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## CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

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

*6th June, 1944.*

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

*To be an Additional Commander of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—*

Rear Admiral John Anthony Vere Morse, C.B., D.S.O.,

for outstanding leadership and organising ability in charge of the clearance and reconstruction of the port of Naples.

## ADMIRALTY.

*Whitehall.*

*6th June, 1944.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Distinguished Service Order and to approve the following reward and awards:

For outstanding leadership, skill and devotion to duty in H.M. Ships Affleck, Dahlia, Garlies, Gore Gould, Hurricane, Spey, Strule and Wanderer in successful actions with U-Boats, while on convoy escort duty in the Atlantic:

*Bar to the Distinguished Service Order.*

Acting Commander Clive Gwinner, D.S.O., D.S.C., Royal Navy (Guildford).

*To be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order:*

Commander Gerald Anthony Gore Ormsby, D.S.C., Royal Navy (Richmond).

*Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.*

Acting Temporary Lieutenant - Commander Magnus Spence Work, D.S.C., R.N.R. (Orkney).

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Lieutenant William Patrick Bourke Barber, Royal Navy (Durban, S.A.).

Lieutenant Robert Edmund Lloyd, Royal Navy (Exford).

Lieutenant John Vivian Reeves-Brown, Royal Navy (Lahore, India).

Lieutenant John Charles Mackintosh Keir, R.N.R. (Wimbledon).

Temporary Lieutenant William Grant, R.N.V.R. (Langbank).

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Patrick Hugh Blair Sessions, R.N.V.R. (Painswick).

Mr. Derek Milner Hainsworth, Midshipman, R.N.R.

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Temporary Acting Chief Engine Room Artificer Leslie Douglas George Coward, P/MX. 50015 (Portchester).

Petty Officer George Loftus William Coxhead, P/J.70874.

Acting Petty Officer Frank William Watts, P/JX.145972 (Barnshape).

Acting Stoker Petty Officer Randolph Harry Stacey Croucher, P/KX.91672 (Aldershot).

Leading Seaman Royce Chadwick Benson, P/SSX.14713.

Leading Seaman Kenneth James Rainey, D/JX.169188 (Northwood).

Leading Seaman Leslie Ernest Frederick Pearson, P/JX.256516 (London).

Temporary Acting Leading Seaman Gordon Brammer, P/JX.171384 (Southampton).

Able Seaman Douglas Walter Bishop, P/SD/X.1507 (Brighton).

Able Seaman Ralph Gargett Jordinson, D/JX. 253047.

Acting Able Seaman Francis George Charles Hamblin, P/JX.386101 (Reading).

Acting Able Seaman James Richardson Miller,  
P/JX.323572 (Feltham).  
Ordinary Seaman Patrick William Osborne,  
P/JX.522665 (Kew).

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

Lieutenant Daniel William Ungeod, Royal  
Navy (London).  
Temporary Lieutenant Bingham Everett  
Peacock, R.N.V.R. (London).  
Chief Engine Room Artificer Robert Gordon  
Dyer, C/M.39437.  
Engine Room Artificer Fourth Class Samuel  
Francis David Raleigh Stovell, D/MX.  
55216.  
Able Seaman Pryce Evans, D/JX.226011.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Lieutenant Reginald Lacey Caple, D.S.C.,  
Royal Navy (Harrow).  
Temporary Lieutenant Ernest Richard  
Clinkard, R.N.V.R. (Leeds).  
Temporary Lieutenant Percy Ellis Croisdale  
Pickles, R.N.V.R. (Scarborough).  
Temporary Lieutenant (E) John Gordon  
Woodburn, R.N.R.  
Temporary Sub-Lieutenant John Frederick  
Tyack, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Victor Douglas  
Valentine, R.A.N.V.R. (Brighton, Mel-  
bourne).  
Mr. Lionel Baden Phipps, Acting Temporary  
Gunner, Royal Navy (Elverton).  
Mr. Robert William Counsell, Temporary  
Acting Warrant Engineer, Royal Navy  
(Cardiff).  
Chief Petty Officer William Philip Grigg, P/J.  
32848 (Fareham).  
Chief Engine Room Artificer Edward Miller  
James, P/MX.49611.  
Engine Room Artificer Third Class John  
Thomas Jones, D.S.M., P/X.2882E.A.  
(Newcastle-on-Tyne).  
Petty Officer Frederick Richard Billington,  
P/SSX.16145 (Willington).  
Petty Officer Douglas Theodore Stevens,  
D/SSX.25624 (Swansea).  
Temporary Acting Petty Officer Wallace Alfred  
Brown, C/SSX.25830 (Sittingbourne).  
Temporary Acting Petty Officer Daniel Michael  
Kelly, D/JX.158044.  
Leading Seaman James Jackson, P/JX.  
159730 (Salford).  
Leading Seaman Richard Casbourne Wade,  
P/J.102242 (Portsmouth).  
Temporary Leading Seaman William John  
Reginald Kilby, P/JX.150532 (Lingfield).  
Able Seaman David James Balkwill, D/JX.  
340526 (Devonport).  
Able Seaman John Frank Coughtrey, P/JX.  
217606 (Isleworth).  
Able Seaman John Henry Dodd, R.A.N.R.,  
S.4321.  
Able Seaman Arthur Richard Goatson, P/J.  
99068 (S. Wales).  
Able Seaman John Rodger, P/JX.362954.  
Telegraphist Dennis Conroy, C/JX.320333  
(Peckham).  
Telegraphist Gerald James Hague, C/JX.  
326597 (Hornchurch).  
Telegraphist John Griffiths Roberts, C/JX.  
270333 (Finchley).  
Stoker First Class Alfred William Peacock,  
P/KX.146404 (Nottingham).

