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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:—

Bar to Distinguished Flying Cross.

Wing Commander Dudley Henderson BURNSIDE, D.F.C. (37464), No. 427 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Pilot Officer Reginald James HAYHURST (128419), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 427 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

One night in March, 1943, Wing Commander Burnside and Pilot Officer Hayhurst were captain and bomb aimer of an aircraft detailed to attack Essen. When nearing the target area, the bomber was hit by anti-aircraft fire. One of the crew was killed and another severely wounded, while the aircraft sustained damage. The aileron control was affected and the windscreen de-icing glycol tank burst drenching Pilot Officer Hayhurst and filling the forward part of the bomber with suffocating fumes. Despite this, Pilot Officer Hayhurst directed his captain to the target which was successfully bombed and a good photograph obtained. The aircraft was held by searchlights for a few minutes but Wing Commander Burnside skilfully evaded the defences and set course for home. On the return flight the aircraft encountered enemy fighters but, each time, he shook them off. Displaying fine airmanship he flew the damaged aircraft back to an airfield in this country. In a very trying situation both these members of aircraft crew displayed courage and determination of a high order.

Bar to Distinguished Flying Cross.

Acting Squadron Leader Frederick Desmond HUGHES, D.F.C. (74706), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 600 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Flying Officer Lawrence DIXON (116698), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 600 Squadron.

As pilot and observer respectively, Squadron Leader Hughes and Flying Officer Dixon have flown together on many night sorties in operations in North Africa. During these flights they have destroyed 3 enemy aircraft. Squadron Leader Hughes and Flying Officer Dixon have displayed great skill and keenness, setting a praiseworthy example.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Acting Squadron Leader Richard Mansfield PINKHAM (42765), No. 150 Squadron.

This officer has completed 56 sorties during which he has attacked targets in Germany, Italy and Tunisia. He has at all times pressed home his mission with the utmost courage and determination and has obtained many excellent photographs. Squadron Leader Pinkham has invariably displayed exceptional skill and keenness, and has contributed materially to the many successes achieved by his squadron.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Roy Currie BUCHANAN (N.Z.412199), Royal New Zealand Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Buchanan has flown on 37 long-range reconnaissance missions over enemy-occupied territory, including sorties to Rotterdam, Wilhelmshaven, Cologne, Essen, Bremen and objectives in Norway and Tunisia. On one occasion he descended in very bad weather to within a hundred feet to obtain photographs. This officer's great eagerness to fly on operations has been a magnificent example.

Flying Officer Ruari Ian Lambert CHISHOLM (117694), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 142 Squadron.

This officer is a gallant and determined captain of aircraft. One day in August, 1942, while flying on an anti-submarine patrol in the Bay of Biscay, his aircraft was attacked by a Junkers 88. Flying Officer Chisholm inflicted considerable damage on the attacker and drove it off. In October, 1942, he was detailed to bomb Kiel and whilst over the target area was attacked by a Focke Wulf 190. Flying Officer Chisholm displayed masterly evasive tactics which enabled him to avoid the enemy and complete his mission. On all occasions this officer's steadiness and resolution have been an inspiration to his crew.

Flying Officer Jack ETCHELLS (113395), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 142 Squadron.

As captain of aircraft Flying Officer Etchells has consistently shown skill and determination, pressing home his attacks from a low level regardless of the heaviest ground defences. In October, 1942, this officer was detailed to take part in an attack on Cologne. He persisted in his task in the face of intense opposition and successfully bombed the target, afterwards flying his aircraft safely back to base although one engine was badly damaged. Flying Officer Etchells by his outstanding devotion to duty, both in the air and on the ground, has set a high standard to his crew resulting in many successful achievements.

Flying Officer Douglas Haig GREAVES (113989), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 255 Squadron.

Warrant Officer Frederic Mitton ROBBINS (1161497), No. 255 Squadron.

In operations in North Africa, Flying Officer Greaves and Warrant Officer Robbins have flown together as pilot and observer of aircraft respectively. They have co-operated in the destruction of 5 enemy aircraft. In one combat, Flying Officer Greaves opened fire from extremely close range, causing the enemy aircraft to explode and disintegrate in the air. The outside of his own aircraft was smothered in oil, blown from the enemy's tanks by the force of the explosion, making it impossible to see through the windscreen. In spite of this Flying Officer Greaves flew the aircraft to an airfield where he succeeded in cleaning the windscreen sufficiently to enable him to effect a landing. Flying Officer Greaves and Warrant Officer Robbins have displayed outstanding skill, high courage and excellent teamwork.

