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**RULES OF THE COURT UNDER THE NATIVE LAND
ACT, 1909;**

AND

**SITTINGS OF THE NATIVE LAND COURT AND
THE NATIVE APPELLATE COURT.**



Rules of the Court under the Native Land Act, 1909.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1910.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, make such Rules of Court, as are consistent with the said Act, for regulating the practice and procedure of the Native Land Court in all matters within its jurisdiction, and prescribing the fees payable in respect of the proceedings of that Court, and for determining the times and places of the sittings of that Court: And whereas by the said Act it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, make such Rules of Court as are consistent with the said Act for the purpose of regulating the practice and procedure of the Native Appellate Court, and the terms and conditions on which appeals to that Court may be brought, prosecuted, or withdrawn, prescribing the fees payable in respect of the proceedings of that Court, and determining the times and places of the sittings of that Court:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him as aforesaid, and of all other powers and authorities conferred upon him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the Rules of Court following for the purposes of the said Act, namely:—

RULES OF COURT.

1. In these Rules, unless a contrary intention appears,—

“The Act” means the Native Land Act, 1909:

“District” means a Native Land Court District as constituted by these Rules:

“Gazetted” means published in the *Gazette* and *Kahiti*:

“Registrar” means, with respect to any proceedings, the Registrar of the Native Land Court in and for the district in which those proceedings take place.

All other terms used in these Rules have the same signification as when used in the Act, unless a contrary intention appears.

FORMS.

2. The forms prescribed by these Rules for use in the proceedings of the Court and of the Appellate Court are those set forth in the First Schedule hereto, and indicated by the corresponding numbers therein. The forms may be used with such modifications as the case may require, and if no form is prescribed by these Rules, then such form may be used as a Judge may direct or approve. In any case an equivalent form in the Maori language may be used, and shall be sufficient.

NATIVE LAND COURT.

Commencement of Proceedings.

3. Unless otherwise provided by the Act or by these Rules, every proceeding shall be commenced by application in writing forwarded to or lodged with the Registrar.

4. Every application which relates to land shall be so made in the district in which the land is situated. If the land is situated in two or more districts the application may be made in either or any of those districts.

5. If the application does not relate to land it may be so made in any district which the applicant thinks fit, but the Registrar may refuse to receive or record any such application if he is of opinion that the proceedings would more conveniently be taken in another district.

6. No application which has been received and recorded by a Registrar shall be deemed invalid because made in the wrong district, but the Chief Judge may at any time direct any application to be transferred from the district in which it was made to any other district, and the application and all proceedings consequent thereon shall be transferred accordingly.

7. Every such application shall be signed by the applicant or his solicitor.

8. Unless directed otherwise by a Judge, the Registrar, if in his opinion the application is not properly made, may return the same to the applicant, and shall not record such application until properly made.

9. The Registrar shall keep a register, in which shall be recorded all applications properly made and all subsequent proceedings in the Court or the Appellate Court in respect thereof. Each application shall be recorded as of the day on which the same is received.

10. The Registrar shall indorse on each application a minute, according to the nature of the application, showing all essential particulars for the information of the Court.

Notifying Applications.

11. Unless otherwise provided by the Act or these Rules, notice of all applications to be dealt with at any sitting of the Court shall be in the form of a schedule to the notice of the sitting of the Court or published in the *Kahiti*. It shall not be necessary for any such application to be also notified in the *Gazette*, unless the Registrar or a Judge so directs.

12. Supplementary notices of matters to be dealt with at an ordinary sitting of the Court may be given from time to time by the Registrar in the *Kahiti*, and also, if the Registrar or a

Judge so directs, in the *Gazette*. The Registrar may on the application of any party issue a special notification, on payment of the prescribed fee and of such sum as the Registrar may think necessary to defray the cost of printing and circulating the same.

13. Supplementary notices of matters to be dealt with at a special sitting of the Court may be given from time to time by the Chief Judge in the *Kahiti*, and also, if he thinks fit, in the *Gazette*.

14. A copy of the notice of any sitting of the Court shall be sent by post to each of the applicants whose applications are notified therein, and to such persons as the Registrar thinks necessary, or as a Judge directs.

15. It shall be the duty of the Registrar to transmit all applications notified to be heard at any sitting of the Court, whether ordinary or special, together with all plans and documents relating thereto, and copies of the notices of the sitting, to the Judge who is to preside at such sitting, whose duty it shall then be to attend at the time and place appointed and hear and determine all matters properly brought before the Court.

16. Applications which by the Act or by these Rules may be made *ex parte* may be heard and determined by the Court without notification at any time and place which a Judge thinks fit.

Customary Land.

17. An application for investigation of title to customary land shall be in the Form No. 1.

18. Except as provided in the next succeeding rule, the Court shall not proceed with the investigation of the title to customary land until the land is surveyed and the Court has before it an approved plan.

19. If the land has not been surveyed the Court may proceed with the investigation of title upon a sketch-plan approved by the Chief Surveyor and accepted by the Court as sufficient for the purposes of the investigation.

20. The Court may, before proceeding to deal with the applications for investigation of title to customary land, require that all claims (whether applications have been lodged or not) for inclusion in the title of such land shall be made in writing to the Court within a time to be fixed by the Court. No claim or application shall be admitted after that time except by leave of the Court, and upon such terms as the Court may determine.

21. The Court may require that before hearing evidence each party shall state in writing (1) the boundaries of the land he claims; (2) the material grounds of his claim; (3) the genealogical tables showing descent from the ancestor or ancestors through whom title is claimed, and traced down to leading members of such party; and (4) the names and approximate location of cultivations, pas, places of historic interest, and, generally, any signs of occupation. Such statement shall be handed to the Court for its information.

22. The Court may, if it think fit, at any stage of the proceedings require each party to hand in a list of the names of all persons admitted by him as claiming and entitled with him in respect of his claim.

23. Every list of names settled by the Court for inclusion in any order shall have noted thereon a minute showing by whom it was handed in, and shall be signed by the presiding Judge, and dated as of the day on which that list was read out in Court as approved. No alteration shall afterwards be made therein except in open Court, and every alteration shall be initialled by the Judge.

24. A freehold order shall be in the Form No. 2.

Ascertainment of Equitable Owners.

25. An application for an Order in Council authorising the Court to exercise jurisdiction under Part V of the Act shall be forwarded to the Native Minister, and shall state the material grounds of the application.

26. The Native Minister may refer such application to the Chief Judge to report thereon.

27. An order made in exercise of jurisdiction under Part V of the Act may be in the Form No. 3.

Partition.

28. An application for partition shall be in the Form No. 4 or No. 5, as the case may require.

29. Upon receipt of the application the Registrar shall forward the same to the Chief Surveyor of the land district wherein the land the subject of the application is situated, and it shall be the duty of the Chief Surveyor to report whether and what road-lines are required to be laid off on the land for its due settlement and use, and the estimated cost of surveying such road-lines, and to return the application, together with his report, to the Registrar.

30. The Registrar shall thereupon submit the application and the Chief Surveyor's report to a Judge of the Court, and if in the opinion of that Judge the road-lines are necessary and the estimated cost reasonable, he may requisition the Chief Surveyor to survey the same.

31. The Chief Surveyor may, pending a proper survey of such road-lines, submit to the Court a sketch-plan showing approximately the proposed road-lines, and the Court may proceed with the partition upon such sketch-plan, or refuse to proceed until a proper survey has been made.

32. Where several applications have been made for partition of the same land it shall be sufficient if any one of such applications is forwarded to the Chief Surveyor in accordance with Rule 29.

33. The Court may refuse to proceed with the further partition of any land until the survey of any former partition has been completed and an approved plan thereof furnished to the Court.

34. No partition order shall be made in favour of any person claiming Native freehold land by virtue of an alienation unless the instrument of alienation upon which the claim is based has been duly registered.

35. If the land in respect of which application for partition is made is vested in a Maori Land Board, or administered by any such Board under Part XVI of the Act, or vested in the Public Trustee as a Native reserve, the Registrar shall send notice of the application to the Board or Public Trustee, who shall thereupon notify the Registrar whether the Board or Public Trustee consents or does not consent to the exercise of jurisdiction by the Court under Part VI of the Act. Until receipt of notice from the Board or Public Trustee the Registrar shall take no further proceedings in respect of the application.

36. If the Board or Public Trustee does not consent to the exercise of jurisdiction by the Court as aforesaid, the application shall be deemed not to have been properly made, and shall be returned by the Registrar to the applicant, together with the fee, if any.

37. If the Board or Public Trustee consents to the exercise of jurisdiction the application shall be notified for a sitting of the Court, and the Court may deal with the same although the provisions of Rule 29 have not been complied with.

38. A partition order may be in the Form No. 6 or No. 7, as the case may require.

Exchange.

39. An application for an order of exchange shall be in the Form No. 8.

40. The applicant who is the owner of an interest in European land proposed to be exchanged shall, if required by the Registrar, supply all necessary information as to the title to such land, and furnish such certified copies of or extracts from the Land Transfer Register, or the Register of Deeds, as may be requisite for that purpose.

41. Every application for exchange shall be accompanied by certificates showing the latest Government valuation (if any) of the lands proposed to be exchanged.

42. An order of exchange may be in the Form No. 9.

Consolidation of Interests.

43. An application by the Native Minister under section 130 of the Act shall be lodged with the Registrar and gazetted. It shall be the duty of the Registrar to circulate copies of the *Kahiti* containing the notification among as many as practicable of the owners of the lands affected.

Succession.

44. An application for a succession order shall be in the Form No. 10.

45. A succession order may be in the Form No. 11.

46. An application by the Commissioner of Stamps for enforcement of a charge for Native succession duty under the Death Duties Act, 1909, may be in the Form No. 12.

47. The order appointing a Receiver upon such application may be in the Form No. 13.

48. An application under section 140 or section 141 of the Act may be in the Form No. 14.

Probate and Administration.

49. An application to the Court for grant of probate or letters of administration with will annexed shall be in the Form No. 15 or No. 16. The applicant must at the time of lodging the application deposit with the Registrar the will in respect of which the application is made, and a translation thereof if in the Maori language, and also two copies of the will and translation.

50. The applicant shall also attach to the application a schedule of the lands affected.

51. Every person making application for grant of probate or for letters of administration, with or without the will annexed, shall be required to file statutory declarations by some person or persons having knowledge of the facts deposed to, in the Forms Nos. 17 and 18.

52. Grant of probate or of letters of administration with will annexed, or of letters of administration, may be in the Forms Nos. 19, 20, and 21 respectively.

53. Every will or alleged will in respect whereof application is made to the Court shall remain in the custody of the Registrar, and a minute of the grant or refusal of probate or letters of administration shall be noted thereon by the Judge.

54. Every person other than the Public Trustee to whom letters of administration, with or without the will annexed, are granted shall, before obtaining the same, give security in the Form No. 22 for the proper administration of the estate of the deceased.

55. Every person to whom letters of administration are granted shall, before obtaining the same, make a statutory declaration in the Form No. 18.

56. Every executor or administrator shall, within such respective periods as the Court on granting probate or administration shall direct, or within such further periods as a Judge on application may thereafter direct, lodge with the Registrar an inventory of the estate and effects of the deceased, and also a full and distinct account in writing of his administration of the estate, which shall set forth the dates and particulars of all receipts and disbursements. Every inventory and account so filed shall be verified by statutory declaration.

Adoption of Children.

57. An application for the adoption of a child under Part IX of the Act shall be in the Form No. 23, and shall be signed by the adopting parent or parents.

