

are also afraid of spiritual consequences  
that they will either afterward <sup>be</sup> killed by the  
anger of their own God, or of that of their enemy.

They fully believe that a Priest has power to  
take away their lives by incantation or charm;  
and attribute many of their deaths to this cause.

I may observe here, that Saver discovered  
that the New Zealanders offered up hu-  
man sacrifices to their Gods on any occasion,  
before Thunghee and Immaraunga made  
the above statement; but I am now  
satisfied that they <sup>do</sup> perform these cruel  
rites.

After we had ended our conversation, I  
was walking on the beach, when I was met  
by a young woman of a very interesting coun-  
tenance and address. She asked me to give  
her a hoe, I inquired who she was, and  
from whence she came. She told me