

[TRANSLATION.]

No. 438, Sess. II., 1884.—Pukapuka-inoi a PAORA TUHAERE.

E ki ana te kai-pitihana ko te motu e mohiotia nei ko Hauturu i whakataua ki aia me ona huanga e te Kooti Whenua Maori. Ko nga eka o taua motu e 6,960 he nui hoki te kauri kei runga e tipu ana. E £3,000 i kia e te pakeha kia homai mo nga kauri anake, e £2,500 e kiia kia homai e te Kawanatanga mo te Motu me nga rakau hoki a no te mea kihai ia i whakaae ki nga moni a te Kawanatanga kua tukuna e ratou tetahi panui arai kei hokona e ia ki te tangata ke. E tono ana ia ki tetaha ora mona kia unuhia tonutia taua panui i naianei.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ki penei: I whakaurua ano tetahi rarangi ki roto i te Ture mo nga Whakamananga me Nga Whakaritenga Motuhake, 1884, hei whakamana i te whakawakanga tuarua kia mohiotia ai nga tangata whai take ki tana Motu. Kua tukuna ano hoki i muri nei tetahi panui e te Kawana i runga i nga tikanga o te Ture no reira kahore he kupu a te Komiti mo runga i tenei tono.

15 o Hurae, 1885.

No. 108, Sess. II., 1884.—Petition of HOEPA TAMAMUTU and 39 others.

PETITIONERS, Ngati Tuwharetoa, pray that the proceedings of the Maori Committee of Tuwharetoa, instituted by the Government in 1883, may be confirmed. They also pray that the boundary-line running through Taupo may be extended to the other side of Ruapehu. They want only to be apportioned to the East Coast, that they may be altogether under the jurisdiction of Major Scannell, of Taupo, and do not wish to be mixed up with the Arawa Committee of Tauranga.

I am directed to report as follows: That this petition be referred to the Government for consideration.

15th July, 1885.

[TRANSLATION.]

No. 108, Sess. II., 1884.—Pukapuka-inoi a HOEPA TAMAMUTU me etahi atu e 39.

Ko nga kai-pitihana ko Ngati Tuwharetoa e inoi ana kia whakamana nga whakahaerenga o te Komiti Maori o Ngati Tuwharetoa i whakaturia nei e te Kawanatanga i te tau 1883. E inoi ana hoki ratou kia nukuhia te rohe e rere haere nei i roto o Taupo ki tera taha o Ruapehu. E hiahia ana ratou kia whakataua ratou ki te Tai Rawhiti anake, kia kotahi ai to ratou nohoanga i raro i te whakahaere a Meiha Kanara, o Taupo, kahore hoki ratou e hiahia kia whakauruhia ki roto i te Komiti o te Arawa i Tauranga.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ki penei: Me tuku tenei pitihana ki te Kawanatanga kia whakaa-rohia e ratou.

15 o Hurae, 1885.

Nos. 474, 514, 513, and 501, Sess. II., 1884.—Petitions of TE AWANUI APOROTANGA and 159 others, HOANI REWAKA and 84 others, ARAPETA RANGUIRA and 147 others, and RAIKA WHAKARONGOTAI and 49 others.

PETITIONERS pray for the repeal of the Reserves and Rating Act.

I am directed to report as follows: That, as these petitions relate to matters of public policy, the Committee have no recommendation to make.

16th July, 1885.

[TRANSLATION.]

Nos. 474, 514, 513, 501, Sess. II., 1884.—Pukapuka-inoi a TE AWANUI APOROTANGA me etahi atu 159, me HOANI REWAKA me etahi atu e 84, me ARAPETA RANGUIRA me etahi atu 147, me RAIKA WHAKARONGOTAI me etahi atu e 49.

E INOI ana nga kai-pitihana kia whakakorea te Ture Rahui me te Ture Reiti.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ki penei: No te mea e ahu atu ana nga take o enei pitihana ki nga me e pa ana ki te tokomaha kahore he kupu a te Komiti.

16 o Hurae, 1885.

No. 80.—Petition of WIREMU KAUIKA and others (No. 2).

PETITIONERS state they were paid £5,411 Os. 7d., by Mr. Gill (by cheque), for land they had sold to Government. They gave the cheque to one William Williams to cash for them. They say they have never seen either him or the money since.

I am directed to report as follows: That this is similar to Petitions Nos. 206 and 509 of Session II., 1884, and reported upon on the 2nd July, 1885, in the following terms: "That the Government should ascertain whether there be sufficient evidence to warrant an action at law in this matter—either civil or criminal—and, if so, should assist the Natives to obtain justice."

16th July, 1885.

[TRANSLATION.]

No. 80.—Pukapuka-inoi a WIREMU KAUIKA me etahi atu (Nama 2).

E ki ana nga kai-pitihana i utua ki a ratou nga moni £5,411 Os. 7d. e te Kira mo te whenua i hokona e ratou ki te Kawanatanga, ko aua moni i whakaputaina tieketia a hoatu ana e ratou Te Tieke kia Wiremu Wiremu kia wahia e ia te Tieke ma ratou, e mea ana ratou kahore rawa ratou i kite i aia i nga moni ranei i muri iho.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ki penei: E rite ana tenei Pitihana ki nga Pitihana nama 206 me te 509 o te Paremete II., 1884, i puta te ripoata i te 2 O nga ra o Hurae, 1885, e penei ana nga korero:

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