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# NATIVE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

(REPORTS OF THE).

NGA RIPOATA A TE KOMITI MO NGA MEA MAORI.

(MR. YOUNG, CHAIRMAN.)

*Presented to the House of Representatives, and ordered to be printed.*

## ORDER OF REFERENCE.

*Extract from the Journals of the House of Representatives.*

FRIDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF JULY, 1917.

*Ordered.*—That a Native Affairs Committee be appointed, consisting of fourteen members, to consider all petitions, reports, returns, and other documents relating to affairs especially affecting the Native race that may be brought before this House this session, and from time to time to report thereon to the House; with power to call for persons and papers; three to be a quorum: the Committee to consist of the Hon. Sir J. Carroll, Mr. Henare, Mr. Hudson, Mr. Jennings, the Hon. Mr. MacDonald, Mr. Mander, the Hon. Mr. Ngata, Mr. Parata, the Hon. Dr. Pomare, Mr. Reed, Mr. Talbot, Mr. Wilkinson, Mr. Young, and the mover.—(Hon. Mr. HERRIES.)

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No. 338 (1915).—Petition of MATOE O TE RANGI.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* succession to interest of Te Karere (deceased), in Te Rauna Native Reserve.

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

31st July, 1917.

[TRANSLATION.]

No. 338 (1915).—Pitihana a MATOE O TE RANGI.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki te riiwhitanga i te paanga o Te Kareve, kua mate, i roto i Te Rauna Rahui Maori.

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

31 o Hurae, 1917.

No. 237 (1916).—Petition of TANAWHEA HUIRANGI.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* succession to interest of Matenga Rihia (deceased), in Tauwhare Lot 106.

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

31st July, 1917.

[TRANSLATION.]

No. 237 (1916).—Pitihana a TANAWHEA HUIRANGI.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki te riiwhitanga i te paanga o Matenga Rihia, kua mate, i roto i Tauwhare Rota 106.

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

31 o Hurae, 1917.

No. 238 (1916).—Petition of NGATOHU TAPUI.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* succession to interests of certain deceased persons in Maungatautari.

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

31st July, 1917.

[TRANSLATION.]

No. 238 (1916).—Pitihana a NGATOHU TAPUI.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki te riiwhitanga i nga paanga o etahi tangata, kua mate, i roto i Maungatautari.

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

31 o Hurae, 1917.

No. 240 (1916).—Petition of TOROA NGATAU.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* succession to interest of Te Arape (deceased).

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

31st July, 1917.

[TRANSLATION.]

No. 240 (1916).—Pitihana a TOROA NGATAU.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki te riiwhitanga i te paanga o Te Arape, kua mate.

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

31 o Hurae, 1917.

No. 241 (1916).—Petition of **TE REHU POHOI and Another.**

PRAYING for a return of portion Ohura South A 3E, 2C, 3A, alleged to have been wrongly included in a lease.

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

31st July, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 241 (1916).—Pitihana a **TE REHU POHOI** me tetahi atu.

E INOI ana kia whakahokia mai tetahi wahi o Ohura Tonga A 3E, 2C, 3A, e whakapaea ana i uru he ki roto ki tetahi rihi.

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

31 o Hurae, 1917.

No. 340 (1915).—Petition of **TE MATOE O TE RANGI** and 3 Others.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* ownership of Te Rangitapatu Reserve.

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

31st July, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 340 (1915).—Pitihana a **TE MATOE O TE RANGI** me etahi atu tokotoru.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki nga take ki Te Rangitapatu Rahui.

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

31 o Hurae, 1917.

No. 6 (1916).—Petition of **ORIWIA NGAKAO** and 24 Others.

PRAYING that partition of Tihoi No. 1 Block be cancelled.

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

31st July, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 6 (1916).—Pitihana a **ORIWIA NGAKAO** me etahi atu tangata e 24.

E INOI ana kia whakakorea atu te wawahanga o Tihoi No. 1 Poraka.

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

31 o Hurae, 1917.

No. 150 (1916).—Petition of **H. P. RATIMA** and 74 Others.

PRAYING that the Native Land Court be empowered to inquire, having regard to ancestral rights, into the ownership of Tarawera and Tatarakina Blocks.

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

31st July, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 150 (1916).—Pitihana a **H. P. RATIMA** me etahi atu tangata e 74.

E INOI ana kia whakamanaia te Kooti Whenua Maori ki te uiui i nga take tipuna ki Tarawera me Tatarakina Poraka.

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

31 o Hurae, 1917.

No. 226 (1916).—Petition of **PURU RAPATA** and Another.

PRAYING for relief *re* probate of a will, and a rehearing *re* succession to interests in Lot 16, Parish of Tamahere.

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

31st July, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 226 (1916).—Pitihana a PURU RAPATA me tetahi atu.

E INOI ana kia whakaororaina mo te taha ki te Whakamananga i te Wira, a kia uiuia ano te taha ki te riiwhitanga i nga paanga i roto i Rota 46, Pariha o Tamahere.

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

31 o Hurae, 1917.

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No. 233 (1916).—Petition of KARAITIANA RURU and 20 Others.

PRAYING that an inquiry be authorized with regard to administration by trustees of Mangatu Nos. 1, 3, and 4 Blocks.

I am directed by the Committee to report that this petition be referred to the Government for inquiry.

31st July, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 233 (1916).—Pitihana a KARAITIANA RURU me etahi atu tangata e 20.

E INOI ana kia whakamanaia tetahi uiuinga mo runga mo te whakahaere a nga Kai-tiaki o Mangatu No. 1, 3 me 4 Poraka.

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

31 o Hurae, 1917.

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No. 147 (1916).—Petition of RAWIRI KATEA and 38 Others.

PRAYING that partition orders *re* Ngamoe Block be cancelled and a fresh partition made.

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

31st July, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 147 (1916).—Pitihana a RAWIRI KATEA me etahi atu tangata e 38.

E INOI ana kia whakakorea atu nga ota wehewehe o Ngamoe Poraka, a kia mahia he wehewehenga hou.

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

31 o Hurae, 1917.

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No. 61 (1915).—Petition of WI HAMUTANA and 3 Others.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* succession to interest of Wharetienga (deceased), in Tuahu No. 3 Block.

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

31st July, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 61 (1915).—Pitihana a WI HAMUTANA me etahi atu tokotoru.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki te riiwhitanga i te paanga o Wharetienga, kua mate, i roto i Tuahu No. 3 Poraka.

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

31 o Hurae, 1917.

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No. 385 (1915).—Petition of TIAKIWA TAHURIARANGI and 10 Others.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* shares awarded to owners of Haivini Block.

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

31st July, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 385 (1915).—Pitihana a TIAKIWA TAHURIARANGI me etahi atu tangata kotahi tekau.  
 E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki nga hea i whakataua ki nga tangata no ratou a Hairini Poraka.  
 Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.  
 31 o Hurae, 1917.

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## No. 18 (1916).—Petition of PAPANUTU KOUKOU.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* area awarded to him in Aranui Block.  
 I am directed by the Committee to report that it has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition.  
 31st July, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 18 (1916).—Pitihana a PAPANUTU KOUKOU.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki te wahi o Aranui Poraka i whakataua ki a ia.  
 Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.  
 31 o Hurae, 1917.

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## No. 124 (1916).—Petition of APIRINA PAHINA and 3 Others.

PRAYING for a further inquiry *re* ownership of Mangahauini No. 17 Block.  
 I am directed by the Committee to report that it has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition.  
 31st July, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 124 (1916).—Pitihana a APIRINA PAHINA me etahi atu tokotoru.

