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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.
30th September, 1941.*

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 Commander of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Captain John Hereward Edelsten, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Shropshire.

For skill and judgment in operations off the coast of Italian East Africa.

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

Commander Charles Lindsey Keighly-Peach, D.S.O., Royal Navy, H.M.S. Eagle.

For skill and judgment in directing the operations which led to the sinking or scuttling of the Italian Destroyer Force in Red Sea.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.
30th September, 1941.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the following Award of the British

Empire Medal (Military Division) for bravery in carrying urgent despatches on foot in an air raid:

Wren Pamela Betty McGeorge, 7260, W.R.N.S.

ADMIRALTY.

Whitehall.

30th September, 1941.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following Appointments to the Distinguished Service Order, and to approve the following Awards:

For daring, enterprise and coolness in taking H.M. Submarine Regent into the port of Kotor to try to embark His Britannic Majesty's Envoy-Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary accredited to the Government of Yugoslavia, and in keeping her there for nine hours though surrounded by large forces of the Italian Army:

To be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order:

Lieutenant-Commander Hugh Christopher Browne, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Regent.

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieutenant (E) Horace Gerald Southwood, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Regent.

Sub-Lieutenant William St. George Anderson, R.N.R., H.M.S. Regent.

Bar to the Distinguished Service Medal.

Petty Officer Francis Arthur Young, D.S.M.,
P/J.108167, H.M.S. Regent.

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Petty Officer Albert George Biddle, P/J.114128,
H.M.S. Regent.
Stoker Petty Officer Albert Alfred Penfold,
P/KX.78154, H.M.S. Regent.
Leading Telegraphist William Harold Diggins,
C/JX.137576, H.M.S. Regent.

Mention in Despatches.

Temporary Acting Stoker Petty Officer Nathan
Coulc, C/K.64804, H.M.S. Regent.
Engine Room Artificer Second Class Edward
Thomas Starrett, D/MX.48345, H.M.S.
Regent.
Engine Room Artificer Third Class William
Thomas Follows, C/MX.50645, H.M.S.
Regent.
Leading Stoker Edward Arthur Grace, C/KX.
84193, H.M.S. Regent.
Leading Stoker Albert James Starling, P/KX.
81600, H.M.S. Regent.
Able Seaman John William Packer, C/J.
105571, H.M.S. Regent.
Able Seaman William Ernest Underhill, D/J.
109775, H.M.S. Regent.

For bravery, skill and tenacity in many
hazardous operational flights in the protec-
tion of Shipping:

*To be a Companion of the Distinguished
Service Order:*

Temporary Lieutenant Robert William Hanmer
Everett, R.N.V.R.

For skill and enterprise in the recapture
of Berbera:

*To be a Companion of the Distinguished
Service Order:*

Captain Harold Hickling, Royal Navy, H.M.S.
Glasgow.

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Commander Maurice Lloyd Vernon, O.B.E.,
Royal Navy (Retired), H.M.S. Sheba.

Mention in Despatches.

Lieutenant-Commander John Sutherland Black,
Royal Navy (Retired), H.M.S. Sheba.
Lieutenant Roger Wake, Royal Navy, H.M.S.
Glasgow.
Mr. Walter Samuel Gray, Warrant Shipwright,
Royal Navy.
Chief Petty Officer Leonard Jenner, C/J.21933,
H.M.S. Chakdina.
Temporary Acting Petty Officer John Emms,
P/JX.145051, H.M.S. Glasgow.
Able Seaman Michael Terence Crennell,
P/JX.157054, H.M.S. Glasgow.

For skill and enterprise in action against
Enemy Submarines:

*To be a Companion of the Distinguished
Service Order:*

Commander Edward Tyndale Cooper, Royal
Navy, H.M.S. Wishart.

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieutenant Richard George Damyon Keddie,
Royal Navy, H.M.S. Wishart.

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Chief Engine Room Artificer Edward Thomas
Albert Jolliffe, P/M.37673, H.M.S. Wishart.
Acting Petty Officer James Loughran, P/SSX.
15289, H.M.S. Wishart.
Ordinary Seaman Robert Frank Aquila Sharp,
P/JX.205814, H.M.S. Wishart.

