

SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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Friday, the 30th day of July, 1880.

NOTICES RELATING TO ORDERS OF THE DAY.

DISTRICT COURTS BILL.

Mr. FINN, in Committee, to move the addition of the following new clauses:—

Application and affidavit may be made by officer or agent on behalf of company.

Whenever any corporation or incorporated company shall be a plaintiff in any District Court, the application and deposition on oath required by section thirty-six of "The District Courts Act, 1858," shall, if in other respects sufficient, be deemed sufficient if made by any officer, attorney, or agent of such corporation or incorporated company on behalf thereof.

Costs may be given where Court has no jurisdiction.

Whenever any action is brought in a District Court which such Court has no jurisdiction to try, the Judge shall order the action to be struck out, and shall, unless the parties consent to the Court having jurisdiction to try the same, have power to award costs in the same manner, to the same extent, and recoverable in the same manner as if the Court had jurisdiction in the matter of such action, and the plaintiff had not appeared, or had appeared and failed to prove his demand.

EDUCATION RESERVES BILL.

Sir W. Fox, in Committee, to move the addition of the following new clauses:—

8. The Governor in Council may exchange any unlet reserves, now or hereafter to be vested in the School Commissioners, for lands of a higher value in the same district, and the School Commissioners may dispossess themselves of any unlet reserve, by giving one month's notice to the Minister of Lands of their intention so to do: Provided that the lands granted in exchange under Order in Council as aforesaid shall, from the date of such order, become vested in the School Commissioners, and the lands of which the said Commissioners become dispossessed shall immediately thereupon revert to the Crown: Provided also that no responsibility in respect of such reserves shall attach to the Commissioners after the date of the said notice.

9. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in "The Education Reserves Act, 1877," it shall be lawful for the School Commissioners to let, by private tender, all or any unlet reserves, after the provisions of section fourteen of the said Act shall have once been complied with in respect of such reserves.

10. The School Commissioners may make by-laws for the transaction of business and constitution of a quorum; and all by-laws already made shall be deemed to have been made under authority of "The Education Reserves Act, 1877:." Provided also that all officers who have been or who may hereafter be appointed for the administration of the said Act and this Act shall be exempt from the operation of the Juries Act, and all Acts amending the same.