E INOI ana kia uiuia ano te taha ki nga tangata whaitake ki Mangahauini No. 17 Poraka.  
 Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.  
 31 o Hurae, 1917.

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## No. 12 (1915).—Petition of OTENE PAORA and 19 Others.

PRAYING for a reinvestigation of title to Orakei Block.  
 I am directed by the Committee to report that it has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition.  
 1st August, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 12 (1915).—Pitihana a OTENE PAORA me etahi atu tangata tekau ma iwa.

E INOI ana kia whakawakia ano nga take ki Orakei Poraka.  
 Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.  
 1 o Akuhata, 1917.

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## No. 441 (1914).—Petition of PIRIHIRA KARENA.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* succession to interests of Tini Waitapu (deceased) in Te Momi No. 2, Section 20, Hutt District, and in Palmerston North Native Reserve.  
 I am directed to report that the Committee has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition.  
 14th August, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 441 (1914).—Pitihana a PIRIHIRA KARENA.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki te riiwhitanga i nga paanga o Tini Waitapu, kua mate, i roto i Te Momi No. 2, Tekiona 20, Takiwa o te Hata, i roto hoki i te Rahui Maori o Pamutana.  
 Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.  
 14 o Akuhata, 1917.

## No. 247 (1917).—Petition of HURA RAPATA and Another.

PRAYING for relief *re* probate of a will, and a rehearing *re* succession to interests in Lot 46, Parish of Tamahere.

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

17th August, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 247 (1917).—Pitihana a HURA RAPATA me tetahi atu.

E INOI ana kia whakaororaina mo te taha ki te Whakamananga i te Wira, kia uiuia ano hoki te taha ki te riiwhitanga i nga paanga i roto i Rota 46, Pariha o Tamahere.

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

17 o Akuhata, 1917.

## No. 297 (1915).—Petition of MEREANA MATUAREI and Another.

PRAYING for a further inquiry *re* succession to interests of Tamati Wiremu te Ngahuru (deceased).

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

29th August, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 297 (1915).—Pitihana a MEREANA MATUAREI me tetahi atu.

E INOI ana kia uiuia ano te taha ki te riiwhitanga i nga paanga o Tamati Wiremu te Ngahuru, kua mate.

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

29 o Akuhata, 1917.

## No. 63 (1917).—Petition of KIPA TE WHATANUI.

PRAYING for a rehearing of interests in Te Waka Block.

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

29th August, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 63 (1917).—Pitihana a KIPA TE WHATANUI.

E INOI ana kia uiuia ano nga paanga i roto i Te Waka Poraka.

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

29 o Akuhata, 1917.

## No. 100 (1917).—Petition of HIRA RANGIMATINI and 35 Others.

PRAYING for relief in connection with Tatua East Block.

I am directed by the Committee to report that this petition should be referred to the Government for favourable consideration.

29th August, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 100 (1917).—Pitihana a HIRA RANGIMATINI me etahi atu tangata e 35.

E INOI ana kia whakaororaina mo te taha ki Tatua Rawhiti Poraka.

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

29 o Akuhata, 1917.

## No. 168 (1915).—Petition of HAPIMANA RANGIRA and Another.

PRAYING for a rehearing *re* succession to interest of Wiremu Tini Waitapu (deceased) in Palmerston North Native Reserve.

I am directed by the Committee to report that this petition should be referred to the Government for favourable consideration.

29th August, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 168 (1915).—Pitihana a HAPIMANA RANGIRA me tetahi atu.

E INOI ana kia uiuia ano te taha ki te riiwhitanga i te paanga o Wiremu Tini Waitapu, kua mate, i roto i te Rahui Maori o Pamutana.

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

29 o Akuhata, 1917.

No. 348 (1915).—Petition of HENI KANOA.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* succession to interest of Ema Paruparu (deceased) in Waipiro Nos. 1 and 2 Blocks.

I am directed by the Committee to report that this petition should be referred to the Government for favourable consideration.

29th August, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 348 (1915).—Pitihana a HENI KANOA.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki te riiwhitanga i te paanga o Ema Paruparu, kua mate, i roto i Waipiro Nos. 1 me 2 Poraka.

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

29 o Akuhata, 1917.

PARLIAMENTARY PAPER No. 136G, 1917 (Report and Recommendation on Petition No. 170/1905, relative to Okahuatū No. 1A Block); Parliamentary Paper No. 137G, 1917 (Report and Recommendation on Petition No. 167/1915, relative to Maungatapu D Block); Parliamentary Paper No. 166G, 1917 (Report and Recommendation on Petition No. 43/1916, relative to Kawhia R 2B Block).

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

29th August, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

PUKAPUKA PAREMETE No. 136G, 1917 (Ripoata me te kupu tohutohu mo runga mo Pitihana No. 170/1905 mo Okahuatū No. 1A Poraka); Pukapuka Paremete No. 137G, 1917 (Ripoata me te kupu tohutohu mo runga mo Pitihana No. 167/1915 mo Maungatapu D Poraka); Pukapuka Paremete No. 166G, 1917 (Ripoata me te kupu tohutohu mo runga mo Pitihana No. 43/1916 mo Kawhia R 2B Poraka).

KUA whakahaua ahau kia ripoata, ki te whakaaro a te Komiti, me tuku atu enei pukapuka ki te Kawanatanga kia whiriwhiria.

29 o Akuhata, 1917.

PARLIAMENTARY PAPER No. 165G, 1917 (Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1916).

REPORT and recommendation on Petition No. 276/1915, relative to Manakau Block.

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

29th August, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

PUKAPUKA PAREMETE No. 165G, 1917 (Pire Whakatikatika Ture Whenua Maori, Whakariterite Kereme Whenua Maori).

RIPOATA me te kupu tohutohu mo runga mo Pitihana No. 276/1915 mo Manakau Poraka.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata ki te whakaaro a te Komiti me tuku atu tenei pukapuka ki te Kawanatanga kia whakaarohia paitia.

29 o Akuhata, 1917.



## No. 244 (1917).—Petition of TE ROERA TAREHA.

PRAYING for legislation enabling the Public Trustee to deal with the Paepaetahi Block.

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

31st August, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 244 (1917).—Pitihana a TE ROERA TAREHA.

E INOI ana kia paahitia he ture kia ahei ai te Kai-tiaki o te Katoa te whakahaere tikanga mo Paepaetahi Poraka.

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

31 o Akuhata, 1917.

## No. 26 (1916).—Petition of HOKIANGA PAHAU and Another.

PRAYING for a rehearing *re* succession to interest of Paka Mutu (deceased) in Rotokautauku 6K No. 4 Block.

I am directed by the Committee to report that this petition should be referred to the Government for favourable consideration.

29th August, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 26 (1916).—Pitihana a HOKIANGA PAHAU me tetahi atu.

E INOI ana kia uiuia ano te taha ki te riiwhitanga i te paanga o Paka Mutu, kua mate, i roto i Rotokautuku 6K No. 4 Poraka.

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

29 o Akuhata, 1917.

## No. 149 (1916).—Petition of TAUU TAKEREI and 34 Others.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* terms of deed of sale of timber on Okoheriki No. 2c Block.

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

31st August, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 149 (1916).—Pitihana a TAUU TAKEREI me etahi atu e 34.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki nga tikanga o roto i te tiiti hoko o nga rakau o Okoheriki No. 2c Poraka.

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

31 o Akuhata, 1917.

## No. 242 (1917).—Petition of TUTURA HAMANA and 31 Others.

PRAYING for a rehearing *re* shares awarded in Ngamotu Block.

I am directed by the Committee to report that this petition be referred to the Government for inquiry.