Pilot Officer William Orson RUBLEE (Can/J.16205), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 150 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Rublee has completed 34 operational sorties against targets in Germany, Italy and Tunisia, always pressing home his attacks with great determination. On one occasion when over Sicily his aircraft was repeatedly hit. A petrol tank caught fire and the hydraulic system was put out of action. After the fire had been extinguished Pilot Officer Rublee flew the aircraft back to base and made a successful crash landing. This officer's fine record of constant devotion to duty is worthy of the highest praise.

Conspicuous Gallantry Medal (flying).

1161447 Flight Sergeant (now Pilot Officer) Charles Clayton CORDER, No. 248 Squadron.

This airman has participated in 71 operational missions, including sorties off the Norwegian coast, over the Mediterranean and over the Bay of Biscay. He has displayed great navigational skill and perfect teamwork which have made him a valuable member of aircraft crew. On one occasion, in August 1942, he skilfully located a dinghy adrift in the Mediterranean and the crew were later rescued. In March, 1943, he was the navigator of one of a section of Beaufighters patrolling over the Bay of Biscay. During the operation his aircraft sustained severe damage in an encounter with a Junkers 88, which was shot down. The situation appeared hopeless but, as the intercommunication system was un-serviceable, Flight Sergeant Corder crawled through to the cockpit where he gave his pilot a course for base. Returning to his seat he attempted to signal their plight to other aircraft of the formation but his efforts were unavailing. In the meantime, the pilot was having considerable difficulty in controlling the aircraft so Flight Sergeant Corder once more crawled to the cockpit to assist. The port engine failed and the possibility of flying to this country seemed remote. Nevertheless, Flight Sergeant Corder calmly continued his duties, repairing the intercommunication, obtaining bearings and doing everything within his power to assist his pilot. The aircraft, which was extremely difficult to control, was now being flown almost at sea level. When nearing the English coast the second engine caught fire while some oil in the cockpit also caught alight. Just as the pilot had decided that the damaged aircraft should be abandoned the English coast was sighted, so he struggled on. Meanwhile, Flight Sergeant Corder coolly sent out distress signals and fired Verey cartridges intermittently to attract the attention of people on shore. He guided the pilot to the lowest part of a cliff which was crossed safely and a crash-landing effected on an airfield. On impact the aircraft burst into flames but both Flight Sergeant Corder and his pilot were able to jump clear. In the face of an appalling situation, this airman displayed skill and courage in keeping with the highest traditions of the Royal Air Force.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

1256561 Flight Sergeant William Frederick BUNTING, No. 150 Squadron.

Flight Sergeant Bunting has completed 40 operational sorties. At all times he has displayed the utmost devotion to duty and by his

efficiency as bomb aimer and gunner has fully contributed to the successful results attained by his crew.

Can/R.55311 Flight Sergeant Charles Edward DELANY, Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 142 Squadron.

This airman has completed 31 operational sorties as a rear gunner and by his steady and skilful method of guiding his pilot through heavy ground defences has contributed in no small measure to the successes achieved. One night in May, 1942, Flight Sergeant Delany was a member of a crew detailed to attack Stuttgart. Whilst over the target area the bomber was attacked by an enemy night fighter. Flight Sergeant Delany drove off the first attack and directed his pilot in the subsequent evasive tactics, which resulted in the engagement being broken off, and enabled the mission to be successfully completed.

639767 Flight Sergeant Arthur DRABBLE, No. 150 Squadron.

This airman has completed many operational missions. Invariably he has displayed the utmost keenness while his technical skill as wireless operator has materially contributed to the many successes achieved by his crew.

Can/R.103566 Sergeant Lionel Wollaston MATHEWS, Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 150 Squadron.

This airman has completed 31 operational sorties over Germany, Italy and Tunisia. He has invariably pressed home his attacks with courage and determination and has obtained many excellent photographs. On one occasion when taking part in an operation over Sicily, his aircraft sustained damage and his rear gunner received wounds which proved fatal. Sergeant Mathews brought his damaged aircraft safely back, landing with his wounded comrade at an aerodrome where hospital attention was available.

Air Ministry, 13th April, 1943.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

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

Distinguished Service Order.

Wing Commander Brian Reginald WALKER (Aus. 94).

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Squadron Leader Ross Aubrey LITTLE (Aus. 491). Flight Lieutenant Roland Frederick UREN (Aus. 535).

Flying Officer John Percival MAGUIRE (Aus. 3493).

Flying Officer Jack Tipton SANDFORD (Aus. 400602).

Flying Officer Alexander Henry SPOONER (Aus. 3490).

