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FRIDAY, 12 FEBRUARY, 1926.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 4th day of November, 1925.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord Stamfordham.
Secretary Sir W. Joynson-Hicks.
Mr. Walter Guinness.
Major George Tryon.

WHEREAS by the Colonial Boundaries Act, 1895, it is provided that where the Boundaries of a Colony have, either before or after the passing of that Act, been altered by Order in Council or by Letters Patent, the Boundaries as so altered shall be, and be deemed to have been, from the date of the alteration, the Boundaries of the Colony:

And whereas by an Order of His Majesty in Council bearing date the 29th day of February, 1916, certain Islands in the Pacific Ocean therein and hereinafter referred to as the Union Islands were, together with all small Islands, Islets, Rocks and Reefs depending on them, annexed to His Majesty's Dominions and the Boundaries of the Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony were extended so as to include the said Union Islands and their Dependencies:

And whereas it is expedient that the Boundaries of the said Colony should be further altered so as to exclude the said Islands and their Dependencies:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers by the Colonial Boundaries Act, 1895, 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. From and after the Proclamation of this Order in the Western Pacific High Commission Gazette the Boundaries of the Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony shall be altered so as to exclude the said Union Islands and their Dependencies.

II. This Order may be cited as "The Union Islands (No. I) Order in Council, 1925."

M. P. A. Hankey.

[NOTE.—Gazetting of the above Order delayed pending publication in the Western Pacific High Commission Gazette.]

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WHEREAS by an Order of His Majesty in Council bearing even date herewith and known as "The Union Islands (No. 1) Order in Council, 1925," provision has been made for altering the Boundaries of the Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony so as to exclude certain Islands in the Pacific Ocean therein and hereinafter referred to as the Union Islands and their Dependencies: