

Supplementary Order Paper.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Tuesday, the 9th Day of December, 1913.

LAND AGENTS AMENDMENT BILL.

Mr. HARRIS, in Committee, to move the following new clause:—

License fee payable in respect of each office or place of business.

4. (1.) Every application for a license under the principal Act shall state the place or places of business at which the applicant carries on or proposes to carry on the business of a land agent.

(2.) There shall be payable prior to the issue of any license the sum of *five* pounds in respect of each office or place of business mentioned in the application.

(3.) The Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at which any license is issued shall, prior to such issue, indorse thereon a list of the several offices or places of business mentioned in the application.

(4.) Any licensee proposing during the currency of his license to carry on the business of a land agent at any office or place of business other than the offices or places of business indorsed upon his license may produce his license to the Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at which the license was issued, and such Clerk shall, on payment by the licensee of the sum of *five* pounds in respect of each such new office or place of business, add to the list indorsed upon such license each such new office or place of business:

Provided that if the number of such offices or places of business is not thereby increased no fee shall be payable.

(5.) Every person who carries on the business of a land agent or holds himself out as a land agent at any office or place of business other than the offices or places of business appearing in the list duly indorsed upon his license as hereinbefore provided shall be deemed to be carrying on the business of a land agent without a license, and shall be liable to a fine not exceeding *fifty* pounds.

(6.) Notice of the offices or places of business at which every licensee is authorized to carry on the business of a land agent shall from time to time be given to the Minister of Internal Affairs by the Clerk of the Court issuing or indorsing each such license, and shall be entered in the register of licenses.