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#### TUESDAY, 11 NOVEMBER, 1919.

Admiralty, S.W., 11th November, 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Victoria Cross to the undermentioned Officers:—

·Commander Claude Congreve Dobson, D.S.O., R.N.

For most conspicuous gallantry, skill and devotion to duty on the occasion of the attack on Kronstadt Harbour on the 18th August, 1919. Commander Dobson organised and was in command of the Coastal Motor Boat Flotilla. He led the flotilla through the chain of forts to the entrance of the harbour. Coastal Motor Boat No. 31, from which he directed the general operations, then passed in, under a very heavy machine-gun fire, and torpedoed the Bolshevik Battleship "Andrei Pervozanni," subsequently returning through the heavy fire of the forts and batteries to the open sea.

Lieutenant Gordon Charles Steele, R.N.

For most conspicuous gallantry, skill and devotion to duty on the occasion of the

attack on Kronstadt Harbour on the 18th August, 1919. Lieutenant Steele was second-in-command of H.M. Coastal Motor Boat No. 88. After this boat had entered the harbour the Commanding Officer, Lieutenant Dayrell-Reed, was shot through the head and the boat thrown off her course. Lieutenant Steele took the wheel, steadied the boat, lifted Lieutenant Dayrell-Reed away from the steering and firing position and torpedoed the Bolshevik battleship "Andrei Pervozanni" at a hundred yards range. He had then a difficult manœuvre to perform to get a clear view of the battle-ship "Petropavlovsk," which was over-lapped by the "Andrei Pervozanni" and obscured by smoke coming from that ship. The evolution, however, was skilfully carried out, and the "Petropavlovsk" torpedoed. This left Lieutenant Steele with only just room to turn, in order to regain the entrance to the harbour, but he effected the movement with success and firing his machine guns along the wall on his way, passed under the line of forts through a heavy fire out of the harbour.

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## CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W. 11th November, 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, in recognition of the services of the undermentioned Officer during the War:—

To be an Additional Member of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Honourable Order:—

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel (tempy. Brigadier-General) St. George Bewes Armstrong, C.M.G., R.M.L.I.

For valuable services with the Army in Palestine.

### CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.

11th November, 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, in recognition of the services of the undermentioned Officers during the War:—

To be Commanders of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Captain Graham Richard Leicester Edwards, R.N.

For valuable services in the Dover Patrol.

Captain Claude Alwin Rombulow-Pearse,
R.N.

For valuable services at Mudros Base.

To be Officers of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Lieutenant Francis Rodwell Banks, R.N.V.R. For valuable services in connection with operations in the Caspian Sea.

Lieutenant - Commander Thomas Edward Coombs, R.N.R.

For valuable services in the Mine Clearance Force.

Paymaster Lieutenant-Commander James Douglas, R.N.V.R. (S.A.).

For valuable services on the Staff of the Senior Naval Officer, Simonstown.

Paymaster Lieutenant (acting Paymaster Lieutenant-Commander) Maurice Cardinall Franks, R.N.R.

For valuable services in connection with operations in the Caspian Sea.

Lieutenant - Commander Alexander Collie Greig, R.D., R.N.R.

For valuable services as Senior British Naval Officer, Varna.

Commander the Hon. Sereld Mordaunt Alan Joscelyn Hay, R.N.V.R. (S.A.).

For valuable services as Commander Instructor, South African Division, Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

Captain (tempy. Major) Kenneth Edward Lawrance, R.M.L.I.

For valuable services as Naval Vice-Consul at Aalesund, Haugesund and Florö.

Major Pulteney William Malcolm, R.M.L.I. For valuable services in connection with operations in the Caspian Sea.

Engineer Lieutenant Frank Ernest Millar, R.N.

For valuable services in connection with operations in the Caspian Sea.

Commander Gerald Langston Parnell, D.S.O., R.N

For valuable services in connection with operations in the Caspian Sea.

Engineer Lieutenant George John Privett, R.N.

For valuable services in connection with operations in the Caspian Sea.

Commander Eric Gascoigne Robinson, V.C., R.N.

For valuable services in command of the Coastal Motor Boats in the Caspian Sea.

Lieutenant Lancelot Horace Augustus Shadwell R.N.V.R. (S.A.)

well, R.N.V.R. (S.A.).

