No. 20.

COPY of a DESPATCH from the Right Hon. Earl of KIMBERLEY to Governor Sir G. F. Bowen, G.C.M.G.

(No. 82.)

Downing Street, 30th August, 1870.

I have to acknowledge your Despatch No. 79, of 3rd July, furnishing an account of the progress of events in New Zealand during the month then past. I have, &c.,

ROBERT G. W. HERBERT,

Governor Sir G. F. Bowen, G.C.M.G.

(for the Earl of Kimberley).

No. 21.

Copy of a DESPATCH from the Right Hon. Earl of Kimberley to Governor Sir G. F. Bowen, G.C.M.G.

(No. 83.)

Downing Street, 31st August, 1870. SIR,-

I have to acknowledge your Despatch No. 78, of 2nd July, enclosing a letter addressed to the Queen by Parakaia Te Pouepa of the Ngatiraukawa Tribe.

I request that you will inform Parakaia Te Pouepa, that his prayer has been laid before the Queen, but that Her Majesty is unable to interfere in a matter which rests entirely with the local Government, and which, moreover, has been decided upon by a competent tribunal after a careful and laborious examination into the facts of the case.

I have, &c.,

Governor Sir G. F. Bowen, G.C.M.G.

KIMBERLEY.

No. 22.

Copy of a DESPATCH from the Right Hon. Earl of Kimberley to Governor Sir G. F. BOWEN, G.C.M.G.

(No. 84.)

Downing Street, 1st September, 1870. SIR,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your Despatch No. 61, of 21st June, reporting the appointment of Mr. Henry Sewell as Minister of Justice. I have, &c.,

Governor Sir G. F. Bowen, G.C.M.G.

KIMBERLEY.

No. 23.

COPY of a DESPATCH from the Right Hon. Earl of KIMBERLEY to Governor Sir G. F. BOWEN, G.C.M.G.

(No. 85.)

Downing Street, 2nd September, 1870. SIR,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your Despatch No. 66, of 26th June, reporting that you had presented to Te Kepa (Major Kemp), Ropata, and Mokena three of the swords sent out in the Queen's name for presentation to certain Maori chiefs, in token of Her Majesty's recognition of their services.

I have, &c.,

Governor Sir G. F. Bowen, G.C.M.G.

KIMBERLEY.

No. 24.

COPY of a DESPATCH from the Right Hon. Earl of KIMBERLEY to Governor Sir G. F. Bowen, G.C.M.G.

(No. 86.)

Downing Street, 3rd September, 1870.

I have to acknowledge your Despatch No. 60, of 20th June, forwarding copies of the Speech with which you opened the Session of the New Zealand

SIR,-