

Aus. 402941 Sergeant Clarence William Woods,  
Royal Australian Air Force, No. 214 Squadron.  
983117 Sergeant James Lawson Young, No. 207  
Squadron.

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

*Air Ministry, 6th November, 1942.*

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

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

H. D. LEA (47556). 12th July, 1942.  
R. CURTIS (46406). 2nd Aug. 1942.

13th Sept. 1942.

H. G. L. SAMBROOK (46663).  
W. R. TREVETHAN (46661).

C. J. K. ASH (46630). 17th Sept. 1942.  
E. P. COUGHLAN (47209). 24th Sept. 1942.

The undermentioned are granted the rank of Gp.  
Capt. (war subs.):—

Air Cdr. (tempy) H. S. P. WALMSLEY, O.B.E.,  
M.C., D.F.C. 16th Sept. 1942.

Gp. Capts. (tempy.):—

G. E. WILSON, O.B.E. 21st Sept. 1942.  
F. F. INGLIS. 24th Sept. 1942.

The undermentioned are granted the rank of  
Wg. Cdr. (war subs.):—

Gp. Capts (tempy.):—

A. F. BRITTON. 1st Sept. 1942.  
H. M. PEARSON. 17th Sept. 1942.

Wg. Cdrs. (tempy.):—

A. H. SIMMONDS (13172). 1st Sept. 1942.  
M. W. S. ROBINSON (26189). 7th Sept. 1942.  
J. N. H. WHITWORTH, D.S.O., D.F.C. (26249).  
16th Sept. 1942.

The undermentioned are granted the rank of  
Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.):—

Sqn. Ldrs. (tempy.):—  
N. KEEBLE, D.S.C., D.F.C. (02198) (Ret.). 30th  
June 1942.

R. M. B. D. DUKE-WOODLEY, D.F.C. (33241).  
3rd Sept. 1942.

T. M. HORGAN, D.F.C. (40114). 30th Sept. 1942.  
Flt. Lt. C. F. CURRANT, D.S.O., D.F.C. (43367).  
23rd Sept. 1942.

Flg. Offs. to be Flt Lts. (war subs.):—  
L. G. BULL, D.F.C. (43932). 13th June 1942.  
(*Seny.* 25th Apr. 1942.)

7th Sept. 1942. (*Seny.* 28th Aug. 1942.)

F. H. P. AUSTIN (45043).  
G. L. BARKER (44571).  
B. DOUTHWAITE (44928). 17th Sept. 1942.  
(*Seny.* 21st Aug. 1942.)  
R. WOLTON (45487). 30th Sept. 1942.  
E. R. ABBOTT, D.S.O., D.F.M. (44877). 25th  
Oct. 1942.

Plt. Off. H. N. WATNEY (2nd Lt. W. G'ds)  
(46706) to be Flg. Off. (war subs.) 23rd Aug. 1942.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. on prob. (war  
subs.) 1st Oct. 1942:—

C. D. POLLARD (46803).  
D. L. WALSH (46810).  
M. C. CLEARY, D.F.M. (46782).  
K. J. P. GRANGER (47487).  
H. G. A' COURT (46901).  
W. H. BOOTH (46923).  
P. K. BURLEY (46907).  
D. F. BUTT (46931).  
E. R. BUTTERWORTH (46908).  
H. A. BYFORD (46909).  
W. HAMMOND (46895).  
D. B. HUNT (46897).  
A. I. ISAACSON (46898).  
B. I. JAMIESON (46899).  
A. L. WARD (46838).  
G. A. BAYLISS (46780).  
W. S. KENT (46779).  
E. R. LEWENDON (46786).  
A. C. WILSON (46781).  
R. A. PEGLER (46785).  
J. M. BYRDE (46871).  
N. CROWE (46872).  
K. A. DARLEY (46873).  
P. H. DIMMOCK (46870).  
C. E. MOSS (47530).  
F. W. UPSHALL (46822).  
D. EVANS (47511).

