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State Intelligence

HONOURS AND AWARDS

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

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

1st May 1964.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Canadian Ministers, to approve the award of the George Medal to the undermentioned:

Chief Petty Officer Second Class Joseph Henry Kenneth LAY, CD 24909-H, Royal Canadian Navy.

At 0700 on 13th January 1962, Chief Petty Officer Joseph Henry Kenneth Lay and a companion, Chief Petty Officer W. Thompson, were at Western Head, Lockeport, Nova Scotia, preparing to go duck hunting. At the time there was intermittent snow with onshore winds from the N.N.E. at 20 knots and air temperature 27°F. Sea temperature was 40°F. with waves up to four feet except off shore where local tidal effects caused rip tides and waves 10 to 15 feet in height. While standing on the shore, deciding whether to go duck shooting or not in view of the weather conditions, they were informed that an overturned boat had been sighted and a cry for help heard. Bystanders reported there was a small boat some distance away which Chief Petty Officer Lay and his companion located and skidded over the snow some three quarters of a mile before launching into the sea. Due to the size of the boat it was not possible for both Chief Petty Officers to attempt the rescue. However, Chief Petty Officer Lay, dressed in heavy winter clothing and without regard for his own personal safety, rowed the boat to the overturned craft. Realising his boat would capsize if he attempted to bring the delirious man into it, Chief Petty Officer Lay persuaded him to hang onto the stern. Due to his exhausted condition the man was unable to do so. Chief Petty Officer Lay then positioned his feet over the man's arms and held him in place. In this manner Chief Petty Officer Lay rowed his small eight foot boat some 300 yards to the shore through the hazardous, shoaling waters and rip tide with seas ranging in height to fifteen feet. In view of the sea state and prevailing weather conditions, this rescue demanded great courage, endurance and alertness. Chief Petty Officer Lay undoubtedly risked his own life in saving Mr. Fiske from death by drowning.

CROWN OFFICE

House of Lords, London S.W.1.

30th April 1964.

The QUEEN has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 30th day of April 1964 to grant to Sir Donald Leslie Finmore, Knight,

lately one of the Justices of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, an annuity of £4,000 for life, commencing on the 6th day of April 1964.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Warrant under Her Royal Sign Manual dated the 30th April 1964, to appoint Major the Right Honourable David Lockhart-Mure Renton, T.D., Q.C., to be Deputy Chairman of the Court of Quarter Sessions for the County of Essex in accordance with the provisions of the Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Provisions)

The QUEEN has been pleased by Warrant under Her Royal Sign Manual dated the 30th April 1964, to appoint His Honour Judge William Lawson Walford Campbell, to be Deputy Chairman of the Court of Quarter Sessions for the County of Essex, in accordance with the provisions of the Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1938.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Warrant under Her Royal Sign Manual dated the 30th April 1964, to appoint Squadron Leader Joseph Thomas Molony, Q.C. (formerly R.A.F.), to be Recorder of the City of Bristol.

TREASURY

Treasury Chambers, London S.W.1.

1st May 1964.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS

1. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England on Friday, the 8th May 1964 at 1 p.m. for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the National Loans Act, 1939, to the amount of £250,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5,000, £10,000, £25,000, £50,000 or £100,000. They will be dated at the option of the tenderer on any business day from Monday the 11th May 1964 to Saturday the 16th May 1964, inclusive, and will be due 91 days after date.

3. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

4. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000, and must specify the date on which the Bills required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of one penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates.