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## CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

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

*13th March, 1945.*

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:*

Commander Cowley Thomas, Royal Navy (Retired),

for skill, resource and organisation in the opening-up of Port-en-Bessin, Normandy.

Acting Captain Leslie Thompson, D.S.C., R.D., R.N.R. (Retired),

for devotion to duty, skill and organisation during assault operations on Normandy.

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

Lieutenant Ralph Burton Goodwin, R.N.Z.N.V.R.,

for outstanding courage and devotion to duty.

Temporary Lieutenant Nicholas Banister, Royal Marines,

for his outstanding devotion to duty in dealing with casualties under difficult circumstances following the assault on Normandy.

## CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

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

*13th March, 1945.*

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

Temporary Lieutenant Albert Leslie Broom, R.N.V.R.,

Temporary Lieutenant Percy Grant, R.N.V.R.,

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Ronald Mervyn Orr, R.N.V.R.,

for gallantry and undaunted devotion to duty.

## CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

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

*13th March, 1945.*

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

Chief Petty Officer Frank Souton, C/232621, Stoker First Class John William Barton, C/K.64333,

for bravery and devotion to duty.

Temporary Acting Petty Officer George Harold Bridle, C/JX.206645 (St. Mary's Cray),

for courage, example and leadership in control of a fire following an enemy attack on a Merchant Ship, which necessitated the disposal of live ammunition.

Petty Officer Motor Mechanic Denis Patrick Fearon, P/MX.98902 (Coventry),

for great gallantry when his Motor Launch was set on fire through an explosion, in going below to turn off petrol and subsequently in fire-fighting.

ADMIRALTY,

*Whitehall.*

*13th March, 1945.*

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 outstanding courage, leadership and skill during the build-up of the Normandy bridgehead:

*To be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order:*

Acting Captain The Lord Teynham, D.S.C., Royal Navy.

*Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.*

Temporary Lieutenant John Adhemar Simson,  
D.S.C., R.N.V.R.

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Acting Commander George Nelson, Royal Navy.  
Lieutenant Seely Phillips, Royal Navy.  
Temporary Lieutenant Harry Westby, R.N.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant John Norman Bligh, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant George Leslie Carlton, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant John Speirs Fullarton, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant Trevor Campbell Muir, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant Harold Russell Walker, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant (E) George Arthur Palmer, R.N.R.  
Temporary Electrical Lieutenant William Bailey, G.M., R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Ian Christian Schram Inglis, R.N.V.R.  
Acting Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Albert Glyn John Davies, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (E) Henry Kitchener Pegg, R.N.V.R.

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Chief Engine Room Artificer Archibald Leslie Gisborne, P/MX.51483.  
Chief Engine Room Artificer Sydney Frederick Hewston, D/MX.49132.  
Petty Officer Harry John Cook, LT/JX.242789.  
Petty Officer William Charles Fedder, C/JX.140855.  
Leading Wireman Stanley Victor Roberts, C/MX.66269.  
Able Seaman Edward Frankland, D/JX.367766.  
Able Seaman Donald Edward Halladay, C/JX.353658.  
Ordinary Seaman Richard Brotherton Wharldall, P/JX.519367.

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

Temporary Lieutenant Robert Blane Gray, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant Frederick William Holton, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant Stanley John Ife, R.N.V.R.  
Sub-Lieutenant (E) Cyril George Perrie, R.N.V.R.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Captain Rodolph Henry Fane De Salis, O.B.E., D.S.C., Royal Navy (Retired).  
Captain John Charles Keith Dowding, C.B.E., D.S.O., R.D., R.N.R.  
Acting Captain Alan MacGregor Sheffield, Royal Navy.  
Captain (E) Robert Cobb, O.B.E., Royal Navy.  
Commander Arthur Hoyer Alexander, O.B.E., Royal Navy.  
Captain John William Grant, D.S.O., Royal Navy.  
Commander Redvers Michael Prior, D.S.O., D.S.C., Royal Navy.  
Acting Commander Peter Ralph Mackinnon, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.  
Acting Commander Frederick Edgar Wykes, R.N.R.

