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NOTICE OF HEARING.

*Land Commissioners' Office,
Auckland, 23rd January, 1844.*

I EDWARD LEE GODFREY, a Commissioner appointed to examine and report upon Claims to Grants of Land, do hereby give notice that I shall proceed to investigate the undermentioned Claims, as follows:—

The sittings of my Court will commence at Coromandel Harbour upon Monday, the 27th of May next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be continued there until Saturday, the 15th of June next.

They will then be adjourned to Tauranga, at which place the examinations will commence on Monday, the 1st of July next, at the same hour, and will be continued there until Saturday, the 3rd of August next.

All parties interested are hereby summoned to be in attendance with their witnesses and original deeds and documents, and copies thereof, (with translations if in Maori,) the latter to remain with the Commissioner: and Claimants are reminded, that the fee of five pounds must be paid to the Commissioner before the investigation of any Claim, or of any opposition thereto.

The Claimants are also hereby informed, that if they do not, by themselves or an authorized agent, exhibit evidence in support of their Claims to the Commissioner, at the above-mentioned

places, during the periods stated, the said Claims will be reported upon and no Grants recommended.

CLAIMS already advertised in the *Government Gazettes*, of the 25th of May, 1842, and the 5th of April, 1843, but the examinations of which were postponed, viz.—

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| No. 29 (a.)—Peter Abercrombie, | claimant. |
| No. 29 (d.)—Ditto, | ditto |
| No. 32.—Abercrombie, Nagle & Webster, | ditto |
| No. 33.—Thomas Aitkin, | ditto |
| No. 37 (a.)—Samuel Ashmore, | ditto |
| No. 37 (b.)—Ditto, | ditto |
| No. 43.—George Beadon, | ditto |
| No. 73.—W. E. Cormack, | ditto |
| No. 73 (b.)—Ditto, | ditto |
| No. 76 (a.)—R. Dacre, | ditto |
| No. 96.—C. M. Gordon, | ditto |
| No. 104.—Hanson and Fisher, | ditto |
| No. 104 (a.)—Ditto, | ditto |
| No. 104 (b.)—Ditto, | ditto |
| No. 104 (c.)—Ditto, | ditto |
| No. 130.—James Kennedy, | ditto |
| No. 142.—John MacLean, | ditto |
| No. 143 (b.)—J. A. MacCaskill & Co. | ditto |
| No. 143 (c.)—Ditto, | ditto |
| No. 143 (d.)—Ditto, | ditto |
| No. 144.—R. J. MacDonald, | ditto |

- No. 145.—A. MacGregor, claimant.
 No. 147.—Alexander Innes, ditto
 No. 149.—D. F. MacKay, ditto
 No. 150.—George MacKay, ditto
 No. 151.—John MacKay, ditto
 No. 178.—Joseph Newton, ditto
 No. 202.—G. F. Robinson, ditto
 No. 207 (b.)—Gordon Sandeman, ditto
 No. 223.—John Tharir, ditto
 No. 240 (f.)—George Weller, ditto
 No. 305 (d.)—William Webster, ditto
 No. 305 (e.)—Ditto, ditto
 No. 305 (f.)—Ditto, ditto
 No. 305 (j.)—Ditto, ditto
 No. 305 (l.)—Ditto, ditto
 No. 342.—Joshua Thorpe, ditto
 No. 342 (a.)—Ditto, ditto
 No. 408.—G. D. Browne, ditto
 No. 408 (c.)—Ditto, ditto
 No. 444 (b.)—Church Missionary Society, ditto

CLAIMS at Tauranga, and other parts of the East Coast, not before advertised:—

Case No. 65 (d)—GEORGE THOMAS CLAYTON, of Kororarika, Bay of Islands, Master Mariner, claimant.

1,200, One thousand two hundred acres, more or less, situate at Poverty Bay; bounded by native land marks.

Alleged to have been purchased by the present claimant on the 17th December, 1839, from the Chief Ko Pera Huku, in the name of and on behalf of his tribe.

Consideration—merchandise to the amount of £341 9s. sterling.

Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 65 (h)—GEORGE THOMAS CLAYTON, of Kororarika, Bay of Islands, Master Mariner, claimant.

1, One acre, more or less, situated at Poverty Bay, upon the river Weara Weara, surrounded by a mud flat, and known to Europeans as Morgan's Island.

Alleged to have been purchased on the 10th of January, 1840, by the present claimant, from a native chief named Perohuka.

Consideration—merchandise to the amount of £33 sterling.

Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 102—THOMAS HALBERT, of Poverty Bay, New Zealand, claimant.

4, Four acres, more or less, situated on the banks of the river Arai, at the distance of about 10 miles by water from the mouth of the river. (Boundaries not given.)

