1949 NEW ZEALAND

AGRICULTURAL AND PASTORAL COMMITTEE

(REPORTS OF THE)
(Mr. G. H. O. WILSON, CHAIRMAN)

Laid Upon the Table of the House of Representatives

ORDERS OF REFERENCE

Extracts from the Journals of the House of Representatives FRIDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF JULY, 1949

Ordered, "That a Select Committee be appointed, consisting of nine members, to consider all matters pertaining to agricultural and pastoral industries and stock which may be referred to it, with power to confer and sit together with any similar Committee which may be appointed by the Legislative Council, and to agree to a joint or separate report: the Committee to consist of Mr. Baxter, Mr. Gillespie, Mr. Gordon, Mr. Herron, Mr. Holyoake, Mr. Kearins, Mr. Langstone, Mr. Wilson, and the Mover."—(Hon. Mr. Cullen.)

Tuesday, the 27th Day of September, 1949

Ordered, "That the Agricultural and Pastoral Committee have leave to sit during the sitting of the House on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 27th and 28th September, 1949."—(Mr. WILSON.)

FRIDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1949

Ordered, "That the Agricultural and Pastoral Committee have leave to sit during the present sitting of the House." (Mr. Wilson.)

REPORTS

No. 36—Petition of D. S. TURNER

Praying for compensation in connection with the destruction of diseased citrus-fruit trees.

I have the honour to report that the Committee has carefully considered the petition, and recommends that it be referred to the Government for favourable consideration. 24th August, 1949.

No. 37—Petition of C. P. Tilby

Praying for compensation in connection with the destruction of diseased citrus-fruit trees.

I have the honour to report that the Committee has carefully considered the petition, and recommends that it be referred to the Government for consideration.

24th August, 1949.

A. C. Baxter, Acting-Chairman.

No. 51—Petition of H. E. Brown

Praying for reconsideration of his application for relief under section 17 of the Land and Income Tax Amendment Act, 1945.

I have the honour to report that the Committee has carefully considered the petition, and recommends that it be referred to the Government for favourable consideration, and that the principles and practice of farm accountancy in connection with live-stock values be further investigated in order to establish greater equity in the procedures laid down by the Commissioner of Taxes and that special consideration be given to fixing standard values based on the average market price over a period of years.

19th October, 1949.

No. 60—Petition of W. G. ANNEAR and OTHERS

Praying for the release of bran and pollard to poultry-keepers for use in lieu of the standard mash.

I have the honour to report that the Committee has carefully considered the petition, and recommends that until such time as bran and pollard can be made freely available the petition be referred to the Government for the purpose of investigation into the possibility of producing a better balanced poultry mash to meet the need of the poultry-keepers.

19th October, 1949.

G. H. O. Wilson, Chairman.

SPECIAL REPORT

I have the honour to report that at its final meeting the Agricultural and Pastoral Committee unanimously passed the following Resolution:—

"That this Committee place on record its appreciation of the services rendered to it by the Chairman, Mr. G. H. O. Wilson during the 1949 session and of the able and courteous manner in which he has directed the business of the Committee during the hearing of the several major petitions dealt with, and that this Resolution be reported to the House."

20th October, 1949.

W. H. GILLESPIE, Member of the Committee.

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