Temporary Commander James Fenwick Mackenzie, R.N.V.R.  
Constructor Commander Mervyn Charles Dunstan, R.C.N.C.  
Lieutenant-Commander Hugh Hedworth Hubback Mulleneux, D.S.C., Royal Navy.  
Lieutenant-Commander Richard Furneaux Stubbs, Royal Navy.  
Acting Commander (S) William James Farrell, D.S.C., Royal Navy.  
Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander Arthur Scrivener Bennett, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander Percy Edward Bowman, R.N.R.  
Acting Temporary Lieutenant-Commander George Patrick, R.N.R.  
Acting Temporary Lieutenant-Commander Samuel Frederick Carlisle, R.N.V.R.  
Acting Temporary Lieutenant-Commander Ronald Andrew Duncan, G.M., R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander Brian Selkirk Fidler, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander Ian George McDougall, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander Arthur Edward Pearson, R.N.V.R.  
Acting Temporary Lieutenant-Commander Donald Walker Ross, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander (E) Basil Sanders, Royal Navy.  
Temporary Surgeon Lieutenant-Commander Robert St. John Reardon Johnston, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., R.N.V.R.  
Lieutenant-Commander (S) Alan Duncan Baird, Royal Navy.  
Lieutenant Herbert Anthony John Hollings, M.B.F., D.S.C., Royal Navy.  
Lieutenant Joseph Allan Phillips, Royal Navy.  
Lieutenant Disney Mainwaring Vaughan-Hughes, R.N.  
Temporary Lieutenant Richard Thurston Bailey, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant Stanley Alfred Bishop, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant Frederick Charles Alexander Clark, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant Charles Frederick Craven, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant Ernest Edward Victor Flack, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant James Keddle, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant Robert Henry Nunn, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant Robert Cowie Sutherland, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant George Bell Smith Watson, D.S.M., R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant George Henry Whitehouse, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant John Geddes Watson, R.N.Z.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant (E) James Bazeley Petter, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant (E) Joseph Henry Scott, R.N.V.R.  
Acting Temporary Lieutenant (E) Frederick Percival Weedon, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Lieutenant (E) Robert Wood, R.N.V.R.  
Constructor Lieutenant David Lancaster Nicolson, R.C.N.C.  
Temporary Sub-Lieutenant William Noel Alty, R.N.V.R.  
Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Donald Walter Bonfield, R.N.V.R.

- Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Herbert John Edwards, R.N.V.R.  
 Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Arnold Clive Jones, R.N.V.R.  
 Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Thomas George Lewis, R.N.V.R.  
 Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Edward Denis Machin, R.N.V.R.  
 Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Kenneth William Peter Mackay, R.N.V.R.  
 Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Graham Dobson Rouse, R.N.V.R.  
 Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Charles Inglis Walker, R.N.V.R.  
 Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Frank Watts, R.N.V.R.  
 Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Bartholomew Sidney Whitten, R.N.V.R.  
 Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (E) Harold Julyan Grose, R.N.V.R.  
 Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (S) Jack Bennett, R.N.V.R.  
 Skipper James Shepherd Leighton, R.N.R.  
 Mr. Leonard Harris, Temporary Acting Boatswain, R.N.  
 Mr. Albert Hobson, Temporary Warrant Engineer, R.N.V.R.  
 Mr. Frederick Stanley Nicholls, Acting Warrant Mechanician, Royal Navy.  
 Mr. Samuel Francis Cross, Warrant Shipwright, Royal Navy.  
 Mr. Thomas Francis Hingston Foale, Warrant Shipwright, Royal Navy.  
 Mr. Leonard James Luke Ford, Warrant Shipwright, Royal Navy.  
 Mr. Frank Roberts Phillips, Warrant Shipwright, Royal Navy.  
 Mr. Alfred Samuel Robert Saunders, Warrant Shipwright, Royal Navy.  
 Mr. William Henry Albert Werry, Acting Warrant Shipwright, Royal Navy.  
 Acting Chief Petty Officer Hamilton Duff Simpson, P/MX.99515.  
 Acting Chief Petty Officer John Foster Spence, P/JX.143941.  
 Yeoman of Signals Roland Purvis, D/JX.132114.  
 Chief Petty Officer Telegraphist Walter Joshua Robson, D/J.43041.  
 Chief Engine Room Artificer James Springthorpe, D/MX.38355.  
 Chief Engine Room Artificer Leonard Leslie Tucker, D/MX.48344.  
 Engine Room Artificer First Class William James Powell, P/M.14966.  
 Chief Motor Mechanic Fourth Class Hubert Leblanc, R.C.N.V.R., A.1960.  
 Acting Chief Motor Mechanic Angus Sidney McHardy, C/MX.500498.  
 Shipwright Third Class Stewart William Coxell, D/MX.68254.  
 Shipwright Third Class Harold Leo Lester, C/MX.57207.  
 Shipwright Third Class Edward Whyte, P/MX.79393.  
 Chief Petty Officer Engineman Albert Ferris, LT/X.103345.  
 Chief Petty Officer Writer Maurice Killerby, P/MX.45884.  
 Stores Petty Officer (Temporary) Leonard Edward Hare, P/MX.48465.  
 Second Hand Donald Sutherland Smith, LT/JX.225107.  
 Petty Officer Herbert Edwin Barnett, D/JX.144360.  
 Petty Officer George Charles Best, P/JX.441374.  
 Petty Officer Harry Alexandra Boyd, P/JX.332817.  
 Petty Officer George William Dillon, P/JX.130012.  
 Petty Officer William Frederick Myner, P/JX.441441.  
 Petty Officer Coxswain William Henry Alfred Penn, P/JX.332743.  
 Petty Officer Charlie Richardson, P/JX.332857.  
 Petty Officer George Frederick James Sluman, P/JX.441438.  
 Temporary Petty Officer Richard Byrne Davis, D/JX.135078.  
 Acting Temporary Petty Officer Eric Stanley Shipp, P/JX.248380.  
 Petty Officer Telegraphist James Cullen Sorbie, D/J.105229.  
 Engine Room Artificer Fourth Class Norman Cecil Collins, C/MX.97828.  
 Petty Officer Motor Mechanic William Charles Denning, C/MX.75217.  
 Petty Officer Motor Mechanic Leo Robert Garand, R.C.N.V.R., V.53424.  
 Petty Officer Motor Mechanic Leslie Edward Oakley, C/MX.124228.  
 Petty Officer Motor Mechanic Francis O'Brien, C/MX.105434.  
 Petty Officer Motor Mechanic William Parker, P/MX.636063.  
 Petty Officer Motor Mechanic Norman Wilson Stokes, P/MX.500140.  
 Petty Officer Motor Mechanic Horace Raymond Walters, C/MX.117925.  
 Stoker Petty Officer Harold Demings, D/JX.89769.  
 Shipwright Fourth Class Philip Reginald Handscombe, C/MX.505875.  
 Stores Petty Officer John Albert Thomas Bowen, P/MX.46886.  
 Leading Seaman Thomas William Oliver Barker, D/SSX.24225.  
 Leading Seaman Frederick Albert John Busby, P/JX.380796.  
 Leading Seaman Albert Edward Denson, C/JX.231502.  
 Leading Seaman (Coxswain) Stanley Louvain Fagan, P/JX.445043.  
 Leading Seaman James Coull Innes, LT/JX.280037.  
 Leading Seaman Thomas Riddell, C/JX.355364.  
 Leading Seaman William George Whitlock, C/JX.320032.  
 Temporary Leading Seaman Alexander Saxton, P/SSX.22072.  
 Leading Signaller Jack Clapperton, D/SSX.31438.  
 Leading Telegraphist Robert Leslie Macguire, C/J.90188.  
 Able Seaman Walter John Brewer, P/JX.302697.  
 Able Seaman Edward Russell Elkin, C/JX.301818.  
 Able Seaman John Henry Griffiths, P/JX.385983.  
 Able Seaman Walter Frederick O'Keefe, D/SSX.25852.  
 Able Seaman Arthur George Tilley, D/JX.181200.  
 Able Seaman Ernest Wright, P/JX.130373.  
 Signaller Denis Edwin Frederick Silverwood, LT/JX.571591.

Stoker First Class Ernest Mayer, P/KX. 162504.  
 Sick Berth Attendant John Gallagher, D/MX. 85578.  
 Sick Berth Attendant Herbert Ridgeway, P/MX.111766.  
 Stoker Second Class Thomas Cook, P/KX. 596760.  
 Seaman Alfred Gregory, LT/JX.316498.  
 Seaman James William Groombridge, LT/JX. 351269.  
 Seaman George Stewart, C/X.21696.

