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REPORTS OF RAILWAYS COMMITTEE.

(MR. R. McKENZIE, CHAIRMAN.

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

ORDER OF REFERENCE.

Extract from the Journals of the House of Representatives. Wednesday, the 3rd day of July, 1901.

Ordered, "That a Committee be appointed, consisting of ten members, to examine into 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. Flatman, Mr. Lawry, Mr. Massey, Mr. Morrison, Mr. McGuire, Mr. R. McKenzie, Mr. G. W. Russell, Mr. Tanner, Mr. J. W. Thomson, and the mover."—(Hon. Sir J. G. Ward, K.C.M.G.)

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No. 147.—Petition of DAVID ALEXANDER JACKSON, of Christchurch Road, Westland. Petitioner asks to be paid the sum of £30, balance of purchase-money for land sold to the New Zealand Midland Railway Company (Limited), which land has since been resumed by the Government.

I am directed to report that the Railways Committee recommends that the petition be referred to the Government for consideration.

20th August, 1901.