58. The consent of the parents or parent of the child proposed to be adopted may be given either in writing or in open Court, and if in writing shall be in the Form No. 24, and shall be executed in the manner provided by section 420 of the Act in the case of instruments by way of security. The consent in writing may be lodged with the Registrar at any time up to the date of the sitting of the Court at which the application is to be dealt with, and thereafter as the Court

may direct; but notwithstanding the lodging of such consent the Court may require the personal attendance of such parent or parents.

59. The applicant or applicants and the child proposed to be adopted shall attend personally before the Court on the hearing of the application; but the Court may, in its discretion, dispense with such personal attendance.

60. The order of adoption shall be in the Form No. 25.

61. An application under section 169 for the annulment of an order of adoption shall be in the Form No. 26, and shall set forth the grounds upon which the annulment is sought.

62. The order of annulment shall be in the Form No. 27.

63. The Registrar shall cause a minute of every order made under Part IX of the Act to be gazetted.

Persons under Disability.

64. An application for an order to appoint a trustee for a person under disability shall be in the Form No. 28.

65. The order appointing a trustee may be in the Form No. 29.

66. A certificate by a Judge under section 178 of the Act may be in the Form No. 30.

67. An application by a trustee under Part X of the Act for leave to borrow money for the purposes of the trust, or for an order for the payment of expenditure of any of the revenues or proceeds of the trust property to or for the benefit of the beneficiary, or for directions in relation to the administration of the trust property, or an application under section 29 of the Act, may be made *ex parte*, and may be heard and determined by the Court at any time and place. The Court may forthwith grant leave, or make any order, or give such directions as it may think fit, or may require such notices to be given, or inquiries made, or such evidence produced as the nature of the case may require.

Relative Interests.

68. An application for determination of relative interests shall be in the Form No. 31.

69. An order determining relative interests may be in the Form No. 32.

70. Relative interests shall, in all cases where it can conveniently be done, be expressed in shares or fractional parts of a share, the whole interest in the land being for that purpose expressed by the number of shares awarded.

Pecuniary Claims.

71. Notwithstanding anything contained in section 15 of the Act, no claim for damages or other pecuniary claim under section 24 of the Act shall be heard and determined by the Court except upon an application made in that behalf in accordance with Rule 3.

72. Notice of every such application shall be given to the person against whom the claim is made (hereinafter called the defendant) in manner directed by a Judge, and not less than fourteen days before the day gazetted for the sitting of the Court at which the application is to be heard.

73. It shall not be necessary for the defendant in any such proceeding to file any statement of defence.

74. Subject to the provisions of this Act and of these Rules, every such application shall be heard and determined in the same manner, with all necessary modifications, as if it was an action for the recovery of damages in a Magistrate's Court under the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1908.

Injunctions.

75. An application for an injunction under section 24 of the Act may be in the Form No. 33, and the order made upon such application may be in the Form No. 34 or No. 35; and an order under this Rule may be made either *ex parte* or otherwise, as the Court thinks fit, according to the urgency of the case.

76. An injunction granted *ex parte* may be dissolved at any time thereafter on application made to the Court by the person against whom the injunction has been granted.

Incorporation of Native Owners.

77. Every application for an order of incorporation (other than an application by a Maori Land Board under Part XVIII of the Act) shall be in the Form No. 36.

78. The consent of the owners to the making of an order of incorporation may be evidenced by their signatures to the application, or by a consent in the Form No. 37, signed by the owners consenting.

79. The signature of each owner so signing the application or form of consent shall be attested either by some person certified by a Judge as a fit and proper person for the purpose, or by one of those persons whose attestation is required by section 134 of the Act in the case of a will made by a Native.

80. An application for an order of incorporation by a Maori Land Board under Part XVIII of the Act shall be in the Form No. 38.

81. An order of incorporation may be in the Form No. 39 or No. 40, as the case may require.

82. The Court may, in and by such order, or by separate order at any time thereafter, and from time to time as the case may require, appoint a place and time (not being earlier than twenty-eight days after the date of the order by which the time is so appointed) for the holding of a meeting of owners for the purpose of electing a committee of management.

83. A notice of the making of the order of incorporation, and of the time and place appointed for the holding of the meeting, shall be forthwith published in the *Kahiti*.

84. An order appointing the committee of management, or any member thereof, may be in the Form No. 41 or No. 42, as the case may require, and may be made *ex parte*.

85. A member of a committee of management may be removed by the Court by an order made *ex parte* or otherwise as the Court thinks fit:—

- (a.) If he holds any office or place of profit under the body corporate which, in the opinion of the Court, is not consistent with his duty as a member of the committee; or
- (b.) If he is lunatic or of unsound mind, or is imprisoned; or
- (c.) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent; or
- (d.) If he does any act which, in the opinion of the Court, renders him unfit to hold office as a member of the committee of management; or
- (e.) If he fails without leave of the committee to attend four consecutive meetings of the committee; or
- (f.) If, by resolution of the incorporated owners, it is decided that such member should be removed; or
- (g.) For any other reason which the Court thinks sufficient.

Winding-up of a Body Corporate.

86. An application for an order winding up the body corporate shall be in the Form No. 43.

87. Any such application may be made by the body corporate, or by two or more members thereof, or by a creditor thereof, or by a Registrar of the Court, or by the Native Minister.

88. The Court may in its discretion appoint or remove a liquidator, and, where necessary, may appoint the Registrar or any other person to act as liquidator, at such remuneration out of the assets of the body corporate as the Court thinks fit. The liquidator shall, subject to the directions of the Court, have all the powers and authorities possessed by an official liquidator under the Companies Act, 1908.

89. On the appointment of a liquidator the Court shall, by the same or another order, remove from office all the members of the committee of management.

90. The order winding up a body corporate may be in the Form No. 44, and notice thereof shall be gazetted.

91. A vesting order under section 324 of the Act may be in the Form No. 45.

92. The order of the Court dissolving a body corporate shall be in the Form No. 46, and notice thereof shall be gazetted.

93. All orders made by the Court pursuant to an order for the winding-up of a body corporate and in the course of that winding-up may be made *ex parte* or otherwise as the Court thinks fit.

Procedure at Hearing.

94. If more than one Judge is present at a sitting of the Court the senior Judge shall preside. It shall be the duty of the Judge, or of one of the Judges if more than one is present, to record the proceedings of the Court and the evidence in a minute-book to be provided for the purpose, which book shall be a record of the Court, and shall be retained in the custody of the Registrar.

95. The Court may, in its discretion, deal with the subject-matter of any application wholly or in part or parts, and make separate orders in respect of such part or parts, or dismiss any application, or grant leave to extend, or amend, or withdraw any application wholly or in part, upon such terms as the Court thinks fit.

96. The Court may, as it thinks fit, arrange the order in which the parties shall be heard.

97. A minute signed by the presiding Judge shall be placed on every plan or other paper produced in evidence, specifying the proceedings in which, and the person by whom, the same was produced, and the date of production.

98. The Court may dismiss any application on the ground of non-appearance of the applicant, or for want of proper prosecution; and upon such dismissal being recorded in the minute-book the application shall be discharged from further consideration of the Court, and shall be noted accordingly in the records of the Court. Such dismissal shall be without prejudice to the right of the applicant to make another application in respect of the same matter.

99. The Court may arrange the order of its business, and determine the procedure in matters not specially provided for in these Rules, as it thinks fit.

Witnesses.

100. A summons to witnesses shall be in the Form No. 47, and may be addressed to any number of persons not exceeding three.

101. Service of a summons shall be personal, but a Judge may direct that service in any particular case may be made in such other manner as will, in his opinion, be sufficient to bring the summons to the knowledge of the witness whose attendance is required.

102. Personal service may be effected by leaving with the witness a copy of the summons, sealed with the seal of the Court; but it shall not be necessary to show the original summons.

103. If proof of service is required, the person effecting service of a summons shall forward the original summons to the Judge who signed the same, with a statement of the manner and of the time and place of service indorsed thereon, and signed by that person, with the addition of his place of residence.

104. The expenses of witnesses summoned to attend may be allowed according to the scale in the Second Schedule.

105. A warrant of commitment under section 21 of the Act shall be in Form No. 48.

106. A summons to a witness to show cause under section 21 of the Act shall be in the Form No. 49, and shall be served personally, or in such manner as a Judge may direct.

107. An order imposing a penalty on a witness may be in the Form No. 50 or No. 51.

Orders.

108. All orders of Court shall be in duplicate, and, where necessary for the purpose of complying with any Rule or with the Act, shall be in triplicate.

109. No freehold order or partition order shall be signed and sealed unless the plan upon which such order is based has been signed as "approved" by a Judge, and a diagram in accordance therewith has been indorsed on the order.

110. No order shall be delivered to the person entitled thereto, or forwarded for inclusion in the Land Transfer Register, until all fees (if any) due to the Court in respect thereof have been paid.

111. An order under section 29 of the Act may be in the Form No. 52.

Rehearings.

112. An application for rehearing under section 28 of the Act may be made to the Judge in open Court, or in writing, lodged with the Clerk of the Court, in Form No. 53.

113. The Judge may require notice of the application to be given in such manner and to such persons as he thinks fit.

114. If the application is granted, the rehearing may take place either before the same or any other Judge, and either at the same sitting at which the original hearing took place, or at any adjournment thereof, or at any other sitting of the Court; but in the last case only on notification of the rehearing being made in the same manner as in the case of an original hearing.

THE NATIVE APPELLATE COURT.

Leave to Appeal from Provisional Orders.

115. An application to the Court for leave to appeal to the Appellate Court under section 49 of the Act may be made in open Court, or in writing lodged with the Clerk of the Court. Every such application shall be made within two days, or such further time not exceeding seven days as the Court on special grounds may allow, after the date of the determination appealed from.

116. Leave to appeal may be granted on such terms as to costs as the Court thinks fit.

117. If leave to appeal is granted, notice of appeal shall be given and all further proceedings taken as in the case of an appeal (otherwise than by leave of the Chief Judge) from a final order of the Court.

Notice of Appeal.

118. A notice of appeal from a final order of the Court may be in the Form No. 54, and shall embody or be accompanied by a statement setting forth the grounds of the appeal. The notice and the statement shall be signed by the appellant, or by his solicitor, and shall be lodged with the Registrar within six weeks after the date of the minute of the order appealed from.

119. If the appellant by whom the notice and statement are so signed is a Native, his signature shall be attested in manner required by section 420 of the Act in the case of instruments executed by way of security, and there shall be written on the notice and statement the like certificate of an attesting witness as is required by that section.

120. The Registrar shall not accept as sufficient compliance with these Rules or record any notice of appeal unless it embodies or is accompanied by a sufficient statement of the grounds of appeal.

121. After notice of appeal has been duly given, all subsequent proceedings in the matter of the appeal shall be deemed to be in the Appellate Court, and shall be intitled accordingly.

122. After recording the notice of appeal the Registrar shall forward the same, with the statement of grounds of appeal, to the Chief Judge, who shall fix what sum of money (if any) shall be deposited with the Registrar by the appellant as security for the costs of the appeal, and the time within which the deposit shall be made. The Registrar shall notify the appellant accordingly.

123. The Chief Judge may, if he is of opinion that the statement of the grounds of appeal does not state these grounds sufficiently, require the appellant to lodge with the Registrar within a specified time a more explicit statement, and may direct the Registrar to notify the appellant accordingly.

Dismissal.

