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SATURDAY, 21 SEPTEMBER, 1918.

Air Ministry, 21st September, 1918.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to confer the undermentioned rewards on Officers and other ranks of the Royal Air Force, in recognition of gallantry in flying operations against the enemy:—

AWARDED A BAR TO THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE ORDER.

Lieut: (T./Major) Raymond Collishaw, D.S.O., D.S.C., D.F.C. (late R.N.A.S.).

A brilliant squadron leader of exceptional daring, who has destroyed fifty-one enemy machines. Early one morning he, with another pilot, attacked an enemy aerodrome. Seeing three machines brought out of a burning hangar he dived five times, firing bursts at these from a very low altitude, and dropped bombs on the living quarters. He then saw an enemy aeroplane descending over the aerodrome; he attacked it and drove it down in flames. Later, when returning from a reconnaissance of the damaged hangars, he was attacked by three Albatross Scouts, who pursued him to our lines, when he turned and attacked one, which fell out of control and crashed

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Lieut. (Hon. Capt.) Bernard Arthur Smart. D.S.O. (Sea Patrol).

Led his flight for 160 miles over sea and land, and destroyed by bombs an important enemy airship shed. This service was carried out under exceptionally difficult circumstances, requiring great skill, and was most creditably performed.

(D.S.O. gazetted 2nd November, 1917.)

AWARDED THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE ORDER.

Lieut. (Hon. Capt.) William Forster Dickson (Sea Patrol).

Displayed great skill and gallantry on the occasion of a long-distance bombing raid. He succeeded in dropping bombs on an airship station from a low altitude with destructive effect, and although subjected to severe fire from the enemy obtained valuable information.

Captain (T./Major) David Edmund Stodart. D.F.C.

Whilst commanding a flight of the Royal Air Force the whole of the flying officers had become incapacitated through sickness or wounds, and their duties were then performed by himself, in addition to his