For outstanding courage, leadership and skill during the build-up of the Normandy bridgehead:

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Corporal (Temporary) (Acting Temporary Colour Sergeant) Thomas Burns, R.M., Po.X.106250.  
 Marine Gavin Scott Riddell, R.M., Ply.X. 102856.  
 Marine Henry Thomas Wicks, R.M., Po.X. 117058.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Captain (Acting Lieutenant-Colonel) George Barclay Grant, O.B.E., Royal Marines.  
 Lieutenant (Acting Lieutenant-Colonel) John Patrick Kelly, D.S.M., Royal Marines.  
 Temporary Lieutenant (Acting Temporary Captain) Leonard Dayus, Royal Marines.  
 Temporary Lieutenant (Acting Temporary Captain) William Sydney Webb, Royal Marines.  
 Temporary Lieutenant Laurence Alexander James Feacey, Royal Marines.  
 Temporary Lieutenant John Martyn Goodwin, Royal Marines.  
 Lieutenant (Temporary) Frank Howard Sowman, Royal Marines.  
 Sergeant (Acting Temporary Company Sergeant Major) William Roy, R.M., Po.X.1017.  
 Temporary Sergeant Richard Morgan Salmon, R.M., Ex.4254.  
 Temporary Sergeant Charles Robert James Tottle, R.M., Po.X.102078.  
 Temporary Sergeant John Reeve, R.M.E., 10796.  
 Corporal (Temporary) (Acting Temporary Sergeant) Joseph William Bass, R.M., Po.X. 3447.  
 Marine (Acting Temporary Sergeant) Kenneth James Harper, R.M., Ch.X.108854.  
 Temporary Corporal John Cadman, R.M., Ex.526.  
 Temporary Corporal Herbert William Gibbs, R.M., Ex.4421.  
 Marine (Acting Temporary Corporal) Fred Kennedy, R.M., Ply.X.3579.  
 Marine George Jolly Bartlett, R.M., Ch.X. 109415.  
 Marine David Thomas Crathern, R.M., Ch.X. 113399.  
 Marine Harold William Pell, R.M., Ch.X. 102786.

For courage, skill, daring and devotion to duty whilst operating from, or serving in, H.M. Ships Victorious, Indomitable and Indefatigable in an attack on an enemy oil refinery in the Far East:

*Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.*

Acting Temporary Lieutenant-Commander (A) William Stuart, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Co. Armagh).

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (A) Donald John Sheppard, R.C.N.V.R. (Toronto).

*Mention in Despatches.*

Sub-Lieutenant (A) Keith Alexander McLennan, R.N.Z.N.V.R. (Lower Hutt, N.Z.).  
 Sub-Lieutenant (A) Edward Taylor Wilson, S.A.N.F.(V) (Johannesburg).  
 Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (A) Ian Henry Foster Martin, R.N.V.R. (Banwell).  
 Temporary Sub-Lieutenant (A) Howard Alton Rhodes, R.N.Z.N.V.R. (Rangitiki).  
 Petty Officer Air Mechanic (O) Robert Wanless Wilson, FAA/FX.77215 (Chester-le-Street, Co. Durham).  
 Temporary Air Artificer Fourth Class Donald Doley Mills, FAA/FX.83034 (Birmingham).

For gallantry and devotion to duty in the care and rescue of survivors on the Assault Beach at Walcheren:

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Temporary Lieutenant George Anthony Rawlins, R.N.V.R. (Birmingham).

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Temporary Leading Sick Berth Attendant John Ferguson, C/MX.85350 (Stockton-on-Tees).

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Lieutenant Gordon Ellis Bisson, R.N.Z.N.V.R. (Napier, N.Z.).

For zeal, energy and great devotion to duty while training minesweepers and for courageous performance of duties during minesweeping operations from D-Day onwards:

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Acting Lieutenant-Commander Ronald Gresham, R.N.V.R. (Sheffield).

For exceptional courage, judgment and fine seamanship during landing operations on enemy defended coasts in the Mediterranean:

*Bar to the Distinguished Service Medal.*

Leading Seaman Samuel Smalley, D.S.M., LT/JX.242527.

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Seaman Donald Ernest Miles, LT/JX.218353.

For skill and gallantry in successful attacks on enemy shipping in the Adriatic and in the rescue of survivors in a heavy sea.

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Chief Motor Mechanic Joseph Leonard Lee, P/MX.78719 (Nuneaton).  
 Leading Seaman William Goulding, C/SSX. 26281 (Barnsley).

