SUMMARY - CHAPTER 3. MAORI HISTORY (1840 - 1900)

- 1840-45 repatriation of Ngati Kahungunu. Upokoiri signatories to Treaty.
- death of Te Wanikau. Hori Te Kaharoa takes over. 1842
- William Colenso arrives at Waitangi with Renata Kawepo. 1844
- 1845-48 Renata active in negotiating return of Upokoiri and Hinemanu.
- first requirement the return of Paeroa's head. 1848
 - at hahunga ceremony for Te Wanikau Te Moananui invites Ngai Te Upokoiri to repatriate former lands.
- 1848-51 Govt Land purchase agents in Heretaunga.
 - jealousy between principal chiefs exploited by Govt.
- 1850 - first heke of Ngai Te Upokoiri returns to Pokonao, Clive - establish cultivations under Ngati Hinemanu chief Noa Huke.
 - Govt employs Te Hapuku as assessor to facilitate purchases.
- 1851 1851 - Waipukurau, Ahuriri and Mohaka purchases concluded.
- 1852-53 discontent over Te Hapuku's land sales tactics.
- 1853 - sale of Okawa to Crown as demonstration of authority by Te Moananui.
 - second heke of Ngai Te Upokoiri arrives from Manawatu.
 - Raniera Te Ahiko and Aperahama Kaipipi repatriate old Omahu.
- 1855 - posts erected at Whanawhana to limit Te Hapuku's land sales.
- land sales issue unresolved. Leads to battle of Pakiaka and defeat 1857 of Te Hapuku.
- 1858 - Te Hapuku banished to Te Hauke.
 - Renata initiates leasehold of R.D. 9 blocks.
 - Conflict over sale of Aorangi and Ria Tawhara's participation.
 - Meeting of King movement at Waiohiki. Te Whata a Te Herunga.
- 1862 final heke of Ngai Te Upokoiri returns. Settlements at old Omahu. Ohiti.
- 1863 flour mill established at Paherumanihi. Noa Huke treasurer.
- 1866 Hauhau movement leads to Omarunui engagement.
- 1867 Te Arawhita a Tikumu 11 feast held at Omahu for Te Hapuku. - great flood changes course of Ngaruroro river. Te Kareti est.
- 1869 Te Porere engagement at Taupo. Renata Kawepo loses eye.
- 1870s Europeans enter into freehold arrangements with Maori.
 - Upokoiri and Hinemanu grazing Inland Patea.
 - School and church for Ngai Te Upokoiri at Omahu.
 - litigation over Tunanui.
- 1880s King Tawhiao visits Omahu.
 - roads to interior constructed.
 - Tunanui resolved.
- 1888 death of Renata Kawepo initiates the celebrated Omahu hearing.

1889-90. Omahu hearings. Airini Donnelly v. Wi Broughton.

- 1894 deaths of Noa Huke and Raniera Te Ahiko. William Colenso at Noa's tangi.
 - Kohurau partition.
- 1897 Ohiti/Waitio blocks investigated in Native Land Court.

- great flood.