Stoker First Class Ernest Mayer, P/KX.

Sick Berth Attendant John Gallagher, D/MX.

Sick Berth Attendant Herbert Ridgeway, P/MX.111766.

Stoker Second Class Thomas Cook, P/KX. 596760.

Seaman Alfred Gregory, LT/JX.316498. Seaman James William Groombridge, LT/JX.

351269.

Seaman George Stewart, C/X.21696.

For outstanding courage, leadership and skill during the build-up of the Normandy bridgehead:

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Corporal (Temporary) (Acting Temporary Colour Sergeant) Thomas Burns, R.M., Po.X.106250.

Marine Gavin Scott Riddell, R.M., Ply.X.

102856.

Marine Henry Thomas Wicks, R.M., Po.X. 117058.

Mention in Despatches.

Captain (Acting Lieutenant-Colonel) George Barclay Grant, O.B.E., Royal Marines.

Lieutenant (Acting Lieutenant-Golonel) John Patrick Kelly, D.S.M., Royal Marines.
Temporary Lieutenant (Acting Temporary

Captain) Leonard Dayus, Royal Marines.

Lieutenant (Acting Temporary William Sydney Webb, Royal Temporary Captain) Marines.

Temporary Lieutenant Laurence Alexander James Feacey, Royal Marines.

Temporary Lieutenant John Martyn Goodwin,

Royal Marines. Frank Howard (Temporary)

Lieutenant Sowman, Royal Marines.

Sergeant (Acting Temporary Company Sergeant Major) William Roy, R.M., Po.X.1017. Temporary Sergeant Richard Morgan Salmon,

R.M., Ex.4254.
Temporary Sergeant Charles Robert James
Tottle, R.M., Po.X.102078.
Temporary Sergeant John Reeve, R.M.E.,

10796.

(Temporary) Corporal (Acting Temporary Sergeant) Joseph William Bass, R.M., Po.X. 3447

Marine (Acting Temporary Sergeant) Kenneth James Harper, R.M., Ch.X.108854.

Temporary Corporal John Cadman, R.M., Ex.526.

Temporary Corporal Herbert William Gibbs, R.M., Ex.4421.

Marine (Acting Temporary Corporal) Fred Kennedy, R.M., Ply.X.3579. Marine George Jolly Bartlett, R.M., Ch.X.

109415

Marine David Thomas Crathern, R.M., Ch.X.

113399. Marine Harold William Pell, R.M., Ch.X. 102786.

For courage, skill, daring and devotion to duty whilst operating from, or serving in, H.M. Ships Victorious, Indomitable and Indefatigable in an attack on an enemy oil refinery in the Far East:

Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross. Acting Temporary Lieutenant-Commander (A) William Stuart, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Co. Armagh).

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (A) Donald John Sheppard, R.C.N.V.R. (Toronto).

Mention in Despatches.

Sub-Lieutenant (A) Keith Alexander McLennan, R.N.Z.N.V.R. (Lower Hutt, N.Z.

Sub-Lieutenant (A) Edward Taylor Wilson, S.A.N.F.(V) (Johannesburg).

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (A) Ian Henry Foster Martin, R.N.V.R. (Banwell).

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (A) Howard Alton Rhodes, R.N.Z.N.V.R. (Rangitiki).

Petty Officer Air Mechanic (O) Robert Wanless Wilson, FAA/FX.77215 (Chester-le-Street, Co. Durham).

Temporary Air Artificer Fourth Class Donald Doley Mills, FAA/FX.83034 (Birmingham).

· For gallantry and devotion to duty in the care and rescue of survivors on the Assault Beach at Walcheren:

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Temporary Lieutenant George Anthony Rawlins, R.N.V.R. (Birmingham).

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Temporary Leading Sick Berth Attendant John Ferguson, C/MX.85350 (Stockton-on-Tees).

Mention in Despatches.

Temporary Lieutenant Gordon Ellis Bisson, R.N.Z.N.V.R. (Napier, N.Z.).

For zeal, energy and great devotion to duty while training minesweepers and for courageous performance of duties during minesweeping operations from D-Day onwards:

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Acting Lieutenant-Commander Ronald Gresham, R.N.V.R. (Sheffield).

For exceptional courage, judgment and fine seamanship during landing operations on enemy defended coasts in the Mediterranean:

Bar to the Distinguished Service Medal.

Leading Seaman Samuel Smalley, D.S.M., LT / JX.242527.

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Seaman Donald Ernest Miles, LT/JX.218353.

For skill and gallantry in successful attacks on enemy shipping in the Adriatic and in the rescue of survivors in a heavy

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Chief Motor Mechanic Joseph Leonard Lee, P/MX.78719 (Nuneaton).

Leading Seaman William Goulding, C/SSX. 26281 (Barnsley).

## Mention in Despatches.

Able Seaman Ronald Leslie Ames, P/JX. 296363 (Ashingdon).

Able Seaman Basil Newall, C/JX.374875 (Windsor).