P. S. A. FIELDING (46819).  
M. S. J. COOMBES (46930).  
H. ROBSON, D.F.M. (46935).  
E. J. STREET (47802).  
G. D. P. QUINN, D.F.M. (46955).  
R. B. MILES (47368).  
K. H. REYNOLDS (47261).  
J. SLATER (47076).  
M. G. WAKEFIELD (47482).  
H. R. BARRAND (47037).  
H. CAIRNS (46969).  
I. W. HARRIS (46927).  
H. JEPSON (46929).  
V. G. J. PHILLIPS (46925).  
K. L. BOON (46959).  
R. J. BROUGHTON (46966).  
A. H. CROWE (47040).  
G. A. SINCLAIR (47034).  
E. T. JOHN (47024).  
C. H. MAXWELL (47934).  
B. G. F. PAYNE (47285).  
J. E. HANSON, D.F.M. (46968).  
R. A. STUDD, A.F.C. (47188).  
H. W. TAYLOR (47000).  
R. D. TREVOR-ROPER (47354).  
T. H. HAYTER (47038).  
A. R. D. MACONOCHE (47418).  
J. A. SAUNT (47053).  
D. A. BOWERS (47510).  
H. T. C. HOWE (47875).

The notfn. of 14th Aug. 1942 (p. 3558, col. 1)  
concerning Flt. Lt. W. M. COLLINS, D.F.C.  
(43848) is cancelled and the notfn. of 30th June  
1942 (p. 2877, col. 1) remains effective.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Plt. Off. (prob.) J. F. CARTWRIGHT (45771)  
confmd. in appt. and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.).  
19th May 1942. (*Seny.* 17th Apr. 1942.)

Plt. Off. (prob.) J. R. FITZMAURICE (46041)  
confmd. in appt. and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.).  
5th July 1942. (*Seny.* 17th June 1942.)

Plt. Off. (prob.) C. H. LANG (46147) confmd. in  
appt. and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.). 14th July  
1942. (*Seny.* 12th June 1942.)

Plt. Off. (prob.) S. F. MANSFIELD (46148)  
confmd. in appt. and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.).  
15th July 1942. (*Seny.* 20th June 1942.)

Plt. Off. (prob.) R. C. CROSBIE (46633) confmd.  
in appt. 13th June 1942 and to be Flg. Off. (war  
subs.). 13th July 1942. (*Seny.* 27th June 1942.)

Plt. Off. (prob.) D. J. ELLERY (45856) confmd.  
in appt. 30th May 1942 and to be Flg. Off. (war  
subs.). 2nd Aug. 1942. (*Seny.* 24th Mar. 1942.)

Plt. Off. (prob.) H. W. PICKERING (46245)  
confmd. in appt. 25th July 1942 and to be Flg.  
Off. (war subs.). 25th Sept. 1942. (*Seny.* 18th  
Aug. 1942.)

Plt. Off. (prob.) E. F. OCKENDEN (45772) to be  
Flg. Off. on prob. (war subs.) 15th Mar. 1942 and  
confmd. in appt. 5th May 1942.

(Subs. for notfn. of 26th May 1942 (p. 2294,  
col. 2).)

The undermentioned are granted the rank of  
Wg. Cdr. (war subs.):—

Gp. Capt. (tempy.) L. R. S. FREESTONE, O.B.E.  
2nd Sept. 1942.

Wg. Cdr. (tempy.) W. P. G. PRETTY, O.B.E.  
(26163). 23rd Sept. 1942.

The undermentioned are granted the rank of  
Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.):—

Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.) W. R. HEYWOOD (13090).  
8th Sept. 1942.

Flt. Lt. J. E. BROWN, A.F.M. (35253). 22nd  
Sept. 1942.

Flt. Lts. (tempy.) granted the rank of Flt. Lt.  
(war subs.):—

H. R. CROWLEY (42971). 1st Sept. 1942.  
R. L. BLOODWORTH (43579). 8th Sept. 1942.

S. W. BRYNE (43214). 13th Sept. 1942.  
W. J. WALKER (44991). 16th Sept. 1942.

F. D. CLARKE (44003). 18th Sept. 1942.  
K. A. MUMMERY (43300). 22nd Sept. 1942.

F. LORD (43503). 27th Sept. 1942.

Flg. Offs. to be Flt. Lts. (tempy.):—  
E. HEARL (44908). 1st June 1942.

1st Sept. 1942. (*Seny.* 1st June 1942.)  
G. S. W. KERSLAKE (44439).

T. S. C. STEAD (43577).  
1st Sept. 1942.

E. A. KEEBLE (47548).  
H. C. RANDALL, A.F.C. (43953).