

*Admiralty, 24th September, 1945.**R.M.*

- Capt. (Q.M.) (Actg. Maj. (Q.M.)) R. G. HARRIS to relinquish the rank of Actg. Maj. (Q.M.). 21st Sept. 1945.
- Capt. (Q.M.) C. H. CROSS to Retd. List. 24th Sept. 1945.
- Tempy. Lt. A. R. BREWER to be Actg. Tempy. Capt. 24th Sept. 1945.
- Tempy. Lt. (Actg. Tempy. Capt.) A. T. BAMBER to relinquish the rank of Actg. Tempy. Capt. 24th Sept. 1945.
- Tempy. Lt. (Actg. Tempy. Maj.) R. B. GODFRAY granted the War Sub. rank of Tempy. Capt. and to retain the rank of Actg. Tempy. Maj. 23rd Sept. 1945.

*Admiralty, 25th September, 1945.**R.M.*

- Tempy. Capt. (Actg. Tempy. Maj.) N. L. STEELE to be Actg. Tempy. Lt.-Col., 1st June 1945, granted the War Sub. rank of Tempy. Maj., 1st Sept. 1945, and to relinquish the rank of Actg. Tempy. Lt.-Col. 15th Sept. 1945.
- Tempy. Lt. P. C. R. MUNN to be Actg. Tempy. Capt. 24th Sept. 1945.
- Lt. G. W. CLARK to be Actg. Capt. 23rd Sept. 1945.
- Tempy. Lt. L. P. SILVER, commn. terminated. 23rd Sept. 1945.

*Admiralty, 26th September, 1945.**R.M.*

- Tempy. Capt. (Actg. Tempy. Maj.) A. L. BLAKE, M.C., to be Actg. Tempy. Lt.-Col. 4th Sept. 1945.
- Lt. (Retd.) H. W. EDMUNDS to revert to Retd. List. 25th Sept. 1945.
- Tempy. Lt. W. H. JUSTER to be Actg. Tempy. Capt. 24th Sept. 1945.

*Admiralty, 28th September, 1945.**R.M.*

- Tempy. Lt. (Actg. Tempy. Capt.) D. FRASER to be Actg. Tempy. Maj. 27th Sept. 1945.
- Capt. (Tempy. Maj.) L. A. HARRIS, O.B.E., D.S.C., to be Actg. Maj. 30th July 1945.
- S.S.M. (Actg. Lt. (Q.M.)) R. J. BROOKS, M.B.E., to be Lt. (Q.M.) (Accelerated). 24th Sept. 1945.

*Admiralty, July, 1945.**R.N.R.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the R.N.R. Officers' Decoration to:—

- Actg. Cdr. Victor Neal FORD (Retd.).
- Actg. Cdr. Robert Norman TAYLOR (Retd.).
- Actg. Cdr. (S) Edward Patrick GEERE.
- Lt.-Cdr. Bernard MANSFIELD.
- Lt.-Cdr. Reginald MERCER.
- Lt.-Cdr. William Roderick SYMON.
- Lt.-Cdr. Richard Joseph TADHUNTER.
- Lt.-Cdr. William Smith Wharrie MAIN.
- Lt.-Cdr. William Francis GRAVES (Retd.).
- Actg. Lt.-Cdr. Edward Christian St. Arnaud COLES.
- Actg. Lt.-Cdr. Arthur HAGUE.
- Actg. Lt.-Cdr. John Robinson BATY (Retd.).
- Actg. Lt.-Cdr. (S) Edgar Patrick Fitzgerald FAGAN.
- Skipr. Lt. Andrew Bruce BUCHAN, 2591 W.S.
- Actg. Skipr. Lt. John Henry CONSADINE, 2677 W.S.

*Admiralty, 28th September, 1945.**R.N.V.R.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the R.N.V.R. Officers' Decoration to:—

- Cdr. Frederick Vivian VAUGHAN (Retd.).
- Surgn. Cdr. Edward Clifton JOHNSON.
- Surgn. Cdr. Alistair Livingston GUNN.
- Surgn. Cdr. Graham Patterson McCULLAGH.
- Lt.-Cdr. Stephen Ratcliff LYNCH.
- Lt.-Cdr. John Russell DUGUID.
- Lt.-Cdr. Albert Wesley ANDERSON.

