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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS
OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.
18th September, 1945.*

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

To be an Additional Officer of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Commander (E) Arnold HIRST, Royal Navy (Yarmouth),

for zeal, devotion to duty and great efficiency during long periods at sea when his ship was frequently called upon to steam at high speed.

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

Temporary Captain (Acting Temporary Major) Neil Gordon McLeven MUNRO, Royal Marines,

Lieutenant (Acting Lieutenant-Colonel) Ian Dudley DE'ATH, D.S.O., Royal Marines.

for devotion to duty and great ability in the planning, and courage in the execution of Commando operations during the Italian campaign.

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

Leading Telegraphist Reginald George FERRING, P/JX.321175,

for resource, determination and devotion to duty in the maintenance of communications under exacting conditions during the

bombardment of the Franco-Italian frontier in the winter of 1944-1945 and in the operations which led to the fall of Genoa, April, 1945.

ADMIRALTY.

*Whitehall.
18th September, 1945.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards:—

For great gallantry and outstanding devotion to duty:

The Conspicuous Gallantry Medal.

Stoker Petty Officer Jack YATES, D/KX.95334.

No. 1 Boiler Room of H.M.S. Saumarez was hit by an enemy shell. Stoker P.O. Yates, the sole survivor from the boiler room though badly burnt and in great pain at once shut the steam off from the oil fuel pump and heaters, and would not allow himself to be treated for his hurts until he had reported the damage. This most gallant action did much to limit the damage to his ship.

For gallantry, skill and devotion to duty whilst serving in H.M. Ships Saumarez, Venus, Verulam, Virago, Vigilant, Queen Elizabeth and Emperor on the East Indies Station, in operations which brought about the destruction of a Japanese heavy cruiser of the Nachi class and the probable destruction of a Japanese destroyer:

Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.

Commander Henry Graham Dudley de CHAIR, D.S.C., Royal Navy.

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieutenant-Commander Douglas Henry Reid BROMLEY, Royal Navy.