

Temporary Lieutenant (A) Francis LAWRENCE, R.N.V.R. (Streatham, London).  
 Chief Petty Officer Harry Edman IVES, LT/X.21726A (Hull, Yorks).  
 Chief Petty Officer Taylor JONES, P/J.112713 (Hamble, Hants).  
 Stoker Petty Officer William Robert RAGAN, P/KX.91465 (Shirley, Southampton).  
 Temporary Acting Leading Seaman Joseph John WYRILL, P/JX.231094 (Bradford, Yorks).  
 Able Seaman James WALSH, D/JX.393095 (Bolton, Lancs).

For gallantry and resolution whilst serving in H.M.A.S. Perth, lost by enemy action in the Far East on 1st March, 1945:

*Distinguished Service Cross.*

Surgeon Lieutenant-Commander Samuel Edward Lees STENING, M.D., F.C.R.S., F.R.A.C.S., R.A.N.R.  
 Lieutenant-Commander John Alexander HARPER, Royal Navy.  
 Lieutenant-Commander (S) Ralph Frank Marston LOWE, Royal Australian Navy.  
 Temporary Lieutenant (E) William Henry ROBERTS, Royal Australian Navy.

*Distinguished Service Medal.*

Stoker Petty Officer Jack McQUADE, 22449, R.A.N.  
 Sick Berth Petty Officer James CUNNINGHAM, 18755, R.A.N.  
 Petty Officer Horace Hilton ABBOTT, 18818, R.A.N.  
 Chief Petty Officer Telegraphist Harry Francis KNIGHT, 17467, R.A.N.  
 Electrical Artificer Third Class Arthur Henri KEISWETTER, 5460, R.A.N.  
 Engine Room Artificer First Class Joseph HUGHES, 14798, R.A.N.  
 Leading Cook (S) Thomas Stephen LARKIN, 20159, R.A.N.

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

Captain Hector Macdonald Laws WALLER, D.S.O., Royal Australian Navy.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Lieutenant Lloyd Thomas BURGESS, R.A.N.R. (S).  
 Sick Berth Attendant Andrew MITCHELL, P.A.1945, R.A.N.  
 Chief Petty Officer Cook (S) Robert Havelock BLAND, B.E.M., 13018, R.A.N.  
 Sick Berth Attendant Ernest James NOBLE, P.M.2205, R.A.N.  
 Band Corporal John Hammond COXHEAD, 19874, R.A.M.  
 Able Seaman Frederick Bead RAWSON, S.3282, R.A.N.  
 Stoker Valentine SAVAGE, 21514, R.A.N.  
 Yeoman of Signals Neil James BIDDELL, 20149, R.A.N.  
 Able Seaman Reginald Walter FARRINGTON, B.2212, R.A.N.  
 Stoker Frederick Ernest PARKE, W.1218, R.A.N.  
 Able Seaman Thomas Edward MOONEY, 6513, R.A.N.

For good services while Prisoners of War:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Lieutenant (A) William Shorrocks BUTTERWORTH, Royal Navy.

Temporary Lieutenant (A) David Miles LUBBOCK, R.N.V.R.  
 A.B. Thomas Dennis O'SHAUGHNESSY, D/SSX.20592.

For good services whilst attached to the Phillipine Sea Frontier in the repatriation of British Prisoners of War from the Far East:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Captain Barrington Lungley MOORE, Royal Navy.  
 Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander (S) Henry William TRAYNOR, R.A.N.V.R.

For great bravery when wounded in action in H.M.S. Anking, lost in the Far East on 3rd March, 1942. Having made his way to a boat he dived overboard to make room for others when it became overcrowded, and was not seen again:

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Philip Wallace SMITH, R.N.Z.N.V.R.

For good services whilst a Prisoner of War:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Acting Lieutenant John Stoneman Nelson PRYOR, Royal Navy.

For good services in S.S. Tjisalak sunk by enemy action in the Far East in March, 1944:

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

A/Petty Officer Alfred John ARNOLD, C/J.100688.  
 A/Able Seaman Fred DREWERY, D/JX.313081.  
 A/Able Seaman Albert FIELDHOUSE, D/JX.349907.  
 A/Able Seaman Fred MATHER, P/JX.236841.  
 A/Able Seaman Patrick Joseph O'BRIEN, C/JX.277936.  
 A/Able Seaman Fred PARRY, C/JX.550844.  
 Bombardier John Joseph BURNS, 3391333, Maritime Royal Artillery.

For courageous work in attempting to save H.M.S. Jarak after she had been torpedoed on her way to Batavia from Singapore in February, 1942:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Acting Temporary Petty Officer Frederick George Malcolm SPENCER, D/KX.183662.  
 Stoker First Class Alan Henry JONES, D/KX.127937.

For daring, initiative and resource whilst operating on the Japanese occupied Elizabeth Island in the Bay of Bengal in November, 1944:

*The Military Medal.*

Marine Aubrey Bertram CHAPPELL, EX.4371, Royal Marines.

For bravery and resolution under heavy fire from the enemy during an action in enemy coastal waters of the Channel while serving in H.M.M.G.B.603, on the night of 24-25th July, 1943:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Acting Leading Seaman Charles Ernest HARDY, C/JX.279564 (Doncaster, Yorks):