31st August, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 242 (1917).—Pitihana a TUTURA HAMANA me etahi atu e 31.

E INOI ana kia uiuia ano te taha ki nga hea i whakataua i roto i te Poraka o Ngamotu.

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

31 o Akuhata, 1917.

## No. 61 (1915).—Petition of WI HAMUTANA and 3 Others. (Second Report.)

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* succession to interest of Wharetienga (deceased) in Tuahu No. 3 Block.

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

31st August, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 61 (1915).—Pitihana a WI HAMUTANA me etahi atu tokotoru.

E INOI ana kia uuiua te taha ki te riiwhitanga i te paanga o Wharetienga, kua mate, i roto i Tuahu No. 3 Poraka.

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

31 o Akuhata, 1917.

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No. 194 (1917).—Petition of TANGATAKE HAPUKU.

PRAYING for legislation enabling petitioner to a share in Pukerowhiti No. 2 Block.

I am directed by the Committee to report that this petition should be referred to the Government for favourable consideration.

31st August, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 194 (1917).—Pitihana a TANGATAKE HAPUKU.

E INOI ana kia paahitia he ture e ahei ai te kai-pitihana te whakawhiwhia ki tetahi hea i roto i Pukerowhiti No. 2 Poraka.

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

31 o Akuhata, 1917.

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No. 234 (1917).—Petition of RIHI NEHO and 8 Others.

PRAYING for cancellation of sale of Waima South Block A No. 5.

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

12th September, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 234 (1917).—Pitihana a RIHI NEHO me etahi atu tangata tokowaru.

E INOI ana kia whakakorea atu te hoko o Waima Tonga Poraka A No. 5.

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

12 o Hepetema, 1917.

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No. 105 (1917).—Petition of MURUPAENGA WINIANA and 4 Others.

PRAYING that an adjustment be made *re* the surveying of Karetu No. A Block.

I am directed by the Committee to report that as the petitioners have not exhausted their legal remedy the Committee has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition.

12th September, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 105 (1917).—Pitihana a MURUPAENGA WINIANA me etahi atu e 40.

E INOI ana kia whakatikatikaina te ruuritanga o Te Karetu No. A Poraka.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata penoi, i te mea kaore ano i whakapaua e nga kai-pitihana nga huarahi e puare ana kia ratou i raro i te ture, no reira kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.

12 o Hepetema, 1917.

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No. 171 (1917).—Petition of WIREMU POTAE.

PRAYING for the vesting in him of certain land in the Tuatini Native Township.

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

12th September, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 171 (1917).—Pitihana WIREMU POTAE.

E INOI ana kia whakatakaina ki raro ki a ia tetahi whenua kei roto kei te Taone Maori o Tuatini.

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

12 o Hepetema, 1917.

## No. 231 (1917).—Petition of PATOROMU RURU and 16 Others.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* ownership of Mangatu No. 1 Block.

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

12th September, 1917.

[TRANSLATION.]

## No. 231 (1917).—Pitihana a PATOROMU RURU me etahi atu 16.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki nga tangata whaitake ki Mangatu No. 1 Poraka.

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

12 o Hepetema, 1917.

## No. 228 (1916).—Petition of WETINI TAKU and 27 Others.

PRAYING for legislation in accordance with report of the Native Affairs Committee of 1915 upon a former petition *re* Tunapahore Block.

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

12th September, 1917.

[TRANSLATION.]

## No. 228 (1916).—Pitihana a WETINI TAKU me etahi atu e 27.

E INOI ana kia paahitia he ture i runga i te aronga o te ripoata a te Komiti mo nga Mea Maori o te tau 1915 mo runga mo tetahi atu pitihana mo Tunapahore Poraka.

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

12 o Hepetema, 1917.

## No. 170 (1917).—Petition of URU REWETI.

PRAYING for legislation in accordance with report of the Native Affairs Committee of 1915 upon a former petition *re* Tunapahore Block.

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

12th September, 1917.

[TRANSLATION.]

## No. 170 (1917).—Pitihana a URU REWETI.

E INOI ana kia paahitia he ture i runga i te aronga o te ripoata a te Komiti mo nga Mea Maori o te tau 1915 mo runga mo tetahi atu pitihana mo Tunapahore Poraka.

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

12 o Hepetema, 1917.

## No. 231 (1916).—Petition of URU REWETI.

PRAYING for legislation in accordance with report of the Native Affairs Committee of 1915 upon a former petition *re* Tunapahore Block.

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

12th September, 1917.

[TRANSLATION.]

## No. 231 (1916).—Pitihana a URU REWETI.

E INOI ana kia paahitia he ture i runga i te aronga o te ripoata a te Komiti mo nga Mea Maori o te tau 1915 mo runga mo tetahi atu pitihana mo Tunapahore Poraka.

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

12 o Hepetema, 1917.

## No. 213 (1916).—Petition of KARAITIANA RURU and 30 Others.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* ownership of Mangatu No. 1 Block.

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

12th September, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 213 (1916).—Pitihana a KARAITIANA RURU me etahi atu e 30.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki nga tangata whaitake ki Mangatu No. 1 Poraka.

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

12 o Hepetema, 1917.

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No. 185 (1917).—Petition of KIHIRINI KAHU TAMEHANA and 3 Others.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* succession to Te Waharoa (deceased) in Te Miro Block, Cambridge Survey District.

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

12th September, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 185 (1917).—Pitihana a KIHIRINI KAHU TAMEHANA me etahi atu tokotoru.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki te riiwhitanga i a Te Waharoa, kua mate, i roto i Te Miro Poraka, kei te Takiwa Ruuri o Kemureti.

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

12 o Hepetema, 1917.

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No. 154 (1916).—Petition of JAMES R. F. GREEN and 23 Others.

PRAYING for provision to be made for the individualization of titles *re* land granted to landless Natives.

I am directed to report that, as a matter of policy is involved, the Committee has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition.

3rd October, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 154 (1916).—Pitihana a JAMES R. F. GREEN me etahi atu e 23.

E INOI ana kia hangaia tetahi tikanga hei wehewehe motuhake i nga taitara ki nga whenua i karaatitia ki nga Maori Whenuakore.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

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No. 239 (1917).—Petition of L. O. H. TRIPP, of Wellington.

PRAYING that probate be granted to the will of Abner Clough (deceased), of Chatham Islands.

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

3rd October, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 239 (1917).—Pitihana a L. O. H. TRIPP, o Poneke.

E INOI ana kia whakaputaina he whakamananga i te wira a Abner Clough, kua mate, o Wharekauri.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

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No. 260 (1917).—Petition of TAARE METE.

PRAYING for relief from the decision of the Native Land Court.

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

3rd October, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 260 (1917).—Pitihana a TAARE METE.

E INOI ana kia whakaororaina i raro i te whakatau a te Kooti Whenua Maori.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 467 (1913).—Petition of MATENGA TE HIKO and 37 Others.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* ownership of Te Paruparu, Nukuwaiata, and other islands.

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 467 (1913).—Pitihana a MATENGA TE HIKO me etahi atu e 37.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki nga take ki Te Paruparu, Nukuwaiata, me era atu Moutere.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 382 (1917).—Petition of TAARE METE.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* area awarded to Paparutu Koukou in Aranui Block.

I am directed to report that, as the petitioner has not exhausted his legal remedy, the Committee has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition.

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 382 (1917).—Pitihana a TAARE METE.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki te wahi i whakataua ki a Paparutu Koukou o Aranui Poraka.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata penei, i te mea kaore ano i whakapaua e te kai-pitihana nga huarahi e puare ana kia ratou i raro i te ture, no reira kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 249 (1916).—Petition of TAINUI WHATAROA.