For valuable services as Officer-in-Charge of Works; Simonstown.

Major George Cyril Woodcock, R.M.A.
For valuable services during the War.

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

Warrant Shipwright William John Benoy, R.N.

For valuable services in connection with operations in the Caspian Sea.

2nd Lieutenant Ernest Bertram Harries, R.M.L.I.

For valuable services in Russia.

Gunner Sidney James McCarthy, R.N.

For valuable services in connection with operations in the Caspian Sea.

Boatswain Sidney Herbert Winzar, R.N.

For valuable services in connection with operations in the Caspian Sea.

## Admiralty, S.W. 11th November, 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the following medals to the undermentioned Men:—

To receive the Meritorious Service Medal.

C.P.O. George Ambler, R.N.V.R. (S.A.), O.N. 6.

S.B.S. James Rixon Kellaway, O.N. M702 (Po.).

(Po.). Yeo. Sigs. Charles Amos Newman, O.N. 223111 (Ch.).

The following Officer has been brought to the notice of the Admiralty for valuable services in the prosecution of the War:—
Commander Guy Dalrymple Fanshawe, R.N.

Honours for Services in Russia, 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the following honours, decorations and medals to the undermentioned Officers and Men:—

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order:—

Cdr. Frank George Bramble, R.N.

For distinguished services as Chief Staff Officer to the Senior Naval Officer, Archangel River Expedition.

Arthur John Layard Murray, O.B.E., R.N.

For distinguished services in connection with the recovery and refitting of enemy mines. In carrying out this work Lieut.-Comdr. Murray was severely injured by a premature explosion:

Lt.-Cdr. Arthur Charles Fawssett, R.N.

For distinguished services in command of H.M.S. "M26," and in charge of operations off Onega, 30th July to 2nd August, 1919, which he carried out with great skill, courage and coolness.

Lieut.-Cdr. Andrew Johnstone, R.N.

For distinguished services in command H.M.S. "Humber." Lieut.-Comdr. of H.M.S. Johnstone fought his ship frequently under heavy fire with great gallantry.

Eng. Lieut. (act. Eng. Lieut.-Cdr.) Francis Bertrand Yates, R.N.

For distinguished services on the occasion of the attack on Kronstadt Harbour on the 18th August, 1919.

Lieut. Augustine Willington Shelton Agar, V.C., R.N.

For distinguished services in command of H.M. Coastal Motor Boat No. 7 in the attack on Kronstadt Harbour on the 18th August, 1919. He piloted two other boats into the harbour through the forts under a heavy fire and then patrolled the mouth of the harbour to cover their withdrawal.

Lieut. Russell Hamilton McBean, D.S.C.,  $\mathbf{R},\mathbf{N}$ 

For distinguished services in command of H.M. Coastal Motor Boat No. 31 in the attack on Kronstadt Harbour on the 18th August, 1919. Under a very heavy fire he entered the harbour, torpedoed the Bolshevik battleship "Andrei Pervozanni," and returned through the fire of the forts and batteries to the open sea.

Sub-Lieut. (Act.) Edward Roland

Bodley, R.N.R.

For distinguished services in command of H.M. Coastal Motor Boat No. 72 in the attack on Kronstadt Harbour, on the 18th August, 1919. After passing through the line of forts and reaching the entrance to the middle harbour under heavy fire, he attacked a Bolshevik destroyer. His steering gear, however, broke down, and he withdrew towards the line of forts, where he encountered and took in tow another boat, escorting her safely out of action under fire from all the forts.

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieut. Ralph Petherbridge Martin, R.N.

For distinguished services in command of a gun detachment manned by seamen, which was of great assistance during the opera-

Lieut. Meredith Stanton Spalding, R.N.

For distinguished services in command of the Naval Brigade throughout the operations of the 10th August, 1919, and subsequent days.

Lieut. Thomas Johnson Jones, R.N.R.

For distinguished services under fire in H.M. Monitor "33." Lieut. Jones showed great zeal in preparing and perfecting the control and spotting instruments of the şhip.

Surg. Lieut. Walter Francis Raphael. Castle; B.A., R.N.

For distinguished services during the action off Onega on the 1st October, 1919, in attending to the wounded under heavy: enemy fire.

