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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

> St. James's Palace, S.W.1. 28th December, 1943.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:—

To be additional Officers of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Lieutenant-Commander Robert Glen Wardrop, R.N.R. (Retired) (Cokstad, South Africa). for courage and enterprise during heavy air-attacks on a North African port.

Commander George Philip Sevier Davies, Royal Navy.

for outstanding enterprise and devotion to duty.

Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander Allan Raymond MacKewn, R.N.R.

for courage and resource in organising a fire fighting party on board a Merchant Ship.

To be additional Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Temporary Lieutenant (Acting Temporary Captain) Sidney Hill, Royal Marines (Greenfield, Lancashire).

for good services and tireless devotion to duty in North Africa.

Temporary Lieutenant Wilfrid Harold Homer, R.N.V.R. (Birmingham).

for skill and seamanship in bringing his ship to port after an explosion.

Temporary Surgeon Lieutenant George Denny Taylor, M.B., Ch.B., R.N.V.R. (Keith, Banffshire).

for services to the injured after an explosion at sea.

- Lieutenant John Vaughan Terry Lloyd, S.A.N.F.
- Temporary Lieutenant Arnold Wilson, R.N.V.R.

for outstanding courage and skill in a dangerous enterprise.

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The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Military Division) to:-

- Temporary Acting Leading Seaman Alfred Hodder, C/JX.213053.
  - for courage and endurance during eleven days spent on a raft after his ship was lost.
- Sick Berth Attendant Ralph Fenwick, D/MX.64846.

for services to the wounded survivors from a bombed Merchant Ship.

Supply Petty Officer William Fitzsimons, D/SR.406 (Dunfermline).

for bravery and presence of mind in throwing overboard a burning box of ammunition which was a danger to his ship.

#### ADMIRALTY.

### Whitehall,

28th December, 1943.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards: \_\_\_\_

For outstanding bravery, enterprise and skill in successful attacks on enemy shipping in enemy coastal waters, while serving in Light Coastal Craft:—

Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieutenant Basil Chrystie Ward, D.S.C., Royal Navy.

The Distinguished Service Cross.

- Lieutenant Ralph Bonfoy Rooper, Royal Navy Temporary Lieutenant Victor Frank William Clarkson, R.N.V.R.
- Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Henry George Franklin, R.N.V.R. (Aldeburgh).

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Chief Motor Mcchanic Arthur Fox, P/MX.67294.

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- Mechanic Chief Motor James Murdock Henderson, P/MX.71988.
- Chief Motor Mechanic Fourth Class Eric John Cartwright, P/MX.66685 (Shenstone, Near Kidderminster).
- Petty Officer Alfred James Hayward, D/JX. 157582.
- Petty Officer William Stead, D/JX.133908.
- Leading Seaman John James Billings, C/JX. 206168.
- Able Seaman Alexander William Carrington, C/JX.393915. ble Seaman
- Able John Caleb Round. P/JX.326117.

Mention in Despatches.

- Temporary Lieutenant Llewelyn Edmond Thompson, R.N.V.R. emporary Sub-Lieutenant David
- Temporary Sub-Lieutenant David William Brading Woolven, R.N.V.R. Acting Chief Petty Officer Motor Mechanic John
- Ernest Wibrin, D.S.M., P/MX.101916. Petty Officer Hugh Hill, P/SSX.17093.
- Acting Petty Officer Robert Alexander Henry, D.S.M., P/JX.141581 (South Shields).
- Leading Seaman Edward Charles Anderson,
- C/J.99148. Able Seaman Reginald George Norman Denton,
- C/JX.243315. ble Seaman
- William Able Robert Vincent, C/JX.354033. Stoker First
- Class Gilbert Gallagher, P/KX.139249.

For courage and leadership in operations in North Africa :-

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Temporary Captain (Acting Temporary Major) Robert Woodall Sankey, Royal Marines.

For outstanding zeal and devotion to duty while serving in the Middle East:-

- Mention in Despatches.
- Lieutenant (Acting Temporary Temporary Major) Austen Ralph Hawkins, Royal Marines.
- Temporary Corporal (Acting Temporary Sergeant) Robert James Pick, Ex.1943, Royal Marines (Fowey, Cornwall).

For courage, seamanship and devotion to duty:-

Mention in Despatches.

- Lieutenant Commander Robert Love Alexander, D.S.O., Royal Navy.
- Lieutenant Ian Stewart Macintosh, M.B.E., D.S.C., Royal Navy.
- Engine Room Artificer Fourth Class Leslie Raymond Tilley, D/MX.54002. oker First Class Norman
- Norman Stoker Garrity, C/KX.132683.
- Stoker First Class Frederick Ruben Arthur Luck, C/KX.152165.

For outstanding services after an explosion at sea:

Mention in Despatches.

Temporary Lieutenant (E) Kenneth Macallister

- MacLeod, Royal Navy (Taynuilt, Argyll). Yeoman of Signals Charles Henry Hamson, D/JX.136596 (Bridgwater, Somerset). Petty Officer Telegraphist Donald Dinsdale
- Bulch, D/JX.135109 (Durham).

For seamanship, skill and outstanding devotion to duty:-

Mention in Despatches.

Temporary Lieutenant Eric Francis Vann, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Acting Lieutenant Denis Frank Tye, R.N.V.R.

For courage and resource in fire fighting : ----Mention in Despatches.

Chief Petty Officer Writer John Henry Thomas, C/MX.45962.

For courage and devotion to duty under heavy air attacks while serving in a defensively equipped Merchant Ship:-

#### Mention in Despatches.

Temporary Acting Leading Seaman Arthur Wilkinson, C/JX.236466.

The following corrections are made:

In London Gazette Supplement No. 36072 of 29th June 1943.

Page 2947:

For Acting Petty Officer (Temporary) Ernest Edward Hallin, P/JX.144425. Read Able Seaman Ernest Edward Hallin,

P/JX.144425.

In London Gazette Supplement No. 36284 of 14th December, 1943.

Page 5431:

For Stoker Petty Officer James Albert Warren, D/KX.86367. Read Stoker Petty Officer James Albert

Warren, D/KX.89367.

Page 5432: For Acting Leading Seaman Frank George Farrant, D/BX/X.1773.

Read Acting Leading Seaman Frank George Farrant, D/BD/X.1773.

In London Gazette Supplement No. 35815 of 8th December, 1942.

Page 5387: For Temporary Lieutenant Philip Granger Brown, R.N.V.R.

Read Acting Lieutenant Philip Edward Courtenay Brown, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.

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