

The Council meets at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER PAPER.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Friday, the 26th day of September, 1884.

PRIVATE BUSINESS.

1. Perpetual Trustees and Executors Bill—second reading.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

1. Road Boards Act 1882 Amendment Bill—second reading.
2. Pensions Bill (Hon. Mr. Reynolds)—to be committed.
3. Otago Harbour Board Empowering Act 1875 Amendment Bill—second reading. (Hon. Mr. McLean.)
4. Auckland College and Grammar School Act 1877 Amendment Bill—second reading. (Hon. Dr. Pollen.)
5. The Trustees and Executors Shareholders Liability Bill (Hon. Mr. Wilson)—adjourned debate upon the Question, That the Bill be now read the second time.
6. Hokitika Racecourse Reserve Bill (Hon. Mr. Lahmann)—second reading.
7. Timber Floating Bill—to be further considered in Committee. (Hon. the Colonial Secretary.)

Contingent Notice of Motion.

The Honourable the COLONIAL SECRETARY, upon the Bill being reported, to move, That the Bill be recommitted forthwith, for the purpose of making the following amendments:—

In clause 5, after “workmen,” in line 4, to make the remainder of the clause a subsection.

To add the following to the clause as subsection (2):—

- (2.) To enter upon any land and remove therefrom any logs, lumber, or other material above mentioned which may have become deposited on such land by such rafting, floating, or driving, or through any overflow of the waters of any such river, stream, or tidal creek as aforesaid; and no such owner shall be deemed a trespasser by entry on any such land in virtue of the authority hereby granted.

The Honourable Dr. POLLEN, when in Committee, to move the following new clause after clause 2:—

No license under this Act shall be issued except under the direction and control of the Land Board of the district wherein such license is to take effect, and with the sanction of such Board, which may, from time to time, make regulations, not inconsistent with this Act, as to the issue of such licenses.

In clause 3, at the beginning, omit “Any.” Insert “Subject to the provisions of the last-preceding section, any.”

In same clause 3, subsection (9), after “five pounds for the same,” insert “submit the case to the aforesaid Land Board for its approval, and on obtaining the same, shall.”

And in subsection (10), after “at his discretion,” insert “but subject to the approval of the Board aforesaid.”

8. Kaiapoi Domain Board Empowering Bill—third reading. (Hon. Captain Fraser.)