SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Tuesday, the 28th Day of July, 1907.

INCORPORATED SOCIETIES BILL.

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

Clause 3: To omit the words "or incorporated society" in line 10.

Clause 4: To omit this clause and substitute the following:

Incorporated societies.

"4a. (1.) Any society consisting of not less than fifteen persons associated for any lawful purpose but not for pecuniary gain may, on application being made to the Registrar in accordance with this Act, become incorporated as a society under this Act.

"(2.) No such application shall be made except with the consent

of a majority of the members of the society."

Clause 7, (a): Omit the words "each subscriber and each subscriber," in line 16, and substitute the words "not less than fifteen persons being

members of the society, and each subscriber to the application."

Clause 7, (b): Add, after the word "hereto," in line 23, the words "and together with a statutory declaration made by an officer of the society or by a solicitor to the effect that a majority of the members of the society have consented to the application, and that the rules so signed or sealed are the rules of the society.

Clause 10: Omit the words "from time to time" in line 43, and substitute the words "are then members of the society or who afterwards."

Clause 18, (4): To omit the word "member," and substitute the words "officer of the society and every member of the committee or other

governing body."

Clause 19, (2): To omit the word "member," and substitute the words "officer of the society and every member of the committee or other

governing body.'

Clause 21, (2): Insert the words "or sealed" after the word "signed" in line 26, and again in line 28. Omit the word "five" in line 27, and substitute "three.

Clause 29: Omit the word "become" in line 33, and substitute the word "be." Omit all words after "unless" in line 34, and substitute the words "the purposes for which the society is established are ultra vires of the said corporate body."

Clause 31: Insert after the word "four," in line 44, the words "or section seven"; and after the word "under," in line 45, insert the words "section four or."

First Schedule: Omit all words after "hereto," and substitute "being members of the above-mentioned society, hereby make application for the incorporation of the society under the foregoing rules in accordance with the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

, 19 ." "Dated this day of

Second Schedule: Insert, after the reference to the fee for certification of copy or extract, the words "(If the copy or extract exceeds three folios of seventy-two words each, an additional fee of 6d. for every such additional folio or part thereof.)"