

We have been liberal enough in the past in parting with our lands to the Crown for settlement purposes. More than one-half of the lands in our district have been acquired at prices that we in the after-wisdom of experience are convinced were inadequate. We are holding now to the remnant. We ask that you deal leniently with us and with the remnant of our lands; we ask that you take into your consideration our treatment in the past. We ask that you take into consideration the trammels which prevented our having in our midst pakehas of our choice that could have taught us the art of farming. You find us now ignorant and suspicious and tenacious of our lands. We want to see our way very clear before us this time, because we have no other lands. We cannot give as freely as formerly we did out of our abundance. But we ask that the bulk of our lands be reserved for our use, we ask that we be assisted to utilise them properly, and we are confident that the same alertness we showed in the fighting-days gone by will be shown in these times of peace, when the *taiaha* must give way to the *ko*. He oi ano.

Na Ngati-whakaue.	Akapita H. Pango.	Winiata Matia.
his	Rotorua.	Te Naera te Houkotuku.
Retireti x Tapihana.	H. Te Wheoro Poni.	Rangi-taura-whenu.
mark	Korowhiti Iwingaro.	Ngatai Hamuera.
Tamihana Korokai.	Arama Karaka Hutuha.	Taekata te Tokoihi.
his	Henare Werahiko.	Te Wiremu Matene.
Akuhata x Kiharoa.	Mapunui R. Tiriraupeka.	Matiu Whareure.
mark	Tutanekai Takurua.	F. A. Bennett.
Hemi Kokiri Wharepurangi.	Hohepa te Raki.	Taiporutu te Mapu.

SCHEDULES.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS WITHIN ROTORUA COUNTY AND THERMAL-SPRINGS DISTRICT.

A. *Lands recommended for Maori Occupation.*

Name of Block.	Owners.	Area.			Remarks.
		A.	R.	P.	
Waiteti 2A No. 1	262	281	0	0	
„ No. 2	57	11	0	0	
„ No. 3	60	12	0	0	
„ No. 4	23	11	0	0	
„ No. 5	5	1	0	0	
„ No. 6	2	1	0	0	
„ No. 7	2	0	1	0	
Parawai No. 1	116	140	0	0	
Waikuta	257	0	0	
Kawaha No. 1	32	706	0	0	
„ No. 2	17				
„ No. 3	109				
„ No. 4	169				
„ No. 5	177				
„ No. 6	5				
„ No. 7	2	90	2	17	
„ No. 8	5				
Te Koutu No. 1A	121	28	0	2	
„ No. 1B	66	10	0	0	
„ No. 2	62	0	0	20	
„ No. 2A	2	20	0	0	
„ No. 3A	28	33	0	24	
„ No. 3B	31	166	3	8	
Ngapuna No. 1	125	17	0	0	
„ No. 2	10	20	0	32	
„ No. 3	1	110	3	31	
Koutu	246	55	3	0	
Owhatiura 1A	28	126	2	0	
„ 1B	161	167	2	0	
„ 2	196	338	0	0	
Okoheriki No. 1D 6B	37	467	1	31	
„ No. 1H North	98	162	1	38	
„ No. 1K North	31	100	0	0	
Kaitao No. 2C	33	100	0	0	
„ No. 2D	50	50	0	0	
Rotohokahoka C1	49	50	0	0	
„ C2	16	50	0	0	
„ E	15				