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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 Flying Cross.

Flight Lieutenant Derrick John D'ALTON (77206), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 178 Squadron.

This officer has taken part in numerous operational missions, many of them in the Middle East. As gunnery officer his work has been outstanding, while his keenness to participate in operations whenever possible has set an excellent example. On one occasion, over Benghazi, his aircraft was attacked by enemy fighters. Two of the bomber's engines were put out of action, while the hydraulic and the intercommunication gear were rendered unserviceable. Displaying great coolness, Flight Lieutenant D'Alton gave his captain evading directions which enabled him to fly clear of the attackers. On the homeward flight, about an hour later, the aircraft was attacked by another enemy fighter. Once more, Flight Lieutenant D'Alton's commentary on the attacker's movements enabled his pilot to evade the fighter and fly on to base. This officer has always displayed great technical skill. He has suggested tactics in gunnery and formation flying which have been adopted and have resulted in the destruction of at least 7 enemy fighters.

Flight Lieutenant Phillip Addington WILLATT (42037), No. 178 Squadron.

Flight Lieutenant Willatt has completed many sorties, including a number of attacks on targets in Germany, Norway and Northern France. He has invariably displayed the greatest determination to press home his attack whatever the opposition. One day in October, 1942, he flew the leading aircraft of a bomber formation detailed to attack an enemy convoy. When nearing the target, an enemy fighter force was encountered and beaten off, 1 of the fighters being shot down. Flight Lieutenant Willatt led his formation in to attack the convoy but, in the run-up, his bombs failed to release. Unperturbed, he made a second and then a third run over the target before he released his bombs successfully. His courageous example and outstanding devotion to duty have been worthy of high praise.

Acting Flight Lieutenant William Humphrey JONES (80625), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 7 Squadron.

In February, 1943, this officer was the navigator of the leading aircraft of a bomber force detailed to attack Bremen. Whilst over the city, just as the bombs were released, his aircraft was

subjected to heavy and concentrated fire from the ground defences. Flight Lieutenant Jones was wounded in the cheek but, although in obvious pain, continued his navigational duties, setting courses for the homeward flight. By the time the coast was reached, Flight Lieutenant Jones had lost much blood but he refused to leave his post until the aircraft was landed at base. This officer has participated in 41 sorties and has invariably displayed great courage, skill and determination.

Acting Flight Lieutenant James Scott TANNAHILL (63847), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 178 Squadron.

This officer has participated in many sorties, a number of them with his present squadron. He has attacked Tobruk and Benghazi several times and always pressed home his bombing with great determination. As well as operations against Tripoli, Sousse and Naples, Flight Lieutenant Tannahill has completed many sorties against shipping in the Mediterranean. On 1 occasion he attacked shipping in the harbour at Suda Bay with good results.

Flying Officer Andrew Patrick MILLAR (88865), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 20 Squadron.

This officer has undertaken 31 operational missions, including many reconnaissances over the enemy's forward positions. These were invariably over dense jungle country and, to obtain information, Flying Officer Millar had to fly at tree top height, thus being exposed to enemy small arms fire at short range. In addition he has completed a number of general photographic reconnaissances which involved flying for long periods over the enemy's positions. This officer, who has displayed great courage and determination, has often obtained valuable information.

Pilot Officer Elliss Trevor WARE (123618), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 35 Squadron.

One night in February, 1943, this officer captained an aircraft detailed to attack Lorient. During the outward flight, whilst crossing the French coast, one of the starboard engines failed. Despite this, Pilot Officer Ware continued his mission. When nearing the target area one of the port engines showed signs of over-heating, but he flew on to the target and bombed it. Afterwards, Pilot Officer Ware flew the bomber back to base on 3 engines, having skilfully controlled the over-heated engine. This officer displayed great skill and determination in completing his task successfully under difficult circumstances.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Flying Officer Lindsay Johnston DRUMMOND (N.Z. 413043), Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 149 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

N.Z.405487 Flight Sergeant William Leonard HARVEY, Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 149 Squadron.

One night in February, 1943, Flying Officer Drummond and Flight Sergeant Harvey were captain and wireless operator respectively of an aircraft detailed for a mine-laying mission in an area close in to shore. During the run-in, the aircraft was subjected to considerable searchlight activity and intense opposing fire which raked the bomber from front to rear. Much damage was sustained and three of the crew were hit, including Flight Sergeant Harvey, who suffered a deep wound in the head. Despite this, Flying Officer Drummond held on his course and released his mines exactly as planned. On the return flight, Flight Sergeant Harvey, although in pain and bleeding profusely, remained at his post, continuing his duties. He obtained a number of fixes and bearings which proved of great assistance to his captain who eventually flew the badly damaged aircraft to base. Both these members of aircraft crew, who have completed many sorties, have always displayed great determination, skill and devotion to duty.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

937265 Flight Sergeant John Eric James WATERHOUSE, No. 178 Squadron.

Flight Sergeant Waterhouse has taken part in numerous sorties, some of which were completed in daylight. In September, 1942, following an attack on shipping, his aircraft was attacked by enemy aircraft. In the ensuing engagement, Flight Sergeant Waterhouse gave his captain clear evading directions while his skilful control of the aircraft's fire power enabled its gunners to beat off 8 attacks. One day in October, 1942, he flew in the leading aircraft of a bomber formation which attacked a convoy. The formation was attacked by enemy fighters before and after bombing the target. During the fights, Flight Sergeant Waterhouse displayed great confidence, directing the fire of the formation with skill. In all, 9 attacks were beaten off and 1 enemy aircraft shot down. Some days later, this airman's excellent work contributed materially to the safety of his aircraft when it was subjected to enemy fighter attacks. Flight Sergeant Waterhouse has displayed courage, skill and determination of a high order.

1198328 Sergeant Ronald Dennis MILNER, No. 226 Squadron.

In January, 1943, this airman was the air gunner of one of a formation of Boston aircraft detailed to attack a target at Flushing. During the operation heavy anti-aircraft fire and much fighter opposition were encountered. Observing a Messerschmitt 109 flying in to attack from the rear and below the formation, Sergeant Milner coolly withheld his fire until the attacker came within closer range. Then, with a well directed burst, he shot it down in flames. Four days later, this airman took part in a bombing attack on the viaduct at Morlaix. On the return flight, near the French coast, the formation was attacked by a number of enemy fighters. During the engagement, Sergeant Milner displayed great skill and determination and played a large part in frustrating the enemy's attacks. His conduct was worthy of high praise.

Air Ministry, 16th March, 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

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

Distinguished Service Order.

Wing Commander Richard Charles Marler COLLARD, D.F.C. (32121), No. 12 Squadron, *awarded with effect from 18th August, 1942.*

Acting Squadron Leader Eric Bathurst PANTER, D.F.C. (42521), No. 70 Squadron, *awarded with effect from 15th August, 1942.*

Bar to Distinguished Flying Cross.

