

SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Tuesday, the 9th Day of November, 1897.

THE LAND AND INCOME ASSESSMENT ACTS AMENDMENT ACT.

Mr. HEKE, in Committee, to move, That the following new clause be added:—

The tax imposed under section seven of "The Land and Income Assessment Acts Amendment Act, 1895," on lands owned by Maoris and leased to private individuals before the eighteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, shall not be deducted out of any moneys due to the Maori owner or owners thereof for rent, notwithstanding anything contained in section seven, subsections one, two, three, and four, of such Act; but such tax shall be payable by the lessee of such land during the existence of such lease as if it were the property of such lessee:

Provided that nothing in this section shall apply to lands owned by Maoris and leased since the eighteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

HONE HEKE, i roto i te Komiti, ka kokiri, kia apititia te rarangi hou e mau i raro nei:—

Ko te taake i utaina i raro i te tekiona whitu o "Te Ture Whakatikatika 1895 i nga Ture Whakarite Taake Whenua Taake Utu tau hoki," ki runga ki nga whenua o nga Maori kua riihitia ki te tangata i waho atu ia ratou i mua atu o te tekau-ma-waru o nga ra o Oketopa, 1895, kua e tangohia te moni utu i taua taake i roto i nga moni reti e tika ana kia puta ki nga Maori no ratou aua whenua, aua atu nga ritenga o roto i te tekiona whitu me ona rarangi apiti nama 1, 2, 3, me 4 o taua ture, engari ko taua taake me riro ma te tangata kei a ia e riihi ana te whenua e utu i te wa e mau ana te riihi ki a ia, ano nei taua whenua no taua kai-pupuri riihi.

Engari ia kua nga ritenga o tenei tekiona e pa ki nga whenua o nga Maori i riihitia i muri mai o te tekau-ma-waru o nga ra o Oketopa, 1895.

EIGHT HOURS BILL.

Mr. FLATMAN to move, in Committee, the addition of the following new clause:—

For the purpose of facilitating harvest operations, blacksmiths carrying on their vocation in farming localities are hereby exempt from the operation of this Act during the months of January, February, and March in each year.