PRAYING for relief *re* portion of Waitakaruru 1A No. 2A 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.

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 249 (1916).—Pitihana a TAINUI WHATAROA.

E INOI ana kia whakaororaina mo te taha ki te wahi o Waitakaruru 1A No. 2A 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.

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 99 (1917).—Petition of ERU IHAKA and 5 Others.

PRAYING for legislation to prevent the renewal of leases to various persons in Parengarenga and Te Pakohu Blocks.

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 99 (1917).—Pitihana a ERU IHAKA me etahi atu tokorima.

E INOI ana kia paahitia he ture kia kore ai e taea te whakahou nga riihi o Parengarenga me Te Pakohu Poraka ki etahi tangata.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 235 (1916).—Petition of MURUPAENGA REWIRI and 71 Others.

PRAYING that Austrian gum-diggers be not interned on or allowed to dig gum on lands at Parengarenga which are leased to the Parenga Gum Company.

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 235 (1916).—Pitihana a MURUPAENGA REWIRI me etahi atu e 71.

E INOI ana kia kua e whakahereheretia nga Tarara Keri Kapia ki, kia kua ranei e whakaaetia kia kerī kapia i, runga i nga whenua kei Parengarenga kei te rihi ki Kamupene Kapia o Parenga.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

PARLIAMENTARY PAPER No. 255, 1917 (Report and Recommendation on Petition No. 116/13, relative to Te Haka No. 7 and Te Tapuae Blocks.)

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

PUKAPUKA PAREMETE No. 255, 1917 (Ripoata me te kupu tohutohu mo runga mo te Pitihana No. 116/13 mo Te Haka No. 7 me Te Tapuae Poraka).

KUA whakahau ahau kia ripoata ki te whakaaro a te Komiti, me tuku atu tenei pitihana ki te Kawanatanga kia whiriwhiria.

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 378 (1917).—Petition of SARAH WAUGH.

PRAYING for removal of restriction against the alienation of the Okoheriki No. 2D, Section 3c, No. 2, so as to enable the confirmation of the sale to be completed.

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 378 (1917).—Pitihana a SARAH WAUGH.

E INOI ana kia whakakorea atu te here kei hokona a Okoheriki No. 2D, Tekiona 3c, No. 2, kia taea ai te whakamananga o te hoko te whakaoti.

Kua whakahau ahau kia ripoata ki te whakaaro a te Komiti, me tuku atu tenei pitihana ki te Kawanatanga kia whakaarohia paitia.

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

PARLIAMENTARY PAPER No. 254, 1917 (Report and Recommendation on Petition No. 342/1915 for cancellation of an Order appointing a Successor to Petitioner *re* her Interest in Runanga 1B Block).

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

PUKAPUKA PAREMETE No. 254, 1917 (Ripoata me te kupu tohutohu mo runga mo te Pitihana No. 342/1915 kia whakakorea atu tetahi ota whakatu kai-riiwhi mo te kai-pitihana mo tona paanga i Runanga 1B Poraka).

KUA whakahau ahau kia ripoata ki te whakaaro a te Komiti, me tuku atu tenei pitihana ki te Kawanatanga kia whiriwhiria.

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 83 (1915).—Petition of MATIRITA WI KEPA and 5 Others.

PRAYING for amendment of order appointing successors to interest of Mereana Hine Ahuru (deceased) in Tarawera Block.

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 83 (1915).—Pitihana a MATIRITA WI KEPA me etahi atu tokorima.

E INOI ana kia whakatikatikaina te ota whakatu kai-riiwhi mo te paanga o Mereana Hine Ahuru, kua mate, i roto i Tarawera Poraka.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

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No. 199 (1917).—Petition of RAUIKA TAUA and 18 Others.

PRAYING for reinvestigation of title to Section 1B, Okoheriki 2D Block, Rotorua Survey District.

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

3rd October, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 199 (1917).—Pitihana a RAUIKA TAUA me etahi atu tekau ma waru.

E INOI ana kia whakawakia ano nga take ki Tekiona 1B, Okoheriki 2D Poraka, kei roto kei te Takiwa Ruuri o Rotorua.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

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No. 363 (1917).—Petition of PAEA HAPE.

PRAYING for succession to interests of Miriama Tau in Hinewhaki West No. 2 and other blocks.

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

3rd October, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 363 (1917).—Pitihana a PAEA HAPE.

E INOI ana kia riiwhitia nga paanga o Miriama Tau i roto i Hinewhaki Rato No. 2 me era atu poraka.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

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No. 122 (1916).—Petition of PATU TE RITO and 7 Others.

PRAYING for an inquiry by the Native Appellate Court *re* partition of Hereheretau No. 2 Block.

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

3rd October, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 122 (1916).—Pitihana a PATU TE RITO me etahi atu toko-whitu.

E INOI ana kia uiuia e te Aperata Kooti Maori te taha ki te whewehenga o Hereheretau No. 2 Poraka.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

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No. 155 (1916).—Petition of PATU TE RITO and 3 Others.

PRAYING for a rehearing in regard to relative interests in Hereheretau No. 2 Block.

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

3rd October, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 155 (1916).—Pitihana a PATU TE RITO me etahi atu tokotoru.

E INOI ana kia uiuia ano te taha ki te rarahi o nga hea i roto i Hereheretau No. 2 Poraka.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 93 (1914).—Petition of **KAHUTIE PAPITA**.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* ownership of Mataitai No. 1 Block.

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 93 (1914).—Pitihana a **KAHUTIE PAPITA**.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki nga take ki Mataitai No. 1 Poraka.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 250 (1917).—Petition of **TANAWHEA HUIRANGI and Another**.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* succession to interest of Matenga Rihia (deceased) in Tauwhare Lot 106.

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 250 (1917).—Pitihana a **TANAWHEA HUIRANGI** me tetahi atu.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki te riiwhitanga i te paanga o Matenga Rihia, kua mate, i roto i Tauwhare Rota 106.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 139 (1916).—Petition of **PIRIHIRA KARENA**.

PRAYING for succession to Horopapera in Korokoro South Block.

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 139 (1916).—Pitihana a **PIRIHIRA KARENA**.

E INOI ana kia riiwhitia a Horopapera i roto i Korokoro Tonga Poraka.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 173 (1917).—Petition of **HENE TE RAU**.

PRAYING for restoration to her of the rights to certain land in the Urenui district.

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 173 (1917).—Pitihana a **HENE TE RAU**.

E INOI ana kia whakāhokia ki a ia etahi paanga ki tetahi whenua kei roto kei te Takiwa o Urenui.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 174 (1917).—Petition of **KARIPI TE AWAKAPI and 13 Others**.

PRAYING for legislation confirming the arrangement between the petitioners and the Public Trustee regarding certain lands in the Urenui district.

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

3rd October, 1917.



## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 174 (1917).—Pitihana a KARIPI TE AWAKAPI me etahi atu 13.

E INOI ana kia paahitia he ture hei whakamana i te whakariteritenga i mahia i waenganui i nga kai-pitihana me te Kai-tiaki o te Katoa mo runga mo etahi whenua kei roto kei te Takiwa o Urenui.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 225 (1917).—Petition of PAEROA NOPERA.

PRAYING for succession to Waaka te Koi (deceased) in Te Akau A 5 Block.

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 225 (1917).—Pitihana a PAEROA NOPERA.

E INOI ana kia riiwhitia a Waaka te Koi, kua mate, i roto i Te Akau A 5 Poraka.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 249 (1917).—Petition of KARIPI TE AWAKAPI and 4 Others.

PRAYING for the return of land in Motueka.