Acting Group Captain John Charles MACDONALD, D.F.C., A.F.C., No. 15 Squadron, *awarded with effect from 15th June, 1942.*

Flying Officer Henry Ronald BAILEY, D.F.C. (48547), No. 95 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Squadron Leader Charles Lealand OLSSON (37635), Reserve of Air Force Officers, No. 142 Squadron, *awarded with effect from 20th July, 1942.*

Acting Squadron Leader William Andrew ANDERSON (Can/C.1099), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 407 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron (deceased), *awarded with effect from 15th December, 1941.*

Major John Loch HEWITSA (102733), South African Air Force, No. 5 (S.A.A.F.) Squadron, *awarded with effect from 2nd June, 1942.*

Flight Lieutenant John Frank DAVIS (78867), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 95 Squadron.

Flight Lieutenant John Leslie NUNN (74685), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 97 Squadron, *awarded with effect from 9th September, 1942.*

Flight Lieutenant John Edwin Ashley WILLIAMS (40652), No. 450 Squadron, *awarded with effect from 23rd September, 1942.*

Acting Flight Lieutenant Edward Donald BAKER (Can/J.5060), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 214 Squadron (deceased), *awarded with effect from 30th March, 1942.*

Acting Flight Lieutenant Anthony Golding BIRD (119122), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 268 Squadron.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Thomas Hugh Evelyn GOLDIE (60116), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 200 Squadron.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Michael John GRAY (106182), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 168 Squadron.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Clifford George MARSHALL (61223), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 95 Squadron.

Flying Officer Herbert Lindsay COONS (Can/J.5083), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 95 Squadron.

Flying Officer Ronald Jack COOPER (43281), No. 38 Squadron (deceased), *awarded with effect from 28th October, 1941.*

Flying Officer Bertram John Fyson (83301), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 103 Squadron (deceased), *awarded with effect from 21st March, 1942.*

Flying Officer Lionel Abel John MILLS (79190), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 7 Squadron (deceased), *awarded with effect from 26th August, 1941.*

Acting Flying Officer Norman Edward WINCH (66533), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 7 Squadron, *awarded with effect from 14th May, 1942.*

Pilot Officer John Alan WORSWICK (116145), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 106 Squadron (deceased), *awarded with effect from 24th May, 1942.*

Distinguished Flying Medal.

N.Z.405267 Flight Sergeant John David Monroe HERRON, Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 207 Squadron, *awarded with effect from 31st October, 1942.*

628707 Flight Sergeant William James McLEAN, No. 103 Squadron, *awarded with effect from 2nd September, 1942.*

623718 Sergeant John Hemphill STEWART, No. 95 Squadron.

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

Air Ministry, 16th March, 1943.

AWARD OF A FOREIGN DECORATION.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The KING has granted unrestricted permission for the wearing of the undermentioned decoration, conferred on the officer indicated, in recognition of valuable services rendered in connection with the war:—

CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF NORWAY.

War Medal.

Wing Commander Howard Bertram JOHNSON, D.F.C. (37182).

Air Ministry, 16th March, 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Wt. Offs.

565367 Kenneth Fraser EDWARDS (50968), 17th Sept. 1942.

528835 Stanley Henry Ernest MERRY (50967). 28th Sept. 1942.

580092 Edward MARSHALL (50950). 17th Nov. 1942.

25th Nov. 1942.

565646 Harold Norman NORRIS (50964).

565788 Raymond Harrison STEPHENSON (50899).

518318 Elijah WHALLEY (50999). 6th Jan. 1943.

563586 William STRUCKEY (51042). 19th Jan. 1943.

Tempy. Wt. Offs.

14th Dec. 1942.

564057 Frederick William BROWN, D.F.M. (50966).

515644 Ian MACKENZIE, A.F.C. (50965).

Flt. Sgts.

550795 Harold LANNING (50995). 24th Sept. 1942.

543158 Henry George BULLEN (51039). 31st Dec. 1942.

549957 Claude Henry HAYWOOD, D.F.M. (51041). 1st Jan. 1943.

551766 Albert William SIMMONDS (51035). 14th Jan. 1943.

639386 Stanley TAGG, D.F.M. (51037). 18th Jan. 1943.

Sgts.

533883 Sinclair Melville DAVIDSON (50854). 7th Aug. 1942.

520675 George Thomas PRATLEY (50884). 1st Sept. 1942.

552841 Kenneth Trevor GARNETT (50979). 30th Oct. 1942.

512601 Edward William John PEIRCE (50526). 4th Dec. 1942.

651441 James Bernard TRUE (50285). 5th Dec. 1942.

567463 Robert Thornley BOWRING (50529). 13th Dec. 1942.

16th Dec. 1942.

569755 Stanley Charles EVANS (50527).

624191 Robert Scott MELDRUM (51052).

648781 Robert WALTON (51040). 18th Dec. 1942.

634481 William John SLATER (50613). 2nd Jan. 1943.

570592 Albert Bloomer SCHOLEY (50978). 23rd Jan. 1943.

Cpl.

570412 Charles Burness WATT (50233). 12th Dec. 1942.

Ldg. Acn.

4th Dec. 1942.

536550 Walter MASSEY (50525).

547869 Albert Edward THOMAS (50556).

13th Dec. 1942.

544633 Roland Louis BURTON (50530).

520494 Wilfred Herbert SHEPHARD (50528).

Air Cdres. to be Actg. Air Vice-Mshs.:—

A. H. ORLEBAR, C.B.E., A.F.C. 1st Mar. 1943.

E. A. B. RICE, C.B.E., M.C. 24th Feb. 1943.

R. HARRISON, C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. 27th

Feb. 1943.

Flt. Lts. transfd. to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. of the R.A.F.O. and retained on the active list under K.R. and A.C.I. para. 3543. 6th Feb. 1943:—

J. D. FORD (41917).

P. T. PATENALL (41948).

D. N. STATHERS (41961).

Wg. Cdr. L. W. B. REES, V.C., O.B.E., M.C., A.F.C. (01100) resumes the rank of Gp. Capt. on reverting to the ret'd. list. 21st Nov. 1942.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Flt. Lt. A. W. DARNELL (44892) is dismissed the Service by sentence of General Court-Martial. 14th Jan. 1943.

BALLOON BRANCH.

Flt. Lt. W. H. SWEET (43241) takes rank and precedence as if his appt. as Flt. Lt. bore date 1st Jan. 1943. Reduction to take effect from 13th Jan. 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

To be Flg. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—

Wt. Offs.

