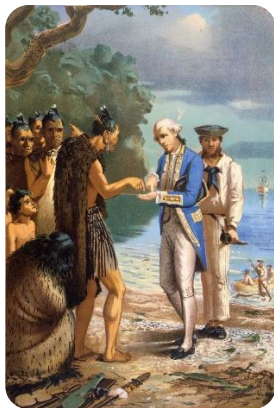




The first people in New Zealand were the Maoris.



James Cook claimed the country for England and in 1840 the first settlers arrived.



From 1845 to 1860, some of the Maori tribes fought against the British colonists, but the British people did not give up.

New Zealand gave women the right to vote in 1893.

The Waitangi Day is celebrated on 6th February every year.



In 1947, New Zealand became independent, but the Queen is still the official head of New Zealand.

In 2008 the government paid the Maori worth 500 million New Zealand dollars.

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