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**Royal Canadian Navy
Flag Officers**

**Admiral Percy Walker NELLES, CB
Chief of the Naval Staff**

Born: 07/01/1892 Brantford, Ontario
 Father: Brigadier Charles Meklam Nelles, CMG, RCD
 Died: 13/06/1951 Victoria, BC - Buried at sea *HMCS Sault Ste. Marie*

Honours

09/01/1943	CB	Companion of the Order of the Bath	Vice-Admiral
27/06/1946	Commander	Legion of Merit	USA Admiral
27/11/1946	Commander	Legion of Honour	France Admiral
27/11/1946	Croix	Croix de Guerre avec Palme en Bronze	Admiral
01/12/1948	Knight	1 st Class - Order of St. Olav	Norway Admiral

Military

01/08/1908	Cadet	FPS * 2 nd Cadet but 1 st on dropped out
1909	Cadet	FPS * CGS Canada (Fisheries Protection Cruiser)
26/06/1910	Cadet	RCN To HMCS Niobe Canadian Naval Force
21/10/1910	Midshipman	RCN HMCS Niobe Canadian Naval Force
01/12/1913	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN <i>HMS Dreadnought</i>
14/07/1914	Lieutenant	RCN <i>HMS Suffolk</i> at Vera Cruz during Mexican
1916	Lieutenant	RCN <i>HMS Antrim</i> \ Revolution
07/04/1917	Lieutenant	RCN Flag Lieutenant (to Adm Kingsmill) at NSHQ
1920	Lieutenant	RCN RN Intelligence Course
1921	Lieutenant	RCN NSHQ in Director of Intelligence office
14/07/1922	Lt-Commander	RCN NSHQ in Director of Intelligence office
1923	Lt-Commander	RCN <i>HMS Caledon</i>
1925	Lt-Commander	RCN Royal Naval Staff Course
01/12/1925	Commander	RCN Promoted - Commander Pacific Coast
22/07/1929	Commander	RCN HMS President for Staff Officer Tech Course
01/12/1929	Commander	RCN Commanding Officer Pacific Coast
1930	Acting Captain	RCN Commanding Officer of <i>HMS Dragon</i>
22/05/1931	Commander	RCN Commanding Officer of <i>HMCS Saguenay</i>
06/06/1932	Commander	RCN End term as CO <i>HMCS Saguenay</i>
07/06/1932	Commander	RCN HMCS Stadacona as Commander of Halifax
01/01/1933	Captain	RCN Promoted Captain - Commander of Halifax
01/01/1934	Captain	RCN Assistant Chief of Naval Staff
01/07/1934	Commodore 1 st Class	RCN Chief of the Naval Staff 1 st Member Naval
04/08/1938	Rear-Admiral	RCN Chief of the Naval Staff \ Board
19/11/1941	Vice-Admiral	RCN Chief of the Naval Staff
15/01/1944	Vice-Admiral	RCN To HMCS Niobe (London)-Sr Cdn Flag Officer
06/01/1945	Vice-Admiral	RCN Retires from the RCN
07/01/1945	Admiral	RCN Promoted to Admiral 1 day after retiring

FPS* Fisheries Protection Service

**Admiral Percy Walker NELLES, CB
Chief of the Naval Staff**

Citation to **Companion of the Order of the Bath (CB)**

"For services as Chief of the Naval Staff of Canada from 1934 to the present time, during which period, the Royal Canadian Navy has expanded from a few hundred officers and ratings to upwards of 45,000."

Citation to **Commander of the Legion of Merit (USA)**

"For the exceptionally meritorious services to the Government of the United States from 1940 to 1944. As Chief of the Naval Staff, Royal Canadian Navy, Admiral Nelles was untiring in his efforts to strengthen the ties of friendship and co-operation between Canada and the United States; to prepare the Royal Canadian Navy for immediate co-operation with the United States Navy in the event that the United States should abruptly enter the war; and, after December 7, 1941, to establish and plan the co-operation between the two Navies which resulted in final victory."

Citation to the **Commander of the Legion of Honour (France)**

"For services as Chief of the Naval Staff, Royal Canadian Navy, throughout World War Two."

Medals of Rear-Admiral Leonard Warren MURRAY, CB, CBE, RCN:

CB - 1914/15 Star - British War Medal - WW1 Victory Medal - Defence - CVSM & Clasp - 1939/45 War Medal - GV Jubilee Medal - GVI Coronation Medal - Commander, Legion of Merit (USA) - Commander, Legion of Honour (France) - Croix de Guerre avec Palme en Bronze (France) - Knight 1st Class Order of St. Olav (Norway)



Vice-Admiral George Clarence ("Jetty") JONES, CB
Chief of the Naval Staff

Born: 24/10/1895 Halifax, Nova Scotia
 Died: 08/02/1946 Ottawa, Ontario While Chief of Naval Staff

Honours

05/06/1943	CB	Companion of the Order of the Bath	Rear-Admiral
01/01/1946a	Commander	Legion d'Honneur	France Vice-Admiral
03/08/1946	Commander	Legion of Merit	USA Vice-Admiral
01/12/1948a	Knight	1 st Class Order of St. Olav	Norway Vice-Admiral
01/12/1948a	Croix	Croix de Guerre avec Palmes en Bronze	Vice-Admiral

Military

19/01/1911	Naval Cadet	RCN	1 st Term Royal Naval College of Canada
15/01/1913	Midshipman	RCN	To <i>HMS Berwick</i> for training
1915	Midshipman	RCN	To <i>HMS Suffolk</i> for training
01/12/1915	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Cumberland</i>
1916	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	To RN Barracks Portsmouth Sub/Lt Course
01/12/1916	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Victory II</i> - Promoted Sub-Lieutenant
01/01/1917	Acting Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Hecla</i>
01/06/1917	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Excellent</i> - Promoted Lieutenant
07/06/1917	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Woolwich</i> for <i>HMS Pelican</i>
15/10/1917	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Vanquisher</i> as First Lieutenant
1918	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Wallington</i>
1918	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Leander</i>
1919	Lieutenant	RCN	To Royal Naval College of Canada
01/11/1920	Lieutenant	RCN	1 st CO of <i>HMCS Patrician</i> (Cruiser)
02/09/1922	Lieutenant	RCN	End term Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Patrician</i>
03/09/1922	Lieutenant	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Patriot</i>
23/08/1923	Lieutenant	RCN	End term Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Patriot</i>
01/09/1923	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Vivid II</i>
1923	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS President</i> for RN War Staff Course
1924	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Resolution</i>
01/01/1925	Lt-Commander	RCN	Promoted Lieutenant-Commander to <i>Stadacona</i>
1925	Lt-Commander	RCN	To Naval Headquarters
1927	Lt-Commander	RCN	To <i>HMS Iron Duke</i>
1928	Lt-Commander	RCN	To <i>HMS Benbow</i>
01/01/1929	Commander	RCN	Commander-in-Charge Halifax / Sr Off Halifax
25/05/1932	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Skeena</i> (1) Destroyer
14/05/1934	Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Skeena</i>
20/05/1934	Commander	RCN	Senior Naval Officer Esquimalt and CO Naden
1936	Commander	RCN	To RCN HQ - Director Naval Ops and Training
01/08/1938	Captain	RCN	Promoted Captain
21/10/1938	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Ottawa</i>
21/10/1938	Captain	RCN	Captain(D) Canadian Flotilla
01/04/1940	Captain	RCN	End Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Ottawa</i>
01/04/1940	Captain	RCN	Promoted Captain - Captain Cdn Flotilla
03/05/1940	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i>
07/06/1940	Commodore	RCN	Promoted Commodore - CO <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i>
15/09/1940	Commodore	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i>

**Vice-Admiral George Clarence ("Jetty") JONES, CB
Chief of the Naval Staff**

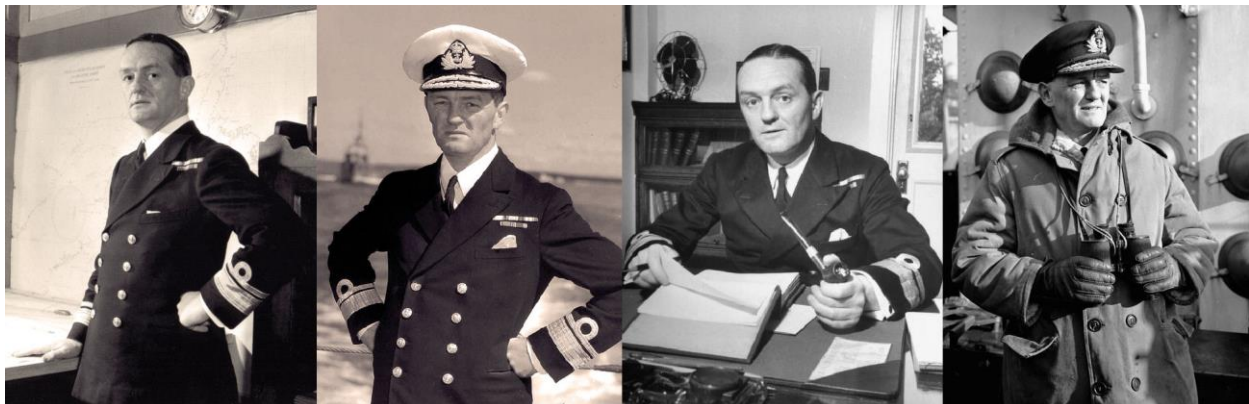
15/09/1940	Commodore	RCN	Commanding Officer Atlantic Coast
01/09/1941	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Promoted RAdm - CO Atlantic Coast
01/12/1941	Rear-Admiral	RCN	To Bytown (Ottawa) - Vice-Chief RCN
01/01/1944	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Chief of the Naval Staff-1 st Member Naval Bd
09/05/1945	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Chief of the Naval Staff 1 st on Naval Board
08/02/1946	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Dies while Chief of the Naval Staff

Citation to **Companion of the Order of the Bath** (Deceased):

"Now Vice Chief of the Naval Staff, this officer having commanded His Majesty's Canadian ships in the Atlantic in the early part of the war, was Commanding Officer Atlantic Coast for nearly two years. An outstanding officer of great ability, his contribution since the outbreak of war to the part that the Royal Canadian Navy is now able to take in the United Nations War Effort, particularly in the maintenance of the Atlantic lifeline, has been most marked, and is deserving of the highest recognition."

Citation to the **Commander of the Legion of Merit** (USA)

"For exceptionally meritorious service to the Government of the United States from 1 October 1942 to 8 February 1946. As the Canadian Naval Member for the Joint Permanent Board on Defences, Vice-Admiral Jones was untiring in his efforts to further and strengthen the ties of friendship and co-operation between Canada and the United States. As Chief of the Naval Staff from January 1944 to February 1946, he was responsible for the excellent integration of the Canadian and United States Navies which resulted in the complete defeat of the enemy in the Atlantic."



Medals: CB - 1914/1915 Star - British War Medal - WW1 Victory Medal - 1939/1945 Star - Atlantic Star - Canadian Volunteer Service with Clasp - 1939/1945 War Medal - King George V Jubilee - King George VI Coronation - Commander, Legion of Merit (USA) - Commander, Legion of Honour (France) - Croix de Guerre Avec Palms en Bronze (France) - Knight 1st Class, Order of St. Olav (Norway)

The only medals he wore were CB, 1914/1915 Star, British War Medal, WW1 Victory Medal, CVSM and Clasp, KGV Jubilee and KGVI Coronation as he died before the others were awarded.

Vice-Admiral Howard Emerson REID, CB
Chief of the Naval Staff (0-61610)

Born: 05/06/1897 Portage du Fort, Quebec
Died: 03/05/1962 Victoria, B.C.

Honours

08/01/1944	CB	Companion of the Order of the Bath	Rear-Admiral
30/03/1946		Commander of the Legion of Merit (USA)	Vice-Admiral
28/08/1947		Commander of the Legion of Honour (France)	Vice-Admiral

Military

01/01/1912	Cadet	RCN	2 nd Term Royal Naval College of Canada
25/01/1914	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Rainbow</i>
01/02/1916	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Berwick</i>
1917	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Attack</i> tb
1917	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	HMC Victory II
1917	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Vivid II
1917	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Apollo</i> (Torpedo Boat Destroyer)
1917	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Blenheim</i>
1917	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Blake</i>
04/04/1918	Acting Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted
05/05/1918	Acting Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Viscount</i> DD
05/09/1918	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Viscount</i> DD
1919	Lieutenant	RCN	HMCS Niobe
26/09/1919	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Titania</i> - China Station
1921	Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Vernon
1922	Lieutenant	RCN	Guelph Depot
1922	Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Victory
1923	Lieutenant	RCN	Guelph Depot
01/05/1923	Lieutenant	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Festerbert</i>
01/08/1923	Lieutenant	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Festerbert</i>
24/08/1923	Lieutenant	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Patriot</i> (Cruiser)
06/10/1925	Lieutenant	RCN	End term as CO HMCS Patriot
07/10/1925	Lieutenant	RCN	HMCS Stadacona Directing Staff
05/06/1926	Lt-Commander	RCN	Promoted
26/04/1927	Lt-Commander	RCN	Naval Service HQ Supervising Officer
1928	Lt-Commander	RCN	RCN Barracks Halifax
1928	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMS Victory, HMS Vernon & HMS Tamar II
1928	Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMS Wrestler</i>
01/02/1929	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMS Sepoy</i> China Station
1930	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMCS Stadacona Halifax
1931	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMS Victory RN Naval Staff College Course
1931	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMS President on War Staff
1932	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMS Warspite Staff RAdm 2 nd Battle Squadron
12/10/1932	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMCS Stadacona Halifax Directing Staff
01/01/1933	Commander	RCN	HMCS Stadacona - Commander Halifax
21/05/1934	Commander	RCN	NSHQ - Director of Operations and Training
08/01/1936	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer HMCS Skeena - Cdr 'D'
24/03/1937	Commander	RCN	End term as CO HMCS Skeena \ West Coast
25/03/1937	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer HMCS Fraser
31/08/1938	Commander	RCN	End term as CO HMCS Fraser
01/10/1938	Commander	RCN	Commanding HMC Dockyard Halifax/OIC Halifax
30/08/1939	Captain	RCN	AdC Commanding Officer Atlantic Coast

Vice-Admiral Howard Emerson REID, CB
Chief of the Naval Staff (0-61610)

01/01/1940	Commodore 1 st Class	RCN	NSHQ 2 nd Member Naval Board - V/CNS
15/10/1940	Captain	RCN	NSHQ - Deputy Commander Naval Staff - 2 nd Bd
07/01/1940	Commodore 1 st Class	RCN	NSHQ 2 nd Member Naval Board - V/CNS
13/09/1942	Commodore 1 st Class	RCN	CO HMCS Avalon St. John's - Flag Off Nfld
01/12/1943	Rear-Admiral	RCN	HMCS Bytown Canadian Joint Staff Washington
01/12/1943	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Cdn Member Cdn / US Joint Board on Defence
28/02/1946	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Chief of the Naval Service - 1 st Naval Bd
01/09/1947	Vice-Admiral	RCN	End Chief of Naval Service retirement leave
26/03/1948	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Retires

Citation to the **Companion of the Order of the Bath (CB)** - Rear-Admiral

"An outstanding Officer of great ability, Rear-Admiral Reid has served, since the outbreak of hostilities, as Commanding Officer of the Atlantic Coast, Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff and Flag Officer Commanding Newfoundland. His contribution to the war effort, particularly in regard to the vast expansion of the eastern naval ports, as well as that of the Royal Canadian Navy as a whole, is deserving of the highest recognition."

Citation to the **Commander of the Legion of Merit (USA)** - Vice-Admiral

"For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service as Flag Officer Newfoundland Force during 1942. As the Canadian Naval Member on the Canada / United States Joint Board on Defence and Naval Member Canadian Joint Staff Washington 1943 to 1946, Vice-Admiral Reid was untiring in his efforts to further and strengthen the ties of friendship and co-operation between Canada and the United States."

Citation to the **Commander of the Legion of Honour (France)** - Vice-Admiral

"For services in the Royal Canadian Navy during the war in Europe as Commanding Officer of the Atlantic Coast, Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff and Flag Officer Commanding Newfoundland."

Medals of Vice-Admiral Howard Emerson REID, CB RCN:

CB
1914/15 Star
British War Medal
WW1 Victory Medal
Defence Medal
CVSM & Clasp
1939/45 War Medal
GV Jubilee Medal
GVI Coronation
Commander, Legion of Merit (USA)
Commander, Legion of Honour (France)



Vice-Admiral Harold Taylor Wood GRANT, CBE, DSO, CD
Chief of the Naval Staff (0-28710)

Born: 01/03/1899 Halifax, Nova Scotia
Died: 09/05/1965 Ottawa, Ontario

Honours

05/01/1946	CBE	Commander of the Order of the British Empire	Commodore
26/02/1944	DSO	Distinguished Service Order HMS Enterprise	Captain
03/02/1945	MID	Mentioned in Despatches	Captain
20/01/1945	Star	Bronze Star USA	Captain
17/11/1951	Cdr	Commander Military Order of Italy	Vice-Admiral

Military

1914	Cadet	RCN	Royal Naval College of Canada 5 th Term
02/01/1917	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Leviathan and HMS Carnarvon</i>
01/02/1918	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Minotaur</i> Cruiser
03/05/1919	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Canada</i> - Promoted Sub-Lieutenant
18/10/1919	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Warwick</i> North Russia Relief Force
01/09/1920	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Aurora</i> Light Cruiser - to stand by
01/11/1920	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Aurora</i> Light Cruiser
31/10/1920	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Aurora</i>
02/12/1920	A/Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted - <i>HMCS Aurora</i>
05/09/1922	A/Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Ramillies</i> Battleship
1924	A/Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Dryad for Navigation Course
01/12/1924	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Patrician</i> Destroyer
1927	Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Dryad for Advance Navigation Course
1927	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Warspite</i> as Navigating Officer
1927	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Queen Elizabeth</i> as Navigating Officer
03/11/1928	Lt-Commander (N)	RCN	HMCS Stadacona Halifax
24/06/1929	Lt-Commander (N)	RCN	Staff Officer for Sr Naval Officer Stadacona
22/05/1931	Lt-Commander (N)	RCN	<i>HMCS Saguenay</i> Destroyer
01/01/1933	Lt-Commander (N)	RCN	HMCS Stadacona
27/06/1934	Lt-Commander (N)	RCN	NSHQ as Staff Officer Intelligence
01/07/1935	Lt-Commander (N)	RCN	NSHQ as Director of Naval Reserves
01/08/1935	Commander	RCN	Promoted Commander - remains DNAVRES
20/12/1935	Commander	RCN	End term as Director of Naval Reserves
1936	Commander	RCN	Royal Naval staff course United Kingdom
1936	Commander	RCN	HMS Nelson staff Cdr-in-Chief Atlantic Fleet
25/03/1937	Commander	RCN	<i>HMS Rodney</i>
11/02/1938	Commander	RCN	Naval Service Headquarters
23/04/1938	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Skeena</i> Destroyer
30/08/1939	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Skeena</i> Destroyer
30/11/1939	Captain	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Skeena</i> Destroyer
01/12/1939	Captain	RCN	NSHQ Staff Officer Operations
02/09/1940	Captain	RCN	NSHQ Director Naval personnel - 3 rd Naval Bd
23/09/1942	Captain	RCN	HMCS Avalon St. John's Captain(D) Newfoundland
23/09/1942	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMS Diomedes</i> Cruiser
01/07/1943	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMS Enterprise</i> Cruiser
28/06/1944	Captain	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMS Enterprise</i> Cruiser
26/04/1945	Captain	RCN	1 st Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Ontario</i> Lt Cruiser
31/12/1945	Captain	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Ontario</i>
01/01/1946	Commodore	RCN	NSHQ - Promoted Commodore
28/02/1946	Rear-Admiral	RCN	NSHQ Chief of Naval Administration and Supply
01/09/1947	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Chief of the Naval Staff
1951	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Retires

Vice-Admiral Harold Taylor Wood GRANT, CBE, DSO, CD
Chief of the Naval Staff (0-28710)

Civilian

1951-1965 President Home Lines Steamship Agency of Canada Ltd. in Montreal
President of Royal Canadian Naval Benevolent Fund
Member of the Board of Directors of the Cdn Geographical Society.
Director of the International Grenfell Association
Director of the Grenfell Labrador Medical Mission.

Citation to the **Commander of the Order of the British Empire (CBE)** Commodore

"Commodore Grant has made an outstanding contribution to the Canadian Naval Service, not only by his exceptionally competent seamanship and gallantry at sea, but by his administrative ability ashore as well. His high personal qualities, his foresight and integrity are in keeping with the high traditions of the Royal Canadian Navy."

Citation to the **Distinguished Service Order (DSO)** Captain HMS Enterprise

"For good services in command of **HMS Enterprise** in an action with enemy destroyers."
"For services in command of the cruiser **HMS Enterprise** in action with German destroyers in the Bay of Biscay in December 1943."

Citation to the **Bronze Star (United States of America)** Captain

"For meritorious service as Commanding Officer of *HMS Enterprise* (Cruiser) in action against enemy German installations at Cherbourg, France, on June 25, 1944. Gallantly directing his ship in bold defiance of close and intense shore batteries with aggressive determination, delivering accurate and effective gunfire and providing splendid support for units of the United States Army involved. By his exemplary leadership, indomitable fighting spirit and loyal co-operation, Captain Grant contributed essentially to the success of Allied Operations in this strategic area."

Citation to the **Mention in Despatches (MID)** Captain HMS Enterprise

"For gallantry, skill, determination and undaunted devotion to duty during the landings of Allied Forces on the coast of Normandy."

Medals of Vice-Admiral Harold Taylor Wood GRANT, CBE, DSO, CD, RCN:

CBE
DSO
British War Medal
WW1 Victory Medal
1939/1945 Star
Atlantic Star with bar France & Germany
Burma Star
CVSM & Clasp
1939-1945 War Medal with MID
George VI Coronation
CD (GVI) and two Bars
Bronze Star (USA)
Commander, Military Order of Italy.