124. If the appellant fails to make the deposit, or to lodge a more explicit statement of the grounds of appeal, within the time fixed, the Registrar may, after the expiry of the time prescribed for giving notice of appeal, apply to a Judge of the Court, in the Form No. 55, to dismiss the appeal, and the Judge may, *ex parte* or otherwise, as he thinks fit, make an order in the Form No. 56 or No. 57 dismissing the appeal accordingly.

125. A notice of the application shall be gazetted, and a copy of the notice shall be sent by the Registrar to the appellant.

126. The Judge may grant further time not exceeding two weeks from the hearing of the Registrar's application for depositing the security or lodging a more explicit statement of the grounds of appeal.

127. A minute of every order under Rule 124 dismissing an appeal shall be published in the *Kahiti*.

Succession Cases.

128. Where persons have been appointed successors in the same right to the interest of a deceased person in several blocks or parcels of land, it shall not be necessary to give separate notices of appeal in respect of each order, but the whole may be included in one notice and treated as one appeal.

Leave of Appeal.

129. An application under subsection (1) of section 50 of the Act may be in the Form No. 58, and shall be lodged with the Registrar, who shall forward the same to the Chief Judge, with a report thereon.

130. The Chief Judge may before granting leave to appeal require a sum of money to be deposited within a specified time as security for the costs of the appeal, and may make the granting of leave subject to the payment of that deposit within that time. If the condition is complied with, leave of appeal shall be deemed to be granted, and the application shall be treated as a notice of appeal which is in compliance with all requirements, and may be notified for hearing accordingly.

Withdrawal of Appeal.

131. The appellant may, at any time before the hearing of the appeal, by notice in writing to the Registrar, and with leave of a Judge, withdraw the appeal.

132. Leave to withdraw an appeal may be given on such terms as the Judge may think fit, and he may direct the disposal of any sum deposited as security for costs.

133. Notice of the withdrawal of an appeal shall be published in the *Kahiti*.

Notifying Matters for Hearing.

134. Except with the leave of the Chief Judge, no appeal shall be notified for hearing until after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the order or determination appealed from.

135. Notice of matters to be dealt with at a sitting of the Appellate Court may be given in the manner provided by Rules 11 to 15, and for this purpose those Rules shall be construed as if the term "Court" included the Appellate Court.

Hearing.

136. On the hearing of an appeal no person other than the appellant shall, except by leave of the Appellate Court, be entitled to appear or be heard in support thereof, or so put forward any claim contrary to the decision appealed from.

137. On the hearing of the appeal the parties shall be restricted to the evidence given on the hearing in respect of which the appeal is instituted: Provided that the Appellate Court may in its discretion allow such further evidence to be adduced as may assist the Court to come to a just decision upon the matters at issue.

138. The evidence given in any former proceeding shall be proved by the records of the Native Land Court, and no other evidence thereof shall, except by leave of the Appellate Court, be admitted.

139. No appeal shall be allowed on any ground not alleged in the statement or amended statement of the grounds of appeal, unless the Appellate Court is of opinion that the appeal may be so allowed without injustice to the other parties interested in the appeal.

140. The Appellate Court may at the hearing require the appellant to lodge a more explicit statement, or permit the appellant, upon such terms as that Court thinks fit, to lodge an amended statement of the grounds of appeal.

141. If the appellant fails to prosecute his appeal the Appellate Court may dismiss the same on such terms as to costs or otherwise as it thinks fit. The Appellate Court may, in its discretion, allow the appeal to be reinstated at any time during the same sitting, or any adjournment thereof, on such terms as it thinks fit.

142. The Appellate Court may allow an appellant to withdraw his appeal in whole or in part, and may therefore dismiss the appeal in whole or in part on such terms as it thinks fit.

143. Minutes of the proceedings shall be kept by one of the Judges hearing the appeal in a minute-book to be provided for the purpose, which shall be a record of the Appellate Court, and shall be retained in the custody of the Registrar.

144. The Appellate Court may arrange the order of its business, and determine the procedure to be adopted in any matter not specially provided for in these Rules, as it may think fit.

Rehearing.

145. An application under subsection (3) of section 50 of the Act may be in the Form No. 59, and shall be lodged with the Registrar, who shall forward the same to the Chief Judge.

146. The Chief Judge may before granting a rehearing require a sum of money to be deposited within a specified time as security for costs.

147. An order for rehearing under subsection (3) of section 50 of the Act may be in the Form No. 60, and a minute thereof shall be gazetted.

148. Notice of a rehearing at any sitting of the Appellate Court shall be given in the same manner as is required by these Rules in the case of the original hearing of an appeal.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Sittings.

149. Before the 10th day of April in each year, or so soon thereafter as is practicable, the Chief Judge shall submit for the approval of the Native Minister a schedule of the times and places at which it is proposed to hold sittings (hereinafter called "ordinary sittings") of the Court. When approved by the Native Minister such schedule shall be gazetted, and the times and places of the ordinary sittings of the Court shall, subject to the powers of adjournment hereinafter provided, be determined in accordance with that schedule.

150. At least fourteen days before the day of the commencement of each sitting as so determined a notice thereof shall be gazetted.

151. The Chief Judge may, with the approval of the Native Minister, appoint a time and place for a special sitting of the Court, at which only such business may be taken as the Chief Judge may direct to be notified.

152. Notice of a special sitting of the Court shall be gazetted at least seven days before the commencement of that sitting.

153. The Chief Judge may, at any time and from time to time before the commencement of any sitting of the Court, adjourn such sitting to some later date or to some other place, whether such date or place is specified in the schedule of sittings or not, and the Registrar shall thereupon notify such adjournment in such manner as the Chief Judge directs.

154. Any person authorised by the Chief Judge or by a Judge may open and adjourn any sitting or adjourned sitting of the Court.

155. After the commencement of a sitting the Court or the presiding Judge, or, in the absence of a Judge, any person authorised by the Judge, may adjourn such sitting from time to time and from place to place, whether such time or place is specified in the schedule of sittings or not, or may so adjourn any part or parts of the business notified to be dealt with at any such sitting, or adjourn the same to any other sitting or *sine die*.

156. Rules 149 to 155 shall apply to the Appellate Court.

157. Notwithstanding anything in these Rules, a sitting of the Court may, without notification, be held at any time and place which a Judge thinks fit, but no matter shall be heard or determined at any such sitting other than a matter which, in accordance with the Act or with these Rules, may be heard and determined *ex parte*.

Taxation of Costs.

158. Any party entitled to costs subject to taxation may obtain from the Registrar an appointment for taxation of such costs. Notice of the appointment shall be served on such persons (if any) as the Registrar requires.

159. The party claiming taxation shall at the time of obtaining such appointment lodge with the Registrar a full and detailed bill of the fees, charges, and disbursements claimed, and shall serve copies thereof upon such persons and in such manner as the Registrar requires.

160. Such bill shall be supported by vouchers wherever possible: and if extra expenses which do not appear on the face of the proceedings, such as witnesses' expenses, are claimed a statutory declaration shall be filed showing that these expenses were necessary and proper under the circumstances.

161. The Registrar shall at the time and place appointed proceed to tax such bill, and shall report to the Court, or Appellate Court, as the case may be, what in his opinion would be a fair amount of costs to allow under the circumstances.

162. The Court, or Appellate Court, may, if it appears that the Registrar has decided erroneously, whether as to amount or principle, refer the bill back to the Registrar with direction to review his report and make such alteration in it as may be requisite.

163. Whether taxation has been directed or not, the Court or Appellate Court may at any time fix the amount of costs payable in any matter.

164. The order for payment of costs or imposing a charge for costs under section 22 of the Act may be in the Form No. 61.

Amendments.

165. Every amendment made under section 27 or section 58 of the Act shall be signed by the Judge making the same, or the Chief Judge, as the case may be, at the time of making the same, and shall specify the date on which the same is made.

166. If a copy of the order in respect of which amendment is made has been filed in the Supreme Court under section 30 of the Act, a certified copy of the amendment shall be forthwith transmitted to the Registrar of the Supreme Court.

Receivers.

167. The order appointing a receiver under section 31 of the Act may be in the Form No. 62.

168. Before making any such order it shall be the duty of the Court or the Appellate Court to ascertain, in such manner as it thinks fit, whether the person or Board proposed to be appointed as receiver consents to such appointment, and no such order shall be signed and sealed until such consent is obtained.

169. By any order appointing a receiver, or by any subsequent order, the Court making the same may prohibit or restrict, in such manner as it thinks fit, the exercise by the receiver of any powers which would otherwise be vested in him, and such Court may at any time remove or vary any such prohibition or restriction. The Court may by any such order require any receiver other than the Public Trustee or a Maori Land Board to give security for the due execution of his duties.

Surveys.

170. Where any land has been subdivided, either on original investigation or on partition, it shall be the duty of the Court to transmit to the Chief Surveyor a description of the boundaries, and all other information necessary to enable the survey of such subdivision to be proceeded with.

171. A certificate by the Chief Surveyor under section 397 of the Act shall be in the Form No. 63, and shall contain a statement of the date of the completion of the survey.

172. A charging order under subsection (1) of section 398 of the Act, and an order varying such order under subsection (2) of the said section, may be in the Forms No. 64 and No. 65 respectively.

173. An order under section 399 of the Act, vesting land in His Majesty the King, may be in the Form No. 66, and an order under section 400 may be in the Form No. 67.

Application under Section 208.

174. An application under section 208 of the Act shall be in the Form No. 68, and the order upon such application may be in the Form No. 69.

Fees.

175. The fees set out in the Second Schedule are hereby prescribed as the fees to be paid in respect of the proceedings of the Court and of the Appellate Court respectively.

176. No application shall be received or recorded, and no proceedings shall be taken in respect thereof, unless the prescribed fee has been paid.

177. If it appears to the satisfaction of a Judge that any person is unable to pay, or ought not to be called upon to pay, any fee, it shall be lawful for the Judge to dispense with the payment thereof, or any part thereof, subject to such terms as he thinks fit.

178. Where fees are due in respect of any land which has been partitioned, the Registrar may apportion such fees amongst the several parcels of such land, and the amount due in respect of each parcel shall be noted on the partition order, and shall be payable accordingly.

179. The Court, or Appellate Court, or any Judge or Registrar may decline to proceed in any case, or to do any act in relation to land in respect of which fees are due for any former act done in relation to such land, until those fees have been paid.

180. The Judge signing any order shall note in the margin thereof the amount of fees accrued in the matter of that order, specifying such as have been paid.

181. An account of all fees accrued in respect of matters coming before the Court shall be kept by the Clerk of the Court, who at the end of every month shall furnish such account, signed by him and countersigned by the Judge, to the Receiver-General, and shall send a copy thereof to the Registrar of the district in which those fees have accrued, specifying such as have been paid.

182. No application fee shall be payable on any application by the Native Minister.

Miscellaneous.

183. A warrant under section 39 of the Act may be in the Form No. 70.

184. An order under section 41 of the Act may be in the Form No. 71.

185. All notices and other documents required by these Rules to be sent or given to any person by the Registrar may, except where personal service is expressly provided for, be sent by post, addressed to the usual or last known residence or place of business of that person, and shall thereupon be deemed to have been duly sent or given to that person whether actually received by him or not.

186. Non-compliance with any of these Rules shall not render any proceeding void unless the Court or the Appellate Court so directs; but such proceeding may be set aside, either wholly or in part, as irregular, or may be amended or otherwise dealt with in such manner and upon such terms as the Court or the Appellate Court thinks fit.

187. The offices of the Court and of the Appellate Court shall, except on Sundays and holidays, be open for public business from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., but on Saturdays they shall be closed at 12.30 p.m.

