Note (4).—The above additions and removals were made in the United Kingdom on the dates which appear opposite to the respective names.

Note (5).—A consolidating statutory list, complete to the 4th January, 1918, may be obtained from the Government Printers, Messrs. Noronha & Co., No. 14a, Des Vœux Road Central, who can also supply copies of the Orders in Council made since that date. The consolidating statutory list contains on page 10 a list of all the Orders in Council up to and including the 4th January, 1918. The dates of the subsequent Orders in Council are as follows:—

25th January,	1918.	$9 \mathrm{th}$	August,	1918.
22nd February,	1918.		August,	1918.
8th March,	1918.	13th	September,	1918.
23rd May,	1918.		September,	
31st May,	1918.		October,	1918.
21st June,	1918.		October,	1918.
28th June,	1918.		November,	1918.
12th July,	1918.		,	

Note (6).—It is not unusual for firms in Holland and the Netherland East Indies to be registered under names commencing with descriptive terms such as "Handel Maatschappy" (Trading Company) or "Naamlooze Venootschap" (Limited Liability Company). In such cases it has been found more convenient to publish the firm under its proper name, followed by the general descriptive term "Handel Maatschappy" or "Naamlooze Venootschap" (N.V.), as in the case of an English company. For instance, Handel Maatschappy Louvre and Naamlooze Venootschap de Komeet v/h Dumonceau Frères will be found under Louvre and Komeet respectively, and not necessarily under "Handel" or "Naamlooze," though cross references may be given.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

No. 453.—His Majesty the King has not been advised to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to the following Ordinances:—

Ordinance No. 4 of 1918.—An Ordinance to amend the Bills of Exchange Ordinance, 1885.

Ordinance No. 5 of 1918.—An Ordinance to require certain returns to be made to the Custodian of Enemy Property.

Ordinance No. 7 of 1918.—An Ordinance to amend the Dangerous Smoking Prevention Ordinance, 1900.

A. D. Ball, Clerk of Councils.

Council Chamber, 21st November, 1918.

APPOINTMENTS, &c.

No. 454.—The King's Exequatur empowering Mr. Eduardo Valerio Maria Ricci de Sousa to act as Consul for Portugal in Hongkong has received His Majesty's signature.

16th November, 1918.

No. 455.—In pursuance of directions given by His Majesty the King, the Honourable Mr. Joseph Horsford Kemp, C.B.E., Attorney General, has been appointed one of His Majesty's Counsel for Hongkong.

16th November, 1918.