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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.*

Wing Commander Howard Frizelle BURTON, D.F.C. (33227).

Wing Commander Burton is the commanding officer of an exceptionally successful wing. Recently, he has taken part in several sorties involving low level attacks on heavy armoured fighting vehicles. His brilliant leadership has contributed in a large measure to the great success achieved.

Squadron Leader Donald WESTON-BURT (33226), No. 6 Squadron.

This officer has led his squadron with great dash in recent low level attacks on the enemy's armoured fighting vehicles and mechanised transport. On one occasion intervention by his squadron prevented an attack on a French force. Squadron Leader Weston-Burt has displayed great courage and skill.

### *Bar to Distinguished Flying Cross.*

Acting Squadron Leader Donald Frederick Edgar Charles DEAN, D.F.C. (42997), No. 35 Squadron.

One night in February, 1943, this officer captained an aircraft detailed to attack St. Nazaire. Whilst crossing the Channel, on the outward flight, one of the port engines failed. Nevertheless, Squadron Leader Dean continued his mission. Whilst over the target area his aircraft was held in searchlights and subjected to heavy fire from the ground defences. Despite this, he pressed home a vigorous attack. Shortly after the aircraft was headed for home one of the starboard engines failed. Squadron Leader Dean succeeded in maintaining height and eventually reached an airfield in this country where he effected a masterly landing in difficult circumstances. This officer displayed great courage, skill and determination throughout.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Harry MALKIN, D.F.C. (Can/J.15521), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 35 Squadron.

One night in March, 1943, this officer captained an aircraft detailed to attack Berlin. Whilst over the city the bomber was held in searchlights and subjected to heavy anti-aircraft fire. The rudder controls were severed and one of the port engines was damaged, causing it to fail. Despite this, Flight Lieutenant Malkin skilfully controlled the damaged aircraft and executed a successful attack. Soon after leaving the target area, efforts to restart the damaged engine proved successful, but further trouble was encountered. The bomber

was again engaged by anti-aircraft fire, which rendered the port outer engine unserviceable. The mid-upper gunner was wounded, while all lights in the cockpit failed. With extreme difficulty height was maintained and, displaying superb airmanship, Flight Lieutenant Malkin flew the damaged bomber to an airfield in this country. This officer displayed great skill, determination and endurance in most difficult circumstances.

### *Distinguished Flying Cross.*

Group Captain Edward Hedley FIELDEN, M.V.O., A.F.C.

This officer has flown on various operational missions, some of a most hazardous nature. He has displayed a high standard of operational efficiency, setting an example which has contributed materially to the high morale of the air crews under his command. His great organising ability has proved a valuable asset.

### *Distinguished Flying Cross.*

Acting Squadron Leader Edward Gerard GILMORE (Can/C.1036), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 408 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

### *Distinguished Flying Medal.*

1475434 Sergeant James William Taylor Mason SMITH, No. 408 (R.C.A.F.), Squadron.

One night in February, 1943, Squadron Leader Gilmore and Sergeant Smith were captain and bomb aimer respectively of an aircraft detailed to attack Cologne. Whilst over the target area the aircraft was subjected to heavy anti-aircraft fire and sustained much damage. The aircraft went out of control and considerable height was lost before Squadron Leader Gilmore regained control. The bomber was riddled by shell splinters and one of its propellers was shot away. Two compasses were rendered useless and all navigational charts were lost. Nevertheless, Squadron Leader Gilmore flew the damaged bomber to an airfield near the coast, having received valuable assistance from Sergeant Smith who, by use of the bomb sight compass, displayed skilful navigation.

### *Distinguished Flying Cross.*

Acting Flight Lieutenant William Walter BLESSING (Aus.404648), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 105 Squadron.

In March, 1943, this officer flew the leading aircraft of a bomber force detailed to undertake a low level attack on the railway workshops at Paderborn. The operation, involving a deep penetration into Germany in daylight, demanded a high degree of efficiency. That the sortie was executed exactly as planned and success achieved was largely attributable to Flight Lieutenant Blessing's fine leadership and great skill. This officer has

taken part in 17 sorties, all of them in daylight, invariably displaying great determination and efficiency. On two occasions he has flown his badly damaged aircraft back to base.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Maurice William PETTIT (Can/J.16060), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 218 Squadron.

This officer who has completed 27 operational missions, has displayed great keenness and tenacity. On two occasions towards the end of 1942, he displayed great resolution in pressing home his attacks on certain targets after his aircraft had been badly damaged by enemy action. In February, 1943, he took part in an attack on Cologne. Whilst over the city, his aircraft was held in the searchlights and hit by anti-aircraft fire. One engine was put out of action and 2 windows beside the pilot were blown in. Despite this, Flight Lieutenant Pettit successfully bombed his target. His exemplary conduct has been worthy of high praise.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Bruce Gibb WALLACE (N.Z.403482), Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 214 Squadron.

This officer has completed 41 sorties, including a number of attacks against targets in the Ruhr. He is a very determined captain, who has pressed home his attacks with vigour. One night in March, 1943, he captained a bomber detailed to attack Munich. Although the undercarriage and tailplane of the aircraft were damaged by striking a tree when taking-off, Flight Lieutenant Wallace flew on and eventually accomplished his mission successfully. Three nights later he took part in an attack on Essen. Whilst over the target area, his aircraft was held in the searchlights. Despite this, he pressed home his attack from 8,000 feet and dived to 1,000 feet to escape the defences. On the return flight he engaged a light anti-aircraft gun position and silenced it. Although his aircraft was hit in many places during the operation he flew it safely to base. Flight Lieutenant Wallace has set a courageous and inspiring example.

Pilot Officer Daniel Frederick ALLEN (Can/J.16423), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 408 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

This officer has completed 30 sorties, involving attacks on a variety of well defended targets in Germany and Northern France. He is an efficient captain, whose determination to complete his tasks successfully has set a praiseworthy example. On one occasion, when returning from Hamburg, his aircraft was badly damaged by enemy action but he flew it back to base.

Pilot Officer Peter Edward MITCHELL (135429), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 408 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

Pilot Officer Mitchell is a navigator of high merit. He has taken part in 23 sorties, including a number of attacks on heavily defended targets in the Ruhr and Northern France. One night in March, 1943, he navigated an aircraft which attacked Berlin. His great skill contributed materially to the success achieved. Pilot Officer Mitchell has displayed great determination and cheerfulness in arduous and adverse circumstances.

#### *Distinguished Flying Medal.*

Can/R.104782 Flight Sergeant Joseph Arthur Jacques BARSALOU, Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 10 Squadron.

One night in March, 1943, this airman was the rear gunner of an aircraft which attacked Essen. When nearing the target area the bomber was subjected to heavy anti-aircraft fire and its fuselage was pierced in 18 places. The rear turret was riddled and Flight Sergeant Barsalou was severely wounded but refrained from informing his captain, who went on to bomb the objective. A few minutes later, when his captain once more enquired if he was all right, Flight Sergeant Barsalou gave a reassuring reply and warned him of the presence of an enemy fighter. It was shaken off and a member of the crew was ordered to investigate the rear turret. Flight Sergeant Barsalou was then found slumped over his guns and the turret a mass of blood. He had received severe shrapnel wounds. Although in great pain, very weak and bleeding profusely, he attempted to minimize his injuries and insisted that he could bear up until the English coast was reached. When the aircraft was finally landed Flight Sergeant Barsalou was rushed to hospital. This airman displayed great courage, fortitude and devotion to duty.

N.Z.41922 Flight Sergeant Maurice MARMENT, Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 408 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

This airman, who has completed 25 sorties, is a gallant and determined captain. One night in March, 1943, he captained an aircraft detailed to attack Stuttgart. On the return flight the bomber was engaged by an enemy fighter and sustained severe damage. Two engines were put out of action but, displaying superb airmanship, Flight Sergeant Marment flew the bomber to an airfield in this country. His great skill was undoubtedly responsible for the safe return of the aircraft.

Can/R.95492 Flight Sergeant Allan Laurence ROSS, Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 408 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

Flight Sergeant Ross has taken part in 30 sorties against a wide range of enemy targets. He is a fine operational captain who invariably presses home his attacks with great determination. His skill and sound judgment have won the confidence of all with whom he has flown.

1385331 Sergeant Kenneth Reginald BURTON, No. 214 Squadron.

One night in March, 1943, this airman was the pilot of an aircraft detailed to attack Stuttgart. On the outward flight, one engine in the bomber failed. The target was still 150 miles distant but Sergeant Burton continued his flight and eventually bombed his target from a low level. On the return flight, Sergeant Burton was unable to maintain height above 3,000 feet and there was the possibility of the petrol becoming exhausted, but he finally succeeded in flying the aircraft back to base. By his perseverance and skill this airman was undoubtedly responsible for the safe return of the aircraft and its crew.

1306717 Sergeant Hugh Edmund PARRATT, No. 408 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

This airman has flown on 30 operational missions as wireless operator. His exceptional ability and great determination in the face of adverse circumstances have contributed materially to the successes obtained. This was amply demonstrated on one occasion in February, 1943, when the aircraft in which he was flying was badly damaged by anti-aircraft fire. Sergeant Parratt skilfully obtained radio fixes which enabled his pilot to set a course for base. He has displayed great devotion to duty.

636817 Sergeant John Mitchel Jobling SMITH, No. 218 Squadron.

In March, 1943, this airman was the wireless operator of an aircraft which attacked Nuremberg. On the return flight, whilst still over enemy territory, the compass became unserviceable and when Sergeant Smith obtained a fix by means of his wireless apparatus it was apparent that the aircraft was well off its course. Petrol was running low but, more good work by Sergeant Smith, who speedily obtained homing fixes, enabled the pilot to set the correct course and, eventually, to reach an airfield near the coast, where a landing was effected almost as the petrol became exhausted. By his excellent work, Sergeant Smith contributed in a large measure to the safe return of his aircraft.

