

SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Friday, the 21st Day of October, 1910.

ANIMALS PROTECTION AMENDMENT BILL.

Hon. Dr. FINDLAY, in Committee, to move the following amendments :—

Clause 7 : To add the following proviso :—

Provided that the Governor in Council may, on the recommendation of an acclimatization society, suspend, within the district of that society, the operation of this section with respect to hares ; and, on the recommendation of the Minister of Agriculture or any local authority, may suspend, within any specified area, the operation of this section with respect to weasels and stoats.

Clause 8 : To omit this clause.

To add the following new clause :—

11. (1.) Every person who destroys, or injures, or captures any bird which is indigenous to New Zealand, or who robs or destroys the nest of any such bird, is liable to a fine not exceeding *twenty* pounds :

Penalty for
destroying
indigenous birds
or their eggs.

Provided that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council, suspend the operation of this section with respect to any specified species of bird for such period in any year as he thinks fit.

(2.) The provisions of the principal Act relating to native game shall be read subject to this section and to any Order in Council made thereunder.

Repeal

(3.) Section twenty of the principal Act is hereby repealed.
