SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Tuesday, the 28th day of September, 1875.

1. The Hon. Major Atkinson to move, The recommittal of the Abolition of Provinces Bill, with the view of inserting the following amendments:—

To add a new clause to stand as section 27.

Until the day next after the last day of the first Session of the next or sixth Parliament of New Zealand, all powers duties and functions which immediately before the passing of this Act were under or by virtue of any law vested in or to be exercised or performed by the Superintendent of any province on the recommendation or resolution of the Provincial Council of such province under any law or Ordinance for the time being in force, shall be exercised by the Superintendent, with the consent of the Governor in Council.

Clause 27 to stand as 28, and the words "and twenty-seven" to

be inserted after "twenty-six" in line 53.

Mr. T. L. Shepherd to move, on the recommittal of the Abolition of Provinces Bill, The following new clause:—

No person holding office in any department of the Civil Service of any Provincial Government who may enter into or be transferred to the Civil Service of the Government of the colony after the coming into operation of this Act shall be entitled to any superannuation or retiring allowance under "The Civil Service Act, 1866," or under any Act amending the same.