

event of their weakness, have been subdued with them.
 Do you think that the natives at a distance are
 less inclined to war, or that they are less cruel
 than those around us, towards their vanquished
 enemies? I beg leave once for all to observe, that
 we have nothing to do with the New Zealand wars.
 There is not one of us, in my opinion, but may
 remain secure at New Zealand, and also may be useful.

For my own part, I have only one purpose in
 view. Here I live, & here I wish to die. I know
 I have infirmities and great ones, and also great
 sins to be sorry for, but God is not to blame, and
 as far as he enables me to go on in his service
 I am happy to say, I find that to be delightful.

I generally agree with you in your replies to
 my letters as stated in your 1st, 2nd & 3rd paragraphs.
 The sentiments expressed in the 4th are such as I
 expected from you.

I cannot object to your answers contained in
 your 5th, 6th & 7th paragraphs.