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### CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1,  
1st April, 1941.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the following Appointment and Awards:—

For devotion to duty.

*To be an Additional Officer of the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:—*

Engineer Commander Hector MacLean Matheson, Royal Navy.

*The Medal of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order, for Meritorious Service.*

Chief Stoker John Dore, C/JX.18280.

For brave conduct during an enemy air attack on the city of Bristol.

*Commendation.*

Ordinary Seaman Francis Henry Stephens, D/JX.206271.

For brave conduct during an enemy air attack on Birkenhead.

*Commendation.*

Able Seaman Ronald Fentiman, P/SSX.20166.  
Able Seaman Ernest Albert Lovell, P/SSX.18599.

### ADMIRALTY.

*Whitehall,  
1st April, 1941.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the following Awards:—

For courage and resource when a convoy was attacked by enemy aircraft, several of which were destroyed.

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Sub-Lieutenant William Ridley Morton Murdoch, R.N.V.R., H.M.S. Vimiera.

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Petty Officer George Dunn, D/J.108407, H.M.S. Londonderry.

Able Seaman Victor Reginald Benningfield, C/JX.136129, H.M.S. Vimiera.

Stoker 1st Class Reginald Ernest King, C/KX.87858, H.M.S. Vivien.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Wilson Harvey, R.N.V.R., H.M.S. Vivien.

Chief Petty Officer George Joseph Chiverton, C/J.93168, H.M.S. Vimiera.

Acting Petty Officer Thomas Bryan, D/JX.126411, H.M.S. Londonderry.

Acting Petty Officer Matthew James Garfield Daniel, D/JX.135224, H.M.S. Londonderry.

Able Seaman William Stewart Elliot, R.N.V.R., P/CD/X.2384, H.M.S. Vimiera.

Able Seaman Kenneth Frank Shepherd, C/CD/X.4188, H.M.S. Vivien.

For courage and skill when H.M. Trawler Stella Rigel destroyed an enemy aircraft.

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Temporary Skipper Thomas Henry Spall, R.N.R., T.S.818, H.M. Trawler Stella Rigel.

For courage and skill in bringing down an enemy aircraft.

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Able Seaman Fraser Guy, D/JX.191500, H.M. Drifter Reids.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Skipper Thomas Ritchie Ovenstone, T.S.371, R.N.R., H.M. Drifter Reids.

For good services when H.M. Submarine Triton sank two enemy supply ships.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Lieutenant Charles Joseph Reginald Cave, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Triton.

Lieutenant Guy Claud Ian St. Barbe Sladen Watkins, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Triton.

Engine-Room Artificer 3rd Class Edgar James Boyce Lavers, P/MX.48545, H.M.S. Triton.

Stoker Petty Officer Edward Charles Clark, C/K.60084, H.M.S. Triton.

Able Seaman Frederick Thomas Stafford, P/J.70907, H.M.S. Triton.

For good services when H.M.S. Forfar was lost.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Midshipman James Buchan Fraser Smith, R.N.R., H.M.S. Forfar.

Warrant Boatswain Sidney Bree, R.N.R., H.M.S. Forfar.

For courage and skill in engaging and shooting down enemy aircraft.

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Lieutenant-Commander Rupert Claude Tillard, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Ark Royal.

Lieutenant Mark Fownes Somerville, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Ark Royal.

For devotion to duty.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Lieutenant (E) Raymond Hadyn Tribe, Royal Navy.

Mr. Harold Edwin Wilcox, Warrant Shipwright, Royal Navy.

For courage and skill in successful attacks on the enemy.

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Mr. Leonard Frederick Taylor, Warrant Engineer, Royal Navy, H.M.S. Swordfish.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Chief Petty Officer Roland William Bush, C/J.109431, H.M.S. Swordfish.

Electrical Artificer 1st Class Frederick Ward, C/MX.46205, H.M.S. Swordfish.

Leading Signaller Harold Davies, P/JX.127080, H.M.S. Swordfish.

Engine Room Artificer 2nd Class William Thomas Lee, D/MX.45635 H.M.S. Swordfish.

The following corrections are made:—

In London Gazette Supplement Number 34893 of 11th July 1940:—

For Seaman Angus Macdonald, R.N.R. (P.S.), X.18372A, H.M. Drifter Gleam On,

Read Seaman Angus Macdonald, R.N.R., BX.9433, H.M.S. Pacifico.

In London Gazette Supplement Number 35113 of 21st March 1941:—

For Chief Engine Room Artificer Edwin Gerald Martin, R.A.N.R., 12460, H.M.A.S. Australia,

Read Chief Engine Room Artificer Edwin Gerald Martin, R.A.N., 12460, H.M.S. Australia.

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