Pilot Officer Colin Alexander CAMPBELL (Aus. 40623).

Air Ministry, 13th April, 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

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

Wt. Offs.

580662 John Roy LAKE (51282). 30th Oct. 1942.

9th Nov. 1942.

563488 Allan Ainslie STORAR (51293).

564638 Henry William GILL (51298).

581085 David Trevor CAVE (51290). 12th Jan. 1943.

581331 William Henry Leslie GRANT, A.F.M. (51515). 16th Jan. 1943.

581452 Stanley HAUXWELL (51297). 12th Feb. 1943.

Flt. Sgts.

623538 George John GRAYLAND (51289). 10th Oct. 1942.

618442 Ian Alister Hardy LINKLATER, D.F.M. (51295). 20th Dec. 1942.

654213 Charles Enoch HAMSHIRE (51213). 6th Jan. 1943.

521917 George Swan Anderson DOUGLAS (51284). 21st Jan. 1943.

619390 John Ireland Pearson FORD (51286). 22nd Jan. 1943.

630117 Edward HONE (51154). 25th Jan. 1943.

552458 David George EVERSON, D.F.M. (51287). 8th Feb. 1943.

649328 Thomas McNICHOLAS (51288). 11th Feb.
1943.

615684 Christopher Walter CHALMERS, D.F.M.
(51296). 19th Feb. 1943.

Sgt.

612692 Roy Victor Charles PLEASANCE (51285).
16th Dec. 1942.

Cpl.

575099 Ernest Arthur Chenery WILLARD (50789).
4th Dec. 1942.

572372 Ernest John ROBERTS (50609). 18th Dec.
1942.

23rd Jan. 1943.

570605 Kenneth Thomas Brougham ASKINS
(55006).

571001 Donald THOMAS (55007).

573746 John Kilburn Garth HUTTON (55008).

572743 John Alexander Gordon SMITH (55009).

569546 Jack LE HURAY (55010).

Ldg. Acm.

577315 James Angus WARD (50976). 11th Mar.
1943.

Wg. Cdr. K. A. MEEK (04130) is transfd. to the
Tech. Br. 4th June 1940.

Flg. Off. A. R. KENDRICK, D.F.C. (47237),
takes rank and precedence as if his appt. as Flg.
Off. bore date 1st Feb. 1943. Reduction to take
effect from 1st Feb. 1943.

Gp. Capt. J. S. CHICK is seconded for Special
Duty. 21st Feb. 1943.

Gp. Capt. E. P. MACKAY ceases to be seconded
for Special Duty. 21st Feb. 1943.

Plt. Off. A. D. M. EMMER (Lt., R. Fus.) (47645)
relinquishes his tempy. commn. on return to Army
duty. 13th Oct. 1943.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

365141 Wt. Off. William Arthur Clifford AGGETT
(50888) to be Actg. Plt. Off. on prob. (emergency).
11th Feb. 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

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

347009 William John WHEAR (50837). 28th Jan.
1943.

11th Feb. 1943.

361817 Herbert Lawrence BAKER (50926).
347252 Edgar Ainslie Thomas BALSDON (50905).

356100 Matthew BROWN (50903).

344575 George Edward COOK (50962).

354836 Sidney Donald DAYMOND, B.E.M.
(50906).

505818 Montague James DREW (50907).

298236 David FORSYTHE (50912).

349965 Harry GREEN (50908).

344897 Frederick Stephen HART (50948).

352200 Albert Marvel John HILL (50927).

590032 Harold KELLAWAY (50909).

331435 Henry SMITH (50943).

506533 John William SMITH (50928).

330606 Samuel William SMITH (50942).

332515 Reginald TAYLOR (50910).

204593 William Albert Edwin TREDWELL
(50944).

359364 George William VIGGERS (50946).

507282 Frederick Leonard WESTERN (50947).

351139 Frank Morgan WORZENCRAFT (50934).

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

Flt. Sgt.

560480 George Edward REED (50935). 11th
Feb. 1943.

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

11th Feb. 1943.

590276 Kenneth CHARLWOOD (50931).

590318 James COOK (50932).

590725 Sylvanus GREENSLADE (50913).

511611 Walter George Thomas HUGHES (50937).

514306 Sidney HUNT (50914).

510012 Kenneth Marshall Curnow LANGLEY
(50917).

590453 Kenneth David OWEN (50915).

590827 Brian Desmond SHAW (50963).

514651 George Henry TAYLOR (50911).

590180 Henry Arthur TESTER (50945).

509956 George YATES (50939).

590204 George BESWICK (50930).

Flt. Sgts.

