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followed by the people, who committed the outrage, these five, were forcibly taken from him and instantly put to death. —

This is the account given by those natives who had first visited New South Wales. —

They originally declared that Tippahce was innocent of the destruction of the *Boyd*.

The people at the Bay of Islands, in consequence of the murder of their chief, Tippahce, declared war against the people of Whangaroa. — Several desperate battles had been fought, and the war was likely to continue. —

I had often told Duatema and Shunghee that it would be to the interest of all parties to make peace, and that I wished to see it established, before I quitted New Zealand. —

Duatema expressed his doubts as to the accomplishment of this object. — I told him I thought, if I could obtain an interview with the chiefs, I might bring it about, and that it was my determination to visit Whangaroa before my return, to try what could be done. — The wind continued in the same quarter next day, which obliged us to remain at anchor.

I again visited the *Cavalles*, and there learnt, that the Chiefs of Whangaroa were on the main and all the principal warriors