

boundaries of the New Parish of Broad Blunsdon in the County of Wilts and in the Diocese of Bristol:

"Whereas by the authority of an Order of Her said late Majesty in Council bearing date the 27th day of August, 1864, and published in the London Gazette on the 30th day of the same month, a District Chapelry was assigned to the consecrated Church of Saint Leonard, situate at Broad Blunsdon in the Parish of Highworth, in the said County of Wilts and at that time in the Diocese of Gloucester and Bristol but now in the said Diocese of Bristol, and the said District Chapelry was named 'The District Chapelry of Broad Blunsdon':

"And whereas the said District Chapelry of Broad Blunsdon has, under the provisions of the Act of the 19th and 20th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 104, become a New Parish of the character contemplated by that Act, by the Act of the 6th and 7th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 37, and by the above-mentioned Act of the 32nd and 33rd years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 94:

"And whereas it has been represented to us, and it appears to us to be expedient that the boundaries of the said New Parish of Broad Blunsdon should be altered in the manner which is hereinafter mentioned:

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Clifford Salisbury Bishop of Bristol (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this Scheme or Representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly represent, recommend and propose that from and after the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of an Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme or Representation and without any assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order the boundaries of the said New Parish of Broad Blunsdon, shall be altered so that all that portion of the Parish of Cricklade Saint Sampson in the said County and Diocese which is described in the Schedule hereunder written and is delineated and set forth upon the map or plan hereunto annexed and is thereon coloured pink shall be annexed to and shall in future form part of the said New Parish of Broad Blunsdon.

"And we further represent, recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from representing, recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid or any of them in accordance with the provisions of the hereinbefore mentioned Acts or any of them or of any other Act of Parliament.

"THE SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Scheme or Representation has reference.

"The territory to be annexed to the New Parish of Broad Blunsdon in the County of Wilts and in the Diocese of Bristol, being:—

"All that portion of the Parish of Cricklade Saint Sampson, in the said County and Diocese, which is bounded upon the south by the Parish of Blunsdon Saint Andrew, in the said County and Diocese, upon the north-east partly by the said New Parish of Broad Blunsdon and partly by the Parish of Latton, in the said County and Diocese, and upon the remaining side, that is to say, upon the west, by an imaginary line commencing at the point in the middle of

the River Ray near Seven Bridges where the boundary which divides the said Parish of Latton from the said Parish of Cricklade Saint Sampson diverges south-eastward from following the middle of the said river and extending thence generally southward along the middle of the said river for a distance of 1 mile and 50 chains or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said Parish of Cricklade Saint Sampson from the said Parish of Blunsdon Saint Andrew."

And whereas drafts of the said Scheme or Representation have been transmitted to the Patrons and to the Incumbents of the Cures affected by the arrangements which are contemplated by such Scheme or Representation and such Patrons and Incumbents have respectively signified their assent thereto:

And whereas the said Scheme or Representation has been approved by His Majesty in Council:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said Scheme or Representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts.

And His Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said Diocese of Bristol.

*Rupert B. Howorth.*

#### CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.*

*5th January, 1940.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the following Award:—

*The Medal of the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, for Meritorious Service:—*

No. M.T. 507836 Lance-Naik Mathura Lal Sah, No. 2 Motor Ambulance Unit, Royal Indian Army Service Corps.

On the 31st May, 1939, Lance-Naik Mathura Lal Sah was off duty and walking along the road by the side of the lake at Naini Tal when his attention was attracted by a crowd of people at the edge of the lake who were shouting. He saw three men (afterwards ascertained to be Police Recruits) in the water, about 15 yards from the bank. One man managed to gain the steps leading down to the lake, but the other two were obviously in difficulties and unable to reach the shore.

Without hesitation Lance-Naik Mathura Lal Sah thereupon plunged, fully clothed, into the lake and succeeded in bringing one man to land. He then dived in again and brought the second man in; the latter was exhausted and Lance-Naik Mathura Lal Sah had to revive him with artificial respiration.

An enquiry was subsequently held by P. J. Moore, Esq., Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Naini Tal, from the findings of which,