

SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Monday, the 21st day of October, 1872.

1. The Honourable Mr. WATERHOUSE, in Committee on the Municipal Corporations Waterworks Bill, to move the following amendments:—

Clause 3, to add:—“Provided that nothing herein contained shall affect injuriously the rights of any companies or persons who may have vested interests in or claims upon any existing waterworks, without the consent in writing of such companies or persons: Provided further that all such rights may be purchased, dealt with, or otherwise disposed of under or in accordance with the provisions of ‘The Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1863.’”

Clause 4, in line 2, after “undertaken” to insert “or purchased.” In the same clause, in line 2, to insert “for constructing waterworks.” In the same clause, in line 4, after “constructed” to add “or purchased.” In the same clause, in line 6, after “derived” to insert “and all lands to a reasonable extent intermediate between the place of supply and the places to be supplied, and all lands included within the circuit of such last-mentioned places; and in case of dispute as to what lands are included in a district, the matter in dispute shall be determined by some competent person to be appointed in that behalf by the Governor in Council.”

Clause 12, in lines 4 and 5, to omit “for the district of Auckland.”

Clause 13,—

And so as no works constructed under this Act shall injuriously affect any gas pipes or any drains sewers or other public works, except so far as the same may be necessarily disturbed during the process of construction or repair, and in that case subject to the obligation forthwith to replace and make good all such public works.”

Clause 16, in line 3, after “centum” to add “per annum.”

Clause 17, to omit all between “each” in line 4 and “in each” in line 6.

In the same clause to add to end thereof “Provided always that there shall be no priority as between debenture holders or mortgagees, respectively, but they shall respectively hold these securities *pari passu*.”

Clause 34, to add to the clause, “to the extent authorized by this Act.”

Clause 52, to omit all between “Whosoever” in line 1 and “shall” in line 2.

In the same clause, in line 7, after “gas” to insert “or any other matter whatsoever.”

Clause 53, in line 2, after “by” to omit “the,” and in the same line to omit “of any such proprietor or person.”

In the same clause, in line 4, after “escape,” to add “They may also open and examine adjacent cesspools or other places from which foul matter may be reasonably supposed to escape, so as to foul such water.”

In the same clause, in line 6, after “works” to insert “cesspools or places.”

In the same clause, in line 10, after “examined” to insert “or from such cesspools or places.”

In the same clause, in line 12, after "works" to insert "cesspools or places."

Clause 55, in line 2, after "applied" to insert "only."

Clause 56, in line 3, before "rules" to insert "existing."

Clause 15, in line 9, to omit all after "paid" to end of clause, and insert in lieu thereof, "and the provisions of Part XIII. of the Municipal Corporations Act, so far as the same relates to by-laws, shall, so far as the same are applicable, apply to by-laws under this Act."

Clause 81, to omit all between "then" in line 8 and "the Council" in line 10.

New Clauses.

1A. This Act may be brought into operation in and for any borough within any Province by an Act or Ordinance of the Superintendent and Provincial Council of such Province, and shall take effect in and for such borough on and from any day which by such Act or Ordinance shall be either fixed or directed to be appointed, and except as aforesaid this Act shall have no effect or operation.

3A. All waters brought into use by virtue of the provisions of this Act, together with all rights incidental to the ownership of such waters, shall be deemed to be the property of and to be vested in the Council.

83. The provisions in Parts IX., X., and XII. of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867," shall be deemed to apply to this Act so far as the same are not inconsistent therewith.

2. The Honourable Mr. _____, in Committee on the Dunedin Gas and Water Works Bill, to move the following amendment:—

Clause 2. To add to the end thereof—

"Provided always that no sums shall be raised under the provisions of this Act until the undertaking shall have become a duly authorized undertaking within the provisions of the said Act."

3. The Honourable Mr. _____, in Committee on the Auckland Waterworks Bill, to move the following amendment:—

Clause 2, in line 10, to omit "of the eighty-fourth section."