

but the total number of the crew should not be increased for this purpose.

When in areas in which submarines may be encountered, these Look-outs are to be employed solely on their special duty keeping watch in four watches, each watch to be of not more than two hours' duration. When off watch in these areas they are not to be employed upon any of the ordinary work of the ship.

Before men are signed on for this duty they must agree to undertake this special work whilst in the areas mentioned.

These men must obtain the special Board of Trade Certificate as to eyesight and men are not to be signed on for this particular service unless they are in possession of this Certificate.

Any members of the ship's crew may be selected, provided it is clearly understood that none of the ship's Officers, Petty Officers, or any of the Guns' Crew are to be considered as borne for this special duty.

These special Look-outs, provided their duties are carried out to the satisfaction of the Master, who will be required to give a written certificate that this is the case, should be given extra pay at the rate of 15s. per month whilst the ship is in areas in which submarines may be met.

A proper Crow's Nest is to be provided for Look-out purposes as high as possible in every ship which has a mast suitable in character and position for the purpose.

From daybreak till dark the Look-out is to be stationed in the Crow's Nest when fitted. In other cases the Look-out is to be stationed as high aloft as possible.

From dark to daybreak the Look-out will be stationed in the position the Master considers the most suitable.

Given under our hands this 16th day of November 1917.

R. E. WEMYSS.

A. L. DUFF.

*Note.*—Information as to the areas in which submarines may be encountered may be obtained from the Shipping Intelligence Officers at home ports and the Reporting Officers abroad.

*Admiralty, 17th November 1917.*

HONOURS FOR SERVICES IN ACTION WITH ENEMY SUBMARINES.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the following honours, decorations, and medals to Officers and Men for services in action with enemy submarines:—

*To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order.*

Cdr. Maurice Baldwin Raymond Blackwood, R.N.  
Lieut.-Cdr. Arthur Grendon Tippet, R.N.  
Lieut.-Cdr. Frank Henry Worsley, R.D., R.N.R.  
Lieut. Oswald Ernest Hallifax, R.N.  
Lieut. Douglas George Jeffrey, R.N.R.  
Lieut. Frederick William Gray, R.N.R.

*To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.*

Lieut. (now Lieut.-Cdr.) Kenneth Michell, R.N.  
Lieut. Charles Stuart Burgon, R.N.R.  
Lieut. Nicholas Frederick Smiles, R.N.R.  
Lieut. Alexander MacRae, R.N.R.

Engr. Lieut. William Begg M'Donald, R.N.R. (since killed).

Act. Lieut. Claude Martin Butlin, R.N.

Act. Lieut. Lancelot Vivian Donne, R.N.R.

Act. Lieut. Arthur John Booth, R.N.R.

Act. Lieut. Joseph Russell Stenhouse, R.N.R.

Flt. Sub-Lieut. Charles Stanley Mossop, R.N.A.S.

Asst. Payr. Harry Manley, R.N.R.

Act. Sub-Lieut. (act.) Benjamin Evans, R.N.R.

Act. Sub-Lieut. (act.) George Edmunds Martin, R.N.R.

Gnr. (T.) Samuel Baker, R.N.

Skpr. James Ballard, R.N.R., 1099 W.S.A.

Skpr. Alexander Forbes, R.N.R., 175 S.A.

Skpr. Samuel Charles Kennington, R.N.R. (F.R.).

Skpr. John Watson, R.N.R. 318 W.S.A.

Skpr. Frederick William White, R.N.R., 72 S.A.

*To receive a Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.*

Sub-Lieut. Reginald Allen, D.S.C., R.N.R.

*To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.*

Dkhd. Robert Armstrong, R.N.R., O.N. 1435 S.D.

E.R.A., 2nd Cl. (now act. Art. Engr.) Reginald James Ballantyne, O.N. 271887 (P.O.).

P.O. Archibald Evelyn Brown, O.N. 226250.

P.O. Francis Charles Cook, O.N. 234873 (Ch.).

Sto. P.O. Reginald Dickinson, O.N. K3047 (Dev.).

P.O. Eli Alfred Edgcombe, O.N. 199335 (Dev.).

A.B. Charles Rich Edwards, O.N. J16701 (Po.).

Ldg. Sea. James Francis Ellis, O.N. J8775 (Dev.).

P.O. John Ernest Finnamore, O.N. 184399 (Dev.).

Ldg. Sto. Michael Gallagher, O.N. K19710 (Dev.).

A.B. William Graham, O.N. 190312 (R.F.R., Ch./B5387).

Sto. P.O. William Joseph Harrington, O.N. 303802 (Po.).

P.O. Edward Charles Hitchcock, O.N. 185434 (Po.).

Air Mech., 2nd Gr., Arthur Edward Ingledew, N.N. F13492.

2nd Hnd. James John Irvine, R.N.R., O.N. 7071 D.A.

P.O. George William Lee, O.N. J971 (Po.) (since killed).

Sto., 1st Cl., George Arthur Pyle Maughan, O.N. K16599 (Po.).

Ldg. Sea. Claude Edward Murrant, O.N. J7785 (Po.).

P.O. 1st Cl., William Augustus Newman, O.N. 18874 (R.F.R., Ch./B2590).

P.O. 1st Cl., Charles William Olding, O.N. 179704 (Po.).

Corpl. Arthur Ernest Reed, R.M.L.I., No. Po/14590 (since killed).

Ldg. Sea. Albert George Rogers, O.N. J16923 (Ch.).

P.O. Frank Staker, O.N. 230178 (P.O.).

A.B. Herbert Stanley Stokes, O.N. J8606 (Po.).

E.R.A., 4th Cl., William Swapp, O.N. M21517 (Po.).

Pte. (Lce.-Corpl.) Harry Walley, R.M.L.I., No. Po./1112 (R.F.R., Po./B1442).

Ldg. Sea. Herbert Charles Wright, O.N. 191473 (Po.).