Petty Officer Herbert Tom Barnes, H.M.S. Aurora;

Able Seaman Peter John Beach, H.M.S. Cossack;

Able Seaman James Harper, H.M.S. Cossack; Able Seaman Albert William Marshall, H.M.S. Cossack;

Able Seaman Stanley Douglas Bennett, H.M.S. Aurora;

Signalman Donald Phillip Samuel Davies, H.M.S. Afridi (Lent Cossack);

Stoker First Class Norman Leslie Pratt, H.M.S. Aurora;

for gallantry and devotion to duty in the boarding of Altmark.

Mentions in Despatches.

Lieutenant Commander Hector Charles Donald MacLean, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Cossack; for outstanding ability and resource in helping her Commanding Officer to handle Cossack in the fjord, and for distinguished service as Staff Officer (Operations) Captain (D), Fourth Destroyer Flotilla.

Petty Officer Steward Rosario Asciak, H.M.S. Cossack;

Petty Officer Cook Dominick Spiteri, H.M.S. Cossack;

Officer Steward Carmelo H.M.S. Cossack;

for cheerful and ready work in caring for and feeding 55 Officers, prisoners released from Altmark.

His Majesty has also been pleased to approve the following Awards, for unfailing courage, endurance, resource and devotion to duty in H.M. Trawlers and Drifters in their hard and perilous tasks of sweeping the seas clear of mines, combating submarines, and keeping a look-out for the enemy:---

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieutenant-Commander York Macleod Cleeves, R.N.R., Unit Commander R.D., Group 23.

Chief Skipper John Culbertson Anderson, H.M. Trawler Loch Oskaig.

Chief Skipper George Youngson Abernethy, R.N.R., H.M. Trawler Concertator.

Chief Skipper Isaac Parkinson, R.D., R.N.R., H.M. Trawler Loch Buie.

Chief Skipper Thomas Fraser, R.N.R., H.M. Trawler Rinovia.

Skipper Alexander Craig, R.N.R., Trawler Darwen.

The Distinguished Service Medal.

First Engineman David Brown, X.383EU., H.M. Trawler Loch Oskaig.

First Engineman Thomas Johnson, X.385DT., R.N.R., H.M. Trawler Rinovia.

Engineman James Norman Hodgson, R.N.R., X.5975ES., H.M. Trawler Darthema.

Able Seaman John Sculher, GL.2-C/J.17151, H.M. Trawler Loch Oskaig.

Mentions in Despatches (posthumous).

Lieutenant-Commander Harry Richard John Lewis, R.N., H.M. Trawler James Ludford. Chief Skipper John Cowling, R.N.R., H.M. Trawler Evelina.

Chief Skipper Royce W. Stocks, R.N.R., H.M. Trawler Sedgefly.

Temporary Skipper Charles W. Hannant, R.N.R., H.M. Drifter William Hallett.

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Lieutenant-Commander Ernest Bernard Sandon, R.N.R., H.M. Trawler Crestflower. ab-Lieutenant William Sitwell, R.N.V.R., Sub-Lieutenant H.M. Trawler Loch Oskaig.

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Alouette.

Chief Skipper Samuel Bass, H.M. Trawler Imperialist.

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Skipper George Henry Alexander Thompson, H.M. Trawler Loch Doon.

Skipper Walter Truefitt, R.N.R., H.M. Drifter Ugiebank.

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Second Hand David Redman, H.M. Drifter Ugiebank.

Second Hand Ronald Stevenson, R.N.R., X.9821B., H.M. Trawler Darthema.

Chief Engineman Robert Dougal, H.M. Drifter

Chief Engineman Laurence Elton, KX.98260, H.M. Trawler Imperialist.

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Chief Engineman Arthur Rokahar, KX.97925, H.M. Trawler Alouette.

First Engineman Frederick Atlas.

Engineman Albert George Allen, X.292EU., R.N.R., H.M. Trawler Concertator.

Petty Officer Second Hand Christopher R. Wimpenny, X.19210A, H.M. Trawler Loch Doon.

Third Hand James Bailey, H.M. Drifter Darwen.

Wireless Telegraphist Robert G. Edwards, WRX.869, H.M. Trawler Imperialist.

Wireless Telegraphist Arthur Sidney White, C/J.1099, R.F.R., Base Maintenance Staff. William Sutherland,

X.7265C., H.M. Trawler James Ludford. Signalman Douglas Arthur Elvidge, R.N.V.R., LD/X.3864, H.M. Trawler Concertator.

Signalman Louis Percy, R.N.R., J.78763, H.M. Trawler Dee.

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