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FRIDAY, 12 DECEMBER, 1913.

At the Court at Windsor Castle, the 22nd day of November, 1913.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Earl Spencer.  
Lord Stamfordham.  
Lord Emmott.

WHEREAS the territories of Africa known as the Uganda Protectorate are under the protection of His Majesty the King:

And whereas by treaty, grant, usage, sufferance, and other lawful means, His Majesty has power and jurisdiction within the said Protectorate:

And whereas by an Order of His late Majesty in Council bearing date the eleventh day of August, 1902, and entitled "The Uganda Order in Council, 1902," provision was made for the government of the said Protectorate and for the appointment of a fit person to administer the Government thereof under the designation of Commissioner or such other designation as His Majesty might think fit:

And whereas by further Orders of His Majesty in Council bearing date the fourth day of March, 1911, and the seventeenth day of January, 1912, the aforesaid Order in

Council of the eleventh day of August, 1902, was amended:

And whereas by a Commission passed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet bearing date the twenty-first day of March, 1911, the officer therein mentioned was appointed to administer the Government of the Uganda Protectorate under the designation of Governor and Commander-in-Chief (hereinafter called the Governor):

And whereas it is desirable to make further provision for the administration of the Government of the said Protectorate:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers on that behalf by the Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890, or otherwise in His Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

I. This Order may be cited as the Uganda Order in Council, 1913.

II. In the event of the Governor having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or, in the exercise or discharge of any powers or duties conferred or imposed upon him by His Majesty, or through one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, to visit any territories adjacent to or near to the Protectorate, he may by an instrument under the Public Seal of the Protectorate appoint any