

Samuel Marsden's memorandum to Mr Kermode

Rev^d S. Marsden's Memorandum to M^r Kermode

M^r Butler will give M^r Kermode for the Church Missionary Society a Wooden Spatulla with which the head chiefs Wife was digging her Potatoe ground amidst her Slaves, when the Rev^d Mess^{rs} Marsden and Butler visited the potatoe Gardens of her husband, whose name is Shungee, altho she is a Woman of the first rank in New Zealand and quite Blind yet she was labouring as hard as any common Slave.

M^r Marsden desires M^r K to say to the Rev^d M^r Pratt that finding his wants less than he expected, he has drawn only for £300 and not for £700 as advised in a former letter. That he does not intend to draw on that account any further Sum untill he hears from the Society -

M^r Kermode will reserve any letters, instructions, written or verbal [f] from M^r Pratt to M^r Marsden on the subject of either the Active or the Expenditure at New Zealand or New South Wales.