

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

No. 8.

GEORGE CLARKE.

THE Committee direct me to report that they see no reason why the conditions specified in "The Civil Service Superannuation Act, 1858," should be relaxed or departed from in the case of the Petitioner.

17th July, 1866.

J. CRACROFT WILSON, C.B.,
Chairman.

No. 9.

SETTLERS OF POVERTY BAY DISTRICT.

THE Committee direct me to report that the Petition is attested by forty-four signatures, and that it is in accordance with Standing Orders. There are two erasures but these occur not in the body of the Petition, but among the signatures, and consequently these erasures do not involve any violation of the Standing Orders. The prayer is that the District from Lotting Point between Cape Runaway and Hicks' Bay, may be transferred from the Province of Auckland, and included in the Province of Hawke's Bay.

20th July, 1866.

J. CRACROFT WILSON, C.B.,
Chairman.

No. 10.

CORPORATION OF BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

THE majority of the Committee direct me to report that they are of opinion that the prayer of the Petitioner not having been recommended by the Crown does not comply with the Standing Order No. 260.

20th July, 1866.

J. CRACROFT WILSON, C.B.,
Chairman.

No. 11.

H. V. LILLICRAP.

THE Committee direct me to report that they consider the Petitioner's case as one of those which ought to be left to the decision of the several Provincial Councils.

20th July, 1866.

J. CRACROFT WILSON, C.B.,
Chairman.

No. 12.

DANIEL MUNRO.

THE Committee direct me to report that they are of opinion that a small pension should be granted by Government to the Petitioner.

20th July, 1866.

J. CRACROFT WILSON, C.B.,
Chairman.

No. 13.

DENIS BROWN COCHRANE.

THE Committee direct me to report that in their opinion the Petitioner is entitled to receive from Government the value of the guns and ammunition removed from his premises on public grounds by an Officer of the General Government less the deposit paid by certain Natives, if the said deposit has been retained by him.

20th July, 1866.

J. CRACROFT WILSON, C.B.,
Chairman.

No. 14.

INHABITANTS OF THE TOWN AND DISTRICT OF OAMARU.

THE Committee direct me to report that this Petition has affixed to it two hundred and ninety-five signatures, and that the prayer of the Petitioners is, that a change may be made in the Provincial Government system, and that Local Boards be established in outlying districts, to which may be assigned an equitable portion of the land fund of the Province.

25th July, 1866.

J. CRACROFT WILSON, C.B.,
Chairman.

No. 15.

ANDREW THOMPSON.

THE Committee direct me to report that this Petition is not without interlineation and erasure, and that consequently it does not comply with Standing Order No. 251.

25th July, 1866.

J. CRACROFT WILSON, C.B.,
Chairman.