Vice-Admiral Henry George DE WOLF, CBE, DSO, DSC, CD
Chief of the Naval Staff

Born: 26/06/1903 Bedford, Nova Scotia
 Died: 18/12/2000 Ottawa, Ontario

Honours

05/01/1946	CBE	Commander of the Order of the British Empire	Commodore
27/05/1944	DSO	Distinguished Service Order	Commander
20/01/1945	DSC	Distinguished Service Cross	Captain
01/01/1941+	MID	Mentioned in Despatches - <i>HMCS St. Laurent</i>	Commander
09/01/1943	MID	Mentioned in Despatches - <i>HMCS St. Laurent</i>	Captain
10/10/1944	MID	Mentioned in Despatches - <i>HMCS Haida</i>	Captain
14/11/1944	MID	Mentioned in Despatches - <i>HMCS Haida</i>	Captain
03/09/1946	Officer	Legion of Merit	USA Commodore
25/08/1947	Croix	de Guerre avec Palmes en Bronze	France Commodore
29/08/1947	Officer	Legion of Honour	France Commodore
08/01/1949	Cross	King Haakon VII's Cross of Liberation	Norway Commodore

Military

22/09/1918	Cadet	RCN	9 th Term Royal Naval College of Canada
1920	Cadet	RCN	<i>HMCS Festubert</i> (Battle Class Trawler) training
01/09/1921	Midshipman	RCN	Promoted - <i>HMCS Vancouver</i> for Navigation Train
01/09/1921	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted Sub-Lt same day - <i>HMCS Guelph</i>
26/10/1921	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Resolution</i>
1923	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Stadacona</i> Halifax, N.S.
1924	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Chleteham</i> for test mobilization
1924	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	Royal Naval College Greenwich
1925	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Excellent</i> for cours
03/08/1925	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Patriot</i> (Cruiser)
01/04/1926	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Patriot</i>
1927	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Capetown</i>
1927	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Patriot</i>
1928	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Dryad</i> for Long Navigation Course
1928	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Argus</i>
1928	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Champlain</i> (Cruiser)
20/07/1929	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Naden</i> Esquimalt, B.C.
07/03/1930	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Stadacona</i> Halifax, N.S. Directing Staff
14/04/1930	Lieutenant	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Festubert</i> Mine Sweeper
27/04/1932	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Vancouver</i> 1 st Lt and for Navigating Duties
03/07/1933	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Skeena</i> (H01)
01/04/1934	Lt-Commander	RCN	Promoted Lieutenant-Commander
01/06/1935	Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMCS Naden</i> Esquimalt, B.C. Directing Staff
01/07/1935	Lt-Commander	RCN	NSH as staff officer Intelligence
13/01/1937	Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMS President</i> for RN Staff College Course
1937	Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMS London</i> - Staff Off to RAdm 1 st Cruiser Sqd
01/12/1938	Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMCS Ottawa</i> on Staff of Captain(D)

Vice-Admiral Henry George DE WOLF, CBE, DSO, DSC, CD
Chief of the Naval Staff

06/10/1939	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS St. Laurent</i>
01/07/1940	Commander	RCN	Promoted - while still CO <i>HMCS St. Laurent</i>
13/07/1940	Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS St. Laurent</i>
16/08/1940	Commander	RCN	Stadacona Halifax as Staff Officer Operations
01/12/1941	Acting Captain	RCN	Stadacona Chief Staff Officer Operations
1942	Acting Captain	RCN	<i>HMCS Venture</i> as Chief Staff Officer FOAC
1942	Acting Captain	RCN	Naval HQ as Director of Plans
30/08/1943	Acting Captain	RCN	First Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Haida</i> (Tribal)
01/07/1944	Captain	RCN	Promoted Captain while CO <i>HMCS Haida</i>
18/12/1944	Captain	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Haida</i>
01/12/1944	A/Commodore	RCN	To Naval HQ as Assistant Chief of Naval Staff
20/01/1945	Captain	RCN	Assistant Chief of Naval Staff 4 th on Naval Bd
15/10/1945	A/Commodore	RCN	Assistant Chief of Naval Staff
01/01/1947	Commodore	RCN	Promoted Substantive Commodore
01/01/1947	Commodore	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Warrior</i> (Carrier)
29/08/1948	Commodore	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Warrior</i> (Carrier) SCNOA
08/09/1948	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Flag Officer Pacific Coast & Promoted RAdm
30/08/1950	Rear-Admiral	RCN	End term at Flag Officer Pacific Coast
11/09/1950	Rear-Admiral	RCN	NSHQ Ottawa as Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff
15/12/1952	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Chair Cdn Joint Staff Washington- <i>HMCS Niagara</i>
16/01/1956	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Promoted - Chief of the Naval Staff
08/08/1960	Vice-Admiral	RCN	<i>HMCS Bytown</i> for retirement leave
15/05/1961	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Retires

Citation for award of **Commander of Order of the British Empire (CBE)** Cmdre

"Commodore De Wolf has held various administrative appointments, including that of Director of Plans, at Naval Service Headquarters at a time of rapid expansion in the R.C.N. As Commanding Officer of one of HM Canadian Tribal Class Destroyers (*HMCS Haida*), he served at sea with unparalleled success during the invasion of the Continent. On being re-appointed ashore, he now holds the position of Assistant Chief of Naval Staff, which appointment is being filled with perspicacity and ability."

Citation to **Distinguished Service Cross (DSC)** (Commander RCN *HMCS Haida*)

"For gallantry and distinguished service as Senior Officer of Destroyers in successful destroyer night actions in the English Channel on 26th and 29th April 1944." Details on the action in which *HMCS Haida* sunk the German Destroyer T-29 north of Brittany on 26 April 1944 can be found in Chapter 39 of the book "*The Canadian Naval Chronicle 1939-1945*".

Citation to **Distinguished Service Cross (DSC)** (Captain RCN *HMCS Haida*)

"For outstanding courage, skill and devotion to duty in *H.M. Ships Tartar, Ashanti, Eskimo, Javelin, and H.M. Canadian Ships Haida and Huron* in action with German destroyers."

Chapter 42 of "*The Canadian Naval Chronicle 1939-1945*" describes *HMCS Haida* (River Class Destroyer - G63) and *HMCS Huron* (Tribal Class Destroyer) sinking German Destroyer Z-32 and ZH-1 in the English Channel on 9 June 1944. Details on the action in which *HMCS Haida* sunk the German Minesweepers M-263 and M-486 as part of the 10th Destroyer Flotilla's sweeps along the French coast on 6 August 1944 can be found in Chapter 43 of the book "*The Canadian Naval Chronicle 1939-1945*".

Vice-Admiral Henry George DE WOLF, CBE, DSO, DSC, CD
Chief of the Naval Staff

Citation to 1st of 4 Mentioned-in-Despatches in WWII

"For outstanding zeal, patience and cheerfulness and for never failing to set an example of wholehearted devotion to duty without which the high tradition of the Royal Canadian Navy could not have been upheld."

"*HMCS St. Laurent* was the first Canadian warship to engage the enemy in World War II when firing on German troops at St. Valery near Dieppe, France on 9 June 1940."

Citation to 2nd of 4 Mentioned-in-Despatches in WWII (Captain *HMCS St. Laurent*)

"For valuable services in command of HMC Destroyer (*HMCS St. Laurent*) in the early months of war in Convoy Escort duty in the Western Atlantic, and overseas during the evacuation from France."

Citation to 3rd of 4 Mentioned-in-Despatches in WWII (Captain RCN *HMCS Haida*)

"For bravery, skill and devotion to duty in *H.M. Ships Affleck, Balfour, Eskimo, Wanderer and Tavy* and *H.M. Canadian Ships Haida and Huron* in anti U-Boat operations." Details on the action in which *HMCS Haida* (Tribal Class Destroyer - G63) and *HMCS Huron* (Tribal Class Destroyer), and sunk the *German Destroyer Z-32* in the English Channel on 9 June 1944 can be found in Chapter 42 of the book "*The Canadian Naval Chronicle 1939-1945*".

Citation to 4th of 4 Mentioned-in-Despatches in WWII (Captain RCN *HMCS Haida*)

"For courage and determination in *H.M. Ships Albright, Ashanti, Bellona, Diadem, Mauritius, Onslow, Tartar and Ursa* and *H.M. Canadian Ships Assiniboine, Haida, Iroquois, Qu'appelle, Restigouche and Skeena*, in a series of successful attacks on enemy escorted convoys off the coast of France." Details on the action in which *HMCS Haida* (Tribal Class Destroyer) and *HMCS Eskimo* (Tribal Class Destroyer) sunk the *German Submarine U-971* off the Biscay Coast on 24 June 1944 can be found in Chapter 44 of the book "*The Canadian Naval Chronicle 1939-1945*".

Citation for award of **Officer of the Legion of Merit (USA)** Cmdre

"For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service while serving as Chief Staff Officer to Rear-Admiral G.C. Jones, RCN. He frequently conferred with Commander Task Force Twenty-four and his staff in connection with planning and the operational control of the surface forces under Commander Task Force Twenty-four. His excellent professional grasp of strategic and tactical situations, together with his intelligent and co-operative attitude, contributed materially to the success of operations conducted by Commander Task force Twenty-four."

Citation for award of **Officer of the Legion of Honour (France)** Cmdre

"For services at sea in the war against the enemy."

Citation for award of **Croix de Guerre avec Palme en Bronze (France)** Cmdre

"For services at sea in the war against the enemy."

Citation for award of **King Haakan's VII Cross of Liberation (Norway)** RAdm

"Bestowed by His Majesty, King Haakon of Norway."

Medals of Vice-Admiral Henry George DE WOLF, CBE, DSO, DSC, CD, RCN

CBE - DSO - DSC - 1939/1945 Star - Atlantic Star with BAR France & Germany - CVSM and Clasp - 1939/1945 War Medal with MID - EIIR Coronation - CD & 2 BARS - Officer, Legion of Merit (USA) - Officer, Legion of Honour (France) - Croix de Guerre avec Palme en Bronze (France) - King Haakan's VII Cross of Liberation (Norway).



Uniform on Display at CFB Halifax Maritime Museum

Rear-Admiral Victor Gabriel BRODEUR, CB, CBE
 Commanding Officer - Pacific Coast

Born: 17 September 1892 Beloeil, Quebec
 Died: 06 October 1976 Vancouver, B.C.

Honours

05/01/46	Companion (CB)	Order of the Bath	Rear-Admiral
05/06/43	Commander (CBE)	Order of the British Empire	Rear-Admiral
05/10/46	Commander	Legion of Merit USA	Rear-Admiral
27/11/46	Commander	Legion of Honour France	Rear-Admiral
27/11/46	Croix	Croix de Guerre with Bronze Palme	Rear-Admiral

Military

08/10/1909	Officer Cadet	C.G.S. Canada
21/10/1910	Midshipman	Canadian Naval Service - to <i>HMCS Niobe</i>
1911	Midshipman	RCN - <i>HMS Dreadnought</i> for training
14/01/1913	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN - Promoted
1914	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN - <i>HMS Berwick</i> in Mexican Revolution
1915	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN - To <i>HMS Dreadnought</i>
14/01/1915	Lieutenant	RCN - <i>HMS Dreadnought</i>
10/06/1917	Lieutenant	RCN - <i>HMS Caradoc</i> in 1917 North Russia Relief
1920	Lieutenant	RCN - HMS Excellent - the RN Long Gunnery Course
1921	Lieutenant(G)	RCN - HMS Cordelia - Staff RN Gunnery School
1922	Lieutenant(G)	RCN - Staff Officer Organizing RCNR and RCNVR
14/01/1923	LCdr	RCN - Senior Staff Officer Naval HQ
1925	LCdr	RCN - HMS Conquest
1927	Commander	RCN - Commanding Officer Stadacona Halifax
27/12/1929	Commander	RCN - Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Champlain</i>
26/12/1930	Commander	RCN - End Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Champlain</i>
10/06/1931	Commander	RCN - 1 st Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Skeena</i>
24/05/1932	Commander	RCN - End CO Skeena - Took Ship to San Salvador
27/05/1932	Commander	RCN - Commanding Officer Naden and Esquimalt
01/02/1934	Commander	RCN - To Stadacona and passage to England
16/02/1934	Commander	RCN - Addition HMS Victory
06/03/1934	Commander	RCN - Commanding Officer Cruiser <i>HMS Durban</i>
06/08/1935	Commander	RCN - End CO Durban - served with 3 rd Cruiser Sqd
01/01/1936	Captain	RCN - Imperial Defence College Admiralty
17/02/1937	Captain	RCN - 1 st Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Fraser</i>
24/03/1937	Captain	RCN - End term as Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Fraser</i>
15/06/1938	Captain	RCN - 1 st Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Ottawa</i>
01/10/1938	Captain	RCN - End term as Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Ottawa</i>
14/10/1938	Captain	RCN - Captain-in-Charge Esquimalt
14/10/1938	Captain	RCN - Commanding Officer Pacific Coast
10/01/1940	Commodore 1 st Class	RCN - Commanding Officer Pacific Coast
04/09/1940	Commodore 1 st Class	RCN - Naval Attaché Canadian Legation Washington
01/06/1942	Commodore 1 st Class	RCN - Naval Member Canadian Joint Staff
01/09/1943	Rear-Admiral	RCN - Commanding Officer Pacific Coast-Givenchy
01/08/1946	Rear-Admiral	RCN - Retires

Rear-Admiral Victor Gabriel BRODEUR, CB, CBE
Commanding Officer - Pacific Coast

Citation to the Companion of the Order of the Bath (CB)

"Admiral Brodeur, who has thirty-five years of service in the Royal Canadian Navy, served for the first year of the war as Commanding Officer, Pacific Coast. He was then appointed to Washington, D.C. as Naval Member of the Canadian Joint Staff, which appointment was filled with marked distinction. In the fall of 1943, he resumed the post of Commanding Officer, Pacific Coast, and ably handled the rapid expansion and operational importance of this command."

Citation to Commander of the Order of the British Empire (CBE)

"After serving for a considerable time as Commanding Officer Pacific Coast, this Officer is now the Navy Member of the Canadian Joint Staff in Washington, D.C. It is largely due to his energy and appreciation of the necessity for the maintenance of close and friendly relations with the United States Navy that the present excellent liaison between the Royal Canadian Navy and the United States Navy has been achieved and maintained."

Citation to the Commander of the Legion of Merit (USA)

"For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services to the United States from 1940 to 1943. As the Naval Attaché at the Canadian Legation in Washington from October 1940 to June 1942 and as Naval Member of the Canadian Joint Staff from June 1942 to August 1943, Admiral Brodeur was untiring in his effort to further the prosecution of the War and to strengthen the ties of friendship between Canada and the United States. During the periods mentioned, Admiral Brodeur performed the functions of his offices with exceptional diplomacy and close co-operation with the United States Navy."

Medals: CB - CBE - 1914/1915 Star - British War Medal - WW1 Victory Medal - Defence Medal - CVSM and Clasp - 1939/1945 War Medal - King George V Coronation - King George V Jubilee - King George VI Coronation - EIIR Coronation - CD (KGVI) and 2 bars - Commander, Legion of Merit (USA) plus two not shown at left, Commander Legion of Honour and Croix de Guerre avec bronze Palme (France)



Rear-Admiral Leonard Warren MURRAY, CB, CBE
Commander-in-Chief Canadian Northwest Atlantic
During WWII the only Canadian in Command of a Naval Theatre of War

Born: 22/06/1896 Granton, Pictou County, Nova Scotia
Died: 25/11/1971 Buxton, United Kingdom

Honours

10/06/1944	CB	Companion	The Order of the Bath	Rear-Admiral
10/06/1944	CBE	Commander	The Order of the British Empire	Rear-Admiral
03/08/1946		Commander	Legion of Honour (France)	Rear-Admiral
03/08/1946		Croix	De Guerre avec Palme en Bronze	Rear-Admiral
01/12/1948a		Cross	King Haakon VII Liberty Medal (Norway)	RAdm

Military

01/01/1911	Naval Cadet	RCN	Royal Naval College of Canada	First Term
15/01/1913	Midshipman	RCN	To <i>HMS Berwick</i>	for training
1914	Midshipman	RCN	To <i>HMS Essex</i>	
1914	Midshipman	RCN	Naval Service HQ	at cypher Officer
20/08/1914	Midshipman	RCN	To <i>HMCS Niobe</i>	
01/12 1915	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted	
1915	Midshipman	RCN	To <i>HMS Suffolk</i>	for training
01/12/1915	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Cumberland</i>	
1916	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMCS Rainbow</i>	
1916	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMCS Margaret</i>	as Flotilla Gunnery Officer
15/01/1913	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Berwick</i>	for Mexican Revolution svc
01/01/1917	Acting Lieutenant	RCN	Assistant Navigation Officer	<i>HMS Leviathan</i>
01/06/1917	Lieutenant	RCN	Navigating Officer in	<i>HMS Tiger</i>
27/02/1918	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Agincourt</i>	BB
1919	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Dryad</i>	for Navigator Training
01/09/1920	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMCS Aurora</i>	
05/01/1920	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMCS Calcutta</i>	
06/01/1920	Lieutenant	RCN	To Royal Naval College	Greenwich
1924	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Revenge</i>	- Assistant to Master of the
1924	Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS Queen Elizabeth</i>	\ Fleet
1925	Lieutenant	RCN	To RN Navigation School	Portsmouth Advanced
01/06/1925	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commander <i>Naden</i>	/ Sr Naval Officer <i>Esquimalt</i>
1926	Lt-Commander	RCN	To <i>HMS Tiger</i>	as Navigating Officer
1927	Lt-Commander	RCN	To Royal Naval Staff	College
01/01/1929	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer of	<i>HMCS Saguenay</i>
23/06/1929	Commander	RCN	Commander <i>Naden</i>	/ Sr Naval Officer <i>Esquimalt</i>
01/06/1931	Commander	RCN	Naval Staff Officer	at Naval Service HQ
07/06/1932	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer	<i>HMCS Saguenay</i>
22/05/1934	Commander	RCN	End term as CO	<i>HMCS Saguenay</i>
23/05/1934	Commander	RCN	Commander(D) East	Division & Cdr Halifax
12/01/1937	Commander	RCN	Executive Officer in	<i>HMS Iron Duke</i>
18/01/1938	Commander	RCN	HMS President	
02/08/1938	Captain	RCN	Promoted Captain	- Director Ops & Training
16/01/1939	Captain	RCN	Naval HQ	- Deputy Chief of the Naval Staff

Rear-Admiral Leonard Warren MURRAY, CB, CBE
Commander-in-Chief Canadian Northwest Atlantic
During WWII the only Canadian in Command of a Naval Theatre of War

30/10/1940	Commodore 2 nd Class	RCN	Commanding Officer of <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i>
11/02/1941	Commodore 1 st Class	RCN	End term as CO of <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i>
10/06/1941	Commodore 1 st Class	RCN	Commander <i>HMCS Avalon St. John's Nfld.</i>
02/12/1941	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Commander-in-Chief Cdn Northwest Atlantic
18/02/1942	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Commander Halifax and Atlantic Coast
01/01/1943	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Commander-in-Chief Cdn North West Atlantic
	Rear-Admiral	RCN	and Deputy Commander US Task Force 24
01/12/1945	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Blamed for Halifax Riots
11/03/1946	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Retired to U.K. - became a barrister and \ involved in municipal council politics

Medals of Rear-Admiral Leonard Warren MURRAY, CB, CBE, RCN:

CB - CBE - 1914/15 Star - British War Medal - WW1 Victory Medal - Defence - CVSM & Clasp - 39/45 War Medal - GV Jubilee Medal - GVI Coronation Medal - Commander - Legion of Merit (USA) - Commander, Legion of Honour (France) - Croix de Guerre avec Palme en Bronze (France) - King Haakon VII Liberty Medal (Norway).



Citation to **Commander of the Order of the British Empire (CBE)**

"For outstanding services in connection with the Royal Canadian Navy's contribution to the waging of the Battle of the Atlantic. This Officer, who is now Commander-in-Chief, Canadian North West Atlantic, was the first Flag Officer Commanding - Newfoundland Forces, and, as such, conditions of the most difficult nature, organized and operated the first purely Canadian Escort Forces with a marked degree of efficiency. During a long period, when the endurance and patience of personnel under his command were being tried to the limit, his quiet, imperturbable manner continuously inspired the greatest confidence, and was a great factor in maintaining morale."

Citation to **Companion of the Order of the Bath (CB)**

"For outstanding service as Commander-in-Chief of the Northwestern Atlantic."

Citation to **Commander of the Legion of Merit (USA)** Flag Officer Nfld Force

"For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service as Flag Officer, Newfoundland Force, commanding a force of Canadian destroyers and corvettes under the operational control of Commander **Task Force TWENTY-FOUR**. During the period 13 September 1941 to September 1942, the forces under his command performed extremely valuable services by escorting Atlantic shipping and assuring the safe delivery of munitions of war vitally needed in the European Theatre. At all times, he vigorously and efficiently executed the orders and directive of Commander **Task Force TWENTY-FOUR** and displayed a thorough knowledge of the many complex problems involved."

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**Engineer Rear-Admiral George Leslie STEPHENS, CB, CBE
Chief of Naval Engineer and Construction**

Born: 02/01/1889 Plympton, Devon, U.K.
Died: 13/04/1979 Ottawa, Ontario

Honours

05/01/46 CB Companion of the Order of the Bath Engineer Rear-Admiral
09/01/43 CBE Commander of the Order of the British Empire Rear-Admiral

Military

1903	Boy	RN	Royal Navy at Age 14
1910	CER Artificer	RCN	Transfer from RN to RCN Chief Engine Room
1910	CER Artificer(E)	RCN	Instructor Engineering RNCC
16/12/1912	Acting Artificer E	RCN	HMCS Niobe - Commissioned from the ranks
1914	Eng Sub-Lt	RCN	HMCS Niobe
1914	Acting Eng Lt	RCN	HMCS Niobe
01/11/1915	Engineer Lt	RCN	HMCS Niobe
1916	Engineer Lt	RCN	HMS Cornwallis
1917	Engineer Lt	RCN	HMS Victory
22/11/1919	Engineer Lt	RCN	<i>HMS Ramillies</i>
07/08/1920	Engineer Lt	RCN	<i>HMCS Patrician</i> - stand by
01/11/1920	Engineer Lt	RCN	<i>HMCS Patrician</i>
01/11/1922	Engineer Lt	RCN	Consulting Eng. HMC Dockyard Esquimalt
01/11/1923	Engineer LCdr	RCN	HMC Dockyard Esquimalt
1925	Engineer LCdr	RCN	HMCS Patriot
22/10/1927	Engineer LCdr	RCN	Stadacona Halifax Engineer HMCS Dockyard
01/02/1929	Engineer Commander	RCN	HMCS Stadacona
1930	Engineer Commander	RCN	Asst Naval Overseer in UK (Destroyer buy)
10/06/1931	Engineer Commander	RCN	HMCS Skeena as Ship's Engineer -West Coast
21/06/1933	Engineer Commander	RCN	HMCS Dockyard Esquimalt as Chief Engineer
01/07/1936	Engineer Commander	RCN	HMCS Dockyard Esquimalt as Chief Engineer
01/07/1940	Engineer Captain	RCN	HMCS Dockyard Esquimalt as Chief Engineer
1941	Engineer Captain	RCN	NSHQ 5 th Member of the Naval Board
1942	Engineer Cmdre	RCN	Chief of Naval Engineer and Construction
01/01/1943	Engineer RAdm	RCN	Chief of Naval Engineer and Construction
30/09/1946	Engineer RAdm	RCN	Retires
01/01/1948	Special Advisor	RCN	Minister of DND on Repair & Maintenance
30/09/1949	Special Advisor	RCN	Special Advisor term ends
	Chairman	RCN	RCN Benevolent Fund

Citation to the **Companion of the Order of the Bath (CB)** - Engineer RAdm

"Admiral Stephens joined the Royal Canadian Navy in 1912, and has, throughout his career served with notable success. Since February 1941, he has held the appointment of Chief of Naval Engineering and Construction. In that time, the Canadian Navy has seen great expansion and the building of its hundreds of ships has been, in no small measure, due to the foresight, perseverance and ability of this Officer who has devoted himself unsparingly to this task."

Citation to **Commander of the Order of the British Empire (CBE)** Engineer RAdm

"This Officer has served in the Engineering Branch of the Royal Canadian Navy since 1912. Since the outbreak of hostilities he has served as Chief Engineer of one of H.M.C. Dockyards and subsequently as Chief of Naval Engineering and Construction of the Royal Canadian Navy, the position he now holds. The services rendered to the Royal Canadian Navy by this Officer have been of inestimable value."

