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PROVINCE OF AUCKLAND,

[1875]

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Deeds—No. 92.

OTANGAROA No. 1 BLOCK, HOKIANGA DISTRICT.

HOKIANGA DISTRICT.

OTANGAROA
No. I.

Receipt for £116. 10.

THIS DEED made the nineteenth day of June 1875, between Her Majesty Queen Victoria on the one part and Tia Pakeke, Mere Whenua, and Peka of Hokianga Aboriginal Natives of the Colony of New Zealand (hereinafter called "the Vendors") of the other part, witnesseth that, in consideration of the sum of one hundred and sixteen pounds ten shillings (£116. 10. 0) by Her Majesty paid to the Vendors on the execution hereof (and the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) the Vendors do and each of them doth hereby surrender convey and assure unto Her said Majesty all that block or parcel of land containing One thousand two hundred and fifty seven acres or thereabout known or called Otangaroa No. 1 as the same is more particularly described in the Schedule hereto, and delineated on the plan on this Deed and coloured red, together with all rights and appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining. To hold the said land and premises with the appurtenances unto Her said Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for ever. In Witness whereof the Vendors have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written:

Signed by the said Tia Pakeke, Mere Whenua, and Peka after the contents had been explained to them by an Interpreter of the Court and they appearing clearly to understand the meaning of the same. In the presence of—

Henry A. H. Monro, Judge Native Land Court.
W. Bridson, Clerk N.L. Court.

TIA PAKEKE his x mark.
MERE WHENUA her x mark.
PEKA.

SCHEDULE

Boundaries.
[1,327 acres.]

BOUNDARY—Towards the North-east by the Otangaroa No. 3 Block eleven thousand two hundred and ninety-five (11295) links; towards the South-east by lines two thousand six hundred and twelve (2612) links and ten thousand three hundred and thirteen (10313) links; towards the South-west by Te Takanga Block nine thousand seven hundred and twenty-four (9724) links; and towards the North-west by the Rotokakahi Block one thousand two hundred and thirty-one (1231) links, six hundred and fourteen (614) links, five thousand and ninety-two (5092) links, one thousand seven hundred and forty-three (1743) links, one thousand one hundred and one (1101) links, and three thousand six hundred and fourteen (3614) links.

Maori price.

He pukapuka tuku rawa atu tena na Tia Pakeke, Mere Whenua ana Peka i tena whenua katoa tona ingoa ko Otangaroa No. 1 kia Wikitoria te Kuini o Igarangi ki ana uri ki nga Kingi ki nga Kuini i muri i a ia ake tonu atu. Ko te utu mo taua whenua Kotahi rau kotahi tekau ma ono pauna tekau harenui (£116. 10. 0) ko te nui Kotahi mano e rua rau e rima tekau ma whitu eka komeake iti iho ranei. Ko nga rohe enei. Ki te Kotia-tua-Marangi ko "Otangaroa No. 2" Ki te Marangi he whenua Maori. Ki te Tunga ko Te Takanga. Ki te Hauauru ko "Rotokakahi."

CHARLES E. NELSON,
Interpreter under Native Land Act, 1873.

Trust Commissioner's
certificate.

I, Theodore Minet Haultain, the Trust Commissioner under "The Native Lands Fraud Prevention Act, 1870," for the District of Auckland, do hereby certify that I have, with respect to the within-written instrument and the alienation thereby witnessed, made the inquiries directed by the said Act, and do certify that I am satisfied with the result of such inquiries.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1875.

T. M. HAULTAIN,
Trust Commr.

Registration.

763 c.
Received for Registration at 10 a.m., 1st Sept., 1875.
[L.S.]

M. HAMILTON,
Registrar.
H. HANSEN TURTON.

Wellington, March 8th, 1876.

1875.
19 June.

Deeds—No. 93.

OTANGAROA No. 2 BLOCK, HOKIANGA DISTRICT.

HOKIANGA DISTRICT.

OTANGAROA
No. II.

Receipt for £171. 10.

THIS DEED made the nineteenth day of June 1875 between Her Majesty Queen Victoria on the one part and Pauro Rangaihi, Wiremu Tana Papahia, Wiremu Mutu, Amiria Te Tai, Herewini Te Toke, Mihaka Arapeti, Mika Hone Kingi, and Pauro Mura, of Hokianga Aboriginal Natives of the Colony of New Zealand (hereinafter called "the Vendors") of the other part, witnesseth that in consideration of the sum of One hundred and seventy-one pounds ten shillings (£171. 10. 0) by Her Majesty paid to the Vendors on the execution hereof (and the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) the Vendors do and each of them doth hereby surrender convey and assure unto Her

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said Majesty all that block or parcel of land containing One thousand seven hundred and eighteen acres or thereabout known or called Otangaroa No. 2 as the same is more particularly described in the Schedule hereto, and delineated on the plan drawn on this Deed and coloured red, together with all rights and appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining. To hold the said land and premises with the appurtenances unto Her said Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for ever. In Witness whereof the Vendors have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written:

Pauro Rangaihi.	Herewini Te Toko.
Wi Tana Papahia.	Mihaka Arapeti.
Wiremu Mutu his x mark.	Mika Hone Kingi.
Amiria Te Tai.	Pauro Mura.

Signed by the said Pauro Rangaihi, Wiremu Tana Papahia, Wiremu Mutu, Amiria Te Tai, Herewini Te Toko, Mihaka Arapeti, Mika Hone Kingi, and Pauro Mura after the contents had been explained to them by an Interpreter of the Court and they appearing clearly to understand the meaning of the same. In the presence of—

Henry A. H. Menro, Judge Native Land Court.
W. Bridson, Clerk N.L. Court.

SCHEDULE.

BOUNDED—Towards the East by the Otangaroa No. 3 Block twenty-two thousand and ninety-five (22095) links; towards the South by a line eight thousand three hundred and five (8305) links; towards the South-west by the Otangaroa No. 1 Block eleven thousand two hundred and ninety-five (11295) links; and towards the North-west by the Rotokakahi Block two thousand eight hundred and eighty-two (2802) links and eighteen thousand seven hundred and nineteen (18719) links. Boundaries. [1,718 acres.]

