

Rev. Henry Ingham to Secretary

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Mr. Ingham to ascertain at the Southern  
Office when Mr. T. B. arrives

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Baltimore  
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My dear friend

Com. Jan 8/21

Having heard that Major General  
Sir Thomas Brisbane has been appointed Governor  
of New South Wales, I felt it to be my duty to  
avail myself of a very slight acquaintance which  
I had with him, to commend to his favourable  
consideration the Rev. Samuel Marsden, & the  
cause in which he has been so zealously & suc-  
-cessfully engaged: for this purpose I took the  
liberty of sending him the volume of the Prisonary  
Register for 1816 in which are detailed Mr. Mar-  
-sden's proceedings in New Zealand - I send  
you on the other leaf a copy of the note  
which



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which I received in answer, which I think  
will be gratifying to you & the Committee -  
I understand that the General proceeds from  
Cork to London in a very few days; & if you  
consider it necessary to address him either by  
letter or deputation, you need not take any  
notice of this communication. I merely send it  
as an encouraging proof that He whose cause  
this, is opening the hearts of many to take  
an interest in its progress. Sir Thomas is a  
very active, intelligent Officer - fond of scientific  
pursuits - particularly Astronomy - very bene-  
-volent - with a great respect for religion, &  
most regular in attending the ordinances -

With sincere wishes for your personal welfare  
& the prosperity of our common cause,

Believe me &c. in the fellowship  
of the faith  
Henry Lawton



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Glentworth

Dec. 9<sup>th</sup> 1820

Dear Sir

I was favoured by your obliging letter of the 4<sup>th</sup> only yesterday morning, & beg leave to assure you that every protection I can possibly afford the Rev. Samuel Marsden shall at all times be bestowed on him, & I shall further exert all the means in my power to promote his zealous & laudable labours - I feel much indebted to you for the Missionary Register you were so kind as to send me, & the articles respecting him I have read with a great degree of interest, & I should hope there is no Officer in Command at a remote Station that would be found to withhold his support from so true a zealot in the cause of Christianity & I remain with much esteem your most faithful servant

Edw. Brisbane

Rev. A. Marsden