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circumstances concur in producing  
this apprehension. However, great  
allowance is to be made for any one  
placed in such distressing circumstan-  
ces without any confidential friends  
with whom to take counsel. I  
really regard him with the highest  
respect, esteem and affection, when I  
consider his generous and spirited  
conduct in the discharge of his long  
and painful course of service, and  
especially in his Settlement of the  
Colony in New Zealand. Captain  
Welch called on me as you would  
hear, before I had seen these Letters,  
and I had understood from him that  
McCampbell had intimated that