

1876.
NEW ZEALAND.

THE NATIVE LAND COURT.

(RETURN OF PROCEEDINGS.)

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

Mr. FENTON to the Hon. the NATIVE MINISTER.

SIR,—

Native Land Court Office, Auckland, 6th July, 1876.

I have the honor to transmit herewith the accompanying Return of Proceedings of this Court for the year ended 30th ultimo.

I have, &c.,
F. D. FENTON,
Chief Judge.

The Hon. the Native Minister, Wellington.

RETURN OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIVE LAND COURT OF NEW ZEALAND, from 1st July, 1875, to 30th June, 1876.

PROVINCES.	Claims to Land pending last Year.	Claims to Land received.	Cases disposed of.	Adjudged Claims.	New Claims still pending.	Certificate ordered but not yet issued, on account of Alterations in Plans, &c.		Certificates issued to the Governor, under clause 29 of the Act of 1865.		Memorials of Ownership ordered under Act of 1873.		Total Number of Acres to which Title has been ordered by the Court.	Testa-mentary Orders.		Orders in Sub-division.		Interpreter Licenses.	Rehearings.	Orders of Reference.	FEES.			
						No.	Estimated Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.		Applied for.	Issued.	Applied for.	Issued.				Demanded and unpaid under Section 63.	Demanded and paid.	Total.	Received at Head Office.
AUCKLAND	679	314	130	407	456	7	A. 17,175 0 0 R. P.	29	A. 53,213 1 30 R. P. 1 30	96	A. 136,654 1 4 R. P. 1 4	A. 207,042 2 34 R. P. 2 34	307	109	43	5	1	5	...	£ s. d. 396 10 0	£ s. d. 16 0 0	£ s. d. 412 10 0	£ s. d. 316 15 6
WELLINGTON	223	54	99	140	38	3	630 0 0 Unknown.	2	2,030 0 0	12	58,967 2 0	61,627 2 0	57	26	11	...	2	...	...	103 0 0	...	103 0 0	...
HAWKE'S BAY	13	21	11	10	13	2	287 3 4	...	...	6	176,323 0 0	176,610 3 4	130	23	37	1	...	...	...	47 2 0	...	47 2 0	...
TARANAKI	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	82,380 0 0	82,380 0 0	43	6	...	...	2	...	...	15 0 0	...	15 0 0	...
NELSON	39	...	...	...	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARLBOROUGH	32	...	...	...	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CANTERBURY	25	...	...	1	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
OTAGO	23	...	...	...	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SOUTHLAND	14	...	...	5	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CHATHAM ISLANDS...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	1050	389	242	563	634	29	18,092 3 4	31	55,243 1 30	118	454,324 3 4	527,660 3 38	540	164	91	6	6	5	...	561 12 0	16 0 0	577 12 0	316 15 6

F. D. FENTON, Chief Judge.

RETURN of PROCEEDINGS of the NATIVE LAND COURT of NEW ZEALAND, from 1st July, 1876, to 31st October, 1876.—(Date of the Abolition of Provinces.)

PROVINCES.	Claims to Land pending last Year.	Claims to Land received.	Cases disposed of.	Adjudged Claims.	New Claims still pending.	Certificates ordered but not yet issued, on account of Alterations in Plans, &c.		Certificates issued to the Governor, under Clause 29 of the Act of 1865.		Memorial of Ownership ordered under Act of 1873.	Total Number of Acres to which Title has been ordered by the Court.	Testa-mentary Orders.		Orders in Sub-division.		Interpreters' Licenses.	Rehearings.	Orders of Reference.	FEES.				Received at Head Office.
						No.	Estimated Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	Applied for.	Issued.	Applied for.	Issued.				Demanded and unpaid under Section 63.	Demanded and paid.	Total.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
AUCKLAND	863	158	197	370	454	...	A. R. P. ...	3	9,847 0 0	72	69,323 1 12	160	45	22	1	2	...	...	£ 191 0 0	£ 5 0 0	£ 196 0 0	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
WELLINGTON	223	54	99	140	38	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
HAWKE'S BAY	23	10	9	10	14	...	...	...	...	1	100,000 0 0	69	65	9	2	...	...	...	£ 67 0 0	...	£ 67 0 0	...	...
TARANAKI	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NELSON	39	...	...	...	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARLBOROUGH	32	...	...	...	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CANTERBURY	25	...	...	1	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
OTAGO	23	...	...	...	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SOUTHLAND	14	...	...	5	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CHATHAM ISLANDS...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	1242	222	305	526	633	...	...	3	9,847 0 0	73	169,323 1 12	248	110	32	3	2	...	...	£ 258 0 0	£ 5 0 0	£ 263 0 0	£ s. d.	£ s. d.

F. D. FENTON, Chief Judge.