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 249 (1917).—Pitihana a KARIPI TE AWAKAPI me etahi atu tokowha.

E INOI ana kia whakahokia mai tetahi whenua kei Motueka.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 310 (1917).—Petition of ALBERT SYMES.

PRAYING for legislation to enable him to obtain registration of the lease of Wharepuhunga No. 14, Wharepapa Survey District.

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 310 (1917).—Pitihana a ALBERT SYMES.

E INOI ana kia paahitia he ture kia taea ai e ia te rehita tetahi riihi o Wharepuhunga No. 14, kei roto kei te Takiwa Ruuri o Wharepapa.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 370 (1915).—Petition of PONGA KIU and Another.

PRAYING for an inquiry re succession to interests of Peti Hinei Tarakea (deceased) in Purahotangihia and other blocks.

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

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 370 (1915).—Pitihana a PONGA KIU me tetahi atu.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki te riiwhitanga i nga paanga o Peti Hinei Tarakea, kua mate, i roto i Purahotangihia me era atu Poraka.

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

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

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## No. 241 (1917).—Petition of PEKA HIMONE and 16 Others.

PRAYING for legislation *re* Lot 21, Parish of Matata.

I am directed to report that, as the petitioners appear not to have exhausted their legal remedy, the Committee has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition.

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 241 (1917).—Pitihana a PEKA HIMONE me etahi atu 16.

E INOI ana kia paahitia he ture mo te taha ki Rota 21, Pariha o Matata.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata penei, i te mea kaore ano i whakapaua e nga kai-pitihana nga huarahi e puare ana kia ratou i raro i te ture, no reira kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 319 (1917).—Petition of MOSTYN JONES and 11 Others.

PRAYING that the Crown should acquire the fee-simple of the leasehold lands at Te Kuiti.

I am directed to report that, as a matter of policy is involved, the Committee has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition.

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 319 (1917).—Pitihana a MOSTYN JONES me etahi atu 11.

E INOI ana kia hokona mai e te Karauna te whirihoura o nga whenua riihi kei Te Kuiti.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata i te mea e pa ana ki nga tikanga whakahaere (a te Kawanatanga), no reira kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 318 (1917).—Petition of T. BUTTS and 111 Others.

PRAYING that the Crown should acquire the fee-simple of the leasehold lands at Te Kuiti.

I am directed to report that, as a matter of policy is involved, the Committee has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition.

3rd October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 318 (1917).—Pitihana a T. BUTTS me etahi atu 111.

E INOI ana kia hokona mai e te Karauna te whirihoura o nga whenua riihi kei Te Kuiti.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata i te mea e pa ana ki nga tikanga whakahaere (a te Kawanatanga), no reira kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.

3 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 321 (1917).—Petition of ERUERA HETARAKA.

PRAYING for legislation to enable investigation of claim of Ngati te Kura Tribe, to a portion of Te Akau Block.

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

10th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 321 (1917).—Pitihana a ERUERA HETARAKA.

E INOI ana kia paahitia he ture kia taea ai te uiui te kereme a Ngati te Kura ki tetahi wahi o Te Akau Poraka.

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

10 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 380 (1915).—Petition of KATEA TE PUTU and 12 Others.

PRAYING for legislation to give effect to the report with regard to the ownership of Matamata North Block.

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

10th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 380 (1915).—Pitihana a KATEA TE PUTU me etahi atu 12.

E INOI ana kia paahitia he ture hei whakatutuki i te ripoata mo runga mo nga tangata whaitake ki Matamata Raki Poraka.

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

10 o Oketopa, 1917.

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No. 52 (1916).—Petition of ERUERA MOEKE and 31 Others.

PRAYING for legislation to enable an inquiry *re* ownership of Waipiro Block.

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

10th October, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 52 (1916).—Pitihana a ERUERA MOEKE me etahi atu e 31.

E INOI ana kia paahitia he ture kia taea ai te whakawa nga take ki Waipiro Poraka.

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

10 o Oketopa, 1917.

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No. 427 (1917).—Petition of CATHERINE HONEYCOMBE.

PRAYING for validation of her purchase of the Otangaroa 1c No. 2 Block.

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

10th October, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 427 (1917).—Pitihana a CATHERINE HONEYCOMBE.

E INOI ana kia whakamanaia tona hokonga mai i Otangaroa 1c No. 2 Poraka.

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

10 o Oketopa, 1917.

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No. 470 (1914).—Petition of REUPENE HETARAKA and 3 Others.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* shares awarded on investigation of title to Mataitai No. 1 Block.

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

10th October, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 470 (1914).—Pitihana a REUPENE HETARAKA me etahi atu tokotoru.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki nga hea i whakataua i te whakawakanga papatupu o Mataitai No. 1 Poraka.

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

10 o Oketopa, 1917.

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No. 128 (1917).—Petition of NGAWAI PAPITA.

PRAYING for relief in connection with the succession to the interest of Hone Tutere (deceased) in Lot 457, Parish of Taupiri.

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

10th October, 1917.

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## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 128 (1917).—Pitihana a NGAWAI PAPITA.

E INOI ana kia whakaororaina mo runga mo te riiwhitanga i te paanga o Hone Tutere, kua mate, i roto i Rota 457, Pariha o Taupiri.

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

10 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 360 (1917).—Petition of TE IA TE WARU.

PRAYING for a rehearing *re* succession to the interests of Hone Waiti (deceased) in Mangaaruhe West and Taupara Blocks.

I am directed to report that the Committee recommends to the House of Representatives that the petitioner be given leave to withdraw this petition.

11th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 360 (1917).—Pitihana a TE IA TE WARU.

E INOI ana kia uiuia ano te taha ki te riiwhitanga i nga paanga o Hone Waiti, kua mate, i roto i Mangaaruhe Rato me Taupara Poraka.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata ko te kupu tohutohu a te Komiti ki te Whare o Raro o te Paremete me whakaae kia unuhia e te kai-pitihana tona pitihana.

11 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 214 (1916).—Petition of TE IA TE WARU.

PRAYING for a rehearing *re* succession to the interests of Hone Waiti (deceased) in Mangaaruhe West and Taupara Blocks.

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

11th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 214 (1916).—Pitihana a TE IA TE WARU.

E INOI ana kia uiuia ano te taha ki te riiwhitanga i nga paanga o Hone Waiti, kua mate, i roto i Mangaaruhe Rato me Taupara Poraka.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata, mo runga mo nga paanga i roto o Taupara Poraka, ki te whakaaro a te Komiti, me tuku atu tenei pitihana ki te Kawanatanga kia uiuia.

11 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 381 (1917).—Petition of TAARE METE.

PRAYING for a reinvestigation of title of Nuhaka Block, Waikokopu Reserve.

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

11th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 381 (1917).—Pitihana a TAARE METE.

E INOI ana kia whakawakia ano te taitara ki Nuhaka Poraka, Rahui o Waikokopu.

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

11 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 336 (1917).—Petition of WHAEORA RENATA.

PRAYING for the return of lands in the Bay of Plenty, Opotiki Block.

I am directed to report that, as a question of policy is involved, the Committee has no recommendation to make.

11th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## No. 336 (1917).—Pitihana a WHAEORA RENATA.

E INOI ana kia whakahokia atu etahi whenua kei te Pei o Pureti.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata, i te mea e pa ana ki nga tikanga whakahaere (a te Kawanatanga), no reira kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.

11 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 184 (1917).—Petition of RAHERA M. MUTU and 8 Others.

PRAYING for legislation in connection with the West Coast Native Reserves, South Island.

