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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards in recognition of gallantry displayed in flying operations against the enemy:—

Distinguished Service Order.

Flying Officer John Patrick TRENCH (68742) Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 7 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Pilot Officer Crofton Lustleigh SELMAN (109922) Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 7 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

986411 Sergeant Ivor John EDWARDS, No. 7 Squadron.

One night in September, 1942, Flying Officer Trench, Pilot Officer Selman and Sergeant Edwards were captain, navigator and wireless operator respectively of an aircraft of a bomber force which attacked Dusseldorf. Whilst over the target area, the aircraft was repeatedly hit by anti-aircraft fire. The petrol tanks were pierced, while some oil pipe lines were severed. In spite of this, Flying Officer Trench persisted in his mission and the target was bombed successfully. On the return journey, the aircraft lost height. All moveable equipment, even parachutes, were jettisoned in an effort to maintain height and the North Sea was eventually crossed at between 100 and 200 feet. After crossing the English Coast, the aircraft was force-landed and, on impact with the ground, burst into flames. Flying Officer Trench and Sergeant Edwards were rendered unconscious but Pilot Officer Selman, with complete disregard of danger, extricated his comrades and pulled them clear of the burning aircraft. Throughout, these members of the crew of this aircraft displayed great courage, fortitude and devotion to duty in the face of extremely harassing circumstances.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Acting Wing Commander Lennox Gordon Douglas FRASER (Can./C.1283), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 405 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

This officer has completed many sorties, including 5 against Essen in the face of much opposition. One night in September, 1942, he piloted an aircraft detailed to attack Bremen. On the outward flight engine trouble was experienced but Wing Commander Fraser flew on to the town and bombed it. During the return journey engine trouble still persisted and the rear turret became unserviceable. An enemy fighter attempted to attack. Skillfully manoeuvring his aircraft, however, Wing Commander Fraser evaded the fighter thus averting a perilous situation. He eventually made a safe landing at an aerodrome in this country. On two other occasions, this officer has flown his aircraft safely back to England in most difficult

circumstances. He has at all times displayed exceptional airmanship and great courage.

Squadron Leader Roy Pryce ELLIOTT (39631), No. 83 Squadron.

Squadron Leader Elliott has completed many sorties which have included bombing attacks on many of the enemy's most strongly defended objectives. In September, he was pilot of an aircraft which participated in an attack on Duisberg. The aircraft was heavily engaged by searchlights and accurate anti-aircraft fire. Nevertheless, Squadron Leader Elliott, showing fine flying skill and resolute determination, successfully completed his mission from a low attitude and returned to base. By his excellent operational record, his courage and efficiency, he has won the respect of all members of his squadron.

Flight Lieutenant John Angus MACLEAN (Can./C.1107), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 405 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

One night in September, Flight Lieutenant MacLean was captain of an aircraft engaged in an attack on a target in the Ruhr. During the bombing run heavy anti-aircraft fire was encountered. The aircraft sustained damage; the aileron became jammed and when another shell burst immediately below the port wing the aircraft turned on its back and went into an inverted spiral dive. Flight Lieutenant MacLean recovered control of the aircraft and released his bombs on the target. On the return flight the aircraft was attacked from below by an enemy fighter. Further damage was sustained. Shortly afterwards both the port engines failed as the fuel system had been shot away. Despite great efforts on the part of Flight Lieutenant MacLean the bomber eventually became completely uncontrollable and both he and his crew were compelled to leave it by parachute. Throughout this hazardous operation this officer displayed great gallantry, fortitude and devotion to duty.

Pilot Officer George Frederick BEURLING, D.F.M. (128707) Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 249 Squadron.

Since being awarded a Bar to the Distinguished Flying Medal, this officer has shot down a further 3 hostile aircraft, bringing his total victories to 20. One day in September, 1942, he and another pilot engaged 4 enemy fighters. In the ensuing combat, Pilot Officer Beurling destroyed 2 of them. As a relentless fighter, whose determination and will to win has won the admiration of his colleagues, this officer has set an example in keeping with the highest traditions of the Royal Air Force.

Pilot Officer Verdun Ashley SCOTT (109027), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

One night in September, 1942, this officer captained an aircraft detailed to attack Bremen. Displaying good airmanship, Pilot Officer Scott reached

his objective and bombed it. On the return flight his aircraft was engaged by an enemy fighter and sustained damage. The petrol tanks were pierced while the hydraulics were shot away, causing the undercarriage to drop. Despite this, Pilot Officer Scott flew on and although height was gradually lost whilst flying over the North Sea, the English coast was safely reached. Pilot Officer Scott effected a masterly forced landing in a field. Throughout the operation, this officer displayed skill and judgment of a high degree.

Pilot Officer Dallas Wilbur SCHMIDT (Can./J.7336), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 227 Squadron.

This officer has displayed fine fighting qualities. On his first sortie, he shot down an Italian aircraft. In September, 1942, he obtained a hit with a heavy bomb on an enemy merchant vessel which subsequently sank. A few days later, he attacked a destroyer in a convoy with gunfire. In spite of intense opposition he pressed home his attack, causing an explosion behind one of the ship's gun positions, which probably indicated hits on a magazine. This officer has set a praiseworthy example.

