

SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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Tuesday, the 23rd Day of June, 1891.

ELECTORAL BILL.

Mr. BUICK, in Committee, to move the following amendments :—

Proposed addition to clause 112 :—

Provided that, when the number of votes does not exceed forty, the Deputy Returning Officer shall seal the ballot-box with his own seal, and the seals of those scrutineers who may be present and wish to affix their seals, and, as soon as practicable after the closing of the poll, such Deputy Returning Officer or Officers shall deliver the ballot-boxes locked and sealed to the Returning Officer, who, as soon as all such ballot-boxes have been received, shall open them in the presence of the scrutineers, mix the ballot-papers together, and proceed to determine the number of votes in the manner already provided.

*New Clause.*

Notwithstanding anything contained in "The Licensing Act, 1881," or any other Act, any person who supplies or causes to be supplied to any other person on the day of polling any intoxicating liquor, or any money, ticket, order, or authority to enable such person to obtain any intoxicating liquor, shall be guilty of an offence under this Act, and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding *fifty* pounds, and not less than *five* pounds, for each offence.

Mr. HOGG, in Committee, to move the following amendment :—

In clause 51, after the words, "Where any notice or summons is sent, by registered letter marked as aforesaid, through the post addressed to any person at his place of residence as stated on the roll, with a special request that such letter may be returned to the sender at the expiration of a certain time if the person to whom the letter is addressed cannot be found," to insert the words, "within six calendar months from the time of so sending."