

New Zealand.



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1892, No. 6.

AN ACT to provide for the Determination of the Title to the Kaipo Reserve. Title.
[22nd August, 1892.]

WHEREAS by a Crown grant dated the first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, the piece or parcel of land known as Kaipo, Section eighty, Waitotara Block (hereinafter called "the said land"), was granted to Rio and Piripi, aboriginal natives: Preamble.
And whereas it is alleged that the said grant was made in pursuance of an arrangement in that behalf, and with the intention that the said Rio and Piripi should hold the said land as trustees for the benefit of themselves and other members of the Ngarauru Tribe, but no reference to such alleged trust was made in the said grant: And whereas the said Rio and Piripi are now dead, and successors to their estate and interest in the said land have been appointed, namely, Haata Rio, Matatiria Rio, and Tupuhi Rio as successors to the estate and interest of the said Rio, and Piripi te Rangirunga, Kirimangu, and Te Amo te Kehu as successors to the estate and interest of the said Piripi: And whereas it is expedient that the other persons, if any, who are or ought to be beneficially entitled to the said lands under and by virtue of the said alleged trust should be ascertained, and provision made for more effectually securing to them the benefit of the said alleged trust:

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. The Short Title of this Act is "The Kaipo Reserve Act, 1892." Short Title.

2. The Native Land Court shall have jurisdiction to inquire and determine, and by its order declare, whether any, and, if any, what, persons, being members of the said Ngarauru Tribe, are entitled to an interest in the said land under and by virtue of the said alleged trust, and in what relative proportions. Native Land Court to have jurisdiction.

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3. From and after the date of making such order the said Crown grant shall, if any other persons are found entitled as aforesaid, become and be void and of no effect and the said land be deemed to be vested in the persons named in such order in that behalf as tenants in common for an estate of freehold in fee-simple in possession.

Ante-vesting date.

4. The Court shall also determine what ought to be the ante-vesting date of such estate, and such date shall for all purposes be deemed the ante-vesting date accordingly.