

SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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Thursday, the 3rd day of September, 1885.

COUNTIES ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

Hon. Mr. STOUT, in Committee, to move—

Clauses 28, 29, and 30 to be omitted, and the following substituted:—

*Allocation of County Fund.*

28. In counties wherein the said Act is not suspended, the Council shall, in each year, apportion the gross income of the county from all sources in the manner following; that is to say,—

- (1.) In payment of the general expenses incident to the administration of the said Act within the county;
- (2.) In payment of contributions required to be made out of the County Fund by virtue of any Act of the General Assembly;
- (3.) In payment of the cost of constructing and of maintaining all main roads and county roads within the county, and of bridges on such roads respectively, as well as of constructing, maintaining, or contributing to construct or maintain such bridges, exceeding thirty feet span, on district roads within the county, as the Council shall think should be so constructed or maintained;
- (4.) The remainder of such annual income shall be apportioned among the ridings in the county in proportion to the amount of general rates received from such ridings respectively in such year.

29. Separate accounts shall be kept for each riding in the county of the income and expenditure thereof in each year, and to the said account shall be placed the amount apportioned to such riding of the County income, which shall be expended in works in such riding.

In case from any cause in any year, a just allocation of the proportionate part of the county income cannot be made among the ridings, and any riding shall receive in such year any more or less than its due, then such riding shall, in the next succeeding allocation of the county income among the ridings receive from the Council an increased or diminished proportion of such income as may be just.

PUBLIC WORKS ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

Captain SUTTER to move,—

*New clause.*

Section eighty-six of the said Act is amended by adding the words “and also the cost of constructing the said road” to subsection (1).