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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS  
OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1,  
1st June, 1943.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:—

*To be additional Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:*

Lieutenant Patrick Sproull Milsom, R.C.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant William Arthur Bordett Garrard, R.C.N.V.R.

for outstanding leadership and rescue work when H.M.C.S. Weyburn was lost.

Mr. Dennis MacDonald, D.S.C., Commissioned Engineer, Royal Navy.

Temporary Lieutenant (E) Norman Joseph Meany Harvey, R.N.R.

for outstanding initiative after their ships had been damaged by enemy action.

Temporary Lieutenant Francis Freeman, R.N.V.R.

for gallantry in fighting a fire on a petrol tank.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS  
OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1,  
1st June, 1943.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Military Division) for gallantry in fighting a fire on a petrol tank, to:—

Seaman Albert Edward Tanner, LT/JX.  
215623.

ADMIRALTY.

*Whitehall,  
1st June, 1943.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Distinguished Service Order, and to approve the following awards:—

For bravery and skill in action against enemy submarines while serving in H.M. Ships Bicester, Wheatland and Lamerton, and H.M.N.Z. Ships Kiwi and Moa:

*To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order:*

Lieutenant-Commander Sydney William Floyd Bennetts, Royal Navy.  
Lieutenant-Commander Gordon Bridson, D.S.C., R.N.Z.N.V.R.

*Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.*

Lieutenant-Commander Peter Phipps, D.S.C., R.N.Z.N.V.R.

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Lieutenant Derek Lisney Beck, Royal Navy.  
Temporary Lieutenant James Frederick Allen O'Neill, R.N.Z.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant William Alexander Laurie, R.N.Z.N.V.R.

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Acting Temporary Leading Seaman Eric Raymond Wynne, C/JX.155187.

Able Seaman Aubrey Edward James Dalton, NZ.2286.

Able Seaman John Theobald Washer, NZ.2325.

Able Seaman Hugh McCormick, C/JX.318156.

Mechanician First Class Reginald Eric Harper, D/KX.80089.

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

Acting Leading Signalmán Campbell Howard Buchanan, O/7366.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Lieutenant-Commander Ronald de Leighton Brooke, D.S.C., Royal Navy.  
 Lieutenant-Commander Cuthbert Richard Purse, D.S.C., Royal Navy.  
 Lieutenant Michael Douglas Barrie Batt, Royal Navy.  
 Lieutenant Robert Adrian Roberts, Royal Navy.  
 Temporary Sub-Lieutenant David Hamilton Graham, R.N.Z.N.V.R.  
 Mr. Harry William Glover, Commissioned Engineer, Royal Navy.  
 Acting Chief Engine Room Artificer Edward Thomas Sweatman, C/MX.48424.  
 Yeoman of Signals Reginald Alfred Paul, C/J.82560.  
 Leading Seaman Thomas Connor, D/JX.136858.  
 Leading Seaman Robert Henry Secker, C/JX.157896.  
 Leading Seaman Trevor Wallace Gray, NZ.1325.  
 Temporary Leading Seaman Frederick Keith Knox, O/7424, R.N.Z.N.V.R.  
 Temporary Leading Seaman Harry Herbert Triplow, W3510, R.N.Z.N.V.R.  
 Able Seaman Alexander George Sexton, C/LD/X5357, R.N.V.R.  
 Able Seaman Gerald Butterfield, P/SR.8224.  
 Able Seaman Eric Campbell McVinnie, A1895, R.N.Z.N.V.R.  
 Temporary Acting Leading Signalman John Lawrence William Salter, O/7117, R.N.Z.N.V.R.  
 Engine Room Artificer Third Class William Norman Southward, D/MX.55946.  
 Acting Chief Mechanician George Edwin Anstis, D/K.62667.  
 Leading Steward Ernest Barton, D/SR.69524.

For gallantry when H.M.C.S. Weyburn was lost.

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Wilfred Bark, R.C.N.V.R.  
 Sub-Lieutenant John Ryck Wolfe Lyddeker, R.N.R.  
 Ordinary Seaman Daniel Tanzey, P/JX.358923.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Leading Signalman Leonard William Murray, V.7912, R.C.N.V.R.

For courage and good service when their ship was damaged by an explosion.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Mr. George Leslie Allpress, D.S.M., Acting Gunner (T), Royal Navy.  
 Leading Stoker Ephraim Cyril Dawes, P/KX.100601.  
 Sick Berth Attendant Idris Edwin Evans, D/MX.69053.

For gallantry in trying to save life when H.M.C.S. Weyburn was lost.

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

Stoker Petty Officer Sidney Frank Day, P/KX.76572.

For good services.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Lieutenant-Commander Peter Alison Ross Withers, D.S.O., D.S.C., Royal Navy.  
 Petty Officer Telegraphist Alfred John Barnett, D/JX.138889.  
 Stoker Petty Officer Othello Norton Wellesley Mealing, D/KX.66373.

For good service in H.M. Submarines in the Mediterranean.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Able Seaman Frank Lomax, D/JX.204292.

For distinguished services in action against enemy submarines, whilst serving in H.M.S. Harvester:

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Mr. Alexander John Greenwood, Commissioned Engineer, Royal Navy.

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Chief Stoker Wilfred Leonard Scarff, C/K.66425.  
 Leading Seaman Frederick Taylor, P/JX.223762.

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

Commander Arthur André Tait, D.S.O., Royal Navy.  
 Telegraphist William Leslie Tannett, C/JX.181374.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Lieutenant James Llewellyn Briggs, R.N.V.R.  
 Officers' Cook Second Class Charles Skinner, C/L.13489.  
 Able Seaman Stanley Charles Wilson, C/LDX.3425.