11th Sept. 1943.

628718 William Mortimer CHOWNS (50916).

528905 Ian Malcolm LUCAS (50929).

516289 George Guerton NESS (50936).

517277 Thomas WALKER (50938).

Sgts.

11th Feb. 1943.

549784 Ernest Richard CLAYSON (50933).

750332 Edward Joseph HASLAM (50918).

549433 Frank Douglas KINSEY (50904).

537472 Anthony Barrie SMITH (50923).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

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

354061 Wt. Off. Victor Daniel Lambert PRATT
(50941). 11th Feb. 1943.

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

505904 Wt. Off. Ralph Samuel EARLE (50940).
11th Feb. 1943.

Wg. Cdr. L. H. HILLIER (10251) is placed on the
retd. list. 23rd Jan. 1943.

Sqn. Ldr. (tempy. Wg. Cdr.) H. J. YOUNG
(11066) is placed on the retd. list and retains the
rank of Wg. Cdr. 23rd Jan. 1943.

Flg. Off. P. PRINCE (31460) relinquishes his
commn. on account of ill-health and retains his
rank. 30th Mar. 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Plt. Off. (prob.) C. KEMP (49043) is transfd. to
the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 29th Mar. 1943.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Frank HILL to be Sqn. Ldr. in class CC. 23rd
Mar. 1943.

John Thurburn Le-Roux VICTOR to be Flt. Lt.
in class CC. 8th Feb. 1943.

To be Plt. Offs. in class CC. 20th Mar. 1943:—
Stanley Allen BROWNE.
John Penman CUNNINGHAM.
George Bertram MORGAN.

Flt. Lt. A. P. VLASTO relinquishes his commn.
in class CC. on appt. to the R.A.F.V.R. 8th Oct.
1942.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

To be Flt. Lt. (emergency):—
Jacques Antonin Maurice COCHEME (139662). 6th
Mar. 1943.

To be Flg. Offs. (emergency). 6th Mar. 1943:—
Robert Gerard BEUTELL (139631).
Lambert Wellington EDDY (139629).

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Guy Saint Vincent Radcliffe THACKERAY
(123207). 16th Nov. 1942.
Wt. Offs.

969699 Rennie LEVER (141871). 23rd Oct. 1942.
747885 Trefardoe Rudolph DAVIES (141411).
16th Dec. 1942.

964971 Robin Keith FRANCIS (141729). 1st Jan.
1943.

5th Jan. 1943.

1250924 Richard William READ (141779).

745770 George Alfred STROUD (141736).

906823 Frank Edward BOOV (141711). 6th Jan.
1943.

12th Jan. 1943.

749354 Ernest Robert MORRISS (141801).

755580 David Lawson MERCHANT (141799).

745319 Desmond Burman NIXON (141725). 15th
Jan. 1943.

748234 Alan George Alfred OVERALL (141404).
17th Jan. 1943.

742904 Augustus Leslie COLE (141742). 18th
Jan. 1943.

937500 John William TINDALL, D.F.M. (141410).
22nd Jan. 1943.

742805 Leslie Harry GILBERT (141412). 24th Jan.
1943.

740354 Phillip Frederick DOWNER (141695). 26th
Jan. 1943.

996500 Alexander Seers YOUNGER (141712). 7th
Feb. 1943.

741543 Kenneth Frederick RICHARDS (141708).
12th Feb. 1943.

Tempy. Wt. Off.

755309 Albert Robert NEWITT, D.F.M. (141408).
18th Jan. 1943.

Flt. Sgts.

