

Supplementary Order Paper.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Tuesday, the 3rd Day of October, 1922.

SHIPPING AND SEAMEN AMENDMENT BILL.

Amendments proposed by His Excellency the Governor-General:—

Clause 4: To omit the clause, and substitute the following:—

Section 185 of
principal Act
amended.

4. Section one hundred and eighty-five of the principal Act is hereby amended as follows:—

(a.) By inserting after subsection two the following subsection:—

“(2A.) In the case of a steamship carrying not more than twelve passengers and arriving for the first time in New Zealand with a certificate of survey issued by any corporation or association for the survey and registry of ships approved by the Minister, if the date of such first arrival is within twelve months of the completion of the building of the ship, the Minister may dispense with the survey required under this Act for a period not exceeding twelve months from the date of the survey in respect of which such certificate was granted.”

(b.) By omitting from subsection six the words “one pound,” and substituting the words “three pounds.”

To add the following new clauses:—

Section 287 of
principal Act
amended.

6A. The provisos to section two hundred and eighty-seven of the principal Act, as set out in section twelve of the Shipping and Seamen Amendment Act, 1913, are hereby amended as follows:—

(a.) By omitting from the first proviso the words “or steamships calling at any port for coal,” and substituting the words “or calling at any port for fuel”:

(b.) By omitting from the second proviso the word “steamships,” and substituting the word “ships”; and by omitting the word “coal” wherever it occurs in the proviso, and substituting in each case the word “fuel.”

Security in
respect of
seamen left on
shore from
foreign-going
ships.

8A. Section five of the Shipping and Seamen Amendment Act, 1911, is hereby amended as follows:—

(a.) By omitting from paragraph (a) the words “the sum of fifty pounds for the purpose of defraying any expenses lawfully incurred by the Superintendent for,” and substituting the words “such sum as the Superintendent may require as security for the due payment of all amounts for which the owner may be liable (whether under the principal Act or under any other lawful authority) in respect of”:

(b.) By omitting from paragraph (d) the words “such fifty pounds,” and substituting the words “the moneys deposited with the Superintendent as aforesaid and.”