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.
34<sup>II</sup>54.

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

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