

No. 461, 1905.—Petition of WILLIAM ROGERS, of Pembroke Road, Stratford.

PETITIONER prays that he may be enabled to obtain a perfect title to Section 92, Waitara West, now held by him under conveyance, rendered void by the present state of the law relating to Native lands.

I am directed to report that the Committee recommends that this petition should be referred to the Government for consideration.

29th September, 1905.

[TRANSLATION.]

No. 461, 1905.—Pitihana a WILLIAM ROGERS, Pembroke Road, Stratford.

E INOI ana kia hoatu he huarahi e whiwhi ai ia i tetahi taitara tino tika mo Tekiona 92, Waitara Rato, e puritia nei e ia i raro i tetahi pukapuka whakawhiti kua mana kore i naianei i runga i te ahua i naianei o te ture a pa ana ki nga whenua Maori.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ki penei, ki te whakaaro o te Komiti me tuku tenei pitihana ki te Kawanatanga kia whiriwhiria.

29 o Hepetema, 1905.

No. 392, 1905.—Petition of TE WHEROWHERO TAWHIAO and 276 Others.

PETITIONERS pray that certain amendments may be made in the Maori Lands Administration Acts, with a view to giving the Maoris better facilities for making use of their lands through the medium of the Maori Land Councils.

I am directed to report that, as this petition refers to a matter of policy, the Committee offers no opinion as to its merits, but recommends that it should be referred to the Government, and that the evidence taken in connection with the question referred to should be printed. (See I.—3B, 1905.)

13th September, 1905.

[TRANSLATION.]

No. 392, 1905.—Pitihana a TE WHEROWHERO TAWHIAO ratou ko etahi atu e rua rau e whitu tekau ma ono.

E INOI ana nga kai-pitihana kia mahia etahi whakatikatika mo nga Ture Whakahaere Whenua Maori, he mea kia hoatu ai etahi huarahi ngawari e ahei ai nga Maori ki te whakahaere i o ratou whenua hei painga mo ratou, i ma roto atu i nga tikanga o nga Kaunihera Whenua Maori.

Kua whakahaua ahau kia ki penei, i te mea e pa ana te pitihana ki nga tikanga whakahaere a te Kawanatanga kaore kau a te Komiti kupu mo tona aronga, engari ki tona whakaaro me tuku atu ki te Kawanatanga, a ko nga korero i tuhithia ki te aroaro o te Komiti mo tenei take me perehi. (Tirohia I.—3B, 1905.)

13 o Hepetema, 1905.

MAORI LAND SETTLEMENT BILL.

I AM directed to report that the Native Affairs Committee, to whom was referred the above-mentioned Bill, has duly considered the same, and is of the opinion that it should be allowed to proceed, subject to the amendments as shown on a copy of the Bill attached hereto.

12th October, 1905.

[TRANSLATION.]

PIRE WHAKANOHONOHO WHENUA MAORI.

KUA whakahaua ahau kia ki penei, i tukuna mai ki te Komiti mo nga Mea Maori te Pire e mau iho nei te ingoa, a kua ata whiriwhiria te Pire, a ki te whakaaro o te Komiti me tuku kia whakahaerea i runga ano i nga menemana e whakaaturia ana e te tauira o te Pire kua whakamaui nei ki tenei ripotata.

12 o Oketopa, 1905.

TAUMUTU NATIVE COMMONAGE BILL.

I AM directed to report that the Native Affairs Committee, to whom was referred the above-mentioned Bill, has duly considered the same, and is of opinion that it should be allowed to proceed without amendment.

13th October, 1905.

[TRANSLATION.]

PIRE MO TE KAINGA MAORI I TAUMUTU.

KUA whakahaua ahau kia ki penei, i tukuna mai ki te Komiti mo nga Mea Maori te Pire e mau iho nei te ingoa, a kua ata whiriwhiria te Pire, a ki te whakaaro o te Komiti me tuku kia whakahaerea i te mea kaore kau a te Komiti whakatikatika.

13 o Oketopa, 1905.