1874. NEW ZEALAND.

BUSINESS TRANSACTED BY NATIVE LAND COURT,

(RETURNS OF).

Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly by command of His Excellency.

No. 1.

Mr. FENTON to the Hon. the NATIVE MINISTER.

Native Land Court, Auckland, 1st July, 1874.

I have the honor to transmit herewith a return showing the time occupied by sessions of this Court during the year ended 30th ultimo.

The Hon. the Native Minister, Wellington. I have, &c., F. D. Fenton, Chief Judge.

Enclosure in No. 1.

RETURN showing the Time Occupied by Sessions of the Native Land Court in each Province during the Year ended 30th June, 1874.

Province.				JUDGE.	Assessors.	Total.
				Days.	Days.	Days.
Auckland	•••		•••	133	196	329
Wellington				129	145	274
Hawke's Bay	•••	•••		41	41	82
Canterbury	•••	•••		•••	•••	•••
Otago	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	
Taranaki	•••	•••		•••	1	•••
Nelson	•••	•••		•••	•••	***
Marlborough	•••	•••	••••	•••		•••
Southland	•••	•••		•••	•••	•••
Chatham Island	•••	•••		•••		•••

No. 2.

Mr. FENTON to the Hon. the NATIVE MINISTER.

Native Land Court, Auckland, 9th July, 1874.

I have the honor to transmit herewith a return of the proceedings of this Court for the year ended 30th ultimo.

I have, &c., ____

The Hon. the Native Minister, Wellington. F. D. FENTON, Chief Judge.