

1919.
NEW ZEALAND.

GOLDFIELDS AND MINES COMMITTEE

(REPORTS OF THE).

(MR. SCOTT, CHAIRMAN.)

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

ORDERS OF REFERENCE.

Extracts from the Journals of the House of Representatives.

WEDNESDAY, THE 3RD DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1919.

Ordered. "That Standing Order No. 219 be suspended, and that a Goldfields and Mines Committee be appointed, consisting of thirteen members, to whom shall be referred all matters relating to mining and all Bills relating to mines, with power to call for persons and papers; three to be a quorum; the Committee to consist of Mr. Bollard, Mr. Colvin, Mr. Holland, Mr. Hudson, Mr. Lee, the Hon. Mr. MacDonald, Mr. Poland, Mr. Reed, Mr. T. W. Rhodes, Mr. Scott, Mr. Seddon, Mr. Walker, and the mover."—(HON. SIR W. FRASER.)

THURSDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1919.

Ordered. "That all petitions not finally dealt with during the sessions of 1918 be again referred to the same Committees as they were referred to during the said sessions."—(RIGHT HON. MR. MASSEY.)

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No. 78 of Session II, 1918. -Petition of JAMES KELLY, of Westport.

PRAYING for a bonus as the discoverer of the first quartz reef in the quartz-mining area now known as Reefton.

I am directed to report that in the opinion of the Committee this petition should be referred to the Government for favourable consideration, with a view to the grant of a small compassionate allowance to petitioner.

23rd October, 1919.