No. 134.—Petition of Refe Arama.

Petitioner prays that a rehearing may be held in connection with the Orakei Block, in order that she may be recognised as successor to certain of her relatives.

I have the honour to report that, as the subject of this petition comes under the provisions of a Bill now before the House, the Committee has no recommendation to make.

29th July, 1892.

[Translation.]

No. 134.—Pukapuka-inoi a Rere Arama.

E inor ana te kai-pitihana kia whakawakia tuaruatia a Orakei Poraka kia ahei ai ia te uru hei kairiwhi ki etahi o ona huanga.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ki penei: No te mea e uru ana tenei take i raro i nga tikanga o tetahi Pire e hanga nei e te Whare. Kahore he kupu a te Komiti mo runga i tenei tono.

29 o Hurae, 1892.

No. 12, 1890, and No. 156, 1891.—Petition of KIPA TE WHATANUI and Others.

PETITIONERS pray that their claims to portions of the Horowhenua Block may be heard, and relief

I am directed to report that the Committee is of opinion the Government should be recommended to take the whole questions affecting the Horowhenua Block into their consideration, and, if possible, to institute such legislation as will finally settle all disputes in connection therewith.

9th August, 1892.

[Translation.]

No. 12, 1890, and No. 156, 1891.—Pukapuka-inoi a Kipa te Whatanui me etahi atu. E inoi ana nga kia-pitihana kia whakawakia o ratou take ki etahi wahi o Horowhenua Poraka me te tuku i tetahi ora.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ki penei: E whakaaro ano tenei Komiti me tono te Kawanatanga kia ata whiriwhiria katoa nga take ki taua Poraka a ki te taea me hanga i tetahi ture hei tino whakaoti i nga raruraru katoa mo runga i taua Poraka.

9 o Akuhata, 1892.

No. 251.—Petition of Meiha Keepa te Rangihiwinui and 50 Others.

PETITION conveys a recommendation from a large gathering of Natives, held at Waipata, Hawke's Bay, on the 14th June, 1892, that no laws should be passed imposing rates and taxes on Native lands.

I am directed to report that the Committee is of opinion that this petition should be referred to the Government.

9th August, 1892.

[Translation.]

No. 251.—Pukapuka-inoi a Менна Кеера те Rangihiwinui me etahi atu e 50.

E tuku mai ana nga kai-pitihana i tetahi tono a tetahi hui Maori i turia ki Te Waipatu i Haaki Pei i te 14 o nga ra o Hune, 1892, kia kaua e paahitia tetahi ture whakaeke reiti ki runga i nga whenua Maori.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ki penei: E whakaaro ana tenei Komiti me tuku tenei pitihana ki te Kawanatanga kia whiriwhiria e ratou.

9 o Akuhata, 1892.

No. 246.—Petition of Meiha Keepa te Rangihiwinui and 56 Others.

PETITIONERS pray that Parliament should not make laws dealing with Native land, and that the sittings of the Native Land Court should cease in the North Island.

I am directed to report that the Committee is of opinion this petition should be referred to the Government.

9th August, 1892.

TRANSLATION.

No. 246.—Pukapuka-inoi a Meiha Keepa te Rangihiwinui me etahi atu e 56.

E inoi ana nga kai-pitihana kia kaua e hanga e te Paremete he ture mo runga i nga whenua Maori a me whakamutu hoki i te Kooti Whenua Maori ki Aotearoa.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ki penei: E whakaaro ana tenei Komiti me tuku tenei pitihana ki te Kawanatanga kia whiriwhiria e ratou.

9 o Akuhata, 1892.

No. 245.—Petition of WI PARATA KAKAKURA and 62 Others.

Petitioners pray that no licenses may be granted for the sale of spirituous liquors at Otorohanga, or other Native districts.

I am directed to report that, as this matter has already been settled, the Committee has no recommendation to make.

9th August, 1892.