241469 Reginald Frank BODY (49928). 2nd Nov. 1942.

330835 Albert George ALLEN (50003). 16th Nov. 1942.

345595 Thomas SMITH (50045). 6th Dec. 1942.

343437 Arthur Leonard WOODS (50472). 11th Dec. 1942.

352700 William Samuel Charles CRIGHTON (50280). 4th Jan. 1943.

328416 Jack Thomas TERRY (50622). 5th Jan. 1943.

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Wt. Offs.

510347 Cecil Charles HOWARD (49709). 24th Sept. 1942.

513337 Peter Robert Gibson LYNCH (49976). 30th Oct. 1942.

510996 William MOORE (50177). 4th Dec. 1942.

Actg. Wt. Offs.

521442 Harold PASCOE (50227). 28th Nov. 1942.

590967 Leonard Willis STAVERS (50533). 22nd Dec. 1942.

Flt. Sgts.

364255 Arthur Leonard SIMPSON (49918). 26th Oct. 1942.

362795 Donald Frank Charles BRACKEN (49975). 5th Nov. 1942.

591235 Ronald CHURCH (50273). 10th Dec. 1942.

545470 Charles Percival LAKE (50491). 3rd Jan. 1943.

To be Actg. Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Wt. Off.

510752 Clarence Leslie George PUNCHER (49911). 31st Oct. 1942.

Cpl.

871600 Samuel Albert Hamer TOWNHILL (49912). 8th Nov. 1942.

Flg. Offs. (prob.) transfd. to the Tech. Br.:—

A. MANLEY (46385). 29th Dec. 1942. (*Seny.* 30th Aug. 1942.)

A. J. FLAKE (48017). 11th Feb. 1943.

Flg. Off. (prob.) G. E. ODELL (46380) is transfd. to the Tech. Br. 29th Dec. 1942. (*Seny.* 3rd Sept. 1942.)

(Subs. for notifn. of 9th Feb. 1943 (p. 703, col. 2.))

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

To be Flg. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Wt. Offs.

356080 Harold Victor REDMAN (49717). 21st Oct. 1942.

356940 Douglas John CUMMINGS (50095). 5th Dec. 1942.

348206 Daniel Havard WILLIAMS (50271). 16th Dec. 1942.

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Wt. Off.

514857 William James SPICER (50215). 27th Nov. 1942.

Flt. Sgts.

511112 Gerald Lorenzo HALLIWELL (50454). 22nd Dec. 1942.

517071 Fred STOTT (50456). 12th Jan. 1943.

Sgt.

544194 Alan Francis WAIT (49930). 29th Oct. 1942.

Cpls.

641736 David Marshall DAVIDSON (49692). 30th Sept. 1942.

862599 Edward George WRAY. (49718). 14th Dec. 1942.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—

Wt. Off.

514601 Lewis Wolstenholme BRENNAN (50267). 17th Dec. 1942.

Flt. Sgt.

625068 Raymond Phillip NORRIS (49805). 21st Oct. 1942.

Actg. Flt. Sgts.

591212 Jack Rogers WRIGHT (49932). 12th Nov. 1942.

539422 Archibald Montgomery CAMPBELL (49807). 9th Dec. 1942.

Sgt.

637483 George Alfred HARRISON (50270). 17th Dec. 1942.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency). 10th Dec. 1942:—

Flt. Sgt.

518163 William John EDDY (50449).

Sgts.

538731 Stanley James MEATYARD (50451).

544173 Victor Ernest William POPE (50453).

546545 Phillip Charles RUDD (50452).

Cpl.

629754 Archibald Warren EEKHOUT (50450).

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Sqn. Ldr. D. B. HOBSON (37736) ceases to be seconded for special duty. 7th Feb. 1943.
 Flt. Lt. A. G. DAVIES (40806) takes rank and precedence as if his appt. as Flt. Lt. bore date 3rd Dec. 1941. Reduction to take effect from 6th Nov. 1942.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Wg. Cdr. R. W. HASE (37229) is transfd. to the Gen. Duties Br. 20th Dec. 1942.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Collis William EVANS to be Air Cdre. in class CC. 12th Feb. 1943.

To be Wg. Cdrs. in class CC:—

Air Ch. Mshl. Sir Charles S. BURNETT, K.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O. (R.A.F. Ret.). 2nd Feb. 1943.
 Reginald Charles PEARCE. 17th Feb. 1943.

Rowland Edward HILL to be Sqn. Ldr. in class CC. 24th Feb. 1943.

To be Flt. Lts. in class CC:—

Arthur Archibald HILL. 17th Feb. 1943.
 Dick Edward MAIDWELL. 18th Feb. 1943.

24th Feb. 1943.

Noel Henry Ambrose MORTLOCK.
 Frank Edward POSTLETHWAITE.

To be Plt. Offs. in class CC:—

Ernest Thomas William POWELL. 17th Feb. 1943.

24th Feb. 1943.

John Edward BLUNDEN.
 William Frederick CLEMETTS.
 Thomas Joseph Edwin GREEN.

Plt. Offs. relinquish their commns. in class CC. on appt. to emergency commns. in the R.A.F.V.R. 17th Nov. 1942:—

L. H. BAKER.
 F. J. BROCK.
 N. S. CLARK.
 E. R. FORWARD.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

To be Plt. Off. (emergency):—

Richard Geddes JELLARD (127516). 16th May 1942.

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
 Wt. Offs.

928616 Robert Alfred MILLER (139422). 15th Jan. 1943.
 992773 Albert EASTWOOD (139391). 19th Jan. 1943.

Tempy. Wt. Off.

904991 Lionel Harry SUCH (139279). 22nd Sept. 1942.

Flt. Sgts.

16th June 1942.

906097 William Bryan HENN (137301).
 1150944 Frank George RUDDUCK (137300).

1057289 David Price BOWIE (137299). 23rd June 1942.

1333909 Philip Allan DISNEY (139616). 3rd Oct. 1942.

1066787 Marcus Adrian GRAHAM (137439). 18th Oct. 1942.

1289631 Frank Arthur TERRY (139509). 10th Nov. 1942.

1105936 William Boath DOIG (137447). 22nd Nov. 1942.

924898 Douglas Gerald FARQUHAR (139615). 23rd Nov. 1942.

943001 Fred Dundas BROWN (139396). 30th Nov. 1942.

1262819 Herbert John GREEN (139499). 12th Dec. 1942.

800684 Gordon FARMER (139218). 13th Dec. 1942.

751134 Walter Henry MOTT (139388). 14th Dec. 1942.

1190611 Leslie William HICKMAN (139508). 18th Dec. 1942.

747779 Howard SPENCER (139384). 22nd Dec. 1942.

1105817 Gordon Ernest WINSKILL (139416). 29th Dec. 1942.

1104544 Alan CRABTREE (139494). 30th Dec. 1942.

1177131 John Maxwell Wanehope LLOYD (139274). 31st Dec. 1942.

818184 Hubert William Howe MORTON (139401). 5th Jan. 1943.

6th Jan. 1943.