Alleged to have been purchased by claimant from certain native chiefs, not named, on the 14th December, 1839.

Consideration—cash to the amount of £15 sterling.

Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 102 (a)—THOMAS HALBERT, of Poverty Bay, New Zealand, claimant.

1000, One thousand acres, more or less, situated about four miles from the land last described, and measuring on the west side 1600 yards; on the north 3400 yards; on the east 2000 yards; and on the south 2500 yards.

Alleged to have been purchased by claimant from certain native chiefs, not named, on the 18th December, 1839.

Consideration—cash and merchandise to the amount of £300 sterling.

Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 242—FREDERICK WHITAKER, of Kororarika, New Zealand, claimant.

2000, Two thousand acres, more or less, being a piece or parcel of land situated at East Cape; bounded on the north-east by the sea, and on all other sides by land, the property of the natives.

Alleged to have been purchased in December, 1839, from the native chiefs Katakekapu and Katekitiriki, by Mr. Thomas Bateman, through whom the claimant derives.

Consideration—merchandise to the amount of about £100 sterling.

Nature of conveyance—Instrument in writing, dated December, 1839.

Case No. 242 (a)—FREDERICK WHITAKER, of Kororarika, New Zealand, claimant.

2, Two acres, more or less, situated at Opotiki, Bay of Plenty; bounded on the west by the river Pakowe; on the south by the rivulet Perhawa; on the south-east by a swamp; and on the north by a line running from the said swamp to the said river. The piece of land herein claimed is called Nuku Tau Wau.

Alleged to have been purchased in December, 1839, from the native chiefs Tetoko and Rane Haere, by John Edward Bright, through whom claimant derives.

Consideration—various articles of merchandise to the amount of £12 16s. sterling.

Nature of conveyance—Instrument in writing, dated the 26th December, 1839.

Case No. 272—RICHARD JONES, of Sydney, Esq., claimant.

100,000, One hundred thousand acres, more or less, being one half of the tract of land named Makatoe, situated in the North Island of New Zealand, about 20 miles east of Tauranga harbour, commencing from a point called Town Point. (Boundaries not stated.)

Alleged to have been purchased on the 8th November, 1830, by Mr. Phillip Tapsell, acting on behalf of the claimant, from the native Chiefs Tebbie, Kikeru, Toke, Peuto-rea, Bonire, and Tepipe.

Consideration—various articles of merchandise, value not stated.

Nature of conveyance—Instrument in writing, dated 8th November, 1840.

Case No. 302 (a)—GEORGE WILLIAM WHITE, of Kororarika, claimant in part.

18,750, Eighteen thousand, seven hundred, and fifty acres, more or less, situate in the Bay of Plenty, commencing at Tairua Harbour, and bounded on the north by land claimed by Mr. William Webster; on the south by land also claimed by Mr. Webster, called Mauariki, comprising the rivers Tairua and Hukuwai.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chiefs Hokianga, Totoki, and Narou, by claimant, on behalf of himself, Alexander McGregor, of the Bay of Islands, and two others, of which purchase Mr. White now claims one-fourth.

Consideration given to the natives—merchandise to the value of £280.

Nature of conveyance—a deed, the particulars and date of which are not stated.

Case No. 302 (b)—GEORGE WILLIAM WHITE, of Kororarika, claimant in part.

4,800, Four thousand, eight hundred acres, more or less, situate at the Bay of Plenty, commencing at a river called Teawa Tetua, and comprising all those parcels of land known by the names of Otemorora, Kiwainga, Tepura, Terauotai, Ohu, Temaripihi, and Wangatare; bounded on the east by the island called Omarupotiki, following the course of the river Tarawara; on the west by the ridge of mountains called Makapaukorouro; on the south by land called Takaua Korpa; and on the north by a sand bank called Tarauturangi and the sea beach.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chiefs Tekenaha, Kotemaka, Rangita Ruia, and others, on the 13th January, 1839, by claimant, on behalf of himself and Mr. Alexander McGregor, and of this purchase Mr. White now claims one moiety.

Consideration given to the natives—merchandise to the value of £125.

Nature of conveyance—deed, dated 13th January, 1839.

Case No. 305 (h)—WILLIAM WEBSTER, of Coromandel Harbour, claimant.

3,000, Three thousand acres, more or less, situated near the river Tairua (Bay of Plenty), commencing one quarter of a mile to the northward of a creek called Punaruku, and running along the beach one quarter of a mile to the southward of another creek called Tekano, and running south-west from each corner boundary to the summit of a hill called Porewa.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chiefs Ko Hokianga, Ko Pehi, Nga, Wane, Te-nga-hahu, on 23rd November, 1839.

Consideration given to the natives—merchandise to the value of £450.

