

SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Monday, the 12th day of July, 1886.

DEFENCE BILL.

Dr. NEWMAN, in Committee, to move the following new clause:—

Efficient volunteers shall be exempted from attendance on juries.

NEW PLYMOUTH HARBOUR LOAN BILL.

Mr. G. F. RICHARDSON to move, in Committee, the following amendments:—

In section 4 to strike out all the words after the word “thereof” in the 25th line, and to add the following to the section:

“but subject as hereinafter provided, the interest on such loan shall be paid by the special rate hereby authorized to be levied. From and after the extinguishment of the loan raised under ‘The New Plymouth Harbour Board Ordinance, 1875,’ as amended by ‘The New Plymouth Harbour Board Ordinance 1875 Amendment Act, 1877,’ so much of the nineteenth section of the said last-mentioned Act as provides that the land revenue therein mentioned shall be set aside for the payment of interest and sinking fund on any loan, and for no other purpose, shall cease to operate or to have any effect, and the said land revenue and the accumulations thereof may thereafter be expended by the Board for the purposes mentioned in section *three* of this Act.”

To strike out section 24.

To strike out the First Schedule to the Bill and substitute the following:—

ALL that area in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement about 1,030,000 acres. Bounded towards the North-west by the Mokau River from the sea to Wairere Falls; towards the North-east and East by the western watershed of the Wanganui River until crossed by a line drawn between the point where the Taumatamahoe Path crosses the Wanganui River and the northern corner of Allotment 320, Patea District; towards the South-east by the said line to the said allotment; towards the South-west by the north-eastern boundary-line of the said allotment, and it produced to the Waingongoro River, by that river and a line to the summit of Mount Egmont; towards the South-east by a line to and by the Oanui Stream to the sea; and towards the South-west and West by the sea to the mouth of the Mokau River, the commencing point; excepting, nevertheless, the Town District of Waitara.