

## 68.—HE WAIATA AROHA.

*Na NGATI-TE-KANAWA. (Ngati-Maniapoto.)*

*Na Te Taite Te Tomo i whakatikatika.*

E ki ana a Te Taite, i rongo ia, na te wahine a Te Kanawa-whatupango o Ngati-Maniapoto tenei waiata, no nehera. Kei nga wahi katoa o te motu e waiatatia ana.

(Ref: S. 70 B. 3/100.)

Kaore te matao te kimonga<sup>1</sup> ki te whare,  
Nuku mai ra, e Ngara, hei hoa tau awhai ake;  
He mea te tau, e, ka tatara ki mamao.  
Heoi taku tataro te ope Te Oi-kau,<sup>2</sup>  
Hei whiu i ahau nga mata<sup>3</sup> ria kopanga  
O Karewa<sup>4</sup> i waho, ko wai au ka kaite?  
Manako<sup>5</sup> mai e te tau ki te hoa moenga,  
Ka kaite ra koe te pokai ongaonga<sup>6</sup>,  
I ahu mai i tawhiti, te motu o Whakatu<sup>7</sup>;  
No reira nga hoa i karawhiuwahu ai.  
He aha kei taku poho ka pakikini nei?  
He mamae kopaito<sup>8</sup> ko te ahua ia.  
Ko te ura o to kiri taku ra i hiko atu,  
Tera ka whakangaro ki te rua i a Te Waro.  
Hare ake Tawera, te whetu o te ata,  
Hare ake ra koe ki tahau wahine;  
Kei huiai hoki, he horete<sup>9</sup> i mahue  
Ki te maioro keri nau e Te Paea.  
I whea koia koe i te tuaititanga?  
Penei e awhitia te awhai a te tangata; . . .  
Mei kore te waka nei te pakaru rikiriki,  
Ka ripo te au, e, ka ripo te moana.  
Aue! Aue! Aue-he te maunawa i!

<sup>1</sup>Kimonga.—Ki B. 3/100 e penei ana “te timonga ki te kiri.”

<sup>2</sup>Te Oikau.—Ki B. 3/100 e penei ana “te awhikau.”

<sup>3</sup>Nga mata ria kopanga.—He wahi kokoru, he awhenga, he wahi whakangatanga.

<sup>4</sup>Karewa.—He moutere kei Kawhia.

<sup>5</sup>Manako.—He mea whakatikatika tenei rarangi.

<sup>6</sup>Pokai ongaonga.—Pokai naonao. Ki a B. 3/100 he rakau he “nettle.”

<sup>7</sup>Whakatu.—I te Waipounamu, e kia nei i naianei ko Nelson.

<sup>8</sup>Kopaito.—Kopito, na te rangi o te waiata i kukume pera. Pera ano hoki era kupu, “awhai,” “Ka kaite.”

<sup>9</sup>Horete.—He kohatu.

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*Na ?.*

Ko tenei waiata i taia ki “Nga Moteatea” p. 178; kei reira te whakamarama, he mea tuku mai taua Waiata e Hone Heke ki a Kawana Hori Kerei i roto i tana reta, i mua tata atu i te matenga o Heke. E tukua atu ana i roto i Te Toa Takitini ki te kimi haere i nga whakamarama tika.