*Mention in Despatches.*

Able Seaman Ronald Leslie Ames, P/JX. 296363 (Ashington).  
 Able Seaman Basil Newall, C/JX.374875 (Windsor).

For skill, determination and bravery in anti-U-boat operations whilst serving with H.M. Ships Troubridge, Terpsichore and Vetch:

*Bar to the Distinguished Service Order.*

Captain Charles Leslie Firth, D.S.O., M.V.O., Royal Navy.

*Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.*

Commander Alfred Charles Behague, O.B.E., D.S.C., Royal Navy.

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Temporary Lieutenant George Neilson Ferguson, R.N.V.R.

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Acting Temporary Petty Officer John William Millyard, C/JX.176577 (Brighton).

Able Seaman Philip Finbar Hurst, P/JX.175586.

Able Seaman Clifford Scott, D/SSX.15837 (Oldham).

*Mention in Despatches.*

Acting Temporary Lieutenant-Commander Herbert James Beverley, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.R.

Lieutenant Anthony James Raymond Foster, D.S.C., Royal Navy (Plympton).

Lieutenant Frederick Sutton Holt, R.A.N.V.R. Chief Engine Room Artificer Douglas Harris, D.S.M., P/MX.49258 (Birtt, Ayrshire).

Temporary Petty Officer John Herbert Daintree, D/JX.140518 (Altrincham).

Acting Temporary Petty Officer Edward Albert Thurlow, C/JX.151800 (Bury St. Edmunds).

For his resource, bravery and great devotion to duty in a forward observation bombardment party during the landing operations in Italy and the South of France:

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

Telegraphist John Edwin Liggins, D/JX.341154.

For courage, vigilance and resource whilst carrying out his duties as mine-watcher on the Italian coast:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Able Seaman Percy Robert Thompson, P/SS.9126 (Sheffield).

For leadership and skill in arduous mine clearance operations:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Lieutenant Ralph Arthur Donovan Copper, R.N.V.R. (Seaford).

Temporary Lieutenant Sydney Granville Rogers, R.N.V.R. (Manchester).

Acting Chief Engineman Harold William Fletcher, LT/KX.105231 (Lowestoft).

Leading Seaman Arthur George Adams, LT/JX.185907.

Leading Seaman Christopher George Batty, LT/JX.225151 (Hull).

Steward Sidney Albert Taylor, LT/LX.31130 (Plaistow).

For resource, energy and devotion to duty under arduous conditions during the invasion of the Low Countries:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Acting Temporary Lieutenant-Commander Cecil Jermyn Durand, R.N.V.R.

Able Seaman Tudor Howell Davies, R/JX.244153.

Rigger Charles Henry Betts, R/JX.180808.

For continuing to carry out his duties with courage and determination after an attack which put his ship in danger of capsizing:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Lieutenant (S) Stephen Clive Robinson, R.C.N.V.R. (Duncan, B.C.).

For devotion to duty during operations in the Mediterranean theatre covering a period from 1st April to 10th September, 1944:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Lieutenant-Commander Francis Brookes Richards, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.

For determination, zeal and good service in disembarking troops under difficult conditions in the Le Havre roadstead:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Lieutenant Thomas Edward Robinson, R.N.V.R.

For good services in fire-fighting in a defensively equipped Merchant Ship:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Acting Able Seaman Robert Patterson, P/JX.396289 (Edinburgh).

For good leadership in the training of his gun crew and for skill and accuracy in combating an enemy air attack during which an enemy aircraft was destroyed:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Chief Petty Officer Arnold Sherrington Hardy, D/J.107531 (Parkstone).

For bravery and resource in fire-fighting under enemy attack during the invasion of Normandy:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Convoy Signalman Alan George Froude, C/JX.573663.

For good services to the survivors when H.M.C.S. Regina was lost:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Sick Berth Attendant William Oneschuk, R.C.N.V.R., V.34142.

For outstanding services in beaching and unbeaching ships during the invasion of Normandy:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander Herbert John Anstice, R.N.R. (Reading).

Temporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander Benjamin John Maxwell De Courcy, R.N.R. (Exeter).

For courage, skill and daring whilst operating from H.M. Indefatigable:

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Captain (Acting Major) Vernon Beauclerk George Cheesman, D.S.O., M.B.E., Royal Marines (Horsham, Sussex).

