ORDER PAPER.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Thursday, the 7th day of July, 1870.

1. The Honourable Mr. Seymour to ask, Whether the Government intend to take any steps to assist the existing Local Industries of New Zealand, and to encourage the establishment of new ones?

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

Property Law Amendment Bill—third reading.
 Appeals from Provincial Rating Bill—third reading.

3. District Courts Criminal Jurisdiction Extension Bill—to be further considered in Committee.

(Contingent Notice.)

In Committee on the District Courts Criminal Jurisdiction Extension Bill, the

Honourable Mr. Sewell to move the following new clause:—

The eleventh section of "The District Courts Amendment Act, 1860," is hereby repealed: Provided that such repeal shall not apply to or affect persons appointed as Judges of District Courts prior to the passing of this Act.

4. Otago Education Reserves Abandonment Bill—to be committed.5. New Zealand Post Office Act Amendment Bill—to be committed.

6. Intestate Estates Act Amendment Bill—second reading.

7. Richmond Land Sales Bill—to be committed.

8. Patents Bill—to be committed.

Friday, the 8th day of July, 1870.

1. The Honourable Mr. Mantell to ask the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, Whether the Government has still in its possession or can obtain copies of the Evidence and Report of the Waikato Committee, F. 3, 1860, for distribution among Members of the General Assembly?

NOTICE OF MOTION.

1. The Honourable Mr. Mantell to move, That it be an instruction to the Committee on Standing Orders to consider and report whether any alteration is desirable in Standing Order No. 25.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

1. Provincial Reserved Bills Bill—second reading.

Tuesday, the 12th day of July.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

1. Execution of Judgments against Real Estate Bill—second reading.

Papers laid on the Table 6th July, 1870.

(1.) Papers relative to the proposed Nelson and Cobden Railway. (By command.) (2.) Report of Examiner for Private Bills upon the Wellington Gas Company Bill. (The Hon. the Speaker.)

SELECT COMMITTEES

Petitions, at 10.30 a.m.

Address to Her Majesty, at 11 a.m.