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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1.

7th November, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotion in, and 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 George Roland Gordon Allen, D.S.O., O.B.E., Royal Navy (Retired),

for distinguished service in the planning of operations which led to the capture of the Island of Elba.

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

Temporary Lieutenant Percy Ellis Croisdale Pickles, R.N.V.R. (Scarborough).

for great bravery and devotion to duty in rescuing the wounded and in damage control.

ADMIRALTY.

Whitehall.

7th November, 1944.

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

For outstanding courage, skill and devotion to duty in successful patrols in H.M. Submarine Universal:

To be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order:

Lieutenant Cecil Gordon, Royal Navy (Trevone, Cornwall).

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Temporary Lieutenant Ronald Coates Walker, R.N.V.R. (Hull).

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Acting Chief Petty Officer Robert Dannatt, P/JX.283275 (Hull).

Petty Officer William Bennett, C/JX.150767 (London).

Temporary Acting Petty Officer Walter Edward Garnham, D/SSX.23807 (Swansea).

Temporary Acting Petty Officer Telegraphist Norman Cochrane, P/JX.156654 (Chester).

Engine Room Artificer Third Class Robert Williams, P/MX.59350 (North Shields).

Able Seaman Albert Teft, D/JX.190704 (Boston).

Mention in Despatches.

Lieutenant Edward John Bethell Marsden-Smedley, Royal Navy (Ashover).

Stoker Petty Officer Thomas Ernest Deacon, C/KX.84144 (Coventry).

Temporary Acting Leading Seaman Ivor George Bearne, D/SSX.20857 (Exmouth).

Temporary Acting Leading Stoker Francis Edward Evetts, P/KX.128236 (Birmingham).

Temporary Acting Leading Stoker Robert John James Gritton, P/KX.145097 (Walker-on-Tyne).

For distinguished services in operations, carried out in the face of determined opposition from the enemy, which led to the capture of the Island of Elba:

Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.

Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander Ian Charles Alexander Ferguson, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Tunbridge Wells).

Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander James Alfred Scott-Wilson, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Birmingham).

Temporary Lieutenant John Reginald Pitt, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Barton-on-Sea).

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Commander Christopher Simpson, Royal Navy (Retired).