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Vice-Admiral Ralph Lucien HENNESSY, DSC, CD
Chief of Personnel (0-32440)

Born: 04/09/1918 Edinburgh, Scotland
 Married: Diana Falkner, daughter Lt James A.D. Falkner, RCNVR
 Died: Living Ottawa, Ontario

Honours

12/12/1942 DSC Distinguished Service Cross Lieutenant

Military

1935	Naval Cadet	RCN	Special Entry Cadet No.40
1935	Naval Cadet	RCN	<i>HMS Frobisher</i> (training Cruiser)
01/05/1937	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Resolution</i> Non-Intervention Spanish Patrol
15/08/1937	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Neptune</i>
01/05/1939	Midshipman	RCN	Portsmouth - Sub-Lt Technical Courses
01/10/1939	A/Sub-Lt	RCN	Portsmouth - Sub-Lt Technical Courses
01/10/1939	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	Portsmouth - Sub-Lt Technical Courses
13/10/1939	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Assiniboine</i> Destroyer - Stand by
19/10/1939	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Assiniboine</i> at sea
01/08/1940	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Assiniboine</i> - backdated to 01/02/1939
01/06/1941	Lieutenant	RCN	First Lieutenant <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i>
06/08/1942	Lieutenant	RCN	First Lieutenant <i>Assiniboine</i> - sinks U-Boat
02/10/1942	Lieutenant	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i>
01/12/1942	Lieutenant	RCN	End CO <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i> - back to 1 st Lt
01/03/1943	Lieutenant	RCN	End term as First Lt <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i>
15/03/1943	Lieutenant	RCN	First Lieutenant <i>HMCS Gatineau</i> (Destroyer)
01/10/1943	Lt-Commander	RCN	Executive Officer <i>HMCS Kings Officer</i> training
11/09/1944	A/Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Gatineau</i> (Destroyer)
29/09/1944	Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Gatineau</i>
14/10/1944	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i>
21/02/1945	Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO HMCS Assiniboine
12/09/1945	Lt-Commander	RCN	1 st Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Micmac</i> (Destroyer)
01/02/1947	Lt-Commander	RCN	Promoted substantive Lieutenant-Commander
27/03/1947	Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Micmac</i> (Tribal Destroyer)
01/04/1947	Lt-Commander	RCN	RCAF Staff College Course
01/01/1948	A/Commander	RCN	Promoted Acting Commander
01/04/1948	A/Commander	RCN	NSHQ for duty with Chief of Personnel
01/01/1949	Commander	RCN	Substantive Commander
15/08/1949	Commander	RCN	RCN Barracks Halifax OIC Jr Officer's Course
01/01/1951	Commander	RCN	Executive Officer <i>HMCS Quebec</i> (Cruiser)
01/07/1953	Captain	RCN	National Defence College of Canada (Course 7)
28/08/1954	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Algonquin</i> (Destroyer)
28/08/1954	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer 1 st Cdn Escort Squadron
10/05/1956	Captain	RCN	End Term as CO <i>HMCS Algonquin</i> and 1 st Cdn Sqd.
08/06/1956	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Niobe</i> (NMCS London)
15/09/1958	Captain	RCN	NSHQ as Director of Training
30/06/1960	Commodore	RCN	NSHQ as Deputy Chief of Naval Personnel
30/08/1963	Commodore	RCN	Flag Officer Atlantic Coast
05/10/1964	Commodore	RCN	NDHQ Chair Military Manpower (Men) Group
16/07/1966	Vice-Admiral *	RCN	NDHQ Comptroller-General Canadian Armed Forces
01/01/1969	Vice-Admiral	RCN	NDHQ Chief of Personnel
1970	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Retires in Ottawa

* = Minister of National Defence promoted him from Commodore to Vice-Admiral

**Vice-Admiral Ralph Lucien HENNESSY, DSC, CD
Chief of Personnel**

Civilian post retirement

1971	Executive Director	Standards Council of Canada
1976	Vice-President	International Organization for Standardization 6 -
1981	Vice-President	End VP IOS
1985	Chairman	Board of Governors (Ottawa Division) Cdn Corps of
1987	Chairman	End Chair of Commissionaires \ Commissionaires
1995	BA	University of Waterloo (History) Dean's Honour list

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Life Trustee Canadian Naval Memorial Trust
Life Member Shearwater Aviation Museum
Honorary Member Atlantic Chiefs and Petty Officers Association
Member Canadian Tribal Destroyer Association
Member Friends of HMCS Haida
Honorary Life Member HNCS Bytown Officers Mess
Member Navy League of Canada Ottawa Branch
Member Naval Officers Association Ottawa Branch
Life Member Royal Canadian Naval Association Ottawa-Hull Branch
Charter Member Canadian Council for Security in the 21st Century
Member Advisory Council Canadian War Museum
Member Friends of the Canadian War Museum
Member Defence Associations National Network

Citation to the **Distinguished Service Cross (DSC)** Lieutenant HMCS Assiniboine

"For gallantry and distinguished services before the enemy."

The action in which *HMCS Assiniboine* sank *U-210* on 6 August 1942 in the North Atlantic while protecting Convoy SC-94 is described in Chapter 14 of "The Canadian Naval Chronicle 1939-1945". Hennessy was First Lieutenant on *HMCS Assiniboine* at this time.

Medals of Vice-Admiral Ralph Lucien HENNESSY, DSC, CD, RCN:

DSC - 1939-1945 Star - Atlantic Star with bar France & Germany - CVSM & Clasp - 1939-1945 War Medal - EIIR Coronation Medal - Centennial Medal - Canada 125 - CD and two bars - Commissionaires Silver LS Medal with 2 bars



Rear-Admiral William ("Bill") Moss LANDYMORE, OBE, CD

Flag Officer Atlantic Coast (0-40220)

Born: 31/07/1916 Brantford, Ontario
Died: 27/11/2008 Halifax, Nova Scotia
Interred: 01/05/2009 His ashes were scattered into the Atlantic Ocean from
HMCS Toronto - full military honours memorial service

Honours

20/02/1954	OBE	Officer of the Order of the British Empire	Captain
05/01/1946	MID	Mentioned in Despatches WWII	Lieutenant-Commander
13/06/1953	MID	Mentioned in Despatches Korea	Commander
01/06/1937	MID	Naval General Service Medal Bar Palestine	Midshipman

Military

1935	Naval Cadet	RCN	Special Entry Cadet No. 40
01/09/1935	Cadet	RCN	Royal Military College Kingston
28/08/1936	Cadet	RCN	Discharged for entry into RCN - Stadacona
1936	Naval Cadet	RCN	<i>HMS Frobisher</i> (Cruiser)
01/05/1937	Midshipman	RCN	Promoted - to <i>HMS Emerald</i> (Lt Cruiser)
01/06/1937	Midshipman	RCN	Naval General Service Medal Bar Palestine
12/10/1938	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Glasgow</i> (Light Cruiser) \ <i>HMS Emerald</i>
01/05/1939	Acting Sub-Lt	RCN	<i>HMS Victory</i>
1939	Acting Sub-Lt	RCN	<i>HMS Windsor</i> (Destroyer)
06/03/1940	Acting Sub-Lt	RCN	<i>HMCS Fraser</i> (Destroyer)
25/06/1940	Acting Sub-Lt	RCN	<i>HMCS Fraser</i> sunk collision with <i>HMS Calcutta</i>
06/09/1940	Acting Sub-Lt	RCN	<i>HMCS Margaree</i> (Destroyer)
22/10/1940	Acting Sub-Lt	RCN	<i>HMCS Margaree</i> collision freighter <i>Port Fairy</i>
01/11/1940	Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted while on leave after 2 nd sinking
31/12/1940	Lieutenant	RCN	To Esquimalt
1942	Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Excellent for RN Staff Course
1943	Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Grenville
1944	Lieutenant	RCN	NSHQ staff Director of Warfare & Training
05/05/1944	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Ungava</i> (Light Cruiser) to Stand by
06/06/1944	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMCS Ungava</i> Promoted while waiting completion
21/10/1944	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMCS Ungava</i> as Gunnery Officer
1945	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	NSHQ as Staff Gunnery Officer
01/05/1947	Lt-Commander	RCN	NSHQ as Deputy Director of Weapons and Tactics
1948	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMS President for tactical course
1949	Lt-Commander	RCN	Joint Services Staff Course
01/07/1949	Commander	RCN	NSHQ Director of Manning & Personnel Statistics
21/10/1951	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Iroquois</i> Korea
01/06/1952	A/Captain	RCN	and Commander Cdn Destroyers Far East
01/01/1953	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Iroquois</i> (Destroyer)
31/10/1953	Captain	RCN	End term CO <i>HMCS Iroquois</i> Korea (OBE MID)
15/12/1953	Captain	RCN	Imperial Defence Colleg
1955	Captain	RCN	NSHQ Director of Naval Plans and Operations
1957	Captain	RCN	NSHQ On staff of Legal Officer RCN
15/01/1958	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Bonaventure</i> (Carrier)
11/09/1959	Captain	RCN	End CO <i>HMCS Bonaventure</i> (Aircraft Carrier)
30/09/1959	Commodore	RCN	Chief of Staff FOAC
01/01/1962	Commodore	RCN	Senior Cdn Officer Afloat flag in <i>Bonaventure</i>
01/11/1962	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Flag Officer Atlantic Coast Cdr NATO Sub-Area
19/07/1966	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Begins retirement Leave start of unification
05/05/1967	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Retired

Rear-Admiral William ("Bill") Moss LANDYMORE, OBE, CD
Flag Officer Atlantic Coast (0-40220)

Civilian

Board of the Grace Hospital, Halifax for which he was awarded the Salvation Army Cross of the Order of Distinguished Auxiliary Services and was made and honorary member of the Nova Scotia Health Organizations

Citation to **Mention in Despatches (MID)** Acting LCdr HMCS Iroquois

"This Officer has at all times shown exceptional zeal, patience and cheerfulness. He has rendered outstanding service as Gunnery Officer of **HMCS Uganda** in enemy waters while serving with the British Pacific Fleet."

Awarded **Mention in Despatches** as per **Canada Gazette** of 13 June 1953 while in command of **HMCS Iroquois**.

Awarded **Officer - Order of the British Empire (OBE)** as per **Canada Gazette** of 20 February 1954 for Korea.

Medals of Rear-Admiral William Moss LANDYMORE, OBE, CD, RCN:

OBE - Naval General Service Medal (GVI) with BAR Palestine - 39/45 Star - Atlantic Star - Pacific Star - Defence Medal - CVSM and Claps - 39/44 War Medal with MID - Canadian Korean Medal with MID - United Nations Korea - EIIR Coronation - CD (GVI) and Bar



Rear-Admiral Horatio Nelson LAY, OBE, CD
Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff (0-41040)

Born: 23/01/1903 Skagway, Alaska, USA
 Died: 1988 Dundas, Ontario

Honours

01/01/1943	OBE	Officer of the Order of the British Empire	Captain
21/10/1941	Cross	Cross of Valour (Poland)	Commander
20/01/1945	MID	Mentioned in Despatches WWII	Captain

Military

1918	Naval Cadet	RCN	Royal Naval College of Canada 9 th Term
24/08/1921	Naval Cadet	RCN	HMS Resolution for Training
01/09/1921	Midshipman	RCN	Promoted at HMS Resolution for training
01/09/1921	A/Sub-Lt	RCN	Promoted
01/09/1922	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted
1923	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Cloud for training
1924	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	Royal Naval College Greenwich and
1924	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	RN Barracks Portsmouth for Sub-Lt courses
24/08/1925	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Patrician</i>
01/10/1925	Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted Lieutenant - <i>HMCS Patrician</i>
1927	Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Tiger big ship experience Torpedo Course
1928	Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Repulse
03/01/1929	Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Vernon for Long Torpedo Officer's Course
1930	Lieutenant	RCN	HMCS Stadacona Torpedo Officer Atlantic Coast
01/06/1931	Lieutenant	RCN	HMCS <i>Skeena</i> (Destroyer)
03/07/1933	Lieutenant	RCN	HMCS Naden - Torpedo Officer Pacific Coast
01/10/1933	Lt-Commander	RCN	Promoted LCdr HMCS Naden
01/12/1934	Lt-Commander	RCN	First Lieutenant <i>HMCS Vancouver</i> (Destroyer)
15/12/1935	Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMCS Skeena</i> (Destroyer)
15/08/1937	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMCS Naden - Torpedo Officer Pacific Coast
11/01/1938	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMS President for RN Staff Course
12/01/1939	Lt-Commander	RCN	First Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Gaspé</i> (Sweeper)
17/08/1939	Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Gaspé</i> (Minesweeper)
27/08/1939	Lt-Commander	RCN	Assistant Staff Officer Operations FOAC
26/12/1939	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Restigouche</i> Destroyer
01/07/1940	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Restigouche</i>
23/06/1941	Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Restigouche</i> (Destroyer)
30/06/1941	Commander	RCN	NSHQ (HMCS Bytown) Director of Operations
15/10/1943	A/Captain	RCN	Only Cdn Commanding Officer <i>HMS Nabob</i> Carrier
15/10/1943	A/Captain	RCN	Only Cdn Commanding Officer <i>HMS Nabob</i> Carrier
22/08/1944	A/Captain	RCN	<i>HMS Nabob</i> damaged (Aircraft Carrier) RN Ship
30/09/1944	Captain	RCN	End CO <i>HMS Nabob</i> - ship paid off * \ Cdn Crew
01/01/1945	Captain	RCN	US Army / US Navy Staff College
01/09/1945	Captain	RCN	NSHQ Director of Plans & Naval Intelligence
01/07/1948	A/Commodore	RCN	Promoted A/Chief of Naval Staff (Plans & Air)
01/01/1949	Commodore	RCN	Promoted Canadian Naval Attaché Washington
01/01/1952	Commodore	RCN	Assistant Chief of Naval Staff (Warfare)
01/10/1954	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Promoted Vice Chief of Naval Staff
21/10/1958	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Retired

* torpedoed by U-354 in the Barents Sea

Rear-Admiral Horatio Nelson LAY, OBE, CD
Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff (0-41040)

Citation to the Cross of Valour (Poland) Commander

"In recognition of services during withdrawal of Polish Forces in France in 1940" - HMCS Restigouche

Citation to **Officer of the Order of the British Empire (OBE)** - Acting Captain

"For gallantry and distinguished services before the enemy. This Officer was in command of one of HMC Destroyers engaged in convoy and other duties in United Kingdom waters in the early part of the war, and assisted in the evacuations from France. As Senior Officer of a convoy escort group in the Atlantic over a considerable period, his keenness and efficiency were an inspiration to those serving under his command."

Citation to the **Mention in Despatches** Captain HMCS Nabob

"For good service when his ship **HMS Nabob** was damaged."

"For courage, resolution and skill in Northern waters (London Gazette Citation)."

HMS Nabob (Aircraft Carrier) was damaged by **U-354** on 22 August 1944. While she was a Royal Navy ship, she was crewed by Canadians. Twenty-one crew were killed in the attack.



Commodore Godfrey Musgrave HIBBARD, CBE
Commodore Superintendent (Halifax and East Coast) (0-32850)

Born:
 Died: 1972 Charlottetown, PEI

Honours

05/01/1946 CBE Commander Order of the British Empire Commodore 2nd Class

Military

1913	Naval Cadet	RCN	3 rd Term Royal Naval College of Canada
02/08/1915	Midshipman	RCN	HMS Erin for training in 1916
02/08/1917	A/Sub-Lt	RCN	RCN
05/02/1918	A/Sub-Lt	RCN	HMS Dido for <i>HMS Torrid</i> (Destroyer)
02/08/1918	Sub-Lt	RCN	<i>HMS Torrid</i>
01/09/1918	A/Lieutenant	RCN	RCN
01/02/1919	Lieutenant(T)	RCN	RCN
17/05/1920	Lieutenant(T)	RCN	HMS Royal Arthur
22/06/1922	Lieutenant(T)	RCN	HMCS Stadacona
06/10/1922	Lieutenant(T)	RCN	HMS Vernon - RN Long Torpedo Course
01/11/1926	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMCS Stadacona
1928	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMCS Naden as Torpedo Officer
15/10/1929	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Armentieres</i> (Sweeper)
01/05/1930	Lt-Commander	RCN	End CO <i>HMCS Armentieres</i>
05/05/1930	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Vancouver</i> (Cruiser)
19/01/1931	Lt-Commander	RCN	End CO <i>HMCS Vancouver</i> (Cruiser)
24/02/1931	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMCS Stadacona Halifax as Directing Staff
1933	Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMS Glorious</i> (Aircraft Carrier)
1934	Lt-Commander	RCN	Seconded to RCMP as Marine Superintendent
01/01/1936	Commander	RCN	RCMP Marine Superintendent
08/06/1938	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Venture</i> Train Schooner
20/09/1938	Commander	RCN	Naval Superintendent HMC Dockyard Halifax
1941	Commander	RCN	NSHQ as Chief Naval Equipment and Supply
01/01/1942	Captain	RCN	NSHQ as 4 th Member of the Naval Board (Supply)
1943	Captain	RCN	Halifax to improve organisation of refits
01/06/1944	Commodore 2 nd cl	RCN	Commodore Superintendent Halifax & East Coast
01/09/1946	Commodore	RCN	Promoted Substantive Commodore on retirement

Citation for **Commander of the Order of the British Empire (CBE)** Commodore 2nd Class

"Commodore Hibbard has contributed outstanding service to the National War effort in organizing and maintaining dockyard services and ship repairs to undertake the maintenance of the greatly expanded Canadian Navy."

Rear-Admiral James Calcutt HIBBARD, DSC and Bar, CD
Flag Officer Pacific Coast (0-32870)

Born: 26/04/1908 Hemison, Ste. Malachie, Quebec
 Brother: Commodore Godfrey Musgrave HIBBARD, CBE
 James was the youngest of 3 naval brothers
 Died: 22/09/1996 Vancouver, B.C.

Honours

09/01/1943	DSC	Distinguished Service Cross	Acting Commander
20/01/1945	Bar	Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross	Commander
16/08/1947	Cross	King Haakon VII's Cross of Liberation	(Norway) Captain
27/11/1947	Chevalier	Legion of Honour	(France) Captain
27/11/1947	Croix	Croix de Guerre avec Palme en Bronze	(France) Captain

Military

19/09/1924	Ordinary Seaman	RCNVR	Quebec Half Company
01/09/1926	Naval Cadet	RCN	Special Entry No.20 HMS Erebus for training
01/09/1927	Naval Cadet	RCN	<i>HMS Empress of India</i> Battleship
03/09/1927	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Empress of India</i> Battleship
01/01/1930	Acting Sub-Lt	RCN	Royal Naval College Greenwich
23/08/1931	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Vancouver</i>
01/01/1932	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Vancouver</i>
21/05/1932	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Champlain</i>
01/12/1935	Lieutenant	RCN	First Lieutenant at <i>HMCS Stadacona</i>
05/01/1936	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Skate</i> (Destroyer)
01/05/1936	Lieutenant	RCN	First Lieutenant in <i>HMS Ambuscade</i> Destroyer
21/09/1936	Lieutenant	RCN	1 st Lieutenant <i>HMS Bulldog</i> Spanish Civil War
27/12/1937	Lieutenant	RCN	1 st Lieutenant <i>Venture</i> RCN Barracks Halifax
15/05/1938	Lieutenant	RCN	1 st Lieutenant <i>HMCS Restigouche</i> (Destroyer)
15/05/1939	Lieutenant	RCN	Colour Officer Presentation King's Colours
19/10/1939	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Assiniboine</i> (Destroyer)
01/01/1940	Lt-Commander	RCN	Promoted Lieutenant-Commander
02/04/1940	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Skeena</i> (Destroyer)
01/01/1942	Acting Commander	RCN	Executive Officer on Staff Cdr(D) Halifax
01/01/1943	Commander	RCN	Promoted Commander
30/07/1943	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Iroquois</i> (Tribal)
07/02/1945	Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Iroquois</i> (Tribal)
08/03/1945	Acting Captain	RCN	Captain(D) Halifax
1945	Acting Captain	RCN	NSHQ as Deputy Chief of Naval Personnel
01/01/1947	Captain	RCN	Promoted to Captain
30/06/1947	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Ontario</i> (Cruiser)
22/08/1947	Captain	RCN	Incident with crew Nanoose Harbour, B.C.
13/07/1949	Captain	RCN	End Term CO <i>HMCS Ontario</i> (Cruiser)
01/09/1949	Captain	RCN	To National War College Washington, D.C.
20/12/1950	Acting Commodore	RCN	NSHQ Chief of Naval Personnel
01/01/1951	Commodore	RCN	NSHQ Chief of Naval Personnel
01/01/1952	A/Rear-Admiral	RCN	NSHQ Chief of Naval Personnel
02/03/1953	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Flag Officer Pacific
07/07/1955	Rear-Admiral	RCN	RCNB Esquimalt additional retirement leave
07/02/1956	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Retired

Civilian

1956 Made Honorary Citizen of the City of Victoria, B.C.
 Honorary Trustee Maritime Museum of British Columbia.
 Honorary Governor Canadian Corps of Commissionaires
 (Vancouver Island Branch).

Rear-Admiral James Calcutt HIBBARD, DSC and Bar, CD
Flag Officer Pacific Coast (0-32870)

Citation to **Distinguished Service Cross (DSC)** Acting Commander

"For gallantry and distinguished services before the enemy. Acting Commander Hibbard has served over a considerable period of time in command of **HMCS Skeena**, and as Senior Officer of a Convoy Escort Group. He has consistently shown himself capable of carrying responsibility and of setting an inspiring example to those about him. He has carried out his duties with the utmost zeal and efficiency, particularly when he was Senior Officer of a Group escorting one of the first convoys to be heavily attacked by a U-Boat wolf pack in mid-Atlantic. On this occasion, the convoy was under attack for sixty-six hours."



Citation to **Bar to Distinguished Service Cross (DSC*)** Commander

"For courage and determination in **H.M. Ships Albright, Ashanti, Bellona, Diadem, Mauritius, Onslow, Tartar and Ursa** and **H.M. Canadian Ships Assiniboine, Haida, Iroquois, Qu'Appelle, Restigouche and Skeena**, in a series of successful attacks on enemy escorted convoys off the coast of France."

Details on the action in which **HMCS Skeena** (River Class Destroyer - D159), **HMCS Sackville**, and **HMCS Wetaskiwin** sank **U-588** in the mid-Atlantic on 31 July 1942 can be found in Chapter 13 of the book "**The Canadian Naval Chronicle 1939-1945**".

Medals:

DSC
1939/1945 Star
Atlantic Star with bar France and Germany
CVSM and Clasp
Defence Medal
1939/1945 War Medal
Chevalier of the Legion of Honour (France)
Croix de Guerre avec Palme en Bronze
King Haakon VII's Cross of Liberation (Norway)
CD

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Commodore Valentine Stuart GODFREY, OBE, CD
Commodore Newfoundland (0-27600)

Born: 14/08/1898 London, United Kingdom
 Immigrated 1908 From Wandsworth, Surrey, U.K. to Victoria, B.C.
 Married: 08/03/1924 Margaret Horton Hardie of Victoria, B.C.
 Children: 2 1 Son and 1 Daughter
 Died: 25/04/1968 Victoria B.C.