I am directed to report that, as a number of the Natives interested in the lands concerned in the petition appeared before the Native Affairs Committee, and expressed a strong wish that the matter stand over until after the war, the Committee has no recommendation to make.

17th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 184 (1917).—Pitihana a RAHERA M. MUTU me etahi atu tokowaru.

E INOI ana kia paahitia he ture mo runga mo nga Rahui Maori o te Taihauauru o te Waipounamu.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata, i te mea i tae mai etahi o nga Maori e whaitake ana ki nga whenua mo reira nei te pitihana ki te aroaro o te Komiti mo nga mea Maori a i whakaatu i to ratou tino hiahia kia waiho tenei take mo muri o te whawhai, kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo tenei pitihana.

17 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 375 (1917).—Petition of MERE MAIAO.

PRAYING for reinvestigation of the appointment of successors to the interests in Te Akau Block, Nos. 15 and 16.

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

17th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 375 (1917).—Pitihana a MERE MAIAO.

E INOI ana kia whakawakia ano te whakatunga kai-riiwhi mo nga paanga i Te Akau Poraka No. 15 me 16.

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

17 o Oketopa, 1917.

WHANGAREI HARBOUR BOARD VESTING BILL.

I AM directed to report that the Committee has considered and amended the Bill, and recommends to the House that it be allowed to proceed with the amendment shown on the copy attached hereto.

18th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

PIRE WHAKATAKA WHENUA KI RARO KI TE HAPA POARI O WHANGAREI.

KUA whakahaua ahau kia ripoata kua whiriwhiria a kua whakatikatikaina e te Komiti tenei Pire a e whai kupu tohutohu atu ana ki te Whare kia whakaetia kia haere me te Menemana e mau nei i runga i te kape e piri nei.

18 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 446 (1917).—Petition of EMMA TURNER.

PRAYING for rectification of succession to certain deceased persons' interests in the Waikouaiti Block XII and other lands.

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

19th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 446 (1917).—Pitihana a EMMA TURNER.

E INOI ana kia whakatikatikaina te riiwhitanga i nga paanga o etahi tangata kua mate i roto i Waikouaiti Poraka XII me era atu whenua.

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

19 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 466 (1917).—Petition of JOHN HOWIE.

PRAYING for the readjustment of shares in the Mangahauini No. 7 Block, Tokomaru Bay.

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

19th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 466 (1917).—Pitihana a JOHN HOWIE.

E INOI ana kia whakatikatikaia ano nga hea i roto i Mangahauini No. 7 Poraka, Tokomaru Pei.

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

19 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 388 (1915).—Petition of KIMURA HAIRUHA.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* succession to interests of certain deceased persons in Whangape Lot 67.  
I am directed to report that, in the opinion of the Committee, this petition should be referred to the Government for inquiry.  
19th October, 1917.

[TRANSLATION.]

No. 388 (1915).—Pitihana a KIMURA HAIRUHA.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki te riiwhitanga i nga paanga o etahi tangata kua mate i roto i Whangape Rota 67.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata ki te whakaaro a te Komiti, me tuku atu tenei pitihana ki te Kawanatanga kia uiuia.  
19 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 458 (1917).—Petition of WI HOEHOE TAKATUA and Another, and 7 similar Petitions (as per Schedule attached hereto).

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* shares in the Poroporo Block.  
I am directed to report that the Committee is of opinion that these petitions should be referred to the Government for inquiry.  
24th October, 1917.

SCHEDULE.

No. 258 (1917).—Hekiera Takurua and 8 others.  
No. 388 (1917).—Paratene Ngata and 13 others.  
No. 358 (1917).—Pine Tamahori.  
No. 436 (1917).—Hoani Ngatai and 101 others

No. 457 (1917).—Horomona Teo Paipa and 4 others.  
No. 445 (1917).—Wi Pepere and another.  
No. 386 (1917).—Pahoe Morete.

[TRANSLATION.]

No. 458 (1917)—Pitihana a WI HOEHOE TAKATUA me tetahi atu; No. 258 (1917)—Pitihana a HEKIERA TAKURUA me etahi atu tokowaru; No. 388 (1917)—Pitihana a PARATENE NGATA me etahi atu 13; No. 358 (1917)—Pitihana a PINE TAMAHORI; No. 436 (1917)—Pitihana a HOANI NGATAI me etahi atu 101; No. 457 (1917)—Pitihana a HOROMONA TEO PAIPA me etahi atu tokowha; No. 445 (1917)—Pitihana a WI PEPERE me tetahi atu; No. 386 (1917)—Pitihana a PAHOE MORETE.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki nga hea i roto i Poroporo Poraka.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata ki te whakaaro a te Komiti me tuku atu enei pitihana ki te Kawanatanga kia uiuia.  
24 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 217 (1917).—Petition of HORI TE PA and Others.

PRAYING for succession to Rora Korako (deceased) *in re* Horowhenua XIB 36, Section 3F, No. 2.  
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. 217 (1917).—Pitihana a HORI TE PA me etahi atu.

E INOI ana kia riiwhitia a Rora Korako, kua mate, i roto i Horowhenua XIB 36, Tekiona 3F, No. 2.

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. 387 (1917).—Petition of HOHEPA TANGOIRO and 13 Others.

PRAYING for a rehearing to determine who are the persons entitled to be admitted into the Puhunga Block.

I am directed to report that, as the petitioners have not exhausted their legal remedy, the Committee has no recommendation to make with regard to this petition.  
24th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 387 (1917).—Pitihana a HOHEPA TANGOIRO me etahi atu 13.

E INOI ana kia whakaaetia ano he uiuinga hei whakatau i nga tangata e whaitake ana kia uru ki roto ki Puhunga Poraka.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata penei, i te mea kaore ano i whakapaua e nga kai-pitihana nga huarahi e puare ana kia ratou i raro i te ture, no reira kaore kau he kupu tohutohu a te Komiti mo runga mo tenei pitihana.

24 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 450 (1914).—Petition of WINIATA MOEAU and 47 Others.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* their claim to Patutahi Block.

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. 450 (1914).—Pitihana a WINIATA MOEAU me etahi atu e 47.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki ta ratou kereme ki Patutahi Poraka.

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. 616 (1914).—Petition of WI PERE and 38 Others.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* a portion of Patutahi Block alleged to have been taken by the Government about 1866.

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. 616 (1914).—Pitihana a WI PERE me etahi atu e 38.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki tetahi wahi o Patutahi Poraka e whakapaea ana i tangohia e te Kawanatanga i te tau 1866.

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. 332 (1917).—Petition of HAEREPO KAHUROA and 177 Others.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* their shares in the Patutahi Block.

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. 332 (1917).—Pitihana a HAEREPO KAHUROA me etahi atu 177.

E INOI ana kia uiuia te taha ki o ratou hea i roto i Patutahi Poraka.

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. 232 (1917).—Petition of TANGURU TUHUA.

PRAYING for restitution of Te Aorangi Reserve, or compensation in lieu thereof.

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. 232 (1917).—Pitihana a TANGURU TUHUA.

E INOI ana kia whakahokia atu a Te Aorangi Rahui, kia utua atu ranei he kapeneheihana mo taua whenua

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. 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 INOI 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 mo runga mo tenei pitihana.

24 o Oketopa, 1917.

No. 389 (1915).—Petition of HORI A. HOUHA 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. HOUHA me etahi atu 11.

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

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ripoata kaore kau 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.



## [TRANSLATION.]

PUKAPUKA PAREMETE No. 256, 1917 (Ripoata me te kupu tohutohu mo runga mo te Pitihana No. 393/1912 e pa ana ki tetahi rori kei runga i tetahi toma tupapaku kei runga o Pokuru No. 3A Poraka e haere ana).

