1907. NEW ZEALAND.

FISHING RESERVE NEAR MOTUNGARARA, SOUTHLAND

(PARTICULARS RELATIVE TO LEASE OF).

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 16th October, 1907.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing—(1) The moneys received from the fishing reserve situate near the railway-line running from Wairewa, near Motungarara Railway-station; (2) to whom the said land is leased; (3) the price per acre; (4) the remaining unexpired period of lease; (5) what the Public Trustee is doing with the money received."—(Mr. Parata.)

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- (1.) Amount received on 3rd November, 1902, from Lands and Survey Department, being accrued rents from 1st November, 1895, to 31st March, 1896 15 13 3 Rent received by the Public Trustee from 1st September, 1903, to 1st November, 1907, under a six-monthly tenancy at £171 6s. per annum-four years and a 728 0 6 quarter ...
 - Total 743 13
- (2.) Let to Samuel Nutt, of Little River.
- (3.) Price per acre, £1 0s. 7d.
- (4.) Half-yearly tenant.
- (5.) The Public Trustee is holding the rents pending the decision of the Native Land Court as to who are the Native owners and what their relative interests are. Application for this information was made to the Native Land Court in 1902.

J. W. POYNTON, Public Trustee.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 29th October, 1907.

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