655826 Sergeant Dennis Charles USHER, No. 145 Squadron.

Sergeant Usher has completed 70 sorties. He is a determined fighter, whose keenness to engage the enemy has been outstanding. One day in January, 1943, he took part in an engagement against 9 Macchi 200's, covered by 6 Messerschmitt 109's. In the combat, Sergeant Usher engaged the Messerschmitts, breaking up their attacks and shooting one of them down. The rest of his formation was thus enabled to press home their attacks on the Macchis, 4 of which were destroyed. Sergeant Usher has taken part in many low-level attacks on ground targets, machine-gunning them with telling effect and has also destroyed a Junkers 87 in combat.

*Air Ministry, 6th April, 1943.*

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE.

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

#### *Distinguished Service Order.*

Acting Group Captain Waters Eveleigh RANKIN, No. 37 Squadron.

*Distinguished Flying Cross.*

Acting Squadron Leader Sydney AULT (42295).  
 Flight Lieutenant James Geoffrey Cutcliffe HEPBURN (82191), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 216 Squadron.  
 Flight Lieutenant Douglas Cecil RUSTON (87411), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 216 Squadron.  
 Acting Flight Lieutenant Guy Richard BROWN (45420).  
 Flying Officer Ronald Hartley LANGSFORD (Aus. 407621), Royal Australian Air Force.  
 Flying Officer Samuel Jackson MADILL (N.Z.404395), Royal New Zealand Air Force.  
 Flying Officer Leslie MANFIELD (115399), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.  
 Flying Officer John Hamilton NICHOLLS (116982), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 601 Squadron.  
 Flying Officer Leslie Arthur SHAWYER (69447), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 160 Squadron.  
 Flying Officer John Austin Henry SMITH (N.Z. 402474), Royal New Zealand Air Force.  
 Pilot Officer Joseph Henry ELLIOTT (Aus.406241), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 14 Squadron.  
 Pilot Officer Theodore WEIL (135025), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

*Distinguished Flying Medal.*

N.Z.405231 Flight Sergeant William Lawrence CARGILL, Royal New Zealand Air Force.  
 778838 Flight Sergeant Dougald David MORRISON.  
 Aus.400127 Flight Sergeant John Allen ROBB, Royal Australian Air Force, No. 216 Squadron.  
 542954 Sergeant Anthony Leonard COLLINGWOOD.  
 The above awards are for gallantry and devotion to duty in the execution of air operations.

*Air Ministry, 6th April 1943.*

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Air Mshl. Sir Douglas C. S. EVILL, K.C.B., D.S.C., A.F.C., to be Vice-Chief of the Air Staff and an additional member of the Air Council, *vice* Air Vice-Mshl. C. E. H. MEDHURST, C.B., O.B.E., M.C. 21st Mar. 1943.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

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

581195 Jack Stanley MIDGLEY (51171). 1st May 1942.  
 581419 Jack TOZER (51117). 25th Oct. 1942.  
 565603 James Frederick JOHNSON (51270). 1st Dec. 1942.  
 515779 Thomas John BROOM (51227). 19th Dec. 1942.  
 561489 Herbert William BENNETT (51226). 11th Jan. 1943.  
 565336 Sutcliffe Ernest James BARTLETT (51278). 15th Jan. 1943.  
 580844 Clement Watt WILSON (51105). 16th Jan. 1943.  
 564897 Ronald Frederick WORSDELL (51269). 20th Jan. 1943.

Tempy. Wt. Off.

565589 Cecil George LOADER (51268). 26th Jan. 1943.

Flt. Sgts.

548419 Stanley Victor PASCOE (51210). 5th Nov. 1942.  
 531414 Kenneth William DUKE (51225). 10th Dec. 1942.

29th Dec. 1942.

534959 Charles Michael ELELMAN (51224).  
 548577 James Wesley HOUSTON, D.F.M. (51221).  
 643749 Charles Albert RICHARDS (51211). 4th Jan. 1943.  
 522229 Jack MADDOCKS (51271). 5th Jan. 1943.  
 535705 Noel BURROWS (51119). 6th Jan. 1943.  
 540108 John Raymond GREAVES (51214). 14th Jan. 1943.  
 550794 William John Campbell JONES (51209). 15th Jan. 1943.

Sgts.

523922 Robert John SYMONDS (50481). 20th Nov. 1942.  
 567574 James Gordon HARRISON (50494). 4th Dec. 1942.  
 562964 Richard Silvio PALANDRI (55026). 10th Jan. 1943.

533065 Walter James THOMAS (51272). 16th Jan. 1943.

527262 William BILSLAND (51279). 31st Jan. 1943.

517594 Heber James LISTER (50891). 6th Feb. 1943.

Tempy. Sgts.

538376 Lionel William BENNETT (55004). 1st Jan. 1943.

515380 James Clifford Wallace DAVIES (55027). 11th Jan. 1943.

Cpls.

538979 George Benjamin PALMER (50479). 20th Nov. 1942.

572124 Clifford John William BEVAN (53678). 18th Dec. 1942.

30th Dec. 1942.

574355 Thomas Patrick KEEGAN (50675).

574132 Alan Edward FLOWERS (50858).

1st Jan. 1943.

530164 Norman Arthur Wadham CLARK (55000).

574143 Clifford Sydney HAMES (55002).

575135 Frank HODNETT (55005).

574041 William Owston SPAVEN (55001).

532455 Thomas WOODHOUSE (55003).

518455 David Edward BLAIN (55025). 22nd Jan. 1943.

Tempy. Cpl.

591380 Richard Alan CONSTANTINE (55028). 11th Jan. 1943.

Ldg. Acm.

573751 Peter George TAYLOR (55029). 11th Jan. 1943.

Flt. Lt. (tempy. Wg. Cdr.) F. L. SAYERS (36063) to be Sqn. Ldr. 1st Dec. 1940.

Air Cdre. H. G. SMART, C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C., to be Actg. Air Vice-Mshl. 6th Mar. 1943.

Flt. Lt. P. C. D. EATON (39308) takes rank and precedence as if his appt. as Flt. Lt. bore date 19th Sept. 1942. Reduction to take effect from 19th Sept. 1942.

Flt. Lt. J. F. PAIN (43291) takes rank and precedence as if his appt. as Flt. Lt. bore date 14th Nov. 1942. Reduction to take effect from 15th Dec. 1942.

Flt. Lt. W. SANDERS (42955) is transfd. to the Tech. Branch. 23rd Mar. 1943.

Flg. Off. R. J. BROWN (44925) is transfd. to the Tech. Branch. 21st Apr. 1942. (Subs. for notifi. of 9th Mar. 1943 (p. 1128, col. 1).)

Plt. Off. J. C. SHERER (47496) (Lt. R.A.) relinquishes his tempy. commn. on return to Army duty. 11th Feb. 1943.

*Amendments.*

In notifi. of 24th Nov. 1942 (p. 5101, col. 1) concerning 591099 William Lacey BRECKELL (49611) for 18th Sept. 1942 read 19th Sept. 1942.

In notifi. of 8th Dec. 1942 (p. 5338, col. 1) concerning 591544 Norman AINSWORTH (49737) for 13th Oct. 1942 read 29th Sept. 1942.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

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

Wt. Offs.

348722 Samuel Preston HEAD (49005). 1st July 1942. (*Seny. 30th Apr. 1942.*)  
 366369 Leonard Samuel PARRATT (49085). 3rd July 1942. (*Seny. 6th Nov. 1941.*)  
 335282 George Morgan WILES (50000). 28th Oct. 1942.

