

usually ^{call} Shung hee a God, when he ap-
 proaches them, in the following terms-

"Hauemi, hauemi, Atua!"—Come
 hither, come hither thou God! This

paying of divine honours to the Chiefs,
 fills their minds with the most proud

and profane notions of their own dig-
 nity and consequence. When they die,

their posterity deify them and offer up

their prayers to them. The New Zealander

here compared the departed spirit of

Shung hee's Father, to the glory of the