Sub-Lieut. Basil Theodore Brewster, R.N. For distinguished service as second-incommand of the Naval Gun battery.

Sub-Lieut. Roland Hunter-Blair, R.N.

For distinguished services as second-in-command of H.M. Coastal Motor Boat. No. 72 in the attack on Kronstadt Harbour on the 18th August, 1919. The boat in which he was serving passed through the lineof forts under a heavy fire and escorted. H.M. Coastal Motor Boat No. 86 out of action.

Sub-Lieut. John Christian Boldero, R.N.

For distinguished services as second-incommand of H.M. Coastal Motor Boat No. 31 in the attack on Kronstadt Harbour on the 18th August, 1919, when the Bolshevik battleship "Andrei Pervozanni" wastorpedoed by the boat in which he was serving under a very heavy fire.

Sub-Lieut. Robert Leslie Wight, R.N.

For distinguished services as second-incommand of H.M. Coastal Motor Boat. No. 86 in the attack on Kronstadt Harbouron the 18th August, 1919. The boat in which he was serving passed through the lineof forts under a heavy fire She was then disabled, when Sub-Lieut. Wight prepared her for towing and re-passed the line of forts singlehanded.

Sub-Lieut. Edgar Robert Sindall, R.N.R.

For distinguished services as second-incommand of H.M. Coastal Motor Boat No. 7 in the attack on Kronstadt Harbouron the 18th August, 1919. The boat in which he was serving piloted two other boats into the harbour through the forts under a heavy fire, and then patrolled the mouth of the harbour to cover their withdrawal.

(Act.) Francis Sub-Lieut.

Howard, R.N.R.

For distinguished services in command of H.M. Coastal Motor Boat No. 86 in the attack on Kronstadt Harbour on the 18th August, 1919. He passed through the lineof forts under a heavy fire, but his enginesbroke down shortly after and he remained under fire and only able to move at very slow. speed until escorted out by H.M. Coastal. Motor Boat No. 72.

Act. Sub-Lieut. (Act.) Norman Eyre Morley,. R.N.R.

For distinguished services in Coastal Motor Boat No. 88 in the attack on Kronstadt Harbour on the 18th August, 1919. This boat torpedoed the Bolshevik battleships "Andrei Pervozanni" and " Petropavlovsk."

Lieut. Clive Melbourne Sergeant, R.M.L.I.

For distinguished services in command of the Royal Marine landing party during the-operations on the Dvina River commencing on the 10th August, 1919.

Mate Arthur Gunning Ingram, R.N. For distinguished services with the Naval Gun battery.

Mid. Richard Nigel Onslow Marshall, R.N.R. For distinguished services in H.M. Coastal Mctor Boat No. 7 in the attack on Kronstadt Harbour on the 18th August, 1919. This boat piloted two other boats into the harbour through the forts, under a heavy fire, and then patrolled the mouth of the harbour to cover their withdrawal.

#### To receive a Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieut. Ernest William King, D.S.C., R.N.R. For distinguished services in command of H.M. Paddle Minesweeper "Walton Belle" at Onega on the 1st October, 1919, when he handled his ship with great skill and courage under very trying circumstances.

Robert Hunter McNair, D.S.C., Lieut. R.N.R.

For distinguished service at Onega on the 1st August, 1919, when he landed from the tug "Alku" in charge of the covering and line parties.

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

Ldg. Sea. Alexander Richard Bremner, O.N. J4346 (Ch.).

Ldg. Sig. Arthur Charlton, O.N. J4467 (Ch.). h. Motor Mech. Edwin Thomas Clarke, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.2542.

Ldg. Sea. Leslie Augustus Reed Cox, O.N. J24090 (Po.).

A.B. Robert Dalley, O.N. J47240 (Ch.).

A.B. Horace Albert Etherington, J24559 (Ch.).

Ldg. Sea. John William Footit, O.N. 213271 (Po.).

A.B. Frederick Edward Foster, O.N. J20626 (Po.).

Sto., 1st Cl., James Franklin, O.N. K2915 (Ch.).

Ch. Motor Mech. Vernon Fisher Gascoyne, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.1886.