355010 Thomas Leonard BALLARD (49947). 12th Nov. 1942.

347719 Francis STOCKS (49715). 8th Dec. 1942.  
 364109 Norman William Anning HEPPELL (50470). 19th Dec. 1942.

345155 William Evert TWINEHAM (50534). 25th Dec. 1942.

335344 William Frank JEWELL (50536). 2nd Jan. 1943.

365462 Eric Frank TIPPLE (50639). 11th Jan. 1943.

327212 Robert Edward FULLER (50602). 12th Jan. 1943.

505984 Richard William READ (50506). 15th Jan. 1943.

362012 Richard Alfred James HOWSE (50670). 17th Jan. 1943.

349736 George SMITH (50623). 22nd Jan. 1943.

366255 Percy William DAVIES (50277). 31st Jan. 1943.

305205 Horace Douglas COX (50744). 1st Feb. 1943.

327648 Frank Harold BREACH (50740). 2nd Feb. 1943.

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—  
 Wt. Offs.  
 565609 Reuben KAY (49198). 15th Oct. 1942.  
 364352 Benjamin George WAREHAM (49808). 20th Oct. 1942.  
 561489 Richard Percy COX (50355). 13th Dec. 1942.  
 352013 Edgar SWINDLEHURST (50120). 24th Dec. 1942.  
 366200 Ernest Lewis CLARKE (49927). 30th Dec. 1942.  
 28th Jan. 1943.  
 519652 Jack Alexander GOLDER (50732).  
 561787 Stanley George LIDDELL (50722).  
 562721 Frank Anderson HAM (50498). 29th Jan. 1943.  
 561950 Robert Henry Martin UFFOLD (50887). 1st Feb. 1943.  
 8th Feb. 1943.  
 511144 William David LLOYD (50792).  
 330148 William James MEYRICK (50723).  
 367798 Alan Carl SHOTTON (50522). 14th Feb. 1943.  
 563016 John Gordon BYRNE BURNS, M.B.E. (51033). 25th Feb. 1943.  
 513506 James ROONEY (51024). 12th Mar. 1943.  
 Actg. Wt. Offs.  
 363175 Henry Granville JEFFERS (49711). 8th Dec. 1942.  
 365909 Bernard Valentine HOUSE (50195). 2nd Jan. 1943.  
 363237 John Frederick RAE (50216). 17th Jan. 1943.  
 560009 Wilfred Ernest BATCHELOR (50922). 7th Feb. 1943.  
 Flt. Sgts.  
 518412 Patrick Jerard CROWLEY (49806). 12th Oct. 1942.  
 550140 Walter Stewart KING (49810). 15th Oct. 1942.  
 363501 Frederick William YOUNG (49942). 29th Oct. 1942.  
 366330 James Stuart LAWRENCE (49937). 31st Oct. 1942.  
 566831 Edward Harry FULLER (49974). 6th Nov. 1942.  
 363793 Albert Edmund ASHWORTH (49989). 8th Nov. 1942.  
 364703 Kenneth Fisher McMILLAN (49991). 11th Nov. 1942.  
 330130 William Howson (49920). 18th Nov. 1942.  
 560708 Frank McKENNA (49716). 1st Dec. 1942.  
 363949 Ivor Henry John DOBLE (49712). 8th Dec. 1942.  
 565338 John Chester William BOYLAND (50268). 13th Dec. 1942.  
 568928 Wilfred Stanley MADDOCK (50455). 16th Dec. 1942.  
 564973 Henry RICHMOND (50356). 24th Dec. 1942.  
 532977 Arthur John MILTON (50503). 28th Dec. 1942.  
 568133 Douglas Cameron DERRY (50274). 4th Jan. 1943.  
 626433 Harold LANGFORD (50603). 7th Jan. 1943.  
 564800 William John MATTHEWS (50738). 19th Jan. 1943.  
 21st Jan. 1943.  
 550781 George Eric BANFIELD (50601).  
 561734 John MAUND (50743).  
 366216 John TERRY (50621).  
 568857 Frank Reginald Harold SEAL (50672). 23rd Jan. 1943.  
 561843 Edwin John OLLIFF (50730). 24th Jan. 1943.  
 527241 William HARRIS (50504). 4th Feb. 1943.  
 563328 James Norris McDONALD (50272). 4th Feb. 1943.  
 366491 George IDDON (51008). 27th Feb. 1943.  
 565523 Harry CASEY (50998). 2nd Mar. 1943.  
 Actg. Flt. Sgt.  
 538093 James Law (50500). 20th Jan. 1943.  
 Sgts.  
 539161 Leonard Ernest HILL (49883). 27th Nov. 1942.  
 565313 Wyndham George ROGERS (50121). 3rd Dec. 1942.  
 8th Dec. 1942.  
 564180 Leslie Frank COMPTON (49710).  
 561483 Willie James CROCKFORD (49713).

560728 Francis Edmund TRUSCOTT (49714).  
 532285 Frank Ernest PRIOR (49940). 30th Dec. 1942.  
 526133 George MORSON (50532). 1st Jan. 1943.  
 567401 Clifford John TURNER (49931). 16th Jan. 1943.  
 551481 Horace Archibald John MILLS (50719). 22nd Jan. 1943.  
 567741 Thomas Edward PARSONS (50721). 28th Jan. 1943.  
 564774 Henry Frederick Challenger STRATTON (50620). 12th Feb. 1943.  
 To be Actg. Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—  
 Flt. Sgts.  
 523315 Edward Thomas HUTCHINGS (49011). 1st July 1942. (*Seny. 12th May 1942.*)  
 561527 Edward DAVIES (50194). 23rd Feb. 1943.  
 506158 Frederick Albert Henry JENKINS (50855). 17th Dec. 1942.  
 365412 Wt. Off. G. C. ILES (50327) to be Actg. Plt. Off. on prob. (emergency). 10th Dec. 1942. (Subs. for notfn. of 9th Feb. 1943 (p. 703, col. 2.))

## Amendments.

In notfn. of 3rd Mar. 1942 (p. 1017, col. 1) concerning 352836 Wt. Off R. SLADE (47428) for Plt. Off. *read* Flg. Off.  
 In notfn. of 5th May 1942 (p. 1973, col. 1) concerning 335465 Wt. Off. R. W. DAVIS (48492) and 347397 Wt. Off. G. E. COLLINS (48490) for Plt. Off. *read* Flg. Off.  
 In notfn. of 29th Sept. 1942 (p. 4217, col. 2) concerning 361694 Wt. Off. K. H. H. ELLIS (48037) for Plt. Off. *read* Flg. Off.  
 In notfn. of 2nd Mar. 1943 (p. 1027, col. 1) for Charles John KEEBLE *read* Charles John Edward KEEBLE (50645).

## ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

To be Flg. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—  
 Wt. Offs.  
 363768 John BURROWS (49584). 2nd Sept. 1942. (*Seny. 8th July 1942.*)  
 352586 Lionel George BARRAND (50883). 17th Feb. 1943.  
 To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—  
 Wt. Offs.  
 590005 Raymond Vincent MILLINGTON (50487). 18th Dec. 1942.  
 515126 Alec James Albert WOOD (50505). 28th Dec. 1942.  
 514825 Terence WRIGHT (50728). 28th Jan. 1943.  
 Flt. Sgts.  
 18th Jan. 1943.  
 518539 Arthur Herbert SMITH (50673).  
 506694 William Arthur STREET (50726).  
 1st Feb. 1943.  
 527289 Reginald Rupert MORLEY (50668).  
 617236 Stanley Laight SHAW (50729).  
 591176 Wilfrid Spendla TAGG (50799).  
 525100 Alan HUGHES (50770). 9th Feb. 1943.  
 516142 Herbert William HOBSON (50354). 11th Feb. 1943.

## Actg. Flt. Sgt.

651994 Frank Harry SPEAKE (51067). 27th Feb. 1943.  
 Sgts.  
 539021 Thomas Herbert WILFORD (49169). 3rd Aug. 1942. (*Seny. 29th May 1942.*)  
 614564 Robert Geoffrey Watson SCHOLES (50784). 31st Jan. 1943.  
 533513 Michael John HALLINAN (50769). 4th Feb. 1943.  
 546873 Thomas Heddle MOAD (51019). 21st Feb. 1943.  
 Cpls.  
 639032 Richard Charrington STEEL (50640). 18th Jan. 1943.  
 518176 John Proctor LEACEY (50724). 30th Jan. 1943.

## EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

To be Flg. Off. on prob. (emergency):—  
 Wt. Off.  
 352907 George Edward RAY (50474). 1st Feb. 1943.  
 To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—  
 Wt. Off.  
 505624 Ernest George NICHOLLS (49152). 29th Nov. 1942. (*Seny. 15th June 1942.*)

## Flt. Sgts.

515021 Henry Lawrence WOODHOUSE (49159).  
13th Oct. 1942. (*Seny. 25th June 1942.*)  
628747 John James Haggett HARDING (50674).  
24th Jan. 1943.  
541483 Albert ONIONS (50791). 7th Feb. 1943.  
The undermentioned relinquish their ranks  
at their own request and are transfd. to the Gen.  
Duties Br. in the rank of Plt. Off.:—  
15th Jan. 1943.  
Sqn. Ldr. A. W. RHODES (31294).  
Flt. Lt. J. P. BEALE (31257).  
Flg. Off. P. G. TILBROOK (45088). 19th Feb.  
1943.

**Amendment.**

In notifi. of 1st Dec. 1942 (p. 5218, col. 2)  
concerning 511766 Flt. Sgt. R. C. KEMP (48612),  
for Flt. Sgt. read Wt. Off.

**ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.**

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

## Wt. Off.

590872 Gilbert Edwin HORLEY (50898). 10th  
Feb. 1943.

## Sgt.

531384 William Homo BUNDY (50793). 16th  
Feb. 1943.

Flt. Lt. E. F. RIDDELL (21338) relinquishes his  
rank at his own request and is transfd. to the  
Gen. Duties Br. in the rank of Plt. Off. 30th Dec.  
1942.

**Amendment.**

In notifi. of 5th May 1942 (p. 1974, col. 1)  
concerning 351961 Wt. Off. H. W. E. WHITE  
(48509) for Plt. Off. read Flg. Off.

**RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.****GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.**

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

Sqn. Ldr. L. J. FRY (39229). 18th Mar. 1943.

Flt. Lt. J. W. B. VERNON (37335). 19th Mar.  
1943.

**ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.**

To be Flt. Lts. in Class CC.:—

Arthur Frederick PETERSON. 4th Mar. 1943.

12th Mar. 1943.

Edgar Stafford JONES.

William Robert Shurmer LOCHERY.

Thomas John WADSON. 22nd Mar. 1943.

To be Flg. Off. in class CC.:—

William WAKEHAM. 11th Mar. 1943.

To be Plt. Offs. in class CC. 12th Mar. 1943:—

Eric Henry Hartley BOOTH.

Augustus Cecil BUSBY.

Alfred William HILLS.

George WEBSTER.

Wg. Cdr. M. SYDNEY-SMITH relinquishes the  
rank of Wg. Cdr. in class CC. at his own request  
and assumes that of Sqn. Ldr. 17th Mar. 1943.

**EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**

Flt. Lt. T. I. PLANT (41130) relinquishes his  
rank at his own request and is transfd. to the  
Gen. Duties Br. in the rank of Plt. Off. 18th  
Dec. 1942.

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

## Wt. Offs.

740863 Leonard Aubrey CROZIER (141472). 2nd  
Aug. 1942.

922229 Denis Graham William TAYLER  
(141476). 21st Sept. 1942.

740778 Arthur William POWELL-WIFFIN (141455).  
5th Oct. 1942.

755679 William Henry FORD (141013). 14th Dec.  
1942.

742497 George William SCHOON, D.F.C. (141463).  
26th Dec. 1942.

923201 Churton Stewart ROWLAND (141458).  
29th Dec. 1942.

759125 John Raymond FAIRLAM (141014). 12th  
Jan. 1943.

14th Jan. 1943.

749542 Wilfred AIRS (141023).

742073 Harry BASHFORD (141156).

741969 Edward William CRANWELL (141532).  
7th Feb. 1943.

745762 Norman Thomas ATKINSON (141471). 7th  
Mar. 1943.

## Flt. Sgts.

748322 William Robert Sands DAVIDSON  
(141470). 15th June 1942.  
970587 Reginald Herbert MERRIFIELD (141009).  
20th Sept. 1942.  
746870 William Henry Victor JANNAWAY  
(141392). 4th Oct. 1942.  
972293 Wilfred Stubley AKEROYD, D.F.M.  
(141275). 29th Oct. 1942.  
1377675 Denis Buckley WEBB (141464). 17th  
Nov. 1942.  
954757 Douglas Ernest FRENCH (137332). 22nd  
Nov. 1942.

