# Chancery of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Downing Street,

26th October 1918.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George :---

To be an Ordinary Member of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Distinguished Order :--

Major-General Edward Northey, C.B., on appointment to be Governor and Commanderin-Chief of the East Africa Protectorate and High Commissioner for the Zanzibar Protectorate.

#### Chancery of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Downing Street, 29th October 1918.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George for services rendered in connection with Military Operations in France and Mesopotamia. Dated 3rd June 1918 :--

To be an Additional Member of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Distinguished Order :--

- Maj.-Gen. Hon. Alan Richard Montagu-Stuart-Wortley, C.B., D.S.O.
- To be Additional Members of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Distinguished Order :---

Lt.-Col. and Bt. Col. (T./Brig.-Gen.) George Lewis Holdsworth, C.B., Ret. Pay.

Temp. Hon. Maj. Varaztad H. Kazanjian, Harvard Unit, attd. No. 20 Genl. Hospl.

## Scottish Office, Whitehall, 29th October 1918.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Mr. Robert Francis Leslie Blackburn, K.C., to be one of the Senators of the College of Justice in Scotland, in the room of the Honourable Lord Johnston, resigned.

#### Whitehall, 26th October 1918.

The KING has been pleased to award the Albert Medal to Second Lieutenant Frank Herbert Calverley, Royal Engineers, in recognition of his gallantry in saving life in July last. The circumstances are as follows :--

In France, on the night of the 19th July 1918, Lieutenant Calverley was in charge of a party of men unloading 4-inch Stokes gas bombs from limbers, when he noticed that the safety lever on one of the bombs had been broken and that the fuze was burning. Regardless of personal danger, he at once rushed forward and picked up the bomb, fully realising the disaster that would inevitably occur should it explode amongst the men and horses. He carried it to leeward of the dump, where it burst, wounding him in several places. But for his prompt and gallant action there would have been numerous gas casualties and, in all probability, loss of life.

## Admiralty, 29th October 1918.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Albert Medal for gallantry in saving life at sea to

## Surg.-Lieut. William Fryer Harvey, R.N.

The account of the services in respect of which this decoration has been conferred is as follows :----

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On the 28th June 1918 two of H.M. torpedoboat destroyers were in collision, and Surg.-Lieut. Harvey was sent on board the more seriously damaged destroyer in order to render assistance to the injured. On hearing that a stoker petty officer was pinned by the arm in a damaged compartment, Surg.-Lieut. Harvey immediately went down and amputated the arm, this being the only means of freeing the petty officer. The boiler-room at the time was flooded, and full of fumes from the escaping oil. This alone constituted a great danger to anyone in the compartment, and Surg.-Lieut. Harvey collapsed from this cause after performing the operation, and had to be hauled out of the compartment. Moreover, at any time the ship might have broken in two, and all hands were fallen in on deck, wearing lifebelts, at the time, in order to be ready for this eventuality. Surg.-Lieut. Harvey displayed the greatest gallantry and disregard of his personal safety in descending into the damaged compartment and continuing to work there amidst the oil fumes at a time when the ship was liable to sink.

### Admiralty, 29th October 1918.

HONOURS FOR SERVICES IN SUBMARINES.

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

#### To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order.

Lieut.-Cdr. Brownlow Villiers Layard, R.N. Lieut.-Cdr. Reginald Burnard Darke, R.N. Lieut.-Cdr. John Graham Bower, R.N.

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross. Lieut. Ronald William Blacklock, R.N.

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

E.R.A., 1st Cl., Percy Holt Biddle, O.N. 270131 (Ch.).

Ldg. Sea. Frederick George Castle, O.N. 294977 (Ch.).

- Ldg. Sig. William Charlton, O.N. 223386 (Dev.). E.R.A., 2nd Cl., Frederick Heron, O.N. 343768
- (Ch.). E.R.A., 3rd Cl., Richard Honeywell, O.N. M11064 (Dev.).
- Sto. P.O. Albert William Hopton, O.N. 294505 (Po.).
- A.B. Herbert John M'Creedy, O.N. 238018 (Ch.).