

B. visit  
of Mr  
Turner  
respecting  
the  
pronunciation  
of the  
language

The Rev. Mr. Turner missionary from Wanganui  
belonging to the Wesleyan mission paid us a  
visit to day - one great object of his journey was  
to consult us about the native language - They were  
all in confusion at their settlement about it, as they  
could not follow the rules laid down in Mr.  
Hendalls Grammar with respect to the Pronun-  
ciation of the vowels - I informed Mr. Turner what  
resolutions the missionaries had come to respecting it  
and also what the Rev. Mr. Hendall said. Mr.  
Turner expressed much satisfaction that an alteration  
was to be made; that it was his opinion as well as  
that of his colleagues that the English Pronunciation  
of the vowels should be followed - The Rev. Mr. Leigh  
coincided in the same opinion - I hope this question is  
now be at rest, as all are unanimously of opinion  
that the vowels should retain the English Pronun-  
ciation - and that future Experience will prove that  
the mode now adopted is the best -

Mr. visit from  
Mr. Kendall

The Rev. Mr. Kendall paid me a visit, he brought me  
about 500 words for Enumeration and correction  
for the intended new vocabulary - He appeared very  
much agitated in his mind, and under the government  
of a very unchristianlike spirit - He inveighed  
most bitterly against the missionaries; and  
spoke very disrespectfully of the Parent Committee  
and at the same time attempted to cast some  
reflections upon me - I had treated him with  
great tenderness hitherto, so that he had no cause to  
complain on any just grounds - He told me  
he would not leave New Zealand, ~~but was determined~~  
but was determined to come to live at Kiddee Kiddee.