3rd Dec. 1942.

938030 John Leslie HOLMES (141151).

991422 Dennis Stuart RICHARDS (141152).

962722 Horace John ROE, D.F.M. (141281).  
9th Dec. 1942.

749509 Andrew LORIMER (141018). 11th Dec.  
1942.

927269 Alan John Alexander WOOLLARD, D.F.M.  
(141157). 17th Dec. 1942.

934761 Max Leon GODDEN (141533). 21st Dec.  
1942.

990903 Alfred MEE (141284). 29th Dec. 1942.

959155 James Sidney BUTTON (141158). 6th  
Jan. 1943.

922055 Jack Allen GOOD (139945). 8th Jan.  
1943.

801583 Philip Edward HUCKIN (151056). 10th  
Jan. 1943.

11th Jan. 1943.

1181381 Jacques Edward CRYER (141282).

920521 Arthur John DOWTY (141283).

1288028 Eric Outram LODGE (141155).

992196 David Taylor OLIVER (141467).

14th Jan. 1943.

745558 Kenneth Burns FULLER (141272).

1065334 Samuel BENEDICT (141529).

1059692 James Hector HEADINGS (141017). 15th  
Jan. 1943.

1176955 Hector Bernard DUFFETT (141020). 17th  
Jan. 1943.

1161397 Peter SMAILES (139925). 19th Jan.  
1943.

21st Jan. 1943.

922719 Ronald Alex CLISBY (141277).

939860 John Richardson MCCALL (141276).

812197 Harold George RIDLEY (141278).

1183015 Norman John STRONELL (141395).

959050 Eric Harry MANTLE, D.F.M. (141279).  
25th Jan. 1943.

26th Jan. 1943.

747944 George Harold Charles BARNES (141398).

903954 Peter Cecil Eustace COX (141720).

30th Jan. 1943.

922905 Kenneth Norman ROWLEY (141270).

1161447 Charles Clayton CORDER (141015).

4th Feb. 1943.

1052822 John FIELDS (141154).

755993 Ernest Eaton LAUGHTON (141396).

1059402 William Henry HOLLAND (141397). 5th  
Feb. 1943.

655572 Thomas DIXON (141521). 8th Feb. 1943.

1217238 John Rawson THOMPSON (141457). 9th  
Feb. 1943.

755230 Thomas GOULD, D.F.M. (141399). 10th  
Feb. 1943.

1292763 John Charles Henry DAVIES (141523).  
17th Feb. 1943.

## Tempy. Flt. Sgts.

755905 George Henry Ford Goodwin GREGORY,  
D.F.M. (141285). 8th Oct. 1942.

1187345 Dennis Herbert ACWORTH (141163).  
11th Dec. 1942.

922016 James Edward ORCHARD (139926). 7th  
Jan. 1943.

## Sgts.

17th Sept. 1942.

953559 Arthur James EVANS (141401).

932079 Leonard George RALPH (141393).

1250696 Guy Forrester CALDWELL (141150). 26th  
Sept. 1942.

936371 Frederick Charles William STEWART  
(141011). 2nd Oct. 1942.

1293509 Herbert Francis DAY (139954). 5th  
Nov. 1942.

952112 Henry Owen Gerald THOMAS (139476).  
11th Nov. 1942.

1164644 Alan Pridmore BROWN (141025). 17th  
Nov. 1942.

- 1285164 William Edward LANCHBERY (141149).  
18th Nov. 1942.
- 20th Nov. 1942.
- 1265214 Samuel Thomas PADDON (135123).  
1079442 Harry Glendining PATTISON (141466).  
1051479 Richard Spencer BOURNE (141162). 21st  
Nov. 1942.
- 658705 Leonard Harold Gordon OAKSHOTT  
(141525). 24th Nov. 1942.
- 1291736 Albert George O'SHAUGHNESSY  
(141526). 7th Dec. 1942.
- 1378842 Eric Herbert Demaine NELSON  
(141462). 8th Dec. 1942.
- 9th Dec. 1942.
- 1386976 Herbert Henry WRIGHT, D.F.M.  
(141271).
- 1311026 David Anthony BOYLE (141394).
- 1105588 Kenneth DAVIDSON (141400). 10th  
Dec. 1942.
- 12th Dec. 1942.
- 1360433 Andrew Orr Forsyth WATT (141280).  
1013196 Peter Douglas Maurice RACKOW  
(141160).
- 1062256 John William STRAIN, D.F.M. (141161).  
13th Dec. 1942.
- 18th Dec. 1942.
- 639431 John Lionel Eric BALL (136440).  
754896 Henry Edward BRYANT (136467).
- 858968 Thomas Kenneth GRAVES (135413). 19th  
Dec. 1942.
- 1061035 George Brian SNAPE (141518). 20th  
Dec. 1942.
- 658021 David Balfour HUME (136846). 25th  
Dec. 1942.
- 1024199 Stanley Arthur GOODACRE (141026).  
30th Dec. 1942.
- 2nd Jan. 1943.
- 1338222 Peter Lisle BULLOCK (135914).  
1502729 George Richard CHAFFE (135923).  
1505018 Leslie GREEN (135922).  
1552171 Arthur Knight HUNTER (135916).  
1575500 Douglas Victor MANSELL (135913).
- 1381073 Clifford Sidney ROGERS (141459). 4th  
Jan. 1943.
- 932787 Vivian Frederick Roy KENWARD  
(142269). 6th Jan. 1943.
- 914308 Philip George LOUISIS (141022). 7th  
Jan. 1943.
- 656417 Alfred Edward BROWN (141474). 9th  
Jan. 1943.
- 1379851 Jack JACQUES (141524). 10th Jan. 1943.  
1372640 John Meikle DYMCK (141016). 12th  
Jan. 1943.
- 1181096 Patrick Hector CONROY (141019). 13th  
Jan. 1943.
- 1312731 David Alan GOLD (141470). 16th Jan.  
1943.
- 1112430 William Stuart GREGORY (141012). 17th  
Jan. 1943.
- 761256 Gerald BEAUMONT (141153). 19th Jan.  
1943.
- 1330762 James Elam MITCHELL (141461). 21st  
Jan. 1943.
- 22nd Jan. 1943.
- 849986 Norman Hathway GALE (151013).  
968290 Donald Frank HENSHAW (151014).  
648471 Lawrence Arthur UNDERWOOD (151066).
- 1229118 Norman Jack GRIMWOOD (138784).  
24th Jan. 1943.
- 1332172 Warner OTTLEY (141460). 25th Jan.  
1943.
- 27th Jan. 1943.
- 1187628 John Maurice TIGHE (141022).  
955780 John MALLETT (141010).
- 1316154 Charles Roy PARKER (141527). 28th  
Jan. 1943.
- 921207 Henry Charles SHARPE (141024). 29th  
Jan. 1943.
- 30th Jan. 1943.
- 1068988 Ronald CHADWICK (141531).  
1287984 William John CORBET (141530).  
1318566 Ernest Edward TINGLEY (141268).
- 1062564 Norman Robson VARDY (141391). 31st  
Jan. 1943.
- 1316022 Keith EGGLESTON (141519). 1st Feb.  
1943.
- 1385658 Robert John FOWLES (141522). 6th  
Feb. 1943.
- 949296 Lawrence Alexander INGRAM (141273).  
11th Feb. 1943.
- 13th Feb. 1943.
- 1270711 Bernard Harry STANLEY (141274).  
1212300 George Albert GRIFFITHS (141468).  
1281398 Roland John FIELDER (141159).
- 1369268 George RIACH (141465). 15th Feb.  
1943.
- 1365773 William Gordon SHEARER (141528).  
17th Feb. 1943.
- Cpls.
- 960780 Charles Frederick HALL (136434). 18th  
Dec. 1942.
- 659058 James Joseph HYLAND (136851). 25th  
Dec. 1942.
- 30th Dec. 1942.
- 753304 Herbert Hugh HAMBLING (138487).  
989625 Neil Dorein HAMILTON-MEIKLE (136834).  
940491 Raymond Frederick DEATH (150024).  
1st Jan. 1943.
- 969776 John WILKINSON (151058). 10th Jan.  
1943.
- 1156894 Frank George ARLISS (151047). 22nd  
Jan. 1943.
- 1365544 Thomas NEISON (138890). 6th Feb.  
1943.
- Tempy. Cpls.
- 18th Dec. 1942.
- 980996 Peter John HUNTLEY (136461).  
910528 John William Edward MATTHEWS  
(136462).
- Ldg. Acm.
- 1384383 Aubrey Carlton LEE (127096). 17th  
July 1942.
- 14th Aug. 1942.
- 1088328 Albert Edward NORRIS (128487).  
1391896 John William DAVIES (128486).  
915598 Jack Laver CORNISH (128453).  
998734 James McATAMNEY (130556). 5th Sept.  
1942.
- 11th Sept. 1942.
- 1392887 William Albert Martin BIRT (130601).  
1315086 Donald Stanley William HARRISSON  
(130604).  
1339172 Kenneth Charles PARSONS (130602).  
658373 Louis Charles SCHAUERLIEN (130603).  
1242067 Stanley Colston WILLIAMS (130605).
- 25th Sept. 1942.
- 1232871 Edward William McCREANOR (130995).  
Colin HAYLEY (130637).
- 9th Oct. 1942
- 1455341 Arthur DENNIS (131594).  
1319755 Norman Alfred Henry LYES (132154).  
1099351 Arthur WOODWARD (131966).
- 17th Oct. 1942.
- 1494799 John Veitch FERGUSON (130298).  
1474376 David Douglas Ernest RODGERS  
(130302).
- 655724 Alexander DAVIS (132781). 23rd Oct.  
1942.
- 785067 Thomas Fleming BUCHANAN (131622).  
24th Oct. 1942.
- 1322008 Cecil George HILL (132380). 31st Oct.  
1942.
- 6th Nov. 1942.
- 1429741 George James BEARDSALL (133428).  
1213155 Norman Greville BUTLER (134152).  
1097307 Harry Geoffrey BANKS (133634).  
1247551 William Edward John BYFORD (133636).  
1394687 Maurice Herbert EXTON (133665).  
1385733 Owen George EAVES (133638).  
1575579 Albert Norman GROOME (133625).  
1389451 Eric William BLACKBURN (133432).
- 1393020 Fred GRIBBLE (134098). 10th Nov.  
1942.
- 20th Nov. 1942.
- 1318600 Francis Hull HEPWORTH (135122).  
1388924 Albert John Reginald KNIGHTS (135128).  
1397455 David MERRY (135135).  
1317185 Richard William Holroyd QUINTON  
(135132).  
1317322 William John Rees REDMAN (135131).  
1224394 Geoffrey Charles ROGERS (135119).  
1348507 Henry SMITH (135133).  
1397456 Harold Victor STINSON (135126).  
1399229 Richard Meredith Christopher SWAN  
(135125).  
1534178 Ralph Scott ANYON (134537).  
1534034 John Vincent James DENNEY (134534).  
1503946 John TYRER (134538).  
959746 Albert George TRACEY GARDINER (134548).  
1431270 Arthur CHARLTON (134557).  
1319748 Donald Marsden COATES (134562).