He pukapuka tuku rawa atu tenei na Pauro Rangaihi, Wiremu Tana Papahia, Wiremu Mutu, Amiria Te Tai, Herewini Te Toko, Mihaka Arapeti, Mika Hone Kingi, Pauro Mura i tera whenua katoa tona ingoa ko "Otangaroa No. 2." Kia Wikitoria Kuini o Ingarangi ki ona uri ki nga Kingi ki nga Kuini i muri i a ia ake tonu atu. Ko te utu mo taua whenua Kotahi rau e whitu tekau ma tabi pauna tekau hereni (£171. 10. 0) Ko te nui Kotahi mano e whitu rau kotahi tekau ma waru eka koi ake iti iho ranei. Ko nga rohe enei ki te Marangai ko Otangaroa No. 3. Ki te Tonga he whenua Maori mo "Otangaroa No. 1." Ki te tua Raki ko "Rotokakahi" he whenua kua oti te ruri. Maori précis.

CHARLES B. NELSON,

Interpreter under Native Land Act, 1873.

I, Theodore Minet Haultain, the Trust Commissioner under "The Native Lands Precaution Act, 1870," for the District of Auckland, do hereby certify that I have, with respect to the within-written instrument and the alienation thereby witnessed, made the inquiries directed by the said Act, and do certify that I am satisfied with the result of such inquiries. Trust Commissioner's certificate.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1875.

T. M. HAULTAIN,
Trust Commr.

764 c.
Received for Registration at 10 a.m., 1 Sep., 1875.
[L.S.]

M. HAMILTON,
Registrar.

Registration.

A True Copy of Original Deed, Maori Précis, Certificate, and Endorsement.
Wellington, March 8th, 1876. H. H. TUCKER.

Deeds—No. 94.

OTANGAROA No. 3 BLOCK, HOKIANGA DISTRICT.

1875.
19 June.

THIS DEED made the nineteenth day of June 1875, between Her Majesty Queen Victoria on the one part and Wiremu Te Tai, Wihikake Wharetohunga, Heremia Te Waka, Timoti Puhipi, Pireki Te Tekenui, Tawio Pou, Hotene Te Kanohi and Akimihia Papahia of Hokianga Aboriginal Natives of the Colony of New Zealand (hereinafter called "the Vendors") of the other part witnesseth that in consideration of the sum of Four hundred and ninety six pounds (£496. 0. 0) by Her Majesty paid to the Vendors on the execution hereof (and the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) the Vendors do and each of them doth hereby surrender convey and assure unto Her said Majesty all that block or parcel of land containing Four thousand eight hundred and seventy six acres or thereabout known or called "Otangaroa No. 2" as the same is more particularly described in the Schedule hereto and delineated in the plan drawn on this Deed and coloured red together with all rights and appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining. To hold the said land and premises with the appurtenances unto Her said

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OTANGAROA
No. III.

Receipt for £496.

OTANGAROA
No. III.
continued.

Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for ever. In Witness whereof the Vendors have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

Wiremu Te Tai his x mark. Heremia Te Wake.
Timoti Puhipi. Hotene Te Kanohi his x mark.
Pireke Te Tekenui his x mark. Wirikake Wharetobunga.
Tawio Pou. Akinihī Papahia.

Signed by the said Wiremu Te Tai, Wirikake Wharetobunga, Heremia Te Wake, Timoti Puhipi, Pireke Te Tekenui, Tawio Pou, Hotene Te Kanohi and Akinihī Papahia after the contents had been explained to them by an Interpreter of the Court and they appearing thereby to understand the meaning of the same. In the presence of—

Henry A. H. Monro, Judge Native Land Court.
W. Bridson, Clerk N.L. Court.

SCHEDULE.

Boundaries.
[4,878 acres.]

BOUNDARY—Towards the East by Otangaroa No. 4 Block thirty-nine thousand and nineteen (39019) links; towards the South by lines six hundred and twenty-two (622) links, eight thousand and twenty-nine (8029) links, two thousand six hundred and thirty (2630) links, four thousand three hundred (4300) links, and one thousand three hundred and sixty-four (1364) links; towards the West by the Otangaroa No. 2 Block twenty-two thousand and ninety-five (22095) links, the Awaroa No. 1 Block six thousand three hundred and forty-six (6346) links, and the Manganui-o-Wae Block eight thousand six hundred and eighty-seven (8687) links; and towards the North by the said Manganui-o-Wae Block eight thousand two hundred and fifteen (8215) links.

Maori price.

He pukapuka tuku rawa atu tenei ua Wiremu Te Tai, Wirikake Wharetobunga, Heremia Te Wake, Timoti Puhipi, Pireke Te Tekenui, Tawio Pou, Hotene Te Kanohi, Akinihī Papahia i tana whenua katoa tona ingoa ko "Otangaroa No. 3" kia Wikitoria Kuini o Ingarangi ki ona uri ki nga Kingi ki nga Kuini i muri i a ia ake tonu atu. Ko te utu mo tana whenua e wha rau e iwa tekau ma ono pauna (£496 : 0 : 0) Ko te utu e wha mano e waru rau e whitu tekau ma ono eka-kani ake iti iho ranei. Ko nga robe enei ki te Kotia ko "Manganui o wae" Ki te Marangai ko "Otangaroa No. 4," Ki te Tonga he whenua Maori, Ki te Hanau ko "Otangaroa No. 2" ko Awaroa No. 1 Ki te Tuaraki Manganui-o-wae.

CHARLES E. NELSON,
Interpreter, Native Land Act, 1873.

Trust Commissioner's
certificate.

I, Theodore Minet Haultain, the Trust Commissioner under "The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1870," for the Province of Auckland, do hereby certify that I have, with respect to the within-written instrument and the alienation thereby witnessed, made the inquiries directed by the said Act, and do certify that I am satisfied with the results of such inquiries.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1875.

T. M. HAULTAIN,
Trust Commr.

Registration.

765 c.
Received for Registration at 10 a.m. 1 Sep., 1875.
[L.S.]

M. HAMILTON,
Registrar.

A True Copy of Original Deed, Maori Price, Certificate, and Endorsement.

H. HANSON TURTON.

Wellington, March 8th, 1876.

Deeds—No. 85.

OTANGAROA No. 4 BLOCK, HOKIANGA DISTRICT.

1875.
19 June.

HOKIANGA DISTRICT.

OTANGAROA
No. IV.

Receipt for £155 . 4.

THIS DEED made the nineteenth day of June 1875 between Her Majesty Queen Victoria on the one part and Wiremu Pariri of Hokianga an Aboriginal Native of the Colony of New Zealand (hereinafter called "the Vendor") of the other part witnesses that in consideration of the sum of One hundred and fifty five pounds four shillings (£155 . 4 . 0) by Her Majesty paid to the Vendor on the execution hereof (and the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) the Vendor does and doth hereby surrender convey and assure unto Her said Majesty all that block or parcel of land containing One thousand six hundred and five acres or thereabouts known or called Otangaroa No. 4 as the same is more particularly described in the Schedule hereto and delineated on the plan drawn on this Deed and coloured red together with all rights and appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining. To hold the said land and premises with the appurtenances unto Her

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[1875

1875.

