Chamberlain

24th October 1854

Whereas the natives in different parts of the settlements have, in an uncivilized, unmerciful and inexcusable manner lately committed the most horrid acts of murder on the defenceless settlers whose hospitality appears to have drawn upon them the most barbarous treatment; and as there is no hope of the murderers being given up to Justice.

The Governor has been and is acting for the preservation of the lives and properties of the said settlers and of the men to distribute arms among the inhabitants for their protection as protection from these uncivilized Savages. But as these measures alone will not be a proper check, it is hereby

requisite and ordered that no

Natives be suffered to approach the bounds or borders of

this letter, until the measures are given us, that their order may be carried into full effect.
the sellers are required to adjust each other in repelling those parties. Under any
seller's contrary to the purpose and intent of the order, and being any that he
said he prosecuted for the breach of a Public Order, intended for the security
of his tenants.
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5 May 1805.

A number of natives composed of
the families, well known about
Prospect and Parramatta, with
some strangers from the Corroboree,
hearing that Macquarie issued the
protection of the magistrates of
Parramatta, and are set down at
the mouth between Prospect and
George's River. They are not to be
molested in their situation, some
of them being accompanied as far as
to approach the head of the
two bodies near the two Heads.