Whitehall, August 13, 1954.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 9th instant, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Alan Stewart Watt, Esquire, C.B.E., Commissioner for Australia in the Federation of Malaya.

[Her Majesty's approval of this Knighthood was signified on the 10th June, 1954.]

DANGEROUS DRUGS REGULATIONS, 1953.

SUSPENSION OF WITHDRAWAL OF AUTHORITIES.

Whereas the authorities, respectively conferred by the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1937, and the Raw Opium, etc., Regulations, 1937, on Gerald Stonehill, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., by virtue of his being a duly qualified medical practitioner to be in possession of and to supply the drugs and preparations to which those Regulations applied were, the said Gerald Stonehill having been convicted of offences against the Dangerous Drugs Acts, 1920 to 1932, withdrawn in pursuance of the powers conferred on the Secretary of State by Regulation 7 of the first mentioned Regulations and Regulation 5 of the last mentioned Regulations by Notices published in the London Gazette and the Edinburgh Gazette on the 16th day of October, 1951, the registered address of the said Gerald Stonehill being then 121, Somerville Road, St. Andrew's Park, Bristol:

the said Gerald Stonehill being then 121, Somerville Road, St. Andrew's Park, Bristol:

And whereas at the same time the Secretary of State directed under the said Regulation 7 that it should not be lawful for the said Gerald Stonehill to give prescriptions for the purposes of the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1937:

And whereas by virtue of Regulations 29 and 38 of the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1953, the Secretary of State is empowered at any time to restore such an authority as aforesaid which has been withdrawn under either of the said Regulations of 1937, or to suspend such a withdrawal:

And whereas I am satisfied that it is expedient to suspend the aforesaid withdrawal of authorities from the said Gerald Stonehill:

Now, therefore, I hereby suspend, in pursuance of

Now, therefore, I hereby suspend, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by Regulations 29 and 38 of the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1953, the aforesaid withdrawal of authorities from the said Gerald Stonehill, and I further suspend the opera-tion of the said direction regarding prescriptions given in respect of the said Gerald Stonehill.

David Maxwell Fyfe, One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office, Whitehall. 13th August, 1954.

> Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W.1 13th August, 1954.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give unrestricted permission for the wearing of the following decorations bestowed by the President of the United States of America for gallant and distinguished services during the operations in Korea:—

Silver Star Medal.

Major (Local Lieutenant-Colonel) Dennis Leolin
Samuel St. Maur Aldridge, M.B.E., M.C., Royal
Marines, 41 Independent Commando, Royal

Legion of Merit, Degree of Officer.
Rear-Admiral Arthur David Torlesse, C.B., D.S.O.,
H.M.S. TRIUMPH.

Commodore Sir Aubrey St. Clair-Ford, Bt., D.S.O., Royal Navy, H.M.S. Belfast. Captain Alan David Hastings Jay, D.S.O., D.S.C., Royal Navy, H.M.S. Black Swan. Captain John Byng Frewen, Royal Navy, H.M.S.

MOUNTS BAY.

Captain Theodore Edward Podger, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Kenya.
Captain John Yelverton Thompson, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Unicorn.

H.M.S. UNICORN.
Commander Launcelot John KIGGELL, D.S.C.,
Royal Navy. (On loan to the Royal Australian
Navy), H.M.A.S. Sydney.
Lieutenant-Commander John Leslie Appleby, Royal
Navy, No. 808 Royal Naval Air Squadron..
Lieutenant-Commander Ronald Bruce Lunberg,
Royal Navy, No. 817 Royal Naval Air Squadron.

Major Ferris Nelson Grant, Royal Mar Independent Commando, Royal Marines. Royal Marines, 41

Legion of Merit, Degree of Legionnaire.
Captain John Harold Unwin, D.S.C., Royal Navy,
H.M.S. Mounts Bay.

Bronze Star Medal.
Commander Charles Henry Francis Joy, Royal

Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V".
Captain James Jeffrey Edward Farnol, D.S.C., Royal
Navy, H.M.S. Morecambe Bay.
Lieutenant-Commander William Edward Hunter

RODWELL, D.S.C., Royal Navy.
Captain Edgar George Derek Pounds,
Marines, 41 Independent Commando, Roval Royal Marines

Marines.
Captain Peter Roome THOMAS, Royal Marines, 41 Independent Commando, Royal Marines.
Quartermaster - Sergeant Charles Frederick HAMBLETON, Ch. X. 1698, Royal Marines, 41 Independent Commando, Royal Marines.
Sergeant Joseph Jeremiah Mall., Ch. X.4248, Royal Marines, 41 Independent Commando, Royal Marines.

Marines.

Sergeant Sidney James Moon, P.O.X5235, Royal Marines, 41 Independent Commando, Royal Marines.

Sergeant Jack Whiting, P.O.X.4066, Royal Marines, 41 Independent Commando, Royal Marines. Corporal Roy Baker, Ply.X.5068, Royal Marines, 41 Independent Commando, Royal Marines. Marine Arthur John Lansdowne, R.M.9043, Royal Marines, 41 Independent Commando, Royal Marines.

Marines.

Admiralty, 10th August, 1954.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the Royal Naval Reserve decoration to the under-mentioned Officers:—Lieutenant Commander I. E. Fraser, V.C., D.S.C.,

R.N.R. Lieutenant Commander F. H. Curry, R.N.R. Lieutenant Commander R. H. HALLIDAY, R.N.R. Lieutenant Commander (S) (Reg. Cl.) S. A. WALDRON,

R.N.R. Lieutenant Commander D. J. R.A.N.R.(S).

Acting Skipper Lieutenant R. W. SLATER, R.N.R. Chief Skipper J. B. DUTHIE, R.N.R. (Ret'd).

Admiralty, 10th August, 1954.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased approve the award of the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve decoration to the under-mentioned

Commander H. D. RAFFAN, M.B., B.S., RANR.

REV. O. R. FULLJAMES, M.A., R.N.V.R.
Lieutenant Commander J. J. Dolan, R.A.N.R.
Lieutenant Commander E. V. Owen, R.A.N.V.R.
Lieutenant Commander N. M. MUZZELL, R.A.N.V.R.
Lieutenant Commander (Sp) L. J. PUDNEY, R.N.V.R.
Lieutenant Commander (Sp) G. J. BROOKSBANK,

RANR. Lieutenant Commander (Sp) G. J. Connor, R.A.N.R. Lieutenant Commander (Sp) A. B. EDWARDS,

R.A.N.R. Lieutenant Commander (S) D. C. Phillips, R.A.N.R. Lieutenant (Sp) R. S. Langley, R.A.N.R. Lieutenant (S) C. Sanguinetti, R.A.N.R.

WAGES COUNCILS ACTS, 1945 to 1948.

STAMPED OR PRESSED METAL-WARES WAGES COUNCIL (GREAT BRITAIN).

The Stamped or Pressed Metal-Wares Wages Council (Great Britain) hereby gives notice of its intention to submit to the Minister of Labour and National Service proposals for the amendment of the Stamped or Pressed Metal-Wares Wages Council (Great Britain) Wages Regulation Order, 1953 (Order Q. (78)), relating to statutory minimum remuneration. Particulars of the proposals may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Wages Council at the address given below.

The Wages Council will consider any written representation with respect to the above-mentioned proposals which may be sent to it within 14 days from 13th August, 1954. Any such representation