

SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Wednesday, the 20th day of July, 1881.

COUNTIES ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

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

Ridings may be
annexed to other
counties.

In addition to the powers contained in section thirty of "The Counties Act, 1876," the Governor may, by Proclamation, alter the boundaries of any county, and from and after a day to be named in such Proclamation, the new boundaries set forth in such Proclamation shall be the boundaries of such county; subject, however, to the condition that a petition shall have been presented to the Governor, signed by three-fourths of the ratepayers of a riding, praying that such riding may be severed from the county in which it is situated and form part of some other and contiguous county.

Certain pro-
visions to be in
force.

The provisions of sections thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three, thirty-four, and thirty-five shall be read with and be deemed to be part of this Act.