For great courage and skill in successful  
patrols in H.M. Submarines in Far Eastern  
waters:

*Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.*

Lieutenant-Commander Leslie William Abel  
Bennington, D.S.O., D.S.C. Royal Navy  
(Portsmouth).

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Lieutenant-Commander Richard Molyneux  
Favell, Royal Navy (St. Buryan, Cornwall).  
Lieutenant (E) Alan Arthur Summerhayes,  
Royal Navy (Slough).

*Bar to the Distinguished Service Medal.*

Chief Engine Room Artificer James Montagu  
Rowe, D.S.M., D/MX.49580 (Camborne).

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Acting Chief Petty Officer Samuel Short,  
C/J.112615 (Sheffield).  
Chief Stoker William James Adams, C/K.  
44175.  
Engine Room Artificer Fourth Class John  
Stewart Heath, P/MX.53748 (Portsmouth).  
Temporary Acting Leading Seaman Albert  
Sutton, P/SSX.17788 (Birmingham).

*Mention in Despatches.*

Lieutenant John Milton Steadman, D.S.C.,  
R.N.R. (Teddington).  
Lieutenant Lindsay Arthur Pirie, D.S.C.,  
R.N.V.R. (Lymington, Hants).  
Engine Room Artificer Third Class David  
James Hughes, D/X.2962E.A. (Swansea).  
Electrical Artificer Third Class Arthur Sidney  
Bracher, D/MX.58177 (Dunfermline).  
Leading Seaman George Peter Whiting, C/JX.  
152947 (Colchester).  
Temporary Acting Leading Seaman Cecil  
Jerrard, P/JX.135997 (Colne).  
Temporary Acting Leading Seaman Joseph  
Morton, D/JX.151321 (Manchester).  
Temporary Acting Leading Stoker James  
Ernest Neale, P/KX.104750 (Dagenham).  
Able Seaman George Bruce, C/JX.335586  
(Lochgilphead).  
Stoker First Class Henry John Dale, D/KX.  
134882 (West Bromwich).  
Stoker First Class William Edwin Illsley,  
P/KX.119781 (London).

For leadership, skill and devotion to duty  
in an important minesweeping operation:

*Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.*

Acting Temporary Skipper Lieutenant George  
William Aldan, D.S.C., R.N.R. 1014W.S.  
(Cleethorpes).

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Temporary Lieutenant Ian Cochrane Ferguson,  
R.N.V.R. (Musselburgh).

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Chief Engineman Joseph Bett, LT/KX.111534  
(Cleethorpes).  
Leading Seaman George Gregson, LT/JX.  
242701 (Fleetwood).  
Leading Seaman Donald MacKay, LT/JX.  
166060 (Stornoway).  
Leading Seaman Arthur Ernest Whittleton,  
LT/JX.189941 (Scarborough).  
Signalman Reginald Clark, LT/JX.308282  
(East Howdon-on-Tyne).

Wireman Harold Arthur Lane, C/MX.92774 (Wolverton).

Wireman Frederick Albert Roach, C/MX.76989 (Brightlingsea).

*Mention in Despatches.*

Acting Temporary Lieutenant - Commander Stanley Ewart Davies, D.S.C., R.N.R. (Warminster).

Temporary Lieutenant Robert William Rodan, R.N.V.R. (Moniaive, Dumfriesshire).

Petty Officer Thomas Robert Sheen, LT/JX.174426 (West Kilbridge).

Seaman Leonard Martin, LT/JX.284476 (Nottingham).

Wireman Donald Hodgkinson, C/MX.102574 (Heywood).

For gallantry in going to look for wounded below decks when a Merchant Ship was torpedoed:

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

Temporary Surgeon Lieutenant Maurice John Hood, D.S.C., M.B., Ch.B., R.N.V.R.

For good services in connection with the landing and maintenance of Allied Forces in the Anzio area:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Captain Manley Lawrence Power, C.B.E., Royal Navy.

Commander Wilfred Geoffrey Brittain, Royal Navy.

Instructor Commander Edward Roy Trendell, M.A., Royal Navy.

For skill and devotion to duty in Light Coastal Craft in a night action with the enemy:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Dennis Charles Wade, R.N.V.R. (Gidea Park).

Ordinary Seaman Kenneth Albert Rees, P/JX.565235 (Newport, Mon.).

For bravery in rescuing survivors from a torpedoed ship in Arctic waters:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Able Seaman John Henry Riggs, P/SSX.18736.

Able Seaman James Robert Wells, P/JX.326542.

For good services in defensively equipped Merchant Ships:

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

Lance Sergeant James Chapple, 5881660, Fifth Regiment, Maritime Royal Artillery (Tilbury, Essex).

*Mention in Despatches.*

Sergeant Frederick Gordon Biles, 1562906, 10th Battery, Maritime Royal Artillery (Chichester).

Gunner Bernard Andrews, 1778589, Third Regiment, Maritime Royal Artillery (Birmingham).

Gunner Edgar Fieldhouse, 3195251, Second Regiment, Maritime Royal Artillery (Bank Top, Nr. Halifax).

Gunner John Thomas Phillips, 6469407, 10th Battery, Maritime Royal Artillery (Portsmouth).

Gunner Thomas Wright, 3782138, Second Regiment, Maritime Royal Artillery (Burnley, Lancs).

For good services in the communications room of the F.F.S. Lobelia during an attack on a convoy:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Acting Leading Telegraphist Alfred Frederick Moyse, P/WRX.785 (Surbiton).

The following correction is made:

In London Gazette Supplement No. 36537 of 30th May, 1944,

Page 2497, the following award should read as now shown:

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

The Reverend John Charles Wallis, Temporary Chaplain, R.N.V.R.

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