For skill and gallantry in action with enemy light forces:

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Temporary Lieutenant Donald Gould Bradford, R.N.R.  
 Temporary Lieutenant (Acting Lieutenant-Commander) Peter Markham Scott, M.B.E., R.N.V.R.  
 Temporary Lieutenant John Hartly Hodder, R.N.V.R.

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Leading Seaman Joseph Phillips, P/DX.1349.  
 Leading Motor Mechanic Roland Desmond Gilbert, P/MX.98724.  
 Able Seaman Norman Clegg, D/JX.237892.  
 Able Seaman Roy Eric Dearing, P/JX.325829.  
 Able Seaman George Jennings, P/JX.275627.  
 Ordinary Seaman Sidney Paxton, C/JX.1317497.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Frank Lambert Hewitt, R.N.V.R.  
 Able Seaman Victor Goldsmith, C/JX.316843.  
 Ordinary Telegraphist Norman Henry Towe, D/JX.271930.  
 Acting Chief Motor Mechanic Ernest Scott, P/MX.66902.

For courage, endurance and helpfulness:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Harry Raymond Taylor, R.N.V.R.

For courage and skill when attacked by Japanese bombers:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Lieutenant John Alexander Grant, R.A.N.R. (seagoing).

Acting Engine Room Artificer Jack Crooks, S.6161.

For brave service in an endeavour to salvage a Merchantman:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Signalman Jerome Leo Kay, 4271, H.M.C.S. Timmins.

For resolution and extreme fortitude in an open boat:

*Mention in Despatches.*

1797727 Gunner Frank Leggatt, Maritime Royal Artillery, First Battery.

For most efficient work in convoy signalling:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Leading Signalman Gordon Matthew Clark, R.C.N.V.R.

For courage and skill in repeated actions with enemy light forces:

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Lieutenant John Assheton Eardley-Wilmot, Royal Navy.

For good service with the Army in the Middle East between 1st November, 1941, and 30th April, 1942:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Captain Guy Grantham, C.B., D.S.O., Royal Navy.

Commander Alexander Francis Matheson, Royal Navy.

Major (Brevet and Acting Lieutenant-Colonel) John Howard Germon Wills, O.B.E., Royal Marines.

Major (Acting Lieutenant-Colonel) Edward Harold Mitford Unwin, Royal Marines (retired).

Temporary Captain (Acting Temporary Major) Walter Douglas Scott, Royal Marines.

Lieutenant (Acting Major) Herbert Edward Horton, Royal Marines.

Lieutenant (Acting Major) Frederick Henry Nicholson, Royal Marines.

Temporary Lieutenant William James Cowley, Royal Marines.

Sergeant (Acting Temporary Colour Sergeant) Horace Cecil Colwill, Ply.X.819, Royal Marines.

Sergeant (Acting Temporary Staff Clerk) Herbert Wathall, Po.18141, Royal Marines.

Sergeant (Temporary) (Acting Temporary Quartermaster Sergeant) Albert William Parsons, Po.22014, Royal Marines.

Corporal (Acting Temporary Sergeant) Alfred Potts, Ch.23132, Royal Marines.

Marine Arthur Richard Booth, Ex.2949 (T).

Marine Albert Harding, Ch.22289.

Marine James Louis Mellor, Po.X.101034.

For courage and skill and enterprise:

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Temporary Petty Officer Samuel Ethelbert Waters, P/J.95383.

Engine Room Artificer Fourth Class William Henry Cheeseman, C/MX.92126.

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

Petty Officer Henry McLeod Sanders, P/JX.127374.

Able Seaman Roy Walter Gladwin, P/JX.235813.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Captain Robert Kirk Dickson, D.S.O., Royal Navy.

Acting Commander (E) Roy Alfred Gould, O.B.E., Royal Navy.

Temporary Lieutenant (E) Charles Edgar Stuart Ford, R.N.R.

Temporary Lieutenant John Conrad Cherry, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant Geoffrey Arthur Weale, R.N.V.R.

Acting Chief Engine Room Artificer Ronald Henry Paddon Row, C/MX.47611.

Electrical Artificer Fourth Class Gordon Henry Jones, C/MX.71949.

Leading Seaman Horace Roy Simpson Moore, C/SSX.17593.

Temporary Acting Leading Seaman Sidney George Jesse, P/JX.153209.

Storekeeper First Class Leslie Haberle, N.A.P.1103130.

For bravery and skill in the hazardous operations in which the Allied Forces were landed in North Africa:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Chief Shipwright Henry Thomas Hobbs, D/M.14332.

The KING has been graciously pleased to grant unrestricted permission to wear the Insignia of the following Appointment made by Her Majesty the Queen of the Netherlands:

*Chevalier of the Order of Orange Nassau.*

Temporary Lieutenant James Grantham, R.N.V.R.

The following corrections are made:

In the London Gazette Supplement No. 36011 of 11th May, 1943:

Page 2112:

For Acting Sergeant William Maynard, Ply. 18397, Royal Marines.

Read Marine (Acting Temporary Sergeant) William Charles Maynard, Ply.18397, Royal Marines.

In the London Gazette Supplement No. 36019 of 18th May, 1943:

Page 2216:

For Petty Officer Ronald H. F. Hyde, C/JX.151957.

Read Petty Officer Ronald H. F. Hyde, C/JX.151597.

For Petty Officer Walter Arthur Gooch, C/J.91440.

Read Petty Officer Walter Gooch, C/J.91440.

For Ordnance Artificer Fourth Class Donald Bragg, C/MX.96241.

Read Ordnance Artificer Fourth Class Donald L. F. Bragg, C/MX.96241.

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