18 June.]

Deeds—No. 83.

OMAHUTA NO. 1 BLOCK, HOKIANGA DISTRICT.

HOKIANGA DISTRICT.

OMAHUTA NO. 1.

Recd 1 for £120. 2.

THIS DEED, made the twelfth day of June 1875, between Her Majesty Queen Victoria on the one part, and Hori Hare, Biria Te Nao, Taniora Te Mato and Taniora Kowhiti of Hokianga Aboriginal Natives of the Colony of New Zealand, (hereinafter called "the Vendors," of the other part, witnesseth, that in consideration of the sum of one hundred and twenty nine pounds three shillings (£129. 3. 0) by Her Majesty paid to the Vendors on the execution hereof (and the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged), the Vendors do, and each of them doth, hereby surrender, convey, and assure unto Her said Majesty, all that block or parcel of land containing One thousand seven hundred and twenty two acres or thereabouts, known or called Omahuta No. 1 as the same is more particularly described in the Schedule hereto, and delineated on the plan drawn on this Deed and coloured red, together with all rights and appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining.

To hold the said land and premises with the appurtenances unto Her said Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, for ever. In Witness whereof the Vendors have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

HORI HARE.

BIRIA TE NAO her x mark.

TANIORA TE MATO.

TANIORA KOWHITI his x mark.

Signed by the said Hori Hare, Biria Te Nao, Taniora Te Mato and Taniora Kowhiti after the contents had been explained to them by an Interpreter of the Court and they appearing clearly to understand the same. In the presence of—

Henry A. H. Mouro, Judge, Native Land Court.
W. Bridson, Clerk, N.L. Court.

SCHEDULE.

Boundaries.
[1,723 acres.]

ALL that block or parcel of land in the Province of Auckland, District of Hokianga, containing one thousand seven hundred and twenty-two (1722) acres or thereabouts, called or known as Omahuta No. 1. Bounded—On the East by the Pupuke Block five hundred and eighty-two (582) links, three hundred and eleven (311) links, two hundred and forty-five (245) links, three hundred and ninety-three (393) links, three thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (3921) links, and three thousand and ninety-six (3096) links, and the Whakaitereka River; towards the South by a line one thousand three hundred and eight (1308) links; towards the South-east by lines three thousand four hundred and thirty-three (3433) links, two thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight (2858) links, two thousand five hundred and forty (2540) links, two thousand two hundred and ninety-five (2295) links, and one thousand nine hundred and thirty (1930) links; and towards the West by the Omahuta No. 2 Block sixteen thousand nine hundred and forty (16940) links, and the Kauriputete Block two thousand two hundred and forty-nine (2249) links, one thousand one hundred and forty-one (1141) links, one thousand one hundred and ninety-nine (1199) links, one thousand six hundred and ninety-five (1695) links, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine (1939) links, six hundred and fifty (650) links, nine hundred and ninety-seven (997) links, nine hundred and twelve (912) links, six hundred and forty-nine (649) links, and two hundred and eighty-five (285) links.

Maori précis.

He pukapuka tuku rawa atu teni na Hori Hare, Biria Te Nao, Taniora Te Mato, Taniora Kowhiti i tene whenua katoa tona ingoa ko Omahuta No. 1 ki te Wikitoria Kuini o Ingarangi ki ona uri ki nga Kingi ki nga Kuini i muri i a ia ake tonu atu.

Ko te utu mo tene whenua Kotahi rau e rua tekau ma iwa pauna me te toru harami Ko te nui Kotahi mano e whitu rau e rua tekau ma rua eka eku ako iti iho ranei Ko nga rohe enei Ki te Marangai Ko "Pupuke" he whenua kua oti te ruri 582, 311, 245, 393, 3921, 3096 riniki Ko te awa o "Whakaitereka" Ki te Tonga he rauna 1308 riniki. Ki te Tonga-ma-Marangai he rauna 3433, 2858, 2540, 2295, 1930 riniki. Ki te Haukuru Ko "Omahuta No. 2" ko "Kauriputete" he whenua kua oti te ruri.

CHARLES E. NELSON,

Interpreter under Native Land Act, 1873.

Trust Commissioner's
certificate.

I, Theodore Mines Haultain, the Trust Commissioner under "The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1870," for the District of Auckland, do hereby certify that I have, with respect to the within-written instrument and the alienation thereby witnessed, made the inquiries directed by the said Act, and do certify that I am satisfied with the result of the inquiries.

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1875.

T. M. HAULTAIN,

Trust Commr.

Registration.

742 c.

Received for Registration at 1 p.m., 24th Aug., 1875.

[L.S.]

M. HAMILTON,

Registrar.

A True Copy of Original Deed, Maori Précis, Certificate, and Endorsement.

H. HANSON TURNER.

Wellington, March 10th, 1876.

1875]

HOKIANGA DISTRICT.

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Deeds—No. 84.

OMAHUTA No. 2 BLOCK, HOKIANGA DISTRICT.

THIS DEED, made the Fourteenth day of June 1875, between Her Majesty Queen Victoria on the one part, and Hoera Tuhiparu, Rangatira Moetara, Tawio Pou, Hare Ngamamu, and Hone Mohi Tawhai of Hokianga, Aboriginal Natives of the Colony of New Zealand, (hereinafter called "the Vendors,") of the other part, witnesseth, that in consideration of the sum of Four hundred and fifty three pounds twelve shillings (£453 . 12 . 0) by Her Majesty paid to the Vendors on the execution hereof (and the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) the Vendors do, and each of them doth, hereby surrender, convey and assure unto Her said Majesty, all that block or parcel of land containing Six Thousand and forty eight acres or thereabouts, known or called Omahuta No. 2, as the same is more particularly described in the Schedule hereto, and delineated on the plan drawn on this Deed and coloured red; together with all rights and appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining. To hold the said land and premises with the appurtenances unto Her said Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, for ever. In Witness whereof the Vendors have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

HOERA TUHIPARU his X MARK. HARE NGAMAMU his X MARK.
RANGATIRA MOETARA his X MARK. HONE MOHI TAWHAI.
TAWIO POU.