4th Dec. 1942.

- 1341900 Colin Terris WYSE (135661).  
 1555998 Francis David LOCKEY (136056).  
 1455059 John Davis IBBOTSON (136414).  
 605472 Thomas MacLaren IRONSIDE (136417).  
 1254974 Dennis Victor KEEP (136421).  
 1458786 George Colin LAMB (136413).  
 605477 Evariste SEHEULT (136411).  
 1451991 Clifford BIRD (135609).  
 1452224 Frederick Charles BLACKSHAW (135604).  
 1507960 Alistair Melville BROWN (135603).  
 1443807 Roy COLEBROOK (135614).  
 1385892 Martin William ENEFER (135611).  
 1566001 John Charles Fraser GIBSON (135615).  
 658939 James ISMAY (135613).  
 1394296 Victor Clover Pitt JEWERS (135606).  
 1554337 Sinclair Gunn MACDONALD (135612).  
 658898 Hyman SNEIDER (135608).  
 957848 Leonard Harris SMITH (135605).  
 1334223 Harold George BENSON (135497).  
 950328 Robert William BREVITT (135502).

1393025 John O'REGAN (136430). 11th Dec. 1942.

12th Dec. 1942.

- 1078763 George CUBBY (139255).  
 1577363 Ralph JORDAN (135102).  
 1555241 David Alexander SMITH (135106).

18th Dec. 1942.

- 1563083 John Taylor BUCHAN (136441).  
 936015 Laurence HALL (136444).  
 1508289 Elwyn Idris JONES (136435).  
 1389359 Reginald Samuel SALES (136436).  
 1392040 Harold DEVON (136397).  
 1476781 Arthur SYDDALL (136398).  
 1322649 Richard Charles BURRIDGE (136378).  
 1540687 Alan Francis CREBBIN (136385).  
 1322234 Peter Charles DENNY (136377).  
 657047 George Kenneth BLUNT (136466).  
 1621394 John Frederick BOOTH (136463).  
 1607009 Andrew Sheppard CARTER (136465).  
 1381682 Leonard George GRAY (136452).  
 1439433 John Robert HILL (136459).  
 1313251 Lionel Lewis Arthur JOHN (136447).  
 1453552 Kenneth Lister KILNER (136458).  
 1498308 Kenneth John NIXON (136469).  
 1531186 William Jenner POWELL (136453).  
 1388651 Alan THOMPSON (136455).  
 658092 John Francis LEE (136860).  
 1452213 Edward George BROWN (136897).

1548791 George Brian GIBSON (135412). 19th Dec. 1942.

25th Dec. 1942.

- 977486 John Innes DODDS (136856).  
 1576087 Stanley Frederick Colin HOMER (136850).

30th Dec. 1942.

- 1245809 Thomas Anthony CORR (138491).  
 963751 John Cecil FRANCIS (138492).  
 1439528 William Herbert Louis GODSLAVE (138483).  
 1320187 Leonard William JENNER (138490).  
 1552374 David McLELLAN (138484).  
 1323340 Cyril Douglas READ (138488).  
 907558 Douglas Campbell WARD-CAMPBELL (138485).  
 1318027 Wilfred Frank WESTON (138489).  
 658423 Alexander Robert COCHRANE (138482).  
 1254855 Eric Donald WIDGER (138481).  
 1504245 Arthur Frederick MAUDE (138060).  
 1557648 Ronald Sinclair ORR (138059).  
 1396411 John Edward PRICE (138050).  
 1564362 Robert Wylie THOMSON (138057).  
 1537397 John THOMPSON (138054).  
 1339718 Arthur William TILLEY (138053).  
 1577668 Dennis VAUGHAN (138051).  
 1323250 Eric VICKERS (138049).  
 1339695 James Roy WALDRON (138055).  
 1579814 Samuel WILLIAMS (138052).  
 1319409 Ronald HARPIN (138474).  
 1319240 John Henry HARWOOD (138478).  
 1040465 Peter John PLAYFAIR (138476).  
 1392971 William Jack REES (138473).  
 1322799 William Thomas SWAIN (138475).  
 1382325 Anthony Daniel TOMPSON (138477).  
 1319378 Norman Clifford HARRIS (138121).  
 1338608 Cecil David CHIRIGHIN (137076).  
 659052 John Scott RAGLES (138068).  
 1552263 James Donald SAIDLER (138072).  
 1394428 William George SEYMOUR (138066).  
 1017854 Stanley David SMITH (138070).  
 902015 Walter Gervase TIBBITS (138069).  
 658797 John Richard YORK (138077).  
 1340230 Samuel Henry HOLLERIN (138468).

- 1452937 John CHADDERTON (138464).  
 1510704 Jack THOMAS (138463).  
 1481884 Leslie Albert HUDSON (136835).  
 1386208 Wyndham George JOHNSON (136836).  
 1800492 Ian Scott WARREN (136833).  
 1392794 Vasco Ortigao GILBERT (136832).  
 1438961 Arthur Jardine TURNBULL (136842).  
 1434079 Leslie TAYLOR (136841).  
 977729 Frank Allen LEWIS (136830).  
 1393743 Richard Denis MOORE (136843).  
 1385186 Albert George PAYNE (136844).

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- 1391699 Hubert James COLENUTT (150042).  
 John Anthony WHITAMORE (150014).  
 918150 Charles Godfrey HINTON (150038).  
 1537021 James Clement HORNBY (150016).  
 1533980 Harold HOYLE (150061).  
 1080308 Joseph Percy HUNT (150065).  
 1577439 Robert Charles HUNTER (150009).  
 1396155 Gordon John HUSSEY (150010).  
 1385447 Eric Geoffrey HUTCHIN (150040).  
 963873 Ronald Thomas JOHNSON (150044).  
 1390681 Hubert John Benedict KEILY (150023).  
 1395685 Anthony Frank LAVENDER (150051).  
 1335077 Michael John LLOYD (150025).  
 1179154 John Ravenscroft MOORE (150034).  
 1473335 Thomas MOORE (150068).  
 1508000 James Edmund NORTH (150030).  
 1483105 Bryan Paul O'HAGAN (150008).  
 1439225 Eric Claude ORR (150012).  
 1454041 Brian Louis PARTRIDGE (150052).  
 1576614 Douglas POLLARD (150050).  
 1452315 Thomas William REECE (150026).  
 1503928 Bertram Mead Denton BARKER (150001).  
 1450071 Kenneth John BELLAMY (150062).  
 1484668 William George BENNETT (150011).  
 1319094 Frederick James BLAKE (150022).  
 1545460 Ian McKenzie BRISCOE (150036).  
 1387372 John Cyril BURNUP (150059).  
 1368519 Rowland William CARTER (150064).  
 1321451 William George CLARK (150037).  
 749858 Hubert Gordon DAVIES (150046).  
 1217990 Charles Christopher DEANE (150039).  
 1553991 George Crichton Thomson DEAS (150032).  
 1321288 Joseph Hart DOWNS (150031).  
 1187384 Robin Andrew ELVERSON (150027).  
 1453703 Harry GILL (150063).  
 921161 David William GUTTRIDGE (150045).  
 770171 Peter Henry HALE (150020).  
 1099911 James Everett HARTLEY (150041).  
 1576384 Albert Frank RICHARDSON (150066).  
 1411155 Haydn Llewellyn RIDD (150019).  
 1447795 Stanley Ernest ROGERS (150033).  
 1452808 Thomas ROUND (150002).  
 959532 Edward SCOTT (150043).  
 1324437 Michael Howard SHELTON (150006).  
 1538880 Gordon SMITH (150048).  
 1585272 Gerald Arthur SMITH (150004).  
 1575893 Donald STEVENS (150017).  
 1451548 Thomas Kenneth STOTHARD (150018).  
 1320166 Gordon Stuart TAYLOR (150067).  
 1325493 Roland Edgar TEMPLE (150049).  
 1436867 Barton WALKER (150060).  
 1322569 Collyn Warwick WARREN (150005).  
 1577522 James Cunningham WILSON (150021).  
 1560053 James Reid WILSON (150057).  
 1507638 Ronald WOOLLACOTT (150028).  
 1123993 Joseph Henry ZANZOTTERA (150058).  
 1148116 John Maynard TONES (135782). 2nd Jan. 1943.  
 9th Jan. 1943.  
 921103 Reginald Harold Walton BILLINGTON (136475).  
 1120973 Walter Moffat TAIT (136476).  
 10th Jan. 1943.  
 1318924 William MARSDEN (151059).  
 1179571 James OSBORNE (151055).  
 1392435 John James VAUGHAN (151060).  
 1337172 Charles Edward MEERES (151053).  
 11th Jan. 1943.  
 1320997 Jean Raymond ARNAUD (150069).  
 1339022 John Herbert ASHLEY (150070).  
 1338854 John COLLINS (150073).  
 1501291 Austin Guy FENWICK (150072).  
 1339055 Lewis MAGNUS (150071).  
 1436341 Arthur Lea SEAMAN (150074).  
 1452593 Robert Sydney FARAGHER (151095).  
 1323792 Arthur Joseph PAINTER (151098).  
 1323618 Ronald Charles WICKENS (151091).  
 1323625 John Harker WYATT (151094).  
 1436988 William Henry GRAHAM (151100).

