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FRIDAY, 25 AUGUST, 1922

At the Court at Windsor Castle, the 1st day of April, 1922.

PRESENT.

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Mr. Secretary Shortt.
Sir Frederick Ponsonby.
Mr. Bridgeman.

WHEREAS by treaty, grant, usage, sufferance or other lawful means, His Majesty the King has jurisdiction within the portions of China comprised within the Consular District of Kashgar:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in this 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:—

1. This Order may be cited as "The China (Kashgar) (Amendment) Order in Council, 1922," and shall be read as one with the China (Kashgar) Order in Council, 1920, hereinafter called "the Principal Order."

2. The following provisions are substituted for Articles 48 to 52 inclusive of the Principal Order:—

- (1) A register of British subjects shall be kept in the office of the Consul-General.
- (2) Every British subject resident within

the limits of this Order shall, in the month of January of each year, be registered at the office of the Consul-General. A British subject arriving within the limits of this Order must apply for registration within one month after his arrival provided that a person who fails to apply for or to obtain registration within the time limited by this Article may be registered at any time if he excuses his failure to the satisfaction of the Consul-General.

(3) Where a person is in possession of a valid British passport, the Consul-General shall, on the first registration of any such person, endorse without further fee than that provided for in sub-article (6) hereunder on the passport a certificate of registration in such form as may be prescribed by the Secretary of State. Where any such person applies for the renewal of the registration and produces his passport, the renewal shall without further fee than that provided for in sub-article (6) hereunder be endorsed thereon.

(4) Every person who has not previously been registered applying to be registered under this Order shall, unless excused by the Consul-General, attend personally for that purpose at the office of the Consul-General, but any person applying for the renewal of his registration need not attend personally unless directed by the Consul-General so to do, provided that the regis-