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 Lieutenant-Colonel John Bowden, O.B.E.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Edward Boscawen Frederick, Bt.
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To be Members of the Fourth Class:—

Leslie Gordon James Durbin, Esq. (dated 4th October, 1943).
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*St. James's Palace, S.W.1,
 1st January, 1944.*

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

To be an Additional Knight Grand Cross of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Admiral Sir Percy Lockhart Noble, K.C.B., C.V.O.

To be Additional Knights Commanders of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Vice-Admiral St. Aubyn Baldwin Wake, C.B. (Retired).
 Vice-Admiral Richard Hayden Owen Lane-Poole, C.B., O.B.E. (Retired).
 Rear-Admiral (Commodore 2nd Class, R.N.R.) Cecil Nugent Reyne (Retired).
 Rear-Admiral (Commodore 2nd Class, R.N.R.) Oswald Henry Dawson (Retired).

To be Additional Commanders of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Engineer Rear Admiral Thomas Elliott Aitkenhead, Royal Navy (Retired).
 Major General Norman Kempe Jolley, O.B.E., Royal Marines.
 Captain (Commodore First Class) Michael Maynard Denny, C.B., Royal Navy.
 Captain (Commodore Second Class) Benjamin Charles Stanley Martin, D.S.O., Royal Navy.
 Captain Ronald William Blacklock, D.S.C., Royal Navy (Retired).
 Captain Angus Edward Malise Bontine Cunningham-Graham, Royal Navy (Dumbarton).
 Captain John Schomberg Hammill, Royal Navy (Retired).
 Captain John Montagu Howson, Royal Navy (Wickham).
 Captain Roy Neville Suter, D.S.O., Royal Navy (Retired).
 Acting Captain Robert Gordon Hood Linzee, O.B.E., Royal Navy (Retired).
 Acting Captain Gilbert Howland Roberts, Royal Navy.

Engineer Captain George Douglas Campbell, D.S.O., Royal Navy (Retired) (Birdham, Sussex).

Captain (E) Cyril Arthur Shaw, Royal Navy.
 Surgeon Captain Henry Brice Parker, D.S.C., M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Royal Navy (Retired).

Paymaster Captain Archibald Frederick Cooper, O.B.E., Royal Navy (Retired).

Paymaster Captain Percy D'Evelyn Marks, C.M.G., Royal Navy (Retired).

Paymaster Captain Lewis Anselm Ritchie, C.V.O., Royal Navy.

Instructor Captain Algernon Frederick Akhurst, M.A., Royal Navy.

Mrs. Euphemia Violet Welby, Superintendent, W.R.N.S.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the advice of His Majesty's Australian Ministers, to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:—

To be an Additional Commander of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Captain (Commodore Second Class) George Dunbar Moore, Royal Australian Navy.

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

Commander John Hext Lewes, Royal Navy.
 Commander John Shirley Sandys Litchfield-Speer, Royal Navy (Overton, Basingstoke).
 Commander Ralph Adam Nicholson, Royal Navy (Retired).
 Commander Edward Owen Figuls Price, Royal Navy (Haverfordwest).
 Commander Hugh Smith Pugh, Royal Navy (Retired) (Banstead, Surrey).
 Commander Ernest Henry Shattock, Royal Navy (Cowdon, Kent).
 Commander Stanley Lloyd Medlicott Vereker, Royal Navy (Retired).
 Acting Commander Henry Leslie Spofforth Baker, Royal Navy.
 Acting Commander Harold Mitchell Blake, Royal Navy (Retired).
 Acting Commander Walter James Melrose, D.S.C., Royal Navy (Tasmania).
 Major Horatio McCullough Slater, Royal Marines.
 Acting Major William John Stuart, Royal Marines (Retired).
 Commander Frederick Cuthbert Hartley, R.D., R.N.R. (Retired).
 Commander John Swift Sharp, R.D., R.N.R. (Hereford).
 Temporary Acting Commander (A) John Bernard Walter Pugh, R.N.V.R.
 Acting Temporary Commander William Thomas Marsh.
 Commander (A) Robert Hedley Selborne Rodger, Royal Navy.
 Engineer Commander Ernest Bernard Collins, Royal Navy (Dorking).
 Engineer Commander John Reginald Davis, Royal Navy (Retired) (Nailsworth, Gloucestershire).
 Commander (E) John Garnett Cranston Given, Royal Navy.
 Commander (E) Eric Leo Jack Howell, Royal Navy (Milford on Sea, Hants.).
 Commander (E) Iain Gilleasburg MacLean, Royal Navy (Edinburgh).