

Enclosure.

Address No. 2.—Session XXII.

EXTRACT from the Journals of the Auckland Provincial Council, Friday, 29th November, 1867.

Resolved—"1. That in the opinion of this Council it is expedient—in order to secure the pacification of the Country and the welfare of both races residing in this part of the Colony—that a general amnesty for all political offences be proclaimed with as little delay as possible.

"2. That an Address be presented to His Honor the Superintendent conveying the above Resolution, with a request that he will forward the same to His Excellency the Governor."

(True Extract.) G. MAURICE O'RORKE, Speaker.

His Honor the Superintendent.

Sub-Enclosure 2 to Enclosure in No. 26.

RETURN of MAORIS taken in Arms and sent to the CUATHAM ISLANDS.

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(Returns to 30th November, 1867.)

* *Vide* Return of Deaths attached.

Colonial Defence Office,

Wellington, 11th February, 1868.

RETURN of DEATHS of PRISONERS, WOMEN, and CHILDREN, at the CHATHAM ISLANDS.

Name.	Sex.	Date of Death.	Age.	Cause of Death.
Ihaia ...	Male	5 April, 1866	60 years	Debility.
Maraca ...	Female	12 April "	2 "	Mesenteric disease.
Wikitoria ...	"	11 May "	64 "	General decay.
Heremata ...	Male	25 June "	26 "	Disease of heart, with asthma.
Heremaia Kahu Kahu ...	"	" "	Age not given	Hydrocele.
Wiremu Parehina ...	"	31 July "	45 years	Dysentery and influenza.
Rihara Tatua ...	"	6 August "	24 "	Tubercular disease.
Son of Tupeka ...	"	30 Sept. "	3 "	Name of disease not given (treated by themselves).
Carine ...	Female	4 Dec. "	16 "	Consumption.
Farata ...	Male	29 Dec. "	28 "	Exhaustion from sea-sickness.
Hori Puru ...	"	10 June, 1867	5 months	Congestion of brain.
Infant ...	Not given	16 June "	48 hours	Malformation.
Tupake ...	Female	26 Sept. "	6 years	Measles (treated by themselves).
Te Waua ...	Male	28 Nov. "	3 "	Tabes Mesenter.

Colonial Defence Office,

Wellington, 11th February, 1868.

Sub-Enclosure 3 to Enclosure in No. 26.

The Hon. E. W. STAFFORD to His Honor D. McLEAN.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, 12th December, 1867.

SIR,—

The gradual restoration of tranquillity in the Northern Island, and the generally improved state of the relations of the two races towards each other, render it desirable, in the opinion of the Government, that His Excellency the Governor should be advised to grant an amnesty to most if not to all of the Native political offenders who, after being captured in arms against Her Majesty, were placed and still remain in confinement at the Chatham Islands.