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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

> St. James's Palace, S.W.I. 30th May, 1944.

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 Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-

Mr. Frederick Charles Brotherton Cooper, D.S.M., Temporary Warrant Engineer, Royal Navy (Rainham).

for outstanding enterprise and disregard of danger in damage control.

Lieutenant-Commander Peter Nesbit Medd, Royal Navy.

for courage, enterprise and devotion to duty.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

> St. James's Palace, S.W.1. 30th May, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the George Medal to:-

cting Temporary Lieutenant Anthony Reginald Joseph Firminger, R.N.V.R. (since deceased) (award to be dated 22nd August, 1943).

for gallantry and undaunted devotion to duty.

Able Seaman Charles Russell, D/J.97767.

for gallantry in saving life when H.M.S. Hurworth was lost. Able Seaman Russell was very badly burned, but helped to launch the motor boat and when one of the slips jammed, he kept his head and by unshackling the deck clench got the boat clear just before the ship sank. With four other hands he then took the boat ashore and lay up for the night. At dawn he slipped out unobserved, made his way past enemy shipping and returned to the scene of the sinking. In two trips he picked up thirty-eight survivors and landed them on an island. Able Seaman Russell was in charge throughout, and but for his undaunted courage, determination and seamanship, it is unlikely that many of the survivors would have been rescued.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

> St. James's Palace, S.W.I. 30th May, 1944.

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

Petty Officer Motor Mechanic Colin Victor Bradshaw, D/MX.75100 (Romney) Able Seaman Frederick George C

C/JX.192476. gnalman Robert Dalziel Leitch, D/JX.

Signalman 250678.

for outstanding courage, enterprise and devotion to duty in life saving.

ADMIRALTY.

Whitehall. 30th May, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Distinguished Service Order and to approve the following awards:-

For undaunted courage, skill and determination in carrying out the daring attack on the German Battleship Tirpitz on the 3rd April, 1944:-

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order:-

Acting Lieutenant-Commander Roy Sidney Baker-Faulkner, Royal D.S.C., (Torquay).

Acting Lieutenant-Commander (A) Michael Frampton Fell, Royal Navy (Angmering, Sussex).

Acting Lieutenant-Commander Victor Rance,

Royal Navy (Littlehampton).

Acting Lieutenant-Commander James Wallace Sleigh, D.S.C., Royal Navy (Finsbury Park,

Second Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross. Acting Lieutenant-Commander (A) Stanley Gordon Orr, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (London,

Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.

Acting Lieutenant-Commander (A) Kevin Hugh Gibney, D.S.C., Royal Navy (Houth, Dublin).

Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander (A) R.N.V.R. Douglas Brooks, D.S.C., (Bromley).

Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander (A) John Cooper, stone, Essex). D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Ingate-

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Acting Lieutenant-Commander Sidney James

Hall, Royal Navy (Hightown, Liverpool).

Acting Lieutenant-Commander (A) Dennis Walter Phillips, Royal Navy (Bridgend, Glam.).

Acting Lieutenant-Commander Digby Rex Bell

Cosh, R.C.N.V.R. (Ontario).

Acting Temporary Lieutenant-Commander (A) Richard Henderson, R.N.V.R. (Rongai, Kenya).

Acting Temporary Lieutenant-Commander (A) Richard Donald Kingdon, R.N.V.R. (East-

Acting Temporary Lieutenant-Commander (A) Lebbeus Anthony Hordern, R.N.V.R. (Goring, Oxon.).

Lieutenant Paliser Alfred Milbanke Hudson,

Royal Navy (Chelsea).

Acting Lieutenant John Arthur Cotching, R.N.R.

James Duncan Temporary Lieutenant (A) Britton, R.N.V.R. (Bristol).

Temporary Lieutenant (A) Blyth Ritchie,

R.N.V.R. (Uddingston).

Temporary Lieutenant (A) John Bardwell
Curgenven-Robinson, R.N.V.R. (Bristol).

Temporary Lieutenant (A) Mervyn Hugh
Meredith, R.N.V.R. (Nenagh, County Tipperary).

Temporary Lieutenant (A) Douglas Robertson Gardner, S.A.N.F.(V.) (Birmingham). Lieutenant (A) Roderick James Harrison, R.N.Z.N.V.R. (Christchurch, New Zealand). Sub-Lieutenant Christopher Harford Roncoroni, R.N.R. (South Woodford).