1101977 Albert Lewis GRAYSON (141734). 5th
Nov. 1942.

1035382 Joseph Robert SERGEANT (141699). 14th
Nov. 1942.

924352 Arthur James Godfrey TIMMINS (141731).
19th Nov. 1942.

- 937679 John William CHAMBERS (141778). 26th Nov. 1942.
 968032 Geoffrey Clay WHITEHURST (141701). 13th Dec. 1942.
 1251663 Douglas JAMES (141409). 19th Dec. 1942.
 22nd Dec. 1942.
 755867 Maurice William GOLDING (139924).
 655099 Idris Lawton BERRY (141866).
 1283891 Eric Gordon SIMPSON (141414). 29th Dec. 1942.
 1164958 Cyril Stanley HUNTON (141735). 5th Jan. 1943.
 1190967 Harling Walter WATSON (141870). 6th Jan. 1943.
 976139 William VINCENT (141818). 7th Jan. 1943.
 758176 Ronald SCHOLEFIELD (151057). 10th Jan. 1943.
 925113 George Henry LEES (141758). 11th Jan. 1943.
 1380712 Walter Roylance WRIGHT (141869). 12th Jan. 1943.
 1293415 Norman Charles JONES, D.F.M. (141733). 14th Jan. 1943.
 1107190 Thomas Joseph PUGH (141861). 16th Jan. 1943.
 25th Jan. 1943.
 1166620 Edward POVEY (141405).
 1104500 Alexander URQUHART (141415).
 27th Jan. 1943.
 1152613 David Haydn JONES (141819).
 969604 William MARSHALL (141749).
 922507 Geoffrey Austin SLATTER (141406). 29th Jan. 1943.
 1122397 William Andrew WRIGHT (141719). 30th Jan. 1943.
 2nd Feb. 1943.
 1112328 Richard Charles RASPIN (141743).
 1365047 Ewen GILLIES (141534).
 967621 George Robertson EDWARD (141759). 4th Feb. 1943.
 999646 Gwyn Roger REES (141407). 6th Feb. 1943.
 1165330 Edward Borlase Wynne APPERLEY (141781). 8th Feb. 1943.
 1127537 George Thomas BEAUMONT (141816). 11th Feb. 1943.
 1061114 Thomas Edward HUGHES (141815). 13th Feb. 1943.
 17th Feb. 1943.
 1378816 Thomas Peter THIRSK (141868).
 751281 Walter John Geoffrey EDWARDS (141813).
 758120 Graeme Robert Eric WEIR (141774).
 964230 Sidney John HARRIS (141724). 18th Feb. 1943.
 21st Feb. 1943.
 1165994 Ian Owen NEWTON (141754).
 963403 Douglas Vincent HAMER (141713).
 23rd Feb. 1943.
 1108344 Archibald Craig OGG (141767).
 989022 John Robert AFFLECK (141865).
 1174290 William George NEAL (141863). 24th Feb. 1943.
 Tempy. Flt. Sgts.
 1111810 Frank ALLISON, D.F.M. (141772). 14th Jan. 1943.
 1182665 Robert Harold Charles THOMERSON (141715). 18th Jan. 1943.
 Sgts.
 957642 William Peter WEY (141859). 1st May 1942.
 1383236 William Henry DALMAN (141784). 27th May 1942.
 1260667 Kenneth Reginald BOWHILL (141454). 16th Sept. 1942.
 15th Oct. 1942.
 801513 Jack Russell BUSHBY (141760).
 1293863 Neville Elston BROWN (141705).
 932151 Cyril John Harry COOK (141817). 23rd Oct. 1942.
 748029 Peter Frank KINGSNORTH (141728). 31st Oct. 1942.
 932125 Norman Frank FULLER (139964). 1st Nov. 1942.
 11th Nov. 1942.
 1312150 Frederick William MORRISH (141716).
 1204733 George Howard PREEDY (141520).
 1018222 Ralph Arnold FORTH (141714). 19th Nov. 1942.
- 1265586 Rowland TOWNEND (141696). 22nd Nov. 1942.
 1379858 Hugh John MILLER (141748). 23rd Nov. 1942.
 1283047 Douglas Wilfred JUDGE (141764). 30th Nov. 1942.
 9th Dec. 1942.
 1203624 Richard Howard TREDWIN (141751).
 1199629 Henry Charles YATES (141776).
 920703 Edward George SIMMONDS (141750). 10th Dec. 1942.
 657546 Harold Ernest HERITAGE (141782). 11th Dec. 1942.
 655669 Geoffrey COLES (139944). 18th Dec. 1942.
 411221 Douglas John Garcia HARCOURT (141478). 19th Dec. 1942.
 1294946 Paul Manfield Daniel MARK (141862). 29th Dec. 1942.
 942430 Kenneth Holdaway TEMPLE (141697). 30th Dec. 1942.
 1386013 Kenneth Horace EAMES (141706). 31st Dec. 1942.
 4th Jan. 1943.
 1375098 Graham George BARLOW (141763).
 1198392 John KIND (141747).
 1042440 James Davies TAYLOR (141717). 7th Jan. 1943.
 657718 John Watson Maurice FURLEY (141469). 9th Jan. 1943.
 1313817 Frank RHODES (141770). 12th Jan. 1943.
 959272 Henry James SUMMERS (141753). 14th Jan. 1943.
 1184508 Leslie Arthur LUDLAM (141744). 15th Jan. 1943.
 16th Jan. 1943.
 1335973 Philip Richard SANDFORD (141456).
 926213 Ernest John LONG (141821).
 1376479 James Ronald WILSHIRE (141413). 17th Jan. 1943.
 20th Jan. 1943.
 942336 Hugh Alexander TAYLOR (141752).
 1129618 James SMITH (141780).
 972048 Eric SMITH (141769). 22nd Jan. 1943.
 23rd Jan. 1943.
 939373 Arthur HILTON (150105).
 659091 Archibald William ROBINSON (150114).
 742580 Colin WESTON-BURT (150128).
 1289452 Victor William Joseph NUNN (141403).
 1251959 Denis Macrorie DUNN (141755). 24th Jan. 1943.
 914946 Samuel George PETERS (141718). 25th Jan. 1943.
 1126450 Robert Duff McNICOL (141869). 26th Jan. 1943.
 938762 Barrie Watson GOULD (141757). 27th Jan. 1943.
 28th Jan. 1943.
 850697 Charles Vaughan CLAYTON (141700).
 1199125 William Richard PAULSON (141698).
 30th Jan. 1943.
 1021533 Jack Douglas BRAYSHAW (141702).
 1081933 John MARSON (141704).
 1338338 Peter Brookwin HILL (141727).
 31st Jan. 1943.
 1211362 Leonard BAKEWELL (141771).
 655119 Lionel Douglas BLOMLEY (141732).
 1475395 William Alfred COLSON (141402).
 958136 Herbert SMART (141864). 1st Feb. 1943.
 1111692 Owen David MORGAN (141741). 2nd Feb. 1943.
 742314 Thomas Wilfred JENKINS (138153). 3rd Feb. 1943.
 6th Feb. 1943.
 1156057 Leslie Verdin HOOPER (141811).
 131697 John Owen PHILLIPS (141726).
 1330601 Elliott John WELCHMAN (141768). 9th Feb. 1943.
 12th Feb. 1943.
 1213895 William James HANKS (141765).
 1138262 John Thompson HUTCHINSON (141812).
 1319682 Ronald Claude STEMP (141802).
 1333226 Henry FURNISS-ROE (141860). 13th Feb. 1943.
 1040298 Douglas Arthur William GOODALL (141536). 16th Feb. 1943.
 17th Feb. 1943.
 656299 Donald James WEBB (141479).
 1393575 Donald George LEVEN (141710).

