

*Air Ministry, 29th May, 1945.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards:—

*Distinguished Service Order.*

*Acting Wing Commander.*

Hugo Russell MacDougal BEALL (39161),  
R.A.F.V.R., 356 Sqn.

*Acting Squadron Leader.*

John Raymond MUSGRAVE (111946), R.A.F.V.R.  
(Lieutenant, Royal Regiment of Artillery), 178 Sqn.

*Bar to Distinguished Flying Cross.*

*Acting Wing Commander.*

Richard Gordon Nicholas PRYOR, D.F.C. (102301),  
R.A.F.V.R., 148 Sqn.

*Acting Squadron Leader.*

Thomas Christopher McNAMARA, D.F.C. (79049),  
R.A.F.V.R., 178 Sqn.

*Distinguished Flying Cross.*

*Flight Lieutenants.*

Frank Harrison FODEN (48828), R.A.F., 272 Sqn.,  
with effect from 25th September, 1944 (since de-  
ceased).

George Robert Stewart MCKAY (120741),  
R.A.F.V.R., 145 Sqn.

John MILLER (124863), R.A.F.V.R., 272 Sqn.

Dudley Patrick SAMPSON (131481), R.A.F.V.R., 111 Sqn.

*Acting Flight Lieutenants.*

Neville Burgess REAY (171377), R.A.F.V.R., 178 Sqn.

*Flying Officers.*

Harold Frederick BURDITT (51874), R.A.F.  
(Lieutenant, Royal Regiment of Artillery), 293 Sqn.

Sidney Peter JOHNSON, B.E.M. (168828),  
R.A.F.V.R., 682 Sqn.

Geoffrey Claude NICHOLS (159414), R.A.F.V.R., 249 Sqn.

*Pilot Officers.*

William Joslin MONTGOMERY (189722), R.A.F.V.R.,  
178 Sqn.

Richard Wallace MORRIS (189673), R.A.F.V.R., 178 Sqn.

Alexander George STEVENS (184982), R.A.F.V.R.,  
293 Sqn.

*Distinguished Flying Medal.*

*Flight Sergeant.*

1803308 Bertram Edwin JARMEY, R.A.F.V.R., 250 Sqn.

**SOUTH AFRICAN AIR FORCE.**

*Distinguished Flying Cross.*

*Majors.*

Hartley BRAITHWAITE (103039V), 12 (S.A.A.F.) Sqn.  
Leslie Greville HAMLET (103190V), 21 (S.A.A.F.) Sqn.

*Captains.*

Douglas DAKERS (177071V), 104 (S.A.A.F.) Sqn.  
George Ashton EVANS (104047V), 12 (S.A.A.F.) Sqn.

Ralph Tilney HUTCHINSON (28351V), 12 (S.A.A.F.) Sqn.

Ronald Harry JACOBS (98715V), 145 Sqn.

Patrick Howard NICOLAY (103538V), 21 (S.A.A.F.) Sqn.

Nicolaas Petrus PRINSLOO (206113V), 40 (S.A.A.F.) Sqn.

Dudley VAN DER BYL (102346V), 15 (S.A.A.F.) Sqn.

*Lieutenant.*

Louis Johannes RABIE (102414V), 34 (S.A.A.F.) Sqn.

The above awards are in recognition of gallantry and devotion to duty in the execution of air operations.

**AMENDMENT.**

In notification of 25th May, 1945 (p. 2669, col. 2), ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE. D.F.C. Pilot Officers'. Immediately below "Lionel James MANNING (Aus.420973), 463 (R.A.A.F.) Sqn." insert the following:—

William John WALKER (Aus.423411), 626 Sqn.

*Warrant Officers.*

John Raymond JONES (Aus.426349), 156 Sqn.

Kenneth Kemble KEMP (Aus.428325), 77 Sqn.

Francis John MCFARLANE (Aus.425041), 218 Sqn.

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