

Andrew Whyte, Sergeant (temporary), Manchester Fire Brigade.

During the enemy air attacks on Manchester Sergeant Whyte has been conspicuous for his gallant behaviour.

On one occasion he helped to operate jets inside a warehouse until it became necessary, owing to the intense heat, to withdraw all personnel from the building. Whyte then climbed with his jets to the roof of an adjacent building and from there tackled the fire.

COMMENDATIONS.

Those named below have been brought to notice for brave conduct in Civil Defence:—

Donald Charles Bain (deceased), Labourer, Admiralty Outstation.
 Stephen John Blaney, Unestablished Skilled Workman, London Telecommunications Region.
 William Eric Burgess, Fireman, Manchester Fire Brigade.
 James Carolan, Workman, Messrs. Tileman and Company Ltd.
 Leslie Lionel Cayzer, Skilled Workman, Class II, London Telecommunications Region.
 Ernest Fox, Labourer, London Passenger Transport Board.
 Patrick Frain, Foreman, Messrs. Tileman and Company Ltd.
 Ernest John Greave, Acting Assistant Victualling Store Officer, Admiralty.
 Alexander Hamilton, A.R.P. Warden, Glasgow.
 Edgar Hardcastle, Leading Stoker, Southern Railway.
 Jack Helgeson, Shop Assistant, Grimsby.
 Richard Hill, Workman, Messrs. Tileman and Company Ltd.
 Oswald Hitchen, Temporary Assistant Mechanical Training Officer, Admiralty Outstation.
 John Hodges, Workman, Messrs. Tileman and Company Ltd.
 John George Hodgson, Salvageman, Liverpool Salvage Corps.
 James Henry Honey, Leading Stoker, Southern Railway.
 William Kidd, Barge Captain, Messrs. John Harker, Ltd.
 James Leech, Lorry Driver, Ministry of Supply.
 Neil Leitch (deceased), Boy Messenger, Glasgow Auxiliary Fire Service.
 Henry Liddell, A.R.P. Chauffeur, Clyde Navigation Trust.
 Alfred Henry Longhurst, Auxiliary Plant Attendant, Southern Railway.
 John Henry McKenzie, Skilled Labourer, Admiralty Outstation.
 James Mitchell, Firemaster, Clyde Navigation Trust.

Thomas Richard Morris, Postman Driver, Leeds.

Malcolm MacLeod Morrison, Unestablished Skilled Workman, London Telecommunications Region.

Dennis O'Keeffe, Postman, Liverpool.

Thomas Peterson (deceased), Acting Skilled Labourer, Admiralty Outstation.

Henry Richard Philcox, D.C.M., Postman, London Postal Region.

Edward Thomas Potts, Skilled Workman, Class II, London Telecommunications Region.

Albert Henry Putman, Stoker, Southern Railway.

Percy Frederick Robinson, Skilled Labourer (Hired), Admiralty Outstation.

Louis Eugene Rouse, Storekeeper, Brixton.

Trevor Samuel, Labourer, Admiralty Outstation.

Leslie Arthur Shelley, Workman, Messrs. Tileman and Company Ltd.

Robert Harry Shipway, Acting Deputy Victualling Store Officer, Admiralty.

Arthur Smith, Stoker, Southern Railway.

Edward Stevenson, Workman, Messrs. Tileman and Company Ltd.

John Herbert Sutton, Auxiliary Fireman Driver, Penge Auxiliary Fire Service.

Harry John Watts, Postman, London Postal Region.

George Weldon, Working Stable Foreman, London and North Eastern Railway.

William Edwin Richard Whitlock (deceased), Acting Storehouse Assistant, Admiralty Outstation.

James Henry Wilden, Storehouseman, Admiralty Outstation.

Edward Henry Williams, Checker, London Midland and Scottish Railway.

Frederick George Wright, Workman, Messrs. Tileman and Company Ltd.

Albert Edward Yaxley, Auxiliary Plant Attendant, Southern Railway.

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For services on the occasion of a serious lorry accident:—

Watts Austin, Superintendent, Isolation Hospital, Stanhope.

David Robert Sinclair Crackett, Deputy Welfare Supervisor, Wolsingham.

John O'Hara, M.B., Ch.B., Medical Practitioner, Stanhope.

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