Signed by the said Hoera Tuhiparu, Rangatira Moetara, Tawio Pou, Hare Ngamamu, and Hone Mohi Tawhai after the contents had been explained to them by an Interpreter of the Court and they appeared clearly to understand the meaning of the same. In the presence of—

Henry A. H. Moore, Judge, Native Land Court.
W. Bridson, Clerk N. L. Court.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that block or parcel of land in the Province of Auckland, District of Hokianga, containing six thousand and forty-eight (6048) acres or thereabouts, called or known as Omahuta No. 2. Bounded—On the East by the Omahuta No. 1 Block sixteen thousand nine hundred and forty (16940) links, and by lines five thousand nine hundred and eighty-one (5981) links, seven hundred and seven (707) links, two thousand nine hundred and thirty-five (2935) links, thirteen thousand one hundred and ninety-four (13194) links, one thousand five hundred and fifty-two (1552) links, six hundred and ninety-three (693) links, and three thousand eight hundred and thirty-three (3833) links; towards the South by lines one thousand two hundred and ninety-six (1296) links, one thousand five hundred and seventy (1570) links, four thousand three hundred and twenty-nine (4329) links, eight hundred and twenty-three (823) links, one thousand one hundred (1100) links, and two thousand five hundred and eighty-eight (2588) links; towards the South-west by the Omahuta No. 3 Block seven thousand seven hundred and twenty (7720) links, and by lines four hundred (400) links, five hundred and ninety (590) links, and six hundred and seventy-five (675) links; and towards the North-west by lines three thousand six hundred and fifty (3650) links, two thousand six hundred and thirteen (2613) links, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two (1862) links, seven hundred and seventy-six (776) links, five thousand six hundred and ninety-seven (5697) links, seven hundred and ninety (790) links, nine hundred and eighty-seven (987) links, four thousand four hundred and sixty-four (4464) links, twelve thousand nine hundred and ninety-two (12992) links, five hundred and twenty-eight (528) links, six hundred and fifty (650) links, eight hundred and fifty-one (851) links, four hundred and fifty-two (452) links, and one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine (1799) links, and by a line and the Kauriputete Block one thousand one hundred and thirty-two (1132) links, and by the said Kauriputete Block four thousand three hundred and six (4306) links.

He pukapuka tuku raua atu tenet na Hoera Tuhiparu, Rangatira Moetara, Tawio Pou, Hare Ngamamu, me Hone Mohi Tawhai, i tera wheua katoa tona ingoa ko Omahuta No. 2 kia Wikitoria Kuni o Ingarangi ki ona uri ki nga Kingi ki nga Kuni i muri i a ia ake tonu atu ko te utu mo taua wheua. E wha rau e rima tekau ma toru pauna tekau ma rua hereni. Ko te nui o ono mano e wha tekau ma waru eka koni ake iti iho ranei. Ko nga robe enei, ki te Kotu ko Omahuta No. 1 ki te marangai he wheua Maori ki te tonga he wheua Maori me tetahi pihi ko Omahuta No. 3 ki te Hauauru he wheua Maori.

I, Charles E. Nelson, an Interpreter duly appointed under "The Native Lands Act, 1873," certify that the above is a true and clear statement in the Maori language of the contents of the deed written on the first page of this sheet of parchment, which said deed I properly explained to Hoera Tuhiparu, Rangatira Moetara, Tawio Pou, Hare Ngamamu, and Hone Mohi Tawhai before the same was executed by them.

CHARLES E. NELSON,
Interpreter under "Native Lands Act, 1873."

1875.

14 June.

HOKIANGA
DISTRICT.

OMAHUTA NO. II.

Receipt for £453 . 12.

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PROVINCE OF AUCKLAND,

[1875]

OMAHUTA NO. II.
continued.
Trust Commissioner's
certificate.

I, Theodore Misset Haultain, the Trust Commissioner under "The Native Lands
Frauds Prevention Act, 1870," for the District of Auckland, do hereby certify that I
have, with respect to the within-written instrument and the alienation thereby witnessed,
made inquiries directed by the said Act, and do certify that I am satisfied with the
result of such inquiries.

Dated this 24th day of August, 1875.

T. M. HAULTAIN,
Trust Commr.

Registration.

Received for Registration at 1 p.m. 24 Aug., 1875.
[S.A.]

M. HAMILTON,
Registrar.

A True Copy of Original Deed, Maori Précis, Certificates, and Endorsement.
H. H. TURTON.
Wellington, March 9th, 1876.

1875.
18 June.

Deeds—No. 85.

PUNAKITERE BLOCK, HOKIANGA DISTRICT.

HOKIANGA DISTRICT.

PUNAKITERE.

Receipt for £277. 17.

THIS DEED, made the twelfth day of June 1875, between Her Majesty Queen Victoria
on the one part and Hori Karaka Tawiti of Hokianga Aboriginal Native of the Colony
of New Zealand, (hereinafter called "the Vendor") of the other part, witnesseth, that
in consideration of the sum of Three hundred and seventy seven pounds 17/ (£377. 17),
by Her Majesty paid to the Vendor on the execution hereof (and the receipt whereof is
hereby acknowledged), the Vendor doth hereby surrender, convey, and assure unto Her
said Majesty, all that block or parcel of land containing seven thousand five hundred
and fifty seven acres or thereabouts, known or called Punakitere, as the same is more
particularly described in the Schedule hereto, and delineated on the plan drawn on this
Deed and edged red; together with all rights and appurtenances thereto belonging or
appertaining:

To hold the said land and premises with the appurtenances unto Her said Majesty,
Her Heirs and Successors, for ever.

In Witness whereof the Vendor has hereunto set his hand the day and year first
above written.

HORI KARAKA TAWITI.

Signed by this said Hori Karaka Tawiti after the
contents had been explained to him by an
Interpreter of the Court and he appeared
clearly to understand the meaning of the
same. In the presence of—

Henry A. Meuro, Judge Native Land Court.
Wm. Bridson, Clerk N.L. Court.

SCHEDULE.

Boundaries.
[7,557 acres.]

ALL that block or parcel of land in the Province of Auckland, District of Hokianga,
containing seven thousand five hundred and fifty-seven (7557) acres or thereabouts,
called or known as Punakitere. Bounded—On the North by lines five thousand two
hundred and ninety (5290) links, one thousand seven hundred and thirty-nine (1739)
links, and three thousand four hundred and five (3405) links, the Oikura Block two
thousand five hundred and seventy-six (2576) links, ten thousand six hundred and thirty-
one (10631) links, and six hundred and three (603) links, and the Mangatua Stream;
towards the East by the said stream; towards the South by lines twenty-two thousand
four hundred and two (22402) links, a stream, again by lines two hundred and sixty
(260) links and four thousand three hundred and thirty-nine (4339) links, the Punaki-
tere River, again by lines three thousand and fifteen (3015) links, one thousand eight
hundred and ninety-two (1892) links, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-five (1995)
links, six thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (6927) links, one thousand four
hundred and eighty-nine (1489) links, and seven hundred and ten (710) links, and by
the Teheke River; and towards the North-west by a line five thousand and twenty-nine
(5029) links, and the Omao Stream.

