His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:-

1. This Order may be cited as the Southern

Rhodesia Order in Council, 1911:

The number of members of the Executive Council for Southern Rhodesia appointed by the Company shall be three instead of four; and the word "three" shall accordingly be substituted for the word "four" in paragraph

(1) of Article 13 of the Order of 1898.

In paragraph (3) of Article 14 of the Order of 1898 the word "two" shall be substituted

for the word "three."

3. In the paragraph of Article 2 of the Order of 1903, which is marked 17 (1), the word "twelve" is hereby substituted for the word "fourteen"; and the word "five" is hereby substituted for the word "seven," where that word first occurs in the said paragraph.

4. In the paragraph in Article 2 of the Order of 1903, which is marked 17 (3), the following words are hereby revoked and shall be deleted, that is to say, the words "The elected members shall rank among themselves in order of the date of their election; and two or more members elected on the same day shall rank in the alphabetical order of their names.'

5. The Administrator or member presiding may from time to time appoint one of the members of the Council to be Chairman of Committees for the Session then current, and in the event of the absence of such Chairman by reason of illness or any other cause, he may nominate a member of Council to act as Chair-

man for the day.

6. The Legislative Council shall not consider any vote, resolution or ordinance for the appropriation of any part of the public revenue or for any tax or impost that has not been first recommended to the Council by the Administrator during the same Session.

7. Ordinances interfering with the land and other rights of the Company shall not be proceeded with except with the consent of the

Administrator.

8. This Order shall be published in the Gazette, and commence and come into operation on a day to be fixed by the High Commissioner, and the High Commissioner shall give directions for the publication of this Order, at such place and in such manner and for such time or times as he thinks proper for giving due publicity thereto.

9. His Majesty may from time to time revoke, alter and add to or amend this Order.

Almeric FitzRoy.

THE GRAND PRIORY OF THE ORDER OF THE HOSPITAL OF ST. JOHN OF JERUSALEM IN ENGLAND.

Chancery of the Order. St. John's Gate, Clerkenwell, London, E.C. June 8, 1911.

The KING has been graciously pleased to sanction the following promotions in and appointments to the Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England:-

As Knights of Justice (from Knights of Grace). His Excellency the Lord Islington of Islington, K.C.M.G., D.S.O.

Colonel Sir James Richardson Andrew Clark, Baronet, C.B.

As Chaplain.

The Rev. Henry Danvers Macnamara, M.A.

As Knight of Grace.

The Right Honourable the Earl of Arran, K.P.

As Ladies of Grace. The Right Honourable the Lady Llangattock. Her Grace the Duchess of Hamilton.

As Esquire.

Lieutenant William Raphael Gatt, R.M.A.

Whitehall, June 8, 1911.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, to appoint the Reverend John Parratts Richmond, M.A., to the newly-constituted district of Saint Mark, Stockport, in the county and diocese of Chester.

> Scottish Office, Whitehall, June 7, 1911.

The KING has been graciously pleased to signify His Majesty's approval of the following appointment on the Staff of Officers of the Royal Company of Archers (King's Body Guard for Scotland) made at the Annual General Meeting of the Royal Company on the 25th May last:

To be Brigadier.

His Grace The Duke of Roxburghe, vice Brigadier Sir Robert Dundas, Bart., deceased.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, June 8, 1911.

H. 7325.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated the 6th June, from His Majesty's Ambassador at Rome:—Precautions against plague imposed on arrivals from Alexandria.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, June 8, 1911.

H. 7374.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated the 7th June, from His Majesty's Consul-General at Trieste:—One fatal case cholera Cunard "Saxonia" ex Naples. Vessel quarantined. Port clean.