

# ORDER PAPER.

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## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

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Tuesday, the 1st day of August, 1876.

### NOTICES OF MOTION.

1. The Honourable Colonel BRETT to move, That the Government be requested to prepare and bring in a Bill to carry into effect the Resolution contained in the Report of the Petitions Committee upon the Petition of Henry Smythies.
2. The Honourable Mr. WATERHOUSE to move, For leave to introduce a Bill intituled "The Masterton and Greytown Lands Management Act Amendment Act, 1876."

### ORDERS OF THE DAY.

1. Wellington Reserves Bill—to be committed.
2. Auckland Institute Act Amendment Bill—second reading.
3. Canterbury Education Reserves Sale and Leasing Bill—to be re-committed.

#### *Contingent Notice of Motion.*

The Honourable Mr. Hall to move, in Committee on the Canterbury Educational Reserves Bill, That the following proviso be added to clause 8:—

Provided always that the college may from time to time, with the consent of the Governor in Council, invest any part of the said moneys, not exceeding the sum of ten thousand pounds, in the purchase of sites and the erection of buildings for the purposes of the said college.

4. Regulation of Local Elections Bill—third reading.

#### *Contingent Notice of Motion.*

The Honourable Dr. POLLEN to move, That the Bill be re-committed for the purpose of erasing the following clause, previously inserted in Committee:—

It shall be lawful for any owner or owners of any property within any rateable district to authorize, under his or their hand, any other person resident within such district to exercise the vote or votes to which he or they are entitled, and the Returning Officer, on being satisfied that such person is duly authorized as aforesaid, shall allow him to vote accordingly: Provided always that no one person shall at any election exercise the proxies of more than two such owners.

5. Hawke's Bay Rivers Bill—third reading.

Friday, the 4th day of August, 1876.

1. The Honourable Colonel BRETT to ask the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, If any inquiry has been made, either by the Provincial or General Governments, respecting the "White Eagle" having been at the Crozets Islands on her passage from England to Auckland; and whether it is true that she saw signals of distress upon the island and rendered no assistance?

### SELECT COMMITTEES:—

*For Tuesday, the 1st day of August, 1876.*

Standing Orders, at 11 a.m., in the Hon. the Speaker's room.

*For Wednesday, the 2nd day of August, 1876.*

Land Transfer Bill, at 11 a.m., in No. 1 Committee room.

Timaru Gas Bill, at 11 a.m., in No. 2 Committee room.