Maori précis.

He-pukapuka tuku rawa atu tenoi na Hori Karaka Tawiti i tera whenua katus tonu
ingua ko Punakitere kia Wkitoria Kuini o Ingwanga ki ona uri ki nga Kingi ki nga
Kuini i mori i a ia atu tonu atu ko te usu mo taua whenua E toru rau E whitu tekau
ma whitu pauna me te tekau ma whitu heruni ko ta nui E whitu mano e rima rau e
rima tekau ma whitu eka koui ake iti iho ranai. Ko nga rohe enoi ki te kotiu he raina
5290, 1739, 3405 riniki ko "Oikura" he whenua kua oti te ruri 2576, 10631, 603, riniki
ko te awa o "Mangatua" ki te Marangai ko te awa o "Mangatua" ki te Tonga he
raina 22402 riniki 260, 4339 riniki ko te awa o Punakitere me etahi raina 3015, 1892,
1995, 6927, 1489, 710 riniki ko te awa o "Te Teheke" ki te tua Raki he raina 5029
riniki me te awa "Omao."

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PROVINCE OF AUCKLAND.

[1863]

CLAIMS OF POROHA
AND OTHERS
continued.

Outstanding claims.

Receipt for £100.

These are the boundaries of the Land —

The outstanding claims in all the lands in the immediate district of Mangonui which were not clearly included within the former purchases. The portions now set apart for the use of the Natives at "Waiana" and "Taemaro" have on this present occasion been distinctly laid down and marked off by the Government Surveyor and is shown upon this Map.

Received this 19th day of May in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty three (1863) the Sum of One Hundred Pounds Sterling (£100 0 0) being the consideration money expressed in the above-written Deed to be paid by Henry T. Kemp on behalf of Her Majesty the Queen to us.

(Signed) Porohia.

Puni.

Na Te Rakana—Na te Paera.

Na Te Paera.

Poroporo.

Kaiapa.

Witnesses—

(Signed) W. R. White, R.M.

H. Grover, R.M. Clerk.

S. Campbell, Survr.

Koi Koi, formerly of the Police.

H. T. Kemp,

Commr.

A True Copy of Original Deed and Translation.

H. HANSON TERTON.

Wellington, 24th March, 1873.

1863.

8 October.

MANGONUI DISTRICT.

PUPUKE.

Deeds—No. 17.

TE PUPUKE BLOCK (UPPER SIDE), WHANGARUA, MANGONUI DISTRICT.

TEHEI PUKAPUKA i tuihuhia i tenei ra i te Waru o nga ra o Oketopa i te tau o so takou Ariki 1863 he Pukapuka tino hoko tino hostu tino tuku whakato atu na matou na nga Rangatira me nga Tangata o "Te Tahawai" no ratounga ingoa e mau i raro nei a hei whakatu tenei Pukapuka mo matou mo o matou whanau me o matou uri mo te tuihuhinga o o matou ingoa ki tenei pukapuka i raro i te ra e whiti nei kua whakarewa rawatia kua tino tukuna rawatia atu kia Wikitoria Kuini o Ingarani ki ona uri ki nga Kingi ki nga Kuini o muri iho i a ia me ana me a ratou e whakarite ai hei whakaritenga mo nga Pauna moni £1273 16 3 kua utua mai ki a matou e Te Henare Kapa mo te Kuini (a e whakaeitia nei e matou te rironga mai o ana moni) ko tana wahi whenua katoa kei Whangarua ko "Te Pupuke" ki runga te ingoa o tana wahi whenua ko nga rohe kei raro i te Pukapuka nei e mau ana te korero whakahaere ko te mapi hoki o tana whenua kua apititia ki tenei. Me ona rakau me ona kowhiri me ona wai me ona awa me ona roto me ona awa ririki me nga mea katoa o tana whenua o runga ranei o raro ranei i te mata o tana whenua me o matou tikanga me o matou take me o matou painga katoa kei tana wahi; Ko ana mau tonu kia Kuini Wikitoria ki ona uri ki ana ranei e whakarite ai hei tino mau tonu ake tonu atu. A hei tohu mo te matou whakaeitanga ki nga tikanga katoa o tenei Pukapuka kua tuihuhia nei o matou ingoa me o matou tohu. A hei tohu hoki mo te whakaeitanga o te Kuini o Ingarani mo tana wahi ki nga tikanga katoa o tenei Pukapuka kua tuihuhia nei te ingoa o Te Henare Kapa Kaiwhakarite Whenua. Ko nga rohe enei o tana whenua ka timata i te taha ki Matawerohia i te piki i tukua ki Te Kawanatanga i te taha Hanauru, me i reira ka rere haere i runga o te Raina a Te Kai Riri a pa noa ki te Raina o te pihiri "Mauingatahiwa" ka rere haere i runga i tana Raina, a pa noa ki te Raina o "Kohimara" ka rere haere whakarara pa noa ki te Raina o te pihiri o nga tamariki o Hini Poto, ka rere haere i runga i tana Raina, a marere noa ki te wai o "Ngaiwita" a, te moana, ka haere i te pihiri i tukua e Runga, ka ahu whakatotonga ka rere haere tonu i runga o te Raina o te whenua i kapea mo nga Maori i te taha ki te "Pupuke," a pa noa ano ki "Matawerohia" ki te timatanga mai o te kaha.

Oira, kei te Mapi o te Ruritanga o tenei pihiri whenua, ka oti nei te karapiti ki tenei pukapuka tuku whenua, te tino whakamaramatanga o nga kaha o te whenua ka oti nei te tuku te hoko ki te taha Kawanatanga o te Kuini.

Kua riro mai ki a matou i tenei ra i te Waru o nga ra o Oketopa i te tau o te Takou Ariki Kotahi mano e waru rau e ono te kua ma toru (1863) nga Pauna moni (£1273 16 3). Ko te utu tenei kua whakahuatia ki te Pukapuka tuku e mau i runga ake nei kia utua mai ki a matou e Te Henare Kapa mo te Kuini.

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H. T. Kemp,

District Commr.