A.B. Albert Greenway, O.N. J21140 (Ch.). A.B. Albert Hinchcliffe, O.N. J53604 (Po.).

Ch. Motor Mech. Baden Marples Masters, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.2996.

Yeo. Sigs. Hubert Allen Mitchell, O.N. 205057 (Po.).

Ch. Motor Mech. Albert Victor Piper, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.2429.

Ch. Motor Mech. Robert George Pratten, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.2085.

A.B. William James Priest, O.N. J35620 (Dev.)

Motor Mech. Harry Eric Sadler, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.2499.

Ch. Motor Mech. Walter Montague Scales, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.3154

Sig. Alexander Christie Sinton, O.N. J25874 (Dev.).

P.O. Dennis William Smith, O.N. J15953 ·(Ch.).

P.O. Teleg. Frederick Simeon Stuckey, O.N. J29 (Ch.).

Ch. Motor Mech. Alfred Williams Henry Tidy, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.3153.

A.B. Joseph Wilson, O.N. J35012 (Po.).

P.O. Henry John Wood, O.N. J5518 (Ch.).

Ldg. Sig. Arthur Ronald Worlock, O.N. J8472 (Po.).

Ch. Motor Mech. Ernest Yeoman, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B. 2496.

. The following Officers and Men have been. mentioned in despatches:

Eng. Lt.-Cdr. Cecil Simpson, R.N.

Lieut. Cecil Courtenay Dickinson, D.S.O. R.N.

Lieut. George Evelyn Paget How, R.N. Lieut. William Henry Fenn, R.N.

Lieut. Leonard John Gates, R.N.R.

Lieut. Roland George Davies, R.N.V.R Sub-Lieut. Thomas Richard Guy Osborne,

R.N. (killed). Gnr. William Arthur Vinnicomb, R.N.

Commd. Shipwt. David James Dalyal Mackay,

C.P.O. Frederick Austin, O.N. 187728 (Po.). A.B. William John Ayling, O.N. J2428 (Ch.). Ch. Arm. Albert Victor Brown, O.N. 343710

(Po.). A.B. Louis Thomas Burrows, O.N. J19752 (Ch.)

Offr.'s Std., 1st Cl., Herbert Channell, O.N. L5909 (Po.).

A.B. Ernest Gilbert, O.N. J27880 (Ch.).

C.E.R.A. Edgar Graham, O.N. 270999 (Po.) C.E.R.A. Robert Henry Harding, O.N. 270325 (Dev.)

Sig. Harry Hickingbotham, O.N. J39986. (Po.)

Pte. John George Hudson, R.M.L.I., No. Po./12946...

Ldg. Sea. Francis George Martin Long, O.N. J12970 (Po.).

Ldg. Sea. Edgar Morgan, O.N. 185675 (Po.) Joiner, 3rd Cl., Arthur Oliver, O.N. M8877 (Po.).

Ldg. Sea. George Olley, O.N. J26328 (Ch.). A.B. Edwin Arthur Pharaoh, O.N. J78385.

(Ch.).

Ch. Motor Mech. John Charles Prigmore, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.2276.

Ernest R.M.L.I., Randell, Sergt. Ch./15943.

A.B. Joseph Spragg Rhind, O.N. 192011 (Po.).

A.B. William George Smith, O.N. J18754 (Ch.) (killed).

Ch. Motor Mech. Francis Edward Stephens, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.3005 (killed).

Shipwt., 2nd Cl., William John Stubbs, O.N., 345408 (Ch.).

A.B. Francis Trouten, O.N. J5780 (Ch.).

James Watson, Pte. William R.M.L.I., No. Ch./17098.

Arm's. Crew, 1st Cl., George Wheatland, O.N. M5717 (Ch.).

Arm's. Crew, Herbert Angus Wright, O.N. M12645 (Po.).

Honours for Services in the Caspian Sea, 1918, 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the following honours, decorations and medals to the undermentioned Officers and Men:

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order.

Capt. Basil George Washington, C.M.G., R.N. For distinguished services in command of "Windsor Castle" in action off Fort Alexandrovsk on the 21st May, 1919.

Cdr. Edward Leonard Grieve, R.N.

For distinguished services on the staff of the Senior Naval Officer, Caroian Sea.

Cdr. Kenneth Allan Ferrers Guy, R.N.

