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**CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS
OF KNIGHTHOOD.**

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.
6th June, 1941.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following Appointment to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire for courage and devotion to duty in fighting fires during an air raid on the City of Coventry:

To be a Member of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Mr. Alexander Bates, Boatswain, Royal Navy.

**CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS
OF KNIGHTHOOD.**

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6th June, 1941.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the British Empire Medal (Military Division), for courage and devotion to duty in an air raid on the City of Coventry, to the undermentioned:—

Sick Berth Attendant Leslie George Blandford, C/MX.67681.

ADMIRALTY.

*Whitehall, S.W.1.
6th June, 1941.*

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

For great courage and devotion to duty in action against an Armed Merchant Raider:

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Temporary Lieutenant (E) James Frame Bell, R.N.R., H.M.S. Carnarvon Castle.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Moodie Fortune, R.N.R., H.M.S. Carnarvon Castle.

The Conspicuous Gallantry Medal.

Chief Petty Officer Percy Charles Bennett, P/J.99941, H.M.S. Carnarvon Castle.

In this action Chief Petty Officer Bennett was wounded in six places, but gave no sign that he had been hit. He remained at his post until at last he was ordered below. His courage and fortitude were beyond all praise.

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Petty Officer Sydney Herbert Elwyn, R.N.R., P.5523D, H.M.S. Carnarvon Castle.

Petty Officer Frank Edward Young, P/J.34203, H.M.S. Carnarvon Castle.