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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1.

1st September, 1942.

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

For skill and resource when H.M.S. Eagle was flying off fighter reinforcements for Malta:—

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

Captain Edmund Gerard Noel Rushbrooke, D.S.C., Royal Navy.

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

Wing-Commander John Sterling McLean, D.F.C., 32230, Royal Air Force.

For bravery and devotion to duty:

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

Temporary Lieutenant Andres Collard Dalmedo Coombes, R.N.R.

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1st September, 1942.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal, (Military division), for bravery when a fire broke out in one of H.M. Ships, to:

Seaman Jack Thomas Parker, LT/JX.242668, R.N.P.S.

ADMIRALTY.

Whitehall.

1st September, 1942.

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

For bravery and resolution in H.M. Ships Antelope, Badsworth, Bedouin, Blankney, Cairo, Eagle, Hebe, Ithuriel, Liverpool, Marne, Matchless, Middleton, Partridge and Westcott, while escorting an important Convoy to Malta:

Bar to the Distinguished Service Order:

Acting Captain Cecil Campbell Hardy, D.S.O.

Lieutenant-Commander Philip Frederick Powlett, D.S.O., D.S.C., Royal Navy.

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order:

Commander Bryan Gouthwaite Scurfield, A.M., O.B.E., Royal Navy.

Lieutenant-Commander William Alan Frank Hawkins, O.B.E., D.S.C., Royal Navy.

Lieutenant-Commander David Hugh Maitland-Makgill-Creighton, D.S.C., Royal Navy.

Lieutenant-Commander John Mowlam, Royal Navy.

Lieutenant-Commander Hugh Nicholas Aubyn Richardson, D.S.C., Royal Navy.

Acting Temporary Lieutenant-Commander (A) Rupert Arnold Brabner, M.P., R.N.V.R.

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieutenant Frederick Richard Arnold Turnbull, Royal Navy.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (A) Godfrey Woodbine Parish, R.N.V.R.

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Chief Air Artificer Frank Ellis Merwood, FAA/FX.75959.

Leading Air Mechanic John Alfred Humphries, FAA/FX.76009.

Leading Air Mechanic William John Souter, FAA/FX.76445.

Mention in Despatches.

Captain Edmund Gerard Noel Rushbrooke, D.S.C., Royal Navy.

Captain William Rudolph Slayter, D.S.C., Royal Navy.

Commander Ian Hamilton Bockett-Pugh, D.S.O., Royal Navy.

Lieutenant-Commander David Charles Kinloch, Royal Navy.

Lieutenant-Commander Erroll Norman Sinclair, Royal Navy.

Lieutenant-Commander George Mowatt, R.D., R.N.R.

Acting Temporary Lieutenant-Commander Eric John Strowlger, R.N.V.R.

Lieutenant Gordon Thomas Seccombe Gray, D.S.C., Royal Navy.

Lieutenant John Edward Poulden, Royal Navy.

These Appointments and Awards form a first short list in recognition of those whose gallantry and good services in this action have so far been brought to notice. Such further Awards as His Majesty may be graciously pleased to make will be published in a subsequent issue of this Gazette.

For bravery and skill while minesweeping:
*To be a Companion of the Distinguished
Service Order.*

Acting Commander Geoffrey Noel Rawlings,
Royal Navy.

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Temporary Lieutenant John Giles Raven,
R.N.V.R.
Skipper John William Howard, 2921, W.S.,
R.N.R.

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Second Hand George Bell Smith Watson,
Lt/JX.184542.
Engineman James McBain, LT/KX.124950.
Stoker 2nd Class Frederick Harold Murrell,
LT/KX.148972.

Mention in Despatches.

Temporary Lieutenant Gordon Bevington
Jones, R.N.V.R.
Skipper William Francis Somers, 2948 W.S.,
R.N.R.

Chief Engineman William Morris Bowns,
LT/KX.115524.