For distinguished services in command of the "Emile Nobel" in action off Fort Alexandrovsk on the 21st May, 1919.

Lieut.-Cdr. (act. Cdr.) Richard Harrison, R.D., R.N.R.

For distinguished services in command of the "Venture" in action off Fort Alexandrovsk on the 21st May, 1919, and on the occasion of the destruction of the Bolshevik base at Staro Terechnaya.

Lieut.-Cdr. Frederick Gascoigne Charsley, R.N.

For distinguished services in command of the "Zoraster" in action with Bolshevik ships on the 8th December, 1918.

Lieut. Alexander Guy Berners Wilson, R.N. For distinguished services in command of the "Asia" in action with Bolshevik destroyers on the 19th April, 1919, and off Fort Alexandrovsk on the 21st May, 1919.

Act. Payr. Lieut. Herbert Guy Pertwee, R.N.

For distinguished services as Secretary to Commander David T. Norris, C.B., Senior Naval Officer, Caspian Sea.

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieut. George Maxwell Robertson, R.N.R. For distinguished services in command of the "Slava" at the bombardment of Staro Terechnaya and subsequently in command of the "Sergie."

Lieut. Arthur Brocklebank Lee, R.N.R. For distinguished services in the "Venture" at the bombardment of Staro Terechnaya, and in action off Fort Alexandrovsk on the 21st May, 1919.

Eng. Lieut. Thomas Gardner, R.N.
For distinguished services in the "Emile Nobel" during the action off Fort Alexandrovsk on the 21st May, 1919.

Surg. Lieut. Alan Andreas Cockayne, R.N. For distinguished services under fire as Medical Officer of the "Zoraster," "Venture" and "Emile Nobel" in action off Fort Alexandrovsk on the 21st May, 1919.

Mate Alfred Maguire, R.N. For distinguished services in the "Asia" in action with Bolshevik destroyers on the 19th April, 1919, and off Fort Alexandrovsk on the 21st May, 1919.

To receive a Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieut. Robert Mitchell Taylor, D.S.C., R.N.
For distinguished services in the "Emile Nobel " in action off Fort Alexandrovsk on the 21st May, 1919.

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

Ldg. Sea. Mark Bell, O.N. 238463 (Ch.).

P.O. Arthur William Bigg, O.N. 206075 (Po.). A.B. James William Burgen, O.N. J9063 (Ch.).

E.R.A., 4th Cl., William Alfred Carter, O.N. SS101524 (R.F.R.Ch./B6975).

A.B. Harry George Clark, O.N. J11231 (Ch.). P.O. William Frank Collins, O.N. J2387 (Po.). Sig. Edward William Cozens, O.N. J19005 (Po.).

Pte. Albert Ernest Crafts, R.M.L.I., No. Ply./8538.

Ldg. Sea. Michael John Heelan, O.N. 238551 (Ch.).

P.O. Charles Hobbs, O.N. J17733 (Ch.)

Arm's Mate Walter Jervis, O.N. M8088 (Ch.).

A.B. John Long, O.N. J24927 (Ch.).

A.B. John Thomas Long, O.N. 235627 (Ch.). Ldg. Sea. Francis Macdonald, O.N. J12031 (Dev.).

A.B. Albert Martin, O.N. 223669 (Dev.).

Sto. P.O. Percy Edward Searle, O.N. K15061. (Dev.).

P.O. John William Thompson, O.N. 239958 (Ch.)

S.B.A. Reginald George Young, O.N. M21585 (Po.).

To receive a Bar to the Distinguished Service Medal.

P.O. Harry Dickason, D.S.M., O.N. 209527 (Ch.).

P.O. Charles Henry Price, D.S.M., O.N. 238628 (Ch.).

To receive the Meritorious Service Medal.

P.O. Roland Gordon Hocking, O.N. J12249 (Dev.).

P.O. Teleg. John Hughes, O.N. J7163 (Dev.). Act. Arm's Mate Arthur Wood Jones, O.N. M7002 (Dev.);

P.O. George Scattergood, O.N. 225552 (Po.) P.O. Edward Robert Shields, O.N. 229159 (Dev.).

P.O. George Skingsley, O.N. 193732 (Ch.). P.O. Harry Tickner, O.N. 239071 (Ch.).