655424 George Daykin COCKBONE (139493).

1188355 Geoffrey Winston WOODWARD (139497).

1253797 Cyril Edward Oliver JONES (139393). 7th Jan. 1943.

1019199 David Lawrie SHIELD (139495). 8th Jan. 1943.

14th Jan. 1943.

904048 Leslie Frank HIGGINS (139405).

755204 Arthur William SUMMERS. D.F.M. (139390).

966021 James WALKER (139426).

1375246 Gerald Arthur WEST (139516).

16th Jan. 1943.

1184059 Antony Frederick LEAR (139408).

1255581 Reginald Henry William HARRIS (139517).

1160923 Harold Herbert LADBROOK (139394). 21st Jan. 1943.

1387900 Bernard Robert SCHRODER (139383). 29th Dec. 1942.

Tempy. Flt. Sgts.

1101592 Edward John MOSTYN (139280). 23rd Oct. 1942.

1249609 Maurice William FRITH (139278). 1st Jan. 1943.

Sgts.

967895 Robert Burton SKELLON (137527). 28th Aug. 1942.

1265397 William Francis BURKE (137445). 1st Sept. 1942.

6th Sept. 1942.

1125839 Gunnar Christensen EGEJERG (138883).

918870 Ernest Victor Brooke STRANGE (134041). 12th Sept. 1942.

1378509 Michael TUCKWELL (137297). 28th Sept. 1942.

1199442 Bernard POYSER (139417). 23rd Oct. 1942.

1183367 Michael Lawrence LAWRENCE-SMITH (139271). 31st Oct. 1942.

1381081 Lionel Georges ROLLS HUTT (137438). 4th Nov. 1942.

1270229 John GOLDCROWN (139496). 7th Nov. 1942.

922428 Richard Arthur LOCATELLI (139512). 10th Nov. 1942.

1287353 Mark Reicher ROYDE (139421). 23rd Nov. 1942.

993187 Donald McCLELLAND (139420). 24th Nov. 1942.

1317470 John WOOD (139514). 28th Nov. 1942.

1113649 James DAVIDSON (139387). 2nd Dec. 1942.

1332209 Derek Colin FOWLER, D.F.M. (139272). 9th Dec. 1942.

10th Dec. 1942.

1383885 Arthur Wilfrid LANE (139406).

1150863 William Ward DOY (139389).

908870 Reginald Louis Arthur WOOLGAR (139398). 17th Dec. 1942.

992757 John Kenneth HASSALL (136879). 18th Dec. 1942.

844979 Frederick Ernest George CARMICHAEL (139386). 20th Dec. 1942.

1289054 Vivian Edward LONG (137294). 21st Dec. 1942.

659168 Alexander Robb STEPHENSON (139506). 27th Dec. 1942.

28th Dec. 1942.

1387511 John Louis GOLDBY (139407).

656541 William Thompson MACDONALD (139399).

1123755 Thomas John MCARTHUR (139410). 30th Dec. 1942.

974095 Gordon CAMPBELL (139404). 31st Dec. 1942.

2nd Jan. 1943.

1290670 Dennis Henry DAVY (139507).

1121310 Jeffrey LEES (139385).

981299 James Mellon TRAYNOR (139400). 3rd Jan. 1943.

4th Jan. 1943.

1391426 Jonathan NORTH (139423).

1388218 Harold STEVENS (139415).

1383221 Harold Edward WALMSLEY (139425).

1238685 John Arundel COLLIS (139277).
 1188590 Cecil MILLER (139409). 13th Jan. 1943.
 14th Jan. 1943.
 977332 Kenneth Douglas GODDARD (139402).
 943608 Harold Stanley Leonard Terry NORCROSS (139403).
 1283764 Raymond Lees YARWOOD (139500).
 18th Jan. 1943.

20th Jan. 1943.
 1332594 William LEWIS (139418).
 1004994 Stanley Albert HURLEY (139392).
 1551145 Norman POOLE (139395).
 915372 Eric Edward Clifford GOODMAN (139381).
 23rd Jan. 1943.
 1386546 Robert Charles FLATT (139424).
 1098279 Albert CARR (139490).
 1334679 Edward Frederick George MILLS (139505).

25th Jan. 1943.
 1081073 Walter Barnes ALLISON (139515).
 1368749 Alexander IRVINE (139513).
 1115845 Joseph Godfrey BROWN (139397).

Cpls.

659062 William Howe NEWMAN (135625). 4th Dec. 1942.

13th Dec. 1942.
 658932 Arnold William ASHFORD (135712).
 908756 John Spencer RIVAZ (135703).
 658982 Gerald Arthur WINTER (135691). 16th Dec. 1942.
 924238 Ronald Walter Francis CHIFNEY (136880).
 18th Dec. 1942.

Ldg. Acms.

19th June 1942.
 658637 George Ronald BIRNIE (125160).
 658603 John JOHNSTONE (125156).

25th Sept. 1942.
 1294783 Peter Raymond BASSETT (131015).
 1386817 Francis Seymour HURNDALL (130617).
 925683 Percival Maurice WROATH (130310). 3rd Oct. 1942.

9th Oct. 1942.
 1043378 Edward Norman BILLINGTON (131956).
 658652 Frederick BUTLER (131971).

23rd Oct. 1942.
 1507035 Jack BOWSKILL (133109).
 1435172 William MCGURGAN (133112).
 1577188 Eric Charles REED (133103).
 1320371 George William BROUGHTON (132879).
 1423651 Peter Morris WILLIAMS (132808).
 1206772 Kenneth Wilfred ARMSTRONG (132709).
 1348989 David Carmichael BLAIR (132955).
 1145412 Michael MULLIGAN (132954).
 1388618 Wilfred Gordon COOPER (132957).
 1345215 James Terris BROWN (132961).
 1337925 David Neil Allen GRIFFIN (132959).
 1331838 Derrick Lionel Paul JUSTICE (132953).

6th Nov. 1942.
 1497497 Ernest HEATON (133645).
 1312078 Eric Raymond PRICE (134664).
 1450339 James Gunn WILSON (134132). 10th Nov. 1942.

20th Nov. 1942.
 1386183 Robert AVERY (134532).
 1375348 Frederick William BENNETT (134689).
 1322228 Kenneth Charles BRIGG (135431).
 1320805 Ronald Arthur BLACKWELL (134678).
 620514 Kenneth Green HARRIS (134726).
 1349753 John IRVINE (137614).
 1231025 Peter Henry PADDON (134547).
 1315239 Frederick Joseph PAYNE (135041).
 1142164 Thomas Liddle HILDREW (134369).
 28th Nov. 1942.

4th Dec. 1942.
 907866 Jack Alexander GOODRUM (135617).
 1577208 John George GUNNELL (135649).
 1317703 Harry JAMES (135676).
 1315022 Bryan Lawson PURSER (135665).
 657768 George SALTER (135680).
 1454391 Eric Dickinson SKITT (135632).