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (A) Norman Henry

Bovey, R.N.V.R. (Dulwich).
Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (A) John Dean Herrold, R.N.Z.N.V.R.

Bar to the Distinguished Service Medal.

Chief Petty Officer Airman Thomas Leslie Cridland, D.S.M., FAA/FX.79962.

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Chief Petty Officer Airman Andrew Edward Carr, FX.76374 (Glasgow).
Petty Officer Airman Thomas Halhead, FAA/FX.77364 (Hornby).

Acting Petty Officer Airman Stuart William Lock, SSX.23153 (Plymouth).

For distinguished services in the planning, co-ordination and execution of the successful attack on the German Battleship Tirpitz on the 3rd April 1944:-

Mention in Despatches.

Vice-Admiral Sir Henry Ruthven Moore, K.C.B., C.V.O., D.S.O. For leadership, vigilance or devotion to

duty during the attack on the German Battleship Tirpitz:—

Mention in Despatches.

Captain Gerald Oulton Colthurst Davies, Royal Navy.

Captain Michael Maynard Denny, C.B., C.B.E., Royal Navy (Stroud).

Captain Markham Henry Evelegh, Royal Navy (Uckfield).

Captain George Tothill Philip, D.S.O., D.S.C., Royal Navy.

Acting Captain Harry Robert Graham, D.S.O., D.S.C., Royal Navy.

Acting Captain Thomas John Norman Hilken, D.S.O., Royal Navy.

Commander George Kempthorne D.S.C., Royal Navy (Crowthorne).

Acting Commander James Douglas Campbell Little, Royal Navy (Chorley Wood).

Lieutenant - Commander Temporary Alexander Wilson, R.N.R. (Carnforth).

Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander (A) R.N.V.R. William Stuart Sutherland, (Brora, Scotland).

Temporary Lieutenant-Commander (E) Alfred

George Hurley, R.N.R. (Dovercourt).
Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (A) Thomas Michael
Townshend, R.N.V.R. (Sileby).

Mr. Charles Mills Shepherd, Warrant Aircraft Officer, Royal Navy (Lee-on-Solent).

Flight Sergeant (Temporary) Arthur Ernest Bunting, R.A.F. 519572 (Chippenham). Flight Sergeant Percy John Webber, R.A.F.

565401 (Gosport). r Artificer Third

Class Sydney

FAA/FX.76092 (Bootle). ir Artificer Fourth Class Arthur

Ashton, FAA/SFX.1260 (Dartmouth). Petty Officer Roy Dennis Winup, FAA/FX. 86109 (Luton).

Temporary Petty Officer Victor Harold Johnson, C/JX.140818 (Gillingham).

Temporary Acting Petty Officer Timothy Courtney, D/JX.171355 (London).
Leading Air Fitter Edward George Weeks,

FAA/FX.109494 (Southall). Greaser Edward James Sculfor, (Dykehead, Scotland).

For outstanding courage, determination or devotion to duty in H.M. Ships Chaser, Lord Milne, Serapis, Onslaught Obedient in successfully escorting convoys to North Russia in the face of attacks from enemy submarines and aircraft:-

Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross. Lieutenant Charles Rowan Grice-Hutchinson, D.S.C., Royal Navy (Upton-on-Severn).

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieutenant Alan Gray Smalley, Royal Navy. Temporary Lieutenant Edwin Brian Bennett, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (A) Peter John Beresford, R.N.V.R.

Sub-Lieutenant (A) Kenneth ·Temporary William Horsfield, R.N.V.R.

(A) Sub-Lieutenant William Temporary Frederick Laing, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (A) James Francis Mason, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (A) Donald Street, R.N.V.R.

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Artificer First Class William Ordnance Weatherell Cottam C/M.36773 (Gillingham, Kent).

Acting Stoker Petty Officer Frank Alfred Molloy, C/K.66446 (Dover).

Temporary Acting Petty Officer Airman Clifford Arthur Vines, FAA/FX.115046.

Temporary Leading Airman John Beech, FAA/ FX.97197

Temporary Leading Airman Dennis George Franklin, FAA/FX.86803.

Able Seaman Robert William Sturrock, C/JX. 353118 (Hantfield, Sussex).

Ordinary Seaman Geoffrey Gilberthorpe, P/JX. 553980.