Honours

15/06/1946 OBE Officer of the Order of the British Empire Captain
 20/01/1945 MID Mentioned in Despatches Captain
 21/04/1945 MID Mentioned in Despatches Captain
 30/03/1946 Legionnaire Legion of Honour (USA) Captain

	OBE	13.06.1946 * 15.06.1946
	MID	14.11.1944 Normandy 06.44 20.01.1945
	MID	27.03.1945 invasion S France 08.44 21.04.1945
	LM	30.01.1946 ** 30.03.1946

Military

1913 Naval Cadet RCN Royal Naval College of Canada 3rd Term
 02/08/1915 Midshipman RCN *HMS Barham*
 1916 Midshipman RCN *HMS Barham*
 02/08/1917 Acting Sub-Lt RCN HMS Dolphin for submarine training
 28/12/1917 Acting Sub-Lt RCN *HMS P 19* Submarine (attached HMS Victory)
 02/03/1918 Sub-Lieutenant RCN *HMS P 19* Submarine (attached HMS Victory)
 01/02/1919 Sub-Lieutenant RCN *HMS K-9* submarine Navigating Officer
 01/07/1919 Lieutenant RCN End time *HMS K-9* (attached HMS Inconstant)
 01/07/1919 Lieutenant RCN Promoted Lieutenant - to HMS Dolphin
 01/11/1919 Lieutenant RCN First Lt *HMS H-27* (attached HMS Dolphin)
 18/05/1920 Lieutenant RCN End time *HMS H-27* submarine
 18/05/1920 Lieutenant RCN Additional *HMS M-2* submarine HMS Inconstant
 17/08/1920 Lieutenant RCN End time *HMS M-2* submarine (HMS Inconstant)
 17/08/1920 Lieutenant RCN Additional *HMS M1* submarine HMS Inconstant
 1921 Lieutenant RCN First Lt *HMS CH-15* submarine
 27/11/1922 Lieutenant RCN First Lt *HMCS Patrician* (Destroyer)
 01/12/1924 Lieutenant RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Thiepval* (Sweeper)
 15/08/1926 Lieutenant RCN Staff Officer to Sr Naval Officer Esquimalt
 21/10/1926 Lieutenant RCN *HMS Benbow* (Battleship) Atlantic
 01/07/1927 Lieutenant RCN End service in *HMS Benbow* (Battleship)
 01/07/1927 Lt-Commander RCN Promoted to Lieutenant Commander
 18/08/1928 Lt-Commander RCN Staff Officer to Sr Naval Officer Esquimalt
 22/05/1931 Lt-Commander RCN First Lieutenant *HMCS Saguenay* (Destroyer)
 01/01/1932 Lt-Commander RCN End term as 1st Lieutenant *HMCS Saguenay*
 23/05/1932 Lt-Commander RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Champlain* Destroyer
 23/05/1933 Lt-Commander RCN End term as CO *HMCS Champlain* (Destroyer)
 01/06/1934 Lt-Commander RCN *HMCS Naden* (Depot Ship) Esquimalt
 1936 Lt-Commander RCN RN Inspector of Naval Ordnance Course
 20/03/1937 Lt-Commander RCN Inspector Naval Ordnance Dockyard Halifax
 30/06/1937 Commander RCN Promoted Commander
 1937 Commander RCN Aide de Camp to the Lieutenant-Governor NS

Commodore Valentine Stuart GODFREY, OBE, CD
Commodore Newfoundland (0-27600)

02/12/1941	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Prince David</i> (AMC)
02/12/1941	Commander	RCN	Sr Officer HMC Ships under Alaska Sector
18/03/1942	Commander	RCN	End Sr Officer HMC Ships Alaska Sector
1942	Acting Captain	RCN	Promoted Acting Captain - <i>HMCS Prince David</i>
01/01/1943	Captain	RCN	Promoted Captain - <i>HMCS Prince David</i>
17/04/1943	Captain	RCN	End CO <i>HMCS Prince David</i> -Armed Merchant Cr
30/04/1943	Captain	RCN	Chief of Staff CJSM Washington
30/04/1943	Captain	RCN	Naval Member Cdn Joint Staff Mission
01/12/1943	Captain	RCN	End term CJSM Washington, D.C.
12/12/1943	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Prince Henry</i> (AMC)
06/06/1944	Captain	RCN	Normandy Landing Ships 1 st Group 'J Force
15/08/1944	Captain	RCN	<i>Prince Henry</i> Landing Crafts in South France
04/12/1944	Captain	RCN	<i>Prince Henry</i> Landing Crafts in Greece
15/04/1945	Captain	RCN	Ends 15 months Command <i>HMCS Prince Henry</i>
16/07/1945	Captain	RCN	Chief of Staff CO Pacific Coast Givenchy
01/04/1946	Captain	RCN	End COS Commanding Officer Pacific Coast
01/03/1947	Captain	RCN	Chief of Staff CO Pacific Coast Givenchy
1947	Captain	RCN	Naval Member Cdn Joint Staff Washington
1948	Acting Commodore	RCN	CJSM Washington - Cdn Naval Attaché
01/01/1949	Commodore	RCN	CJSM Washington - Cdn Naval Attaché
22/07/1949	Commodore	RCN	Commodore Newfoundland - <i>HMCS Avalon</i>
15/05/1951	Commodore	RCN	Retires to Victoria, B.C.

Civilian

1952	Member	Civil Defence Greater Victoria Area
1958	Director	Civil Defence Greater Victoria Area

Citation to the Officer of the Order of the British Empire (OBE)

"As an Officer in the Royal Canadian Navy for over thirty years. Captain Godfrey has served during the war both ashore and afloat, with equal success. For the first two years of the war, he was Inspector of Naval Ordnance in Halifax, which appointment he carried out with zeal, energy and ability. For over a year he had command of *HMCS Prince David* and was senior Officer of HMC ships operating under orders of the Commanding Officer Alaskan Sector. Following this appointment, Captain Godfrey served in Washington, first as Chief of Staff to the Naval Member, Canadian joint Staff and latterly as Naval Member Canadian Joint Staff. At the termination of this appointment, he returned again to sea as Commanding Officer of *HMCS Prince Henry* for a period of more than a year, from January 1944 until April 1945. During this time, the *HMCS Prince Henry* participated in landings in Greece and in D-Day operations. Since then, he has assumed the duties of Chief of Staff to the Commanding Officer, Pacific Coast, which appointment is being filled with loyalty, tact and devotion to duty."

Citation for the Officer of the Order of Merit (USA) Captain

"For exceptionally meritorious service as Chief of Staff to the Naval Member of the Canadian Joint Staff Mission from April 1943 to August 1943, and later as Naval Member from August 1943 to December 1943. Captain Godfrey materially contributed to the war effort of Canada and the United States during a critical period in the course of hostilities against Germany and Japan."

Citation to Mention in Despatches Captain

"For gallantry, skill, determination and undaunted devotion to duty during the landing of Allied Forces on the coast of Normandy."

Citation to Mention in Despatches Captain

"For services in the successful invasion of the south of France in August, 1944."

Commodore Harold Victor William GROOS, CD
Commodore RCN Barracks HMCS Naden Esquimalt (0-29540)
 "Hard Over Harry"

Born: 02/09/1912 New Orleans, Louisiana, USA
 Immigrated: To Victoria, B.C.
 Died: 07/1987 Victoria B.C.

Honours

09/09/1944 MID Mentioned in Despatches Acting Lieutenant-Commander

Military

1930	Naval Cadet	RCN	Special Entry No.28 - to HMS Erebus
01/01/1931	Midshipman	RCN	To HMS Carysfort for training
1931	Midshipman	RCN	To <i>HMS Hood</i> for training
1932	Midshipman	RCN	To HMS Victory for training
1933	Midshipman	RCN	HMS Warspite
1934	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Rodney</i>
1934	Midshipman	RCN	HMS Excellent
01/01/1934	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Dryad (Promoted)
01/06/1934	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted (Seniority 01/01/1934)
01/06/1935	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Skeena</i>
01/05/1936	Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted
17/02/1937	Lieutenant	RCN	First Lieutenant <i>HMCS Fraser</i>
25/06/1940	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Fraser</i> sunk Collided with <i>HMS Calcutta</i>
05/09/1942	Lieutenant	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Orillia</i>
13/02/1943	Lieutenant	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Orillia</i> (Corvette)
18/02/1943	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS St. Francis</i>
14/11/1943	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	End CO <i>HMCS St. Francis</i> (Destroyer)
23/11/1943	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Gatineau</i>
10/09/1944	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Gatineau</i> (Destroyer)
01/05/1945	Lt-Commander	RCN	Promoted substantive Lieutenant-Commander
23/09/1945	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Huron</i> (Destroyer)
24/10/1945	Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Huron</i> (Destroyer)
25/10/1945	A/Commander	RCN	Promoted Acting Commander
01/11/1945	A/Commander	RCN	NSHQ as Assistant Chief of Naval Personnel
01/12/1945	A/Commander	RCN	NSHQ as Director of Seaman Personnel
1946	A/Commander	RCN	NSHQ as Staff Officer Plans & Intelligence
1948	A/Commander	RCN	NSHQ as Staff Officer Naval Plans & Ops
1948	A/Commander	RCN	Course 1 National Defence College of Canada
01/01/1949	Commander	RCN	Executive Officer RCN Barracks Esquimalt
02/04/1951	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Crusader</i> (Cruiser)
02/04/1954	Commander	RCN	End CO <i>HMCS Crusader</i> (Cruiser)
30/04/1952	A/Captain WHA	RCN	CO Naval Member Cdn Joint Liaison London
01/01/1953	Captain	RCN	CJLS London <i>HMCS Niobe</i> (NMCS London)
04/09/1953	Captain	RCN	NSHQ Deputy Chief Personnel
23/01/1956	Captain	RCN	<i>HMCS Bytown</i> Additional
31/03/1956	Captain	RCN	<i>HMCS Niobe</i> Additional
17/01/1957	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Bonaventure</i>
14/01/1958	Captain	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Bonaventure</i> (Carrier)
03/02/1958	A/Commodore	RCN	OIC RCN Depot & CO RCN Barracks Esquimalt
15/01/1960	Commodore	RCN	Substantive Commodore Esquimalt
21/12/1961	Commodore	RCN	Commodore RCN Barracks <i>HMCS Naden</i>
17/09/1962	Commodore	RCN	NSHQ Director General Officer Cadets
19/04/1965	Commodore	RCN	NSHQ Administration Unit - Retires

Commodore Harold Victor William GROOS, CD
Commodore RCN Barracks HMCS Naden Esquimalt (0-29540)
"Hard Over Harry"

Citation for **Mention in Despatches (MID)** Acting Lieutenant-Commander

"For outstanding leadership, skill and devotion to duty in **HMS Icarus** and **H.M. Canadian Ships Chilliwack, Chaudiere, Fennel, Gatineau** and **St. Catherines** in a successful operation against a U-Boat."

HMCS Gatineau (River Class Destroyer - K61), along with **HMCS Chaudiere, HMCS St. Catharines,** and **HMCS Chilliwack** assisted in sinking **U-744** in mid-Atlantic on 6 March 1944 as described in Chapter 34 of "**The Canadian Naval Chronicle 1939-1945**". **HMCS Gatineau** was about to leave the east-bound convoy because of a distiller defect when it obtained a contact. **HMCS St. Catharines,** the senior ship, carried out a depth charge attack with **HMCS Chilliwack** joining in followed by **HMCS Gatineau.** **HMCS Gatineau** had to break off the attack but **Chilliwack, Fennel** and **St. Catherines** stayed right on throughout the action almost from the moment of its first appearance until it finally broke surface. **HMCS Chilliwack** was the first to spot it when it did come up, and closed in a full speed. Soon the other vessels were pouring fire around the U-Boat which was so concentrated that the U-Boat crew never had a chance to man its guns. The first salvo from **Chilliwack's** 4" gun wiped out a twin mounting right off the conning tower and killed the U-Boat captain who was the first to emerge from the hatch. **HMCS Chaudiere** rescued German submariners and Canadians who were thrown into the water when three of the motorboats.

Others Mentioned: LCdr Charles Patrick Nixon, Lt. Terence Charles Todd, Leading Stoker George Hunter McGinn, Leading Seaman Leslie Norman Bourne, ERA John Elliot Williams, CPO Telegraphist Arthur John Carrington.

Medals of Commodore Harold Victor William GROOS, RCN:

1939/1945 Star - Atlantic Star with France & Germany Bar - Defence Medal
- CVSM & Clasp - 1939/1945 War Medal with MID - CD and 2 Bars.



Rear-Admiral Patrick David BUDGE, DSC, CD
Chief of Naval Personnel (0-10190)

Born: 10/12/1904 Dover, United Kingdom
 Died: 02/01/1998 Victoria B.C.

Honours

20/01/1945	DSC	Distinguished Service Cross	Lieutenant
18/02/1941+	MID	Mentioned in Despatches	Mr Commissioned Gunner(T)

Military

05/01/1921	Boy Seaman 2 nd Class	RN	<i>HMS Impregnable</i> moored at Plymouth
1921	Boy Seaman 2 nd Class	RN	<i>HMS Courageous</i> (Battle Cruiser)
01/06/1922	Boy Seaman 1 st Class	RN	<i>HMS Despatch</i> on the China Station
1923	Able Seaman	RN	<i>HMS Despatch</i> Qualified as Torpedo Operator
1923	Able Seaman	RN	<i>HMS Despatch</i> to Yokohama after earthquake
1924	Able Seaman	RCN	HMS Badminton (Sweeper) Electrical Systems
1926	Leading Seaman	RN	Royal Navy - Qualified as Torpedo-man
1928	Able Seaman	RCN	Transferred to RCN (his parents to Canada)
1928	Leading Seaman(T)	RCN	Leading Torpedo-man
1931	A/Petty Officer	RCN	<i>HMCS Saguenay</i> - Torpedo Gunners Mate 2 yrs
1932	Petty Officer	RCN	<i>HMCS Saguenay</i> - Torpedo Gunners Mate
24/11/1934	Warrant Gunner	RCN	HMS Vernon course to become Torpedo-Gunner
1935	Warrant Gunner	RCN	<i>HMS Thurster</i> & <i>HMS Walpole</i> (Destroyers)
1936	Warrant Gunner	RCN	<i>HMS Sable</i> (Destroyer)
1936	Warrant Gunner	RCN	HMS Vernon
1936	Warrant Gunner	RCN	HMCS Stadacona
03/05/1936	Warrant Gunner *	RCN	<i>HMCS Saguenay</i> (Destroyer)
12/05/1937	Warrant Gunner	RCN	RCN Colour Party for the Coronation KGVI
30/09/1939	Warrant Gunner	RCN	<i>HMCS Saguenay</i> - ends 2 ½ years on ship
19/10/1939	Warrant Gunner	RCN	<i>HMCS Assiniboine</i> (Destroyer) Commissioning
06/05/1940	Warrant Gunner	RCN	<i>HMCS Ottawa</i> (Destroyer)
01/01/1941	Commissioned Gunner	RCN	<i>HMCS Ottawa</i> - his title was "Mr."
28/07/1941	Commissioned Gunner	RCN	<i>HMCS Sambro</i> Halifax Flotilla Torpedo Off
01/01/1942	Lieutenant(T)	RCN	HMCS Stadacona Halifax Torpedo Officer
15/01/1943	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Sorel</i> (Corvette)
03/02/1943	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Sorel</i> (Corvette)
07/03/1943	Lieutenant(T)	RCN	<i>HMCS Huron</i> (Destroyer) to stand by
19/07/1943	Lieutenant(T)	RCN	<i>HMCS Huron</i> 1 st Lieutenant & Torpedo Officer
26/04/1944	Lieutenant(T)	RCN	DSC for sinking of German Destroyer T-29
05/02/1945	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Ottawa</i> (Destroyer)
14/07/1945	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Ottawa</i> (Destroyer)
15/07/1945	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Gatineau</i> Destroyer
15/07/1945	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Gatineau</i> (Destroyer)
26/11/1945	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	First Lieutenant RCN Barracks Esquimalt
01/07/1946	Lt-Commander(T)	RCN	Substantive LCdr RCN Barracks Esquimalt
16/12/1946	Acting Commander	RCN	Training Commander HMCS Naden
25/08/1947	Acting Commander	RCN	Executive Officer <i>HMCS Ontario</i> Lt Cruiser
01/01/1948	Commander	RCN	Executive Officer <i>HMCS Ontario</i> Lt Cruiser
01/06/1948	Commander	RCN	Staff Officer Flag Officer Atlantic Coast
01/05/1949	Commander	RCN	Executive Officer HMCS Cornwallis

* While Serving on HMCS Saguenay, he and Sub-Lieutenant Rufus Pope composed the RCNVR song, "Roll Along Wavy Navy, Roll Along".

Rear-Admiral Patrick David BUDGE, DSC, CD
Chief of Naval Personnel (0-10190)

01/01/1952	Captain	RCN	Promoted Captain
14/01/1952	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer HMCS Quebec (L/Cruiser)
10/09/1953	Captain	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Quebec</i> (Light Crusier)
01/10/1953	Captain	RCN	HMCS Star as COS to Cdr Naval Divisions
01/08/1954	Acting Commodore	RCN	Commodore-in-Command RCN Barracks Esquimalt
01/08/1954	Acting Commodore	RCN	Honorary AdC to the Governor-General
01/09/1955	Commodore	RCN	Promoted and to COS FOAC
01/07/1959	Commodore	RCN	NSHQ as Deputy Chief of Naval Personnel
30/06/1960	Rear-Admiral	RCN	NSHQ as Chief of Naval Personnel Naval Bd
03/08/1963	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Retired

Citation to the **Mentioned in Despatches** Mr / Commissioned Gunner (T)
 "For good services in an attack on an enemy U-Boat."

Citation to the **Distinguished Service Cross (DSC)** - Lieutenant HMCS Huron
 "For outstanding courage, skill and devotion to duty in **H.M. Ships Tartar, Ashanti, Eskimo, Javelin, and H.M. Canadian Ships Haida and Huron** in action with German destroyers."
 The action in which **HMCS Huron** (Tribal Class Destroyer - G24), **HMCS Haida** and **HMCS Athabaskan** (all Tribal Class Destroyers) helped sink Destroyer **T-29** on 26 April 1944, north of Brittany, is described in Chapter 39 of "**The Canadian Naval Chronicle 1939-1945**". Lieutenant Budge was a Torpedo Specialist on board **HMCS Huron**.

Medals of Rear-Admiral Patrick David BUDGE, DSC, CD, RCN:
 Medals on Display at the Esquimalt Military Museum

DSC
 1939-1945 Star
 Atlantic Star with bar France and Germany
 CVSM and Clasp
 1939-1945 War Medal with MID
 GVI Coronation
 EIIR Coronation
 CD (GVI) and Three Bars.



Rear-Admiral John Grant KNOWLTON, OBE
Chief of Naval Technical Services and Engineer-in-Chief (0-39570)

Born: 31/08/1903 Saint John, New Brunswick
 Died:

Honours

16/06/1945 OBE Officer of the Order of the British Empire Captain(E)

Military

1918	Naval Cadet	RCN	9 th Term Royal Naval College of Canada
01/09/1921	Midshipman	RCN	To RN for training \Chief Cadet Captain
26/10/1921	Midshipman	RCN	HMS Resolution
01/01/1924	A/Sub-Lt	RCN	Promoted - RN for training
01/01/1924	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted - RN for training
01/01/1926	Lieutenant(E)	RCN	with the Royal Navy
22/10/1928	Lieutenant(E)	RCN	NSHQ
01/04/1930	Lieutenant(E)	RCN	HMCS Naden Divisional Staff
12/07/1931	Lieutenant(E)	RCN	HMCS Champlain (Destroyer) Engineer Officer
01/06/1933	Lieutenant(E)	RCN	HMC Dockyard Halifax A/Chief Engineer
01/01/1934	Lt-Commander(E)	RCN	HMC Dockyard Halifax A/Chief Engineer
19/06/1934	Lt-Commander(E)	RCN	HMCS Skeena (Destroyer) Engine Off (D) West
01/02/1937	Lt-Commander(E)	RCN	HMCS Fraser (Destroyer) to stand by
17/02/1937	Lt-Commander(E)	RCN	HMCS Fraser (Destroyer) Engineering Officer
01/12/1938	Commander(E)	RCN	Promoted
01/01/1939	Commander(E)	RCN	HMCS Ottawa (Destroyer) Engineer Officer
02/04/1940	Commander(E)	RCN	HMCS Assiniboine (Destroyer) Engineer Officer
28/07/1940	Commander(E)	RCN	HMCS Sambro - Flotila Engineer Officer
01/01/1944	Captain(E)	RCN	HMCS Stadacona Eng Super HMC Dockyard Halifax
1944	Captain(E)	RCN	HMCS Scotian Eng Superin HMC Dockyard Halifax
1945	Captain(E)	RCN	NSHQ Deputy Chief of Naval Engineering & Const
1946	A/Commodore(E)	RCN	NSHQ Assistant Chief of Naval Admin & Supply
01/01/1948	Commodore(E)	RCN	NSHQ Chief of Naval Technical Services
01/01/1949	Rear-Admiral(E)	RCN	NSHQ Chief Naval Tech & Engineer-in-Chief
01/01/1956	Rear-Admiral(E)	RCN	Retired

Citation to the **Officer of the Order of the British Empire (OBE)** Captain

"Captain Knowlton has rendered excellent service in building up HMC Dock Yard, Halifax, from the small requirements of a pre-war Navy to its present important position, as an operating and repair base for a large proportion of the North Atlantic escort group."

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Rear-Admiral John Birch CALDWELL, MBE, CD
Chief of Naval Technical Services (0-11220)

Born: 07/11/1913 Amherst, Nova Scotia
 Died: 20/09/1973 Ottawa ?

Honours

13/06/1946	MBE	Member of the Order of the British Empire	A/Commander
29/04/1944	MID	Mentioned-in-Despatches	Lieutenant(E)

Military

31/08/1933	Cadet	RCN	Special entry No.34 - HMS Frobisher Training
01/09/1934	Cadet	RCN	Royal Navy Engineering College
1936	Midshipman	RCN	Promoted
01/01/1938	A/Sub-Lt (E)	RCN	Promoted
01/04/1938	Lieutenant (E)	RCN	Promoted
26/07/1938	Lieutenant (E)	RCN	HMS Resolution
21/09/1939	Lieutenant (E)	RCN	<i>HMCS Saguenay</i> (Destroyer) Engineering Officer
14/08/1941	Lieutenant (E)	RCN	<i>HMCS Athabaskan</i> (Destroyer) To Stand By
03/02/1943	Lieutenant (E)	RCN	<i>HMCS Athabaskan</i> Destroyer Engineering Officer
1944	Lieutenant (E)	RCN	<i>HMS Sheffield</i>
1944	A/LCdr (E) WHA	RCN	<i>HMCS Athabaskan</i> (Destroyer)
05/05/1944	A/LCdr (E) WHA	RCN	<i>HMCS Uganda</i> (Lt Cruiser) To Stand By
21/10/1944	A/LCdr (E) WHA	RCN	<i>HMCS Uganda</i> (Lt Cruiser) Engineering Officer
20/08/1945	A/Commander (E)	RCN	HMC Dockyard Halifax Senior Engineer Officer
1945	A/Commander (E)	RCN	Scotian Staff of Cmdre Superintendent Halifax
1946	A/Commander (E)	RCN	Manager Engin. Department HMC Dockyard Halifax
01/01/1947	Commander (E)	RCN	Royal Navy Engineering course
1948	Commander (E)	RCN	NSHQ Assist Chief of Naval Technical Svc (Air)
01/01/1950	Captain (E)	RCN	NSHQ A/Chief Naval Staff (New Construct Ships)
1954	Captain (E)	RCN	National Defence College of Canada Course No.8
22/08/1955	Commodore (E)	RCN	Commodore Superintendent HMC Dockyard Esquimalt
1958	Commodore (E)	RCN	NSHQ as Engineer-in-Chief
15/11/1960	Rear-Admiral (E)	RCN	NSHQ as Deputy Chief of Naval Technical Svc
01/02/1961	Rear-Admiral (E)	RCN	NSHQ as Chief of Naval Technical Services
1961	Rear-Admiral (E)	RCN	CFHQ as Chief of Logistics Engineering & Devel
1965	Rear-Admiral (E)	RCN	CFHQ as Chief of Technical Services
19XX	Rear-Admiral (E)	RCN	Retires

Rear-Admiral John Birch CALDWELL, MBE, CD
Chief of Naval Technical Services

Citation for **Mention in Despatches (MID)** Lieutenant(E)

"For courage and seamanship in bringing their ship, **HMCS Athabaskan** safely to port after she was damaged."

