E whai honore ana ahau ki te ripoata ki te whakaaro a te Komiti me tuku atu tenei pitihana ki te Kawanatanga kia whiriwhiria.

8 o Oketopa, 1895.

THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT BILL.

I HAVE the honour to report that the Native Affairs Committee, to whom was referred the abovementioned Bill, have duly considered the same, and are of opinion that it should be allowed to proceed, subject to the amendments shown on a copy of the Bill attached hereto.

11th October, 1895.

[Translation.]

Pire Whakatikatika i nga Ture Whenua Maori.

E whai honore ana ahau ki te ripoata kua whiriwhiria e te Komiti mo nga Mea Maori, te Pire kua huaina ake nei, a kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata ki ta ratou whakaaro me whakaae taua Pire kia mahia, i runga ano i nga menemana e whakaaturia ana e te tauira o taua mea kua whakamaua nei ki tenei.

11 o Oketopa, 1895.

No. 195.—Petition of Ahurei Hikairo and 5 Others.

Petitioners pray that a rehearing may be granted in connection with Pirongia West No. 1. They allege that, through a breach of trust on the part of those appointed to hand in the lists to the Native Land Court, persons received shares in the block who were not entitled to them.

I have the honour to report that the Committee are of opinion that the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court should hold an inquiry regarding the injustice which appears to have been done to the petitioners. 16th October, 1895.

[Translation.]

No. 195.—Pitihana a Ahurei Hikairo me etahi atu toko rima.

E inoi ana nga kai-pitihana kia whakaaetia he whakawa tuarua mo Pirongia Rato Nama 1 Poraka. E ki ana ratou na runga i te mahi tahae a nga tangata i whakaturia hei tuku atu i nga rarangi ingoa ki te Kooti Whenua Maori, uru ana a whiwhi ana etahi tangata kore take ki te Poraka i etahi hea

E whai honore ana ahau ki te ripoata ki te whakaaro a te Komiti me uiui e te Tumuaki Kai-

whakawa te mate e kiia nei kua pa ki nga kai-pitihana.

16 o Oketopa, 1895.

No. 272.—Petition of TE RANGIHUATAU.

PETITIONER prays for a rehearing (the third) regarding the ownership of Whakaniwha, part of Putiki Wharanui Reserve, near Wanganui.

I have the honour to report that the Committee has no recommendation to make with regard

to this petition.

16th October, 1895.

[Translation.]

No. 272.—Pitihana a TE RANGIHUATAU.

E inoi ana te kai-pitihana kia whakawakia tuatorutia a Whakaniwha, wahi o te Rahui i Putiki Wharanui, e tata ana ki Whanganui.

E whai honore ana ahau ki te ripoata kaore kau he kupu a te Komiti mo runga i tenei pitihana.

16 o Oketopa, 1895.

No. 304.—Petition of Renata Koroa and 4 Others.

Petitioners allege that the Tapakohe Block was wrongfully taken from them by the Government; they pray that it may be returned to them.

I have the honour to report that the Committee has no recommendation to make with reference

to this petition.

16th October, 1895.

[Translation.]

No. 304.—Pitihana a Renata Koroa me etahi atu toko wha.

Е кі ana nga kai-pitihana i tangohia hetia a Таракоhe Poraka i a ratou e te Kawanatanga; e inoi ana ratou kia whakahokia atu taua whenua ki a ratou.

E whai honore ana ahau ki te ripoata kaore kau a te Komiti kupu mo tenei pitihana.

16 o Oketopa, 1895.

No. 358.—Petition of Hoani Erueti and Another.

Petitioners pray that they may be appointed caretakers of the Island of Hotunui, near Stewart Island, and have the sole right to take mutton-birds therefrom.

I have the honour to report that the Committee recommend that this petition be referred to the Government.

16th October, 1895.