12th Dec. 1942.
 1386874 Frank Douglas CHALKLEY (134178).
 1321386 Percy George DAVIS (134179).
 1577987 Arthur William DODD (134177).
 1576453 Lancelot Benjamin Albert ELIAS (134167).
 1258381 Mervyn Edmunds PRICE (134168).
 659122 William George Leopold SNOWDEN (134169).

13th Dec. 1942.
 1321290 Robin Chatten ANDERSON (135731).
 1391475 Kenneth ARCHER (135732).
 658967 John Joseph DOYLE (135735).
 1059260 Hugh GRAY (135730).
 1231495 John Hind HAMER (135736).
 1451668 Arthur HAWKER (135734).
 1394518 John Henry HEDGER (135738).
 1392265 Leslie Ernest LAWS (135737).
 1337296 Raymond LE CUDENEC (135733).
 1481013 George Gerald MAHAFFY (135739).
 1577141 William George BARNES (135727).
 1391367 Leonard Douglas CLAY (135718).
 1321091 Arthur William CULF (135717).
 1554317 Norman HARLAND (135723).
 1576248 John LILLEY (135729).
 1553649 David Murray KERR (135719).
 1535228 Ronald Frederick MOORE (135721).
 1393045 Edward George MOORES (135728).
 1457707 Harold Stanley PRIEST (135726).
 1215438 Francis Reginald RANDALL (135720).
 1553640 Stanley Lowdon SIEVWRIGHT (135724).
 1335654 Wilfrid Jack STAMMERS (135725).
 995424 Edward STEPHENSON (135722).
 1386862 Kenneth Alfred James BATTERBY (135713).
 1321419 John Edward Vergette BAXTER (135714).
 1576038 Michael James BEETHAM (135704).
 910487 John Humphrey Curwin COCKTON (135715).
 659035 William DAVIES (135716).
 1334649 John Cherry INKSON (135705).
 658954 Douglas Baxter MILLAR (135708).
 658937 Robert Douglas PRICE (135707).
 1247528 William John Donald REYNOLDS (135710).
 1337682 William Thomson SMITH (135706).
 1550767 Ian TAYLOR (135709).
 1397026 John Gordon TAYLOR (135702).
 658946 David Ernest WILLS (135711).

16th Dec. 1942.
 1336213 Reginald Victor BABB (135696).
 1435649 Eric Charles BISHOP (135692).
 1532033 Cecil CAMERON (135697).
 1393061 Peter Molacre DILLON (135700).
 1318589 Fred HODGE (135701).
 1334004 John Richard LATOUR-EPPY (135693).
 1534285 John Hickson Gordon MORTARTY (135694).
 1348901 Thomas McALPINE (135690).
 1552262 James Alexander PATERSON (135695).
 1322734 Alan Miller POCOCK (135698).
 1577058 Ian Reginald PONSFORD (135689).
 1342502 James WALLACE (135688).

18th Dec. 1942.
 1575332 Donald Ernest BRAYBROOK (136886).
 1434387 Harold Henry CHADWICK (136882).
 1337752 Harry Mark ETHERINGTON (136881).
 1335416 Ronald Norman FAULKNER (136885).
 1319185 Albert William GADD (136884).
 1454349 Norman Ernest HAWKRIDGE (136883).
 1504287 William Albert MCKENNA (136887).
 1048163 George Brian POAD (136891).
 1383529 Charles Benjamin REYNOLDS (136894).
 1314911 Wilfred Tasman SHANNON (136889).
 1553431 James Park WOOD (136888).

19th Dec. 1942.
 1338073 Stanley Edgar FIELDGATE (135099).
 1176801 John Stephen MORGAN (135101).

22nd Dec. 1942.
 906820 Cyril Govier PASCOE (135779).
 1578656 John Lewis WALKER (135861).

23rd Dec. 1942.
 1128431 John Alfred BEE (136819).
 658795 Joseph William CAMPBELL (136820).
 1396895 John Arthur DUTTON (136823).
 1319731 Cecil Aspland NICHOLLS (136821).
 1330050 William RICHARDSON (136822).

1311342 Arthur George SHELDON (136486). 1st Jan. 1943.

To be transfd. to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br.:—

Flt. Lt. N. G. HITCH (88203). 3rd Mar. 1943.
 Flg. Offs.:—

22nd Feb. 1943.
 R. W. ALLWRIGHT (66004).
 A. J. DOWNING (67696).

25th Feb. 1943.
 A. C. CONS (116533).
 D. W. RICHMOND (119265).
 H. R. MECHAN (83978). 26th Feb. 1943.

Plt. Offs.:—

G. H. EVERETT (128504). 19th Feb. 1943.
G. DICKINSON (106180). 22nd Feb. 1943.

To relinquish their commns. on account of ill-health:—

Plt. Off. E. HARRISON (129639). 4th Mar. 1943.
Plt. Off. (prob.) W. H. ADAMS (127112). 9th Mar. 1943.
Plt. Off. J. H. GOLCHER (126558). 16th Mar. 1943.
Actg. Plt. Off. J. G. TAIT (70660). 7th Mar. 1943.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

To be Actg. Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency). 10th Feb. 1943:—

James Thomas BAILEY (138350).
John Henry BROWN (138015).
Raymond Ernest CASTRO (138407).
Harry CRONSHAW (138351).
Reginald David EVANS (138450).
George Harold FOX (138352).
Andrew GIBSON (138014).
Maurice Albert GUDGEON (138408).
Harold Rhys JENKINS (136951).
Desmond Kenny RYAN (136952).
Alonzo SMITH (138353).

Flt. Sgt.

359520 Stanley Brindley RAVENHILL (124111).
1st July 1942. (Seny. 4th Dec. 1941.)

Flt. Lt. Sir Alfred L. BEIT (72608) resigns his commn. and retains the rank of Sqn. Ldr. 24th Feb. 1943.

Flg. Off. W. D. WADSWORTH (85129) resigns his commn. 26th Feb. 1943.

BALLOON BRANCH.

To be transfd. to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br.:—

Flt. Lt. S. BROADHEAD (78097). 5th Mar. 1943.

Flg. Offs.:—

F. E. SUMMERS (67523). 25th Feb. 1943.

2nd Mar. 1943.

A. L. L. EVANS (87722).
G. RANDALL (65607).

Plt. Offs. (prob.):—

G. G. NORVAL (129686). 5th Mar. 1943.
H. J. HUTCHINGS (125384). 8th Mar. 1943.

Actg. Plt. Offs.:—

26th Feb. 1943.

