committee  
and taken their opinion on Mr Rendell's  
conduct in going to Europe at the present  
time - He seems to think the Rev<sup>d</sup> J  
Bastler is not the Superintendent of the  
whole mission, and those connected with  
it - I have always considered him in that