933866 Raymond Claud Walter DENNIS (141800).
18th Feb. 1943.

19th Feb. 1943.

1075562 Clifford George DAWSON (141810).
1304749 Jack Andrew WINTERBOTTOM (141762).
1215659 Geoffrey RICE (141707). 20th Feb. 1943.

21st Feb. 1943.

1333801 Wilfred Roy MAJOR (141709).
945873 Geoffrey Corbett STEVENSON (141808).
1023522 Albert HODSON (141756).

22nd Feb. 1943.

1079865 John GROVER (141703).
1293865 Ralph Eric DODD (141729).

23rd Feb. 1943.

1324071 Victor Reginald HANNAM (141766).
1392110 Reginald Renouf JOHNSTON (141803).
943747 Stanley Charles WEST (141775).

987372 David Richard MORGAN (141820). 25th
Feb. 1943.

1076878 Richard George JOHNSTON (141804).
27th Feb. 1943.

1499906 John HARBOTTLE (141809). 28th Feb.
1943.

1080190 Kenneth GREEN (141773). 1st Mar.
1943.

Tempy. Sgt.

947710 George William COOPER (141814). 7th
Jan. 1943.

Cpls.

658335 Gordon CAMPBELL (138088). 30th Dec.
1942.

658998 Basil Keith Roderick PARK (150109).
23rd Jan. 1943.

907701 George Roland YOUNG (137381). 12th
Feb. 1943.

753590 Edward Maurice FARRINGTON (139299).
3rd Mar. 1943.

Ldg. Acm.

1550563 Dominic BOYCE (134536). 20th Nov.
1942.

4th Dec. 1942.

1390557 John Wilkie CAMERON (135610).
974944 Harry STOTT (138138).

1503798 John FENLEY (138139).
1435352 James William WHITEHOUSE (138340).

1322813 Paul Gore Woolhouse WALKER (135513).
1332708 Darrell Anthony Lewis HALL (136404).

1586109 John Stuart Renton HAMMOND (136510).
1534950 Ernest HARDMAN (136400).

1577349 Ernest Edward HOPKINS (136402).
1397497 Richard Woodrow PHILLIPS (136409).

18th Dec. 1942.