P. J. KING (136135).
J. ANDERSON (135965).
G. F. PRUDHOM (136136).
J. C. HARDING (135934).
W. C. JOHNSON (136134).
E. W. SINCLAIR (136138).
G. W. TAYLOR (135967).

Flg. Off. C. H. R. HULBERT (78093) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health and retains his rank. 6th Mar. 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Eric Charles WILLIAMS is granted an hon. commn. as Wg. Cdr. 15th Feb. 1943.

Henry Albert Victor DREES (133822) to be Plt. Off. (emergency). 17th Nov. 1942.

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—

Wilfrid John Nicholas WARNER (139810). 17th Feb. 1943.

Wt. Off.

342989 Arthur John WINYARD (134302). 3rd Dec. 1942.

Actg. Wt. Offs.

353850 Leonard Arthur WHITLOCK (130508). 3rd Oct. 1942.

359054 John Thomas PREECE (133504). 25th Nov. 1942.

Flt. Sgts.

1162727 Timothy Stephen O'CONNOR (131815).
30th Oct. 1942.
508066 Ronald Winwood AYRE (134176). 13th Dec. 1942.
862890 Charles Guido Hamilton SIMPSON (135904). 3rd Jan. 1943.
917393 Richard John Norman GILL (134170).
12th Jan. 1943.
505829 Cuthbert William DAVIS (136234). 18th Jan. 1943.

Sgts.

1481182 Ralph George COVERDALE (131844). 24th Oct. 1942.
160897 Frank Eric ANDREWS (131874). 28th Oct. 1942.
915034 Arthur John TRACY (130671). 29th Oct. 1942.
331701 Walter COOK (131841). 9th Nov. 1942.
927113 Anthony St. Bernard Francis FROST (133598). 23rd Nov. 1942.
974510 Vincent Stewart HANSFORD (135029).
11th Dec. 1942.
1331368 Robert Edwin HALL (134979). 15th Dec. 1942.
1181751 John Maxwell SURMAN (132891). 29th Dec. 1942.

30th Dec. 1942.

1200288 Albert Ernest BIDDLE (135777).
1099113 Donald Kenneth GEDDES (136023).
743626 Jack Gordon DENN (134911). 2nd Jan. 1943.
335978 Harold LEE (134219). 3rd Jan. 1943.

Acting Sgts.

901400 Wilfred John Ivan WALLER (132980).
12th Nov. 1942.
1153384 Ronald Arthur THORPE (135218). 19th Dec. 1942.
900105 Lewis GILBERT (134910). 4th Feb. 1943.

Cpls.

31st Oct. 1942.

927680 Bert Robert ADAMS (131872).
370356 John Kenneth HILTON (131871).
1481594 Thomas Roger ION (132981). 14th Nov. 1942.
1281031 John Vivian HORN (130510). 1st Dec. 1942.
861056 Frederick Marsden SCULL (134300). 22nd Dec. 1942.
743254 John CUNNINGHAM (135776). 10th Jan. 1943.
908644 Ronald Leslie BETTS (135386). 20th Jan. 1943.

Ldg. Acem.

984757 Douglas BEECH (130243). 22nd Oct. 1942.

27th Oct. 1942.

1180056 Victor Edward DOLMAN (131810).
1011943 Kenneth GRAY (131840).
1029807 Denis Edward WILLOWS (131816).
1110123 Allen POTTER (132632). 2nd Nov. 1942.
1558338 Thomas COWAN (132455). 3rd Nov. 1942.

4th Nov. 1942.

506104 Charles Anthony HOGG (132182).
1182021 Leonard Edward Alfred THORN (131543).
1134140 George Joseph LUCAS (132456). 13th Nov. 1942.
1037454 John WAKEFIELD (131919). 16th Nov. 1942.
1367362 George Duncan KELLAS (133603). 25th Nov. 1942.
998322 John William MCBURNEY (133939). 27th Nov. 1942.
1247370 David Louis SPEEKS (134172). 1st Dec. 1942.
1010025 Francis William WRIGHT (131842). 15th Dec. 1942.
930428 Sidney Roger GRANDFIELD (134218). 19th Dec. 1942.
914951 Christopher Palliser GREAVES (135769).
23rd Dec. 1942.
1080896 Bernard Alfred CATTON (135771). 26th Dec. 1942.

Acem. 1st Cl.

1045993 Edward Taylor OSMOND (130686). 19th Oct. 1942.
961283 Frank Dalby BREWIN (131811). 29th Oct. 1942.
1549377 Harry SLATER (131814). 7th Nov. 1942.
1517990 Edward Karl PARRY (132886). 12th Nov. 1942.
1208023 Norman Rex KING (132977). 25th Nov. 1942.
932994 Eric Alwyn KNIGHT (136555). 27th Jan. 1943.

Acem. 2nd Cl.

921427 Edward NARRACOTT (130668). 17th Oct. 1942.
1493549 Eric Herbert Thurston SOAR (134299).
14th Dec. 1942.

1540558 Robert John PARRY (123185). 20th Dec. 1942.

1561821 Malcolm Ian STRACHAN (134298). 23rd Dec. 1942.

1430988 Geoffrey Arthur RIDLEY (135028). 24th Jan. 1943.

To be Actg. Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Gelson Thomas DEWSBURY (132582). 14th Aug. 1942.

Ronald McAlister CRICHTON (132578). 26th Sept. 1942.

Thomas George Noel ROWLAND (132580). 19th Oct. 1942.

John Edward PHILPOTT (135067). 5th Dec. 1942.

Jorgan Friis MARCHER (136901). 31st Dec. 1942.

Archibald Graeme ELLIOTT (139026). 6th Feb. 1943.

Sgts.

1292782 Guy STANTON (131701). 23rd Oct. 1942.
770437 Harold Geoffrey REYNOLDS (131787). 1st Nov. 1942.

2nd Nov. 1942.

1011768 Alastair David MERCHANT (132490).
755268 John ROWTHORN (132470).

1251964 Frederick Walter WILLSON (131873). 4th Nov. 1942.

976726 Benjamin Wright BOXALL (131788). 5th Nov. 1942.

236406 Leonard Thomas FIELDING (131789). 6th Nov. 1942.

7th Nov. 1942.

1113479 Ernest CRABTREE (132631).

177596 William Hale HARRIS (131784).

Cpls.

1294512 Geoffrey Stephen HALL (109368). 14th Nov. 1941. (*Seny. 2nd Oct. 1941.*)

1286849 Kenneth WATSON (132462). 1st Nov. 1942.

3rd Nov. 1942.

900925 Alfred James Ernest CARTER (132487).

1007028 Frank Bernard SAYER (132484).

141592 William Henry ANDREWS (131790). 4th Nov. 1942.

7th Nov. 1942.

1305178 Neville Peel OVERSBY (132633).

1438417 Alan Douglas Robert SINCLAIR (132478).

Ldg. Acn.