While on patrol in the Bay of Biscay Patrol area at 1300 Hours on 27 August 1943, **HMCS Athabaskan** was attacked by eighteen enemy Dornier-217s. **HMS Egret** (British Sloop) was sunk. A glide bomb hit **HMCS Athabaskan** at the junction of "B" gun-deck and the wheel-house. It passed under the plot room, through the Chief Petty Officer's Mess, and out the starboard side. It exploded barely a few feet beyond and bomb fragments pierced **HMCS Athabaskan's** side and bridge in a number of places. The Captain, Commander Miles was knocked down by the blast and several officers, including Lieutenant-Commander Dunn Lanthier and Sub-Lieutenant John A. Brebner had severe leg injuries. Able Seaman Joseph McGrath, a bridge lookout, died the next day. The crew of "B" gun bore the worst of the injuries with Able Seaman William Pickett and Petty Officer Ernest Latimer being killed. Leading Seaman John Gordon took charge despite the fact that he was injured and several others were burned. Several members of "A" gun were also burned and wounded. Leading Cook Frank Prudhomme also died. **HMCS Athabaskan** took on board the 35 survivors from **HMS Egret**. **HMCS Athabaskan** continued on at 14 knots, correcting a serious list to starboard. The ship sailed into port on 30 August 1943 under her own power. The ship was battered but not broken. See the book "**Unlucky Lady**".

Citation for **Member of the Order of the British Empire (MBE)** HMCS Uganda

"Lieutenant-Commander Caldwell is an outstanding Engineering Officer of marked ability, both in administration duties and practical engineering. He served with distinction as Engineer Officer of **HMCS Athabaskan** when bombed off the coast of France, and as Senior Engineer Officer of **HMCS Uganda**. In his present appointment, Chief Engineer of His Majesty's Canadian Dockyard, Halifax, he displayed tact, firmness and organizing ability with the personnel serving under him."

Details of the sinking of **HMCS Athabaskan** which was torpedoed by German Destroyer **T-24** on 29 March 1944 in the English Channel can be found in "**The Canadian Naval Chronicle 1939 - 1945**", Chapter 40.

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Vice-Admiral John Charles ("Scruffy") O'BRIEN, OC, CD
Commander Maritime Command (0-55950)

Born: 16/02/1918 Hove, Sussex, United Kingdom
 Married: Stephanie Frances Swire
 Died: 24/03/1996 Ottawa, Ontario

Honours

27/06/1970 OC Officer of the Order of Canada Rear-Admiral
 31/08/1973 Order of Merit for the Italian Republic (Italy) Rear-Admiral

Military

1935 Cadet RCN Royal Military College
 20/08/1937 Cadet RCN Special entry No.43 - HMS Erebus (Training)
 07/09/1937 Cadet RCN HMS Excellent (Portsmouth)
 11/01/1938 Cadet RCN *HMS Vindictive* (former cruiser - training)
 01/09/1938 Midshipman RCN *HMS Royal Sovereign* (Battleship)
 29/12/1938 Midshipman RCN *HMS Berwick* (Heavy Cruiser) (for training)
 01/09/1939 A/Sub-Lt RCN Promoted
 27/05/1940 A/Sub-Lt RCN 1st Lieutenant small Dutch vessel at Dunkirk
 04/06/1940 A/Sub-Lt RCN End time in small Dutch vessel
 01/09/1940 Sub-Lieutenant RCN *HMCS Saguenay* (Destroyer)
 01/03/1941 Lieutenant RCN *HMCS Saguenay* (Destroyer)
 1941 Lieutenant RCN Signals Officer course in the U.K.
 1942 Lieutenant RCN 4th RN Flotilla Signals Officer Sicily Landing
 1945 A/LCdr RCN Promoted - Deputy Director of Signals Division
 1946 A/LCdr RCN Royal Navy Signal Book Committee
 18/12/1946 A/LCdr RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Crescent* (Destroyer)
 04/01/1948 A/LCdr RCN End term as CO *HMCS Crescent* (Destroyer)
 10/01/1948 A/LCdr RCN HMCS Stadacona OIC Communication School
 01/09/1948 Lt-Commander RCN To HMCS Cornwallis
 01/07/1951 Commander RCN Promoted
 1953 Commander RCN Executive Officer HMCS Stadacona
 1954 Commander RCN Executive Officer *HMCS Magnificent* (Carrier)
 01/07/1955 Captain RCN Promoted - NSHQ as Director of Naval Training
 1957 Captain RCN NSHQ - Director Naval Communications
 12/09/1959 Captain RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Bonaventure* (Carrier)
 29/08/1961 Captain RCN End term as CO *HMCS Bonaventure* (Carrier)
 27/09/1961 Commodore RCN Naval Member Cdn Joint Staff Washington
 1964 Commodore RCN Senior Canadian Officer Afloat (Atlantic)
 19/07/1966 Rear-Admiral RCN Commander Maritime Command
 15/09/1968 Vice-Admiral RCN Commander Maritime Command
 1970 Vice-Admiral RCN Commandant NATO Defence College Rome Italy
 1973 Vice-Admiral RCN Retired

**Vice-Admiral John Charles ("Scruffy") O'BRIEN, OC, CD
Commander Maritime Command (0-55950)**

Citation to the Officer of the Order of Canada (OC) Vice-Admiral

"For his services in the Canadian Armed Forces and especially for his leadership as Commander of Maritime Command during a period of reorganization."



Medals of Vice-Admiral John Charles O'Brien, OC, CD

Officer of the Order of Canada

- 1939-1945 Star
- Atlantic Star
- African Star
- Italy Star
- Defence Medal
- CVSM and Clasp
- 1939-1945 War Medal
- Special Service Medal bar NATO
- EIIR Coronation
- Centennial Medal
- EIIR Silver Jubilee Medal
- Canada 125 Medal
- CD (GVI) and 2 bars
- Order of Merit for the Italian Republic (Italy)



Rear-Admiral John "Johnny" Alexander CHARLES, CMM, CD
Deputy Chief of Defence Staff (0-13250)

Born: 27/03/1918 Rouleau, Saskatchewan
 Married: Mary Parker
 Children: 8
 Died: 25/09/2010 Victoria, B.C.
 Ashes: 08/10/2010 Scattered at sea from HMCS Winnipeg

Honours

02/01/1945 MID Mentioned in Despatches
 23/12/1972 CMM Commander of the Order of Military Merit

Military

20/08/1935 Cadet RCN Royal Military College Kingston
 07/09/1937 Cadet RCN Special Entry No.43 - HMS Excellent
 11/01/1938 Cadet RCN HMS Vindictive
 01/09/1938 Midshipman RCN HMS Royal Sovereign
 29/12/1938 Midshipman RCN *HMS Berwick* (Northern Waters)
 01/05/1940 A/Sub-Lt RCN Promoted - *HMS Berwick* Norwegian Operations
 28/10/1940 A/Sub-Let RCN HMCS Restigouche (Destroyer) Clyde Escort Gp
 01/05/1940 Sub-Lieutenant RCN HMCS Restigouche (Destroyer)
 01/01/1941 Lieutenant RCN Lt Seniority 01/07/1939
 1942 Lieutenant RCN *HMS Laforey* Mediterranean North Africa Sicily
 1944 Lieutenant RCN HMCS St. Hyacinthe Staff Signals Duty
 20/09/1945 A/Commander RCN Promoted Acting Commander - HMCS Esquimalt
 01/07/1947 Lt-Commander RCN Substantive Lieutenant-Commander - Attaché USA
 02/01/1948 Lt-Commander RCN *HMCS Crescent* (Destroyer)
 05/01/1948 Lt-Commander RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Crescent* (Destroyer)
 15/11/1948 Lt-Commander RCN End tour as CO *HMCS Crescent* (Destroyer)
 1949 Lt-Commander RCN Royal Navy for Staff Courses
 1950 Lt-Commander RCN Joint Services Staff Courses
 01/07/1950 Commander RCN Promoted - *HMCS Magnificent* (Carrier)
 1951 Commander RCN NSHQ as Director of Naval Communications
 29/10/1953 Commander RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Haida* (Destroyer)
 29/10/1953 Commander RCN and Commander Cdn Destroyers Far East
 01/07/1954 Captain RCN Promoted while CO *HMCS Haida* (Destroyer)
 15/12/1954 Captain RCN End Term as CO *HMCS Haida* (Destroyer)
 1954 Captain RCN 6th Commandant Royal Roads Military College
 1957 Captain RCN End term as Commandant RRMC
 1958 Captain RCN NSHQ as Director of Naval Operations
 17/08/1960 Captain RCN CO *HMCS Assiniboine* (DDE) Cdr 2nd Escort Sqd
 18/08/1961 Captain RCN End term as CO *HMCS Assiniboine* (DDE)
 23/08/1961 Commodore RCN NSHQ as Assistant Chief of the Naval Staff
 01/08/1966 Rear-Admiral RCN Commander Maritime Command Pacific
 1968 Rear-Admiral RCN NDHQ Assistant Chief of Naval Staff (Plans)
 1970 Rear-Admiral RCN NDHQ - Chief of Maritime Operations
 1972 Rear-Admiral RCN NDHQ - Deputy Chief of Defence Staff
 1974 Rear-Admiral RCN Retired

Rear-Admiral John "Johnny" Alexander CHARLES, CMM, CD
Deputy Chief of Defence Staff (0-13250)

Medals:

Commander of the Order of Military Merit (CMM)

1939-1945 Star

Atlantic Star

Africa Star

Star

Defence Medal

CVSM and clasp

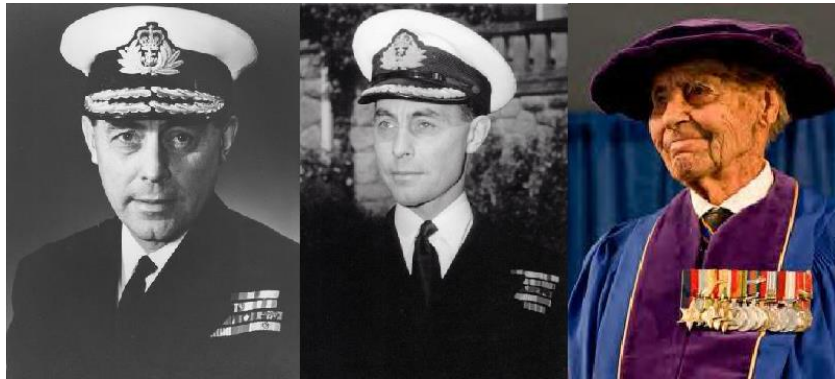
1939-1945 War Medal with MID

UN Korea

EIIR Coronation Medal

Centennial Medal

CD and 2 bars



Vice-Admiral Wallace Bouchier CREERY, CBE, CD
 Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff (0-16700)

Born: 11/02/1900 Vancouver, B.C.
 Died: 02/02/1987 Ottawa, Ontario

Honours

05/01/1946 CBE Commander of the Order of the British Empire Captain
 08/01/1949 Cross King Haakon VII's Cross of Liberation (Norway) Commodore

Military

03/08/1914 Cadet RCN Royal Naval College of Canada 5th Term
 1915 Cadet RCN *HMS Leviathan*
 1916 Cadet RCN *HMS Carnarvon*
 02/07/1917 Midshipman RCN *HMS Roxborough*
 01/02/1918 Sub-Lt RCN *HMS Minotaur* (Cruiser) for training
 1918 Sub-Lt RCN *HMS Canada*
 1919 Sub-Lt RCN *HMS Barham*
 02/12/1920 A/Lieutenant RCN Promoted
 1921 Lieutenant RCN Seniority backdated to 02/09/1920
 18/02/1922 Lieutenant RCN *HMCS Patrician*
 1926 Lieutenant RCN HMS Vernon - Long Torpedo Course
 01/10/1926 Lieutenant RCN HMCS Naden as Torpedo Officer Esquimalt
 02/09/1928 Lt-Commander RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Armentieres* (Sweeper)
 1930 Lt-Commander RCN *HMS Codrington* as Torpedo Officer
 1930 Lt-Commander RCN & Sr Staff Officer RN 3rd Destroyer Flotilla
 1932 Lt-Commander RCN Served in the RN Staff College course
 26/02/1934 Lt-Commander RCN HMCS Stadacona Directing Staff
 23/05/1934 Lt-Commander RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Champlain* (Destroyer)
 01/08/1935 Commander RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Champlain* (Destroyer)
 10/12/1935 Commander RCN End term as CO *HMCS Champlain* (Destroyer)
 20/12/1935 Commander RCN NSHQ as Director of the Naval Reserves
 16/12/1936 Commander RCN Commanding Officer HMCS Stadacona
 01/09/1938 Commander RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Fraser* (Destroyer)
 1940 Commander RCN Rescued future GG George Vanier from France
 25/06/1940 Commander RCN *HMCS Fraser* sunk in collision with *HMS Calcutta*
 01/09/1940 A/Captain RCN CO HMCS Venture & King's Harbour Master Halifax
 01/09/1940 A/Captain RCN Cdr i/c HMC Naval Est/CO Aux Vessels Halifax
 01/07/1942 Captain RCN COS to the Commanding Officer Atlantic Coast
 1943 Captain RCN NSHQ - Director of Operations
 1943 Captain RCN NSHQ - Assistant Chief of the Naval Staff
 08/12/1944 Captain RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Prince Robert*
 19/12/1944 Captain RCN End term as CO *HMCS Prince Robert* (Armed Merch)
 04/06/1945 Captain RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Prince Robert*
 30/08/1945 Captain RCN Signed the surrender of HK by Japan for Canada
 10/12/1945 Captain RCN End term as CO *HMCS Prince Robert* (Armed Merch)
 02/01/1946 Captain RCN Commandant HMCS Royal Roads - AdC to GG
 01/07/1948 Commodore RCN NSHQ as Chief of Naval Personnel
 29/04/1950 Rear-Admiral RCN Flag Officer Pacific Coast
 1953 Rear-Admiral RCN NSHQ as Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff Naval Bd
 08/05/1955 Rear-Admiral RCN Retired

Vice-Admiral Wallace Bouchier CREERY, CBE, CD
Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff (0-16700)



CLARKE. Edward Newton, 0-14190,
(b:Vancouver, BC, 26 May 1914) (Special entry No.32)
Cdt [2.9.32] RCN, RN Eng College, (10.1.34-?)
Mid(E) [1.9.34] A/S/Lt(E) [1.5.36] HMS ORION (21.10.37-?)
Lt(E) [1.5.37] HMS ORION (1.9.38-?)
HMCS OTTAWA(H60) DD, (7.10.40-?)
HMCS UGANDA(66) L/Cr, (24.4.45-?) A/LCdr(E) (WHA)
LCdr(E) [1.5.45] HMCS ROYAL ROADS(RCNC) (14.8.46-?)
Cdr(E) [1.1.49] CD~[?]
HMCS CAPE BRETON(100) Rep/Ship, CO, (31.1.53-21.3.54)
Capt(E) [1.1.54] Cmdre(E) [28.7.61] Retired 1969.

COGDON. Noel "Nibs", 0-14670,
(b:Sunderland, Co. Durham, UK, 22 Dec 1925)
(Direct entry No 52) Cdt RCN [14.8.40] Mid [1.1.41]
S/Lt [1.2.42] HMCS OTTAWA(H31) DD, (22.5.43-?)
Lt(P) [1.1.44] HMCS OTTAWA(H31) DD, CO, (12.10.44-4.2.45)
HMCS UGANDA(66) L/Cr, (3.9.45-?) 19 CAG, 883 Sqn, (1.12.48-?)
19 CAG, 883 Sqn, CO, (14.5.49-?) A/LCdr(P) (WHA)
LCdr(P) [1.1.52] CD~[?] A/Cdr 1955, Cdr(P) [1.1.56]
HMCS HURON(216) DD, CO, (28.1.57-1.8.57)
HMCS MICMAC(214) DD, CO, (5.8.57-13.6.58)
A/Capt [26.7.62] Capt [1.1.63] Cmdre [8.7.67] Retired 25.12.77

DAVY. Arthur Cecil Montague, 0-18580,
(b:Westmount, PQ, 11 Oct 1902) Cdt 1917, RCN,
RNCC 8th term, Mid [1.9.20] HMS AJAX (26.11.20-?)
A/S/Lt(E) [1.1.23] Lt(E) [1.10.24]
HMCS VANCOUVER DD, (10.2.28-?)
HMCS STADACONA(D/S) (29.5.31-?) NSHQ, (15.7.31-?)
LCdr(E) [1.10.32]
HMC Dky Hfx, Supervisor new construction (18.4.33-?)
HMCS SKEENA(H01) DD, (19.6.33-?)
HMCS STADACONA(D/S) (16.7.35-?) Cdr(E) [30.6.37]
RCNB Hfx (New construction) (3.1.38-?)
HMC Dky Esq, Asst/Ch(Eng) (7.11.38-?)
NSHQ, Dir/Shipbuilding, (7.9.39-?)
A/Capt(E) 1939, Capt(E) [1.7.43] OBE~[15.6.46]
HMC Dockyard Esq, Superintendent (2.7.46-?)
HMC Dockyard Esq, Superintendent & Command Eng. (3.7.47-?)
Cmdre(E) [1.1.50] CD~[?] Retired 17.10.55?

DEANE. John, 0-18870,
(b:Farnham Bucks UK 14 Jul 1910. d:White Rock BC, 1 Nov 1991)
T/Lt(E1) 1939, RNVR, MID~[1.7.41] "For outstanding zeal,
patience & cheerfulness & for neverfailing to set an example
of wholehearted devotion to duty without which the high
tradition of the Royal Navy could not have been upheld."
LCdr(E1) [30.9.41] RN, RCNVR, [31.3.43]
LCdr(E1) (Temp) [30.9.41] RCNVR, Cdr(E1) (Temp) (WHA)
A/Cdr(E1) [5.7.43] RCN, Cdr(L) [1.1.46]
HMCS ONTARIO(53) L/Cr, (10.5.48-?)
HMCS STADACONA(D/S) for Elect/Sch, OIC, (1.2.50-?)
Capt(L) [1.1.53] Cmdre(L) [11.8.58]
Retired [4.12.65]

EARL. Paul Whitney, 0-21600,
(b:Montreal, PQ, 29 Sep 1895) S/Lt RNVR, & Lt, WW.I service.
A/Lt(Temp) [1.7.40] RCNVR, LCdr(Temp) [1.10.40]
RCNVR Div, Montreal, CO, (1.10.41-20.11.41)
HMCS DONNANCONA, RCNVR Div, Montreal, CO, (21.11.41-31.3.42)
Cdr(Temp) [1.1.43] A/Capt(WHA)
HMCS HOCHELAGA(D/S) CO, & NOIC Montreal, (11.9.44-?)
Capt(Temp) [1.1.45] CBE~[5.1.46] Cmdre [1.2.46] RCN(R)
Demob. [9.7.46] Died [23.5.63] Ireland.

EDWARDS. Gordon Cheeseman "Ted", 0-21880,
(b:Toronto. ON, Jul 1917] S/Lt(Temp) [12.7.40] RCNVR,
Lt(Temp) [12.7.41] A/LCdr(Temp) 1945, MID~[1.1.45]
Cdr(Temp) [22.8.45] Demob. [30.9.47] (DONNACONA)
LCdr RCN(R) CD~[?] LCdr [1.1.47] RCN, A/Cdr 1948, Cdr [1.7.50]
HMCS STETTLER(311) Fp, CO, (27.2.54-2.9.55)
Capt [1.7.56] HMCS ATHABASKAN(219) DD, CO, (25.5.61-15.3.62)
HMCS IROQUOIS(217) DD, CO, (20.3.62-30.9.62)
Cmdre [6.10.64] Retired 1969?

EDWARDS. Gordon "Gordie" Lewis,
(b:Medicine Hat, AB 25 Jan 1931) OS [18.12.48] RCN, Mid [1.2.52]
A/S/Lt [8.3.53] S/Lt(P) [8.3.54] Lt(P) [8.4.55] LCdr [8.4.63]
Cdr(MARS) [1.7.66]
HMCS ASSINIBOINE(234) DDH, CO, (15.6.67-6.7.70)
HMCS BRAS D'OR(400) FHE, CO, (6.7.70-?)
HMCS ATHABASKAN(282) DDH, CO, (6.9.74-29.3.76)
Capt(MARS) [1.1.76] CMM~[12.12.81] Cmdre [6.10.84] RAdm [2.3.82]
Retired 1.1.85.

EDWARDS. Harold,
(b:Chorley Lancs UK, 1892)
RCN 1914, transferred to RNAS, 1915, F/S/Lt(Temp) [31.10.15]
POW 1916, RCAF 1922, S/Ldr, W/Cdr, G/C, A/Cmdre, A/Marshal.
retired 1945, CB~[?]

EDWARDS. John Crispo "Dutchie" Inglis, 0-21910,
(b:Londerry, NS, 5 Jul 1896, d:Sidney, BC, 31 Dec 1978)
Cdt 1912 RNCC 2nd term, Mid [25.1.14] RCN,
HMCS SHEARWATER I, for duty in submarines (8.8.14-)
A/S/Lt [1.12.16] HMS ARCHER DD, (24.2.17-?) S/Lt [13.6.17]
A/Lt [5.7.18] Lt [5.12.18] HMS CALLIOPE (25.5.20-?)
HMCS GUELPH(D/S) (6.9.22-?)
HMCS FESTEBURT m/s, CO, (10.3.24-?) LCdr [5.9.26]
HMCS CHAMPLAIN 1,087/19, DD, CO, (21-5.28-26.12.29)
HMCS NADEN(D/S) (17.1.30-?)
NSHQ Ass/Dir Naval Reserves (21.12.31-?)
HMCS STADACONA(D/S) (20.6.34-?)
HMCS NADEN(D/S) for RCNB Esq, CO, (6.5.36-?) Cdr [1.12.38]
RCNB Hfx, CO, (26.12.39-?) A/Capt 1941,
HMCS PRINCE HENRY(F70) amc, CO, (20.12.41-31.12.42)
Capt [1.1.43] HMCS CORNWALLIS, Cornwallis, CO, (21.1.43-?)
RCNB Esq, CO, (13.3.46-?) CBE~[15.6.46]
A/Cmdre 1946, Cmdre [1.1.49] Retired 11.10.50.

