REPORTS.

No. 3, Session I.—Petition of GEORGE SWANN ROSS.

PETITIONER prays for compensation for the invention of a protective plate in locomotive-boilers.

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

28th October, 1909.

No. 64, Session II.—Petition of Louis George Pratt.

PRITITIONER prays for compensation on account of an accident received while in the Railway service.

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

28th October, 1909.

No. 3, Session II.—Petition of WILLIAM CONVERS.

PETITIONER prays for a compassionate allowance on account of injuries received while in the Government Railway service.

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

28th October, 1909.

No. 1, Session II.—Petition of Mrs. T. Brown.

PETITIONER prays for compensation for loss of her husband through an accident at the Railway

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

29th October, 1909.

No. 10, Session II.—Petition of Jane Elizabeth Selman, of Georgetown, Papakaio. Petitioner prays for compensation for crop destroyed by fire caused by sparks from railway-engine.

I am directed to report that the Committee recommends that this petition be referred to the

Government for favourable consideration.

12th November, 1909.

No. 127.—Petition of W. Goldsworthy, of Pukekohe.

PETITIONER prays for compensation in respect of damage to cart and horse through being struck on a level crossing at Pukekohe Railway-station.

I am directed to report that the Committee has no recommendation to make on this petition.

12th November, 1909.

No. 182.—Petition of WILLIAM HODGES, of High Street, Christchurch.

PETITIONER prays for payment by Railway Permanent Employees' Sick Benefit Society of £30, and amendment of the law.

I am directed to report that the Committee has no recommendation to make on this petition.

19th November, 1909.

No. 248.—Petition of WILLIAM CROMBIE, of Auckland.

Petitioner prays for compensation on account of his disratement while in the employ of the Railway Department.

I am directed to report that the Committee has no recommendation to make on this petition.

19th November, 1909.

No. 254.—Petition of John Telford, of Christchurch.

PETITIONER prays that his full time be counted in computing his pension as a Railway employee. I am directed to report that the Committee has no recommendation to make on this petition. 19th November, 1909.

No. 291.—Petition of Thomas Patterson, of Brown Street, Invercargill.

Petitioner prays for compensation for injuries received as a result of a railway accident.

I am directed to report that the Committee has no recommendation to make on this petition.

26th November, 1909.

No. 28, Session 1.—Petition of R. H. Hanson, of Auckland. (No. 1.)

PETITIONER prays for compensation for injuries received while in the Railway service.

I am directed to report that the Committee has no recommendation to make on this petition.

26th November, 1909.