Pilot Officer Orville Ray WATERBURY (Can./J.7520), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 83 Squadron.

On two occasions, despite the most adverse weather conditions in daylight attacks on Germany, Pilot Officer Waterbury has displayed skilful navigation and, as a result, has successfully carried out his mission and brought his aircraft safely back to base. One night in September, when returning from an operational sortie on Wilhelmshaven, his aircraft was fired on by hostile aeroplanes and the wireless operator was severely wounded. Pilot Officer Waterbury successfully administered first aid thereby saving the life of his colleague. He has completed numerous operational sorties, including attacks on the enemy's most heavily defended targets and, by his exceptional keenness and efficiency, has set a fine example.

Flying Officer Dennis GRUNDY (101567), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 88 Squadron.

Flying Officer Frank Thomas COXALL (108044), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 88 Squadron.

In September, 1942, Flying Officers Grundy and Coxall were captain and navigator respectively of an aircraft detailed to attack a target in Northern France. Owing to adverse weather, it was impossible to locate the target but, as an alternative, a large industrial plant was vigorously attacked. Whilst flying over the objective, at chimney height, bombs were released and several hits obtained. Both these officers have completed many sorties and have always displayed great determination, combined with a high degree of operational efficiency.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Flying Officer Dorian Dick BONNETT (45416), No. 49 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

Aus.401272 Sergeant Richard Desmond DANGERFIELD, Royal Australian Air Force, No. 49 Squadron.

Aus. 404798 Sergeant William Henry Ingham MYERS, Royal Australian Air Force, No. 49 Squadron.

Flying Officer Bonnett and Sergeants Dangerfield and Myers as captain, navigator and wireless operator respectively have flown together on many sorties. Each, in his particular role, has displayed exceptional ability. Flying Officer Bonnett, who has spared no efforts in training his crew to the highest standard of efficiency, has always displayed the greatest determination to make every sortie a success and resolutely and, ably supported by Sergeants Dangerfield and Myers, has invariably succeeded in so doing. Throughout, these members of air crew have set an admirable example.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

Aus.404798 Sergeant William Henry Ingham MYERS, Royal Australian Air Force, No. 49 Squadron.

As wireless operator, this airman has taken part in numerous sorties. One night in September, 1942, he was a member of the crew of an aircraft which made a successful attack on an enemy ship. The aircraft was damaged by anti-aircraft fire which rendered the wireless equipment unservice-

able. Although wounded in both arms and in the thigh Flight Sergeant Cumming, after receiving first aid but still being in much pain, effected temporary repairs to the wireless set and was able to send messages indicating the position of the damaged aircraft. Throughout the homeward flight, his courage and fortitude inspired his comrades.

1286583 Sergeant William Samuel George BELTON, No. 156 Squadron.

One night in September, 1942, this airman was the rear gunner of an aircraft which formed part of a force operating against a target in the Ruhr. During the bombing run, his aircraft was attacked by a hostile aeroplane but, following an accurate burst from Sergeant Belton's guns, the attacking aircraft burst into flames and afterwards crashed on the ground. On a previous occasion, when his aircraft was attacked by an enemy fighter, Sergeant Belton skilfully fought it off. This airman has displayed high courage and skill in the face of enemy fire.

Air Ministry, 16th October, 1942.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts. and to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.):—

J. W. WILLIS-RICHARDS (46311). 10th June 1942.

H. COSSAR, D.F.C. (46173). 17th July 1942.

D. A. BROWN (46540). 19th Aug. 1942.

H. SIMPSON (46843). 11th Sept. 1942.

17th Sept. 1942.

W. F. AMOS (46707).

G. GOLDSMITH (46702).

H. J. McRAE (46607). 19th Sept. 1942.

20th Sept. 1942.

C. D. LAWSON (46731).

J. ONTIONS, D.F.M. (46670).

A. J. R. MUGGRIDGE (47206). 25th Sept. 1942.

27th Sept. 1942.

L. S. COLMAN, D.F.M. (46816).

F. G. D. WARREN (46767).

L. Y. J. FRIEND (46732). 30th Sept. 1942.

Plt. Off. (prob.) J. E. C. YOUNG (44759) confmd. in appt. and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.). 9th Oct. 1942. (*Seny. 19th July 1941.*) (Subs. for notfn. of 10th July 1942 (p. 3041, col. 1).)

Gp. Cpts. (tempy.) granted the rank of Gp. Capt. (war subs.):—

C. R. STEELE, D.F.C. 1st June 1942.

A. C. STEVENS. 7th Aug. 1942.

A. C. SANDERSON, C.B.E., D.F.C. 16th Aug. 1942.

Wg. Cdr. A. O. MOLESWORTH (26116) to be Gp. Capt. (tempy.). 1st Sept. 1942.

Sqn. Ldr. F. M. BENITO (25076) to be Wg. Cdr. (tempy.). 1st June 1942.