Nature of conveyance—deed in favor of claimant.

Case No. 347.—J. W. HARRIS, of Poverty Bay, claimant.

2, Two acres, more or less, situate about a quarter of a mile from the mouth of the river Turanga Nui, bounded on the east by the river, on the south by a small stream of fresh water, on the west by land belonging to the natives, and on the north a native fence.

Alleged to have been purchased by claimant from native chiefs, names not mentioned, on the 30th June, 1831.

Consideration given to the natives—a quantity of goods, value not stated.

Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 347 (a)—J. W. HARRIS, of Poverty Bay, claimant.

3, Three acres, more or less, situate about half a mile from the river Turanga Nui, bounded on the north by the river Waitaru-haru, on the east by that part of the river called Wai Turanga Nui, and on the south and west sides by a native village.

Alleged to have been purchased by claimant, from native chiefs, names not mentioned, on the 5th May, 1838.

Consideration given to the natives—a quantity of goods, value not stated.

Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 347 (b)—JOHN HARRIS, of Poverty Bay, claimant.

A piece of land, situate about 10 miles from the mouth of the river Turanga, bounded by the river by the west and south sides.

Alleged to have been purchased by claimant from certain chiefs, names not mentioned, on the 10th December, 1839.

Consideration given to the natives—a quantity of goods, value not stated.

Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 349.—THOMAS SCOTT, of the Bay of Islands, claimant.

6, Six acres, more or less, known by the name of Maratatahau, running down to a place called Opoporo; bounded on the east by land belonging to a chief named Houroa, on the west by a branch of the Tauranga river, on the north by the land of a chief named Tatari, on the south by land belonging to Houroa.

Alleged to have been obtained from the native chief Napa Nuka, residing at Maunga Tapu Tauranga, as a gift.

Consideration given to the natives—not stated.
Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 360.—JOHN ALEXANDER WILSON, of Tauranga, JAMES STACK, and Rev. ALFRED N. BROWN, claimants.

3,840, Three thousand, eight hundred, and forty acres, more or less, situate at Opitiki, on the east coast, boundaries not stated.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chiefs Titoko, Rangiharepi, Te Aka, and nineteen others, on the 27th January, 1840, by claimants.

Consideration given to the natives—a quantity of merchandize, valued at £300.

Nature of conveyance—deed in favor of claimants, dated 27th January, 1840.

Case No. 380.—RICHARD PALMER, of M. Donald River, claimant.

5,000, Five thousand acres, more or less, situate on the south-west side of Tauranga, or Poverty Bay, boundaries not stated.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chiefs Barbhook, Walkaghi, and Attookai, by present claimant, in the year 1832.

Consideration given to the natives—cash and merchandise to the amount of £52.

Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 381 (c).—THOMAS BLACK, of the Bay of Islands, claimant.

300, Three hundred acres, more or less, situate in the harbour of Owaha, in the Bay of Plenty, known by the name of Nicholas Island.

Alleged to have been purchased from certain native chiefs, not named, by Alfred Nicholas on behalf of Black, Green and Co., in the year 1839.

Consideration given to the natives—goods to the value of £50.

Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 398.—WILLIAM STEWART, of Mercury Bay, claimant.

500, Five hundred acres, more or less, known by the name of Warika Hika, situate at the East Cape; boundaries not stated.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chiefs Takaioki, To Toerangi, and Purahaki, by claimant, in the year 1825.

Consideration given to the natives—a quantity of merchandize, value not stated.

Nature of conveyance—a native ornament given to claimant in proof of the sale.

Case No. 409.—R. ESPIE, of East Cape, claimant.

100, One hundred acres, more or less, situate at St. Patrick's Cove, East Cape, bounded on the north by the sea, on the west by native land marks, on the south and north by the sea.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chief Pesi, by claimant, in May, 1838.

Consideration given to the natives—goods to the value of £16.

Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 409 (a).—R. ESPIE, of East Cape, on behalf of Margaret Espie, his daughter, claimant.

300, Three hundred acres, more or less, known by the name of Warepunga, situate at the East Cape; boundaries not stated.

Alleged to have been given to claimant by a native chieftainess named Tucki, in June, 1839.

Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 408 (a).—RABBITON DICKS, Sydney, on behalf of Gordon Davis Brown, claimant.

A piece of land situate in Mercury Bay, lying between the small creek called Okuao, falling into the river near the mouth of the branch river Nganganatia, and Purangi of oyster river, in Cook's Bay.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chiefs Rahui, Hare, Miparata, and others, by claimant, on the 22nd October, 1837.

Consideration given to the natives—£152.10s. in Spanish dollars, and £460 in merchandize.

Nature of conveyance—deed in favor of claimant.