188. The following days shall be holidays in the Court and Appellate Court, and in the offices thereof—that is to say: The days from Good Friday to Easter Tuesday, both inclusive; the days from Christmas Eve to the 6th January, both inclusive; the birthday of the reigning sovereign; the birthday of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales; and in each district the anniversary of the establishment of the province. Judges and officers of the Court at a distance from their homes will be allowed the necessary additional time to proceed to their homes at the Christmas vacation, and thereafter to return to their several stations.

Native Land Court Districts.

189. For the purposes of the Act and of these Rules, New Zealand is hereby divided into four Native Land Court districts, having the names and boundaries set out in the Third Schedule hereto.

190. For each Native Land Court district there shall be a Registrar of the Native Land Court, who shall also be a Registrar of the Native Appellate Court, and shall exercise and perform in and for that district all the powers and duties conferred or imposed upon such Registrars by the Act or by these Rules.

191. In case of the absence, illness, or incapacity of the Registrar of any Native Land Court district, or when there is no such Registrar, any other Registrar may, with the consent of the Native Minister or of the Chief Judge, exercise in or in respect of that district any or all of the powers conferred upon a Registrar of the Native Land Court or Native Appellate Court by the Act or these Rules.

192. The records, plans, and other documents of the Native Land Court and the Native Appellate Court shall be deposited and kept, and the administrative work of those Courts shall be carried on at the office of the Registrar of the appropriate Native Land Court district.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Form No. 1.

APPLICATION FOR INVESTIGATION OF TITLE.

(Rule 17.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

To the Native Land Court,

1. We, who signed our names or made our marks hereunder, claim to be interested in the Native land hereunder mentioned, and hereby apply to the Court to investigate the title to such land.

2. The name of the land is _____, situate at _____
The boundaries of the land are _____

3. We live at _____ Our postal address is _____
Dated the _____ day of _____, 191 _____

Form No. 2.

FREEHOLD ORDER.

(Rule 24.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the customary land called or heretofore known as _____, and of the investigation of the title thereto.

At a sitting of the Court held at _____ on the day of _____, 191 _____, before _____, Esquire, Judge, and _____, Assessor.

It is hereby ordered that the persons whose names are set out in the first column of the Schedule hereto annexed, and therein numbered respectively from one to _____, both inclusive, are, and they are hereby declared to be, entitled in the relative shares or proportions set out in the second column of the said Schedule to the parcel of land to be called _____, containing _____, and delineated in the plan numbered _____

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court.

Fees charged : _____

Form No. 3.

ORDER DETERMINING EQUITABLE OWNERS.

(Rule 27.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of "The Native Land Act, 1909"; and in the matter of a block of land called _____, situate in the _____ Registration District.

At a sitting of the Court held at _____ on the day of _____, 191 _____, before _____, Esquire, Judge, and _____, Assessor.

Whereas the Court was duly authorised by Order in Council, dated the _____ day of _____, 191 _____, to exercise the jurisdiction conferred upon it by Part V of the said Act:

Now, therefore, upon hearing in open Court the various parties who claimed to be heard and the evidence then and there adduced, it is adjudged and determined that the said land called _____ was, when granted to the Natives by the Crown, or dealt with by the Court by way of ascertainment of Native customary title, or by way of partition, intended by the Crown, or by the Court, or by the nominal owners of the land, to be held by such nominal owners in trust for persons not named in the title to the land.

And this Court doth further determine that the persons who are entitled beneficially to the said land so held in trust are the persons whose names are set out in the Schedule hereto, numbered one to _____ inclusive, in the relative interests set opposite their respective names. And the Court doth hereby order that the names of such of the said persons as are not now included in the title to the land shall be included therein, together with or in lieu of the nominal owners for such estate only as the nominal owners held in the said land at the date of the issue of the said Order in Council. And for the purpose of giving effect to the order of the Court it is directed and ordered that [Here cancel or amend such orders as may be required to be cancelled or amended].

Dated at _____, this _____ day of _____, 191 _____

As witness the hand of the Judge and seal of the Court.

Fees charged : _____

Form No. 4.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

(Rule 28.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

To the Native Land Court,

We, who have signed our names or made our marks hereunder, being some of the owners of the land referred to hereunder, apply to the Court to partition such land.

The name of such land is _____

We live at _____ Our postal address is _____

Dated the _____ day of _____, 191 _____

Form No. 5.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

(Rule 28.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

To the Native Land Court,

I, _____, of _____, being a person claiming to have purchased or acquired an interest in the land known as _____, situate at _____, hereby apply to the Court to make partition of the said land.

As witness my hand, this _____ day of _____, 191 _____

Form No. 6.

PARTITION ORDER.

(Rule 38.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the partition of the land known as _____, heretofore held under _____, dated the day of _____, 191 _____

At a sitting of the Court held at _____, on the day of _____, 191 _____, before _____, Esquire, Judge, and _____, Assessor.

It is, as part of the said partition, hereby ordered and declared that the several persons whose names appear in the first column of the Schedule indorsed hereon or annexed hereto, and therein numbered from one to _____, both inclusive, are the owners, in the relative shares or proportions set out in the second column of the said Schedule, of that part of the said land, containing _____, named by the Court _____, and which part is particularly delineated in the plan indorsed hereon.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court.

Fees charged : _____

THE SCHEDULE WITHIN REFERRED TO.

First Column.		Second Column.	
No.	Name.	Sex and, if Minor, Age.	Relative Interest.

Form No. 7.

PARTITION ORDER.

(Rule 38.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the partition of the land known as _____, heretofore held under _____, dated the day of _____, 191 _____

At a sitting of the Court held at _____ on the day of _____, 191 _____, before _____, Esquire, Judge, and _____, Assessor.

It is, as a part of the said partition, hereby ordered and declared that [State name, sex, and place of abode] is the owner of that part of the said land, containing _____, named by the Court _____, and which part is particularly delineated in the plan indorsed hereon.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court.

Fees charged : _____

Form No. 8.

APPLICATION FOR ORDER OF EXCHANGE.

(Rule 39.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

TO THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

I, _____, of _____, being the owner of the land or interest in land described in the First Schedule hereto, and being desirous of exchanging the same for the land or interest in land described in the Second Schedule :

And I, _____, of _____, being the owner of the land or interest in land described in the Second Schedule hereto, and being desirous of exchanging the same for the land or interest in land described in the First Schedule :

Hereby apply to the Court to effect such exchange. The money to be paid by _____ to _____ for equality of exchange is £ _____

Dated this _____ day of _____, 191 _____. (Signed.)

Signed by the said _____ in the presence of—
Justice of the Peace, Solicitor of the Supreme Court, Postmaster, Licensed Interpreter, or any Officer of the Court.

(Signed.)
Signed by the said _____ in the presence of—
Justice of the Peace, Solicitor of the Supreme Court, Postmaster, Licensed Interpreter, or any Officer of the Court.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Form No. 9.

ORDER OF EXCHANGE.

(Rule 42.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the application of _____ and _____ for exchange of lands under the provisions of the said Act. At a sitting of the Court held at _____ on the _____ day of _____, 191 _____, before _____, Esquire, a Judge of the said Court, upon hearing the said application for exchange of the lands or interests in land specified in the Schedules to the said application; and the Court being satisfied as to the matters in respect of which it is required by the said Act to be satisfied.

It is hereby ordered that effect shall be given to the said exchange, in terms of the said application, and that for the purpose aforesaid the land or interests in land hereinafter described—that is to say, [Describe with sufficient certainty]—shall be and the same are hereby vested in the said _____, as the owner thereof, as from the _____ day of _____, 191 _____.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court.

Fees charged : _____, Judge.

Form No. 10.

APPLICATION TO SUCCEED.

(Rule 44.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

To the Native Land Court,
I HEREBY apply to succeed to _____ in respect of his interest in _____

The said _____ died on or about the _____ day of _____, 191 _____.

I live at _____ My postal address is _____ Dated the _____ day of _____, 191 _____, Applicant.

Form No. 11.
SUCCESSION ORDER.

(Rule 45.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the land known as _____, and of the interest of _____, deceased, therein.

At a sitting of the Court held at _____ on the _____ day of _____, 191 _____, before _____, Esquire, Judge, and _____, Assessor :

It is hereby determined that [State names, sexes, and places of abode] are the persons who are entitled to succeed to the interest of and in the said land whereto the deceased died entitled, and it is hereby ordered that the said interest shall vest in the above-named successors equally or in the shares set out after the name of each respectively as from the _____ day of _____, one thousand nine hundred _____

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court.

Fees charged : _____, Judge.

Form No. 12.

APPLICATION BY COMMISSIONER OF STAMPS FOR ENFORCEMENT OF CHARGE.

(Rule 46.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909"; and "The Death Duties Act, 1909."

To the Native Land Court,

I HEREBY apply to the Court to enforce, by the appointment of a Receiver in respect of the property charged, the charge of £ _____, being Native succession duty payable in respect of the interest of _____, deceased, in the following land :—

Dated this _____ day of _____, 191 _____, Commissioner of Stamps.

Form No. 13.

APPOINTMENT OF RECEIVER UPON APPLICATION OF COMMISSIONER OF STAMPS.

(Rule 47.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909"; "The Death Duties Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of _____, deceased; and in the matter of the interest of the said deceased in land called _____

At a sitting of the Court held at _____ on the _____ day of _____, 191 _____, before _____, Esquire, a Judge of the said Court, and _____, Assessor :

Whereas the sum of £ _____, due and owing for Native succession duty, is a charge upon the interest of the above-named deceased in the said land : And whereas the Commissioner of Stamps has made application to the Court to enforce the charge by the appointment of a Receiver in respect of the property so charged :

Now, therefore, the Court doth hereby appoint _____, of _____, to receive the rents, revenues, and profits of the interest to which the deceased died entitled and the proceeds of any alienation thereof.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court.

Form No. 14.

APPLICATION BY WIDOW, CHILDREN, OR ORPHAN GRAND-CHILDREN OF A DECEASED NATIVE.

(Rule 48.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

To the Native Land Court,

I [WE] apply that the Court award to me [us] an interest in the real or personal estate of _____, deceased.

The said _____ died on the _____ day of _____, 191 _____.

I am [or we are] _____ of the deceased.

The lands affected are _____

The personal estate consists of _____

I [we] live at _____ My [our] postal address is _____ at _____

Dated the _____ day of _____, 191 _____.

Form No. 15.

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE.

(Rule 49.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

TO THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of _____, deceased.

I, _____, of _____, do hereby apply that probate of the will or letters of administration with will annexed of the estate and effects of the said _____ may be granted to me.

Dated the _____ day of _____, 191 _____.

Form No. 16.

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

(Rule 49.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

To THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND. }

In the matter of , deceased.

I, , of , do hereby apply that letters of administration of the personal estate and effects of the said may be granted to me.

Dated the day of , 191 .

Form No. 17.

DECLARATION ON APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

(Rule 51.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND. }

In the matter of , deceased.

I, , of , do solemnly and sincerely declare that I knew when alive, and that the said was resident at , in New Zealand; and that the said died at on or about the day of , 191 .

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1908."

Declared at , this day of , 191 , before me—

Form No. 18.

DECLARATION PRIOR TO GRANT OF PROBATE OR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

(Rules 51 and 55.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND. }

In the matter of , deceased.

I, , of , do solemnly and sincerely declare—

1. [*Delete clause 1 if no will*] That I believe the document now produced to me, bearing date the day of , 191 , and marked "A," to be the last will and testament of the said , deceased.