Flt. Lt. A. M. K. PHILLIPS (33275) to be Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.). 1st Sept. 1942. (*Seny. 1st Dec. 1941.*) (Subs. for notfn. of 1st Oct. 1942 (p. 4256, col. 1).)

Flg. Offs. to be Flt. Lts. (war subs.):—

N. W. McLEOD (43259). 7th Apr. 1942.

A. P. CULVERWELL (81003). 5th May 1942.

A. K. OGILVIE, D.F.C. (42872). 25th May 1942.

R. T. R. COWPER (41988). 29th June 1942.

J. A. CANT (44174). 9th July 1942. (*Seny. 2nd May 1942.*)

13th July 1942.

H. G. KEARTLAND (43038).

G. S. WILLIAMS (43051).

27th July 1942.

G. J. CORNISH (43282).

A. J. HOLLAND (43286).

T. R. GILDERTHORP (43482). 24th Aug. 1942.

J. F. CLAYTON, D.F.M. (44677). 30th Sept. 1942. (*Seny. 11th Sept. 1942.*)

Flg. Offs. granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.):—

E. R. THORN, D.F.M. (46957). 6th July 1942.

S. ROBINSON, D.F.M. (45617). 28th July 1942.

I. C. K. SWALES, D.F.C., D.F.M. (44835). 9th Aug. 1942.

Plt. Offs. granted the rank of Flg. Off. (war subs.):—

M. A. SACHS (46796). 24th July 1942.
I. M. DAVIES, D.F.C. (48094). 5th Aug. 1942.
J. J. W. LEWIS, D.F.M. (47570). 23rd Aug. 1942.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Flg. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts.:—

P. J. SINDELL (46322). 1st Aug. 1942.
J. HARVEY (46266). 2nd Aug. 1942.
C. A. DEAKIN (46267). 5th Aug. 1942.
R. T. WOOD (46469). 8th Aug. 1942.
H. J. GOWING (46519). 17th Aug. 1942.
E. JOHNS (46470). 23rd Aug. 1942.

28th Aug. 1942.

R. V. MOXEY (46414).
D. J. N. REBBECK (48105).
C. H. J. CLAMPITT (46493). 31st Aug. 1942.
H. T. F. LOCKE (46459). 1st Sept. 1942.
K. S. J. RANCOMBE (46391). 2nd Sept. 1942.

Plt. Off. (prob.) A. S. KING (47679) to be Flg. Off. on prob. (war subs.) 15th Mar. 1942, and confmd. in appt. 11th June 1942.

Plt. Off. (prob.) L. R. HAY (45394) confmd. in appt. 3rd Mar. 1942, and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.) 11th July 1942. (*Seny.* 11th May 1942.)

Flg. Off. G. HERBERT (35333) to be Flt. Lt. 27th July 1942. (*Seny.* 12th June 1942.)

Flg. Off. R. BIBBY, M.B.E. (35305) is granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.). 1st Nov. 1941.

Plt. Off. (prob.) W. T. HARRINGTON (47005) to be Flg. Off. on prob. (war subs.). 1st Jan. 1942.

Actg. Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Plt. Offs. (prob.):—

H. G. RUSSELL (47973). 18th Mar. 1942. (*Seny.* 6th Jan. 1942.)

D. T. WATKINS (48762). 15th Aug. 1942. (*Seny.* 7th July 1942.)

Amendment.

In notifi. of 24th July (p. 3241, col. 1) for E. P. WOODCRAFT read F. P. WOODCRAFT (48528).

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Flg. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts.:—

K. J. DUNKINSON (46441). 22nd Aug. 1942.
W. D. FLEET (46555). 25th Aug. 1942.

30th Aug. 1942.

A. H. COOK (46622).
T. F. HEWARD (46621).
L. W. REEDS (46460).
H. V. SEAL (46478).

Plt. Off. (prob.) H. E. DUNN (45878) confmd. in appt. and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.). 7th June 1942. (*Seny.* 6th May 1942.)

Flg. Off. W. H. FRANKLIN (44442) is granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.). 4th Aug. 1942.

Flg. Offs. to be Flt. Lts. (tempy.). 1st Sept. 1942:—

F. L. FURLONG (45964).
G. REDFORD (46526).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Sqn. Ldr. D. G. MCDIARMID (21091) to be Wg. Cdr. (tempy.). 1st Sept. 1942.

Flg. Off. A. E. DAVEY (31475) to be Flt. Lt. 18th Sept. 1942.

Flt. Lt. (tempy.) R. M. HALL (31440) is granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.). 27th July 1942.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.) M. N. HANCOCKS (70279) is granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.). 22nd Aug. 1942.

Flt. Lt. A. P. WAYTE (22010) to be Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.). 1st Sept. 1942. (*Seny.* 1st Dec. 1941.)

Flg. Off. W. N. MONTEITH (70471) to be Flt. Lt. (war subs.). 5th Nov. 1941.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts.:—
6th Sept. 1942.

E. H. MOSS (106228).
H. B. STEPHENS (106237).
J. L. MARTIN, D.F.C. (106968). 11th Sept. 1942.

R. H. RYAN (106861). 13th Sept. 1942.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts. and to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.):—

D. PATERSON (88236). 16th Nov. 1941. (*Seny.* 7th Nov. 1941.)

9th Mar. 1942.

G. F. LOWES (62018).

A. W. MACKAY (62326).

W. L. MACDONALD (63451). 1st Apr. 1942.

W. M. SKINNER, D.F.M. (68722). 17th May 1942.

K. J. MACKINTOSH (69468). 18th May 1942.

E. A. MASTERS, D.F.C. (67600). 22nd May 1942.

E. P. DOWLING (115810). 24th May 1942.

P. R. M. RUNNACLES (68184). 29th May 1942.

F. G. HORNER (100034). 12th June 1942.

19th June 1942.

R. P. TUCKER (69482).

P. WARD-SMITH (100039).

W. H. TWIST (102976). 27th June 1942.

J. D. CORDWELL (102599). 28th June 1942.

R. T. C. O. WHITE (101531). 29th June 1942.

A. J. BEALES (101061). 3rd July 1942.

K. R. RUSSELL (37921). 11th July 1942.

H. G. BANCROFT (110961). 19th July 1942.

E. H. VALENTINE (102135). 23rd July 1942.

J. W. G. PAGET (102148). 26th July 1942.

S. J. WRINCH (102105). 31st July 1942.

J. BAIN, D.F.M. (102589). 2nd Aug. 1942.

J. H. HICKLIN (102535). 5th Aug. 1942.

9th Aug. 1942.

S. J. POOLEY (103587).

T. H. TAYLOR (104505).

J. MARKS (103532). 14th Aug. 1942.

16th Aug. 1942.

R. J. KIMBELL (107158).

N. SMALLWOOD (106945).

J. McK. CARSWELL (104540). 20th Aug. 1942.

1st Sept. 1942.

C. W. COLE (108152).

J. A. FRASER (108012).

K. G. RAYMENT (108000).

D. G. ROCHFORD (106025). 3rd Sept. 1942.

6th Sept. 1942.

R. L. BUGGE (106153).

J. R. GAUNTLETT (106221).

H. I. MATTHEY (106226).

R. A. WELLINGTON (106238).

H. C. GRIMSHAW (106068). 10th Sept. 1942.

12th Sept. 1942.

W. C. HAYLOCK (106969).

R. TURNER (106114).

13th Sept. 1942.

F. E. ALDER (107921).

A. D. ALLEN (116037).

N. R. G. BARKER (106177).

E. R. BUTLER (107923).

D. F. CAMPFIELD (106179).

G. S. SMITH (108543).

J. G. STOWER (107520).

S. A. WOOLLCOTT (106192).

B. S. GIBSON (106684). 14th Sept. 1942.

16th Sept. 1942.

A. O. ARNESEN (117460).

G. D. A. LUNDON (117004).

17th Sept. 1942.

C. J. SCRIVENER (107240).

H. T. TURNBULL (106103).

P. G. K. WILLIAMSON (107239).

A. J. H. WRIGHT (106161).

19th Sept. 1942.

B. W. ANDREW (107908).

M. GRIFFITH (107909).

25th Sept. 1942.

W. R. BROOKS (111529).

A. R. DAWES (109118).

F. S. JACKSON (109354).

E. G. NICHOLL (111707).

R. W. SMITH (111709).

F. A. S. WALLIS (109941).

26th Sept. 1942.

R. W. DEAN (107455).

G. I. DONKERSLEY (107458).

L. H. EVANS (107456).

27th Sept. 1942.

J. R. FIELD (107926).

S. B. HAYES (48901).

E. R. RICHES (108980).

29th Sept. 1942.

C. H. CLEVELAND (112739).

F. RIDLEY (111535).

F. RUSKELL (111536).

E. A. WOOD (109926).

A. P. S. CHIPLING (108178). 30th Sept. 1942.

Flg. Offs. to be Flt. Lts. (war subs.):—
 T. A. BAX (78742). 1st June 1942.
 P. S. E. BRIGGS (79751). 2nd June 1942.
 E. A. RANCE (79736). 8th June 1942.
 S. CARTER (79230). 15th June 1942.
 P. J. T. STEPHENSON (81343). 18th June 1942.
 R. C. MORDUANT (82958). 28th July 1942.
 G. C. HEMMINGS (84918). 24th Aug. 1942.
 (Seny. 18th Aug. 1942.)

26th Aug. 1942.
 W. BECKINGHAM (82969).
 R. VAN DEN BOK (83004).
 N. R. SHUTTLEWORTH (82996).
 K. W. MACKENZIE, D.F.C. (84017). 31st Aug. 1942. (Seny. 24th Aug. 1942.)
 G. B. BASS (84978). 10th Sept. 1942. (Seny. 9th Aug. 1942.)
 W. R. DIBB (85258). 21st Sept. 1942. (Seny. 14th Sept. 1942.)

