

HIGH COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE No. 58 of 1922.

The following Order of His Majesty the King in Council, dated the 25th day of May, 1922, and entitled "The Bechuanaland Protectorate (Railway Lands) Order-in-Council, 1922," is published for general information.

By Command of His Royal Highness the
High Commissioner.

H. J. STANLEY,
High Commissioner's Office, Imperial Secretary.
Capetown, 7th July, 1922.

AT THE COURT AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE,
the 25th day of May, 1922.

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

LORD PRESIDENT.

LORD COLEBROOKE.

VISCOUNT CHELMSFORD.

SIR FREDERICK PONSONBY.

Whereas by treaty, grant, usage, sufferance, and other lawful means His Majesty the King has power and jurisdiction within the limits of the Bechuanaland Protectorate:

And whereas the Rhodesia Railways Limited has applied for a grant of a certain portion of land known as "the Railway Strip" situate in the area known as the Barolong Farms in the Bechuanaland Protectorate:

And whereas the Chief of the Barolong has agreed to such grant being made provided that the Rhodesia Railways Limited fence the said Strip:

And whereas it is expedient that the said land should be vested in His Majesty and that His Majesty's High Commissioner for South Africa should be empowered to make a grant thereof to the Rhodesia Railways Limited their successors or assigns:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers 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. The portion of land known as the Railway Strip in extent 154 morgen and 69 square roods situate in the area known as the Barolong Farms in the Bechuanaland Protectorate, bounded on the north by Glaisdale, on the south by Ramathlabama's Kuil and on the east and west by the Barolong Farms, as more fully appears from the sub-divisional diagram signed by the Resident Commissioner of the Bechuanaland Protectorate, and deposited with the Registrar of Deeds of the Protectorate, is hereby declared to be vested in His Majesty.

2. The High Commissioner for South Africa is hereby empowered to grant the said land to the Rhodesia Railways Limited on such terms and conditions, and subject to such provision as to reversion of the said land to the Crown in the event of the railway ceasing to be operated thereon, as he shall think fit, provided that such grant shall not be made until the High Commissioner is satisfied that the Rhodesia Railways Limited has erected a suitable fence on the east and west sides of the said Strip.

3. This order may be cited as "The Bechuanaland Protectorate (Railway Lands) Order-in-Council, 1922."

4. His Majesty may at any time add to, alter or amend this Order.

ALMERIC FITZROY.