2. That, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, the estate, effects, and credits of the deceased to be administered by me are under the value of £ ; that I will exhibit unto this Court a true, full, and perfect inventory of all the estate, effects, and credits of the deceased on or before the day of , 191 ; and that I will file a true account of my administration on or before the day of , 191 .

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1908."

Declared at , this day of , 191 , before me—

Form No. 19.

PROBATE.

(Rule 52.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND. }

In the matter of , deceased.

Be it known to all men that on this day of , in the year one thousand nine hundred and , the last will and testament of , deceased, a copy of which is hereunto annexed, hath been exhibited, read, and proved in this Court, and administration of the estate, effects, and credits of the deceased hath been and is hereby granted to , the execut in the said will and testament named, he having first solemnly declared that he will faithfully execute the said will by paying the debts and legacies of the deceased as far as the property will extend and the law binds, reserving nevertheless to this Court full power and authority to grant like probate and administration to , the other executors named in the will, whenever they shall appear before this Court and sue for the same.

As witness the hand of , Esquire, Judge, and the seal of the Court, this day of , 191 .

Fees charged :

Form No. 20.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION WITH WILL ANNEXED.

(Rule 52.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND. }

To , widow, or widower, or next-of-kin, of , deceased.

WHEREAS the said lately departed this life, leaving a will, which has been duly proved in this Court: And whereas no executor is named in that will: You are therefore fully empowered and authorised by these presents to administer the estate and effects of the said deceased, and to demand and recover whatever debts may belong to his or her estate, and pay whatever debts the deceased did owe, and also the legacies contained in the said will, so far as such estate and effects shall extend; you having already solemnly declared that you will well and faithfully administer the same, and exhibit a true and perfect inventory of all the estate and effects unto this Court on or before the day of next, and also file a true account of your administration thereof on or before the day of , 191 . And you are therefore by these presents constituted administrator with the will annexed of all the estate and effects of the said deceased.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court, this day of , 191 .

Fees charged :

Form No. 21.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

(Rule 52.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND. }

To , widow, or widower, or next-of-kin, of , deceased.

WHEREAS the said lately departed this life intestate: You are therefore fully empowered and authorised by these presents to administer the estate and effects of the said deceased, and to demand and recover whatever debts may belong to his or her estate, and pay whatever debts the said deceased did owe, so far as such estate and effects shall extend; you having already solemnly declared that you will well and faithfully administer the same, and exhibit a true and perfect inventory of all the estate and effects unto this Court on or before the day of next; and also file a true account of your administration thereof on or before the day of , 191 . And you are therefore by these presents constituted administrator or administratrix of all the estate and effects of the said deceased.

As witness the hand of , Esquire, Judge, and the seal of the Court, this day of , 191 .

Fees charged :

Form No. 22.

ADMINISTRATION BOND.

(Rule 54.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND. }

KNOW all men by these presents that we, , of , are held and firmly bound unto , Registrar of the Native Land Court for the district, in the sum of £ , for which payment well and truly to be made to the said , or to such Registrar for the time being, we do, and each of us doth, bind ourselves and each of us, and the heirs, executors, and administrators of us, and of each of us, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Whereas, by order of this Court of the day of , 191 , it is ordered that letters of administration of the estate, effects, and credits of , deceased, be granted to the said on giving security for the due administration thereof: And whereas hath declared that, to the best of knowledge, information, and belief, the said estate, effects, and credits are under the value of £ :

Now, the condition of the above-written bond is that, if the above-bounden shall exhibit unto this Court a true and perfect inventory of all the estate, effects, and credits of the deceased which shall come into possession of the said on or before the day of , 191 , and shall well and truly administer the same

according to law, and shall render to this Court a true and just account of his said administratorship on or before the day of , 191 , then this bond shall be void and of none effect, but otherwise shall remain in full force.

Signed the day of , 191 ; in the presence of—

Form No. 23.

APPLICATION FOR ADOPTION.

(Rule 57.)

“The Native Land Act, 1909.”

I [We] , Native within the meaning of “The Native Land Act, 1909,” hereby apply to the Native Land Court for an order for the adoption by me [or us] of a male [female] child under the age of fifteen years, being a Native or the descendant of a Native. The said child is the son [daughter] of and , of

Dated the day of , 191 . Applicant.

Form No. 24.

CONSENT TO ADOPTION.

(Rule 58.)

“The Native Land Act, 1909.”

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND. }

We, , the parents [or surviving parent] of a child under the age of fifteen years, do hereby consent to an order for his [or her] adoption being made, in terms of the said Act, in favour of

Dated at , this day of , 191 .
Signed by and in the presence of—

- A Solicitor of the Supreme Court.
- A Justice of the Peace
- A Stipendiary Magistrate.
- A Judge, Registrar, or Commissioner of the Native Land Court.
- A European Member of a Maori Land Board.
- A Postmaster.

(Where Native understands English, attesting witness signs following certificate.)

I HEREBY certify that each Native signing the above consent has a sufficient knowledge of the English language to enable each of them to understand, and that each of them did understand, the effect of this instrument.

(Where Native does not understand English, a licensed interpreter of first grade must also attest signature and sign following certificate.)

I CERTIFY that I explained the effect of this instrument to the persons signing the same, and that each of them understood the effect thereof.

Form No. 25.

ADOPTION ORDER.

(Rule 60)

“The Native Land Act, 1909.”

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND. }

In the matter of “The Native Land Act, 1909”; and in the matter of an application by for an order of adoption in respect of , a child under the age of fifteen years.

WHEREAS at a sitting of the Court held at , this day of , 191 , before , Esquire, a Judge of the said Court, upon the hearing of the application of for the adoption of the child of and , which said child is now aged , and is a Native or the descendant of a Native, the Court was satisfied as to the several matters of which by the said Act it is required to be satisfied, and that all the conditions and requirements of the said Act and the rules of Court made thereunder had been duly complied with and fulfilled :

Now, therefore, the Court doth hereby order and adjudge that the said child, named , may be and is hereby adopted by the said under the said Act as from the date hereof.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court, the day of , 191 .

Fees charged : , Judge.

Form No. 26

APPLICATION FOR ANNULMENT OF ADOPTION.

(Rule 61.)

In the matter of “The Native Land Act, 1909”; and in the matter of the adoption of by

I, , of , hereby apply to the Native Land Court to annul the above-mentioned adoption upon the grounds following, that is to say :—

Dated this day of , 191 . Applicant.

Form No. 27.

ORDER ANNULLING ADOPTION.

(Rule 62.)

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND. }

In the matter of “The Native Land Act, 1909”; and in the matter of the adoption of by ; and in the matter of the application of for the annulment of the said adoption.

At a sitting of the Court held at on the day of , 191 , before , Esquire, a Judge of the said Court, upon hearing the application of the said aforesaid for the annulment of the said adoption, and upon hearing the parties interested in the matter of the said application and the evidence adduced before the Court, and being satisfied that the said adoption should be annulled, the Court doth hereby order that the adoption of , the of and , by , and the order dated the day of , 191 , effecting the same, shall be and the same are hereby annulled as from the date hereof.

As witness the hand of the Judge and seal of the Court.

Fees charged : , Judge.

Form No. 28.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEE.

(Rule 64.)

“The Native Land Act, 1909.”

To the Native Land Court,

I HEREBY apply to the Court for an order appointing a trustee, or new trustee, or new trustees of , being a person under the following disability in respect of his interest in , which interest he acquired by succession to , or upon investigation of title.

The present trustees of such person are [If application is for new trustee]

Dated this day of , 191 . Applicant.

Form No. 29.

TRUSTEE ORDER.

(Rule 65.)

“The Native Land Act, 1909.”

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND. }

[Name of land].

At a sitting of the Court held at , before , Esquire, Judge, and , Assessor.

It is ordered that , of , be and hereby appointed trustee for the purposes of the said Act of [State disability] in respect of his interest in the above-named land acquired by him , and that the said trustee shall have the several powers and be subject to the several legal incidents in the said Act expressed, save and except the following, that is to say : [Here state the powers and incidents to be negatived or varied, if any].

And it is further ordered that the previous order of the Court dated the day of , appointing trustee of the said in respect of his said interest, be and the same is hereby cancelled.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court, this day of , 191 .

Fees charged : , Judge.

Form No. 30.
CERTIFICATE OF AGE.
(Rule 66.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of an application by _____, an owner in the Block, claiming to have attained the age of twenty-one years.

AFTER due inquiry made, it is hereby certified, in terms of section 178 of the above-mentioned Act, that the said _____, who appears on the records of the Court relating to the said block to be still a minor, is now of the full age of twenty-one years.

Dated at _____, this _____ day of _____, 191____, Judge.

Fee charged : _____

Form No. 31.

APPLICATION FOR DETERMINATION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.
(Rule 68.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

We, the undersigned, being persons claiming to be entitled respectively to a share or interest in land called _____ and held under _____, make application to the Court to inquire and decide what among the several owners of such land are their relative shares or interests therein.

Dated this _____ day _____, 191____.

Form No. 32.

ORDER DETERMINING RELATIVE INTERESTS.
(Rule 69.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the land known as _____, and of the application of _____ to determine the relative interests of the several owners thereof.

At a sitting of the Court held at _____, before _____, Esquire, Judge, and _____, Assessor.

It is hereby ordered and declared that as among the several owners of the said land their relative shares and interests therein are equal in value, or in the proportions set out after the name of each such owner respectively in the Schedule hereto annexed.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court, this _____ day of _____, 191____, Judge.

Fees charged : _____

Form No. 33.

APPLICATION FOR INJUNCTION.
(Rule 75.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

To the Native Land Court,

I [WE] hereby apply to the Court for an injunction prohibiting _____ from _____ in, upon, or to _____

Dated this _____ day of _____, 191____, Applicant.

Form No. 34.

INJUNCTION.
(Rule 75.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

[Name of Land.]

To

You are and each of you is hereby ordered to refrain from [Specify particular Act which it is desired to prohibit] in and upon the said land called _____

As witness the hand of _____, Esquire, a Judge of the Court, and the seal of the Court, this _____ day of _____, 191____.

Fees charged : _____

Form No. 35.
INJUNCTION.
(Rule 75.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

[Name of Land].

To

You are and each of you is hereby ordered to refrain from [Specify particular act which it is desired to prohibit] in and upon the said land called _____ so long as the matters now in dispute affecting the said land shall be before this Court or the Native Appellate Court, or until this order is by the Court revoked.

As witness the hand of _____, Esquire, a Judge of the Court, and the seal of the Court, this _____ day of _____, 191____.

Fees charged : _____

Form No. 36.

APPLICATION FOR INCORPORATION.
(Rule 77.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

To the Native Land Court,

We, the owners of [Specify the area or areas] each of which area is owned (whether beneficially or as a trustee) by more than five persons as tenants in common thereof (excepting which is owned by not more than five persons, and forms a continuous area with the other area or areas included in this application) do hereby apply to the Court for an order of incorporation under Part XVII of the above-named Act, and consent to the making of such order, as witness our signatures appearing in the Schedule hereunder.

SCHEDULE OF SIGNATURES.

Block.

Signature of Owner or Trustee.	Attesting Witness.	Date of Signature.

Form No. 37.

CONSENT TO ORDER OF INCORPORATION.
(Rule 78.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

To the Native Land Court,

We hereby consent to the making of an order of incorporation of the following land :—

As witness our signatures in the Schedule hereunder.