The following Officers and Men have been mentioned in despatches:-

Eng. Cdr. Francis Blake O'Dogherty, C.M.G., Ř.N.

Surg. Lieut.-Cdr. George Gordon Vickery, O.B.E., M.B., B.A., R.N.

Lieut. Charles Gray Pitcairn Jones, R.N.

Lieut. William Rudolph Slayter, D.S.C., R.N.

Lieut. Ernest Dunbar Davies, R.N.R.

Lieut. George Louis Nicolle, R.N.R.

Lieut. Albert Henry Robinson, R.N.V.R. Act. Lieut. John Blaxland Woolley, D.S.C., R.N.

Act. Lieut. Harold Harding, R.N.R. Act. Payr. Lieut. David Thomas Griffiths, R.N.

Sub-Lieut. Richard John Edward Daintree, R.N.

Sub-Lieut. Edward James Nicolle, R.N.R. Act. Sub-Lieut. (act.) David William Weale,

Act. Art. Eng. James Douglas Carden Bon-ham, D.S.M., R.N.

Mid. Thomas Grundy, R.N.R.

Payr. Mid. James Frederick Patrick Thorn-

hill, R.N. te. Frank Barraclough, R.M.L.I., No.  ${f Pte}.$ Ch./17210.

Ldg. Sig. Albert Braham, O.N. J6244 (Dev.). Colr.-Sergt. John Brooker, R.M.L.I., No. Ch./14087.

Ldg. Sto. John Clayton, R.N.R., O.N. 5864 S.

E.R.A. Robert O.N. 1653 E.A. Robert William Cubbin, R.N.R.,

A.B. Percival Ernest Drain, O.N. J22512 (Dev.).

Ch. Motor Mech. Edward Emms, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.2420.

Arm. William Ennis, O.N. M3816 (Ch.).

Pte. Edward Firth, R.M.L.I., No. Ch./15006.

Ord. Sea. Francis Ralph Green, O.N. J17170 (Ch.).

Shipwt., 2nd Cl., Alfred Hannaford, O.N. M13711 (Dev.).

Ldg. Teleg. William Mackenzie, O.N. J41198 (Ch.).

P.O. Richard William Marsh, O.N. J6031 (Ch.).

A.B. Thomas Henry Pinder, O.N. J25342 (Po.).

Corpl. Arthur John Regan, R.M.L.I., No. Po./15304.

Offr's. Std., 1st Cl., Xavier Rego.

A.B. Robert James Smith, O.N. J68451 (Ch.). Ldg. Sig. William Stevens, O.N. J5166 (Ch.). P.O. Teleg. Alexander Towers, O.N. J8162 (Dev.).

Ch. Sto. Herbert Cecil Tucker, O.N. 284513 (Dev.).

Honours for Services in the Mine Clear-ANCE FORCE BETWEEN THE 1ST JANUARY AND 30TH JUNE, 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the following decoration and medals to the undermentioned Officer and Men:-

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross. William Isaac Catchpole, R.N.R., Skpr. 2824S.A.

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal. Engmn. Alfred Boes, R.N.R., O.N. 3500E.S. Sto. P.O. Joseph Pullen, O.N. K4363 (Po.).

The undermentioned Officer and Men have been mentioned in despatches:

Skpr. Leonard Joseph Gates, R.N.R., 1633  $\bar{\mathbf{W}}.\mathbf{S}.\mathbf{A}$ .

C.P.O. Edward Patrick Butler, O.N. 155523

(Po.). C.P.O. Frederick John Dart, O.N. 169028 (Po.).

HONOURS FOR SERVICES IN THE MINE CLEARANCE FORCE SUBSEQUENT TO THE 30TH June, 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to. approve of the award of the following honour, decorations and medals to the undermentioned Officers and Men:

To be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order.

Lieut. (act. Lieut.-Cdr.) John Dalglash Hindmarsh, D.S.C., R.N.R.

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross. Lieut. Heneage Cecil Legge, R.N. Lieut. James Leo Fitzpatrick, R.N.R. Lieut. Robert Bonar Roberts, R.N.R. Lieut. Duncan McLachlan, R.N.R

Act. Lieut. Leonard Charles Orman, R.N. Mate Arthur George Graham, R.N.

