

SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Thursday, the 29th Day of September, 1904.

LOCAL ELECTIONS BILL.

Hon. Sir J. G. WARD, in Committee, to move the following amendments:—

Clause 3: After "vote of the electors" insert "under any such Act."

Clause 23: After "shall also write," in subclause (2), insert "on the roll."

Clause 33: After "obtains possession of," in paragraph (e), insert "or has in his possession."

Clause 42: Omit "more than one election or."

Clause 46: After "investigated" insert "except by leave of the Magistrate and upon reasonable notice being given, which leave may be given on such terms and conditions as the Magistrate deems just"; and "after declared to be carried," in line 19, insert "was carried and not rejected or."

Clause 50: Omit "tended materially to affect," and substitute "materially affected."

Clause 51: Omit "tended to defeat" in line 48, and substitute "defeated"; omit "tended materially to affect" in line 49, and substitute "materially affected"; omit the word "tended" in line 53; omit "to affect" in line 54, and substitute "affected"; omit the words "tend," "to," and "tended to" in line 2 of page 11; substitute "defeated" for "defeat" in line 3; and omit the words "tend," "to," and "to" in line 6.

Clause 52: After "or other person," in line 15, insert "and such order shall have the same effect and may be enforced in like manner as if it were a judgment for a sum of money obtained under 'The Magistrates' Courts Act, 1893,' in the Magistrate's Court in which the petition is filed"; omit "paid" in subclause (2), and substitute "accompanying any petition"; and add to the subclause the words "unless the Magistrate is of opinion that the petitioners have failed to establish the grounds specified in their petition, or any other grounds investigated by leave of the Court, in which case the deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown."