

Private Rev. S. Madden to the  
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Sir

May 9/09 I herewith return you Governor  
Macquaries letter, and have the pleasure to  
inform you, that Lord Castlereagh has  
spoken to his Excellency relative to the Chief of  
New Zealand, and has directed him to give every  
Assistance towards promoting the Civilization  
of the natives. I have since had a conversation  
with the Governor upon the subject, stating to him  
what kind of Assistance would be wanting, and  
how far I conceived the wishes of the Society  
extended. Upon the instructions he has had from  
Lord Castlereagh, together with the Society's  
letter written by you, I have no doubt but  
he will meet the views of the Society as much  
as possible, and give all the countenance to the

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Object of the mission that it may require —  
I think however it would be proper, could you  
make it convenient to call upon him personally;  
and have a little conversation with the Governor  
on the business — He will leave Town, in a few  
Days, as the Troops are embarked.

I am  
Dr Sir  
yours truly  
Sam. Marsden

Rev. J. Pratt —