

but that it would be better for him to leave New Zealand - Towhee, a Chief, was present, for whom the Young Woman Mr Kendall had taken, had been taboed, or set apart, and he said Mr Kendall ought to leave New Zealand - I told them he should go along with me in the Brampton - The Chiefs were satisfied that Mr Kendall had violated our laws and customs and had brought all his distress upon himself.

Tho' Mr Kendall had not informed me as yet of his intention to leave New Zealand I was happy to find that the Chiefs were willing that he should return to Port Jackson, with the exception of one family the father and friends of the young woman with whom he had cohabited, and they were not yet reconciled, and had taken care to keep very much out of my way.

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early this morning I left the Brampton in order to accompany the Rev^d H. Williams to Middlee Middlee 16 miles distant - we purposed to be up to Morning Service, but did not arrive in time - In the evening we attended the catechizing the natives they sang several Hymns in their own language and repeated some Prayers - I was much gratified with the progress they had made