

from the beaches of Greece under fire and in the face of many and great difficulties of many thousands of Troops of the Allied Armies:—

Bar to the Distinguished Service Order.

Commander Hilary Worthington Biggs, D.S.O., Royal Navy, H.M.S. Hero.
Lieutenant-Commander Martyn Butt Sherwood, D.S.O., Royal Navy (Retired).

His Majesty has also been graciously pleased to give orders for the following Appointments to the Distinguished Service Order, and to approve the following Awards for like services:—

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order:

Captain Guy Grantham, Royal Navy.
Lieutenant-Commander Herbert Nigel Clogstoun Willmott, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Nile.
Lieutenant-Commander Julian William Best, R.N.R. (Retired).
Surgeon Lieutenant Allan Gordon Campbell, M.B., B.S., R.A.N.R.
Temporary Sub-Lieutenant John Digby Sutton, R.N.V.R.

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieutenant-Commander James Ernest Clark, Royal Navy.
Lieutenant-Commander Peter Coats Hutton, Royal Navy.
Lieutenant-Commander John Alverdus Lowe, R.N.R.
Lieutenant-Commander John Isdale Miller, D.S.O., R.D., R.N.R.
Lieutenant Eric Arthur Forbes Drought, Royal Navy.
Lieutenant Terence Desmond Herrick, Royal Navy.

Lieutenant John Ivor Jones, R.N.R.
Temporary Lieutenant Anthony Brooke Heckstall-Smith, R.N.V.R.
Temporary Lieutenant Alan Doyle Braddon Trevor, R.N.V.R.
Temporary Lieutenant Benjamin Weston Waters, R.N.V.R.
Acting Sub-Lieutenant Malcolm James Hopewell Bonner, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Nile.
Acting Sub-Lieutenant Charles Henry Whitworth, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Nile.
Captain Francis Leonard Samson.
Captain Jan Ten Klooster.

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Master-at-Arms Sydney Brooksbank, C/M.39785, H.M.S. Ajax.
Petty Officer Charles James Sewart, D/J.112839, H.M.S. Kandahar.
Petty Officer Tom Snaith Tweddle, P/J.57446.
Leading Seaman George Frederick Mortimer, D/JX.142777.
Acting Leading Seaman Lawrence Lamb, D/JX.145980.
Leading Stoker Sydney Sleeman, P/KX.84555.
Able Seaman Eric Andrew Field, P/JX.151907.
Able Seaman William Jordan Pike, C/SSX.26929, H.M.S. York.
Signalman John George Hanson, C/JX.138772, H.M.S. York.

These Appointments and Awards form a first short list in recognition of those whose good services in the withdrawal have so far been reported. In particular the Men decorated are those few only whose gallantry and good work have so far been brought to notice. A further list of awards for services in this operation will shortly be published.

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