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FRIDAY, 5 MAY, 1939

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 5th day of May, 1939.

PRESENT.

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Mukund Ramrao Jayakar, having been appointed a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the 2nd day of February, 1939, made affirmation, and, by His Majesty's command, took his place at the Board accordingly.

Rupert B. Howorth.

Privy Council Office, 5th May, 1939.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been presented to His Majesty in Council by The Corporation of the Church House, praying for the grant of a Supplemental Charter; and that His Majesty having referred the said petition to a Committee of the Lords of the Council, all Petitions for or against such grant should be delivered at the Privy Council Office on or before the 6th day of June next.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

> St. James's Palace, S.W.I, 5th May, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the Award of the Medal of the Civil Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire to the undermentioned: -

For Gallantry.

Maurice Childs, Chiswick, W.4.

On the 29th March, 1939, Mr. Childs located on Hammersmith Bridge a suitcase containing explosive and burning fuse, and, at grave risk, threw it into the river where it exploded. Two separate charges had been placed on the bridge. With considerable presence of mind and fine disregard of danger, Mr. Childs prevented one explosion taking effect, and this greatly minimised the damage to the structure.

> Crown Office, House of Lords, S.W. 1 2nd May, 1939.

The KING has been pleased by Warrants under His Sign Manual dated the 25th day of April, 1939, to make the following appointments, in accordance with the provisions of the Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1939:—

Charles Lennard Chute, Esquire, M.C.

... Chairman

County of Southampton

Quarter Sessions.

Major George Denis Anderson

Deputy Chairman

Northumberland Quarter Sessions.

Deputy Chairman ... Berkshire Quarter Sessions.

Harold McKenna, Esquire ...