KUA whakahaua ahau kia ripoata ki te whakaaro a te Komiti, me tuku atu tenei pitihana ki te Kawanatanga kia whiriwhiria.  
24 o Oketopa, 1917.

## NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT AND NATIVE LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT BILL.

THE Native Affairs Committee, to which was referred the above-mentioned Bill, has the honour to report that it has carefully considered the same, and recommends that it be allowed to proceed as amended as shown on the copy of the Bill attached hereto.

24th October, 1917.

## No. 50 (1917).—Petition of TE PAKARU KARORA and 9 Others.

PRAYING for the setting-aside of a portion of the Whaiti-Kuranui Block No. 5D as a cemetery reserve.

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

27th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 50 (1917).—Pitihana a TE PAKARU KARORA me etahi atu tokoiwa.

E INOI ana kia wehea tetahi wahi o Whaiti-Kuranui Poraka No. 5D hei Rahui Toma Tupapaku.

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

27 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 37 (1916).—Petition of SOPHIA JAMES.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* succession to the interests of Harawira Mokena (deceased) in various blocks in the Waitara Survey District.

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

27th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 37 (1916).—Pitihana a SOPHIA JAMES.

E INOI ana kia uuiua te taha ki te riiwhitanga i nga paanga o Harawira Mokena, kua mate, i roto i etahi poraka kei roto kei te Takiwa Ruuri o Waitara.

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

27 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 120 (1915).—Petition of TE ATA-A-RANGI TIEMI.

PRAYING for an inquiry *re* succession to the interests of Harawira Mokena (deceased).

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

27th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 120 (1915).—Pitihana a TE ATA-A-RANGI TIEMI.

E INOI ana kia uuiua te taha ki te riiwhitanga i nga paanga o Harawira Mokena, kua mate.

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

27 o Oketopa, 1917.

## No. 261 (1917).—Petition of REIWANA TE HEREKIEKIE.

PRAYING for relief for alleged wrongful deprivation of her interests as successor to the shares of Kingi te Herekiele in certain land at Tokaanu.

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

27th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

No. 261 (1917).—Pitihana a REIWANA TE HEREKIEKIE.

E INOI ana kia whakaoraina mo tona rarunga hetanga i ona paanga riiwhi ki nga hea o Kingi te Herekiele i roto i tetahi whenua kei Tokaanu

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

27 o Oketopa, 1917.

## NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT BILL.

OWING to the lateness of the session the Committee was not able to consider the Bill, therefore it recommends that it be not allowed to proceed.

27th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## PIRE WHAKATIKATIKA TURE WHENUA MAORI.

Ko te Komiti mo nga Mea Maori e whai honore ana ki te ripoata i runga i te mea kua tata tonu te mutu o te tu o te Paremete, no reira kaore te Komiti i ahei ki te whiriwhiri i tenei Pire, a no reira ka whai kupu tohutohu kia kua taua Pire e tukua kia haere.

27 o Oketopa, 1917.

## SPECIAL REPORT.

THE Native Affairs Committee has the honour to report that at the final meeting of the Committee, held this morning, the following resolution was unanimously carried:—

“That the Committee desires to place on record its appreciation of the ability, tact, and courtesy displayed by the Chairman, Mr. J. A. Young, at the meetings of the Committee; that this resolution be recorded in the minutes and reported to the House.”

27th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## RIPOATA MOTUHAKE.

TENEI te Komiti mo nga mea Maori kei te whai honore ki te ripoata atu i te tuunga whakamutunga o te Komiti, i tu i tenei ata, paahitia ana tenci motini e whai ake nei, a kaore rawa hoki he reo whakahe:—

“E hiahia ana te Komiti kia tuhuhia a ratou kupu mihi whakawhetai atu mo te kaha, mo te mohio, me te ngawari hoki o te Tiamana, Mr. J. A. Young, i nga huihuinga o tenei Komiti; me tenei motini hoki me tuhuhu ki roto ki nga meneti o te Komiti ka ripoata atu ai ki te Whare.”

27 o Oketopa, 1917.

## FINAL REPORT.

I HAVE the honour to report that the Native Affairs Committee held its final meeting on Thursday, the 25th day of October.

During the session the Committee met on 52 occasions, with an average attendance of 8.

Including 74 brought forward from last session, the Committee had before it 198 petitions. Of these, 100 were considered and reported on, and the remaining 98 are held over until next session. Upon 43 the Committee reported favourably, upon 56 it had no recommendation to make, and I was withdrawn.

The following Bills were referred to the Committee, were duly considered and reported upon, viz.: Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Bill, Native Land Amendment Bill, 1917, and the Whangarei Harbour Vesting Bill.

Eight parliamentary papers were referred to the Committee, and were duly considered and reported upon.

The total number of reports presented to the House was 110.

27th October, 1917.

## [TRANSLATION.]

## RIPOATA WHAKAMUTUNGA.

KEI te whai honore ahau ki te ripoata i tu te huihuinga whakamutunga o te Komiti mo nga Mea Maori i te Taite te 25 o nga ra o Oketopa.

I roto i tenei tuunga o te Paremete e 52 nga huihuinga o te Komiti, a ki te aronga e rite ana e waru nga mema i tae ki ia huihuinga kotahi o te Komiti.

Hui atu ki nga mea e 74 i toe mai i tera tuunga o te Paremete, 198 nga pitihana i takoto ki te aroaro o te Komiti. O roto i ena 100 nga mea i whiriwhiria a i ripoatia hoki, a ko nga mea e 98 e toe ana kua waihotia atu mo tenei tuunga o te Paremete e haere mai nei. I runga i nga mea e 43 i puta he ripoata tautoko ma te Komiti, a i runga i nga mea e 56 kaore kau ana kupu, a kotahi te mea i unuhia.

Ko nga Pire e whai ake nei i tukua mai ki te Komiti, i ata whiriwhiria, a i ripoata hoki, ara: Pire Whakatikatika Ture Whenua Maori, Whakariterite Kereme Whenua Maori, Pire Whakatikatika Ture Whenua Maori, 1917, me te Pire Whakataka Whenua ki raro ki te Haapa Poari o Whangarei.

E waru nga Pukapuka Paremete i tukua mai ki te Komiti, i ata uiuia, a i ripoatia hoki. Hui katoa nga ripoata i tukua atu ki te Whare 110.

27 o Oketopa, 1917.