Mention in Despatches.

Lieutenant Alexander Ian Merritt, Royal Navy,
H.M.S. Wishart.
Chief Stoker Bertie Reginald Davis, P/K.
59042, H.M.S. Wishart.
Acting Leading Stoker Frank Rusling,
P/KX.91638, H.M.S. Wishart.
Able Seaman Hugh McConnachie, P/JX.
157173, H.M.S. Wishart.
Signalman Edward William Day, P/JX.
164794, H.M.S. Wishart.

For courage, skill and determination in
sinking or causing the scuttling of the Italian
Destroyer Force in the Red Sea:

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Sub-Lieutenant (A) Sydney Hal Suthers, Royal
Navy, H.M.S. Eagle.
Acting Sub-Lieutenant (A) Eric Sergeant,
R.N.V.R., H.M.S. Eagle.

Mention in Despatches.

Sub-Lieutenant (A) James Leslie Cullen, Royal
Navy, H.M.S. Eagle.
Acting Sub-Lieutenant (A) Edward Elliott
Barringer, R.N.V.R., H.M.S. Eagle.
Acting Sub-Lieutenant (A) Samuel Stanley
Laurie, R.N.V.R., H.M.S. Eagle.
Petty Officer Airman Charles Frederick Beeton,
FAA/FX.76496, H.M.S. Eagle.
Leading Airman Charles Philip Hector
Baldwin, D/FX.76555, H.M.S. Eagle.

For courage and skill in rescuing under fire
the crew of an aircraft which had made a
forced landing.

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieutenant James Hamilton Dundas, Royal
Navy, H.M.S. Hermes.

Mention in Despatches.

Sub-Lieutenant (A) Geoffrey Rolfe Coy, Royal
Navy, H.M.S. Hermes.
Acting Leading Airman Lionel Ernest Lasson,
FAA/FX.76297, H.M.S. Hermes.

For coolness and resource:

Mention in Despatches.

Acting Leading Stoker Harold John Mackinnon,
P/KX.89907.

For good services in action against Enemy
Submarines:

Mention in Despatches.

Lieutenant-Commander Denys Arthur Rayner,
D.S.C., R.N.V.R., H.M.S. Verbena.

For good services when their ships were attacked by Enemy Aircraft:

Mention in Despatches.

Seaman Thomas Matthew Dunn, LT/JX. 185321, H.M.T. Pine.
Seaman Samuel McRea, LT/JX.185345, H.M.T. Blackthorn.
Seaman Robert Charles Pinder, LT/JX. 210874, H.M.T. Blackthorn.
Seaman Hector John Francis Tucker, LT/JX. 186730, H.M.T. Blackthorn.

For good services in operations off the coast of Italian East Africa:

Mention in Despatches.

Acting Commander Martin Henry St. Leger Nott, O.B.E., Royal Indian Navy.
Lieutenant-Commander Meyrick Frederick Legge Beebee, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Shropshire.
Lieutenant-Commander Rodney Mylius Spencer, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Hawkins.
Lieutenant-Commander John William Radcliffe Thompson, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Shropshire.

Lieutenant Thomas McVey, R.N.R., H.M.S. Hawkins.
Lieutenant Joseph Frank Twite, R.N.R., H.M.S. Hermes.
Lieutenant (E) Robert Charles Heurtley Reed, R.N.R., H.M.S. Hermes.
Sub-Lieutenant John Herman Churchill Sim, R.N.V.R. (Kenya).
Chief Petty Officer Jack Wheeler, C/J.96152, H.M.S. Shropshire.
Chief Petty Officer Telegraphist William Thomas Flewers, C/J.80236, H.M.S. Shropshire.
Chief Ordnance Artificer Sidney William Cole, C/M.35376, H.M.S. Shropshire.
Petty Officer George Herbert White, D/J. 82171, H.M.S. Hermes.
Petty Officer Telegraphist James Harrison, C/JX.133083.
Acting Petty Officer Telegraphist Walter Swaddle, D/JX.134936.
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