

Mr. Fra. Hall to the Rev. S. Mayson.

Keddee Keddee 21 Feb. 1822

My Dear Sir

Rec'd Jan 25/23

Com. Feb. 5/23

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Ack. Feb. 14/23.

The Active being about to sail on her whaling voyage, and an opportunity so seldom offers of writing you. I take the opportunity of dropping a line by her, least an earlier conveyance, than her return to port Jackson should not present itself.

The Westmoreland came to an Anchor in Tarralea River on Wednesday the 13. Instant — The Stores are all landed — part here, and part at Ranghee Boon, with some little loss from the Staves, but much less than might be expected from the Numbers that are assembled for war — Have not had time to arrange the Stores as yet, neither have I been down to Ranghee Boon, nor to the Westmoreland, on Account of the severe indisposition of both Mr. & Mrs. Kemp — which confines me at Home — Mr. Kendall & Mr. Cowell superintended the landing of those at R. B. — & the Westmoreland's Boats, took up those for Keddee Keddee — I trust they have done the needful thus far —

I Recd your kind Letters of the 31 Jan, and 1 Feb, and with pain and grief I learn in what