1317346 Noel William Errol Sydney HOPKINS (150075). 14th Jan. 1943.  
 1322823 Henry Thomas HILLS (151071). 15th Jan. 1943.  
 16th Jan. 1943.  
 1165216 Keith BOTTRILL (136489).  
 1622258 Samuel POTTS (136488).  
 1393839 Gerald Ralph PRITCHETT (136490).  
 1223331 Eric Leonard SANDIFER (136487).  
 1425504 Edward Chisholm ALLISON (136208).  
 1388427 Frederick Harry BURDETT (136209).  
 778940 Robert Peter CARMODY (80470).  
 778963 John Alfred KONSCHER (80471).  
 1498467 Eric LIDDLE (136210).  
 1339500 Thomas Abel ROSKILLY (136211).  
 1334381 Geoffrey Gordon SAUNDERS (136212).  
 992736 Stanley Raymond SHACKLETON (136213).  
 1316669 George Roy SKEATES (136214).  
 778677 Edward Albert TURNER (80472).  
 1388840 Dennis Gordon VORLEY (136215).  
 22nd Jan. 1943.  
 1169705 Leslie FLETCHER (151050).  
 1239028 Peter Neville GARNER (151049).  
 1387212 Alan William Holgar FRENZEL (151003).  
 1338769 William James Albert LANE (151002).  
 1488170 Frank MARWOOD (151036).  
 1387523 Leonard Edgar FISHER (151011).  
 1509808 Dennis John BOURKE (151018).  
 1339479 Kenneth Howell Hill COOK (151017).  
 1250283 Patrick Desmond Olpherto CORYTON (151015).  
 1431570 Kenneth DUTTON (151020).  
 1007928 John Young JOHNSON (151021).  
 1411756 Jeffrey William NEWMAN (151023).  
 658821 Wilfrid Selwyn PRYCE-WILLIAMS (151019).  
 952695 Harold GREATWICH (151065).  
 657009 William Durrant Squier JACKSON (151072).  
 914279 William Henry Charles PATEMAN (151062).  
 1399294 Harry Frederick RAYNHAM (151064).  
 23rd Jan. 1943.  
 1051852 William Ernest BRADLEY (137148).  
 1579398 Allan Edward BROWN (137147).  
 1510332 Cyril COLWILL (137150).  
 1557391 Joshua Ellis EMERY (137149).  
 1390311 Alexander Mackintosh FLOOD (137151).  
 842881 Jack Ronald GREEN (137152).  
 1452927 Stanley Wheeler JOHNSON (137153).  
 1483338 George Harold LOUDEN (137154).  
 1461491 Owen Edward Parry NEWCATER (137156).  
 1337966 Kenneth James POOLE (137157).  
 1435689 Robert STEAD (137158).  
 1323010 Frank Ernest THOMAS (137159).  
 1437977 Eric CROWTHER (136521).  
 1576857 Alan Howard EADES (136523).  
 1360370 Alfred HUMBERSTON (136522).  
 1246836 Alan SCOTT (136524).  
 1270801 Oswald Merwin GILMOUR (136910).  
 1392343 Norman Allan MARSTON (136912).  
 1479322 John Eric PARKINSON (136913).  
 6th Feb. 1943.  
 1609462 Charles Arthur EDWARDS (138891).  
 1082523 Stanley O'Connor TATE (138889).  
 1397467 Cyril Ewart Lionel GRANT (138338).  
 1397596 Arthur Leonard KELLOW (138337).  
 1580087 Ronald Etheridge CHESSEY (138785).  
 1586260 John Bertram HOUSE (138787).  
 1456787 Harry Trevor RAMSDEN (138791).  
 1489923 William Leslie ROBINSON (138790).  
 1464952 Frank ROGERS (138792).  
 1323717 Thomas SANDHAM (138793).  
 13th Feb. 1943.  
 1385438 Harold Thomas MASKELL (139295).  
 1223267 Percival Thomas BOALCH (137383).  
 1212182 William Charles John LORD (137385).  
 20th Feb. 1943.  
 1155034 William Albert HARVEY (139326).  
 1295894 Ivor John Aubrey LUSCOMBE (139325).  
 Eric Louis HARRIS (124751) to be Actg. Plt. Off. on prob (emergency). 3rd Feb. 1943.  
 To be transfd to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br.:—  
 Flt. Lt. H. F. WELTE (75170). 17th Mar. 1943.

Flt. Lt. J. DEWAR (85257). 19th Mar. 1943.  
 Flg. Off. D. J. CRUTE (118140). 17th Mar. 1943.

Flg. Off. W. E. STEELE (102125) takes rank and precedence as if his appt. as Flg. Off. bore date 21st Nov. 1942. Reduction to take effect from 21st Nov. 1942.

Flg. Off. G. A. G. BOWDEN (84286) relinquishes his commn. on appt. to the Chaplains' Br. 17th Mar. 1943.

Plt. Off. (prob.) T. McEWAN (108828) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health. 20th Mar. 1943.

The commn. of Flg. Off. (prob.) R. E. VANE (117694) is terminated. 25th Mar. 1943.

Plt. Off. N. E. WAUGH (88045) is dismissed the Service by sentence of General Court-Martial. 28th Oct. 1942.

#### Amendments.

In notfn. of 10th Feb. 1942 (p. 666 col. 2) concerning 1289106 John Fraser ANDERSON (115321) for Fraser read Francis.

In notfn. of 3rd Nov. 1942 (p. 4757 col. 1) concerning:—

John CRAMPTON (131910),  
 Philip Victor Glas SANDEMAN (131911),  
 John Philip Tweedale THOMSON (131912).  
 Donald WRIGHT (131913),  
 Charles Hanbury WILLIAMS (131637),  
 Dennis Wilmot JACOB (131638),  
 for 1st Sept. 1941, read 1st Sept. 1942.

In notfn. of 24th November, 1942 (p. 5102, col. 2) concerning:—

1391585 Raymond John HOPKINS (129481).  
 1498886 William Alan Clarke PATTERSON (129483),  
 1391614 Frank Leonard HEWISH (129480).  
 for 18th Sept. 1942 read 19th Sept. 1942.

In notfn. of 1st Dec. 1942 (p. 5220 col. 1) concerning list of officers commencing with 1391365 John Albert BYROM (129164) and ending with 1338709 Arthur SIDNEY (129162).  
 for 18th Sept. 1942, read 19th Sept. 1942.

In notfn. of 1st Dec. 1942 (p. 5220 col. 2) concerning:—

1387244 Albert Frank TOWERS (130237),  
 1392124 Norman Frank SIBLEY (130238),  
 1342387 William Rhymer SIMPSON (130239),  
 1553516 Ronald RUNCIMAN (130240).  
 for 13th Oct. 1942, read 29th Sept. 1942.

#### TECHNICAL BRANCH.

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

801276 Gilbert Henry HARNDEN (131759). 23rd Oct. 1942.

18775 Lewis MORGAN (136556). 26th Jan. 1943.

Actg. Wt. Off.

349823 Reginald Charles CAMBERS (133601). 4th Jan. 1943.

Flt. Sgts.

362727 Charles Horace WELLS (131850). 16th Jan. 1943.

939965 Harold Norman COLLEY (137653). 23rd Jan. 1943.

510640 Donald ROBBIE (137183). 13th Feb. 1943.

Actg. Flt. Sgts.

963691 Albert Frederick Douglas GIDDY (134914). 29th Dec. 1942.

954663 Andrew SIM (139348). 13th Mar. 1943.

Sgts.

916030 Bennett George HALPIN (134171). 9th Dec. 1942.

1011783 Robert Lloyd CLOSE (135991). 26th Dec. 1942.

952633 Norman KIRBY (138009). 11th Feb. 1943.

Cpls.

1163250 Ernest George PITT (131849). 26th Oct. 1942.

1325379 Gerald Raymond HOSKER (134323). 7th Jan. 1943.

3rd Feb. 1943.

1274799 Felix John BRITT-COMPTON (137093).  
 952979 Vernon SMITH (137092).

Ldg. Acms.

1239820 Albert Frederick JEFREE (132978). 17th Nov. 1942.

968369 John Colin CRAIGEN (136235). 13th Jan. 1943.

701398 William RAMSHAW (136233). 22nd Feb. 1943.



Acm. 1st Cl.

969940 Malcolm FRASER (134345). 18th Dec. 1942.

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

760386 Norman Edward Noel GUY (135889). 26th Dec. 1942.

Flt. Sgt.

998355 Leo Gambetta CHANDLER (135839). 24th Dec. 1942.

Actg. Plt. Off. (prob.) J. A. MACDONALD (115873) is transf'd. to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 25th Mar. 1943.

Flt. Lt. J. ARMES (74047) resigns his commn. and retains his rank. 17th Mar 1943.

BALLOON BRANCH.

To be Plt. Off. on prob. (emergency):—  
1169144 Ldg. Acm. James Dunlop McINTOSH (136748). 26th Jan. 1943.

To be transf'd. to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br.:—

Flt. Lts.:—

S. E. MANN (78288). 10th Mar. 1943.

18th Mar. 1943.

