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In reflecting upon the state of New Zealand
there are many things in the Mission that
give me both pleasure and pain - I am happy
that the C. M. S. has not relinquished the cause
but have sent out more strength to carry
on the work. Many have been the discouragements
from the improper conduct of some of the
Society's servants, but I am confident that the
"Sword of the Spirit which is the word of God"
shall subdue the hearts of these poor Heathens
to the obedience of Faith. Moses by divine
command selected twelve Princes, Rulers
in their respective Tribes to spy out the
Land of Canaan - They went thro' the land
but when they returned they brought up
an evil report of the Land which they had
searched, and told Moses that they were not
able to go up and take the Land, Ten of
the twelve Rulers joined in this report, but
Caleb and Joshua said, "We are able to go up
at once and possess it. As long as a
Caleb and a Joshua remain in New