Engineman William Bruce, LT/KX.125152.
Engineman James McKay, LT/KX.100849.
Engineman Walter Stanley Nicholson, LT/KX.
116733.

Engineman Jestyar Steer, X.3175U, R.N.R.
Leading Seaman Thomas Alfred Cowling,
LT/JX.190138.

Leading Wireman Gordon Bradley, P/MX.
63575.

Leading Wireman John William Lacey,
C/MX.63870.

Wireman Cyril Norman Humphrys, C/MX.
76648.

For bravery in many air operations from
Malta:

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Temporary Lieutenant William Neil Paton,
R.N.V.R.

For courage and devotion to duty at Mersa
Matruh:

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Mr. Leslie Herbert Sims, Acting Gunner (T),
Royal Navy.

For brave conduct when H.M.A.S. Wol-
longong was attacked by a Japanese aircraft.

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Petty Officer James Clement Burgess, 18855,
R.A.N.

For courage and devotion to duty during
an air raid on Darwin:

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Able Seaman Charles Douglas Scott, 22164,
R.A.N.

Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).

Leading Cook (O) Francis Bassett Emms,
18984, R.A.N.

Mention in Despatches.

Commander Laurence Ernest Tozer, Royal
Australian Navy.

Lieutenant-Commander Charles Frederick
Symonds, Royal Australian Navy.

Temporary Lieutenant Norman Montague
Muzzell, R.A.N.R.(S).

For good services when one of H.M. Motor
Launches was attacked by enemy aircraft:
Mention in Despatches.

Able Seaman Leo Francis Broad-Ashman,
D/SSX.27351.

For good services when a Merchantman
was attacked by enemy aircraft:
Mention in Despatches.

Able Seaman Arthur Cole, S.3820, R.A.N.

For good services in H.M.S. Eagle when
she was flying off fighter reinforcements to
Malta:

Mention in Despatches.

Lieutenant-Commander Humphrey Wilkinson
Metcalfe, Royal Navy (Retired).

Squadron Leader Herbert Valentine Hughes,
M.B.E., A.F.M., 35183, Royal Air Force.

Warrant Officer Dennis Alfred Connors,
361879, Royal Air Force.

For good services:

Mention in Despatches.

Able Seaman Alfred James Cole, P/JX.129800.
Able Seaman George Roy Smith, C/JX.220619.

The following corrections are made:—

In London Gazette Supplement No. 35268 of
9th September, 1941:

Page 5206:

For Sub-Lieutenant Christopher Bertram
Bidwell Watson, R.N.V.R.(S.A.).

Read Sub-Lieutenant Christopher Bertram
Bedwell Watson, R.N.V.R.(S.A.).

For Leading Seaman Harold Offer,
R.N.V.R.(S.A.), 66844.

Read Leading Seaman Harold Offer,
R.N.V.R.(S.A.), 66844.

For Stoker First Class James Mooney,
S.D.F.69632.

Read Stoker First Class James Richard
Mooney, S.D.F.69632.

In London Gazette Supplement No. 35604 of
23rd June, 1942:

Page 2753:

For Ordnance Artificer Third Class Harry
Prior, D/MX.54400.

Read Ordnance Artificer Third Class Harry
Pryor, D/MX.54400.

In London Gazette Supplement No. 35639 of
21st July, 1942:

Page 3201:

For Stoker Petty Officer Harry Anthony
Wright C/MX.79996.

Read Stoker Petty Officer Geoffrey Harry
Anthony Wright, C/KX.79996.

In London Gazette Supplement No. 35679
of 25th August, 1942:

Page 3717:

For Mr. John William Stuart Brooks, Chief
Officer.

Read Mr. John William Stewart Brooks,
Chief Officer.

Page 3719:

For Temporary Boom Skipper William
Sedgenick, R.N.R.

Read Temporary Lieutenant William
Sidgwick, R.N.V.R.

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