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## TUESDAY, 5 SEPTEMBER, 1944

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

> St. James's Palace, S.W.1, 5th September, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the George Medal to:-Temporary Acting Lieutenant Baron Phillips, M.B.E., R.N.V.R.

for gallantry and undaunted devotion to duty.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

> St. James's Palace, S.W.I, 5th September, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Military Division) to:-

Joiner Fourth Class Fred Smith, C/MX.76910 (St. Helens).

for gallantry, as a member of a rescue party in swimming to and boarding an ammunition ship which caught fire and was liable to explode in Bombay Docks.

#### ADMIRALTY.

Whitehall,

5th September, 1944.

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

For gallantry, determination and undaunted devotion to duty as Liaison Officer with Commandos in the attack and capture of Mount Ornito, Italy and during attacks on the islands of Solta, Mljet and Brac in the Adriatic, all of which operations were carried. out under very heavy fire from the enemy:

Bar to the Distinguished Service Order: Admiral Sir Walter Henry Cowan, Baronet, K.C.B., D.S.O., M.V.O. (Retired).

For undaunted courage, skill and devotion to duty in successful patrols in H.M. Submarines:

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order:

Lieutenant George Edward Hunt, D.S.C., Royal Navy (Moffatt).

Lieutenant Ian Stewart McIntosh, M.B.E., D.S.C., Royal Navy (Wallington).

Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieutenant Barry Loraine Dudley Rowe, D.S.C., Royal Navy (London).

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Temporary Lieutenant Hubert Charles Parker, R.N.V.R. (Bournemouth).

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Acting Chief Petty Officer Roy Alfred Claxton,

C/JX.140185 (Ipswich).

Acting Chief Petty Officer 'Hugh Clyde Williams, D/JX.137839 (Bangor).

Chief Engine Room Artificer Horace William

Thornton, P/MX.52830 (Sheffield).

Petty Officer Sydney Douglas Hills, P/JX.

127202 (Cosham).

Engine Room Artificer Fourth Class Cyril Gordon Haimes, D/MX.90759 (Plymouth). Leading Seaman Alexander Orchiston Mowatt, P/SSX.21589 (Edinburgh).

Acting Leading Seaman Charles Richard

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Gresty, P/JX.132611 (Chester).

Acting Leading Stoker Charles Hugh Melborn Raymond, D/KX.146143 (Milford Haven).

Able Seaman Ronald Hill, D/SSX.28100 (Bere

Alston). Able Seaman John Eric Bishop, P/JX.361825

(Southall). Able Seaman Horace Baden Smith, C/SSX.

18530 (Derby). Stoker First Class Sidney Frank Surridge, C/KX.139152 (Hainhill).

### Mention in Despatches.

Lieutenant Brian Harries Gordon Michael Baynham, Royal Navy (Walton-on-Naze).