To receiv · the Distinguished Service Medal.

Yeo. Sigs. William James Brownell, O.N. 225662 (Ch.).

A.B. Stanley Dove Caris, O.N. J47063 (Dev.). C.P.O. Samuel Craddock, O.N. 172212 (Dev.). William Gordon, R.N.R., Engmn. 5250T.S.

2nd hnd. Frederick John Heyburn, R.N.R., O.N. 18955D.A.

2nd hnd. Donald Macdonald, R.N.R., O.N. 4254S.D.

Dkhnd. George Reid, R.N.R., O.N. 7979D.A. Ldg. Sig. Charles Alfred Sampson, O.N. J̃12934 (Ch.).

C.E.R.A. James Aaron White, O.N. M12901 (Ch.).

To receive the Meritorious Service Medal. 2nd hnd. Benjamin Ernest Brooks. R.N.R.,

O.N. 2991 D.A.

Ldg. Sig. Albert Edward Edwards, O.N. 225965 (Po.). Yeo. Sigs. Harry Jones, O.N. 226629 (Po.).

Ch. Motor Mech. John James Kearns,. R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.543.

2nd Writer Ernest Arthur Lees, O.N. M5381. (Dev.).

Ch. Sto. Samuel McLellan, O.N. 303070 (Ch.)... C.E.R.A. William Charles Raleigh Smith,. O.N. 271856 (Ch.).

The following Officers and Men have been. mentioned in despatches:-

Lieut.-Cdr. Spencer Francis Russell, R.N. Lieut. Kenneth Morland Greig, R.N.

Lieut. Roy Exton, R.N.V.R.

Eng. Lieut. John Irvine, R.N.R.

Eng. Lieut. James Jack Andrews, R.N.R. Mate Charles James Jarrett, R.N.

Warrt. Mechn. Richard Ernest Hodges, R.N. Engmn. Alfred Edwin Aspinall, R.N.R.,. O.N. 179 E.S.

Trmr. Jack Bramhill, R.N.R., O.N. 2686

C.P.O. Sydney Harold Everard Bull, O.N. 193521 (Ch.)

Ord. Sea. Claude William Hart, O.N. J8248L (Po.).

C.E.R.A., 2nd Cl., Alfred Richard Nicholls, O.N. 270875 (Po.).

Ch. Motor Mech. Reginald Horace Osborne, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.237. C.E.R.A., 2nd Cl., Edgar Fullford Peters,

O.N. 271249 (Po.).

Sto., 1st Cl., Stanley George Pitchor, O.N. K8034 (Po.).

Sto. P.O. Charles Pscinga, O.N. M.C.791. A.B. Albert George Sandy, O.N. J40115. (Ch.).

Engmn. Archibald MacGregor Still, R.N.R., O.N. 430 T.S.

William C.E.R.A. Eric Wheeler, O.N. M9384 (Ch.).

Ldg. Sea. William Wilmshurst, R.N.V.R., Ö.N. (Sussex) Z248.

HONOURS FOR MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.

The KING has been graciously pleased toapprove of the award of the following honour and medals to the undermentioned Officer and Men:---

To be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order.

Eng. Sub-Lieut. William Louis Reed, R.N.R. For gallant and distinguished services asa volunteer in H.M.S. "Julnar" on the 24th April, 1916, when that vessel attempted to reach Kut-El-Amarah with stores for the besieged garrison.

To receive the Conspicuous Gallantry Medal.

E.R.A., 2nd Cl., Alexander R.N.V.R., O.N. (Mersey) 23/182. Murphy,

For most conspicuous gallantry as a volunteer in H.M.S. "Julnar" on the 24th April, 1916, when that vessel attempted to reach Kut-El-Amarah with stores for the besieged garrison:

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1st Cl., William Rowbottom, O.N. J2953 (Ch.).

For most conspicuous gallantry as a volunteer in H.M.S. "Julnar" on the 24th April, 1916, when that vessel attempted to reach Kut-El-Amarah with stores for the besieged garrison.

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

A.B. Herbert Blanchard, O.N. J13427 (Po.).

A.B. William Bond, O.N. J8490 (Dev.).

