

Mogooas (before mentioned) there to procure a canoe; and then, proceed to Bay of Islands.

On stepping into the Launch, from the ship, for the journey proposed, I observed a woman coiled up under a mat, and was informed, she was the wife of a chief who had gone to War; and that she had formed an attachment to Timmorangha, and had a design to accompany him to Bay of Islands. - I immediately requested Mr. Anderson (the 2^d Master) to order this Lady out of the Launch and told Timmorangha, that no woman of her character would be allowed to go with me. She was another man's wife and must be left behind at her proper home: lest that, when her husband returned and found her gone, he should blame the Europeans. -

Timmorangha made no objections to her being put out of the Boat; he said it was her own wish to go with him. - She was then ordered out, but, she would not move: and the sailors were directed to put her out by force. - She made all the resistence in her power, but, was at length put into a Canoe, and the Launch immediately moved off. - We had scarcely got two hundred yards from the ship, when we observed this Lady swimming after us, making every exertion to reach the Launch. Timmorangha was much agitated now, called out to me that she would be drowned, and begged the Boat might be put back, to save her life. - I again told him she was a bad character, and we would not put back for her; and that he need not be alarmed, for she would return to the ship, when she found her efforts to gain the Launch were in vain. - She soon saw herself ^{lost}