961493 Laurence James TRAPP (136529).
1319736 Leonard Norman HOBBS (136432).

1188685 Christian James Reginald WILSON
(136450).
1429337 Fred DUXBURY (136866).

30th Dec. 1942.

1393827 Barney WITMOND (138486).
1333467 Walter Robert WALLACE (138119).

1136497 Norman WILKINSON (138115).
1478563 Robert Ormond GRAINGER (138074).

1219427 George William BIRD (137477).
1438342 Jack HOWE (137472).

1264897 Reginald Milner KING (137474).
1452984 Cyril Worsley NUTTALL (137476).

1438517 Basil Newton John PRICE (137473).
1338778 Joseph Arthur TURK (137475).

1452430 Henry SHARPLES (136831).
1452312 Charles Henry SEYMOUR (138056).

Bruce Stirling CRAWFORD (150054). 1st Jan.
1943.

2nd Jan. 1943.

658960 Thomas William CASS (135921).
1321510 Charles Edward PEAKE (135917).

1142357 Garry PHILIPSON (135915).
1535751 Albert Edward RYDER (135918).

656505 Arthur SANDALL (135919).
1535674 John Havelock SPARK (135920).

1391007 John Laurence CHRISTIE (136356).
1506875 John Bryan DANIELS (136357).

1451279 Percy Albert Thomas FACER (136352).
1432147 James George COX (136473).

1396538 David Leonard OAKENFOLD (136474).
1394034 Leslie Charles PARSONS (136817).

1453663 Abraham Gordon LODGE (136816).
1410296 Ivor John Frederick RICH (136818).

655628 Robert John MARTIN (136815).
1395006 John Rupert COLVILLE (137172). 9th
Jan. 1943.

10th Jan. 1943.

1450655 James Douglas MAULT (151052).

1436821 Arthur Trevor SMITH (151054).

22nd Jan. 1943.

1397435 Stephen Theodore FAITHFULL (151026).

1559234 John GILHESPY (151027).

1494953 James Edgar GLENDINNING (151029).

1455596 Colin HARDY (151024).

1323647 Neville Frederick ROGERS (151030).

1400706 Roy Henry JOHNSON (151035).

1280896 William George KING (151033).

954346 Ernest James FLETCHER (151041).

1601209 Gordon FRYER (151045).

928352 John Wynscombe STONE (151040).

1577673 Robin George Edwin WHARMBY
(151043).

1576671 Anthony Frederick REYNOLDS (151000).

1800669 Harold John HIRST (151048).

23rd Jan. 1943.