L. S. DUFFILL (75278).

L. E. A. PEACHEY (78105).

L. C. LOVELL (82766).

L. H. DARBY (87086).

22nd Mar. 1943.

E. F. PRESSLAND (79726).

H. S. SAMUEL (84053).

Flg. Offs.:—

J. M. CARTER (112327). 4th Feb. 1943.

J. JAMES (122795). 26th Feb. 1943.

22nd Mar. 1943.

J. D. ODELL (81946).

E. V. TURNER (85035).

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

To be Flt. Lts. on prob. (emergency):—  
David WOORE (140839). 1st Mar. 1942.  
Henry Arthur WILMOT (61119). 6th Mar. 1942.

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

341411 James Daniels SANGSTER (137185). 30th Jan. 1943.

Flt. Sgts.

507588 Nicholas TAYLOR (124901). 12th Oct. 1942. (Seny. 24th June 1942.)

19th Jan. 1943.

938542 Harold BALL (136739).

513166 Cyril Tom KEBGAN (136558).

Sgts.

904508 Ronald Arthur PADDON (122564). 30th June 1942. (Seny. 20th May 1942.)

923269 Herbert Andrew ALWARD (133577). 18th Nov. 1942.

1544358 William Oliver DICKINS (136565). 13th Jan. 1943.

15th Jan. 1943.

1250765 Clifford Joseph HOVELL (136024).

513138 John Frederick Charrington NUNN (136945).

901323 James William PARTRIDGE (137604). 18th Jan. 1943.

1268709 Stanley Richard AUDUS (137234). 19th Jan. 1943.

1160579 Ronald Edward HALL (138004). 20th Jan. 1943.

901931 Gilbert Alfred George CHRISTIE (138501) 28th Jan. 1943.

3rd Feb. 1943.

511872 Arthur Cecil HESS (138344).

1005324 Gerald Windsor MUNBY (137930).

1177571 Sidney Allan NIGHTINGALE (136231).

6th Feb. 1943.

974820 James GOLDIE (137934).

1250222 Arthur Laurence KINSEY (137933).

1161355 William Arthur HURST (137932). 7th Feb. 1943.

14th Feb. 1943.

1062819 Thomas Wright HOLTHAM (138499).

914027 Dennis George HUGGETT (138500).

1208186 Nathaniel FREEDLAND (137481). 17th Feb. 1943.

Actg. Sgt

1209925 Arthur HUGHES (139364). 21st Feb. 1943.

Cpls.

752212 Edward Charles George COLLINS (124966). 27th July 1942. (Seny. 5th June 1942.)

526293 Joseph Harold WALKER (129273). 16th Sept. 1942. (Seny. 25th Aug. 1942.)

903197 Edward Alfred HILL (124606). 18th Sept. 1942. (Seny. 16th June 1942.)

1539761 Herbert Paul HALLETT (123337). 20th Sept. 1942. (Seny. 12th Nov. 1941.)

1301839 George Alexander WARDEN (124602). 26th Sept. 1942. (Seny. 16th June 1942.)

970609 Sidney Frederick George MINNEY (124603). 8th Oct. 1942. (Seny. 16th June 1942.)

1282194 Edgar SHEPHERD (124609). 11th Nov. 1942. (Seny. 16th June 1942.)

1025800 George Andrew SMITH (132831). 18th Nov. 1942.

1084379 Wilfred AUBREY (133954). 25th Nov. 1942.

1008685 Harry Francis KERNAN (135107). 22nd Dec. 1942.

776391 Robert Chetwynd FIGOTT (136232). 13th Jan. 1943.

20th Jan. 1943.

746735 John BROUGH (132887).

1010224 Alfred Douglas Leonard OLIVER (136747).

938935 Edward James Carruthers WEBB (137184). 23rd Jan. 1943.

27th Jan. 1943.

931957 Harold James ARCHARD (136737).

1112103 William Aubrey GOODE (136744).

911023 James Claude SHARPE (137186).

991156 Bernard James BARNES (138376). 10th Feb. 1943.

1178818 Maurice Raymond HEWLETT (137931). 13th Feb. 1943.

906646 George Henry APPS (137175). 15th Feb. 1943.

1160179 Jack Lionel CLIFFORD (138375). 20th Feb. 1943.

1061156 Sydney HANCOCK (139315). 24th Feb. 1943.

Ldg. Acm.

1084247 George Matthew Bowser SMITH (125557). 28th Sept. 1942. (Seny. 2nd July 1942.)

1059946 (Robert Hutchison LENNOX (125438). 1st Oct. 1942. (Seny. 2nd July 1942.)

3rd Oct. 1942.

1172186 John Edward Dorrington SLATER (125556). (Seny. 2nd July 1942.)

339534 Stanley Gray JACKSON (129199). (Seny. 3rd Sept. 1942.)

1075192 Kenneth Rycroft PILLING (131546). 30th Oct. 1942.

1152743 Derrick Howard LOOSEMORE (131847). 18th Nov. 1942.

1343251 James HAMILL (133955). 25th Nov. 1942.

1041160 Reginald George THURNHILL (134297). 15th Dec. 1942.

1184985 Stanley John WHITLUM (135443). 28th Dec. 1942.

1258767 George Surtees LODGE (136944). 17th Jan. 1943.

923308 William Alfred Moss (137090). 18th Jan. 1943.

103456 Walter Basil BAYNHAM (136738). 20th Jan. 1943.

21st Jan. 1943.

1162346 David Charles JONES (136025).

1258865 Edward Samuel NURTON (137180).

1253102 John George WILLIAMS (136746).

956058 Joseph Vincent COUPE (138005). 3rd Feb. 1943

1199285 Donald Arthur Phil WOODWARD (137236). 5th Feb. 1943.

1352347 James BETTS (137935). 7th Feb. 1943.

1026637 Roger Melville St. John AVISS (138345). 12th Feb. 1943.

1162244 James HOWARTH (137482). 17th Feb. 1943.

922594 Norman William TUCKER (139338). 23rd Feb. 1943.

1512438 Edward Howard BARTLEY (139483). 24th Feb. 1943.

1092902 Maurice Blin BEER (139347). 1st Mar. 1943.

3rd Mar. 1943.

1205625 Frederick Garfield REES (139593).

1332274 Francis William James WHEELER (139346).

1466852 Francis James CLEMENTS (139825). 5th Mar. 1943.

911210 Ronald William SIMER (138192). 10th Mar. 1943.  
1149066 Fred WHITELEY (140932). 12th Mar. 1943.  
1736589 Charles MIDDLETON (139958). 17th Mar. 1943.

Acm. 1st Cl.

908694 Norman HATCH (125553). 12th Sept. 1942. (*Seny. 2nd July 1942.*)  
1120824 Alexander George BRAND (124375). 24th Sept. 1942. (*Seny. 20th Nov. 1941.*)  
1179505 Richard Frederick LITLEDALE (124607). 28th Sept. 1942. (*Seny. 16th June 1942.*)  
1088385 John Denison TASKER (132976). 29th Nov. 1942.  
1216948 William Jack Bertram STRAY (134296). 8th Dec. 1942.  
1259428 Sidney Charles PENFOLD (138348). 30th Jan. 1943.  
1265364 Nigel Francis D'Oyly BERNARD (136946). 31st Jan. 1943.  
1218898 Donald Stirling CRAIG (138008). 2nd Mar. 1943.  
1612455 Herbert SIMESTER (139594). 3rd Mar. 1943.  
1181925 Henry Oliver HELLIER (138191). 10th Feb. 1943.  
1424502 James Emlyn JONES (140903). 12th Mar. 1943.  
1045392 Sidney LONG (139956). 17th Mar. 1943.

Acm. 2nd Cl.

1288227 Jack Henry Edmond DUKE (124278). 26th Sept. 1942. (*Seny. 8th Dec. 1941.*)  
1529975 Ronald Thomas Cave HEWETT (129681). 4th Oct. 1942. (*Seny. 21st Nov. 1941.*)  
1559327 David Lowe (132748). 11th Nov. 1942.

30th Dec. 1942.

1474923 Stanley James LIDSTONE (135765). 1652417 James Scott WILKIE (135027).  
1631464 Charles Francis OSBORN (138841). 17th Feb. 1943.

17th Mar. 1943.

1643114 John Haydn JONES (140927).  
1556882 Alfred Mackenzie McLEAN (139957).  
1698422 William Sumner SPEDDY (140926).

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

Sgt.

972136 John Thomas WALKER (132480). 2nd Nov. 1942.

Cpl.

1310268 Terence James Rickard TELFORD (138222). 3rd Feb. 1943.

Ldg. Acm.

1365214 Daniel STRACHAN (130148). 28th Sept. 1942.

1352885 Charles Edward RUDDOCK (126987). 6th Oct. 1942. (*Seny. 7th Nov. 1941.*)

1165270 Stanley Ezra Ruskin JUDD (132890). 18th Nov. 1942.

1082465 William James HARRIS (125554). 2nd Jan. 1943.

Acm. 1st Cl.

1624970 John Ernest ARNOLD (132635). 15th Nov. 1942.

909523 Roy Christopher PEVERETT (133011). 21st Dec. 1942.

Acm. 2nd Cl.

1670825 Stanley Robert HAYCOCK (132460). 1st Nov. 1942.

14th Nov. 1942.

1574980 James GILLIES (132469).  
1542438 Eric John HODGSON (132459).

To be hon. Sqn. Ldr.:—

John Garthwaite ANGLES. 12th Mar. 1943.

To be hon. Plt. Off.:—

Ralph PEARCY. 12th Mar. 1943.

Flt. Lt. D. L. RAWNSLEY (70563) is transfd. to the Gen. Duties Br. 19th Feb. 1943.

Flg. Off. D. S. COBBETT (84719) is transfd. to Gen. Duties Br. 1st Aug. 1942.

The undermentioned offs. relinquish their ranks at their own request and are transfd. to the Gen. Duties Br. in the rank of Plt. Off.:—

Flt. Lt. P. C. KENDALL (84473). 1st Jan. 1943.