Flg. Offs. granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.):—

A. L. WINSKILL, D.F.C. (84702). 14th July 1942.
 H. GIBSON (112492). 1st Aug. 1942.
 W. T. PAGE (65992). 5th Aug. 1942.
 J. de L. WOOLDRIDGE, D.F.C., D.F.M. (84687). 8th Aug. 1942.
 A. S. R. E. ENNIS, D.F.C. (104249). 15th Aug. 1942.
 A. H. RAWNSLEY (84015). 17th Aug. 1942.
 P. C. BIRCH, D.F.C. (85675). 18th Aug. 1942.
 V. H. EKINS, D.F.C. (63073). 20th Aug. 1942.
 G. W. HOLDEN, D.F.C. (103484). 27th Aug. 1942.

Plt. Offs. granted the rank of Flg. Off. (war subs.):—

A. W. RAVENHILL (115773). 9th June 1942.
 J. A. WRIGHT (106084). 4th July 1942.
 M. W. RENAUT, D.F.C. (114751). 10th July 1942.
 A. L. ROBERTS, D.F.C. (115023). 21st July 1942.
 W. GREGSON, D.F.C. (103520). 26th July 1942.

1st Aug. 1942.
 R. W. BRAY, D.F.C. (113927).
 A. D. SAUNDERS (111991).
 J. L. MARTIN, D.F.C. (106968). 2nd Aug. 1942.
 C. THOMAS, D.F.C. (115132). 6th Aug. 1942.
 C. G. ENDERSBY (109366). 7th Aug. 1942.
 P. J. STANBURY, D.F.C. (104436). 8th Aug. 1942.

J. L. BIRBECK (116801). 11th Aug. 1942.

12th Aug. 1942.
 H. B. STEPHENS (106237).
 R. H. RYAN (106861).
 G. T. TURNER (109520). 14th Aug. 1942.
 J. C. BUTTON (109664). 15th Aug. 1942.
 K. R. MILLER, D.F.C. (116052). 19th Aug. 1942.

E. H. MOSS (106228). 29th Aug. 1942.

Flt. Lt. R. M. NORTH, D.F.C. (76453) to be Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.). 1st June 1942.

Amendment.

In the notfn. of 18th Sept. 1942 (p. 4064, col. 1) concerning Flg. Off. D. E. KINGABY, D.F.M., for 31st June 1942 read 30th June 1942.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Plt. Off. (prob.) H. S. K. STAPLEY (61537) confmd. in appt. 14th Feb. 1942, and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.) 16th Aug. 1942.

Plt. Off. (prob.) E. R. HARRIS (69561) confmd. in appt. 4th June 1942 and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.) 16th June 1942. (Seny. 22nd Feb. 1942.)

Plt. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts. 11th July 1942 and to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.) 11th Sept. 1942:—

J. C. DICKSON (101148).
 R. F. NORMAN (101633).
 Actg. Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Plt. Offs. (prob.):—

21st Apr. 1942.
 P. D. OLDHAM (110257).
 E. J. F. PRIMROSE (110258).
 L. WILSON (110289).

25th May 1942.
 J. L. BAGLEY (110194).
 B. BENNETT (114147).
 R. S. ELLIOTT (110219).

S. T. S. EVANS (116598).
 P. HARVEY (115248).
 F. MANNERS (109730).
 W. C. PORTER (111166).
 M. SWANSTON (109949).
 A. THOMPSON (110284).
 H. B. TOFT (109719).
 I. A. WILMOTT (110290).
 R. C. WRATTEN (110296).

F. T. HOWARTH (115845). (Seny. 24th Mar. 1942.)

H. W. NEVILL (113807). (Seny. 9th Apr. 1942.)

W. L. NIX (113808). (Seny. 11th Apr. 1942.)

R. C. C. MEADOWS (112205). (Seny. 13th Apr. 1942.)

A. S. LINAY (110248). (Seny. 26th Apr. 1942.)

G. J. BOND (121235). 9th Sept. 1942. (Seny. 15th July 1942.)

Flg. Off. J. W. WATHES (73451) to be Flt. Lt. (tempy.). 1st June 1942.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

To be confmd. in appts.:—

Flg. Off. (prob.) W. G. EASON (103606). 18th Aug. 1942.

Plt. Offs. (prob.):—

3rd June 1942.

W. G. BEVAN (67238).

E. C. BROWN (67239).

L. T. DALE (67240).

E. ESSAME (67241).

E. L. K. FORDHAM (67242).

H. HARBOUR (67243).

C. E. LOVEMAN (67244).

F. C. MILLS (67245).

L. J. NEVILLE (67248).

H. TAYLOR (67249).

A. J. WOLFENDALE (67250).

9th June 1942.

R. AIRD (67790).

R. F. BEAUCHAMP (67791).

F. A. PARKIN (67794).

A. PLOWMAN (68264). 16th June 1942.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts. and to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.):—

C. D. P. HUME (64341). 7th Feb. 1942.

6th June 1942.

H. M. M. ACTON (68227).

E. H. BARNETT (68229).

C. A. SMITH (68256).

R. B. RAYMOND (100166). 28th June 1942. (Seny. 20th June 1942.)

1st Oct. 1942.

J. PARSONS (105557).

A. L. E. H. SIMON (111423).

Plt. Off. (prob.) H. P. ARDLEY (62120) confmd. in appt. 14th Mar. 1942, and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.) 1st June 1942. (Seny. 19th Apr. 1942.)

Plt. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts. 16th May 1942 and to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.):—

6th June 1942.

J. FORRESTER (66666). (Seny. 8th May 1942.)

C. L. FLITTON (66676). (Seny. 11th May 1942.)

Plt. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts. 4th July 1942 and to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.). 4th Sept. 1942:—

E. H. DICKENS (100755).

F. B. PEARCE (100221). (Seny. 16th July 1942.)

Plt. Off. (prob.) F. E. GAINES (101655) confmd. in appt. 18th July 1942 and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.). 18th Sept. 1942.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts. 25th July 1942 and to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.). 25th Sept. 1942:—

E. G. DONE (102689).

C. LATHAM (102216). (Seny. 17th Aug. 1942.)

Plt. Off. (prob.) L. W. H. MOORE (67162) confmd. in appt. and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.). 16th May 1942. (Subs. for notfn. of 2nd Oct. 1942 (p. 4278, col. 2).)

Flg. Off. THE EARL OF HADDINGTON, M.C. (66626) is granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.). 19th Aug. 1942.

Flt. Lt. D. B. FRY (81446) to be Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.). 1st June 1942.

The undermentioned are granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.):—

Flt. Lts. (tempy.):—

R. H. PILCHER (79319). 19th July 1942.

D. MASKELL (78576). 5th Aug. 1942.

Flg. Offs.:—

E. S. BENSON (81815). 26th July 1941.

J. McLAREN (86888). 1st Aug. 1942.

C. A. PRYCE (61408). 13th Aug. 1942.

D. J. LOWN (87926). 1st Sept. 1942.

15th Sept. 1942.

C. E. KNIGHT (86917).

T. T. WINDLE (86815).

23rd Sept. 1942.

C. H. CHARLESWORTH (81116).

J. J. F. PENNINK (83383).

Flg. Offs. to be Flt. Lts. (tempy.):—

R. M. FRESHWATER (72835). 1st June 1942.

1st Sept. 1942.

R. J. SAYLE (78302).

T. L. JONES (84411).

W. D. FURNISS (83876).

D. C. HAY (81191).

C. W. NESBITT (82797).

R. DOBSON (83868).

W. S. MATHEWS (84211).

J. W. STANTON (84483).

Actg. Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Plt. Offs. (prob.):—

23rd Aug. 1942.

L. C. DAVID (123335). (Seny. 11th Jan. 1942.)

F. R. H. LODGE (123339). (Seny. 14th Jan. 1942.)

L. C. RAWLINGS (123174). 24th Aug. 1942.

(Seny. 15th Nov. 1941.)

J. SMALL (123329). 26th Aug. 1942. (Seny. 11th Jan. 1942.)

E. C. SAUNDERS (123437). 1st Sept. 1942.

(Seny. 29th July 1942.)

W. G. G. HILBORNE (123539). 8th Sept. 1942.

(Seny. 1st Aug. 1942.)

A. J. GILLMAN (123920). 9th Sept. 1942. (Seny. 21st Jan. 1942.)

15th Sept. 1942. (Seny. 15th Aug. 1942.)

G. S. JAMES (124275).

H. R. OWEN (124276).

J. K. EASTON (124990). 18th Sept. 1942. (Seny. 2nd Feb. 1942.)

21st Sept. 1942.

C. H. PALMER (125371). (Seny. 31st Dec. 1941.)

R. B. CALDER (125356). (Seny. 5th Jan. 1942.)

E. J. CROALL (125357). (Seny. 6th Jan. 1942.)

H. C. HONEY (125359). (Seny. 24th Jan. 1942.)

R. G. YATES (125369). (Seny. 29th Jan. 1942.)

(Seny. 2nd Feb. 1942.)

C. J. W. BLACKETT (125370).

L. T. MILLER (125362).

(Seny. 3rd Feb. 1942.)

R. BURN (125355).

C. W. VAN DER VEEN (125368).

A. MACD. PARKINSON (125363). (Seny. 8th Feb. 1942.)

A. L. HUGHES (125360). (Seny. 7th Mar. 1942.)

22nd Sept. 1942.

C. H. TURLEY (125399). (Seny. 6th Jan. 1942.)

J. H. WITHERS (125396). (Seny. 1st Feb. 1942.)

H. W. WILSON (125398). (Seny. 3rd Feb. 1942.)

J. F. MOFFATT (125400). (Seny. 4th Feb. 1942.)

W. S. ASPLIN (125402). (Seny. 9th Feb. 1942.)

G. H. FIELD (125397). (Seny. 28th July 1942.)

W. F. TAYLOR (124970). (Seny. 3rd Aug. 1942.)

(Seny. 8th Aug. 1942.)

J. W. BENNETT (124968).

C. B. HUMPHRIES (124969).

R. T. R. TOMSETT (125401).

29th Sept. 1942.

J. W. DURRANT (125775). (Seny. 23rd Nov. 1941.)

(Seny. 11th Jan. 1942.)