Mention in Despatches.

Captain Hubert Victor Perry McClintock, ·D.S.O., Royal Navy.

Acting Commander John Trevor Powell, Royal Navy.

Lieutenant-Commander Alexander Henry Charles Gordon-Lennox, D.S.O., Royal Navy..

Acting Commander Howard Elsley Herbert Pain, D.S.C., Royal Navy.

Lieutenant-Commander Hugh Stanley McNab Davenport, Royal Navy.

Acting Lieutenant-Commander (A) Fred Charles Nottingham, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.

Lieutenant Michael Henry Collar, Royal Navy (Harrow).

Lieutenant James Marshall, R.N.V.R. (Bridge of Weir, Renfrewshire).

Temporary Lieutenant Edward Sterling Terence

Robinson, R.N.V.R. emporary Paymaster Lieutenant Temporary Charles Collyer Payne, R.N.V.R. (Ilford, Essex).

Temporary Surgeon Lieutenant Thomas Haw, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., R.N.V.R. Temporary Sub-Lieutenant William George

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Vaughan Wright, R.N.V.R.

Mr. Vincent Raymond Marlow, Gunner (T)

Royal Navy. Air Mechanic First Class (A) Donald Leslie Parsons, FAA/FX.95229.

Air Artificer Fourth Class Samuel Gallagher, FAA/SFX.607316.

Petty Officer Edward George Bailey, D/JX.133187 (Plymouth).

Petty Officer Fred Sydney Sergeant, C/J.

99690 (London, Norfolk).

Temporary Petty Officer Arthur William Buckley, D/JX.136646 (Plymouth). Petty Officer Air Mechanic (E) Arthur William

Charman, FAA/FX.75865.

Temporary Acting Stoker Petty Officer Charles James Jenner, C/KX.94973 (Stanmore). Leading Seaman Arthur Frank Arnall, C/J.

41504. Leading Seaman Alfred Charles Coleman,

C/J.53091 (Cambridge). Die Seaman George Frederick Blackaller, C/JX.157362.

Able Seaman Stanley Farmer, C/JX.277831.

Seaman Maurice William Hodsdon. Able C/JX.328411 (Bromley).

Telegraphist Richard Thomson, D/JX.270773. Thomas Hobbs Coultas, LT/JX. Seaman 174580.

Seaman Thomas Parker, LT/JX.218317.

For outstanding courage, leadership and skill in Light Coastal Craft in many daring attacks on enemy shipping in enemy waters:-

To be a Companion of the Distinguished . Service Order.

Temporary Lieutenant-Commander Donald Henry Ewan McCowen, R.N.V.R. (Salterton).

Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.

Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander Ian Duff Lyle, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Harry Battson, Lieutenant Temporary R.N.V.R. (East Barnet).

Temporary Lieutenant Douglas Leonard Wallace

MacFarlane, R.N.V.R. (London). emporary Lieutenant Douglas Temporary Lieutenant Dougle Marlow, R.N.V.R. (Brighton). Frederick

Temporary Lieutenant John Dudley Robinson, R.N.V.R. (Seaford).

Lieutenant Cornelius Burke, R.C.N.V.R. (Temporary) (Vancouver)

Lieutenant John Douglas Maitland, R.C.N.V.R.

(Temporary) (Vancouver).
Temporary Sub-Lieutenant John Normal Arkell, R.N.V.R. (Shafestesbury, Dorset). Norman

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Chief Motor Mechanic Maurice Illingworth,

P/MX.78538 (Lancaster).
Petty Officer Norman Crompton, D/JX.140746 (Catisfield).

Petty Officer Sidney Joe Mears, P/JX.128025 (Portsmouth)

Acting Petty Officer Jack Barnes, P/SSX.33418 (Bacup)

Petty Officer Motor Mechanic George Henry Daley, P/MX.89675.
Petty Officer Motor Mechanic Thomas William

Shufflebotham, P/MX.98649 (Stepney).
Petty Officer Motor Mechanic David George

Welton, P/MX.126266 (Stafford). Leading Seaman Basil Leonard Makri Nash,

C/JX.154490 (Maidstone)

Acting Leading Seaman Frederick Howard Abrams, C/JX.167321 (Plumstead Common). Acting Leading Seaman Ernest Leah, D/JX. 202862 (Waterfoot).

