No. 51 (1916).—Petition of MERE TAHUHU and 3 Others.

Praying for an inquiry re their claim to Wharekauri Block, Chatham Islands.

I am directed to report that, in the opinion of the Committee, this petition should be referred to the Government for inquiry.

24th October, 1917.

# [TRANSLATION.]

No. 51 (1916).—Pitihana a MERE TAHUHU me etahi atu tokotoru.

E moi ana kia uiuia te taha ki ta ratou kereme mo Wharekauri Poraka, kei Wharekauri.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata ki te whakaaro a te Komiti, me tuku atu tenei pitihana ki te Kawanatanga kia uiuia.

24 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 322 (1917).—Petition of J. M. Ellison.

Praying that the report of the Native Affairs Committee on the will of the late Katarini Hape be given effect to.

I am directed to report that the Committee has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition. 24th October, 1917.

#### [TRANSLATION.]

No. 322 (1917).—Pitihana a J. M. ERIHANA.

E inoi ana kia whakatutukitia te ripoata a te Komiti mo nga Mea Maori mo runga mo te Wira a Katarini Hape, kua mate.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mc runga mo tenei pitihana.

24 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 389 (1915).—Petition of Hori A. Hohua and 11 Others.

PRAYING for a reinvestigation of the title of Ruatoki Nos. 1, 2, and 3 Blocks.

I am directed to report that the Committee has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition.

24th October, 1917.

### TRANSLATION.

No. 389 (1915).—Pitihana a Hori A. Hohua me etahi atu 11.

E INOI ana kia whakawakia ano te taitara ki Ruatoki No. 1, 2, me 3 Poraka.

Kua whakahana ahan kia ripoata kaore kan he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.

24 o Oketopa, 1917.

# No. 143 (1916).—Petition of NARI HOTERENE and 6 Others

Praying for the restoration to them of Te Ranga a Tai Block, alleged to have been wrongly included in a sale.

I am directed to report that the Committee has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition. 24th October, 1917.

# TRANSLATION.

No. 143 (1916).—Pitihana a Nari Hoterene me etahi atu tokoono.

E INOI ana kia whakahokia atu kia ratou a Te Ranga a Tai Poraka e whakapaea ana i riro he i roto i te hoko.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.

24 o Oketopa, 1917.

PARLIAMENTARY PAPER No. 256, 1917 (Report and Recommendation on Petition 393/12, relative to a Road through a Burial-ground on Pokuru No. 3A Block).

I AM directed to report that, in the opinion of the Committee, this paper should be referred to the Government for consideration.

24th October, 1917.