Case No. 408 (b).—RABBITON DICKS, of Sydney, on behalf of Gordon Davis Brown, claimant.

20,000 acres, more or less, situate at the mouth of the river Anouera, extending to the source with all branch creeks from the ridge of the mountains.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chiefs Te Paerata, Tairi, Parena, and Takainui, by claimant, on the 10th October, 1826.

Consideration given to the natives—goods to the amount of £87.

Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 412.—ROBERT BROWN, of Poverty Bay, claimant.

500, Five hundred acres, more or less, situate in Poverty Bay, on the north-east of Table Cape, bounded on the south by a stream of water, on the north-east by the sea, and on the two other sides by flags placed on the top of poles.

Alleged to have been purchased by claimant from the native chiefs Waremu, Pretahoo, and their tribe, on the 3rd March, 1830.

Consideration given to the natives—not stated.

Nature of conveyance—an instrument in writing, bearing date as above.

Case No. 436.—WILLIAM BROWN, of Poverty Bay, claimant.

A piece of land, contents not stated, situate about eight miles from the mouth of the Turangui river, commencing from a point called Mou Karaka, and running from thence by the bank of a creek called Matawere, west-south-west about four hundred and forty-two yards, and

from thence by the bank of the said creek north-west, seven hundred and twenty-eight yards, to a place called Matawaro, and from thence east five hundred and seventy-two yards, and thence south-east-half-east five hundred and seven yards to the aforesaid point called Moukaraka,

Alleged to have been given to claimant by certain native chiefs not named, on the 2d January, 1840.

Nature of conveyance—not stated.

Case No. 444 (c)—T. CHAPMAN, of Tauranga, on behalf of the Church Missionary Society, claimant.

30, Thirty acres, more or less, situate at Tauranga, extending from Taumataka Kawai, by the beach to Heri Kura, thence to Kahuare, following the beach to Taumatakakawai.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chiefs Tare, Tarua, Kaipi, Ngatiti, Tahu, and thirteen others, by claimant, on the 30th September, 1838.

Consideration given to the natives—a quantity of merchandise, value not stated.

Nature of conveyance—deed in the native language.

Case No. 444 (d)—T. CHAPMAN, of Tauranga, on behalf of the Church Missionary Society, claimant.

1000, One thousand acres, more or less, situate at Tauranga, extending from Taumatakakawai to Herikura, thence to Kapuare, along the river to Warepapa, Pakeka, Okekuroa, Taihau, Waiareki, Tuki o te Waiheke, Waiparapara, Omaroti, Opohue, Tahataharoa, Inetaweta, Waipuna, Heremaro, Rangiora, Tarongepo, Ora, Ohine, Tekuri, Tare; thence crossing the land to Pakahūmāne; thence to Pokorau, Pukehouhou, Ware o te Ao; thence along the ridge to the embankment of the Pa; thence to Ririetī, Taupairua, Māeanui, Waihirere, Puharakeke, going on to Taumatakakawai.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chiefs Taharangi, Rerehewenua, and twenty-three others, by claimant, on the 30th March, 1839.

Consideration given to the natives—one heifer and a quantity of merchandise, value not stated.

Nature of conveyance—deed in favor of claimant.

Case No. 444 (h)—T. CHAPMAN, of Tauranga, on behalf of the Church Missionary Society, claimant.

A piece of land situate at Roturua, being part of a block of 600 acres, more or less, bounded on one side by the river Waioheua, running easterly, on another side by a copse and the Ngae, going to the Takauere, thence to the north side of this copse, and running on to Waioheua as the termination.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chiefs Hikairo, Niui Awe, and 42 others, by claimant, on the 14th September, 1840.

Consideration given to the natives—a quantity of merchandise, value not stated.

Nature of conveyance—a deed in the native language.

Case No. 444 (i)—T. CHAPMAN, of Tauranga, on behalf of the Church Missionary Society, claimant.

A piece of land situate at Roturoa, known by the name of the "Takauwere," and the "Turi o te Uirangi," forming with the preceding claim a block of 600 acres, more or less; boundaries not stated.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chiefs Korokai, Huka, Pango, Nga Iihi, and 20 others, by claimant, on the 25th September, 1839.

Consideration given to the natives—a quantity of merchandise, value not stated.

Nature of conveyance—deed in the Maori language.

EDWARD LEE GODFREY,
COMMISSIONER.

*Land Commissioners' Office,
Auckland, 26th January, 1844.*

NOTICE is hereby given that Claim No. 37, Samuel Ashmore, claimant, advertised for hearing in the Supplement to the *Government Gazette* of the 20th instant, being situated in Cook's Strait, will not be investigated until the Claims in that District are examined, when it will be again advertised.

EDWARD LEE GODFREY,
COMMISSIONER.