Able Seaman Reginald Brunt, C/JX.377096 (Newark-on-Trent).

Able Seaman Robert William Charter, C/JX. 354767 (Potten).

Able Seaman John David Etherington, P/JX.

322320 (Gateshead).
Able Seaman George Edward Howe, C/JX.

374146 (Manor Park, London). Able Seaman Alfred Mawson, P/JX.383886

(Ulverton). Able Seaman Anthony Bendall Morgan, P/MX.

124252 (Wolverhampton). Able Seaman Gerard Murray, C/JX.174077. Able Seaman Gwyn Raymond Phillips, D/JX.

288897 (Aberdare). Able Seaman Reginald Percy Taplin, P/JX. 326826 (Learnington Spa).

Mention in Despatches.

Acting Lieutenant-Commander Charles Anthony Law, R.C.N.V.R. (Temporary) (Quebec).

Geoffrey Lieutenant Temporary Claydon, R.N.V.R. (London).

Temporary Lieutenant Charles Ortzen Abbott, R.N.V.R. (Bradford).

Temporary Lieutenant Peter Douglas Barlow, R.N.V.R. (Colwyn Bay). Temporary Lieutenant John Brooks Horwood,

R.N.V.R. (Brighton, South Australia). emporary Lieutenant Richard Rou Routledge Temporary Smith, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Croydon). emporary Lieutenant Walter Syn

Symington Temporary Strang, R.N.V.R. (Glasgow).

Lieutenant Patrick Temporary George Troughton, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant Peter Charles Wilkinson, R.N.V.R.

Lieutenant James William Gladwell, R.C.N.V.R. (Temporary) (Maidenhead). Lieutenant Herbert Pickard, R.C.N.V.R. (Tem-William

porary).

Lieutenant Thomas Ellis Ladner, R.C.N.V.R.

(Temporary) (Vancouver).
emporary Sub-Lieutenant Temporary Sub-Lieutenant William James Edward Bullen, R.N.V.R. (Widnes).
Mr. John Peverell Featherstone, Temporary Midshipman, R.N.V.R. (Northampton).
Chief Motor Mechanic Herbert Booth, P/MX.

117021 (Huddersfield)

Chief Petty Officer Motor Mechanic Leslie Georges Časwell, P/MX.117847 (Coventry)

Chief Motor Mechanic Dante Baldwin, P/MX. 99746 (Manchester).

Acting Chief Motor Mechanic John Shiell

Simmister, P/MX.79033 (Seaton Burn).
Acting Chief Motor Mechanic Sydney J
William Byrne, P/MX.116351 (Dublin)

Acting Chief Motor Mechanic Edward John

Collett, P/MX.99915 (Burgess Hill).
Acting Chief Motor Mechanic William John Edward Last, P/MX78726 (Oxford).

Acting Chief Motor Mechanic Arthur Ambrose

Seymour, P/MX124774 (Swinbridge). Petty Officer Thomas Boyle, D.S.M., C/JX. 139471 (Newhaven)

Petty Officer Frank Bertie Coombes, P/JX. 141370 (Sheffield).

Petty Officer George Henry Dunphy, D/JX. 156214 (Falmouth).

Petty Officer Coxswain Victor George Richard Hamling, C/JX.142863 (Bromley, Kent).

Petty Officer Edmund William Hogarth, D/JX. 135490 (Whitley Bay)

Temporary Petty Officer Robert Boyd, C/IX. 151450 (Glasgow).

Temporary Petty Officer William Lindsay Williams, D/JX.158412 (Glasgow).

Petty Officer Motor Mechanic Thomas Gardner,

D/MX.76083 (Airdrie). Acting Leading Seaman Ralph Hopper, D/JX.

137991 (Durham). Acting Leading Seaman Roy Alan Williams,

P/JX.294762 (Harmsworth). Leading Telegraphist Walter Squires, D/JX.

137812 (Southampton).

Acting Leading Telegraphist Albert Elijah Barkley Tames, P/JX.233660 (Brighton).

Leading Motor Mechanic William Thomas Byrd,

P/MX.125275 (Diss, Norfolk). Leading Motor Mechanic Harry Munroe,

P/MX.502533 (Leeds). Able Seaman Norman Barker, P/JX.374297 (Leeds).

Able Seaman Alfred Thomas Bromley, D/JX. 303522 (Bolton).