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BERGHAN FAMILY RECORDS

TOM. BOWMAN

4. PAGE ST.

MORRISVILLE

Compiled

by C. REID



GENEALOGICAL TABLES SHOWING MAIN BRANCH LINES FOR THE DESCENDANTS OF JAMES DAVID BERGHAN

page 1

James Berghan = (1)Turikatuku Makareta

page 1

b.1804

m.1837

d.1869

James = Elizabeth Frear

(1)Joseph

Maraes Pororua

(2)William Kaye

b.1837 Pro.p.9

b.1845

Pro.p.10

m.1868

d.1893

1. Dave
2. Cecelia Pro.13 p.26
3. James Pro.14 p.27
4. Margaretta Pro.15 p.28
5. Sydney Pro.16 p.29
6. Mabel Pro.17 p.30,31
7. Ralph Pro.18 p.32,33,34
8. Allan Pro.19 p.19
9. Edward Pro.20 p.35,36,37
10. Iris Pro.20 p.38

1. Huia
2. Rose p.39 Pro.p.21
3. Ann Pro.p.24

1. William p.40

James Berghan = (2)Rosanna Ihaka

m.1856

d.1905

Ellen
b.14.7.1855
d.22.1.1876

Rosanna
b.19.6.1860
d.7.10.1875

William
b.17.6.1862
d.8.11.1879

Edward
b.11.1.1865
d.7.10.1884

Mary Ann
24.11.1866
8.11.1876

Alfred
b.6.6.1868
d.22.12.1891

Arthur = Catherine Snowden page.41

Thomas = Mary Evans Pro.12 p.25

b.24.5.1857

m.1.4.1880

d.20.4.1886

Pro.p.11

b.22.9.1858

d.10.12.1902

1. William Pro.22 p.41
2. Arthur Pro.23 p.41
3. Ellen Pro.24 p.41

1. Susannah p.25
2. Edward
3. Maude
4. Thomas

OUR STARTING POINT

JAMES DAVID BERGHAN

Was born in Kilkenny, Ireland in 1804. He arrived in New Zealand on board the schooner 'Darling' captained by Dacre, disembarking at Mangonui on 9th August, 1831. James, thus is one of the earliest settlers to the district.

James married Turikatuku Makareta, a daughter of Te Ururoa - chief of the Tahawai tribe of Whangaroa in 1837. She was to provide him with two sons, James born in 1837 and Joseph in 1845.

Nature of conveyance—instrument in writing, dated 9th November, 1839.

No. 259 b.—JAMES BERGHAN, of the Bay of Islands, claimant.

50, Fifty acres, more or less, situate at Mangonui, and called Ro Rea; bounded on the north by land claimed by Stephen Wraithall; on the east by a part of the harbour of Mangonui; on the south by a claim of William Wright; and the west by a range of hills.

Alleged to have been purchased by claimant and William Murphy in 1836, from the native chiefs Warrikouri, Ekawa, and others.

Consideration—goods to the amount of £20 sterling.

Nature of conveyance—deed dated September, 1836.

In the previous year, James negotiated with the chiefs - Taapa, Tahere, Kiwa and Wharekauri, to purchase a block of land 50 acres in area called the Riria block. Within a month, he purchased a second

which was known as Ruskarama. More land was purchased Waipumahu, comprising 1000 acres and following the windings of the

No. 259 c. JAMES BERGHAN, of the Bay of Islands, claimant.

50, Fifty acres, more or less, situate at Mangonui, and called Rera Kamen; bounded on the north by part of the harbour of Mangonui on the east by a claim of Phillips and Thomas on the south by land of the natives; and on the west by a claim of Charles Holman.

Alleged to have been purchased by claimant and William Murphy, in 1836, from the native chiefs Warrikouri, Ekawa, and others.

Consideration—goods to the amount of £4 sterling.

Nature of conveyance—deed dated 1836.

Putakaka river, now known as Orusaiti.

The family is listed in Brett's encyclopaedia of New Zealand in 1839 as owning land in the Mangonui district. James purchased a further six blocks of land totalling 3,505 acres. All of these claims were subsequently investigated by various government agencies after 1840. This investigation was to prove a very lengthy and drawn out one for James, and the matter was not resolved until 1859, crown titles being issued even later.

No. 259 d. JAMES BERGHAN, of the Bay of Islands, claimant. 25, Twenty-five acres, more or less, situate at Mangonui, having a frontage of 1/2 mile back; bounded on the north and south by a claim of Phillips and Thomas on the east by a claim of William Wright; and the west by a range of hills. Alleged to have been purchased by claimant and William Murphy, in 1836, from the native chiefs Warrikouri, Ekawa, and others. Consideration—goods to the amount of £20 sterling. Nature of conveyance—deed dated September, 1836.	No. 259 e. JAMES BERGHAN, of the Bay of Islands, claimant. 40, Forty acres, more or less, situate at Mangonui, and called Typa; bounded on the north by land claimed by Stephen Wraithall; on the east by a part of the harbour of Mangonui; on the south by a claim of William Wright; and the west by a range of hills. Alleged to have been purchased by claimant and Thomas Ewarti. Consideration—goods to the amount of £16 sterling. Nature of conveyance—deed dated September, 1836.	No. 259 f. JAMES BERGHAN, of the Bay of Islands, claimant. 50, Fifty acres, more or less, situate at Mangonui, and called Rera Kamen; bounded on the north by part of the harbour of Mangonui on the east by a claim of Phillips and Thomas on the south by land of the natives; and on the west by a claim of Charles Holman. Alleged to have been purchased by claimant and William Murphy, in 1836, from the native chiefs Warrikouri, Ekawa, and others. Consideration—goods to the amount of £4 sterling. Nature of conveyance—deed dated 1836.	No. 259 g. JAMES BERGHAN, of the Bay of Islands, claimant. 3000, Three thousand acres, situate at Mangonui, and called Orusaiti; bounded partly on the north by the River Putakaka; and partly on the south by the River Putakaka; and partly on the north-east by the natives. Alleged to have been purchased by claimant and Thomas Ewarti, in 1839, from the native chiefs Warrikouri, Ekawa, and others. Consideration—goods to the amount of £10 sterling. Nature of conveyance—deed dated October, 1839.
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page 4 Clendon's census of 1846 lists James 'with a native wife and four children' Maori land court records refer only to the two sons mentioned above, and is further substantiated in the correspondence in the National Archives.

Because James did not seek public office of any description, his name does not feature prominently in many sources of useful genealogical information, e.g., if available, information may often be derived from - local body records such as lists of ratepayers or from valuation rolls. Military records - armed forces, from provincial gazettes, jury lists, electoral rolls, newspapers, diaries, etc., may all help provide some framework so that a tentative interpretation can be arrived at.

Freeholders.	County of Llandudno			Municipalities and Town Districts		Total Value in 1846
	County	Area in each County.	Value in each County.	Name of Municipality, etc.	Value in each	
Bergman, James (Estate of the late)	Mongonui	1,503	1,491	..	..	1,491
Bergman, James, Mrs., storekeeper, Ahimahi	Mongonui	.. 8	215	..	..	215
Bergman, John, contractor, Hapo	Waipa	.. 40	129	..	..	129

How did James make a living? Did he have any He was involved in whaling and in timber-spars being specific items for would appear that he had few problems for his land purchases and White refers to him in his Journal - page 54. Then there was Jimmy Bergan, a grant landed

private means? trading, trade. It in paying

proprietor with a Maori wife and family and Thomas Phillips, an old whaler or sealer: These formed the residents of Mongonui with a few Maoris dotted about.

Received of James Bergman the sum of Five Pounds

10/- Payment on Whaling Share

David H. Clendell Secy. O.T.B.C.

THE SOUTHERN CROSS.
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1850.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.
We have received the letter of Mr. James Bergman, but with every desire to meet the wishes of the Mongonui settlers in the matter referred to, we cannot but feel convinced that the publication of that communication, however deserving the object, would do far more injury than good to the party sought to be served; and we think we best meet the wishes of our correspondent by withholding the publication.

On behalf of other Mangonui settlers, James contributed this news item, regretfully only as a letter to the editor.

What could have motivated this shy and retiring man to write on behalf of other settlers? Was it

a dispute over land? wandering stock or a lack of clear delineation of boundaries? ...Could it have been a concern for security - of possessions, or a failure by authorities to enforce law and order? ...

It is not known at this stage what happened to Turikatuku, but James, on 10th April, 1856, married Rosanna Ihaka, daughter of Ihaka Te Teira, of Peria. She was then 21 and James 52. Eight children were born to this marriage - Ellen, Arther, Thomas, Rosanna, William, Edward, Mary Anne and Alfred. Only two of them were to leave descendants - Thomas and Arthur.

Through out his married life, James lived at Hudson Bay, now Mill Bay. His original claim of 259d of 25 acres known as Otauwera fronted the Mangonui harbour. His final portions of land comprised 3 sections totalling 8 acres 3 roods 28 perches. Otauwera was a piece of land of 4 acres 2 roods, now lot 14 in the township.

Lot 15 of 1 acre 1 rood 28 perches is on of Mould Street and Beach Road, while of 3 acres is on the south side of the township and bordered by the old Bakery. Other holdings investigated by the government resulted in his claims being superseded by a government proclamation, whereby the Resident Magistrate, Mr. W.B. White, was directed to take possession of the land for the settlement of Mangonui.



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lot 17
DATED 4th October 1859
Grant to J. Berghan

1 A. 2 R. 0 P.

Issued under the Land Claims Settlement Acts



DATED 4th October 1859
Grant to J. Berghan

1 A. 1 R. 28 P.



CLAIM	SUPPOSED CONTENTS	NAME OF LAND	PLAN NO.	TURTON'S REF.	
558	1000. 0. 0	WAIPUMANU	104-5	26/28	Eastern side of Harbour.
559	40. 0. 0	TAKAHERA	-	56/49	Oruru River
560	50. 0. 0	RITIA	111	16/22	Mangonui side of Harbour
561	50. 0. 0	RUAKARAMEA	111	17/22	do.
562	25. 0. 0		111	48/22	do.
563	350. 0. 0	KOHENOKHE	129	45/41	do.
564	40. 0. 0	TAIPA	129	47/42	do.
565	50. 0. 0	WHATTA	-	-	
566	3000. 0. 0	ORUAITI	104	-	Eastern side
	<u>4605. 0. 0</u>				

The evidence before Messrs. Godfrey and Richmond is not on Land Claim files, but Commissioner Bell states in his report that Commissioner Godfrey awarded claimant 438 acres which Governor Fitzroy amended to 1,146 scrip, which was never exercised. The 438 acres was to be taken elsewhere, owing to dispute between Nopera Panakareao (Rarawa) and Fororua (Ngapuhi) as to original ownership.

After a good deal of correspondence between Berghan and the authorities, the matter came before Commissioner Bell, who found Godfrey's report and Fitzroy's amended award faulty.

Meanwhile portion of Berghan's claims was required for Township of Mangonui and the Resident Magistrate, Mr W.B. White, was directed by Governor Gray to arrange a settlement of the boundaries of Berghan's Claims at Mangonui (see note on Plan 117). This was done.

Commissioner Bell made the following awards on 25/9/59:

	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.
In the Town of Mangonui	3. 0. 0	4. 2. 0	& 1. 1. 28	= 8. 3. 28
In Doubtless Bay	145. 0. 0	& 41. 0. 0		= 186. 0. 00
At Putataka River				= 1668. 0. 00
				<u>1862. 3. 28</u>
The Surveyor-General on 21/5/53 estimated Berghan's Claims to contain				<u>4600. 0. 00</u>
The surplus on these figures would be ...	...	...	...	<u>2737. 0. 00</u>

These areas were surveyed and granted in the following claims :-

560	=	3. 0. 00	} O.L.C. PLAN 111.
561	=	1. 1. 28	
562	=	4. 2. 00	
		<u>8. 3. 28</u>	
563	=	145. 0. 00	} O.L.C. PLAN 129.
564	=	41. 0. 00	
565 } 566 }	=	1668. 0. 00	O.L.C. PLANS 104-5

26.5.56 Berghan wrote to the colonial secretary requesting deed or equitable payment for 85 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres taken from him in claims 560 and 561. However, when the matter came before Commissioner Bell, the equities of Berghan's claims were considered and he was awarded land in compensation. The final figures were :-

Total entitled to :-	A.	R.	P	
Selected at Mangonui	8.	3.	28	Plan 111
Surveyed by Florence	145.	0.	00	" 129
	41	0.	00	" 129
	493	0.	00	" 104)
	495	0.	00	")
Surveyed by L. and S. Campbell	680	0.	00	" 105
<u>Total</u>	<u>1862.</u>	<u>3.</u>	<u>28</u>	

Grants issued accordingly.

The surplus in these claims has been ascertained by deducting the area granted from the estimate of 4,600 acres in all claims made by the Surveyor-General = 2,737 acres. A portion of the area in Mangonui township is covered by a deed of purchase by the crown, called Waikiekie. See Turton's Crown purchases No.2 p.2. T's affects Claims 560 - 1 -2. Any surplus from claims 563 - 4 would be covered by the Crown purchase of Pororua's interest. See Turton's Deed No.16.

On behalf of his two sons, James and Joseph, he also fought along with support from various chiefs like Pororua, Paora Ururua, and Hongi, to obtain crown title to land vested to them by their mother, Turikatuku. The block known as Muritoki was finally executed on 25th October, 1864, though James was moved to remind the Commissioner of Land Claims, Mr. Donnet, to deliver the title, in a letter, dated 14th February.

