## CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS | OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.

17th October, 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotion in and appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire in recognition of the services of the undermentioned Officers during the War:-

- To be Commanders of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order :-
- Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Harold Morris Airey, R.M. For valuable services in connection with

wireless telegraphy.

- Captain Kenneth Gilbert Balmain Dewar, Ř.N.
  - For valuable services at the Peace Conference, Paris.
- Commander George Home Finnis, O.B.E.,  $\mathbf{R}.\mathbf{N}.$

For valuable services during the War.

- Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Ralph Ernest Haweis James, C.M.G., D.S.O.
- For valuable services in the Civil Engineer-in-Chief's Department, Admiralty.
- Honorary Brigadier-General Henry Knox, C.M.G., C.I.E. Owen
- For valuable services in the Civil Engineer-in-Chief's Department, Admiralty.
- Captain Henry Gerald Elliot Lane, R.N. For valuable services in command of H.M.S. "Ceres" in the Baltic.
- Engineer Captain Reginald William Skelton, D.S.O., R.N.
  - For valuable services in the Archangel Area of the White Sea.
- To be Officers of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order :-
- Commander the Honourable Edward Barry Stewart Bingham, V.C., R.N.

For valuable services during the War.

- Lieutenant Walter George Bishop, R.N. For valuable services in connection with wireless telegraphy.
- Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Causton, R.M.E.
  - Civil For valuable services in the Engineer-in-Chief's Department, Admiralty.
- Lieutenant Richard Charles Clavell, R.N. For valuable services in the Mine Clearance Force.
- Lieutenant-Commander Lidbrooke Surgeon Frank Cope, R.N.
- For valuable services with the Danube Naval Brigade.
- Captain Archibald Maxwell Craig, R.M.L.I. For valuable services in the Baltic.
- Lieutenant (acting Lieutenant-Commander) James Cross, R.N.R.
  - For valuable services in the Mine Clearance Force.
- Paymaster Lieutenant Henry Maldon Fitch, Ř.N.

For valuable services as Secretary to Admiral Ernest C. T. Troubridge, K.C.M.G., C.B., M.V.O., on the Salonika Front.

- Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel Nicholas George Gedye, B.Sc., A.M.I.C.E., R.E. For valuable services in the Civil
- Engineer-in-Chief's Department, Admiralty. Lieutenant-Commander Heathcote George Hewitt, R.N.
  - For valuable services with the Danube Naval Brigade.
- Lieutenant Norman Sinclair Hind, R.N.V.R. For valuable services at the Peace Conference, Paris.
- Lieutenant-Commander George Key, R.N. For valuable services in connection with wireless telegraphy.
- Commander Malcolm Henry Somerled Macdonald, D.S.O., R.N.

For valuable services at the Peace Conference, Paris.

- Lieutenant William Palmer, R.N.
- For valuable services as Coaling Officer, Suez.
- Paymaster Lieutenant Algernon Wynn Pendennis Phillips, R.N.
  - For valuable services as Secretary to Admiral Ernest C. Т. Troubridge, K.C.M.G., C.B., M.V.O., Commanding on the Danube.
- Commander Edmund James Prendergast, R.N.
  - For valuable services in connection with wireless telegraphy.
- Lieutenant-Commander Francis James Rankin, R.A.N.R.

For valuable services in Minesweeping operations.

Commander John Andrew Hanson Scaïfe, R.N.

For valuable services during the War.

- Frederick William Lieutenant Charles Struben, R.N.V.R. (S.A.). For valuable services in the Eastern
- Mediterranean. Commander Alfred Hugh Taylor, R.N.
- For valuable services at the Peace Conference. Paris.
- Commander Paul Whitfield, D.S.O., R.N. For valuable services during the War.
- To be Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-
- Lieutenant William Arnold Appleton, R.N.V.R.

For valuable services in connection with wireless telegraphy.

Captain G. B. Macpherson Grant.

For valuable services on the Staff of the Inspector of Steel, Naval Ordnance Department, Admiralty.

Captain John Vincent Stratford Lovatt, R.M.E.

For valuable services in the Civil Engineer-in-Chief's Department, Admiralty.

- Gunner (T.) William Albert Osborn, R.N. For valuable services in the Mine Clearance Force.
- Surgeon Sub-Lieutenant David James Tosh Oswald, R.N.V.R.
  - For valuable services during the War.
- Acting Warrant Armourer George Philip Pitt, R.N.
  - For valuable services in connection with wireless telegraphy.