1263975 Arthur DAVIDS (131780). 28th Oct. 1942.

1284621 Vernon Richard Thomas HUGHES (132475). 1st Nov. 1942.

2nd Nov. 1942.

1011792 George Melvyn HOWE (132474).

908530 Geoffrey Douglas HUGHES (132482).

924602 Peter Reginald JOHNSON (132483).

3rd Nov. 1942.

1471705 William Ernest DEEDMAN (132457).

858898 John Henry MADEN (131781).

1402611 Arthur Sydney Eric DAWE (131800). 6th Nov. 1942.

1504674 Aaron Clement BARKE (132634). 9th Nov. 1942.

1186639 John Trevor WENT (132463). 12th Nov. 1942.

1184517 Sydney Ralph DUNNING (132464). 13th Nov. 1942.

14th Nov. 1942.

1261225 Thomas Elwyn GRIFFITHS (132628).

1620355 Henry Charles MASKREY (133122).

15th Nov. 1942.

1360310 Alexander Mackenzie HAY (132488).

1113092 Edward KNOWLES (132479).

1247358 Eric Gordon THOMAS (132458).

Acm. 1st Cl.

853043 Percy WILLIS-FRANCIS (131782). 2nd Nov. 1942.

1610728 Edward Norman JOHNSTONE-WALKER (131785). 4th Nov. 1942.

1790039 Leslie Arthur DIXON (132636). 8th Nov. 1942.

14th Nov. 1942.

1129934 Anthony Robert EVANS (132629).

1239440 Edward James LAWRIE (132491).

1517533 Thomas Dickson Cassels CORDNER (133121). 18th Nov. 1942.

1210578 Albert Henry Charles WEBB (131799). 10th Dec. 1942.

Acm. 2nd Cl.

1030072 Vernon Ivor HARTSHORN (131783). 29th Oct. 1942.

1463847 John McIntosh BEATTIE (132465). 3rd Nov. 1942.

4th Nov. 1942.

1702522 Victor Wyn JONES (132461).

1715912 Charles William LIDBURY (132473).

1653162 Donald Andrew ROSS (132467).

1708070 John Bernard Charles RUFFE-WILLIAMS (132471).

1625682 Ambrose JOHNSON (132485). 5th Nov. 1942.

1807824 Rene FELICIAANT (132750). 6th Nov. 1942.

1432465 Clifford Oliver COWL (132492). 9th Nov. 1942.

1508496 David Francis BLACKBURNE-DANIELL (132481). 12th Nov. 1942.

14th Nov. 1942.

1625681 Douglas Shepherd ALLISON (132630).

1683334 Samuel Page STEVENSON (132468).

1632697 Frederick Charles GREEN (132489).

1651577 Brian Herbert ERHARD (132466). 15th Nov. 1942.

To be transfd. to the Tech. Br.:—

Flt. Lt. J. K. LANCASTER (85904). 1st Feb. 1943.

Flg. Off. (prob.) J. H. SHAW (67081). 7th Nov. 1942.

Flg. Off. A. RUSHTON (109141) is transfd. to the Meteorological Br. 15th Feb. 1943.

Plt. Off. J. D. WARREN (65044) (since promoted) is transfd. to the R.A.F. Regt. 1st Feb. 1942.

Actg. Plt. Off. M. W. H. TOWNSEND relinquishes his hon. commn. on cessation of duty. 8th Feb. 1943.

Flt. Lt. S. DANBY, D.S.O., M.C. (82247), relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health and retains the rank of Sqn. Ldr. 5th Mar. 1943.

Flg. Off. G. PALGRAVE-BROWN (87247) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health and retains the rank of Flt. Lt. 5th Mar. 1943.

Flt. Lts. resign their commns. and retain the rank of Sqn. Ldr.:—

F. H. X. GWYNNE (74517). 20th Feb. 1943.

W. L. DOUGLAS, M.C. (79110). 4th Mar. 1943.

Flg. Off. R. D. H. MARTIN (60619) resigns his commn. and retains rank of Flt. Lt. 30th Jan. 1943.

Flg. Off. E. W. HITCHINGS (87920) resigns his commn. and retains his rank. 2nd Mar. 1943.

Plt. Off. C. A. MALCOLMSON (107317) is dismissed the Service by sentence of General Court Martial. 14th Jan. 1943.

The notifi. of 19th Jan. 1943 (p. 390, col. 2) concerning A. A. BROWN (103666) is cancelled.

Amendments.

In notifs. of 16th June 1942 (p. 2661, col. 1):—

Concerning B. M. HARRISON (122809), for 6th Dec. 1941 read 7th Apr. 1942.

Concerning S. H. J. GARNE (122807), for 7th Dec. 1941 read 1st Apr. 1942.

Concerning M. K. GARNETT (122808) for 10th Dec. 1941 read 1st Apr. 1942.

Concerning C. ALLDAY (122804), for 11th Dec. 1941 read 1st Apr. 1942.

Concerning R. BEADON (122805) for 11th Dec. 1941 read 1st Apr. 1942.

In notifi. of 28th July 1942 (p. 3306, col. 1) concerning E. F. MURPHY (125808) for 2nd Dec. 1941 read 1st Apr. 1942.

In notifi. of 1st Aug. 1942 (p. 4450, col. 1) concerning W. L. MORGAN (100788) for Actg. Plt. Off. read Plt. Off.

In notifi. of 29th Dec. 1942 (p. 5643, col. 1) concerning W. G. OSMOND (133824) for 7th Oct. 1942 read 7th Sept. 1942.

METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.

To be Flt. Lts. (emergency). 1st Nov. 1942:—

John William ARCHBOLD (132255).

Trevor Mills DAVIES (132258).

Raymond John KNIGHT (132310).

Walter Blundell THOMPSON (132312).

To be Flg. Offs. (emergency). 1st Nov. 1942:—

Gerald Mark BROWN (132260).

Harry COWAN (132261).

Alan DOWNES (132365).

Albert James JOHNSTONE (132263).
Keith Edward MAYELL (132264).

TRAINING BRANCH.

To resign their commns.:—
Plt. Offs.:—

15th Feb. 1943.

E. L. PARRY (62591).
T. M. PHILLIPS (61758).
R. J. WEAVER (100437).

16th Feb. 1943.

R. B. C. H. CHAMBERS (100223).
F. H. EAST (104309).
E. J. EDWARD (63003).
L. F. HODGSON (63534).
N. G. LANCASTER (68389).
A. C. R. RITCHIE (66344).
F. D. P. SMITH (62907).
T. SHARP (64630).
F. A. STAMP (66797).

18th Feb. 1943.

S. HAMM (100904).
S. T. PICKERING (65853).
D. THOMAS (64108).

26th Feb. 1943.

