

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

- Lieut. William Goodenough Halliley, R.N.
(Prisoner of War interned in a neutral country.)
Lieut. Maurice John Bethell, R.N. (killed in action.)
A.B. Albert Henry Buckett, O.N. 196213 (Po.). (Prisoner of War.)
A.B. Herbert Frank Bunday, O.N. 220853 (Po.). (Prisoner of War.)
Ldg. Sea. Daniel McCarthy, D.S.M., O.N. J1868 (Dev.). Prisoner of War interned in a neutral country.)
Ldg. Sig. George Pankhurst, O.N. 229356 (Po.). (Prisoner of War.)
A.B. Walter James Read, O.N. 211726 (Po.) (killed in action).
Ldg. Sea. Randle George Shenton, O.N. J8164 (Po.). (Prisoner of War.)

ADDITIONAL AWARDS FOR SERVICES IN THE OPERATIONS AGAINST OSTEND ON THE NIGHT OF THE 9TH-10TH MAY, 1918.

The following further awards, in addition to those announced in the London Gazette of the 28th August, 1918, have been approved:—

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

- Sto., 1st Cl., Philippe Smithers, O.N., S.S. 117330 (Ch.). (Prisoner of War.)

To receive a Bar to the Distinguished Service Medal.

- Dkhnd. John Owen Thomas, D.S.M., R.N.R., O.N. 19056 D.A. (Prisoner of War.)

HONOURS FOR THE MERCANTILE MARINE.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of 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.

- Capt. Robert Liddle Allinson.
Capt. David Peregrine.

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

- Capt. Henry Bickerstaff.
Capt. William Alexander Johnstone.
Capt. James Sim.
Ch. Offr. John Weir Eaglesome.
Ch. Offr. Thomas Henry Jackson.
Ch. Offr. William Parry.
Ch. Offr. Hugh Lloyd Pritchard.
Ch. Offr. Robert Henry Roberts.
Ch. Engr. Joseph Anderson.
Ch. Engr. Marien Cloud.
Ch. Engr. John Crighton.
2nd Offr. Thomas Hughes.
2nd Offr. William Watson.
3rd Offr. Benjamin Marsden Dow.

- 2nd Engr. Frank Aubrey Evans.
3rd Engr. John Croeser Simmons.
4th Engr. Herbert John MacCallum.
Senr. W.T. Op. Edward Bamford (Dis. A. 823695).
2nd Std. Herbert Ridley Deighton (Dis. A. 792592).
Carp. Robert Vicars Wilson (Dis. A. 834712).

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 permission to the Officers and men concerned to wear the decorations in question.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

CROIX DE GUERRE.

- Vice-Adml. Ernest C. T. Troubridge, C.B., C.M.G., M.V.O.
Cdr. Alfred Stead, R.N.V.R.
Payr. Henry M. Fitch, R.N.
Lieut. Alan V. Coutts, R.N.R.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF SERBIA.

ORDER OF ST. SAVA.

Third Class.

- Payr. Henry M. Fitch, R.N.

ORDER OF THE WHITE EAGLE.

Fifth Class.

- Cdr. Alfred Stead, R.N.V.R.

GOLD MEDAL FOR MILITARY VIRTUE.

- C.P.O. Walter Neden, D.S.M., O.N. 195949 (Ch.).

GOLD MEDAL FOR ZEALOUS SERVICE.

- Shipwt. William Bevans, O.N. 342920 (Ch.).

DECORATION CONFERRED BY HIS HIGHNESS THE SULTAN OF EGYPT.

ORDER OF THE NILE.

Third Class.

- Lieut.-Cdr. (act. Cdr.) Guy P. Lewis, R.N.R.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS HIGHNESS THE BEY OF TUNIS.

ORDER OF NICHAN IFTIKHAR.

Officer.

- Lieut.-Cdr. Arthur E. W. Cripps, R.N.R.
Lieut. Septimus A. Michells, R.N.V.R.
Lieut. Gordon E. Burdick, R.N.V.R.