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Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, April 26, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that Their Majesties The King and Queen will hold Courts at Buckingham Palace, on Friday, the 18th, and Friday, the 20th May next, at 10 o'clock P.M.

Order of the Bath.

April 26, 1904.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give

orders for the following appointment to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, viz.:—
To be an Honorary Member of the Civil Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross, of the said Most Honourable Order:— His Serene Highness The Reigning Prince of Waldeck and Pyrmont.

> Crown Office, April 25, 1904.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal, to grant unto Thomas Rolls Warrington, Esq., K.C., the office of one of the Justices of the High Court of Justice.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 21st day of April, 1904.

> PRESENT. The KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

> > Lord President. Earl of Kintore. Sir Savile Crossley.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council bearing date the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and three and known as the Inter-Colonial Council South Africa Order in Council, 1903, provision was made for the estab-lishment of a Council to advise the High Commissioner for South Africa upon certain matters

as in the said Order in Council is more fully se forth:

And whereas it is expedient to amend certain sections of the said Order in Council:

Now therefore His Majesty by and with the advice of His Privy Council is pleased to order and it is hereby ordered as follows:-

I. Section V and section XIV subsection (1) of the said Order in Council are hereby revoked, without prejudice to anything lawfully done thereunder and in place thereof the following provisions shall be substituted and take effect:-

"V. The said Council shall be constituted as follows:

"The High Commissioner and Governor.

"The Lieutenant-Governor of the Transvaal. "The Lieutenant-Governor of the Orange River Colony.

"The Inspector-General of the South African Constabulary.

"The Commissioner of Railways.

"Four Members to be nominated by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Transvaal, being persons holding office under the Government of the Transvaal.

"Four Members to be nominated by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Orange River Colony, being persons holding office under the Government of the Orange River Colony.

"Six Members of the Legislative Council of the Transvaal to be elected from amongst them-selves by the unofficial Members of the said

Legislative Council.
"Four Members of the Legislative Council of the Orange River Colony to be elected from amongst themselves by the unofficial Members of the said Legislative Council.

"Two other Members to be nominated by a Secretary of State who may or may not be Members of the Legislative Council of the Transvaal or of the Legislative Council of the

Orange River Colony.

"One Member to be nominated by the High Commissioner and Governor, being a person