

Including additional Land in the Mahoenui Development Scheme.

Office of the Native Minister,
Wellington, 28th January, 1931.

WHEREAS notice was published in the *Gazette* and *Kahiti* of the 17th April, 1930, that the Native Minister has decided to apply the provisions of subsection (3) of section 23 of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1929, to Mahoenui A 2B 1 and other blocks of Native land, or land owned by Natives, in the Waikato-Maniapoto Native Land Court District: And whereas the Native Minister has now decided that the Native land or land owned by Natives set out in the Schedule hereto shall be subject to the provisions of subsection (3) of the said section 23, and shall be included in and form part of the Mahoenui Development Scheme. Notice of the Native Minister's intention is hereby given and published in accordance with the said subsection (3) which provides that no owner shall, except with the consent of the Native Minister, be entitled to exercise any rights of ownership in connection with the land affected so as to interfere with or obstruct the carrying-out of any works undertaken or to be undertaken under the said subsection (3).

SCHEDULE.

THE following lands in the Waikato-Maniapoto Native Land Court District situate in the Awakino East Survey District:—

Block.	Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
Otiao No. 1B	43	2	15
„ No. 2	89	0	36
„ No. 3A	15	3	28.6
„ No. 3B	38	2	0
„ No. 3C	38	2	0
„ No. 3D	62	0	22
Mangaawakino 8A 1B	65	3	20
„ 8A 2B 2	313	1	27
„ 8B 2B 2B	412	3	4
	1,079	3	32.6

A. T. NGATA, Native Minister.

Including additional Land in the Kawhakuputaputa Development Scheme.

Office of the Native Minister,
Wellington, 29th January, 1931.

WHEREAS notice was published in the *Gazette* and *Kahiti* of the 24th July, 1930, that the Native Minister has decided to apply the provisions of subsection (3) of section 23 of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1929, to Kawhakuputaputa No. 1 and other blocks of Native land, or land owned by Natives, in the South Island Native Land Court District: And whereas the Native Minister has now decided that the Native land

or land owned by Natives set out in the Schedule hereto shall be subject to the provisions of subsection (3) of the said section 23, and shall be included in and form part of the Kawhakuputaputa Development Scheme. Notice of the Native Minister's intention is hereby given and published in accordance with the said subsection (3) which provides that no owner shall, except with the consent of the Native Minister, be entitled to exercise any rights of ownership in connection with the land affected so as to interfere with or obstruct the carrying-out of any works undertaken or to be undertaken under the said subsection (3).

SCHEDULE.

THE following lands in the South Island Native Land Court District situate in the Longwood Survey District:—

Block.	Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
Kawhakuputaputa No. 1 Block VIII, Longwood	152	2	18
„ No. 2 „ „	185	1	20
„ No. 3A „ „	53	3	32
„ No. 3B 1 „ „	21	0	37
„ No. 3B 2A „ „	60	0	4
„ No. 3B 2B „ „	15	0	0
„ No. 3B 2c „ „	31	1	10
Sections 1-34, Wakapatu Native Township ..	8	1	34
Sections 6-7, Block VIII, Longwood (Cemetery Reserves)	2	0	0

A. T. NGATA, Native Minister.

Land Surveyors' Examination, March, 1931, Australia and New Zealand.

The Survey Board of New Zealand,
Wellington, 29th January, 1931.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the Survey Board, in conjunction with the Australian Surveyors Boards, will conduct an examination of candidates for licenses to survey, commencing at 10 a.m. on Monday, 16th March, 1931, at Wellington.

Candidates are notified that their applications, on the proper form, must reach the Secretary of the Board not later than Monday, 2nd March, and that the examination fee as undernoted must be paid at the same time to the Secretary, from whom application forms and other particulars may be obtained.

Candidates sitting for the first time will not be accepted at this examination.

Candidates completing former sittings may sit in other centres where there is a Chief Surveyor's office, on payment of an extra fee of £1 ls. in addition to the ordinary fees which are as under:—

- Completing in one or two subjects, fee of £1 ls. per subject.
- Completing in all subjects, fee £5 5s.

M. CROMPTON-SMITH,
Secretary, Survey Board.

Government Buildings, Wellington.

Population of the Dominion.

RETURN of the Estimated Population of the Dominion of New Zealand, Dependencies, and Mandated Territory.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Estimated population (including Maoris) of New Zealand proper, 31st December, 1930 ..	768,736	737,324	1,506,060
Estimated population of Cook Islands, Niue, &c., 30th September, 1930	7,553	7,259	14,812
Estimated population of Tokelau Islands, November, 1929	497	502	999
Estimated population of the Mandated Territory of Western Samoa, 30th September, 1930 ..	23,565	21,651	45,216
Estimated total population of the Dominion of New Zealand, Dependencies, and Mandated Territory	800,351	766,736	1,567,087
New Zealand proper, 31st December, 1930:—			
(a) Estimated population (excluding Maoris)	733,378	704,833	1,438,211
(b) Estimated Maori population	35,358	32,491	67,849
North Island,—			
(a) Estimated population (including Maoris)	499,458	470,269	969,727
(b) „ „ (excluding Maoris)	465,649	439,183	904,832
South Island,—			
(a) Estimated population (including Maoris)	269,278	267,055	536,333
(b) „ „ (excluding Maoris)	267,729	265,650	533,379

During the quarter ended 31st December, 1930, the population showed an increase of 11,432 compared with an increase of 11,216 during the corresponding quarter of 1929.

Census and Statistics Office,
Wellington, 3rd February, 1931.

MALCOLM FRASER,
Government Statistician.