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for Ships. After making all the observations
our means enabled us we returned to the settle-
ment where we arrived about midnight and
intend to rest —

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11th. Early this morning we settled with the Natives
of Moqoca, and they returned Home and prepared
for prosecuting our Journey to Kiperoo-
agreed to accompany us and to furnish us with
Servants to carry our Baggage — As soon as we
were ready we took our departure from Manukoa
A few Nipronas are much wanted at this settle-
ment. The Land is good about it, and a very con-
siderable population — After leaving Manukoa
we walked over Land to the Banks of the Topy-
[close to Ponsonby]
-temitta a distance of about 8 or 10 miles — Our
Road lay over the summit of a very high
[Wai-o-raka, Mount Albert]
round Hill called Wypedakha from the Summit
of which there is the most extensive prospect —
The western & eastern ^{shores} are in view several Rivers,
Forests & mountains are also to be seen — with
Point Rodney and Cape Colville, at the entrance of
the Thames — On descending the Hill Howhow called
us on one side to see a deep cavern which had the
appearance of the mouth of a volcano — He told