Ldg. Sto. Herbert Cooke, O.N. K6470 (Ch.).

Sea. John Featherbe, R.N.R., O.N. 6973A.

Sto., 1st Cl., George William Forshaw, O.N. K18513 (Dev.).

Sto., 1st Cl., Samuel Fox, O.N. S.S.110714 (Po.).

A.B. Harry Ledger, O.N. J9539 (Dev.).

1st Cl., Charles Thirkill, O.N. S.S. 115464 (Dev.).

A.B. Alfred Loveridge Veale, O.N. 215734 (R.F.R. Dev./B5936).

A.B. Montagu Williams, O.N. J44546 (Ch.).

To receive a Bar to the Distinguished Service Order.

Cdr. Archibald Douglas Cochrane, D.S.O., R.N.

In recognition of the determination, spirit and resource displayed by him on the occasion of a successful attempt to escape from the prison camp at Yozgad, August, 1918.

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal. Ldg. Sea. Alfred Francis Richards, O.N. 188268 (Dev.).

To receive the Meritorious Service Medal. Act. P.O. Georgei Lange, R.N.V.R., O.N.  ${f R}6831.$ 

P.O. Frederick Charles Newton, O.N. J11036 (Po.).

#### Foreign Decorations.

The following decorations have been conforred by the Allied Powers on Officers of the British Naval Forces for distinguished services during the War:-

His Majesty the KING has given unrestricted penmission to the Officers concerned to wear the decorations in question.

DECORATION CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

#### CROIX DE GUERRE.

Cdr. Victor L. A. Campbell, D.S.O., O.B.E., R.N.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE King of the Belgians.

ORDER OF THE CROWN.

Officer.

Capt. Bertram H. Smith, C.B.E., R.N. Cdr. John A. Leighton, C.B.E., D.S.O.,

DECORATION CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF THE HELLENES.

ORDER OF THE REDEEMER.

Officer.

Cdr. Edward L. Grieve, R.N.

DECORATION CONFERRED BY HIS HIGHNESS THE SULTAN OF ZANZIBAR.

ORDER OF THE BRILLIANT STAR OF ZANZIBAR. Third Class.

Capt. (act.) John A. Ingles, R.N.

In Gazette of the 27th June, 1919, page 8067, col. 2, for Warrant Shipwright Alfred Blake, R.N., read Warrant Shipwright Harry Blake, R.N.

In Gazette of the 4th July, 1919, page 8385, col. 2, and page 8386, col. 3, delete the following names, which have already appeared in the Gazette of 3rd June, 1919:-

Sergt. Stewart Windross Buckle, R.M.L.C., No. Deal/8502 S.

Sergt. (Act. Qrmr.-Sergt., W.O. II.) James Clark, D.M.L.I., No. Po./13295.

Colr.-Sergt. (Act. Sergt.-Maj., W.O. I.) Alfred Mason Eade, R.M.L.I., 'No. Ch./13998.

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Sergt. Maj., W.O. I., Daniel Edward Eccles, R.M.L.I., No. Ch./8648.

Sergt. Maj., W.O. I., George Parsons Hann, R.M.L.I., No. Ply./7650.

Colr. Sergt. (Act. Sergt. Maj., W.O. I.) James Herbert, R.M.L.I., No. Po./8488.

Qrmr. Sergt., W.O. II., William Snape, R.M.L.I., No. Ply./7315.

In Gazette of the 11th August, 1919, page 10198, col. 1, for Lieutenant James Richard Plowden Clarke, R.N.V.R., read Lieutenant James Richard Plomer Clarke, R.N.V.R.

In Gazette of the 16th September, 1919, page 11582, col. 1, for Payr. Sub-Lieut. Richard John Davies, R.N.V.R., read Act.

Payr. Lieut. Richard John Davies, R.N.V.R. In Gazette of the 17th October, 1919, page 12782, col. 2, for Lieut. Cdr. Sir George E. Armstrong, Bt., C.M.G., R.N., read Cdr. Sir George E. Armstrong, Bt., C.M.G., R.N.

In Gazette of the 17th October, 1919, page 12783, col. 1, for Cdr. John M. Fraser, R.N.V.R., read Capt. (Act.) Sir J. Malcolm Fraser, R.N.V.R.

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