

For great gallantry, leadership and outstanding devotion to duty in the last stages of the defence of the Island of Leros:

*Mention in Despatches (Posthumous).*

Lieutenant Allan PHIPPS, Royal Navy.

For good service and devotion to duty whilst attached to the Allied Military Forces during the liberation of North-West Europe:

*Mention in Despatches.*

The Reverend John SIMPSON-LEE, Chaplain, Royal Navy.

For gallant and distinguished service displayed in the Italian campaign when taking part in the operations in April, 1945, north of the Reno and west of Argenta:

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

Temporary Lieutenant (Acting Temporary Captain) Malcolm Reeve NUNNS, Royal Marines.

*The Military Cross.*

Temporary Lieutenant William Glyn JENKINS, Royal Marines.

*The Military Medal.*

Sergeant (Temporary) Charles COOPER, R.M., Ply.X.104215 (Farnworth, Lancs.).

Marine John Robert SQUIRE, R.M., Ch.X. 106171 (South Norwood, S.E.25).

For distinguished service, efficiency and zeal whilst serving in H.M.S. Aurora during the relief of Greece:

*The Distinguished Service Medal.*

Marine James William PEDDER, R.M., Ply.X. 4238 (Cheshunt).

*Mention in Despatches.*

Sergeant (Temporary) Harry Leonard BURLEY, R.M., Po.X.1531.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give unrestricted permission for the wearing of the following decorations, bestowed by the President of the United States of America:—

For distinguished service as Task Group Commander during operations in the South-West Pacific from August, 1944 to January, 1945:

*Legion of Merit, Degree of Officer.*

Captain Lord Noel ASHBOURNE, D.S.O., Royal Navy.

For courage, determination and expert seamanship as Commander of a minesweeping group during the assault on Salerno, September, 1944:

*Legion of Merit, Degree of Officer.*

Acting Captain Lionel James SPENCER, D.S.O., D.S.C., Royal Navy.

The following correction is made:—

In London Gazette Supplement No. 37211 of 7th August, 1945: Page 4022:

*For:*

*The Distinguished Service Cross.*

Acting Lieutenant-Commander Ronald Arthur BIRD, Royal Navy (Largs, Ayrshire).

*Read:*

*Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.*

Acting Lieutenant-Commander Ronald Arthur BIRD, D.S.C., Royal Navy (Largs, Ayrshire).

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