For bravery, resource and devotion to duty under dangerous conditions during operations in the Adriatic:

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Temporary Lieutenant Peter George Davis, Royal Marines.

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Marine (Acting Temporary Corporal) Eric James Earnshaw, R.M., Ex.3171.

*Mention in Despatches.*

Marine (Acting Temporary Corporal) Edwin Percy Martin, R.M. Po.X.118438.

Corporal (Temporary) George Wanless Wilkinson, R.M., Po.X.105990.

Marine Ralph Josiah Hawes, R.M., Po.X.108260.

Marine William Arthur Joseph Reading, R.M., Po.X.118334.

Marine (Acting Temporary Lance Corporal) Charles Raymond Shelley, R.M., Ply.X.112763.

Marine Henry George Goodenough, R.M., Po.X.117024.

Marine Gerald Nestor, R.M., Ply.X.112776.

Marine Colin Sharp, R.M., Po.X.119010.

Marine Cyril Edward Smith, R.M., Ply.X.112797.

Marine Frederick Charles Westbrook, R.M., Ch.X.114397.

For great courage and exemplary behaviour whilst carrying out commando operations under heavy enemy fire off the Yugoslavian coast:

*The Military Cross.*

Temporary Captain (Acting Temporary Major) James Dennis Wakeling, Royal Marines.

*The Military Medal.*

Sergeant (Temporary) Thomas Christopher Dennison Gallon, R.M., Ex.3235.

Corporal (Temporary) (Acting Temporary Sergeant) Kenneth Richard Pickering, R.M., Ex.3877.

Marine Charles Nicholls, R.M., Ply.X.2570.

For good services while operating with the 21st Army Group:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Captain (Acting Temporary Major) Harold Rex Burton, Royal Marines.

Lieutenant (Acting Major) Derek Roderick de Stacpoole, Royal Marines.

Temporary Lieutenant (Acting Temporary Captain) Charles Edward Docwra, Royal Marines.

Temporary Lieutenant (Quartermaster) Arthur William Nash, Royal Marines.

Lieutenant (Acting Captain) Terence Frederick Cousins, Royal Marines.

Temporary Lieutenant Dennis Arthur Treves Atkins, S.A.U.D.F.

Temporary Lieutenant Colin Leigh, Royal Marines.

Temporary Captain (Acting Temporary Major) John Peter Wentworth Wood, Royal Marines.

Sergeant (Temporary) William George Buckingham, R.M., Ch.X.100413 (London).

Marine (Acting Temporary Sergeant) Robert Edward Webb, R.M., Ch.X.103808 (Fishguard).

Marine (Acting Temporary Sergeant) Reginald Gordon Kirby, R.M. Ply.X.104311 (Leicester).

Colour Sergeant (Acting Quartermaster Sergeant) Charles George Sidney Bolt, B.E.M., R.M., Ply.22587 (Bournemouth).

Sergeant (Temporary) James William Black, R.M., Ply.X.120166 (Bristol).

Sergeant (Temporary) John Alan Burrell, R.M., Ex.4728 (Derby).

Sergeant (Temporary) (Acting Temporary Company Sergeant Major) Kenneth John Holmes, R.M., Ex.3215 (Letchworth, Herts).

Sergeant (Acting Temporary Quartermaster Sergeant) John Thomas Lund, R.M., Po.X.1315 (Mexborough).

Sergeant (Temporary) Edward John Rolfe, R.M., Po.X.101824 (Kingston-on-Thames).

Marine (Acting Temporary Corporal) James Anthony Kelly, R.M., Po.X.108397 (Liverpool).

Marine Joseph Henry Clark, R.M., Po.X.100737 (Scunthorpe).

Marine Edward John Josiah Woods, R.M., Po.X.120767 (Clapham).

Marine Seaton Murray, R.M., Po.X.109857.

For devotion to duty during operations in the Mediterranean theatre covering a period from 1st April to 10th September, 1944:

*Mention in Despatches.*

Temporary Lieutenant (Acting Temporary Captain) Desmond Birdwood Clark, Royal Marines.

Temporary Lieutenant (Acting Temporary Captain) Donal Thurston Murray Thomson, Royal Marines.

Marine (Acting Temporary Corporal) George McKenna, R.M., Ex.3363 (Middlesbrough).

Marine (Lance-Corporal) Hubert William Stewart, R.M., Ex.4091 (Aberlour, Scotland).

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