

The following Officers and men have been mentioned in Despatches:—

Sqdrn.-Cdr. Joseph Ruscombe Wadham Smyth-Pigott, D.S.O., R.N.
 Flt.-Cdr. Theodoré Douglas Hallam, D.S.C., R.N.A.S.
 Flt.-Sub-Lieut. John Roderick Ross, R.N.A.S.
 Mid. Edward Rupert Snow, R.N. (since killed).
 Air Mech., 1st Cl., Walter Thomas Hollidge, O.N. F.8633 (since died of injuries).

PROMOTION FOR SERVICE IN ACTION.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Cdr. Selwyn Mitchell Day, R.D., to be Capt.
 Dated 16th March 1917.

HONOURS TO THE MERCANTILE MARINE.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of Decorations and Medals to the undermentioned Officers and men of the British Mercantile Marine, in recognition of zeal and devotion to duty shown in carrying on the trade of the country during the war:—

To receive a Bar to the Distinguished Service Order.

Capt. Frederick Maude Maling, D.S.O. (Lieut., R.N.R.).

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.

Capt. William Frodsom.
 Capt. Stanley Cooper.

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

Ldg. Sea. Alexander M'Donald.

Mention.

Capt. Harold Smith.
 Capt. Thomas Morgan Hill.

FOREIGN DECORATIONS.

The following decorations have been conferred by the Allied Powers on Officers of the British Naval Forces for distinguished services rendered during the war:—

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

LEGION OF HONOUR.

Officer.

Capt. John F. Warton, R.N.

CROIX DE GUERRE.

Capt. Ambrose M. Peck, D.S.O., R.N.
 Capt. Edward R. G. R. Evans, C.B., D.S.O., R.N.
 Lieut. Francis C. Harrison, D.S.O., R.N.
 Lieut. Archibald Dayrell-Reed, D.S.O., R.N.R.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT.

ORDER OF SAINT VLADIMIR.

3rd Class (with Swords).

Rear-Adml. Thomas W. Kemp, C.B., C.I.E.

4th Class (with Swords).

Cdr. Oliver Locker-Lampson, M.P., R.N.V.R.
 Lieut. Ronald W. Blacklock, R.N.

ORDER OF SAINT ANNE.

3rd Class (with Swords).

Eng. Lieut.-Cdr. (Act. Eng. Cdr.) George W. Le Page, R.N.
 Eng. Lieut. Cecil Simpson, R.N.
 Asst. Payr. Marcus Blake, R.N.
 Sub-Lieut. Walter L. Crossing, R.N.V.R.

ORDER OF SAINT STANISLAS.

2nd Class (with Swords).

Lieut. Charles M. S. Chapman, D.S.C., R.N.
 Lieut. Guy T. Sholl, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.

3rd Class (with Swords).

Eng. Lieut.-Cdr. (Act. Eng.-Cdr.) George W. Le Page, R.N.
 Lieut. Norman E. Archer, R.N.
 Lieut. Edwin J. Couch, D.S.C., R.N.R.
 Sub-Lieut. George R. Turner, R.N.V.R.
 Sub-Lieut. Cecil H. Tatton-Tatton, R.N.V.R.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF ITALY.

ORDER OF SAINT MAURICE AND SAINT LAZARUS.

Officer.

Cdr. Alexander R. W. Woods, D.S.O., R.N.
 Cdr. James M. Pison, R.N.

ORDER OF THE CROWN OF ITALY.

Commander.

Rear-Adml. Stuart St. J. Farquhar.
 Capt. Douglas L. Dent, C.M.G., R.N.
 Capt. Hugh L. P. Heard, D.S.O., R.N.
 Capt. Ernest A. Taylor, R.N.

Cavalier.

Lieut. Cedric S. Holland, R.N.
 Asst. Payr. Alexander C. Winter, R.N.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF THE BELGIANS.

ORDER OF LEOPOLD.

Officer.

Capt. Stewart E. Forster, R.N.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF SERBIA.

ORDER OF SAINT SAVA.

Officer.

Capt. Hubert Stansbury, R.N.

ORDER OF KARA GEORGE.

4th Class (with Swords).

Lieut. Edward H. Young, M.P., R.N.V.R.

His Majesty the KING has given unrestricted permission to the Officers concerned to wear the Decorations in question.

CORRECTION.

The following correction is made in the list of Officers awarded a Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross published in Edinburgh Gazette of 15th May 1917, page 936:—

For Lieut. Walter Leonard Scott, D.S.C., R.N.R. (since drowned), read Lieut. Walter Larmond Scott, D.S.C., R.N.R. (since drowned).