Flg. Offs.:—

Q. GARDEN (88614). 6th Nov. 1942.

R. J. OWEN (73325). 11th Dec. 1942.

18th Dec. 1942.

D. K. WHEATLEY (78966).  
L. I. STRANGER-JONES (85735).  
R. S. BUSSEY (88143).

R. D. USHERWOOD (62778). 10th Jan. 1943.  
R. F. D. HAMILTON (73213). 8th Feb. 1943.

19th Feb. 1943.

J. B. ROGERS (89002).  
R. H. C. LAIDLAW (60174).

5th Mar. 1943.

J. S. MCARTHEUR (60687).  
J. H. ALEXANDRA (65618).

Plt. Off. (prob.) D. P. LIDDLE (120464) is transfd. to the Equip. Br. 20th Jan. 1943.

Plt. Off. H. F. T. MARTIN (62437) (since promoted) is transfd. to the R.A.F. Regiment. 1st Feb. 1942.

Plt. Off. (prob.) J. B. PARKINSON (129496) relinquishes his commn. on ceasing to be employed. 19th Mar. 1943.

Sqn. Ldr. C. BRAY (73855) resigns his commn. and retains the rank of Wg. Cdr. 1st Apr. 1943.

Flt. Lt. D. PATTERSON, M.B.E. (88505) resigns his commn. and retains the rank of Sqn. Ldr. 16th Mar. 1943.

Flt. Lt. W. B. H. EATON (81461) resigns his commn. and retains his rank. 1st Apr. 1943.

Flg. Off. A. H. ANDREW (105658) resigns his commn. and retains his rank. 1st Apr. 1943.

Flg. Off. L. J. STARKEY (101134) resigns his commn. 25th Mar. 1943.

Flt. Lt. L. F. MILLER (83893) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill health and retains his rank. 1st Feb. 1943.

(Subs. for notifi. of 2nd Mar. 1943 (p. 1030, col. 2)).

#### METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.

To be Flt. Lts. (emergency):—

Robert MURRAY (138341). 27th Feb. 1943.  
Douglas Haig McINTOSH (138846). 28th Feb. 1943.

5th Mar. 1943.

Reginald Thornton ALLENBY (138355).

Robert KENNEDY (138845).

Norman STAFFORD (137456).

John William Henry VINCE (139300).

James WADDELL (138342).

John WELLENS (138343).

#### EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

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

Sgt.

905407 Jack Kirby ADDENBROOKE (137177). 10th Feb. 1943.

Cpls.

905953 Frederic Edward STORRY (124749). 18th Sept. 1942. (*Seny. 23rd June 1942.*)

27th Jan. 1943.

1194705 William Howard BELL (137178).

939508 Robert Cecil MACKIE (137179).

Ldg. Acm.

1033827 Eric Douglas MURRELL (125865). 5th Oct. 1942. (*Seny. 30th June 1942.*)

1085144 James Pringle DODDS (124948). 16th Oct. 1942.

1444234 William Tudor HOWELL-JONES (136026). 31st Jan. 1943.

1369907 Graeme WINRAM (131544). 1st Feb. 1943.

1243333 Percy Herbert Edward LAUDER (138377). 2nd Feb. 1943.

1098962 John Frederick GEORGE (137174). 3rd Feb. 1943.

959000 Walter John William SQUIRES (136561). 28th Feb. 1943.

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

Ldg. Acm.

1260335 Glyndwr HUGHES (134309). 9th Dec. 1942.

Flt. Lt. A. BEARE (72334) relinquishes his rank at his own request and is transfd. to the Gen. Duties Br. in the rank of Plt. Off. 11th Dec. 1942.

Flg. Off. L. J. TITCHMARSH (61455) is dismissed the service by sentence of General Court Martial. 11th Mar. 1943.

#### Amendment.

In notifi. of 9th Feb. 1943 (p. 707, col. 2) concerning 509256 Wt. Off. J. B. GRAHAM (133248) for 19th Dec. 1942, read 19th Nov. 1942.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

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

1023075 Wyness Scott GOULD (135772). 30th Dec. 1942.  
867299 Terence MORGAN (137233). 25th Jan. 1943.

Ldg. Acm

1436849 Sydney James RAINBOW (135774). 30th Dec. 1942.

17th Jan. 1943.

1504334 Robert FLEMING (136745).  
1208511 Anthony Ralph HOLMES (135767).

22nd Jan. 1943.

1169511 William CONDIE (136740).  
1378105 Clifford Henry JOHNSON (138671).

MEDICAL BRANCH.

To be Fig. Offs. (emergency):—  
4th Mar. 1943.

James Oman CRAIG, M.B., Ch.B. (137260).  
Charles Nigel Dallas CRUICKSHANK, M.B., Ch.B. (137261).

James Richard FOUNTAIN, M.B., Ch.B. (137262).  
Alan Geoffrey HARDY, B.M., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (137263).

Stanley Arthur HOLMESTED, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (137264).

Terence Francis MCCARTHY, M.B., B.Ch. (137265).

Ernest Sidney ODBERT, M.B., B.Ch. (137280).

John Christie Taylor REID, L.R.C.P. & S., L.R.F.P.S. (137267).

James Knox RUSSELL, M.B., Ch.B. (137268).  
Tom Osbert SCUDAMORE, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (137269).

Malachy Joseph SMYTH, M.B., B.Ch. (139283).

Edgar Bryan THORNTON, M.B., B.S. (137272).

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

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

Rev. Arthur George Leslie SMITH (139286). 2nd Mar. 1943.

Rev. Clement SIMMONDS (139285). 8th Mar. 1943.

Rev. Charles Dennis BLENCOE, B.A. (139630) 10th Mar. 1943.

The Rev. E. F. H. DUNNICLIFF (115597) relinquishes his commn. on appt. to a commn. in the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 24th Mar. 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

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

Flt. Lt. J. H. WILLIAMS (84800). 23rd Mar. 1943.

Fig. Off. G. B. GOULDSMITH (100128). 14th Mar. 1943.

Plt. Off. A. L. HARRIS (128527). 16th Feb. 1943.

Fig. Off. E. E. BARBER (118670) is transfd. to the Equipt. Br. 23rd Dec. 1942.

Fig. Off. R. B. BEAN (63879) takes rank and precedence as if his appt. as Fig. Off. bore date 11th July 1942. Reduction to take effect from 27th Feb. 1943.

AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

BALLOON BRANCH.

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

Flt. Lts.:—

N. E. FAWCETT (91218). 19th Jan. 1943.

J. W. ARMITAGE (90843). 15th Mar. 1943.

J. O. FANE (91139). 25th Mar. 1943.

F. W. FARGUS (90645). 29th Mar. 1943.

Fig. Off. S. D. DICKSON (90805) resigns his commn. and retains the rank of Flt. Lt. 1st Apr. 1943.

WOMEN'S FORCES.

Air Commandant H.R.H. The Duchess of GLOUCESTER, C.I., G.B.E., to be Air Chief Commandant, Women's Auxiliary Air Force. 22nd Mar. 1943.

*Employed with the Medical Branch of the Royal Air Force.*

To be medical officers (emergency) with the rank of Fig. Off.:—

25th Feb. 1943.

Kathleen Mary BOWER, M.B., B.S., L.R.C.P. & S., L.R.F.P.S. (6598).

Enid Murray CLOW, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H. (6591).  
Wilhelmina Mary CRAIG, M.B., B.Ch., D.P.H. (6592).

Josephine Sarah FINN, M.B., B.Ch. (6393).

Margaret Fisher FRY, M.B., B.Ch. (6594).

Jane Mooney FULLERTON, M.B., B.Ch., D.P.H. (6595).

Isabel Elizabeth MACKENZIE, M.B., Ch.B. (6596).

Agnes Love SCOTT, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H. (6590).

Jean Mair TERRY THOMAS, M.B., Ch.B. (6524).

4th Mar. 1943.

Mary CORBETT, M.B., B.Ch., D.P.H. (6600).

Mary Bridget GALLAGHER, M.B., B.Ch. (6597).

Mary HAMILL, M.B., B.Ch. (6601).

*Amendment.*

In notifi. of 16th Feb. 1943 (p. 816, col. 1) concerning Mrs. L. I. THOMSON, M.B., Ch.B. (2379) (Medical Off. with the relative rank of Flt. Lt.) for 13th Feb. 1943 read 9th Feb. 1943.

*Employed with the Dental Branch of the Royal Air Force.*

To be dental officers (emergency) with the rank of Fig. Off. 25th Feb. 1943:—

Dorothy Mair Ynyd CAMPBELL, L.D.S. (6577).  
Margery Ellen Hermione EAMES, L.D.S., R.C.S. (6560).

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

To be Asst. Sec. Offs. (prob.) (emergency):—

Marjorie MARR-JOHNSON (6563). 10th Feb. 1943.

Dorothy Ellaline KING (6637). 24th Feb. 1943.

Joan RUSTON-HARRISON (6667). 8th Mar. 1943.

10th Mar. 1943.

Evelyn Barbara KALEVA (6602).

Maureen Isabella ORR (6603).

Air Commandant K. J. TREFUSIS FORBES, C.B.E., to be Air Chief Commandant. 1st Jan. 1943.

To resign their commns.:—

Flt. Off. J. WOODS, M.B.E. (895). 6th Mar. 1943.

Sec. Offs.:—

A. H. HARDIE (1870). 5th Mar. 1943.

B. OWEN (3536). 8th Mar. 1943.

J. PEARCE (3185). 17th Mar. 1943.

Sec. Offs. (prob.):—

E. M. LOCKWOOD (5221). 27th Feb. 1943.

B. E. WILSON (5426). 20th Mar. 1943.

Asst. Sec. Off. (prob.) M. A. BOYD (5907). 22nd Mar. 1943.

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

Flt. Off. L. H. ORFORD (545). 4th Apr. 1943.

Sec. Off. (prob.) K. W. POPE (4964). 6th Mar. 1943.

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