

1903.
NEW ZEALAND.

REPORTS OF THE RAILWAYS COMMITTEE.

(MR. TANNER, CHAIRMAN.)

Presented to the House of Representatives and ordered to be printed.

ORDER OF REFERENCE.

Extract from the Journals of the House of Representatives.

FRIDAY, THE 3RD DAY OF JULY, 1903.

Ordered, "That Standing Order No. 211 be suspended, and that a Committee be appointed, consisting of thirteen members, to examine and report upon questions relating to the railways, with power to call for persons and papers; three to be a quorum: the Committee to consist of Mr. Arnold, Mr. Bennet, Mr. Hogg, Mr. Lawry, Mr. Massey, Mr. R. McKenzie, Mr. Rhodes, Mr. Sidey, Mr. Tanner, Mr. J. C. Thomson, Mr. Witty, Mr. Wood, and the mover."—(Hon. Sir J. G. WARD.)

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No. 11.—Petition of MARY ANN ASHTON, of Sydenham, Canterbury.

PETITIONER prays for a compassionate allowance for loss of husband, who was in the Railway Department.

I am directed to report that the opinion of this Committee is that this petition should be referred to the Government for favourable consideration.

30th July, 1903.

No. 38.—Petition of JOHN O'CONNOR, of South Dunedin.

PETITIONER prays for compensation for an accident received while in the employment of the Railway Department.

I am directed to report that the Committee has no recommendation to make for further compensation.

30th July, 1903.