

SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Friday, the 4th Day of October, 1895.

LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

Hon. Mr. J. McKENZIE, in Committee, to move the following amendments:—

In clause 4, line 8: Omit "site" next after "homestead"; and in the next line substitute "six hundred and forty acres" in lieu of "the prescribed maximum."

In clause 5, line 25: Omit all the words after "improvements," and substitute "subject to the conditions of the Land Act relating to leases in perpetuity, except in so far as such conditions are modified by this Act, and subject also to such conditions as to cultivation of land, and insurance, maintenance, and repair of buildings and otherwise, as the Governor prescribes."

Insert the following new clauses:—

9A. In any cases where unformed road-lines intersect any land acquired under the principal Act, and are not suitable to the subdivision of the land, such road-lines may be closed by *Gazette* notice, and thereafter may be dealt with as part of the land which they intersect: Provided that the local authority of the district in which such road-lines are situate consents to the closing thereof.

9B. The Land Board is empowered to deal with any small area of Crown lands lying within or immediately adjacent to any land acquired under the principal Act, in the same manner as such land is dealt with thereunder.

GOVERNMENT ADVANCES TO SETTLERS ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

Mr. HEKE, in Committee, to move the following subsection in clause 6:—

"Land" as defined by "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."