Able Seaman Arthur Percy George Cook, P/JX. 326814 (Basingstoke).

Able Seaman Denis Lockett, C/JX.319959 (Sheffield).

Able Seaman Harry Lee, C/JX.373965 (London).

Able Seaman Neville Colin Preston, C/JX. 375178 (Huddersfield)

Able Seaman Richard Albert Ratcliffe, P/JX. 366821 (Barnoldswick).

Able Seaman Charles Rudkin, C/JX.301652

(Seaford, Lancs.). Able Seaman John William James Scott, P/JX. 325278 (London).

Able Seaman George Henry Smith, C/JX. 378840 (London).

Able Seaman Arthur Stone, P/JX.396023 (Everton).

Stoker First Class Ronald Reginald Smith, D/KX.140160 (Bath).
Ordinary Seaman Walter Fletcher, D/JX.

364146 (Lees, near Oldham).

For courage and skill in dangerous minesweeping operations:

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieutenant-Commander Robert Ernest Brett, D.S.O., R.N.R.

Temporary Lieutenant Robert Graham Bell, R.N.V.R. (Auchterarder, Perthshire).

Temporary Lieutenant Wilfred John Haughton, R.N.V.R. (Redruth).

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Chief Engine Room Artificer Thomas Patrick Murphy, D/MX.47325.

Temporary Stoker Petty Officer George Edward Holloway, P/KX.84461 (Wokingham). Leading Seaman Frederick William Daniel

Leeworthy, D/J.97504.

Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).

Temporary Lieutenant Will Avison, R.N.V.R. Temporary Lieutenant Edw. Canning Holbrook, R.N.V.R. Edward

Acting Leading Seaman Henry Richard Goldsmith, C/JX.166831.

Mention in Despatches.

Acting Lieutenant - Commander Ronald Gresham, R.N.V.R.

Lieutenant Wilfred Louis Gerard Dutton. R.N.R.

Temporary Lieutenant Alfred Frederick Field, R.N.R. (Morley).

Temporary Lieutenant Robert Henry Douglas Barklie, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Sub-Li Upton, R.N.V.R. Sub-Lieutenant Bernard Rollin

Mr. Harry Jackson, Temporary Gunner, Royal Navy (Portsmouth)

Mr. John Groves, Midshipman, R.N.R. (Addiscombe)

Petty Officer George David Millar Rogers, D/SSX.15007

Acting Petty Officer Harry Watkins, D/JX.

Stoker Petty Officer Ernest Walter Martin, C/KX.79370 (Rainham).

Acting Leading Stoker William D/KX.90682.

Acting Leading Stoker James Barclay Miller, P/KX.119335 (Lanarkshire).

Able Seaman Stanley Richard John Bounds,

D/JX.194870. Stoker First Class Victor Jackson, C/SS. 120709 (Brighton).

For courage, enterprise and skill in successful air operations from H.M. Ships Biter, Pursuer and Fencer against enemy aircraft:

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Temporary Lieutenant (A) Thomas Laurance Marsland Brander, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant (A) Norman Kenneth Turner, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant (A) Eric Sven Erikson, R.N.Z.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant (A) Leslie Charles Wort, R.N.V.R.

Sub-Lieutenant (A) Temporary Richard Alexander Fleischmann-Allen, R.N.V.R.

Mention in Despatches.

Acting Lieutenant-Commander Digby Rex Bell Cosh, R.C.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant Francis Edmund Pagan, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant (A) William Clifford

Dimes, R.N.Z.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant Harry Parks Wilson, R.C.N.V.R.

Mr. Stanley John Brown, Acting Warrant Air Officer, Royal Navy.Leading Seaman Percy Clipsham, D/JX.

209800.

For undaunted courage in hazardous operations:

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Greentree, Lieutenant Lloyd Russell R.A.N.R.(S) (Sydney, New South Wales).

For courage, coolness and devotion in operations in the Solomon Islands:

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Telegraphist George Edward Carpenter, N.Z. 2260, R.N.Z.N.

Telegraphist Templeton Niven Witham, N.Z. 4029, R.N.Z.N.

For great courage and fortitude in tending the wounded and bringing in casualties during the operations at Salerno:

Mention in Despatches.

The Reverend John Charles Wallis, Temporary Chaplain, R.N.V.R.

For leadership, skill and devotion to duty: Mention in Despatches.

Rear Admiral Arthur Duncan Read.

Captain Frank Michael Rokeby Acting

Stephenson, Royal Navy (Liphook). ommander William Godfrey Cra Commander Godfrey Crawford, D.S.C., Royal Navy.

Commander John Trevor Lean, D.S.O., Royal Navy (Newquay).

Lieutenant - Commander Brooks Walford, Royal Navy (Rottingdean).

Acting Lieutenant-Commander (A) Eric Dixon Child, Royal Navy (Purbrook).

Temporary Lieutenant (A) Geoffrey Marker

Evans, R.N.V.R. (Llanelly).
Petty Officer Frank George Pennells, D/JX 136187 (Highbridge).

Acting Petty Officer Airman Raymond Hugh Holmes, FAA/FX.79414 (Bracknell). Able Seaman Cyril Chamberlain, D/JX.361242 (London).

For enterprise and devotion to duty:

Mention in Despatches.

Temporary Lieutenant Donald Acting

Cameron, R.N.Z.N.V.R.
Temporary Lieutenant (A) Peter Francis Laidler, R.N.V.R.

Able Seaman Eric Arthur Noel Cook, D.S.M.,

C/JX.250010.
Able Seaman Leslie Gardiner, C/JX.251484. Able Seaman George Vitty Wilson, C/JX.

158999 Stoker First Class Kenneth Hutchinson, C/KX.

114787. Stoker First Class Sydney Robert Young, C/KX.84069.

For good services in damage control:

Mention in Despatches.

Commander George Windsor Gregorie, R.D., R.N.R. (Cardiff).

Able Seaman Reginald Stanley Armin, P/JX. 158178 (Stockton-on-Tees).

Able Seaman William Joseph Reardon, P/JX. 246633 (St. Johns, Newfoundland).

Able Seaman Lindus Hubert Sims, P/JX.

234925 (Chipping Norton).

For good services in helping to rescue a wounded Officer.

Mention in Despatches.

Able Seaman Herbert William Caplin Riddick Pearce, C/JX.137477.

For outstanding services in the field in the Middle East:

Mention in Despatches.

Lieutenant-General Eric Culpeper Weston, C.B., Royal Marines (Retired)

Colonel Second Commandant (Acting Major-General) Arthur, Reginald Chater, C.B., D.S.O., O.B.E., Royal Marines.

For good services in action against enemy submarines.

Mention in Despatches.

Lieutenant-Commander Jeffrey Vanstone Brock, R.C.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant James Jefferson,

R.N.V.R. (Belfast).

Chief Engine Room Artificer John Thomas
Ridley, C/MX. 49887 (Lincoln).

Petty Officer George Pearce, C/JX.126221

(Hounslow).

Acting Leading Seaman Walter James Wilding,

C/JX.201392 (Romford).
Able Seaman John Gallon, C/TDX.1974 (Leamington-on-Tyne).

For enterprise and devotion to duty in minesweeping:

Mention in Despatches.

Temporary Lieutenant Leonard Sidney Hardy, R.N.V.R. (Windsor).

Second Hand Arthur Henry Creighton, LT/JX.167105 (Blackpool). Petty Officer Percy Gilbert Sydney Pepperell, LT/JX.173503 (Paignton).

For outstanding services:

Mention in Despatches.

Acting Lieutenant-Commander Morgan Charles Giles, M.B.E., G.M., Royal Navy (Teignmouth).

For good services in the signal department of H.Nor.M.S. Stord during the action in which the Scharnhorst was sunk:

Mention in Despatches.

Leading Telegraphist William Lawrence Catlow, D/JX.156195.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give unrestricted permission for the wearing of the insignia of the following honour bestowed by King Haakon of Norway for services to Norway:

Commander of the Order of St. Olav.

Captain Guy Oakley Maund, D.S.O., Royal Navy (Retired).

The following corrections are made:

In London Gazette Supplement No. 36345 of 25th January, 1944.

Page 479.

For Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Paul Willis,

R.N.V.R.

Read Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Charles Paul Willis, R.N.V.R.

In London Gazette Supplement No. 36505 of 9th May, 1944,

Page 2126:

For Able Seaman Robert Henry Peters, C/JX.301355.

Read Able Seaman Robert Henry Peter, C/JX.301335.

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