## SCHEDULE TO PETITIONS HELD OVER.

No.	Petitioner.	Subject-matter.
45/13	Hori Herewini .. .. .	Parish of Whangape (lands in).
10/14	Amiria Paawha and 16 others .. .. .	Ngawahakatutu Block.
622/14	Airini te Heitawhiri .. .. .	Omahu Block.
74/15	Heni te Rei and 4 others .. .. .	Waiohanga and Wairarapa Blocks.
94/15	Meihana Taorangi .. .. .	Ohiti-Waitio Block.
98/15	Aperahama Tewhareperutu Anaru .. .. .	Purahotangihia and other blocks.
253/15	H.M. Nuku and 20 others .. .. .	Rotoma No. 1 and Tautara Blocks.
255/15	Waata Aporo and 15 others .. .. .	Whakahara Block.
273/15	Kataraina Rangihema and 3 others .. .. .	Tauri Block.
289/15	Pirika Toatea and 2 others .. .. .	Ngatarawa No. 2 Block.
300/15	Paku Neera and 10 others .. .. .	Pakowhai Block.
313/15	Hacata Henare and 10 others .. .. .	Wairarapa Moana Block.
331/15	Herepete Rapihana and 2 others .. .. .	Pukepoto No. 8 Block.
337/15	Amapiria Tuku .. .. .	Momi, Block X, Section 1.
343/15	Hohipera Tauwacenga and 20 others .. .. .	Waitara District, Sections 133 and 136.
358/15	Kataraina Maere and another .. .. .	Te Ipu-o-Taraia and Kakewahine.
368/15	Takopa Kimihanga .. .. .	Porangahau and Mangamaire Blocks.
390/15	Timi Wiremu Katihi and 8 others .. .. .	Paehinahina and Tapuaekura Blocks.
392/15	Wharehuia Heta and 21 others .. .. .	Te Whaiti-nui-a-toi Block.
116/16	Piki Parete and 2 others .. .. .	Rangiamohia Hitaua (succession).
117/16	Rota te Paki .. .. .	Waiwhetu Pa, Section No. 2.
138/16	Tupaea Ruihana .. .. .	Putataka and Opuatia Blocks.
142/16	James Thorpe .. .. .	Hereheretau B No. 2 Block.
151/16	Hone Puruwhare .. .. .	Palmerston North Native Reserve.
202/16	Miriama Rei and 2 others .. .. .	Te Awa Iti Block.
207/16	Wiripine Makaia .. .. .	Hereheretau No. 2 Block.
210/16	Paea Apatari and 4 others .. .. .	Hinewhaki West No. 2 Block.
211/16	Kahuia Maitai and 4 others .. .. .	Hinewhaki West No. 2 Block.
212/16	Hehipuha Kareanui .. .. .	Otaki (land at).
239/16	Te Wairingiringi .. .. .	Mokai Kereru (succession to).
242/16	Tiaki Haereata and 6 others .. .. .	Hinewhaki No. 2 Block.
5/17	Remana Nutana .. .. .	Orimupiko Block and Oeo Block.
6/17	Hone Matene Iro and 5 others .. .. .	Motutiake, Nga Hinapouri, Kaiwaka, Te Pakipaki, and Puehunui Islands.
7/17	Hakopa Te Huia and 44 others .. .. .	Voluntary system of Military Service for the Maori Race be maintained.
47/17	Riapo Timoti Puhipi and 4 others .. .. .	Tangonge Swamp.
49/17	Te Huia Rapata and 12 others .. .. .	Manurewa Block.
88/17	Riria Pere .. .. .	Hinewhaki No. 2 Block.
89/17	Rawiri Kakau and 14 others .. .. .	Tarapounamu-Matawhero and Paraeroa Blocks.
90/17	Hohepa Kawana and 19 others .. .. .	Waimarino Block.
91/17	Mere Hare Rore .. .. .	Motueka, Sections 1 to 9, and Riwaka, Sections 10 and 11.
169/17	Te Wheoro Poni and 2 others .. .. .	Te Koutu and Kawaha Blocks.
172/17	Wharau Tuhaka and 7 others .. .. .	Herenga Block.
193/17	Kepa Te Ahuru and 13 others .. .. .	Te Hautu Block.
200/17	Taare Mete .. .. .	Rangataua No. 19 Block.
202/17	Potaua Mailhi and 29 others .. .. .	Te Puna, Lot 154b, Tauranga District.
204/17	Kereama Hoori and 20 others .. .. .	Kapowai Block.
208/17	Puna Hohepa and 2 others .. .. .	Waimarino 3k Block.
209/17	Puna Hohepa and 1 other .. .. .	Waimarino 3k Block.
212/17	Hoani Meihana and 5 others .. .. .	Pariwhakaoho, Section 101 and other blocks.
227/17	Hohepa Mataitaua .. .. .	Te Kouma, Thames (oyster-beds).
248/17	Inia Hoani Kiharoa and 7 others .. .. .	Mataikuka Reserve, Whareroa.
259/17	Waata Hata .. .. .	Heruotureia and other blocks.
262/17	Ngatohu Tapui .. .. .	Maungatautari 4H Section 4B 1.
320/17	Hori Ngarae .. .. .	Whakatopo Nos. 1 and 2 Blocks.
330/17	Te Akonga Mohi .. .. .	Paramena One One (estate of).
333/17	Hune Patara and 3 others .. .. .	Nukutaurua Block.
334/17	Mere Whati .. .. .	Noko Waiti (succession to).
335/17	Nutana te Kawe .. .. .	Waikare-Mohaka and other blocks.
350/17	Harata Tari and 7 others .. .. .	Ohuia Nos. 3 and 4 Blocks.
351/17	Harata Tari and 13 others .. .. .	Hinewhaki Nos. 1 and 3.
359/17	Te Ara Ngamoki .. .. .	Ohotu Block.
364/17	Ropohana Hautapu .. .. .	Hoani Hautapu (succession to).

SCHEDULE TO PETITIONS HELD OVER—*continued.*

No.	Petitioner.	Subject-matter.
365/17	Wi Rihia .. .. .	Te Hautu No. 2.
366/17	H. P. Ratima .. .. .	Tarawera and Tatarakina Blocks.
374/17	Wi Rihia and another .. .. .	Te Hautu Nos. 2, 4, and 5 Blocks.
376/17	Ngahuia Mete and 11 others .. .. .	Te Whakaki Block.
379/17	Moana Paratene .. .. .	Oweta Block.
396/17	Epeniha Kaikote and 8 others .. .. .	Compensation for land taken by Wairoa Harbour Board.
397/17	Taite te Piwa and 11 others .. .. .	Te Reureu No. 1 Block.
399/17	Hania Henare and 4 others .. .. .	Section 97 of the Reserves and Other Lands Disposal Act, 1916.
400/17	Ngakau Hori and 4 others .. .. .	Omahuta 3c 1 Block.
401/17	Iwiahia Tuarea .. .. .	Kapotiki Block.
402/17	Whare Paora and 6 others .. .. .	Ohuia Block Nos. 3 and 4.
407/17	Haimona Pirika and 32 others .. .. .	Tokatoka, Whakahara, Kopuru, Whenua Rahui and Mangawhai Blocks.
408/17	Te Aio Poutu and 18 others .. .. .	Waipuku-Patea Block Reserve.
420/17	Hori Tai Apua .. .. .	Te Arataua Nos. 5 and 7 Blocks.
421/17	Wi Karauria and another .. .. .	Maractaha 1D and other blocks.
422/17	Haenga Paretipua and 4 others .. .. .	Te Papuni and Tahora Blocks.
423/17	Kipa Te Whatanui .. .. .	Te Waka Block.
424/17	Roka Tikipu and 4 others .. .. .	Section 405, Block XII Survey District of Wairoa.
428/17	Merc Marupo and another .. .. .	Karepouia No. 2B 2 Block.
429/17	Mercana Matuarei and Hori Ngahoro .. .. .	Tamati Wiremu (succession to).
435/17	Hami Tutu .. .. .	Purahotangihia Block.
439/17	Raniera Tuhoro .. .. .	Raniera Kawhia (succession to).
443/17	Pouaka Te Namu and 31 others .. .. .	Motatau No. 5 Block.
444/17	Tauu Waa and 7 others .. .. .	Waiwhariki 10, 1 Block.
468/17	Roka Hauita and 2 others .. .. .	Hoani and Taihaere Blocks.
477/17	Eruera Tahuna and 13 others .. .. .	Te Poko Block.
478/17	Hemi Te Oriki and 15 others .. .. .	Te Rua-o-Hinetu Block.
479/17	Hohipa Kahuroa and another .. .. .	Manukawhitikitiki No. 2 Block.
482/17	Haenga Paretipua .. .. .	Whakaki No. 2B and Tukemokihi Nos. 1 and 2B Blocks.
489/17	Ani Kceti .. .. .	Pokuru Block.

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