Parliametary.

(Per Press Association.)

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The House met at 2.30. The report of the Coal Committee was presented, recommending that the haulage rates be revised on the principle of giving relief to those properties most remote from the porte of shipment; that the system of leading coal by staiths at Westport crane system; that the Government obtain expert information as to the price at which coal can be conveyed by sea, and failing the adoption of such attrices the price of the presentation was made by the vicer on behalf of the teachers. After should be superseded by the hydraulic Government at the ports for shipment to the abundance of good things to the various ports now being adorning Mrs. O'Callaghan's table. At supplied from the West Coast and midnight exactly the party took their

buyers the fullest facility for satisfying themselves as to weight of their purchases. the table and be printed and referred in Rolleston street last evening for to the Government for consideration. debate it, and moved that considera-tion be deferred till Thursday next.

hard working miner got only 2s per ton for hewing coal, the consumer paid £2 for it, the middleman amassing large fortunes. It was said that the Government were powerless to effect a reduction in the price of coal. That might be true of past Governments, but it could not be said of the present administration, who had power and intended to exercise it if necessary. An important factor in the high price of coal was that the monopoly practically existed, and it was the duty of the Government, in the interests of the people, to step in and endeavour to reduce the cost. If the State could buy coal at 17s 6d per ton why should the poor cottagers have to pay £2.

The debate was interrupted by the 5.30 adjournment. EVENING SITTING.

The House met at 7.30. The Pacific Cable Authorisation Bill was read a second time. The amendments made in the Local

Government Voting Reform Bill were agreed to.
The Factories Act Amendment, Assignment of Small Debts, Native

Land Laws Amendment, Trustee Act Amendment, Pharmacy Act Amenda ment, and the Government Life Insurance Act Amendment Bills were read a second time, it being agreed to commit them at a later stage. October 14.

After the Telegraph Office closed the Pacific Cable Authorisation Bill was passed through committee after a brief debate without amoudment.

was committed. Jam factories were exempted from the operation of the Bill, which ,together with the Pacific Cable Authorisation Bill, passed its final stages.

The House rose at 3.30 a.m.

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such style by the companies interested the Government to take into consideration the advisability of procuring steamers for the purpose of conveying coal purchased by the companies interested the course and the many ways young people have of enjoying themselves the conveying coal purchased by the companies interested the course and the many ways young people have of enjoying themselves the conveying coal purchased by the companies interested the course and the many ways young people have of enjoying themselves the conveying coal purchased by the companies interested the course and the many ways young people have of enjoying themselves the conveying coal purchased by the companies interested the course and the many ways young people have of enjoying themselves the conveying coal purchased by the coal purchased coal purchased coal purchased coal purcha

At the invitation of Bandmaster E. Williams the members of the Hauraki It was moved that the report lie on Brass Band assembled at his residence to the Government for consideration.

Mr Duthie opposed the adoption of the report until members had time to debate it, and moved that consideration be deferred till Thursday next. kindly provided by Mrs. Williams.

> mounted pipe, suitably engraved, as small token of the esteem in which he is held by his comrades. Bands-man. Richards, in thanking the mem-grocer. bers for their handsome gift, expressed great regret at having to leave the Thames, but said that he would always look back with pleasure to the happy

Captain Russell contended that State interference in such affairs was prejudical in the highest degree. It was admitted that the cost of hewing was not excessive, and he was certain capital had not been remunerated, while there was no evidence that the shipping companies were charging too high freights. How were they then going to reduce the price

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Auckland; 13th October, 1899.

Secretary.

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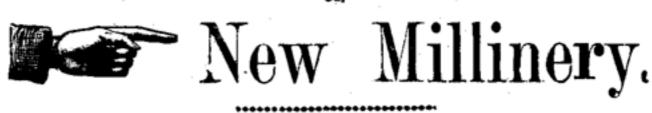
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