

SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Monday, the 30th Day of September, 1895.

RATING ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

Mr. PIRANI, in Committee, to move to add the following new clauses:—

A. Section forty-nine of "The Rating Act, 1894," is hereby repealed.

B. If any person fails to pay any rate for which he is liable, for fourteen days after demand thereof, the local authority may recover the same in any Court of competent jurisdiction in manner herein described. After fourteen days' notice has been given that any rate is due, the local authority may have a list prepared of all ratepayers who are in default, which may, after notice served personally or posted to last-known address of each defaulter of intention to do so, be laid before the Stipendiary Magistrate having jurisdiction in the district of such local authority, who, in default of any objection, may make an order for payment in each case, with such costs as might be deemed sufficient; such order to be further registered against the land, and no deed of transfer or other transaction in the said land to be received for deposit or registration under the Deeds Registration or Land Transfer Acts until the order is satisfied.