

"expected during the past night. - Several of
"the tribes from a distance took their departure,
"early this morning, peaceably; first making a
"large heap of their old kaka-hows, and burning
"them. - It is customary, when they return home
"to burn all the garments which they have had
"on at the time that they killed man. -

"W. Kemp and Mr. Shepherd went
down to the point to see the body of Jettee. -
Shunghie was busily employed in making
a small enclosure of pieces of a canoe, decorated
with feathers and carved work, after their
manner, in which to deposit the bodies of the
brothers Jettee and Apoo. - Part of the bodies
of the people killed yesterday were then roasting
at a fire at a little distance: and some human
flesh, ready cooked, lay in baskets on the
ground. - Shunghie had the audacity to
ask them to eat some, and said it was better
than pork. - Part of one poor woman killed
yesterday, the natives cooked on the side of
the hill, at the back of our house: the head
they cut off and rolled down the hill; and
several of them amused themselves for
some time, in throwing large stones at it
till they had dashed it to pieces; when
W. Puckey got it from them and buried it.

"We hear, that, among the slaves who were
taken from hence to Wyemattie yesterday, one
of them, a woman, becoming tired or lame, could
not keep up with the rest: she was, in conse-
quence, killed and eaten - this being the
custom in New Zealand! "

In conclusion, it is with pleasure
I have to state, that since the time ^{at} which
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