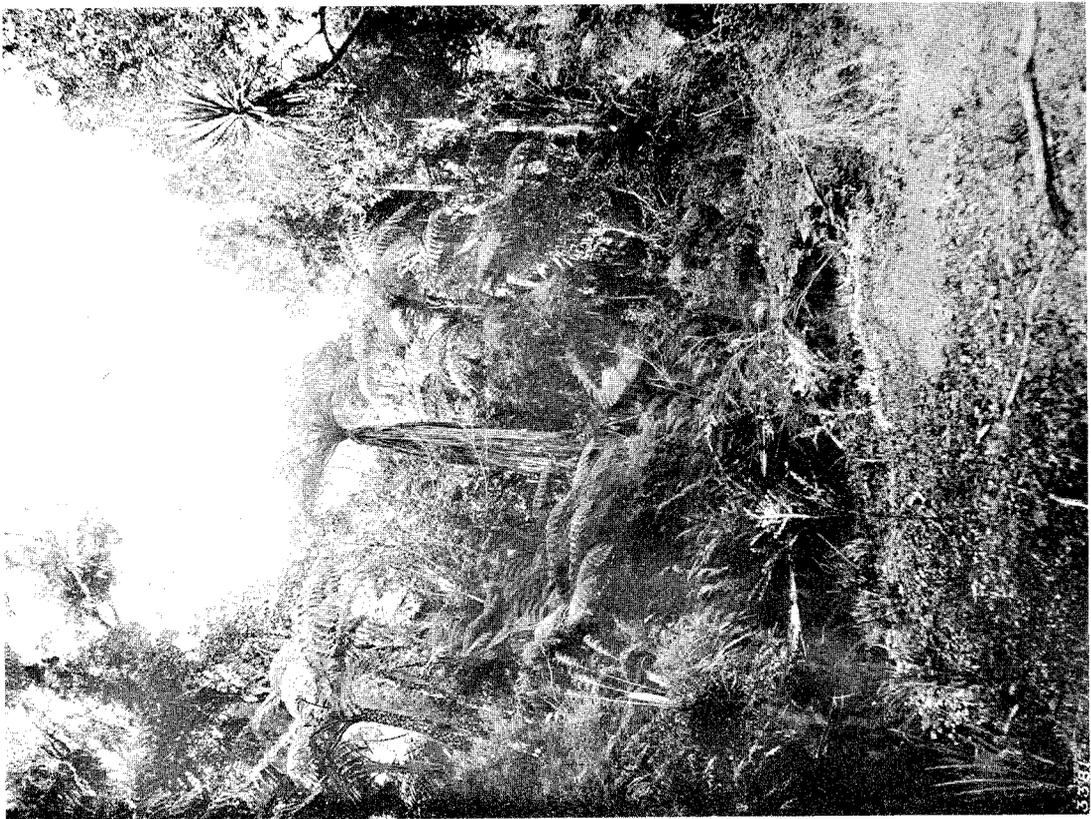




THE SLENDER TREE-FERN (WIEBE), (*Dicksonia squarrosa*).

The bases of the old stipites adhere persistently to the trunk.

[C. T. Salmon, photo.]



GROUP OF MAMAKU TREE-FERNS (*Cyathea medullaris*).

The trunk shows the scars left by the old stipites.