Supplementary Order Paper.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Friday, the 6th Day of December, 1918.

AMENDMENTS proposed by His Excellency the Governor-General:—

FINANCE BILL (No. 2).

Clause 22: To omit the word "foreign" before the word "companies." To add the following new clause:—

Bank holidays.

37. (1.) Each of the following days—namely, the twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, eighteenth, nineteenth, twentieth, twenty-first, twenty-second, twenty-third, twenty-fifth, and twenty-sixth days of November, nineteen hundred and eighteen, is hereby declared to have been, and for all purposes shall be deemed to have been, a bank holiday or part-holiday, as the case may be, within the meaning and for the purposes of section twenty-three of the Banking Act, 1908, at all bank-premises which were in fact closed to the public during the whole or any part of that day.

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(2.) Section twenty-five of the Banking Act, 1908, shall not be deemed to have had any application to the bank holidays or part-

holidays declared by this section.