SCHEDULE OF SIGNATURES.

Block.

Signature of Owner or Trustee.	Attesting Witness.	Date of Signature.

Form No. 38.

APPLICATION BY BOARD FOR ORDER OF INCORPORATION
(UNDER PART XVIII).

(Rule 80.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

To the Native Land Court,

In pursuance of a separate resolution passed by the respective assembled owners of _____ cop of which attached hereto, and which resolution ha

been duly confirmed by the Maori Land Board of the Maori Land District, the said Board doth hereby apply to the Court for an order of incorporation of the owners of the said land

Given under the seal of the Board at this day of , 191 , in the presence of (L.S.) , President. , Member.

Form No. 39.

ORDER OF INCORPORATION.

(Rule 81.)

“The Native Land Act, 1909.”

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT } OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of an application for incorporation by the owners of

At a sitting of the Court held at , on the day of , 191 , before , Esquire, Judge.

Upon reading the application for incorporation herein, and it having been proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the legal owners, or their trustees in the case of owners under disability, of not less than one-half of each of the said land , and that all the owners of , being land owned by not more than five owners, and forming a continuous area with the other land included in the application, consent to the making of this order, it is hereby ordered that the owners of the said land shall be and the same are hereby constituted a body corporate under Part XVII of the said Act by the name of “The Proprietors of ,” in respect of the whole of such land or such part of such land as specified in the Schedule hereto, subject to the following restrictions, conditions, and exceptions:—

And it is hereby further ordered that a meeting of the incorporated owners of the said land shall be held at , on the day of , 191 , at the hour of o'clock in the , for the purpose of electing a Committee of Management of the said land , and determining the number of its members.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court. Fees charged :

SCHEDULE.

Form No. 40.

ORDER OF INCORPORATION ON APPLICATION BY BOARD.

(Rule 81.)

“The Native Land Act, 1909.”

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT } OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of an application for incorporation of the owners of , made by the Maori Land Board of the Maori Land District.

At a sitting of the Court held at , on the day of , 191 , before , Esquire, Judge.

Upon reading the application of the said Board, and upon proof to the satisfaction of the Court of the consent of the owners of , being an area owned by not more than five owners, and forming a continuous area with the other land proposed to be included in this order, it is hereby ordered that the owners of the said land shall be and the same are hereby constituted a body corporate under Part XVII of the said Act by the name of “The Proprietors of ,” in respect of the whole of such land , or such part of such land as specified in the Schedule hereto, subject to the following restrictions, conditions, and exceptions:—

And it is hereby further ordered that a meeting of the incorporated owners of the said land shall be held at , on the day of , 191 , at the hour of o'clock in the , for the purpose of electing a Committee of Management of the said land , and determining the number of its members.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court. Fees charged :

SCHEDULE.

Form No. 41.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

(Rule 84.)

“The Native Land Act, 1909.”

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT } OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of [Specify land or lands]; and in the matter of an order of incorporation, dated the day of , 191 .

At a sitting of the Court held at , on the day of , 191 , before , Esquire, Judge.

In accordance with the election made by the incorporated owners of the said land, or whereas the incorporated owners of the said land have made default in electing a Committee, the Court doth hereby appoint the following [State number] persons to be the Committee of Management of the said land, namely:—

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court. Fees charged :

Form No. 42.

APPOINTMENT OF A MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

(Rule 84.)

“The Native Land Act, 1909.”

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT } OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of [Specify the land or lands]; and in the matter of an order of incorporation dated the day of , 191 .

At a sitting of the Court held at , on the day of , 191 , before , Esquire, Judge.

The Court doth hereby appoint as a member of the Committee of Management of the said land in place of [State nature of the vacancy].

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court. Fees charged :

Form No. 43.

APPLICATION TO WIND UP A BODY CORPORATE.

(Rule 86.)

“The Native Land Act, 1909.”

To the Native Land Court,

I (WE), or the Committee of Management, do hereby apply to the Court for an order winding up the body corporate called or known as “The Proprietors of ,” on the grounds [State briefly in terms of Rule as nearly as may be].

Dated at , the day of , 191 .

, Registrar
or
, Creditor
or
, Chairman } of the Committee
, Member } of Management.
or
} Incorporated owners.

Signed by and , in the presence of [Some person authorised to attest the will of a Native. See Section 134 of the Act.]

Form No. 44.

ORDER WINDING UP A BODY CORPORATE.

(Rule 90.)

“The Native Land Act, 1909.”

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT } OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the body corporate called or known as “The Proprietors of ,”

At a sitting of the Court held at , on the day of , 191 , before , Esquire, Judge.

Upon reading the application of , and on being satisfied that [State grounds in terms of rule as nearly as may be] the Court doth hereby order that the said body corporate shall be and the same is hereby wound up. And the Court doth hereby appoint , of , to act as liquidator of the said body corporate, and to have,

subject to the directions of this Court, all the powers and authorities possessed by an official liquidator under "The Companies Act, 1908."

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court.

Fees charged :

Judge.

Form No. 45.

ORDER VESTING THE PROPERTY OF A BODY CORPORATE IN THE BENEFICIARIES.

(Rule 91.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT }
OF NEW ZEALAND. }

In the matter of the body corporate called or known as "The Proprietors of "; and in the matter of an order dated the day of , 191 , winding up such body corporate.

At a sitting of the Court held at , on the day of , 191 , before , Esquire, Judge.

It is hereby ordered that , being land vested in the said body corporate, shall vest and the same is hereby vested in the persons whose names are set forth in the first column of the Schedule hereto, and therein numbered respectively from 1 to , both inclusive, in the relative shares or proportions set out in the second column of the said Schedule.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court.
Fees charged :

Judge.

SCHEDULE.

First Column.			Second Column.
No.	Name.	Sex and (if Minor) Age.	Relative Interest.

Form No. 46.

ORDER DISSOLVING A BODY CORPORATE.

(Rule 92.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT }
OF NEW ZEALAND. }

In the matter of the body corporate called or known as "The Proprietors of "; and in the matter of an order dated the day of , 191 , winding up such body corporate.

At a sitting of the Court held at , on the day of , 191 , before , Esquire, Judge.

Whereas the winding-up of the said body corporate has been completed in accordance with rules of Court, and, subject to such rules, in accordance with directions from time to time given by this Court: And whereas it is desirable that the said body corporate shall be dissolved: It is hereby ordered that the said body corporate shall be and the same is hereby dissolved.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court.

Fees charged :

Judge.

Form No. 47.

SUMMONS TO WITNESS.

(Rule 100.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND. }

In the matter of

To

You are hereby summoned to attend the said Court at on the day of , at the hour of in the noon, and from day to day

until required, to give evidence in the said matter [If the production of documents is required, add] and you are hereby required then and there to have and produce to the Court [Specify the documents required], and all other books, deeds, papers, and writings relating to the said matter in your possession or under your control.

As witness my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of , 191 , Judge.

NOTE.—If you fail to obey this summons you are liable to a penalty of £20, and in default of payment to be imprisoned for fourteen days.

INDORSEMENTS ON SUMMONS.

I, the undersigned, one of the Judges of the Native Land Court, do hereby direct that service of this summons may be effected by [State mode of service].

Dated the day of , 191 , Judge.

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I served this summons on at on the day of , at the hour of in the noon, and that I paid or tendered to him her the sum of £ for expenses.

Name:

Place of residence:

Form No. 48.

WARRANT OF COMMITMENT FOR DEFAULT IN PAYMENT OF A FINE UNDER SECTION 21.

(Rule 105.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

To , Constable, of , and to the Keeper of the Prison [or Police-gaol] at

WHEREAS , of , was, on the day of , 191 , adjudged by the Native Land Court, sitting at , to have committed the offence of contempt of Court under section 21 of "The Native Land Act, 1909," and was thereupon sentenced, in accordance with the provisions of that section, to pay a fine of , or in default of payment to be imprisoned for a period of days: And whereas default has been made in the payment of the said fine:

Now, this is to command you, the said , to take the said and to safely convey him to the prison [or police-gaol] at , and there to deliver him to the keeper thereof, together with this warrant.

And I do hereby command you, the said keeper of the said prison [or police-gaol], to receive the said into your custody in the said prison [or police-gaol], there to imprison him for the term of days

Given under my hand, this day of 191 , at

A Judge of the Native Land Court.

Form No. 49.

SUMMONS TO WITNESS TO SHOW CAUSE.

(Rule 106.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, }
NEW ZEALAND. }

In the matter of [As in the original summons].

To

You are hereby summoned to attend the said Court at on the day of , 191 , at the hour of in the noon, to show cause why you should not be fined, and otherwise dealt with according to law, for that you, on the day of , 191 , neglected or failed without sufficient cause to appear at the sitting of the said Court at or to produce to the said Court sitting at [State particulars of books, &c.] as required by a summons under the hand of , Esquire, Judge, served personally [If otherwise, state mode of service] upon you on the day of , 191 , at , by , or that you, on the day of , 191 , at the sitting of the said Court at , being present in Court, and being required by me to give evidence in the said matter, did refuse to be sworn or to give evidence therein.

And take notice, if you fail to attend as required by this summons, the matter may be determined in your absence.

As witness my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of , 191 , Judge.

Form No. 50.

ORDER IMPOSING PENALTY ON A WITNESS.

(Rule 107.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of [Same as in the summons, if any].

WHEREAS at a sitting of the Court holden at on the day of 191, of being present in Court, and being required by me, to give evidence in the said matter, did refuse to be sworn or to give evidence in the said matter: And whereas the said has been afforded opportunity to show cause why he should not be fined, and has failed to satisfy me, the said

Now, I, the said, do hereby adjudge the said, for his said refusal, to forfeit and pay the sum of [Not exceeding £20], to be paid and applied according to law; and if the said sum be not paid forthwith I, adjudge the said to be imprisoned in the common gaol at, in the Provincial District of, for the space of [Not exceeding fourteen days], unless the said sum shall be sooner paid.

As witness my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 191, Judge.

Form No. 51.

ORDER IMPOSING PENALTY ON WITNESS.

(Rule 107.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of [Same as in summons, if any].

WHEREAS by a summons dated the day of 191, under the hand of, one of the Judges of the said Court, of, was summoned to appear at the sitting of the Court, at, on the day of 191, at the hour of in the noon, to give evidence in the said matter, and then and there to have and produce to the Court [State documents required to be produced], and all other books, deeds, papers, and writings relating to the said matter in his possession or under his control; and the said summons was served personally on the said or with the leave of the said Judge by [State mode of service authorised], at, by, of, on the day of 191, who then and there paid or tendered to the said the sum of £ as and for his expenses, such sum being according to the scale made by the rules of the said Court in that behalf: And whereas the said neglected or failed, without sufficient cause, to appear as required or to produce [State documents], the same being a [State documents], relating to the said matter, and in his possession or under his control: And whereas the said has been afforded opportunity to show cause why he should not be fined, and has failed to satisfy me, the said

Now, I, the said, do hereby adjudge the said, for his said neglect, or failure, or refusal, to be paid and applied according to law; and if the said sum be not paid forthwith I, adjudge the said to be imprisoned in the common gaol at, in the Provincial District of, for the space of [Not exceeding fourteen days], unless the said sum shall be sooner paid.

As witness my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 191, Judge.

Form No. 52.

ORDER FOR PAYMENT OF MONEY HELD IN TRUST FOR MINOR.

(Rule 111.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of a sum of held by on behalf of, minor, being

At a sitting of the Court held at, before Esquire, Judge, and, Assessor.