A. J. BOOTH (87906).
S. BERRY (69864).
J. A. CORBETT (68359).
F. G. DAVIES (69332).
S. J. GOWLAND, M.C. (66397).
B. R. W. HILL (66806).
J. W. HUGHES (65905).
L. T. LEGGE (62587).
A. MCCOMBE (100817).
G. J. MILNE (100847).
A. SPENCER-JONES (64083).
B. WILSON (102375).
L. J. THOMPSON (62934). 1st Mar. 1943.
F. T. FLETCHER (63593). 2nd Mar. 1943.

Actg. Plt. Offs.:—

H. de L. PENFOLD (121157). 15th Feb. 1943.
K. DARLING (124032). 16th Feb. 1943.
A. J. CADMAN (125107). 26th Feb. 1943.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Plt. Sgts.

345477 Ernest Alfred MASLIN (134295). 11th Dec. 1942.
350618 George Cyril Edward PROWSE (133935). 22nd Jan. 1943.

Sgt.

1174330 Patrick William Francis BLENCOWE (135905). 28th Jan. 1943.

Cpls.

971765 Malcolm HUDSON (132039). 3rd Nov. 1942.
1004948 Robert John McGURK MELVIN (132454). 5th Nov. 1942.
1016124 James MacArthur PHILLIPS (133066). 24th Nov. 1942.
1017577 Samuel LOGAN (133942). 1st Dec. 1942.
906030 James Beverley KEEBLE (133599). 15th Dec. 1942.
743205 Cyril George SMITH (134303). 21st Dec. 1942.
1202257 Roy Arthur FOUNTAIN (135385). 1st Jan. 1943.
1261521 Horace William WAKELY (134909). 12th Jan. 1943.

Ldg. Acn.

1274771 Herbert John BURTÓN (131845). 28th Oct. 1942.
1537879 John Brádléy MERRINGTON (131848). 29th Oct. 1942.
1290010 Edward Bruce SMITH (131813). 4th Nov. 1942.
1291917 Leslie Arthur RACKSTRAW (131846). 6th Nov. 1942.
1118038 David Phillips JAMES (133065). 22nd Nov. 1942.
924361 Lewis Sadler BOUTWOOD (133064). 24th Nov. 1942.
1259531 Edward John BRADBURY (133067). 1st Dec. 1942.
1201611 Victor Henry MERRITT (130509). 9th Dec. 1942.
940084 Albert Edward GAME (133600). 14th Dec. 1942.
1292753 William Lyne THORNE (134301). 17th Dec. 1942.

997106 Leonard Wilson FARR (134294). 21st Dec. 1942.

1072791 Frederick DICKINSON (134908). 12th Jan. 1943.

1287211 Ralph Murton DAVISON (135906). 1st Feb. 1943.

Acm. 1st Cl.

1551563 Charles Black HURRIE (133068). 2nd Dec. 1942.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Wt. Off.

509748 Thomas Aylin WAKEFIELD (133223). 18th Nov. 1942.

Sgts.

936758 Clifford Henry RICKETTS (131823). 16th Nov. 1942.

850115 Adolphus Wilmont JARRETT (135768). 27th Dec. 1942.

Cpls.

1173961 Norman Harry BARLOW (132089). 6th Nov. 1942.

746092 Henry Vivian THOMAS (133224). 19th Nov. 1942.

913211 Henry Michael EXCELL (133257). 20th Nov. 1942.

1123821 John Edmund EDWARDS (133120). 21st Nov. 1942.

944675 Douglas PEAT (135773). 29th Dec. 1942.

1222001 Alfred Frederick Arthur WHITEHEAD (135775). 26th Jan. 1943.

Ldg. Acn.

1050959 Ronald ELSDON (132088). 10th Nov. 1942.

1122342 John ROBERTSON (133222). 22nd Nov. 1942.

1136900 John Frederick JOHNSON (133225). 24th Nov. 1942.

1072432 Ernest DAWSON (133505). 11th Dec. 1942.

1227486 Alfred Arthur GODDARD (131124). 14th Dec. 1942.

1070072 John YUILLE (134912). 17th Dec. 1942.

1132945 Robert Malcolm JOLLY (136563). 7th Jan. 1943.

1008546 Ernest Allen Leeming OPENSHAW (134346). 23rd Jan. 1943.

Acm. 2nd Cl.

1196290 Donald Ellwood READ (133119). 2nd Dec. 1942.

Flg. Off. G. C. WILSON (88371) resigns his commn. and retains the rank of Flt. Lt. 8th Feb. 1943.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

To be Flg. Offs. (emergency). 4th Feb. 1943:—

Albert Norman ASHWORTH, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (138025).

Richard Clayton BAIRD, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (138026).

George Peter BAKER, M.B., B.Ch. (138027).

Norman Naylor BLAXLAND, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (138220).

David Laurie CALDWELL, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.P. (136679).

Ralph Meyrick EMRYS-ROBERTS, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (138029).

Charles Bertram HUSS, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H. (138030).

Benjamin Anthony Gwynne JENKINS, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (138032).

Maurice LEWIS, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (138033).

William Barber MCGOWAN, M.B., Ch.B. (138034).

Neil McLEAN, M.B., Ch.B. (135371).

Benn Alton POMRYN, M.B., B.S. (137675).

Arthur Manfred SHENKIN, M.B. Ch.B. (138036).

Thomas Copland STUDDERT, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.P. (138037).

Richard Obank SWAINE, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (138038).

Henry Beales WILLINGTON, M.B., B.Ch. (138039).

George Douglas WILSON, M.B., Ch.B. (137901).

James INNES, M.B., Ch.B. (138031).

Sidney Solomon NAFTALIN, M.B., Ch.B. (138035).

The notifi. of 2nd Feb. 1943, concerning Flt. Lt. C. A. LEWIS, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (1133083), is cancelled.

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

To be Chaplains (emergency) with the relative rank of Sqn. Ldr.:—

The Rev. Eric Charles LAKE (138221). 1st Feb. 1943.

The Rev. Paul Edward MORTON-GEORGE, M.A. (134644). 5th Feb. 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency). 10th Dec. 1942:—

Flt. Sgts.

1350906 Terence James CARBERY (134788).
1352840 Francis Edward HASLEGRAVE (134850).
743686 Charles Sydney HUMBERSTONE (134856).
988859 Ralph Spencer PUDDY (134897).
1255523 Cyril RELF (134806).
962762 Horace Albert Edward ROUND (134809).
1352739 Arthur William SPURGEON (134818).
944173 John Henry WILKINS (134957).

Sgts.

1067941 John ANGUS (134773).
1190291 Edward BLANCHARD (134778).
872307 Kenneth BLASHILL (134779).
868726 Stanley BURTON (134786).
1356850 John Harry CHEYNE (134791).
1358612 William Edward COKAYNE (134793).
1306124 Cecil Rowland COPPLESTONE (134797).
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