



SUPPLEMENT

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Amending Description of Native Township of Te Kuiti.

(L.S.) RANFURLY, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section eight of "The Native and Maori Land Laws Amendment Act, 1903," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation published in the *Gazette* and *Kahiti*, declare that any parcel or parcels of Maori land, whether or not such parcels form portions of several blocks, and whether or not such parcels are held by the owners under separate titles, shall be vested in the Maori Land Council of the district within which such land is situated as a site for a Native township, and shall by the same Proclamation assign a name to such township:

And whereas by section twelve of the said Act it is further enacted that any Proclamation under the said Act may from time to time be amended, varied, or revoked by the Governor as he thinks fit, and thereupon all amendments or cancellations in the Land Transfer Register as may be necessary shall be made by the District Land Registrar, but without prejudice to any valid dealings that may in the meantime have taken place:

And whereas by Proclamation bearing date the twenty-second day of January, one thousand nine hundred and two, the Governor, in exercise of the aforesaid powers, proclaimed and declared that the parcel of land described in the Schedule thereto should be vested in the Maniapoto-Tuwharetoa District Maori Land Council as a site for a Native township, and did thereby assign the name of "Te Kuiti" to such township:

And whereas it is expedient to amend the description of the said township:

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred upon me as aforesaid, do hereby amend the description of the said Native township, as set out in the Schedule to the Proclamation aforesaid, by substituting in lieu thereof the description set out in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

AMENDED DESCRIPTION OF TE KUITI NATIVE TOWNSHIP.

ALL that parcel of land in the Auckland Land District, situated in Blocks III. and IV., Otanake Survey District, being portion of Pukenui No. 2b, portion of Pukenui No. 2p No. 5, portion of Pukenui No. 2r, Pukenui No. 2q, Pukenui 2p No. 1, Pukenui 2p No. 2, and Pukenui No. 2a, Nos. 1 to 20 inclusive; and 5 acres 2 roods 34 perches of roads laid off by the Court giving access to Pukenui No. 2a Subdivisions; containing by admeasurement 262 acres 2 roods 14 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east generally by the Mangaokewa Stream to a point in line with the south-east boundary of Te Kuiti Railway-station, bearing 51° 11'; thence towards the south-east by a right line, 760 links, bearing 231° 11'; towards the east by the Te Kuiti-Awakino Main Road, 1689 links, to a point in line with the north-east boundary of Pukenui No. 2p No. 6; thence again towards the south-east by a right line, 2850 links, bearing 252° 9'; and towards the south-west by a right line, 4645 links, bearing 324°; and towards the north-west by a right line, 4000 links, bearing 50°, and by its production across the railway-line, 100 links, and the crossing of a road, and by Pukenui No. 2a North, 1500 links: save and excepting Main Trunk Railway and the Te Kuiti Railway-station, which is excluded from the above area: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three.

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Further extending Period within which Commissioners under Section 18 of "The Native Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1901," shall report.

Edward VII., by the grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith.

To Hugh Garden Seth-Smith, Esquire, Barrister, and Hone Heke and Alfred Levavasour Durell Fraser, Esquires, Members of the House of Representatives, and to all to whom these presents shall come: Greeting.

WHEREAS by a Commission bearing date the thirty-first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and two, and issued under the provisions of section eighteen of "The Native Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1901" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), you, the said

HUGH GARDEN SETH-SMITH,
HONE HEKE, and
ALFRED LEVAVASOUR DURELL FRASER,

were appointed Commissioners to hear and determine disputes respecting ownership and boundaries of the Awanui-Haparapara Block, containing one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven acres; the Maraehako Block, containing one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four acres; the Tunapahore Block, containing five thousand four hundred and forty-nine acres; and the subdivisions of the Kapuarangi Block known as Kapuarangi West, containing nine thousand acres, Kapuarangi No. 1A, containing five hundred acres, Kapuarangi No. 1B, containing two thousand nine hundred acres, and Kapuarangi No. 3, containing ten thousand five hundred and forty-nine acres—be all the aforesaid acreages more or less:

And whereas by the said Commission you were required to transmit to me, under your hands and seals, your decisions, orders, and opinions resulting from such investigations and inquiries not later than the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and two, or such extended date as may be appointed in that behalf:

And whereas by a Commission bearing date the sixteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and two, the time at or before which you were to present to me your report as aforesaid was extended to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and three:

And whereas it has been represented that, in order to enable you the more properly to fulfil the duties intrusted to you, it is expedient to further extend the period within which you are required to report your proceedings touching the said premises:

Know ye, therefore, that I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby further extend the period within which you shall (using all diligence) transmit to me, as by the said Commission provided, your decisions, orders, and opinions as aforesaid to the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and three. And with the like advice and consent, and in further pursuance and exercise of the said powers and authorities, I do hereby confirm the said Commission except as altered by these presents.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused these presents to be issued under the seal of the said colony, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three.

Witness our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, Knight Grand Cross of our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over our Colony of New Zealand.

RANFURLY,
Governor.

By His Excellency's command,
J. CARROLL,
Minister in Charge of Native Affairs.

Approved in Council.
ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Resignation of President of Council under "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," accepted.

Office of Minister of Native Affairs,
Wellington, 27th June, 1903.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of

RICHARD JOHN GILL, Esquire, of Auckland,
of the office of President of the Tai-Rawhiti District Maori Land Council, under the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900."

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

President of Council under "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," appointed.

Office of Minister of Native Affairs,
Wellington, 27th June, 1903.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT NOBLE JONES, Esquire, Barrister and Solicitor of the Supreme Court, of Gisborne,
to the office of President of the Tai-Rawhiti District Maori Land Council, under the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," vice Richard John Gill, Esquire, resigned.

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

Resignation of Member of Council under "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," accepted.

Office of Minister of Native Affairs,
Wellington, 27th June, 1903.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of

JOHN TOWNLEY, Esquire, of Gisborne,

of the office of member of the Tai-Rawhiti District Maori Land Council, under the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900."

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

Resignation of Member of Council under "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," accepted.

Office of Minister of Native Affairs,
Wellington, 27th June, 1903.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of

EDWARD PATTRICKS JOYCE, Esquire, of Gisborne,
of the office of member of the Tai-Rawhiti District Maori Land Council, under the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900."

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

Member of Council under "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," appointed.

Office of Minister of Native Affairs,
Wellington, 27th June, 1903.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

RICHARD JOHN GILL, Esquire, of Auckland,
a member of the Tai-Rawhiti District Maori Land Council, under the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900."

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.