



Downing Street,
19 July 1884.

Sir,

I am directed by the
Earl of Derby to acknow-
-ledge the receipt of your
letter of yesterday trans-
-mitting a copy of the
Memorial of the Maori
Chiefs now in England.

His Lordship desires me
to be
The Secretary to
The Aborigines Protection Society



to state that he will be
happy to receive the Maori
Chiefs at this Office at 3
p.m. on Tuesday next, and
that he has so informed
Mr. Gore in P. who had
proposed to be present on
the occasion and to
introduce the Chiefs.

I am

Sir,

Your Obedient Servant

Robert W. Herbert