ELCOCK. Frank Dudley, 0-22030,
(b:Ottawa, ON, 3 Nov 1917)
Special entry No. 43, Paym/Cdt [20.8.37] RCN,
HMS VINDICTIVE (6.9.37-?)
Paym/Mid [20.8.38] HMS ADVENTURE (17.6.38-?)
Paym/Lt [1.11.40]
HMCS ONTARIO(53) L/Cr, stand by, (25.11.44-25.4.45?)
HMCS ONTARIO(53) L/Cr, Lt(S) (26.4.45-?) A/LCdr(S) [?]
LCdr(S) [1.11.47] Cdr(S) [1.1.50] CD~[?]
NDHQ, Dep/CNS/Sec, (7.7.50-?)
Capt(S) [1.7.59] Cmdre(S) [1.7.66] Retired [1.11.71]

FRASER-HARRIS. Alexander Beaufort Fraser, 0-25245,
(b:Halifax, NS. 16 Nov 16) Cdt [1.9.30] RN, Mid 1936,
A/S/Lt [1.1.37] S/Lt 1938, Wings awarded [1.4.39]
Lt [16.5.39] DSC~[25.6.40] "He was shot down during
attacks on shipping & seaplane base at Trodheim Norway, &
returned to the UK" Bar to DSC~[22.9.42] "He was shot down
in the desert attacking airfields at Oran & was a POW of
French forces for 5 days in 1942" LCdr(A) [1.2.43]
LCdr(P) [16.8.45] awarded additional seniority for
'Meritorious War Service' LCdr(A) [16.8.45] Transferred
RCN 1946. LCdr(P) [13.11.46] RCN(R) Transferred RCN 1946,
LCdr [19.12.46] No.1 TrgAG, CO, (7.1.47-?) Cdr(P) [1.7.48]
RCN Air Section Dartmouth, CO, (1.7.48-?)
HMCS SHEARWATER CO, [1.12.48-?) A/Capt [1.12.48]
reverted Cdr [1.8.49] CD~[?]
HMCS NOOTKA(213) DD, CO, (29.8.50-16.9.51) MID~[10.5.52]
Capt [1.1.54] Legionnaire-Legion of Merit(USA)~[16.4.55]
HMCS MAGNIFICENT(21) CVL, CO, (3.8.56-14.6.57)
Cmdre [12.10.62] Retired 29.4.65.

FINCH-NOYES. Edward "Ted" William, 0-23590,
(b:Hamilton, ON, ? Jul 1909, d:Victoria, BC, 16 Sep 1982)
(Special entry No 20) Cdt 1926, Mid [1.9.27] RCN,
HMS EMPEROR OF INDIA (1.9.27-?) A/S/Lt [1.11.29] S/Lt [1.1.30]
HMCS CHAMPLAIN DD, (1.6.31-?) Lt [1.6.31]
HMCS VANCOUVER DD, (1936?) RCNB Hfx, (1.8.36-?)
RCNB Hfx, (10.6.37-?) RCNB Hfx, (2.10.38-?) LCdr [1.6.39]
HMCS PRINCE HENRY(F70) amc, (8.5.42-?) A/Cdr 1943,
HMCS PRINCE HENRY(F70) amc, CO, (19.3.43-22.3.43)
HMCS PRINCE ROBERT(F56) amc, CO, (24.3.43-5.6.43)
HMCS SASKATCHEWAN(H70) DD, (16.2.44-?)
HMCS SASKATCHEWAN(H70) DD, CO, (23.3.44-6.4.44)
HMCS MONTREAL(K319) Fr, (19.4.44-?)
HMCS WENTWORTH(K331) Fr, (27.5.44-?)
HMCS GLACE BAY(K414) Fr, (27.2.45-?) Cdr [1.7.45]
HMCS IROQUOIS(G89) DD, CO, (3.7.45-10.11.45)
HMCS UGANDA(66) L/Cr, XO, (10.11.45-?)
RCNB Hfx, XO, (28.12.46-?)
HMCS STADACONA(D/S) for FOAC, CoSt, (5.10.48-?) CD~[?]
Capt [1.7.49] HMCS SHEARWATER CO, [1.8.49-?)
HMCS QUEBEC(31) L/Cr, CO, (11.9.53-31.7.55)
Cmdre [1.8.55] RAdm [30.6.60] Retired 1.11.62,

Vice-Admiral James Andrew "Andy" FULTON, CMM, OSTJ, CD
Commander Maritime Command (0-25647)

Born: 23/01/1927 Ottawa, Ontario
 Died: Alive

Honours

23/12/1972	OMM	Officer of the Order of Military Merit	Captain
13/12/1980	CMM	Commander of the Order of Military Merit	Vice-Admiral
	OSTJ		

Military

20/08/1944	Cadet	RCN	Royal Roads Military College
03/07/1946	Midshipman	RCN	Training with the RCN
03/11/1947	A/Sub-Lt	RCN	Promotion to Sub-Lieutenant backdated
03/11/1947	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Haida</i> (Destroyer) Gunnery Officer
13/01/1950	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Huron</i> (Destroyer) to Stand by
18/02/1950	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Huron</i> (Destroyer) To stand by
28/02/1950	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Huron</i> (Destroyer) Korea Service
28/09/1951	Lieutenant	RCN	Flag Lieutenant to CANFLAGLANT
08/09/1952	Lieutenant	RCN	End term as Flag Lieutenant to CANFLAGLANT
01/10/1952	Lieutenant	RCN	Long Gunnery Course HMS Excellent
12/03/1954	Lieutenant	RCN	Instructor HMS Excellent, Portsmouth, U.K.
16/12/1954	Lieutenant	RCN	End term at HMS Excellent
1955	Lieutenant	RCN	2 nd Cdn Escort Gunnery Officer <i>HMCS Athabaskan</i>
1956	Lieutenant	RCN	2 nd Cdn Escort Gunnery Officer <i>HMCS Crescent</i>
1956	Lieutenant	RCN	Royal Mil College of Science (Guided Missiles)
1956	Lieutenant	RCN	Post Graduate Course in Guided Missiles
1957	Lieutenant	RCN	NDHQ Guided Missile Section Directorate
1957	Lieutenant	RCN	NDHQ Directorate of Surface and Air Warfare
18/02/1958	Lt-Commander	RCN	NDHQ Directorate of Surface and Air Warfare
1960	Lt-Commander	RCN	NDHQ Directorate of Naval Fighting Equipment
08/03/1961	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Outremont</i> (Frigate)
02/09/1962	Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Outremont</i> (Frigate)
1962	Lt-Commander	RCN	NDHQ Deputy Program Manager Missile Systems
01/01/1963	Commander	RCN	NDHQ Deputy Program Manager Missile Systems
01/07/1963	Commander	RCN	Tartar Systems Course Dam Neck, Virginia
08/09/1963	Commander	RCN	NDHQ Director of Naval Operations
12/08/1965	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Gatineau</i> (DDE)
08/09/1966	Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Gatineau</i> (DDE)
01/07/1966	Captain	RCN	Deputy Representing SACEUR at NATO HQ Paris
05/09/1969	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Provider</i> (AOR Supply)
02/08/1972	Captain	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Provider</i> (AOR Supply)
1972	Captain	RCN	National Defence College of Canada Course 26
27/07/1973	Commodore	RCN	Commander - Northern Region - end 1976
15/07/1976	Rear-Admiral	RCN	NDHQ Chief of Personnel (Careers & Sr Appoint)
15/07/1978	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Canadian Military Representative to NATO
1980	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Commander maritime Command
01/07/1983	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Retired

Civilian

1983	Honorary Colonel Commandant	CF Military Police
1987	Honorary Colonel Commandant	End
	Chair	Nova Scotia Tattoo
	Director	Halifax Herald Ltd.

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Admiral Robert "Bob" Hilborn FALLS, CMM, CD
Chief of the Defence Staff (0-22924)

Born: 29/05/1924 Welland, Ontario
Died: 06/11/2009 Ottawa, Ontario

Honours

31/06/1976	CMM	Commander of the Order of Military Merit	Vice-Admiral
1978	CStJ	Commander of the Order of St. John	Admiral
	OStJ		

Military

01/12/1942	Pilot Officer	RCAF	Royal Canadian Air Force
23/03/1943	Pilot Officer	RCAF	Mobilized - to Manning Depot Toronto
1943	Pilot Officer	RCAF	McGill University Academic Upgrading
1943	Pilot Officer	RCAF	RCAF Toronto for Pre-Flight Training
1943	Pilot Officer	RCAF	#6 (RCAF) Initial Training School
1943	Pilot Officer	RCAF	#7 (RCAF) Elementary Flying School Windsor
1943	Pilot Officer	RCAF	#2 (RCAF) Service Flying School Ottawa
01/04/1944	Pilot Officer	RCAF	Awarded his Wings at 2 SFS
1944	Pilot Officer	RCAF	Commando Training at Maitland, Nova Scotia
1944	Pilot Officer	RCAF	#1 (RCAF) Flying Instructor School Trenton
04/04/1945	A/Sub-Lt	RNVR	Transfer to Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve
01/05/1945	A/Sub-Lt	RNVR	HMS Seaborne (Dartmouth Nova Scotia)
1945	A/Sub-Lt	RNVR	HMS Macaw for training
1945	A/Sub-Lt	RNVR	Advanced Flying Course Tealing, Scotland
1945	A/Sub-Lt	RNVR	HMS Macaw for Night Vision Course
1945	Sub-Lt (Temp)	RCNVR	Transferred to RCNVR - SLt (Temporar)
1945	Sub-Lt (Temp)	RCNVR	HMS Condor with 803 Squadron (Seafires)
1945	Sub-Lt (Temp)	RCNVR	RNAS Nutts Corner with 803 Squadron
1946	Sub-Lieutenant	RCNVR	Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve
21/10/1945	Lieutenant (P)	RCN (R)	Royal Canadian Naval Reserves Lt backdated
1946	Lieutenant (P)	RCN (R)	RNAS Lee-on-Solent with 803 Squadron
1946	Lieutenant (P)	RCN (R)	HMCS Shearwater with 743 Squadron
1946	Lieutenant (P)	RCN (R)	HMCS Warrior in 19 th Carrier Air Group
01/10/1946	Lieutenant (P)	RCN (R)	HMS Condor with 803 Squadron (Seafires)
1946	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	Transfer to Royal Canadian Navy
12/11/1946	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	RCAF Station Trenton
1947	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	RCAF Trenton - Instrument Rating Course
1947	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	RCAF Centralia - Instrument Rating Course
15/05/1947	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	HMCS Shearwater No. 1 Training Air Group
1947	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	RCAF Trenton CFS Instructor Upgrade
28/02/1948	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	HMCS Haida (Destroyer) Watchkeeping Cert.
1949	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	#1 Train Air Group Refresher Flying Course
15/05/1950	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	HMCS Magnificent (Aircraft Carrier) 803 Sqd
01/05/1951	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	HMCS Magnificent (Aircraft Carrier) 883 Sqd
01/05/1951	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	HMCS Magnificent (Aircraft Carrier) 871 Sqd
1952	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	HMCS Niagara USNAS Pensacola Carrier Qual
1952	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	HMCS Niagara USNAS Pensacola Landing Sigs O
1952	Lieutenant (P)	RCN	HMCS Magnificent (Aircraft Carrier) 870 Sqd
21/10/1953	Lt-Commander (P)	RCN	Promoted
1954	Lt-Commander (P)	RCN	NHQ Staff Officer Chief of Naval Personnel
1955	Lt-Commander (P)	RCN	USNAS Key West USN All-weather Training
1955	Lt-Commander (P)	RCN	CO VF-870 Squadron (Banshees) Shearwater
1958	Lt-Commander (P)	RCN	Lt-Commander (Flying) HMCS Bonaventure

Admiral Robert "Bob" Hilborn FALLS, CMM, CD
Chief of the Defence Staff (0-22924)

01/01/1959	Commander	RCN	Promoted
1960	Commander	RCN	NDHQ Deputy Director of Naval a/c Requirements
1961	Commander	RCN	<i>HMCS Bonaventure</i> as Commander (Air)
11/04/1963	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Chaudiere</i> (DDE)
25/08/1964	Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Chaudiere</i> (DDE)
1964	Commander	RCN	Stadacona Staff RCN-RCAF Maritime War School
1964	Commander	RCN	Stadacona as OIC Tactical Training
01/08/1965	Captain	RCN	CFB Halifax CO CF Maritime Warfare School
21/11/1966	Captain	RCN	CO <i>HMCS Bonaventure</i> (Aircraft Carrier)
08/04/1969	Captain	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Bonaventure</i> (2 ½ years)
01/06/1969	Commodore	RCN	NDHQ Director-General Posting and Careers
1971	Commodore	RCN	Commander Cdn Flotilla Atlantic (<i>Bonnie</i>)
01/09/1972	Rear-Admiral	RCN	NDHQ Associate A/Deputy Minister (Policy)
1973	Rear-Admiral	RCN	NDHQ Deputy Chief of Defence Staff
01/07/1974	Vice-Admiral	RCN	NDHQ Vice-Chief of the Defence Staff
01/01/1977	Admiral	RCN	Chief of the Defence Staff
1980	Admiral	RCN	Chair of the NATO Military Committee
1983	Admiral	RCN	Retired

Civilian

1983	Director	Centre for Arms Control & Disarmament
1985	President	Centre for Arms Control & Disarmament
1986	Director	Canadian Sail Training Association
1987	Chair	Shearwater Air Museum
1989	Director	End term on Canadian Sail Training Association

Medals:

Commander of the Order of Military Merit (CMM)
 Commander of the Order of St. John (CStJ)
 CVSM and Clasp
 1939-1945 War Medal
 Special Service Medal bar NATO
 Centennial Medal
 CD and 2 Bars



Rear-Admiral Frank Llewellyn HOUGHTON, CBE, CD
Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff (0-34210)

Born: 18/07/1897 Looe, Cornwall, U.K.
 Died: 03/08/1981 Ottawa, Ontario
 Interred in naval crypt beneath St. Paul's Anglican Church Halifax

Honours

16/06/1945 CBE Commander of the Order of the British Empire Captain

Military

1913	Naval Cadet	RCN	Royal Naval College of Canada 3 rd Term
1914	Midshipman	RCN	Served with the RN 1914 to 1923
02/08/1914	Midshipman	RCN	To HMS Cumberland 4 Funnel Cruiser 15 mos
01/10/1916	Midshipman	RCN	HMS Erin (Battleship) in the Grand Fleet
02/08/1917	A/Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	To <i>HMS K-1</i> largest, fastest submarine
16/11/1917	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted Sub-Lieutenant \ in the fleet
01/02/1918	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	1 st Lt & 2 nd IC <i>HMS P-29</i> Anti-submarine boat
01/04/1918	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	1 st Lieutenant <i>HMS PC-63</i> (P Boat to Q Boat)
11/11/1918	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	Submarine School at Blockhouse, Portsmouth
15/12/1918	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Tumult</i> (Destroyer) as Navigator
01/05/1919	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Melampus</i> (Destroyer) as 2 nd In Command
16/05/1919	Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted Lieutenant
01/09/1919	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Saumarez</i> (Destroyer)
26/01/1920	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Valhalla</i> (Destroyer) as Navigator
15/10/1921	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Cairo</i> (Light Cruiser) China Station
02/10/1923	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Patriot</i> as 1 st Lieutenant & 2 nd IC
16/12/1926	Lt-Commander	RCN	Promoted Lieutenant-Commander
14/05/1927	Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMCS Stadacona</i>
01/07/1929	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Festebrurt</i>
10/06/1931	Lt-Commander	RCN	First Lieutenant <i>HMCS Skeena</i>
01/12/1932	Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMCS Naden</i> Directing Staff
20/12/1933	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Vancouver</i>
30/11/1934	Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Vancouver</i> (Destroyer)
30/04/1936	Lt-Commander	RCN	RCN Barracks Halifax
16/12/1926	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Saguenay</i>
16/12/1926	Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Saguenay</i>
16/12/1926	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Prince Robert</i>
16/12/1926	Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Prince Robert</i>
30/06/1938	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Saguenay</i>
01/12/1938	Commander	RCN	Promoted Commander <i>HMCS Saguenay</i>
07/07/1939	Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Saguenay</i> (Destroyer)
12/07/1939	Commander	RCN	NSHQ as Director of Plans
01/01/1941	Acting Captain	RCN	NSHQ Promoted Acting Captain
22/06/1942	Acting Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Prince Robert</i> (AMC)
31/12/1942	Acting Captain	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Prince Robert</i> (AMC)
01/01/1943	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Prince Henry</i> (AMC)
18/03/1943	Captain	RCN	End Term as CO <i>HMCS Prince Henry</i> (AMC)
30/10/1943	Captain	RCN	Sr Cdn Naval Officer <i>HMCS Niobe</i> London
01/09/1945	Captain	RCN	Stand by for <i>HMCS Warrior</i> (a/c Carrier)
24/01/1945	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Warrior</i> (Carrier)

Rear-Admiral Frank Llewellyn HOUGHTON, CBE, CD
Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff (0-34210)

01/01/1947	A/Commodore	RCN	Promoted while commanding <i>HMCS Warrior</i>
17/01/1947	A/Commodore	RCN	End Term as CO <i>HMCS Warrior</i> (Carrier)
24/02/1947	A/Commodore	RCN	NSHQ as Assistant Chief of the Naval Staff
01/01/1948	Commodore	RCN	Assistant-Chief of the Naval Staff
01/07/1948	A/Rear-Admiral	RCN	Assistant-Chief of the Naval Staff
01/01/1949	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Vice-Chief and 4 th Member of the Naval Bd
1950	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Retired

Civilian

1950	General Manager	International Grenfell Association
1950	Magician	Well known as a magician
1950	Author	Author of children's books.

Citation to the **Commander of the Order of the British Empire (CBE)** Captain

"Captain Houghton served with patient diligence and tact as the Senior Naval Officer Overseas, and more recently as Head of the Canadian Naval Mission Overseas. In this position he became Senior Liaison Officer between the Board of Admiralty, London, and the Canadian Naval Board, Naval Service Headquarters, Ottawa, which position involved particularly onerous duties in connection with the first landing in France on 'D-Day', the preparations leading up to it, and subsequent operations up to the present day."

Commander (later Rear-Admiral) Frank Houghton's dress uniform and CBE



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Rear-Admiral Daniel Lionel HANNIGTON, DSC, CD
Deputy Chief of Staff (Support) to Supreme Allied Commander Atlantic

Born: 10/07/1921 London, U.K.
 Died: 06/09/1999 Victoria, British Columbia

Honours

28/11/1942	DSC	Distinguished Service Cross	Sub-Lieutenant
	CD	Awarded 3 bars to his CD	

Military

1940	Midshipman	RCNVR	<i>HMS Rajputana</i> (AMC) for training
03/04/1941	Midshipman	RCNVR	<i>HMS Rajputana</i> Torpedoed - survives
30/05/1941	Midshipman	RCNVR	HMCS Skeena (Destroyer)
06/06/1941	Prob A/Sub-Lt	RCNVR	HMCS Skeena (Destroyer)
1941	Prob A/Sub-Lt	RCNVR	HMCS Kenogami as Navigating Officer
1942	Prob A/Sub-Lt	RCNVR	To Kings (Officer's Training) Nav Course
1942	Prob A/Sub-Lt	RCNVR	Attached HMCS Niobe London
26/05/1942	Prob A/Sub-Lt	RCNVR	HMCS <i>Wetaskiwin</i> (Corvette) C-3 Nav Officer
31/07/1942	Prob A/Sub-Lt	RCNVR	HMCS <i>Wetaskiwin</i> helps sink U-588 - DSC
01/08/1942	Lieutenant	RCNVR	HMCS <i>Wetaskiwin</i> (The Wet Ass Queen)
14/03/1944	Lieutenant	RCNVR	HMCS <i>New Waterford</i> (Corvette) EG-6 Nav Off
1944	Lieutenant	RCN	Transfers to the Royal Canadian Navy
1944	Lieutenant	RCN	HMCS <i>Crusader</i> as Navigating Officer
1946	Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Dryad for Long Navigation Course
1947	Lieutenant	RCN	HMCS <i>Nootka</i> as Navigating Officer
1947	Lieutenant	RCN	NSHQ Staff Officer Navigation & Direction
01/01/1949	Lieutenant	RCN	HMCS <i>Magnificent</i> Carrier Intercept Officer
28/06/1949	Lieutenant	RCN	HMCS <i>Nootka</i> (Destroyer)
1949	Lieutenant	RCN	HMCS <i>Swansea</i> as Nav Officer & Hydrographer
01/12/1949	Lieutenant	RCN	Anti-Submarine Air Sqd as Intercept Officer
01/08/1950	Lt-Commander	RCN	Promoted Lieutenant-Commander
1950	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMS Dryad Advanced Fighter Direction Train
15/07/1951	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMCS Niobe (NMCJS London) as Staff Officer
05/01/1953	Lt-Commander	RCN	End time at HMCS Niobe - Additional Niobe
24/03/1953	Lt-Commander	RCN	NSHQ as Staff Officer Weapons & Tactics
24/03/1953	Lt-Commander	RCN	\ Digital Automated Tracing & Reporting Data
27/09/1953	Lt-Commander	RCN	MIT Defence Lab Project Lamp Light \ system
02/10/1953	Lt-Commander	RCN	MIT Defence Lab Project Lamp Light
01/01/1954	Commander	RCN	Promoted Commander
02/10/1954	Commander	RCN	End MIT Defence Lab Project Lamp Light
08/08/1955	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer HMCS <i>Iroquois</i> (Tribal)
23/05/1957	Commander	RCN	End term as CO HMCS <i>Iroquois</i> (Tribal)
03/06/1957	Commander	RCN	RCN Barracks Halifax as ND School OIC
26/03/1958	Commander	RCN	RCN Barracks Halifax as XO at Stadacona
03/10/1960	Commander	RCN	Royal Naval Staff Course
01/01/1961	Captain	RCN	To RN Submarine Training at Fort Blockhouse
05/09/1961	Captain	RCN	NSHQ as Staff Officer to Chief of Personnel
07/09/1962	Captain	RCN	NSHQ Chief of Staff to Chief of Personnel
01/12/1964	Captain	RCN	NSHQ Director of Postings and Careers Navy
12/06/1965	Captain	RCN	Commander 3 rd Cdn Escort Squadron Halifax

Rear-Admiral Daniel Lionel HANNINGTON, DSC, CD
Deputy Chief of Staff (Support) to Supreme Allied Commander Atlantic

19/11/1965	Commodore	RCN	Commandant Cdn Forces Maritime Warfare Sch.
1967-1968	Commodore	RCN	Laval University for Bilingual Course
01/01/1968	Commodore	RCN	Deputy Cdr Cdr Defence Education Establish.
1970	Commodore	RCN	DG Programs (V/Chief Defence Staff Branch)
01/01/1973	Rear-Admiral	RCN	NDHQ as Chief of Programs
1974	Rear-Admiral	RCN	D/COS (Support) Supreme Allied Cdr Atlantic
31/12/1976	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Retired

Civilian

1977 Vice-President (Operations) Transpolar Shipping Inc.
Qualified as a Navigating Officer in a ship
Qualified as an Intercept Officer
Qualified as a Clearance Division Officer
Qualified in Aircraft Direction
Qualified in all AIO Duties.

Citation for the **Distinguished Service Cross (DSC)** Sub-Lieutenant

"For meritorious services before the enemy."

Details on the action in which **HMCS Wetaskiwin** (Flower Class Corvette - K175), **HMCS Skeena**, and **HMCS Sackville** sank **U-588** in the mid-Atlantic on 31 July 1942 can be found in Chapter 13 of the book "**The Canadian Naval Chronicle 1939-1945**".

Medals of Rear-Admiral Daniel Lionel HANINGTON, DSC, CD, RCN:

DSC
1939/1945 Star
Atlantic Star with bar France and Germany
CVSM and Clasp
1939/1945 War Medal
Special Service Medal with Bar NATO
Centennial Medal
CD (GVI) and 3 Bars.



