

SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Tuesday, the 3rd Day of November, 1903.

AMENDMENT PROPOSED BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN THE COOK AND OTHER ISLANDS GOVERNMENT ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

PURSUANT to section 56 of the Constitution Act, the Governor returns to the House of Representatives the Bill intituled "An Act to make Better Provision for the Government of the Cook and other Islands" with the following amendment, that is to say,—

Omit clause 3, and substitute the following in lieu thereof:—

3. (1.) Subsection two of section five of "The Cook and other Islands Government Act Amendment Act, 1902," is hereby repealed.

(2.) The said section five so amended shall, *mutatis mutandis*, extend and apply to all the said islands.

(3.) Any Order in Council made either under the said section five or this section shall be laid before Parliament within twenty days after the commencement of the then next ensuing session.