

opponents, and when they were on the point of firing, to lie flat on the ground, until the muskets were discharged, and then rise up, and rush upon them. - This stratagem succeeded, the enemy's shot passed over his men, without doing injury; and they instantly rushed upon them, threw the whole into disorder, and killed a number of their Chiefs; among whom were the Fathers of Wevea, and King George. - The Chiefs that escaped saved themselves by flight, and returned home with only fifteen of their men; the rest were either killed or taken prisoners. -

I have often heard the Chiefs, who had escaped, - speak of that Battle. - My friend Jimmoranga has attended four war expeditions against Kiperro, in two of which he was defeated, and many of his friends slain, among whom was his Grandfather, who, after being killed, was roasted and eaten (as a mental gratification, by the conquerors. -

Tho' Jimmoranga has been at war with most of the Chiefs in these districts, yet, he was treated with great respect wherever we came. - The different Battles - the places where they were fought, - who conquered, and who fell, as also what had been done with the bodies of the Chiefs &c. - were frequent subjects of conversation. -

I met no family who had not, had some members or branches of it, killed in Battle, and afterwards eaten by the enemy. -

If any Chief fall into the hands of a tribe which he has opposed or injured, he is sure to be roasted and eaten: and after his flesh is