

ORDER PAPER.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Thursday, the 6th day of August, 1874.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

1. The Honourable Dr. POLLEN to move, That the Civil Service Acts Amendment Bill be referred to a Select Committee, to consist of the Honourable Mr. Hart, the Honourable Mr. G. R. Johnson, the Honourable Mr. Paterson, the Honourable Captain Fraser, and the Mover.
2. The Honourable Mr. WATERHOUSE to move, That the Wellington Special Settlements Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole Council for Friday.
3. The Honourable Mr. ACLAND to move, That the time for bringing up the Report of the Ward-Chapman Inquiry Committee be extended to Thursday, 13th August.
4. The Honourable Mr. MILLER to move, That the Oamaru Hospital Reserves Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole Council for Friday next.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

1. Government Insurance and Annuities Bill—third reading.
2. Municipal Corporations Act Amendment Bill—second reading.
3. Constitution of the Westport Borough Proceedings Validation Bill—second reading.
4. Burial-Ground Closing Bill—to be committed.
5. Electric Telegraph Act Amendment Bill—to be further considered in Committee.

Contingent Notice of Motion.

In Committee on the Electric Telegraph Act Amendment Bill, the Honourable Mr. G. R. JOHNSON to move the following amendment in clause 10 :—

To omit “done by such person so examined,” and insert “arising out of the evidence given by him on such examination.”

6. Regulation of Mines Bill—second reading.
7. Municipal Reserves Bill—second reading.
8. Municipal Corporations Gasworks Bill—second reading.
9. Juries Act Amendment Bill—second reading.
10. Real Estate Descent Bill—to be committed.
11. Marlborough Waste Lands Bill—second reading.

Friday, the 7th day of August, 1874.

1. The Honourable Mr. MENZIES to ask the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, Whether the Government has, in recognition of what is likely to become an important industry, taken or will take into consideration the propriety of legislating on the subject-matter of the Resolution agreed to by this Council on 31st August, 1869—namely, “That it is expedient that the Government should, during the recess, prepare a measure providing for the vesting of or declaratory of the right to fish for salmon or trout, to prohibit the erection and maintenance of fixed engines and nets in New Zealand waters both salt and fresh”—in accordance with the promise then given by the Colonial Secretary for the time being, that “the Government would give its attention to the subject”?

NOTICE OF MOTION.

1. The Honourable Captain FRASER to move, That, considering the great importance of adopting, where practicable, the modern system of treating cases of insanity by placing the patients under the immediate superintendence of a resident physician specially qualified by education and experience in the treatment of such forms of disease, it is expedient that the Government, before taking any steps in regard to the appointment of an Inspector-General of Insane Hospitals, should ascertain whether it would not be more advantageous to adopt the modern system in the larger establishments of the Colony, leaving the smaller establishments for a time to be daily visited, as heretofore, by a local physician.