It is ordered that the pay to, on behalf of the said, the sum of, being of the above-mentioned sum.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court, this day of 191, Judge.

Form No. 53.

APPLICATION FOR REHEARING (UNDER SECTION 28).

(Rule 112.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of
To, Esquire, Judge.

I HEREBY apply to you to grant a rehearing of the above matter, in which an order was made by you on the day of 191, at, upon the following grounds:—

Dated at, this day of 191.

Form No. 54.

NOTICE OF APPEAL.

(Rule 118.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

To the Registrar, Native Land Court.

TAKE notice that I [we] hereby appeal from the decision of the Court given at on the day of 191, in the matter of, upon the following grounds [If statement of grounds attached refer thereto]:—

Signed by on the day of 191, in the presence of—

- A Solicitor of the Supreme Court.
- A Justice of the Peace.
- A Stipendiary Magistrate.
- A Judge, Registrar, or Commissioner of the Native Land Court.
- A European Member of a Maori Land Board.
- A Postmaster.

(Where Native understands English, attesting witness signs following certificate.)

I HEREBY certify that each Native signing the above notice of appeal has a sufficient knowledge of the English language to enable each of them to understand, and that each of them did understand, the effect of this instrument.

(Where Native does not understand English, a licensed interpreter of the first grade must also attest signature and sign following certificate.)

I CERTIFY that I explained the effect of this instrument to the persons signing the same, and that each of them understood the effect thereof.

NOTE.—If statement of grounds of appeal is attached, the attesting witness should mark it and sign his name thereon to identify it.

Form No. 55.

APPLICATION OF REGISTRAR FOR DISMISSAL OF APPEAL.

(Rule 124.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the appeal of from the decision of the Native Land Court [State nature of decision appealed from].

I, Registrar of the Native Land Court for the District, hereby make application to have the above appeal dismissed on the ground that the appellant has up to the date of the making of this application failed to deposit with me as such Registrar as aforesaid the amount ordered to be deposited as security for costs in respect of the above appeal, and that the time or extended time allowed for payment thereof has elapsed, or failed to lodge with me as such Registrar a more explicit statement of the grounds of appeal as required by the Chief Judge, and that the time for lodging such statement has elapsed.

Dated at, this day of 191, Registrar.

Form No. 56.

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL.

(Rule 124.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the appeal of _____ from the decision of the Native Land Court on [State nature of decision appealed from].

At a sitting of the Court held at _____ on the day of _____, 191____, before _____, Esquire, Judge, and _____, Assessor, upon the application of the Registrar of the Native Land Court for the _____ District, and upon proof to the satisfaction of the Court that the appellant has failed to deposit with the Registrar the sum required to be deposited as security for the costs of the said appeal under the provisions of Rule 122, or to lodge with the Registrar a more explicit statement of the grounds of appeal as required by the Chief Judge under the provisions of Rule 123, of the Rules of Court made under the said Act.

It is ordered that the said appeal be and the same is hereby dismissed on the ground of the failure to deposit the required security, or of the failure to lodge a more explicit statement of the grounds of appeal, as aforesaid.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court.

_____, Judge.

Form No. 57.

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL.

(Rule 124.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the appeal of _____ from the decision of the Native Land Court on [State nature of decision appealed from].

UPON the application of the Registrar of the Native Land Court for the _____ District, and upon proof to my satisfaction: that the appellant has failed to deposit with the Registrar the sum required to be deposited as security for the costs of the said appeal under the provisions of Rule 122, or to lodge with the Registrar a more explicit statement of the grounds of appeal as required by the Chief Judge under the provisions of Rule 123, of the rules of Court made under the said Act, I do order that the said appeal be and the same is hereby dismissed on the ground of the failure to deposit the required security or of the failure to lodge a more explicit statement of the grounds of appeal.

As witness the hand of _____, Esquire, Judge, this day of _____, 191____.

_____, Judge.

Form No. 58.

APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO APPEAL UNDER SUBSECTION (1) OF SECTION 50 OF "THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909."

(Rule 129.)

To the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court.

I [WE] hereby apply for leave to appeal to the Appellate Court against a final order of the Native Land Court made at _____, on the day of _____, 191____, in the matter of _____, upon the following grounds:—

Dated the _____ day of _____, 191____, Applicant.

Postal address of applicant: _____

Form No. 59.

APPLICATION UNDER SUBSECTION (3) OF SECTION 50 OF "THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909," FOR REHEARING OF APPEAL.

(Rule 145.)

In the matter of a final order made by the Native Appellate Court, sitting at _____ on the day of _____, 191____, in respect of _____

To the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court.

I [WE] hereby apply for an order directing the rehearing by the Native Appellate Court of the appeal or matter in which the above-mentioned order was made, upon the following grounds:—

Dated the _____ day of _____, 191____, Applicant.

Postal address of applicant: _____

Form No. 60.

ORDER FOR REHEARING UNDER SUBSECTION (3) OF SECTION 50 OF "THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909."

(Rule 147.)

IN THE NATIVE APPELLATE COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of a final order of the Court, dated the day of _____, and of the application of _____ for a rehearing of the matter in which the said order was made.

I, _____, Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, being satisfied that the applicant _____ shown a *prima facie* case of error of _____ in the said order—namely, —and the Governor in Council having given his consent hereto, do hereby order that the Native Appellate Court rehear _____, subject, however,

Dated this _____ day of _____, 191____, Chief Judge.

Form No. 61.

ORDER FOR COSTS.

(Rule 164.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of _____

At a sitting of the Court at _____, before _____, Esquire, Judge:

It is ordered that _____, of _____, do pay, on or before the day of _____, to _____, of _____, the sum of £ _____ as and for his costs of and incidental to the said matter.

And it is further ordered that all that _____ do stand charged, and the same is hereby charged, with the payment to the said _____, his executors, administrators, or assigns, of the said sum of £ _____

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court, this _____ day of _____, 191____,

_____, Judge.

Form No. 62.

APPOINTMENT OF RECEIVER UNDER SECTION 31 OF "THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909."

(Rule 167.)

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of [Here set out the land or interest in land or property charged] and _____—In the matter of the sum of £ _____, being a charge thereon for _____, under order of the Court dated the day of _____, 191____.

At a sitting of the Court held at _____ on the day of _____, 191____, before _____, Esquire, Judge:

Whereas the said sum of £ _____ is still due and owing: [~~Strike out if not required~~] And whereas security for the proper performance of the duties of a receiver has been duly given by _____, of _____:

Now, therefore, for the purpose of enforcing the charge above referred to, the Court doth hereby appoint _____, of [Residence and calling], a receiver in respect of the property so charged as aforesaid, to receive the rents, income, revenues, and profits arising therefrom, and the proceeds of any alienation thereof.

And the Court doth order the lessees of the said land or interest in land to pay all rents due or accruing due in respect thereof to the said _____ as such receiver. And he, the said _____, in addition to any powers specially conferred upon receivers by the said Act, shall, as such receiver, have the same rights, powers, duties, and liabilities as a receiver appointed by the Supreme Court in the exercise of its jurisdiction in that behalf, save and except the following—that is to say, [~~Here state the powers, &c., to be negatived or varied~~].

As witness the hand of the Judge and seal of the Court.

_____, Judge.

Form No. 63.

CERTIFICATE OF CHIEF SURVEYOR.

(Rule 171.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

In the matter of a survey or subdivisional survey of _____

I HEREBY certify to the Native Land Court that the survey above mentioned has been properly performed, and the plan thereof numbered _____ has been duly approved;

that the date of completion of the said survey was the day of , 191 ; and that the sum of is a fair and reasonable charge for such survey or is according to the authorised scale of charges for the work performed.

Dated this day of , 191 , Chief Surveyor, District.

Form No. 64.

CHARGING-ORDER FOR COST OF SURVEY.

(Rule 172.)

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of "The Native Land Act, 1909," and of an application by , under section 398 of the Act, in respect of the cost of survey of [Describe land in respect of which costs incurred].

At a sitting of the Native Land Court held at on the day of , 191 , before , Esquire, a Judge of the said Court :

Whereas it has been certified to the Court, in terms of section 397 of the said Act, and the Court is satisfied, that the sum of £ is now due and owing for the costs incurred by the Crown in respect of the said survey :

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered that all that parcel of land containing [Describe land with sufficient certainty] do stand charged and the same is hereby charged with the payment to the Surveyor-General on behalf of His Majesty of the said sum of £ , together with interest thereon as in the said Act provided.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court, this day of , 191 , Judge.

Fees charged :

Form No. 65.

ORDER VARYING FORMER CHARGING-ORDER.

(Rule 172.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of an order of the Court bearing date the day of , 191 , charging with the payment of the sum of £ , costs of survey of the said land.

At a sitting of the Court held at on the day of , 191 , before , Esquire, Judge :

Whereas since the making of the said order there has been , and it appears desirable and proper that the said order should be varied and the charge apportioned : It is ordered that each of the several parcels of land described in the first column of the Schedule hereto be and each of them is hereby respectively charged with the payment to the Surveyor-General on behalf of His Majesty of the respective sums of money (being part of the above-mentioned sum of £) set out in the second column of the said Schedule opposite the description of each of the said parcels of land, together with interest on the said sums of money respectively, as in the said Act provided.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court, this day of , 191 , Judge.

THE SCHEDULE.

FIRST COLUMN. Description of Parcel.	SECOND COLUMN. Amount charged thereon.

Form No. 66.

ORDER VESTING LAND IN SATISFACTION OF CHARGE.

(Rule 173.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of an application by the Native Minister in respect of the cost of survey of Block.

At a sitting of the Court held at , before , Esquire, Judge.

Whereas by an order of the Court bearing date the day of , 191 , the above-described land was charged with the payment to the Surveyor-General on behalf of His Majesty of the sum of £ : And whereas it appears to the Court that the said amount, with interest thereon amounting to £ , making in all the sum of £ , is still due and owing to the Surveyor-General :

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered, in terms of section 399 of the above Act, that all that portion of the aforesaid block, containing acres, and known as , as is delineated in the plan indorsed hereon, be and the same is hereby vested in His Majesty the King in fee-simple in satisfaction and discharge of such cost of survey.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court, this day of , 191 , Judge.

Form No. 67.

ORDER VESTING CUSTOMARY LAND IN SATISFACTION OF CHARGE.

(Rule 173.)

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the costs incurred by the Crown in respect of the cost of survey of , being customary land.

At a sitting of the Court held at on the day of , 191 , before , Esquire, Judge.

Whereas it has been certified to the Court, in terms of section 397 of the said Act, and the Court is satisfied, that the sum of £ is now due and owing for the costs incurred by the Crown in respect of the said survey :

And whereas the Court is now proceeding with the ascertainment of the title to the above-mentioned customary land :

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered that all that parcel of land containing part of the said land above prescribed, and which is called by the Court , be and the same is hereby vested in His Majesty the King in fee-simple in satisfaction and discharge of such cost of survey; and that the Native customary title to the part so vested be and the same is hereby extinguished.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court, this day of , 191 , Judge.

Consented to.— , Native Minister.

Fees charged :

Form No. 68.

APPLICATION THAT NATIVE LAND MAY BE HELD AS "EUROPEAN LAND."

(Rule 174.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

To the Native Appellate Court.

I, , of , being a Native owning in severalty and beneficially for a legal estate in fee-simple the Native freehold land called , hereby apply to the Court for an order that the said land shall be held by me as European land within the meaning of "The Native Land Act, 1909."

Dated at , this day of , 191 . , Applicant.

