

SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Thursday, the 13th Day of October, 1904.

FIRE BRIGADES BILL.

Hon. Mr. CARROLL, in Committee, to move, That the following amendments made by the Select Committee be not agreed to:—

Amendments in clauses 2 and 3.

New clauses 4A and 9A.

Amendments in clauses 11, 13, and 14.

Amendment in clause 16, line 44, altering "the" into "a."

Amendment in clause 17, line 5, the insertion of the words "in such parts of the provincial district as it thinks fit."

New clause 18A: Substitute "the" for "any" in line 46.

The striking-out of clauses 26 and 27.

New clause 28A: Substitute "fire" for "provincial" in line 30; after "trust," in line 33, insert "for fire-prevention purposes"; omit last proviso to subclause (1), and substitute the following:—

Provided further that where any such land or buildings are, at the passing of this Act, pledged as security or part security for the repayment of any loan the rental shall be computed as to so much of the capital value as is equal to the loan, or the proper proportion thereof, at the rate at which the loan was borrowed, and as to the remainder of such capital value, at four per centum.

New clause 28B: Omit "any local authority" in line 1, and substitute "the local authority or other person appointed in that behalf by the local authority."

New clause 28C: Omit the last word, "required," in subclause (2).

New clause 28D: Substitute "the" for "any" in line 18.

Amendments in clause 30.

And to move the following further amendments:—

Clause 2: Add to the definition of "Fire district" the words "and includes a united fire district."

Clause 5: Substitute "May" for "March."

Clause 9: Substitute "June, September, December, and March" for "April, July, October, and January" in subclause (1); and "June" for "April" in subclause (2).

Clause 20: Substitute "assets" for "credits."