R. C. V. CLARK (125925).

F. SLADE (125918).

H. C. PAPWORTH (125920). (Seny. 12th Jan. 1942.)

(Seny. 19th Jan. 1942.)

H. McCAIG (125922).

R. G. PARKER (125921).

W. STACEY (125786). (Seny. 24th Jan. 1942.)

M. M. ROSS-FIELD (125785). (Seny. 25th Jan. 1942.)

M. KISSEN (125769). (Seny. 3rd Feb. 1942.)

R. C. APPELEY (124988). (Seny. 5th Feb. 1942.)

E. C. GLYNN-MORRIS (125773). (Seny. 8th Feb. 1942.)

A. J. COOKE (125890). (Seny. 10th Feb. 1942.)

F. J. PEACOCK (124587). (Seny. 19th Apr. 1942.)

N. B. BEESE (125779). (Seny. 9th May 1942.)

H. D. CLIFFORD-TURNER (125782). (Seny. 16th May 1942.)

R. A. COLE (125774). (Seny. 22nd June 1942.)

G. W. YORK (125860). (Seny. 27th June 1942.)

(Seny. 11th July 1942.)

D. S. BUCHAN (125924).

F. E. THOMAS (125862).

W. M. BRADLEY (125783). (Seny. 14th July 1942.)

R. S. F. JEFFERIES (125794). (Seny. 20th July 1942.)

Actg. Plt. Off. (prob.) F. L. MORTON (123331) to be Plt. Off. (prob.) 23rd Aug. 1942. (Seny. 14th Jan. 1942.) (Subs. for notifi. 2nd Oct. 1942 (p. 4279, col. 2).)

The notifi. of 3rd July 1942 (p. 2929, col. 1) concerning Flt. Lt. J. D. G. KELLOCK (77413) is cancelled.

The notifi. of 2nd Oct. 1942 (p. 4279, col. 2) concerning Actg. Plt. Off. J. DAVEY (125813) is cancelled.

The notifi. of 7th Aug. 1942 (p. 3455, col. 1) concerning Actg. Plt. Off. (prob.) E. TIERNEY (121994) to be Plt. Off. (prob.) 27th July 1942. (Seny. 22nd June 1942) is cancelled. (Subs. for notifi. of 18th Sept. 1942 (p. 4067, col. 1).)

METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.

Flg. Offs. to be Flt. Lts. (tempy.):—

J. FIELD (73953). 1st Apr. 1942.

F. DAVIES (75596). 18th June 1942.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts. 20th Apr. 1942 and to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.). 4th July 1942:—

J. GRAY (64776).

J. ETCHILLS (64765).

Plt. Off. (prob.) M. C. RICHES (68660) confmd. in appt. 6th June 1942 and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.) 22nd Aug. 1942. (Seny. 18th July 1942.)

Plt. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts. 20th June 1942 and to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.) 5th Sept. 1942:—

J. T. O'MULLOY (69966).

F. W. ERBEN (100459). (Seny. 10th July 1942.)

Plt. Off. (prob.) H. D. SPACKMAN (103301) confmd. in appt. 1st Aug. 1942 and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.) 18th Sept. 1942.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts. 18th July 1942 and to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.) 18th Sept. 1942:—

T. A. STYLES (102249).

B. T. RILEY (101781). (Seny. 13th Aug. 1942.)

Plt. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts. 4th July 1942 and to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.) 19th Sept. 1942:—

C. E. FRANKLIN (101407).

C. J. KNIGHT (101412).

Sqn. Ldr. F. W. LANGFORD (77444) to be Wg. Cdr. (tempy.). 1st Sept. 1942.

Flg. Off. R. E. BONASS (78764) to be Flt. Lt. (tempy.). 1st June 1942.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

Plt. Off. (prob.) L. H. WALL (64238) confmd. in appt. 18th Apr. 1942 and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.) 21st June 1942. (Seny. 17th May 1942.)

Plt. Off. (prob.) L. G. HARRISON (104957) confmd. in appt. 20th June 1942 and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.). 22nd Aug. 1942. (Seny. 4th July 1942.)

Plt. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts. 11th July 1942 and to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.). 12th Sept. 1942:—

J. C. ALLEN (101421).

R. G. BARTON (101423).

J. N. GLEAVE (101432).

S. E. HEAVEN (101435).

J. A. HERRIES (101437).

E. A. HOW (101438).
 F. C. MACLEOD (101442).
 S. PRESTON (101447).
 W. W. TAIT (101451).
 K. M. JAMES (100960). (*Seny. 16th July 1942.*)
 J. B. LEWIS (100961). (*Seny. 1st Aug. 1942.*)

Plt. Off. J. C. MITTON (86481) is granted the rank of Flg. Off. (war subs.) 30th July 1941 and confmd. in appt. 14th Sept. 1941. (Subs. for notfn. of 19th May 1942 (p. 2188, col. 2).)

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Plt. Off. (prob.) W. H. R. DAVIS (86818) confmd. in appt. and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.) 7th Oct. 1941.