Form No. 69.

ORDER THAT NATIVE FREEHOLD LAND BE HELD AS "EUROPEAN LAND."

(Rule 174.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE APPELLATE COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

At a sitting of the Court held at , on the day of , 191 , before and , Esquires, two of the Judges of the Court :

Whereas the Native freehold land called is owned in severalty and beneficially for a legal estate in fee-simple by , of , being a Native within the meaning of the above Act, and the said has applied to the Court for an order that the said land shall be held by him as European land :

It is ordered that the said land shall hereafter be held by the said as European land within the meaning of "The Native Land Act, 1909."

As witness the hand of Esquire, Chief Judge, and the seal of the Court.

Fees charged : , Chief Judge.

Form No. 70.

WARRANT OF COMMITMENT FOR CONTEMPT.

(Rule 183.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE COURT,
NEW ZEALAND

To _____, constable, and all other constables of _____, and to the keeper of the prison [police gaol] at _____,

WHEREAS at a sitting of the Native Court at _____, held this day before me, _____, presiding Judge, and _____ Assessor, of _____, did wilfully insult me, the said presiding Judge, while I was sitting in Court, in proceedings judicially before the said Court, or _____, the said Assessor, or Clerk of the Court, or Interpreter, or _____ during his attendance in Court, or did wilfully interrupt the proceedings of the Court, or did misbehave in Court, by then and there [Describe the insult, interruption, or misbehaviour].

This is therefore to require you, the said _____, or some other peace officer, to take the said _____ and deliver him to the said keeper of the _____ at _____, and I hereby command you, the said keeper, to receive the said _____ into your custody, and there to imprison him for the space of [Not exceeding fourteen days] days, or until he shall be sooner discharged by due course of law; and for your so doing this shall be your sufficient warrant.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of _____, 191 _____.

(I.S.) _____, Judge.

Form No. 71.

ORDER PROHIBITING SUPPLY OF LIQUOR TO NATIVES.

(Rule 184.)

"The Native Land Act, 1909."

IN THE NATIVE COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

WHEREAS I, _____, a Judge of this honourable Court, am of opinion that the supply of intoxicating liquors to Natives by _____, a person holding a publican's license, is interfering with or will probably interfere with the business of the Court during its present sitting at _____, I hereby order and direct that the said _____ shall not supply any intoxicating liquors, or permit any such liquors to be supplied on his licensed premises situated at _____ to Natives during _____.

As witness my hand this day of _____, 191 _____,

at _____, Judge.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

FEES.

	£	s.	d.
On application for appointment of trustee	Nil.		
On application under Rule 46	Nil.		
On application for succession order	0	2	0
On application under section 24	0	10	0
On application under section 50	2	0	0
On application under section 208	1	0	0
On any other application	0	5	0
Sealing subpoena (not more than three names)	0	5	0
Swearing witness	0	2	0
Hearing in Court (at discretion of Judge), each party per diem, not exceeding	1	0	0
Succession order (where fee paid on application)	0	3	0
Succession order (where no fee paid on application)	0	5	0
Order defining relative interests	1	0	0
Order of exchange—			
If value of either property exceeds £200	1	0	0
In any other case	0	10	0
Any other order conferring title to land	1	0	0
Order granting probate or letters of administration—			
Where property to be administered exceeds £200	1	0	0
In any other case	0	10	0
Order determining succession to property other than Native land	0	5	0
Order under section 24	1	0	0
Order of adoption	0	10	0
Order under section 50	Nil.		
Order under section 208	1	0	0
Order appointing trustee	Nil.		
Order of incorporation or of winding-up	1	0	0
Any other order not provided for	0	5	0
Search of any record	0	2	0
General search of any records in one matter, per day	0	5	0
Special notification	0	10	0
Sealing duplicate of any document	0	5	0
Office-copy, per folio (but not less than 2s. 6d.)	0	0	6
Certificate of Judge or Registrar	0	2	6
On lodging notice of appeal	0	10	0

NOTE.—The fee payable on lodging any application or notice shall be paid by stamp affixed to such application.

WITNESSES' EXPENSES.

	£	s.	d.
Professional men when their evidence as experts is required, per diem	1	1	0
	to		
	2	2	0
Bankers, merchants, auctioneers, land agents, masters of ships, and other gentlemen not specially mentioned, per diem	0	12	0
	to		
	1	1	0
Farmers, clerks, shopkeepers, storekeepers, mechanics, and journeymen, per diem	0	8	0
	to		
	0	12	0
Seamen and unskilled labourers, per diem	0	8	0
Female witnesses, two-thirds of the allowances of male witnesses of the same rank.			
Supreme Court schedule provision for witnesses' travelling-expenses and detention at night.			

THIRD SCHEDULE.

NATIVE LAND COURT DISTRICTS.

Name.	Boundaries.
Auckland Native Land Court District	All that area in the Dominion of New Zealand bounded towards the south generally from Parininihi by the confiscation-line and the southern boundary-lines of the Rohepotae Block to the Wanganni River; thence following the southern and south-eastern boundaries of the Auckland Land District (as described in Gazette No. 59, 16th July, 1908, page 1600) to the sea; thence towards the north-east generally by the sea to the North Cape; thence towards the north by the sea to Cape Maria van Dieman; thence towards the west generally by the sea to Parininihi, the point of commencement: including the adjacent islands.
Gisborne Native Land Court District	All that area in the Dominion of New Zealand bounded towards the north-east by the sea from Potiki Rua to the East Cape; thence towards the south-east and south by the sea to the mouth of the Mohaka River; thence by that river to its confluence with the Te Hoe Stream; thence by that stream, and by the Auckland Native Land Court District hereinbefore described, to Potiki Rua, the point of commencement.
Wanganui Native Land Court District	All that area in the Dominion of New Zealand bounded towards the north by the Auckland Native Land Court District hereinbefore described, from Parininihi to the boundary between the Hawke's Bay and Wellington Land Districts (as described in Gazette No. 30, 28th April, 1898, page 689); thence towards the east generally by the eastern boundary of the Wellington Land District to the south-eastern corner of the Awarua 1a No. 3 South Block; thence towards the south-east generally by the southern boundary of that block to the Oroua River; thence by that river to the southern boundary of the Oroua Survey District; thence by that boundary to the Rangitoto Survey District; thence by the southern boundary of that survey district to the road forming the south-eastern boundary of Sections Nos. 1, 4, 5, 8, 9, 11, 12, 15, 16, 22, 29 and 35, Te Kawanu Survey District; thence by that road to its intersection with the road forming the northern boundary of Sections Nos. 39, 46, 47, 48, 49, and 50, Block II, of the said Te Kawanu Survey District, to the Rangitikei River; thence by that river to the sea; thence towards the south-west, west, and north-west generally by the sea to Parininihi, the point of commencement.
Wellington Native Land Court District	All that area in the Dominion of New Zealand bounded towards the north-west and north by the Wanganui, Auckland, and Gisborne Native Land Court Districts hereinbefore described, and towards the south-east and south and towards the west by the sea: also all the Middle Island of New Zealand, Stewart Island, the Chatham Islands, and the islands adjacent to the area hereinbefore described.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Sittings of the Native Land Court and the Native Appellate Court.

Native Land Court (Chief Judge's Office),
Wellington, 9th April, 1910.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE HON THE NATIVE MINISTER,
WELLINGTON.

IN accordance with Rules of Court under "The Native Land Act, 1909," I have the honour to submit for your approval a schedule of the times and places at which it is proposed to hold ordinary sittings of the Native Land Court, and also a schedule of the times and places at which it is proposed to hold ordinary sittings of the Native Appellate Court.

JACKSON PALMER,
Chief Judge.

SCHEDULE OF SITTINGS OF THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
1910-1911.

1. North Auckland Circuit :—
Thursday, 16th June, 1910, at Whangarei.
Monday, 4th July, 1910, at Auckland.
Thursday, 6th October, 1910, at Dargaville.
Thursday, 3rd November, 1910, at Russell.
Monday, 16th January, 1911, at Whangarei.
Wednesday, 1st February, 1911, at Kaitaia.
2. South Auckland Circuit :—
Tuesday, 5th July, 1910, at Ngaruawahia.
Thursday, 11th August, 1910, at Cambridge.
Thursday, 3rd November, 1910, at Te Kuiti.
Tuesday, 6th December, 1910, at Shortland, Thames.
Monday, 16th January, 1911, at Ngaruawahia.
Thursday, 16th February, 1911, at Auckland.
3. Bay of Plenty Circuit :—
Monday, 16th May, 1910, at Rotorua.
Thursday, 21st July, 1910, at Te Kaha.
Monday, 19th September, 1910, at Whakatane.
Tuesday, 18th October, 1910, at Rotorua.
Wednesday, 16th November, 1910, at Opotiki.
Thursday, 15th December, 1910, at Rotorua.
Wednesday, 8th February, 1911, at Taupo.
4. Gisborne Circuit :—
Wednesday, 11th May, 1910, at Gisborne.
Monday, 20th June, 1910, at Te Araroa.
Tuesday, 9th August, 1910, at Tolago Bay.
Thursday, 15th September, 1910, at Port Awanui.
Thursday, 10th November, 1910, at Wairoa.
Monday, 16th January, 1911, at Gisborne.
Thursday, 16th February, 1911, at Tolago Bay.

5. Wanganui Circuit :—
Monday, 4th July, 1910, at Wanganui.
Monday, 15th August, 1910, at New Plymouth.
Tuesday, 13th September, 1910, at Taihape.
Monday, 3rd October, 1910, at Tokaanu.
Monday, 12th December, 1910, at Wanganui.
Monday, 16th January, 1911, at New Plymouth.
6. Wellington Circuit (including Hawke's Bay and South Island) :—
Thursday, 12th May, 1910, at Wellington.
Thursday, 19th May, 1910, at Otaki.
Thursday, 28th July, 1910, at Hastings.
Tuesday, 30th August, 1910, at Greytown.
Wednesday, 5th October, 1910, at Nelson.
Monday, 7th November, 1910, at Kaiapoi.
Thursday, 17th November, 1910, at Puketeraki.
Monday, 16th January, 1911, at Otaki.
Wednesday, 1st February, 1911, at Hastings.
Wednesday, 22nd February, 1911, at Greytown.

I approve of the above Schedule.

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister.

Government Buildings, Wellington,
9th April, 1910.

SCHEDULE OF ORDINARY SITTINGS OF THE NATIVE APPELLATE
COURT.

- Monday, 13th June, 1910, at Gisborne.*
Thursday, 14th July, 1910, at Wanganui.
Thursday, 21st July, 1910, at Hastings.
Thursday, 4th August, 1910, at Kaitaia.†
Tuesday, 13th September, 1910, at New Plymouth.
Thursday, 22nd September, 1910, at Wellington.
Tuesday, 11th October, 1910, at Auckland.
Tuesday, 25th October, 1910, at Okoroire.
Monday, 7th November, 1910, at Rotorua.‡
Tuesday, 6th December, 1910, at Invercargill.
Monday, 16th January, 1911, at Tuparua.
Wednesday, 15th February, 1911, at Ngaruawahia.

I approve of the above Schedule.

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister.

Government Buildings, Wellington,
9th April, 1910.

* Wairoa appeals will be gazetted for Gisborne, and Court will adjourn to Wairoa on conclusion of Gisborne business.
† Court will adjourn from Kaitaia to Kaikohe for Bay of Islands and Hokianga appeals.
‡ Court will adjourn from Rotorua to Taupo for Taupo appeals.