Rear-Admiral Roger Edward Shelford BIDWELL, CBE, CD
Flag Officer Atlantic Coast (0-6410)

Born: 14/09/1899 Peterborough, United Kingdom
 Immigrated: 1903 To Canada
 Died: 02/11/1968 Halifax, Nova Scotia

Honours

15/06/1946	CBE	Commander of the Order of the British Empire	Captain
03/08/1946	Officer	Legion of Merit (USA)	Captain

Military

1915	Naval Cadet	RCN	Royal Naval College of Canada 6 th Term
15/02/1918	Midshipman	RCN	Royal Navy for training
12/03/1918	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Canada</i> (Battleship) for training
1919	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Barham</i> (Battleship)
15/12/1919	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted Sub-Lieutenant
15/03/1921	Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted Lieutenant - HMCS Aurora
20/11/1922	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Malaya</i>
1923	Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Vernon for Long Torpedo Course
1924	Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Nelson as Torpedo Officer
11/01/1926	Lieutenant	RCN	HMCS Stadacona Directing Staff
05/11/1928	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Tiger</i> (Battle Cruiser) Torpedo Officer
15/05/1929	Lt-Commander	RCN	Promoted Lieutenant-Commander - To Naden
18/09/1929	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Armentieres</i> (Sweep)
1931	Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMCS Vancouver</i> as First Lieutenant
25/05/1932	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Saguenay</i> Destroyer
06/06/1932	Lt-Commander	RCN	End CO <i>HMCS Saguenay</i> after 12 days
1933	Lt-Commander	RCN	Briefly CO <i>HMCS Armentieres</i> again (Sweeper)
22/05/1934	Lt-Commander	RCN	NSHQ Assistant Director of Ops & Training
11/12/1935	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Champlain</i> Destroyer
26/11/1936	Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Champlain</i> (Destroyer)
11/02/1937	Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS St. Laurent</i>
07/07/1937	Lt-Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS St. Laurent</i> (Destroyer)
11/01/1938	Lt-Commander	RCN	HMS President for Royal Naval Staff College
02/01/1939	Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMS Norfolk</i> - Staff Off CIC RN East Indies
01/07/1939	Commander	RCN	Promoted Commander
10/06/1940	Commander	RCN	NSHQ as Director Operations Division
1941	Commander	RCN	HMCS Avalon as COS Commodore Newfoundland
01/01/1943	Captain	RCN	Promoted - Stadacona as COS CIC NW Atlantic
10/04/1944	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMS Puncher</i> (Carrier)
16/01/1946	Captain	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMS Puncher</i> (Carrier)
01/02/1946	Captain	RCN	NSHQ as Director Naval Air Division
10/12/1946	Captain	RCN	Prepare to go to United Kingdom
01/01/1947	Captain	RCN	Imperial Defence College
1947	Captain	RCN	National Defence College on Staff
01/01/1949	Commodore	RCN	Promoted Commodore
07/07/1949	Commodore	RCN	NSHQ as Ass Chief of Naval Staff (Plans)
1951	Commodore	RCN	Commodore RCN Barracks Esquimalt \ Naval Bd
21/11/1951	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Flag Officer Atlantic Coast
1952	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Cdr Atlantic (NATO Sub-Area) added to FOAC
15/06/1953	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Flag Officer RCN Coronation Review Squadron
01/06/1958	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Retire (6 ½ years as FOAC)

Rear-Admiral Roger Edward Shelford BIDWELL, CBE, CD
Flag Officer Atlantic Coast (0-6410)

Citation to **Commander - Order of the British Empire (CBE) Captain**

"Captain Bidwell's numerous important appointments during the war were carried out with initiative, and accuracy and understanding. At the commencement of hostilities, he was serving with the Royal Navy as a Staff Officer (Operations) on the staff of the Commander-in-Chief, East Indies. In June, 1940, he was appointed to Naval Service Headquarters as Director of Operations, where he served a year prior to his appointment to Newfoundland as Chief of Staff to the Flag Officer, Newfoundland Force. His next appointment was that of Chief of Staff to the Commander-in-Chief, Canadian Northwest Atlantic. In these latter appointments, his organizing and operation of the escort forces in the Atlantic, his endurance under heavy pressure, and his excellent liaison with the United States Forces were an invaluable contribution towards the prosecution of the war. In April 1944, Captain Bidwell was appointed Commanding Officer of **HMS Puncher**, the Canadian manned aircraft carrier in which appointment he displayed good judgement and leadership to a marked degree."



Citation to the **Officer of the Legion of Merit (USA)**

"For exceptionally meritorious conduct while serving as Chief Staff Officer to Rear Admiral L.W. Murray, Royal Canadian Navy, in connection with the operations of Task Force TWENTY-FOUR from 13 September 1941 to 30 September 1942. He was in constant communication with Commander Task Force TWENTY-FOUR and his staff in connection with the planning of operations in the operational control of the combined surface forces of Task Force TWENTY-FOUR. His outstanding grasp of escort of convoy and Anti-submarine Warfare Techniques, his unremitting energy, and his intelligent and co-operative attitude were most important factors in the successful operations conducted by Commander Task Force TWENTY-FOUR."



Medals of Rear-Admiral Roger Edward Shelford BIDWELL, CBE, CD, RCN

CBE - WW1 British War Medal - WW Victory Medal - 39/45 Star - Atlantic Star - Defence Medal - CVSM with Clasp - 1939/45 War Medal - George V Jubilee - George VI Coronation - EIIR Coronation - CD (GVI) and two Bars - Officer, Legion of Merit (USA).

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Vice-Admiral Douglas Seaman BOYLE, CMM, CD
Commander Maritime Command (O-008160)

Born: 29/11/1923 Revelstoke, B.C.
 Daughters: 5 All of whom joined the Naval Reserve
 Son: 1 \ He wasn't fond of women in the navy!
 Died: 23/07/2001 Ottawa, Ontario

Honours

09/11/1944	MID	Mentioned in Despatches	Sub-Lieutenant
19/06/1976	CMM	Commander Order of Military Merit	Vice-Admiral

Military

01/04/1939	Officer Cadet	RNR	HMS Conway
01/01/1941	Naval Cadet	RCN	Transfer to RCN - Special Entry #53 RNCC
1941	Naval Cadet	RCN	<i>HMS Diomede</i> \ Royal Naval College Canada
02/09/1942	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Diomede</i> (Lt Cruiser) \ Dartmouth, N.S.
01/05/1943	A/Sub-Lt	RCN	<i>HMS Wolsey</i> (Destroyer) and Promoted
16/09/1943	Lieutenant	RCN	Courses with the Royal Navy
15/11/1943	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Chaudiere</i> (Destroyer) (MID)
04/05/1945	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Ontario</i> (Light Cruiser)
1945	Lieutenant	RCN	Staff of RCNCC at Royal Roads
1947	Lieutenant	RCN	HMS Dryad for Long Navigation Course
1947	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Ontario</i> (Cruiser) Direction Officer
1948	Lieutenant	RCN	NSHQ Staff Officer Navigation Direction
1950	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Naden</i> as Staff Officer Nav & Direct
16/09/1951	Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMS Dyad</i> Advanced (Dagger) Navigation Crse
1952	Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMCS Magnificent</i> (Aircraft Carrier) NavO
1953	Lt-Commander	RCN	Naval Member Cdn Joint Staff London
1954	Lt-Commander	RCN	Royal Naval Staff Course
1955	Lt-Commander	RCN	NSHQ Deputy Director of Naval Training
01/01/1954	Commander	RCN	NSHQ Deputy Director of Naval Training
06/09/1957	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Athabaskan</i> (Tribal)
01/03/1959	Commander	RCN	End CO <i>HMCS Athabaskan</i> (Tribal Destroyer)
02/03/1959	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Saguenay</i> (DDE)
14/10/1959	Commander	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Saguenay</i> (DDE)
1959	Commander	RCN	Assistant COS Training & Admin FOPC
01/01/1964	Captain	RCN	Commander 4 th Canadian Escort Squadron
1964	Captain	RCN	NDHQ Director of Naval Training
1964	Captain	RCN	NDHQ Director Senior Appointments (Navy)
01/07/1966	Commodore	RCN	NDHQ Director General Postings & Careers
1969	Commodore	RCN	Imperial Defence College
1970	Commodore	RCN	Commander NATO Standing Force Atlantic
1971	Commodore	RCN	NDHQ Director General Plans and Production
01/05/1972	Rear-Admiral	RCN	NDHQ Chief of Personnel Cdn Armed Forces
1973	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Commander Maritime Command plus
07/07/1975	Vice-Admiral	RCN	\ NATO Commander Cdn Sub-area Atlantic
1977	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Retired

Civilian

1978	Marine Consultant	
1986	President	German & Miln Inc.
1986	& Executive VP	Energy Conversion Systems, Power Systems Inc
1989	Retired	Retired

Vice-Admiral Douglas Seaman BOYLE, CMM, CD
Commander Maritime Command

Citation for **Mentioned in Despatches** Lieutenant HMCS Chaudiere

"For outstanding leadership, skill and devotion to duty in **HMS Icarus** and **H.M. Canadian Ships Chilliwack, Chaudiere, Fennel, Gatineau and St. Catherines** in a successful operation against a U-Boat."

Chapter 34 of "**The Canadian Naval Chronicle 1939-1945**" describes the sinking of **U-744** by C-2 Support Group on 6 March 1944 in the Atlantic.

HMCS Chaudiere was part of C-2 Support Group.

Awarded **Commander - Order of Military Merit (CMM)** as per **Canada Gazette** of 19 June 1976 in the rank of Vice-Admiral and Commander, Maritime Command.

Medals:

1939-1945 Star
Atlantic Star with bar France & Germany
Defence Medal
CVSM with Clasp
1939-1945 War Medal with MID
EIIR Coronation Medal
Centennial Medal
CD (George VI) and 2 Bars



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Commodore Eustace Alexander BROCK, CBE, OStJ, VRD
Commanding Officer HMCS Niobe London (0-8860)

Born: 13/08/1887 Winnipeg, Manitoba
 Died: 01/11/1977 Crowborough, Essex, United Kingdom

Honours

09/11/1944	CBE	Commander of the Order of the British Empire	Captain
07/11/1944	VRD	RCNVR Officer's Decoration	Captain
23/09/1939	OStJ	Officer of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem	Commander

Civilian Prior to WW1

Pre WWI	Provincial Manager	Gresham Life Insurance Company BC
1914	Assistant Secretary	Great West Life Insurance Company

Military

1914	A/Sub-Lt	RNVR	Auxiliary Patrol Organization
01/06/1921	Lieutenant	RCNVR	Transfers to RCNVR
01/06/1921	Lieutenant	RCNVR	Honorary ADC(P) to LG of Manitoba to 1931
19/04/1923	Lieutenant	RCNVR	Commanding Officer Winnipeg Company RCNVR
30/06/1929	Lieutenant	RCNVR	End term as CO Winnipeg Company RCNVR
01/06/1929	Lt-Commander	RCNVR	Member Montreal Company RCNVR
01/01/1931	Lt-Commander	RCNVR	AdC to the Governor-General until 1939
17/10/1934	Lt-Commander	RCNVR	Commanding Officer Montreal <u>Company</u> RCNVR
01/01/1937	Commander	RCNVR	Commanding Officer Montreal <u>Division</u> RCNVR
08/09/1939	Commander	RCNVR	End term as CO Montreal <u>Division</u> RCNVR
01/10/1939	Commander	RCNVR	NSHQ - Plans Div Controller of Naval Info
01/07/1942	Temp Captain	RCNVR	Cdn Naval Liaison Officer HMCS Niobe London
01/05/1943	Temp Captain	RCNVR	Captain-in-Command HMCS Niobe
1944	Temp Commodore	RCNVR	Cmdre 2 nd Class - Director Women's Service
30/04/1944	Commodore 1 st	RCNVR	Cmdre 1 st Class - CO HMCS Niobe London
30/04/1945	Commodore	RCNVR	Retires

Civilian

1945	A/General Manager \ and Secretary	Great West Life Insurance Company
1949	Retired	

**Commodore Eustace Alexander BROCK, CBE, OStJ, VRD
Commanding Officer HMCS Niobe London (0-8860)**

Citation to **Commander or the Order of the British Empire (CBE)** Captain

"Captain Brock, as Commanding Officer of **HMCS Niobe** handled a difficult job with notable success. He showed initiative, tact, patience and firmness at all times and left **HMCS Niobe**, the holding base for Canadian ratings in the United Kingdom, vastly improved from when he originally took it over."

BROCK, Eustace Alexander, Commander - Officer of the Order of St. John (OStJ) - RCNVR / Commanding Officer Montreal Division RCNVR - Awarded as per London Gazette of 23 September 1939.

Medals: CBE - OStJ - BWM - Victory Medal - Defence Medal - CVSM and Clasp - 1939/1945 War Medal - VRD



Rear-Admiral Jeffry Vanstone BROCK, DSO, DSC, RCN
Maritime Commander Atlantic (0-8900)

Born: 29/08/1913 Vancouver, B.C.
 Died: 05/01/1997 Kingston, Ontario

Honours

22/12/1951	DSO	Distinguished Service Order	Korea	Captain
04/06/1946	DSC	Distinguished Service Cross	WWII	Commander
16/05/1955	Officer	Legion of Merit (USA)	Korea	Captain
24/06/1944	MID	Mentioned in Despatches	WWII	LCdr
14/07/1951	MID	Mentioned in Despatches	Korea	Captain

Civilian Prior to WWII

1932 Western Manager Great West Life Insurance Company
 \ and Cockfield Brown Winnipeg

Military

21/03/1934	Sub-Lieutenant	RCNVR	First Lieutenant Winnipeg Division RCNVR
20/02/1936	Lieutenant	RCNVR	Promoted Lieutenant RCNVR ½ Company Vanc'r
01/09/1939	Lieutenant	RCNVR	Commanding Officer HMCS Discovery Vancouver
10/11/1939	Lieutenant	RCNVR	End CO Vancouver Division RCNVR
15/11/1939	Lieutenant	RCNVR	Staff Signals Officer FOPC
01/05/1940	Lieutenant	RCNVR	End Staff Flag Officer Pacific Coast (FOPC)
01/06/1940	Lieutenant	RCNVR	To King Alfred for training
15/07/1940	Lieutenant	RCNVR	First Lt <i>HMS Berkshire</i> (ex Fishing Trawler)
15/08/1940	Lieutenant	RCNVR	Commanding Officer <i>HMS Kirkella</i> (Fish Traw)
05/04/1941	Lieutenant	RCNVR	End Term as CO <i>HMS Kirkella</i> (ex Fishing Tr)
07/04/1941	Lieutenant	RCNVR	Commanding Officer <i>HMS Ranuculus</i> (Corvette)
30/06/1941	Lieutenant	RCNVR	End CO <i>HMS Ranuculus</i> (Corvette)-not to sea
19/06/1941	Lt-Commander	RCNVR	Commanding Officer <i>HMS Stonecrop</i> (Corvette)
01/07/1941	Lt-Commander	RCNVR	Promoted Lieutenant-Commander \ 37 th Escort
10/10/1942	Lt-Commander	RCNVR	End term as CO <i>HMS Stonecrop</i> \ Group
11/10/1942	Lt-Commander	RCNVR	to NY on <i>MV 'Cavina'</i> 1 st BDE-2 for <i>Bazely</i>
01/11/1942	Lt-Commander	RCNVR	1 st Commanding Officer <i>HMS Bazely</i> (BDE-2)
01/07/1944	Commander	RCNVR	End CO <i>HMS Bazely</i> - 4 th Escort promoted Cdr
02/07/1944	Commander	RCNVR	Spare Escort Commander Western Approaches
29/08/1944	Commander	RCNVR	Sr Off 6 th Cdn Escort Group <i>HMCS Eastview</i>
15/07/1945	Commander	RCNVR	Commanding Officer HMCS Chipawa
02/11/1945	Commander	RCNVR	Demobilized
03/11/1945	Commander	RCNVR	Sr Officer Western Naval Reserve Divisions
1946	Commander	RCN	Transferred from RCNVR to RCN
15/06/1946	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Ontario</i> Lt Cruiser
29/06/1947	Commander	RCN	End CO <i>HMCS Ontario</i> - XO until Staff Coll.
01/09/1947	Commander	RCN	RCAF Staff College Course
1948	Commander	RCN	NSHQ Member Joint Planning Staff (Naval)
1948	Commander	RCN	NSHQ Director Naval Plans & Operations
01/01/1950	Captain	RCN	NSHQ Director Naval Plans & Operations
05/07/1950	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Cayuga</i> (Destroyer)
06/07/1950	Captain	RCN	Captain(D) West - Korean RCN Destroyers
24/05/1951	Captain	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Cayuga</i> (Destroyer)

Rear-Admiral Jeffrey Vanstone BROCK, DSO, DSC, RCN
Maritime Commander Atlantic (0-8900)

17/07/1951	Captain	RCN	Naval Member Staff Defence College Kingston
28/08/1953	Captain	RCN	Naval Member Cdn Joint Staff HMCS Niobe
01/09/1954	Commodore WHA	RCN	Promoted Commodore WHA \ London
03/01/1957	Commodore	RCN	Promoted substantive Commodore
18/06/1957	Commodore	RCN	HMCS Stadacona additional
10/07/1957	Commodore	RCN	Sr Cdn Off Afloat Atlantic <i>HMCS Bonaventure</i>
02/06/1958	Commodore	RCN	Sr Cdn Off Afloat in HMCS Haida
08/07/1958	Commodore	RCN	NSHQ A/Chief of Naval Staff (Air & Warfare)
01/02/1961	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff - Naval Board
23/07/1963	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Flag Officer Atlantic Coast - NATO Cdr
01/11/1963	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Fired by Minister of Defence Hellyer

The books: **'The Dark Broad Seas'** and **'The Thunder and the Sunshine'**
Tell his story (autobiography)

Citation for **Mentioned in Despatches (MID)** in WWII Lieutenant-Commander
"For good service in an attack on a submarine."

Citation for **Distinguished Service Cross (DSC)** in WWII Commander
"For outstanding services in Anti-U-Boat operations during the war in Europe."

Awarded **Distinguished Service Order (DSO)** while Commanding Officer of *HMCS Cayuga* in Korea.

Awarded **Mentioned-in-Despatches** for services in Korea.

Awarded **Officer of the Legion of Merit (U.S.A.)** for services in Korea.



Rear-Admiral Rupert Anthony WRIGHT, OBE, CD
Naval Comptroller (0-80100)

Born: 31/08/1906 United Kingdom
 Died: 13/11/1990 Victoria, B.C.

Honours

15/06/1946 OBE Officer of the Order of the British Empire Captain

Military

1921	Cadet	RCN	Royal Naval College of Canada 12 th Term
1922	Cadet	RCN	RNCC closed - released
1924	P Cadet	RCN	Special Entry No. 16
1924	P Cadet	RCN	HMS Thunder
01/09/1925	P Midshipman	RCN	HMS Collingwood - Promoted
01/03/1927	P Midshipman	RCN	HMCS Naden Directing Staff
01/09/1927	A/P S/Lt	RCN	HMCS Naden Directing Staff
01/09/1927	P S/Lt	RCN	HMCS Naden Directing Staff (Promoted 1928)
01/09/1929	P Lt	RCN	HMCS Naden Directing Staff \ Seniority 1927
04/09/1933	P Lt	RCN	HMCS Stadacona Directing Staff
1935	P Lt	RCN	HMCS Saguenay as Supply Officer
07/12/1935	P Lt	RCN	HMCS Naden as Station Accountant Officer West
01/09/1937	P Lt-Cdr	RCN	HMCS Naden as Station Accountant Officer West
1939	A/P Cdr	RCN	HMCS Naden Promoted
1941	A/P Cdr	RCN	HMCS Stadacona as Stn Accountant Officer East
01/01/1942	P Commander	RCN	HMCS Stadacona as Stn Accountant Officer East
15/01/1942	A/P Captain	RCN	NSHQ as Paymaster Director General
1942	A/P Captain	RCN	NSHQ as Assistant Chief of Naval Personnel
1944	A/Captain(S)	RCN	HMCS Niobe for SCNO London
1944	A/Captain(S)	RCN	NSHQ Director Fleet Accounting & Secretariat
01/03/1946	Captain(S)	RCN	NSHQ Director-General Fleet Accounting
15/10/1948	Captain(S)	RCN	NSHQ Flag Officer Pacific Cmd Supply Officer
31/07/1950	Captain(S)	RCN	RCN Barracks Halifax - Command Supply Officer
1952	Captain(S)	RCN	NSHQ as Naval Secretary/Secretary to Naval Bd
01/09/1952	Commodore(S)	RCN	NSHQ as Director-General Supply & Accounting
1954	Commodore(S)	RCN	Title changed to Supply Officer-in-Chief
25/11/1959	Rear-Admiral(S)	RCN	Naval Comptroller & Member of the Naval Board
1962	Rear-Admiral(S)	RCN	Retired

P = Paymaster

Citation for the **Officer of the Order of the British Empire (OBE)** Captain

"He has served the Navy over a period of years in a most loyal and untiring manner. As Director General of Fleet Accounting, he has been responsible for the organization which has enabled the Supply and Secretariat Branch to cope with the innumerable problems arising out of a rapid expansion of the Navy in wartime, and rapid demobilization at the cessation of hostilities."

Rear-Admiral Robert ("Bob") Philip WELLAND, DSC & Bar, CD
Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff (0-76950)

Born: 07/03/1918 Oxbow, Saskatchewan
 Died: 28/05/2010 White Rock, B.C.