Plt. Off. (prob.) J. A. ROWAN (66679) confmd. in appt. 23rd May 1942 and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.) 13th June 1942. (*Seny. 24th Apr. 1942.*)

Flg. Offs. to be Flt. Lts. (tempy.). 1st Sept. 1942:—

G. N. HOLBY (78112).
 G. S. BAKER (82807).

AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Flg. Off. J. A. KILICK (90289) to be Flt. Lt. (tempy.). 1st Dec. 1941.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

Asst. Sec. Offs. (prob.) confmd. in appts. and to be Sec. Offs. (war subs.):—
 5th July 1942.

M. D. BEAR (2242).
 R. M. BRAITHWAITE (2202).
 D. J. ELDRIDGE (2254).
 M. L. DAVIES (2256).
 P. EVANS (2258).
 N. B. FINNIS (2259).
 M. FRAZIER (2247).
 Z. HICKS (2248).
 D. L. JARRETT (2250).
 P. D. LISTER (2261).
 O. F. ORDE (2263).
 S. G. MOORE (2252).
 J. M. MORRELL (2264).
 J. L. MUNRO (2265).
 M. C. R. PAYNE (2266).
 N. E. PLENDERLEITH (2267).
 A. M. PURVES (2268).
 H. A. SHUTER (2253).
 E. D. SWEENEY (2270).
 Z. B. TAYLOR (2271).

12th July 1942.

M. S. McA. GALBRAITH (2262).
 D. CAIN (2320).
 A. J. MARSH (2322).
 J. E. M. EDWARDS (2323).
 K. M. EVE (2324).
 J. E. FINCH (2325).
 F. M. FRASER (2326).
 E. M. HUGHES (2328).
 J. M. EARLE (2329).
 M. J. MICHAEL (2331).
 D. I. BELL (2333).
 V. W. E. OLIPHANT (2334).
 Y. RAVEN (2336).
 J. P. READ (2308).
 I. DERBYSHIRE (2337).
 B. F. WOODS (2338).

14th July 1942.

M. E. M. MOORE-STEVENS (2289).
 M. M. VAN-VEEN (2273).
 M. L. BUCHANAN (2274).
 E. W. CHARLTON (2290).
 M. M. TAPP (2291).
 A. B. HANCOCK (2339).
 M. J. DAVISON (2292).

E. FARNSWORTH (2341).
 N. L. FROST (2276).
 M. E. HAMILTON (2294).
 M. E. HASLAM (2342).
 H. B. HERRIN (2343).
 M. L. M. HEWITT (2344).
 L. HOLT (2295).
 A. K. MARTIN (2277).
 K. J. LANDRAY (2345).
 E. M. LAWSON (2278).
 G. K. LEWIS (2346).
 J. MACLEAN (2222).
 F. A. MARSHALL (2347).
 I. M. M. MASSINGHAM (2348).
 K. S. F. MASTERMAN (2279).
 V. MATTHEWS (2280).
 M. MacW. MOIR (2297).
 S. G. MOODY (2281).
 D. C. MYERS (2349).
 D. K. NICHOLSON (2298).
 M. W. PATRICK (2282).
 E. B. PICTON (2355).
 C. POTTER (2299).
 E. A. C. ROBSON (2283).
 J. ROWELL (2300).
 E. A. SKOULDING (2351).
 O. A. SMYTH (2301).
 D. M. STORRER (2358).
 M. A. V. TEMPERLEY (2285).
 M. W. THOMS (2286).
 C. E. TINSLEY (2352).
 J. A. TITMAN (2287).
 A. J. TWIGGE-MOLECEY (2353).
 M. BOASE (2354).
 J. M. WHITHAM (2356).

19th July 1942.

E. M. LOCKETT (2389).
 Z. L. POPE (2390).
 B. M. POLLITT (2391).
 W. REMINGTON (2392).
 S. D. SMITH (2394).
 A. E. WHITLOW (2396).

26th July 1942.

B. O. BALFOUR (2416).
 J. P. BURNETT (2417).
 K. W. CLARKE (2418).
 J. M. CLOUGH (2419).
 P. J. A. DALY (2421).
 F. M. ELLIOTT (2422).
 G. E. HOLCOMBE (2423).
 M. CALLEY (2415).

28th July 1942.

I. M. BAKER (2359).
 P. E. E. CARLEBACH (2403).
 F. M. CHADWICK (2360).
 D. M. COUPE (2361).
 M. E. E. CROZIER (2362).
 B. DAVID (2363).
 J. E. DAVISON (2364).
 M. P. DOWNES (2404).
 J. K. EWEN (2365).
 M. M. EWENS (2366).
 J. FENN (2405).
 D. J. GOODHART (2367).
 J. HEWETT (2369).
 M. P. HASLAM (2406). (Since resigned.)
 M. A. A. HAY (2407).
 P. P. HERROD (2408).
 A. B. HICKMAN (2370).
 Z. E. LAMB (2409).
 P. V. McCABE (2371).
 D. V. MARSH (2411).
 I. L. I. MAUD (2372).
 E. M. PACEY (2374).
 B. T. ROBINSON (2375).
 M. A. SALMOND (2376).
 M. E. SAVILLE (2412).
 M. L. H. SEALES (2377).

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