

saving of over 600 lives which would otherwise have certainly been lost. His performance was a remarkable one, and in personal courage, coolness, and seamanship ranks in the very highest order.

*To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.*

Lieut. Raymond Benson Stewart, R.N.

H.M.S. "Mounsey." For gallantry when H.M.S. "Otranto" was wrecked on the 6th October 1918.

Capt. Richard Burton, R.M.L.I.

In recognition of his services as Adj. of the Allied Naval Brigade in North Russia between the 14th August and 28th November 1918, when he carried out very difficult work in a most successful manner.

Lieut. Daniel Fedotoff White, R.N.V.R.

On the 18th August 1918, at Seltzo, with a few marines landed and captured an enemy battery. When acting in command of one of H.M. river gunboats at Borocovsko, on the 20th August 1918, in an action with enemy gunboats, kept his gunboat under fire while repairing his guns in order to cover the retreat of our troopships, showing a fine example of coolness and devotion to duty. He has throughout the operations in Northern Russia done exceptionally good work as Intelligence Officer.

Sub-Lieut. Wilfrid Edmund Warner, R.N.

H.M.S. "Mounsey." For gallantry when H.M.S. "Otranto" was wrecked on the 6th October 1918.

Skpr. John Stanley Higgs, R.N.R., 888.A.

In recognition of his services in the White Sea since 1916, where he has been continuously employed on Patrol work and Mine-sweeping.

*To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.*

Ldg. Sig. Albert Ernest Callaway, O.N. J.6814 (Ch.).

Cho. Sto. William Cull, O.N. 170056 (Po.).

C.P.O. Thomas Duckham, O.N. 172570 (Dev.).

Shipwt., 1st Cl., William Arthur Griffith, O.N. 345884 (Ch.).

E.R.A., 3rd Cl., Thomas Harold Hodge, O.N. M.2244 (Dev.).

Act. Sto. P.O. Arthur Frank Kent, O.N. K.10697 (Po.).

Pte. Walter Marriott, R.M.L.I., No. Po./16910.

2nd hnd. Gilbert Charles Mercer, R.N.R., O.N. 4305B.

Yeo. Sigs. Frederick Robert Russell, O.N. 217728 (Po.).

Ldg. Sea. Reginald Alfred Seagell, O.N. J.27336 (Dev.).

Sto. P.O. Sidney William Shillabeer, O.N. 307666 (Dev.).

Sto. P.O. Frederick John Watts, O.N. 298137 (Dev.).

C.E.R.A., 1st Cl., Charles Frederick Wilkins, O.N. 268206 (Ch.).

*To receive the Meritorious Service Medal.*

Ord. Sea. John Dinning, O.N. J.44968 (Dev.).

The following Officers and Men have been mentioned in despatches:—

Capt. Logan Sutherland Stansfeld, C.M.G., R.N.

Cdr. Geoffrey Corlett, R.N.

Cdr. Basil Richard Poe, R.N.

Eng. Lieut.-Cdr. George Herbert Turrall, R.N.

Surg. Lieut.-Cdr. George Deleval Walsh, R.N.

Lieut. John Robert Taylor, R.N.R.

Lieut. John Patterson, R.N.V.R.

Gnr. David Stafford, R.N.

A.B. John Dick Brown, O.N. J.34453 (Dev.).

C.E.R.A., 1st Cl., Alexander Cunningham, O.N. 269705 (Dev.).

Pte. (Lce.-Corpl.) Herbert Edmund Facer, R.M.L.I., No. Po./15483.

Ch. Yeo. Sigs. Patrick Fahy, O.N. 199162 (Ch.).

Corpl. Frederick William Groves, R.M.A., No. 13074.

C.P.O. Cyril Henry Montagu Jacobs, R.N.V.R., O.N. London/A.A. 1833.

Dkhnd. Charles Jenkinson, R.N.R., O.N. 12745 D.A.

P.O. Arthur James Jolley, O.N. 227556 (Po.).

C.E.R.A., 1st Cl., James Macdonald, O.N. 269299 (Po.).

Sto., 1st Cl., William Munday, O.N. S.S.116582 (Dev.).

P.O. William Henry Pontin, O.N. 234221 (Dev.).

Sto., 1st Cl., John Robert Ryder, O.N. K.21543 (Dev.).

Pte. Robert Taylor, R.M.L.I., No. Po/16136.

Sto., 1st Cl., Nelson Tucker, O.N. K.33542 (Dev.).

Ch. Arm. Peter Walker, O.N. 345218 (Dev.).

A.B. George Wightman, O.N. J.34855 (Dev.).

Ldg. Sto. William George Woods, O.N. K.4188 (Dev.).

HONOURS FOR THE MERCANTILE MARINE

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

*To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.*

Ch. Engr. Ernest Richard Crafter.

2nd Offr. James M'Donald Dunbar.

The KING has further been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the names of the undermentioned Officers in the London Gazette as having received an expression of commendation for their services:—

Capt. Donald MacDonald.

Capt. William Manson.

Capt. Thomas Herbert Sidney Newton.

Capt. Robert Harley Potter.

Capt. Joseph Lambert Spratt.

Ch. Offr. George Herbert Waite.

1st Offr. Frederick John Burd.

Ch. Engr. Walter John Frederick.

Ch. Engr. Robert Gifford.

Ch. Engr. Harry Eugene Westhorp.

2nd Offr. James Goodwin.

FOREIGN DECORATIONS.

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

His Majesty the KING has given unrestricted