Honours

11/03/1942+	DSC	Distinguished Service Cross (Dunkirk WWII)	Lieutenant
22/12/1951	Bar	Distinguished Service Cross (Korea)	Commander
20/01/1945	MID	Mentioned in Despatches (WWI)	A/LCdr
14/07/1951	MID	Mentioned in Despatches (Korea)	Commander
16/04/1955	Officer	Legion of Merit (USA)	Commander

Military

28/08/1936	Naval Cadet	RCN	Special Entry No.41 - to UK training with RN
09/09/1936	Naval Cadet	RCN	<i>HMS Frobisher</i> (Training Cruiser)
01/05/1937	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Emerald</i> - East Indies Station 2 years
12/10/1938	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Glasgow</i> - course ashore \ Naval GSM bar
30/04/1939	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Excellent</i> - course ashore \ Palestine
01/05/1939	A/Sub-Lt	RCN	Promoted
15/07/1939	A/Sub-Lt	RCN	<i>HMS Vernon</i> - course of instruction ashore
26/08/1939	A/Sub-Lt	RCN	<i>HMS Fame</i> - 'D' Class destroyer North Atlantic
11/11/1939	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted - \$6.00 per day pay
06/03/1940	Sub-Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS St. Laurent</i> (Destroyer) ASDIC Officer
15/11/1940	Lieutenant	RCN	Promoted - <i>HMCS St. Laurent</i> DSC for Dunkirk
21/01/1941	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMS Osprey</i> - Long RN Anti-Submarine Special
21/07/1941	Lieutenant	RCN	RCN Anti-submarine School ashore
16/01/1942	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Naden</i> - Staff Officer Anti-Submarine
09/06/1941	Lieutenant (AS)	RCN	Anti-Submarine Specialist awarded
02/04/1943	Lieutenant (AS)	RCN	<i>HMCS Assiniboine</i> (Destroyer) - Executive Off.
09/06/1943	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i> (Capt ill)
07/07/1943	Lieutenant	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i> (Destroyer)
26/09/1943	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i> D-Day Land
13/10/1943	Lieutenant	RCN	End term as CO <i>HMCS Assiniboine</i> - Ex Officer
08/07/1943	Lieutenant	RCN	<i>HMCS Assiniboine</i> (Destroyer)
21/10/1943	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	<i>HMCS Assiniboine</i> (Destroyer)
18/12/1944	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Haida</i> (Destroyer)
02/09/1945	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	End term in <i>HMCS Haida</i> - Russian Convoys
05/11/1945	A/Lt-Commander	RCN	Royal Roads as Executive Officer
15/05/1947	LCdr (A/S)	RCN	Substantive Promotion
17/11/1947	LCdr (A/S)	RCN	<i>HMCS Stadacona</i> for Anti-Submarine School
01/07/1947	LCdr (TAS) (D)	RCN	New designation
15/12/1947	LCdr (TAS) (D)	RCN	NSHQ - Staff of Director Weapons & Tactics
01/07/1949	Commander	RCN	Promoted
12/08/1949	Commander	RCN	<i>HMS Niobe</i> for RN Staff Course ashore
13/03/1950	Commander	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Athabaskan</i> - Korea
02/07/1951	Commander	RCN	End term CO <i>HMCS Athabaskan</i> - Bar to DSC
03/07/1951	Commander	RCN	<i>HMCS Naden</i> as COS Flag Officer Pacific
10/10/1951	Commander	RCN	<i>HMCS Stadacona</i> - OIC Jr Officer's Technical
27/04/1953	Commander	RCN	Commanded RCN Contingent EIIR Coronation
01/07/1953	Captain	RCN	Promoted Captain
03/08/1953	Captain	RCN	NSHQ as Director of Naval Training
11/08/1954	Captain	RCN	CO <i>HMCS Venture</i> Officer Training Establishment
23/08/1956	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Ontario</i> (Cruiser)
21/08/1957	Captain	RCN	End CO <i>HMCS Ontario</i>
03/09/1957	Captain	RCN	Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Shearwater</i> Naval Air
01/07/1960	Captain	RCN	End CO <i>HMCS Shearwater</i> Naval Air Station

Rear-Admiral Robert ("Bob") Philip WELLAND, DSC & Bar, CD
Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff (0-76950)

01/08/1960	Captain	RCN	NSHQ	Director of Naval Operational Requirem't
10/04/1961	Captain	RCN	NSHQ	A/Chief of Naval Staff (Air & Warfare)
19/10/1962	Captain	RCN		Commanding Officer <i>HMCS Bonaventure</i>
10/12/1962	Captain	RCN		<i>HMCS Kootenay</i> Sr Cdn Officer Afloat Atlantic
14/01/1963	Captain	RCN		<i>HMCS Cape Scott</i> Sr Cdn Officer Afloat Atlantic
04/03/1963	Captain	RCN		<i>HMCS Terra Nova</i> Sr Cdn Officer Afloat Atlantic
07/06/1963	Captain	RCN		<i>HMCS Bonaventure</i> Cdn Officer Afloat Atlantic
17/06/1964	Captain	RCN	NSHQ	Acting Vice-Chief of Naval Staff
01/08/1964	Rear-Admiral *	RCN	CFHQ	Deputy Chief of Operational Readiness
02/10/1965	Rear-Admiral	RCN	CFHQ	Deputy Chief of Operations
08/08/1966	Rear-Admiral	RCN		CFHQ for Retirement Leave
04/04/1967	Rear-Admiral	RCN		Retires

* He was never promoted to Commodore

Lived in Surrey, British Columbia after retiring

Citation for **Distinguished Service Cross (DSC)**

"For Courage and enterprise in action against enemy submarines."

Citation for **Mention in Despatches** Acting Lieutenant-Commander

"For good service when their ship was damaged."

"For courage and determination in **H.M. Ships Albright, Ashanti, Bellona, Diadem, Mauritius, Onslow, Tartar and Ursa** and **H.M. Canadian Ships Assiniboine, Haida, Iroquois, Qu'appelle, Restigouche and Skeena**, in a series of successful attacks on enemy escorted convoys off the coast of France."

MEDALS: DSC and Bar MID - Naval General Service Medal with Clasp Palestine 1936-39 - 1939/1945 Star - Atlantic Star with France and Germany Bar - Defence Medal - CVSM with Clasp - 1939/1945 War Medal with - Canadian Korea Medal with MID - Canadian Korea Volunteer Service Medal - United Nations Service Medal Korea - Queen Elizabeth II Coronation Medal - CD and First Bar - Officer Legion of Merit (USA).



Vice-Admiral Kenneth Lloyd DYER, DSC, CD
Flag Officer Atlantic Coast (0-21480)
Acting Chief of the Naval Staff

Born: 07/10/1915 Toungoo, Burma
 Immigrated: 1928 To Windsor, Nova Scotia, Canada
 Died: 09/10/2000 Ottawa, B.C.

Honours

28/11/1942 DSC Distinguished Service Cross (Dunkirk WWII) Lieutenant
 01/06/1952 CD Canadian Forces Decoration
 01/06/1955 1st Bar 1st Bar to Canadian Forces Decoration
 01/06/1967 2nd Bar 2nd Bar to Canadian Forces Decoration

Military

01/10/1933 Naval Cadet RCN Special Entry No.34
 01/09/1934 Midshipman RCN *HMS Hood* for training afloat
 1936 Midshipman RCN To *HMS Enterprise* for carrier training afloat
 1936 Midshipman RCN To HMS Victory for courses
 1936 Midshipman RCN To HMS President, RN College Greenwich
 01/01/1937 A/Sub-Lt RCN Royal Naval College Greenwich
 1937 Sub-Lt RCN To HMS Dryad for navigation training
 15/02/1938 Lieutenant RCN Officer-in-Charge Gunnery School Stadacona
 1938 Lieutenant RCN *HMCS Saguenay* for Navigating & WK duties
 1938 Lieutenant RCN HMS Excellent for specialist Gunnery Course
 1940 Lieutenant RCN HMS Excellent attached Captain(D) Greenock
 1940 Lieutenant RCN HMS Drake for Gunnery Duties
 05/06 1940 Lieutenant RCN Participated in evacuation of Dunkirk
 1941 Lieutenant RCN Executive Officer *HMCS Dominion*
 01/06/1941 Lieutenant RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Niobe*
 1941 Lieutenant RCN OiC RCN Gunnery School *HMCS Stadacona*
 1941 Lieutenant RCN To HMS Walker for ASW Familiarization
 15/05/1942 A/LCdr (WHA) RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Skeena*
 28/02/1943 A/LCdr RCN End term CO *HMCS Skeena* \River Class Destroyer
 12/04/1943 A/LCdr RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Kootenay*
 28/03/1943 A/LCdr RCN End term CO *HMCS Kootenay* River Cl. Destroyer
 15/08/1944 LCdr (G) RCN Made Substantive LCdr backdated to this date
 15/08/1944 A/Cdr (G) (WHA) RCN Acadia as Senior Instructional Officer
 01/07/1945 Commander (G) RCN Training Commander *HMCS Sommers Isles* Bermuda
 16/06/1945 Commander (G) RCN Executive Officer *HMCS Warrior - USS Intrepid*
 23/01/1946 Commander (G) RCN End Stand by for *HMCS Warrior*
 24/01/1946 Commander (G) RCN Executive Officer *HMCS Warrior - active*
 17/01/1947 Commander (G) RCN End term as Executive Officer *HMCS Warrior*
 1948 Commander (G) RCN Royal Navy Staff Course
 1948 Commander (G) RCN Course at Joint Services Staff College
 01/01/1949 Captain RCN Promoted Captain
 30/05/1949 Captain RCN NSHQ as Deputy Chief of Naval Personnel
 29/10/1951 Captain RCN Commanding Officer *HMCS Magnificent* (Carrier)
 20/03/1953 Captain RCN End term CO *HMCS Magnificent* Aircraft Carrier
 09/04/1953 Commodore RCN Commodore RCN Barracks Esquimalt
 09/04/1953 Commodore RCN Honorary AdC to Governor General
 1956 Commodore RCN Assistant Chief of Naval Staff (Warfare)
 1956 Commodore RCN Course 10 of the National Defence College Cdn

Vice-Admiral Kenneth Lloyd DYER, DSC, CD
Flag Officer Atlantic Coast (0-21480)
Acting Chief of the Naval Staff

30/07/1957	Rear-Admiral	RCN	NSHQ as Chief of Naval Personnel - Naval Bd
30/06/1950	Rear-Admiral	RCN	HMCS Bytown
01/08/1960	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Flag Officer Atlantic Coast (FOAC) Halifax
14/10/1962	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Put ships on alert for Cuban Missile Crisis
11/07/1963	Rear-Admiral	RCN	Acting Chief of the Naval Staff - Chair Board
01/08/1964	Vice-Admiral	RCN	NDHQ Chief of Personnel at Canadian Forces HQ
02/07/1967	Vice-Admiral	RCN	Retires

Citation for the **Distinguished Service Cross (DSC)** Acting Lieutenant-Commander HMCS Skeena

"For Distinguished service before the enemy. Acting Lieutenant-Commander Dyer was Commanding Officer of *HMCS Skeena* when she joined a hunt with *HMCS Wetaskiwin* which resulted in the destruction of an enemy U-boat. The successful conclusion of this action was only achieved by the cool and careful handling of the two ships throughout the whole of the attack which lasted more than four hours. The skilful handling of his ship by this Officer contributed to a large degree to the destruction of the enemy U-boat."

Medals: DSC
 1939/1945 Star
 Atlantic Star
 Defence Medal
 CVSM and Clasp
 1939/1945 War Medal with MID
 EIIR Coronation Medal
 CD and bar



**CANADIAN FLAG OFFICERS
in the ROYAL NAVY**

**Vice-Admiral Harold Tom BAILLIE-GROHMAN, CB, DSO, OBE
Flag Officer-in-Command Schlesweig Holstein and Kiel Germany**

Born: 15/01/1888 Victoria, B.C.
Died: 23/09/1978

Honours

03/06/1941+	CB	Companion of the Order of the Bath	Rear-Admiral
17/04/1918+	DSO	Distinguished Service Order	Lieutenant-Commander
17/04/1918+	MID	Mentioned in Despatches	Lieutenant-Commander
22/01/1920+	MID	Mentioned in Despatches (Minesweeping)	
01/01/1923+	OBE	Officer of the Order of the British Empire 1 st Type	
08/04/1921+	Order	Chevalier of the Order of Leopold (Belgium)	
04/06/1937+	Order	The Order of Brilliant Jade (Red Cravat with Blue &	
06/03/1942	MID	Mentioned in Despatches \ White Borders) (China) *	

Military

15/05/1903	Naval Cadet	RN	<i>HMS Britannia</i>
30/11/1904	Midshipman	RN	<i>HMS Grafton</i> (Cruiser) in the Pacific
1905	Midshipman	RN	<i>HMS King Edward VII</i> (Battleship) Atlantic
30/01/1908	A/Sub-Lt	RN	<i>HMS Venerable</i> (Battleship)
07/09/1908	Sub-Lt	RN	<i>HMS Prince of Wales</i> (Battleship)
30/07/1909	Lieutenant	RN	<i>HMS Achilles</i> Cruiser Watch-Keeping Certificate
07/02/1910	Lieutenant	RN	<i>HMS London</i> (Battleship)
1912	Lieutenant	RN	<i>HMS Monmouth</i> (Cruiser) China Seas
30/07/1917	Lt-Commander	RN	Dover Patrol Grand Fleet (receives his DSO)
30/06/1923	Commander	RN	Senior Officer Minesweeping Persian Gulf
1925	Commander	RN	Assistant Chief of the Naval Staff Australia
1928	Commander	RN	Military Staff College Camberley
1931	Captain	RN	Head of Naval Mission to the Republic of China
1934	Captain	RN	CO 1 st Destroyer Flotilla Mediterranean
1936	Captain	RN	Ends CO Destroyer Flotilla - To HMS St. Vincent
1936	Captain	RN	CO - The Boys Training Establishment St. Vincent
05/01/1939	Captain	RN	Commanding Officer <i>HMS Ramillies</i> (Battleship)
27/10/1940	Captain	RN	End tour as CO <i>HMS Ramillies</i> 1 Battle Sqd Med.
1940	Captain	RN	ADC to King George VI
1941	Rear-Admiral	RN	Commander Middle East, Cairo Egypt
1942	Rear-Admiral	RN	Combined Operations - initial Dieppe Planning
1944	Vice-Admiral	RN	Flag Officer-in-Command Harwich
1945	Vice-Admiral	RN	Flag Officer-in-Command Schlesweig Holstein
1946	Vice-Admiral	RN	Retires \ & Kiel Germany

* The Order of Brilliant Jade (Red Cravat with Blue & White Borders) (China) was awarded by the government of China and is now an Order given by the Republic of China (Taiwan) government.

Vice-Admiral Harold Tom BAILLIE-GROHMAN, CB, DSO, OBE
Flag Officer-in-Command Schlesweig Holstein and Kiel Germany

Citation to the **Companion of the Order of the Bath (CB)** as Rear Admiral & \ Commander Middle East

"For distinguished service in effecting the withdrawal from the beaches of Greece under fire and in the face of many and great difficulties of many thousands of Troops of the Allied Armies."

Citation to **The Order of Brilliant Jade (Red Cravat with blue & White Border)**

"Conferred by the President of the National Government of the Republic of China in recognition of valuable services rendered by him as an Instructor in the Chinese Navy."

Citation to **Mentioned in Despatches** in 1942 as Rear-Admiral

"In recognition of distinguished service in the Middle East."

Medals: CB - DSO - OBE (1st Type) - 1914/1915 Star - British War Medal with MID - WWI Victory Medal - 1939/1945 Star - Atlantic Star - Defence Medal - 1939/1945 Medal with MID - Order - Chevalier of the Order of Leopold - (Belgium) - The Order of Brilliant Jade (China)

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Rear-Admiral Patrick Willet BROCK, CB, DSO, RN
Flag Officer Middle East HMS Aphrodite Royal Navy

Born: 30/12/1902 Kingston, Ontario
 Married: 1931 Muriel Doreen Collinson born 1905 - died 08/12/74
 Married 01/1976 Mrs. Rosemary Harrison Stanton born 28/01/26 died 1988
 Died: 10/10/1988 Haslemere, Surrey, United Kingdom

Honours

31/05/1956+	CB	Companion of the Order of the Bath	Rear-Admiral
29/06/1951+	DSO	Distinguished Service Order	Captain
28/11/1944+	MID	Mentioned in Despatches for WWII	Commander
29/06/1951+	Star	Bronze Star (USA)	Captain
28/11/1944a	Croix	Croix de Guerre (France)	Commander
02/02/1951+	MID	Mentioned in Despatches for Korea	Captain

Military

03/08/1917	Naval Cadet	RCN	Royal Naval College of Canada 8 th Term (age 14)
01/04/1918	Cadet	RCN	Royal Military College Kingston (Halifax
01/09/1918	Cadet	RCN	Royal Naval College Esquimalt \ Explosion)
01/09/1920	Midshipman	RCN	<i>HMS Diana</i>
01/01/1921	A/Sub-Lt	RN	Transferred to the Royal Navy
03/01/1923	A/Sub-Lt	RN	RN College HMS President, Greenwich
23/02/1924	A/Sub-Lt	RN	<i>HMS Cardiff</i> (Cruiser) Mediterranean
01/09/1924	Sub-Lieutenant	RN	Royal Navy
01/10/1924	Lieutenant	RN	Promoted Lieutenant <i>HMS Cardiff</i>
05/03/1926	Lieutenant	RN	<i>HMS Vindictive</i> (Cruiser) China Seas
1928	Lieutenant	RN	Admiralty Silver Medal for Naval History
03/01/1929	Lieutenant	RN	Torpedo course HMS Vernon
01/04/1930	Lieutenant	RN	Qualified for Torpedo Duties
25/09/1930	Lieutenant	RN	Advanced Torpedo Course RN College Greenwich
01/02/1931	Lieutenant	RN	Complete Course RN College Greenwich
29/12/1931	Lieutenant	RN	Torpedo Officer, 1 st Destroyer Flotilla
01/09/1932	Lieutenant	RN	End duties on <i>HMS Mackay</i> in the Mediterranean
01/03/1933	Lieutenant	RN	Torpedo Officer 1 st Destroyer Flotilla
01/04/1933	Lieutenant	RN	End duties on <i>HMS Egmont II</i> \ <i>HMS Egmont II</i>
01/10/1932	Lt-Commander	RN	Promoted Lieutenant-Commander
08/05/1933	Lieutenant	RN	Torpedo Officer 1 st Destroyer Flotilla
10/07/1934	Lieutenant	RN	End duties on <i>HMS Duncan</i> \ <i>HMS Duncan</i>
29/11/1934	Lt-Commander	RN	Torpedo School (HMS Vernon) Portsmouth
01/07/1935	Lt-Commander	RN	End term at HMS Vernon
21/01/1936	Lt-Commander	RN	Torpedo Officer <i>HMS Southampton</i> 2 nd Cruiser Sqd
01/10/1938	Lt-Commander	RN	End duties on <i>HMS Southampton</i> Sqd Torpedo Off.
31/12/1938	Commander	RN	Promoted Commander - On staff of Admiralty
09/01/1939	Commander	RN	Tactical Division Admiralty HMS President
23/05/1939	Commander	RN	Training & Staff Duties Admiralty HMS President
15/08/1941	Commander	RN	Executive Officer <i>HMS Scylla</i> (Cruiser)
20/12/1941	Commander	RN	End term on <i>HMS Scylla</i>
09/04/1942	Commander	RN	Executive Officer <i>HMS Mauritius</i> Home Effingham
01/06/1944	Commander	RN	End term on <i>HMS Mauritius</i> (Cruiser)
31/12/1944	Captain	RN	Promoted Captain \ From Sicily to Normandy
01/01/1945	Captain	RN	Admiralty

Rear-Admiral Patrick Willet BROCK, CB, DSO, RN
Flag Officer Middle East HMS Aphrodite Royal Navy

1946	Captain	RN	Sr Officer Schleswig-Holstein HMS Royal Harold
01/1948	Captain	RN	Commanding Officer <i>HMS Phoenicia</i>
08/09/1949	Captain	RN	Commanding Officer <i>HMS Kenya</i> in Far East Korea
12/07/1951	Commodore	RN	Royal Navy HQ - Director of Operations Division
09/02/1954	Rear-Admiral	RN	Promoted Rear-Admiral HMS Aphrodite Middle East
21/04/1954	Rear-Admiral	RN	Flag Officer Middle East (Ismailia and Cyprus)
1956	Rear-Admiral	RN	RNHQ - Admiralty Material Requirement Committee
07/01/1958	Rear-Admiral	RN	Retired

Citation to **Companion of the Order of the Bath (CB)** Rear-Admiral (Middle East)
"Flag Officer Middle East (Ismailia and Cyprus)"

Citation to **Distinguished Service Order (DSO)** Captain CO *HMS Kenya* (Korea)
"For Distinguished Services in operations in Korean Waters."

Citation to **Bronze Star with 'V' Device (USA)** Captain CO *HMS Kenya* (Korea)
"For Distinguished Services in operations in Korean Waters."

Citation to **Mention in Despatches (MID)** Captain *HMS Mauritius* (WWII)
"For distinguished services in operations which led to the successful landing of Allied Forces in Normandy."

Civilian Post Retirement

	Honorary Trustee of the Maritime Museum of British Columbia
1967-1978	Chairman of the Naval Review
1960-1974	Trustee of the National Maritime Museum (Greenwich UK)
1970	Vice-President of the Society for Nautical Research
	Noted author of nautical history articles and books

Medals of Rear-Admiral Patrick Willet BROCK, CB, DSO, RN

CB
DSO (GVI)
1939-1945 Star
Atlantic Star with BAR France & Germany
Burma Star
Italy Star
1939-1945 War Medal with MID
British Korea Medal with MID
UN Korea
Naval General Service Medal
EIIR Coronation Medal
Croix de Guerre (France)
Bronze Star with 'V' Device (USA)

Medals held by CFB Esquimalt Museum



Rear-Admiral Dudley Lawson DE CHAIR, KCB, KCMG, MVO
Commander British Coast Guard and Naval Reserves
Governor of New South Wales Australia

Born: 30/08/1964 Lennoxville, Quebec
 Return UK 1870 With his family
 Married: 21/04/1903 Enid Struben
 Son: 10/09/1905 Commander Henry Graham deChair, DSC & Bar, RN
 Died: 17/08/1958 Brighton, Sussex, United Kingdom
 His ashes were scattered in the English Channel

Honours

01/01/1916	KCB	Knight Companion Order of the Bath	RAdm
01/01/1914	CB	Companion of the Order of the Bath (Civil)	RAdm
16/06/1908	MVO	Member of the Royal Victorian Order	Captain
01/01/1933	KCMG	Knight Companion Order of St. Michael & St. George	Admiral
15/09/1916	Chevalier	Commander Legion of Honour (France)	RAdm
29/04/1919	Medal	Distinguished Service Medal (USA)	VAdm

Military

15/08/1878	Naval Cadet	RN	<i>HMS Brittania</i>
1878	Midshipman	RN	<i>HMS Alexandra</i> Mediterranean for training
1882	Midshipman	RN	Egyptian War Service - POW by Arabi Pasha 6 wks
19/05/1884	Sub-Lieutenant	RN	Promoted
19/05/1885	Lieutenant	RN	<i>HMS Vernon</i>
22/06/1897	Commander	RN	<i>HMS Majestic</i>
26/06/1902	Captain	RN	Naval Attaché to the Courts of Maritime Powers
1903	Captain	RN	Naval Attaché to North and South America
1904	Captain	RN	End Naval Attaché to North and South America
1906	Captain	RN	Commanding Officer HMS Cochrane
1910	Captain	RN	Assistant Comptroller of the Navy
31/07/1912	Rear-Admiral	RN	Naval Secretary to 1 st Lord of the Admiralty
1914	Rear-Admiral	RN	Commanding Officer 10 th Cruiser Squadron
01/09/1916	Rear-Admiral	RN	Naval Advisor Foreign Officer War Mission USA
05/10/1917	Vice-Admiral	RN	Commanding Officer 3 rd Battle Squadron
20/04/1918	Vice-Admiral	RN	Half Pay for refusing a post at the Admiralty
01/07/1918	Vice-Admiral	RN	Admiral Commanding Coast Guard & Naval Reserves
25/11/1920	Admiral	RN	Promoted - still Cmd Coast Guard and Reserves
01/07/1921	Admiral	RN	End term Commander Coast Guard & Naval Reserves
1922	Admiral	RN	President Inter-Allied Naval Commission
1923	Admiral	RN	Retired \ Disposal of Enemy Vessels

Civil

28/02/1924	Governor	New South Wales Australia
1930	Governor	End term as Governor South Wales Australia

**Rear-Admiral Dudley Lawson DE CHAIR, KCB, KCMG, MVO
Commander British Coast Guard and Naval Reserves
Governor of New South Wales Australia**

MEDALS of Admiral Dudley de CHAIR, KCB, KCMG, CB

KCB
KCMG
CB (civil)
MVO (4th)
Egypt Medal with clasp ALEXANDRIA
1914/15 Star
British War Medal
Victory Medal with MID
Queen Victoria Diamond Jubilee Medal
King George V Coronation Medal
Chevalier Legion d'Honneur France
Distinguished Service Medal (USA)
Khedives Star 1882.

His medals were stolen from St. Osyth's Priority, England in April 1986



