

56/ which I did in Axes, plane Irons &c to their great Satisfaction. 1820  
They were never possess of so much wealth before. How long I  
requested he might be permitted to visit the Commodore I  
asked Mr. Anderson permission to take him, which he kindly  
granted. As soon as the Supplies of Potatoes for the Ship was  
put into the Launch, which Mr. Anderson had purchased  
we sailed from Magoed. E-nakkee the Chief who was at  
war with Tippookee accompanied us. I had promised Tip-  
=ookee I would use all my influence with E-nakkee for  
being about a Reconciliation between them, which I hoped  
to accomplish when I got E-nakkee on board the  
Commodore. We sailed from the settlement at Magoed  
in the Morning but night coming on before we got out  
of the Wywood into the Tharnes, we anchored under one  
of the Islands for the night.

Aug 1 This morning it rained and blew hard, and the Aug 1  
Atmosphere was so dark and cloudy, that we could  
not see the High Land upon the opposite shore of the Tharnes.  
After breakfast we made sail for the Ship with a fair  
wind, and arrived on board the Commodore about 3 o'clock  
P.M. I had now been 24 Days from the Commodore  
during which I had slept in my cloths and generally in  
the open air, Boat or Canoe. A great part of the time  
the weather had been very wet and stormy. I had  
crossed many Swamps, Creeks and rivers from Mercury  
Bay on the East side, to Kiperro on the west, yet during  
the above period, thro' the kind Providence of God I had  
met with no accident, no unpleasant circumstance,  
but on the contrary had been highly gratified with my  
route, and returned to the Commodore in perfect health.  
I hope my visit to the different Tribes will be attended with  
future good. In every place I endeavoured to explain to  
the Natives that there is but one true and living God who  
made all things, and that our God therefore is their God.  
That the Tabooing their Houses, themselves, their Servants, their  
food, their fires, and all other things, could neither heal  
their Wounds, preserve them from danger, nor restore  
them to health when sick, nor save them from death:  
but that our God, tho' they knew him not, could do all  
these things for them. They all wished for Europeans to  
reside amongst them. They all wished for Europeans  
My constant Companion Terramaranga recommended  
the Chiefs every where to leave off fighting, reminded them  
how often their wives and Children were crying for  
Hunger, when their crops of Sweet <sup>potatoes</sup> Potatoes were destroyed