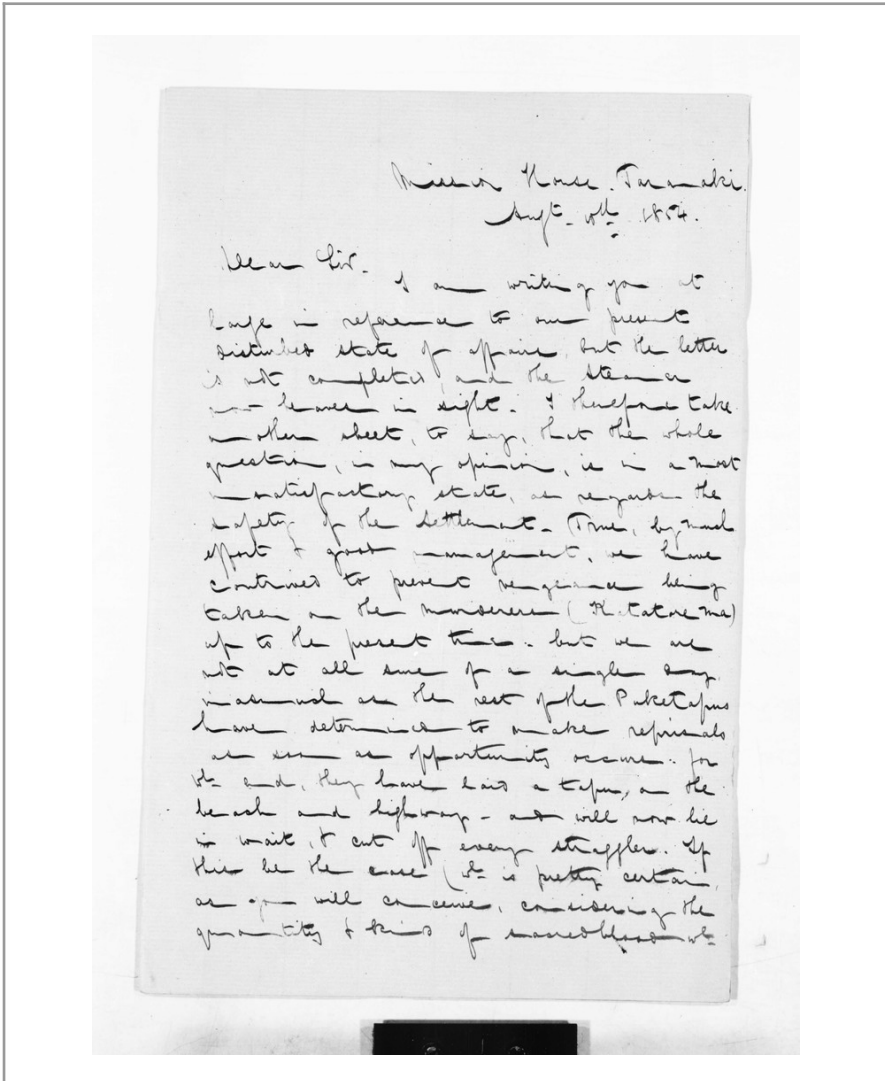
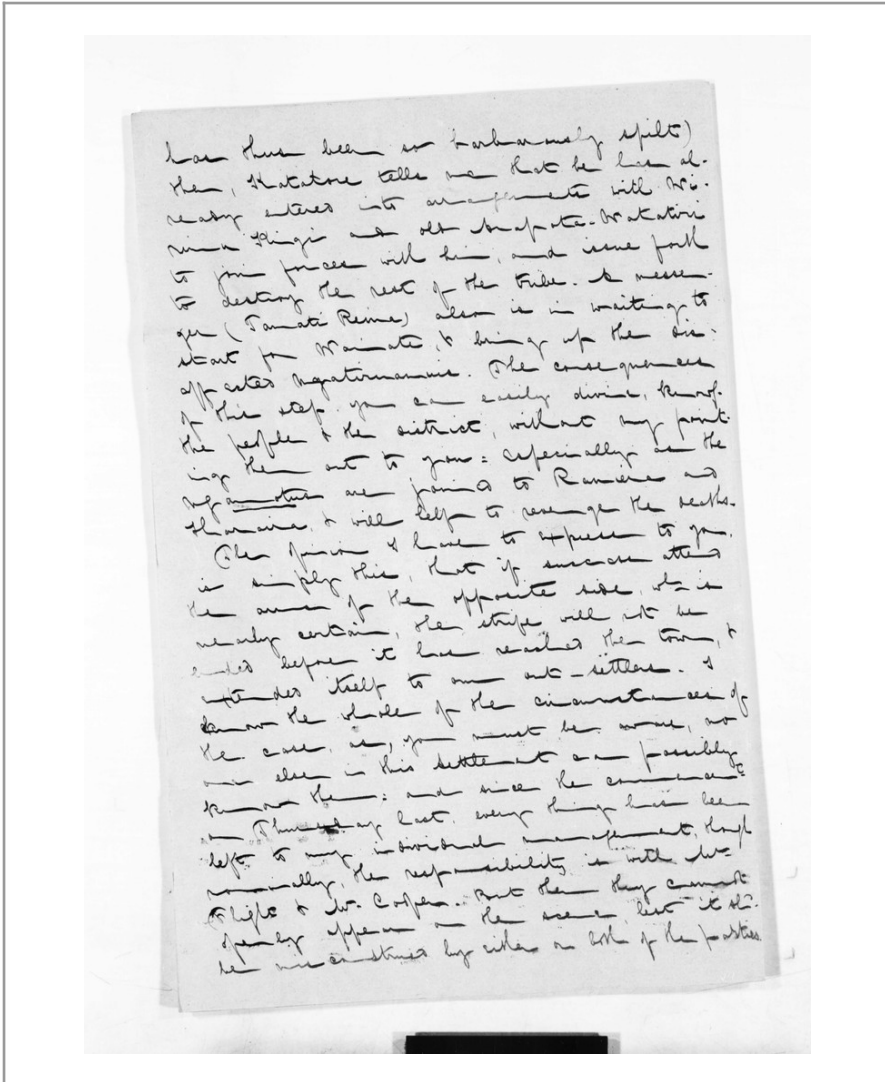


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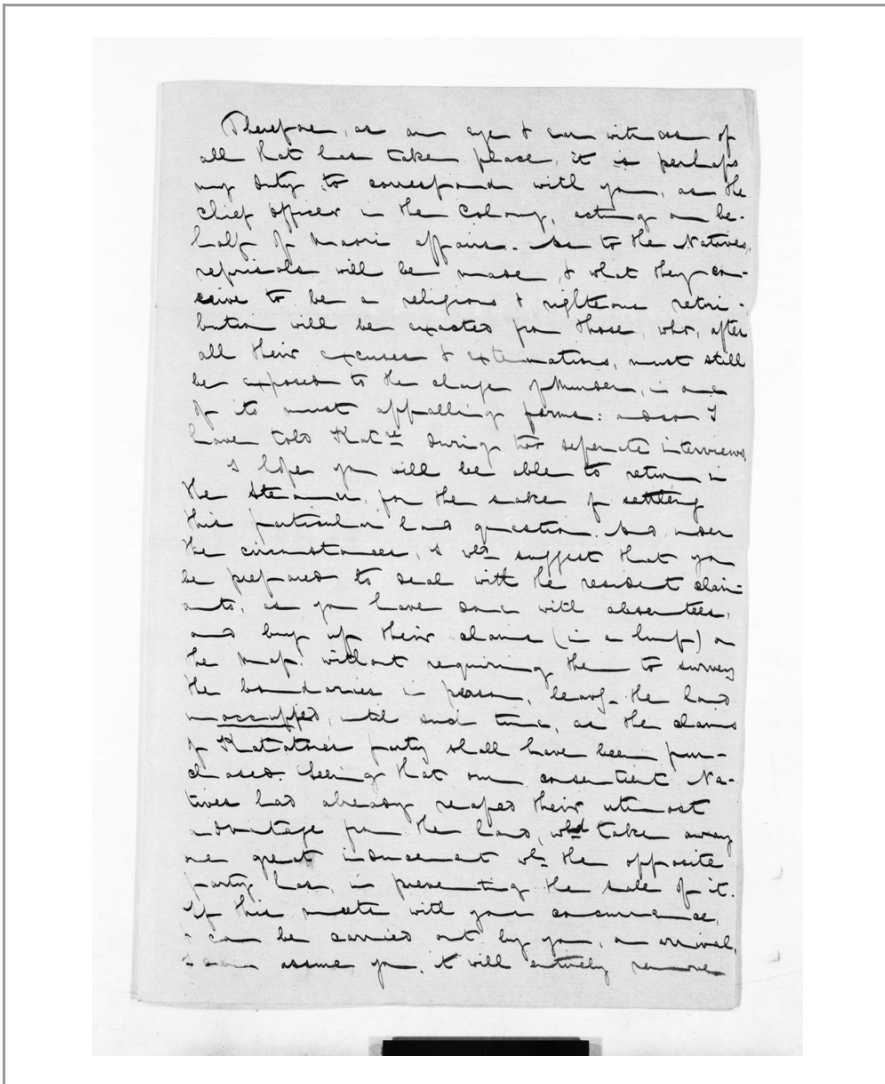
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That feeling of dissatisfaction to the Government
 is very natural to arise, when the per-
 sons are anxious to sell their particular
 claims to land. The Govt - refused to buy.
 I think the Govt has done wisely, owing
 to these numbers, when it will not only
 be safe but proper to adopt the same
 system of purchase: for I believe that Mr.
 Wilson's things referred to sell, he would be
 hindered by the consideration that he is thus
 instrumental in depriving himself partly of
 any advantage in the land.
 But as to the land itself, I could be-
 lieve that my map of the area would
 will prove it being a good, some a little.
 What I desire is that the settlement
 be as soon as possible, be placed in a
 state of defence. The Govt, on great objection
 of military occupation has arisen from the
 presence of some of the Pakehas, who have
 not connected with the Govt, and they
 have mixed with the land of Rarangi. So that
 we do have a considerable body of Native
 allies. Moreover, the Pakehas desire to
 visit the Govt to see how many troops
 we will be sufficient (I think no more than 1000),
 but they do not wish the Govt to interfere in the
 least, in reference to Rarangi's death. The only
 thing is therefore to give them a part of the
 will have with the Govt, and all have promised a
 sufficient defence from the others. But I
 should like to see, at least, as it is a stopping
 place: I think we will apply at Wanganui, I think
 done very truly - I am, Sir, your obedient servant
 H. Hanson Turton