

Powder - They knew that I had not one
musket in my Horse, and that they had never
seen any when they were with me - They
replied they knew what I said was true -
I further added, we did not interfere with
the Government of New Zealand; they did
what they pleased, and that the misivories
ought to be allowed to do what they
pleased - ^{Touai} ^{Green} ^{Heutevents} ~~Touai~~ said, that was but just
and observed, we are at present in the
same state as the Otagiteans were
some time back - The Otagiteans wanted
only muskets and Powder, and would
have nothing else; and now as they know
better, they wanted none; and that the
New Zealanders would care nothing about
muskets when they knew better, which
they would in time, but time must be
allowed them to learn better - that he
had gone to war some time ago, but
he would never go again - All the
Chiefs acquiesced in the Observations ~~Touai~~
made - I was happy to find, that their
minds were so enlarged, and that they
had begun to take such proper views
of the Subject - I said ~~Touai's~~ remarks
upon the Conduct of the Otagiteans
were very just - and told them that the
Queen Charlotte Bay which had sailed