



PAYMENT TO MEMBERS ORDINANCE 1871.

IN THE THIRTY-FOURTH AND THIRTY-FIFTH YEARS OF THE REIGN OF HER MAJESTY
QUEEN VICTORIA.

SESSION XXIX. : No. 348.

ANALYSIS :

Title.
Preamble.

1. Short Title.
2. Honorarium fixed.

AN ORDINANCE *to regulate the Allowances to be Paid to Members for their* Title.
Attendance at the Sessions of the Provincial Council of the Province of
Otago. [20TH JULY, 1871.]

WHEREAS the Superintendent of the Province of Otago has by mes- Preamble.
sage to the Provincial Council of the said Province recommended
that the rate of the Honorarium to be paid to Members of the present
Council for their attendance and to defray their expenses should be fixed by
Ordinance : And whereas the Provincial Council has by resolutions concurred
in the same message and it is expedient that rates to be in force during the
present Council be specified and determined and other provisions made
relating to the same :

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Superintendent of the Province of
Otago by and with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof
as follows :—

1. This Ordinance may be cited and referred to as the “Payment to Short Title.
Members Ordinance 1871.”

2. Each of the members of the present Provincial Council of Otago Honorarium fixed.
who shall not be resident within the City of Dunedin shall be entitled to
receive for his attendance and to defray his expenses during each session of
the present Council such sum or allowance not exceeding twenty shillings
per diem together with such sum as shall be necessary to defray the expenses
incurred by him in travelling from his ordinary residence to attend the
Council and returning to his residence once each way for each session not

exceeding the rate of one shilling per mile and each of the members of the present Provincial Council who shall be resident within the City of Dunedin shall be entitled to receive for his attendance such sum or allowance not exceeding ten shillings *per diem* as may be issued and applied out of the Revenue of the said Province under or by virtue of any Appropriation Ordinance passed by the said Council: Provided that in the event of non-attendance of any member upon a regular sitting day of the Provincial Council the amount of one day's allowance for every such day of non-attendance shall be deducted from the amount payable to such member at the close of the session: Provided that members whose ordinary residence is within the City of Dunedin and the official members of the Executive Council shall not be entitled to receive any sum for travelling expenses and the Speaker Chairman of Committees and Members of the Executive Council shall not be entitled to any sum or allowance for attendance or to defray expenses during the session of the Council so long as they respectively hold office.

DUNEDIN, NEW ZEALAND :

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