- Lt.-Cdr. Henry Elcock WILSON.
- Actg. Lt.-Cdr. Grahame Henry BIRD, D.S.C.
- Lt.-Cdr. (S) (Actg. Cdr. (S)) William Blair SPEIRS.
- Lt.-Cdr. (S) John Alan BELL.
- Tempy. Actg. Lt.-Cdr. Ronald James Douglas Clark GRIEVE.
- Mr. Albert Edward INGRAM, Boatswain, R.N.V.R.

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In pursuance of His Majesty's Pleasure, Surgeon Captain F. L. CASSIDI, V.D., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.B., B.Ch., has been appointed an Honorary Surgeon to The King to date 29th March, 1945.

*Admiralty, Bath, 27th September, 1945.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of an award for the salvage of s.s. "Tahchee" during the period 22-25/8/43 by His Majesty's Ship "Vansittart" and H.M.R.T. "Stormking" will commence on Saturday the 6th October, 1945 in the Prize Branch of the Directorate of Navy Accounts, Admiralty.

All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not now serving, should be addressed to the Director of Navy Accounts (D.N.A. 3A.), Admiralty, Bath. Such applications (except in the case of Commissioned Officers) should be accompanied by Certificates of Service.

The following are the amounts due to individuals in the various classes:—

	H.M.S.			H.M.R.T.		
	"Vansittart"			"Stormking"		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
2nd Class ...	35	16	5	—	—	—
5th Class ...	17	18	2	38	9	2
6th Class ...	13	8	7	28	16	10
7th Class ...	10	14	10	23	1	6
8th Class ...	8	19	0	19	4	7
9th Class ...	7	3	2	15	7	8
10th Class ...	5	7	4	11	10	9
11th Class ...	4	9	7	9	12	4
12th Class ..	2	13	9	5	15	6

*India Office, 5th October, 1945.*

The KING has been pleased to appoint Maj.-Genl. (actg. Lt.-Gen.) A. R. GODWIN-AUSTEN, C.B., O.B.E., M.C., Brit. Serv., to a special appt., 7th Sept. 1945.

The KING has approved the following Promotions, Appointments, Retirements, etc.:—

*INDIAN ARMY.**Emergency Commissions.*

The undermentioned officers are transferred to the Indian Army in their existing War Substantive ranks, their seniority remaining unaffected:—

1st Jan. 1945.

- P/150576 W/S Capt. Herbert BRUMMELL, Loyal R. (E.C. 14079).
- P/170974 W/S Capt. Harold Alfred BROWN, R.A.C. (R.T.R.) (E.C. 14080).
- P/212491 W/S Lt. Claude Louis CARTER, R.A. (E.C. 14081).
- P/214460 W/S Lt. Maurice Philip DONNELLY, Pioneer Corps (E.C. 14082).
- P/164494 W/S Lt. Samuel FARMER, Devon R. (E.C. 14083).
- P/295148 W/S Lt. Godfrey Bertram MITFORD-SLADE, Pioneer Corps (E.C. 14084).

The undermentioned officers are appointed for service with the R.I.A.S.C. in the rank of 2nd Lt.:—

15th Sept. 1945.

- Charles Dudley ALLEN (E.C. 14053).
- Edward Charles TERRY (E.C. 14075).

The notification in the Gazette of 1st Jan. 1943, regarding the appt. of Boris Messina HEMBRY is cancelled.

The undermentioned officers relinquish their comms. on account of ill-health:—

- Capt. (Ty. Maj.) H. L. FORBES-LEITH (E.C. 6029) 23rd Feb. 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.
- Capt. A. J. CUMMING (E.C. 9159) 28th Feb. 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.
- Lt. R. HOWARTH (E.C. 8979) 26th Apl. 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.