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Laid upon the Table by the Right Hon. Mr. Seddon with the leave of the House.

MEMORANDUM TO SECRETARY TO THE TREASURY AS TO HOW CAPTAIN SEDDON SIGNS HIS NAME TO VOUCHERS, AND REPLY.

Prime Minister's Office, Wellington, 7th September, 1905.

MEMORANDUM for the SECRETARY to the TREASURY.

Will you please inform me how Captain Seddon signs his vouchers, and whether any such vouchers are signed "R. J. S. Seddon." R. J. Seddon.

Right Hon. Colonial Treasurer.

ALL vouchers in the Treasury for payments made to Captain Seddon are receipted "R. J. Seddon." There are no vouchers signed "R. J. S. Seddon."

7th September, 1905.

JAS. B. HEYWOOD, Secretary.