AUCKLAND ELECTORAL ROLL--(continued). 1874/75 1865.

No.	Christian Name and Surnames of each. Elector at full length.	Place of abode.	Nature of Qualification.	Place where Property Situate, and Description of same.
737	Berghan, James, Jan.	Mangonui	freehold	Oruanui river, Muritoki, 2414 acres, timber land
738	Berghan, Joseph	Mangonui	freehold	Oruanui river, Muritoki, 2414 acres, timber land

On 23rd December, 1869 James David Berghan died at his residence in Mangonui of a liver complaint. He was survived by his widow, Rosanna and some of his children. Of these, only 4 were to marry and provide descendants - these were James II and Joseph from the first marriage, and Thomas and Arthur from the second. Other children died at comparatively early ages, due no doubt to lack of medical services, and to 'Kohi' or Tuberculosis.

Rosanna did not re - marry, and though James left a will, this has not to date been sighted. A search indicated that the Archives section has failed to locate it. Further, Rosanna or 'Granny Berghan' as she was known outlived all of her own children, Arthur John dying 24th April, 1886 and Thomas on 10th December, 1902. Rosanna moved back to her ancestral home at Peria and her death is recorded there Sunday 16th July, 1905 at the age of 70.

James is buried in Mill Bay where some of his children also lie, on land which is probably now included in a reserve, the main peak of which is known as Rangikapiti. A photograph, reproduced below, and kindly provided by Mrs. Dorothy Thomas marks the location.



TO USE THE GENEALOGICAL TABLES

Open out the sheet in the front of the booklet titled 'Genealogical tables showing main branch lines for James David Berghan'. It will be relatively easy to refer to this chart, whenever individual tables are being viewed, provided it is left displayed.

This main chart also gives page references for (a) profiles of 2nd and 3rd generation descendants (e.g. Prof. 15 p.15 is Sydney, 5th issue of James II. His family tree is on p.29)

I regret that it was not possible to record the profiles of all 3rd generation descendants, due to availability of time, lack of information, branch response to initial inquiries.

The photographic display was extremely worthwhile, but it was a pity that it was for a matter of hours only. Those reproduced in this booklet are merely photocopies of the original, and quality has been sacrificed to expediency.

ARTHUR JOHN BERGHAN(1857 - 1886) was the second child of James D and Ruihana(nee Ihaka) being the oldest son also. Other issue were Ellen, Thomas, Rosanna, William, Edward, Mary Ann and Alfred. Arthur and Thomas were the only issue of this family to leave descendants, the others dying at comparatively early ages Rosanna 15, William at 17, Edward 19, Mary Ann 10 and Alfred at 23 years of age respectively. James D started his second family at the age of 52. Exposure to new influences such as diseases-Influenza, Tuberculosis, changes in home conditions, of food, clothing, etc. vastly affected Maori society at this time (remembering that the Maori population of New Zealand was a mere 39,000 in 1889 and the rest of New Zealand Society were set to 'smooth the pillow of a dying race'.

On 29th March, 1880, at the age of 22, Arthur married Catherine, daughter of Henry and Ellen Snowden of Kaeo. Three children were born - William, Arthur and Ellen. The family lived on a 40 acre block of land in Kaeo, where Arthur worked as a bush contractor.

Arthur died at the age of 28 on 20th April, 1886 of enteric fever, leaving a widow and three children all under 6 years of age. Catherine was to subsequently remarry, doing so 5th March, 1889 to Joseph Pepe. There were 7 children born of this union ;

- . Nina = Effingham Foster
- . Florence = Clement Foster
- . Irene = Andrew Foster
- . Leah = Rolleston Foster
- . Della = Ernest Foster
- . Bella = Dick Connolly
- . Henry = Florence Hughes.



Catherine.

Refer to page 41 for family tree.



JOSEPH BERGHAN(1845 -)

The younger son of James and Turikatuku has proved to be an elusive ancestor. Very little is known or recorded about Joseph, though he does feature, along with his brother, in two land claims for half castes (5a and 1362) in National Archives. He is also recorded as a freeholder in the Auckland Electoral roll of 1874/1875 with his brother James in Muritoki - a block of land of 2414 acres on either side of the Putakaka river (Oruaiti now). James disposed of his $\frac{1}{2}$ share in Muritoki 2 months after he married. Joseph did likewise on 27th July, 1870. In both cases, the shares were disposed of to Captain William Butler.

About 1863 Joseph took to wife Maraea (pictured above right), a daughter of Pororus Wharekauri, a contemporary of Nopera Panakareao, both these gentlemen featuring at different times in the land transactions entered into by James David Berghan.

Joseph and Maraea had three children;

- .. Huia, who died at the age of 18 on 13th April, 1892
- .. Rose Chart 39. Pro. 21
- .. Ann Chart and Pro. p. 24

At this stage, no further information is available about Joseph, but it is known that Maraea took as a husband, William Kaye. A son was born of this union - William Kaye, who took the name William Kaye Berghan. Subsequently, William married Maraea Nehua, moving to eventually settle in the Whakapara district.

Rose married Rameka Hapa (Shepherd) the couple residing at Kenana, while Ann married Bert Mander, settling on a block of land on the Otangaroa-Mangamuka road in which Ann had interests.



ELLEN BERGHAN(c1886 -1964) Third child and only daughter of Arthur and Catherine(nee Snowden)was born later in the year her father died. At the age of 23 she married Stoven Foster,the date being 26th November 1907. The couple moved onto a 68 acre property in Peria,where they farmed for all of their married life.On their eventual retirement, they moved into a cottage on the

property,where they kept very busy with life long interests -gardening,orcharding,and being involved in community affairs in the district. Ellen collapsed in her garden on May 9th,1964 while involved in an interest she had maintained for over 56 years.

Their issue: (Refer to page 41 for family tree details)

1. Ilia = George Panther
2. Nura = Peter Sparksman.

ANN BERGHAN(1944) Second daughter and child of Joseph and Maraes(nee Pororua) was born at Kenana,attending that school with her two sisters and a half brother. She married Bert Mander and the couple moved onto ancestral land on the Otangaroa -Mangamuka road,developing the block successfully.Eventually,this property was sold to Mr.Jacento,and Ann and her husband moved to Otiria,thence further south.Contact with this branch of the family has proved tenuous.One child was born of this marriage-Edna. Ann died in Auckland on 31st July,1944,having outlived her sister Rose by nearly 14 years.

Their issue:

1. Edna Riroriro = W.A.Newton



Ann and Bert Mander.
daughter Edna.