1431583 Norman Eric BLIGHT (138127).

1391548 Francis George GAINS (138128).

1311401 William Desmond AKISTER (138129).

992181 Kenneth Walter CHAPMAN (138136).

1383072 Robert Leslie CORRIE (138132).

1331036 Charles Lawrence FOX (138131).

1395123 Harold Joseph LARBY (138133).

1394258 Morris Robert James CRUTCHER
(150126).

1452615 Frank Anthony DAWSON (150083).

1458920 Arthur DOWNS (150110).

1579263 John Michael ELLISON (150117).

1509732 Charles Ernest EMBERSON (150091).

1451675 Richard Gwilym EVANS (150094).

1339471 Kenneth James Forrester FUNNELL
(150141).1561685 Robert Aitken Hamilton GIRVAN
(150121).

1585878 Ronald Leonard GOULD (150086).

1533211 Harold Ross HALL (150135).

1473066 Leslie Wilson HARKER (150108).

1396536 Arnold Christian HAYES (150139).

1321615 Gordon Albert DONALD (137053).

1539603 Ernest Frank POLLOCK (137055).

1319574 Anthony Francis Dowaker WILLIAMSON
(150085).

1397202 Graham Arthur John WOOD (150096).

1321624 William Allan ROWLEY (150112).

1322444 Alan Swaine WHILE SKEMPTON (150093).

1335666 Henry Frederick SMITH (150131).

1392656 Peter Neville SPEED (150119).

1534570 Gamwell David SUTCLIFFE (150137).

1576363 Leslie Frank TITCUMB (150103).

1562601 Douglas James TRAIN (150098).

1393215 Dennis Godfrey TUCK (150129).

1322915 Laurence UNSWORTH (150089).

1473061 Bobbie John UPTON-PROWSE (150113).

1338757 Frederick George Edward WADE
(150125).

1338470 Horace William Brooks WILEY (150088).

1393858 Richard COUSINS (138303).

1387261 Peter MATTHEWS (150136).

1394008 Roger Hanson MAWLE (150102).

1322724 Harold MITCHELL (150116).

1453761 William Raymond MITCHELL (150120).

1393108 Godfrey Arnold MORRISON (150107).

1550843 George MURTON (150095).

1393294 Stuart John Thetford O'BRIEN (150104).

1484131 John Lloyd OWEN (150133).

1452271 Richard Morgan PARKER (150097).

1396850 William George POULTER (150140).

1585999 Patrick Kenneth PREDDY (150087).

1579176 Christopher Alan ROGERS (150123).

1438948 Philip HETHERINGTON (150143).

1321415 Peter Francis HILLIER (150144).

1459395 Frederick Holt (150130).

1458785 Norman Henry HORNSBY (150111).

1293620 Donald James HUNTER (150142).

1508291 Eric INGHAM (150115).

1322795 Jesse Gordon Francis JOHNSTON
(150101).

902476 Michael Churchill KAROP (150084).

1464426 John KUSEL (150132).

1393083 Joseph Beach LATHAM (150124).

1578416 Geoffrey Frederick LEE (150090).

1321848 Frank Samuel LEWIS (150092).

1451955 John Charles APPLEBY (150082).

1324006 Charles Ernest AUSTIN (150079).

1576298 Peter Richard BALES (150127).

924710 Michael James Robert BARRON (150077).

1577366 Peter Charles BELL (150106).

1256742 Derek John BOYDEN (150081).

1579387 Leslie Frederick BUTCHER (150080).

1538885 Robert CAMPBELL (150134).

1553648 Douglas George CARRIE (150118).
 1577327 David Webb COBBIN (150100).
 1620703 Anthony George Joseph COTTAM (150122).
 1317189 Reginald John Claude CROXFORD (150099).

26th Jan. 1943.

1450817 Albert APPLEBEE (150151).
 1526248 Joseph BIRD (150150).
 1577038 Kenneth EMMOTT (150145).
 1317564 Brian Whitfield LANDERS (150148).
 1576615 John Allan WICKSON (150147).
 1162812 Joseph Raymond WILSON (150146).

30th Jan. 1943.

1387352 David John BARGMAN (137622).
 1450422 Kenneth Gordon BOOTH (137627).
 1337880 Thomas Ieyan Milner EVANS (137624).
 1228668 Harry FLETCHER (137628).
 1342519 Neil Alexander GRAY (137621).
 1025292 Ashley William GUEST (137617).
 1390591 John Starley HEASMAN (137620).
 1031295 John William HINDMARSH (137623).
 1385629 Reginald William Wallis JAMES (137626).
 1387640 Philip JOSEPH (137625).
 1214655 Arthur Joshua PLATT (137629).
 1336208 Horace Raymond HOLLEDGE (137616).
 1318168 Hugh Stephen TOVEY (137615).
 1389324 Philip Godfrey TOVEY (137618).
 1387145 Kenneth Ashley Elliott TRUSLER (137619).

3rd Feb. 1943.

973515 Alexander ANDERSON (138155).
 658200 Gerard Anthony BEAUMONT (138150).
 1482420 James Reginald HENDERSON (138154).
 1393780 Edward Albert Hamilton LAWRENCE (138151).

6th Feb. 1943.

999746 Morris HAND (138921).
 930665 Brynley JAMES (138920).

2nd Mar. 1943.

1585194 John Frederick ALLUM (137539).
 1600398 Kenneth Herbert BEAMES (137540).
 1567134 Donald Alexander BEATON (137550).
 1586152 Francis Thomas BEDINGHAM (137549).
 1586146 Henry Edwin BEVEN (137541).
 1579731 Harry George DARBY (137547).
 1578358 Stanley DYKES (137546).
 1585684 Kenneth John HILES (137548).
 1562485 Andrew MCINTYRE (137543).
 1585738 John Frederick MARTIN (137544).
 1600523 Ronald Percy David PERKINS (137552).
 1585372 Thomas William Allen SAXBY (137545).
 1546815 John Hall WELLS (137551).

3rd Mar. 1943.

1531780 David Tudor DAVIES (139303).
 1480811 Reginald LAWTON (139304).
 1005013 Leslie LINTOTT (139305).
 1073120 Joseph LOUGHRAH (139302).
 1395259 George Graham PAUL (139298).
 658408 Edward PLATT (137558).
 1556261 Duncan MACDONALD (139297).
 1575274 Joseph SAXON (137557).
 1483477 John Stanley SMYTH (139301).
 1395775 Frederick John WILLIAMS (137559).
 2200651 John DRUMMIE (139828). 6th Mar. 1943.

11th Mar. 1943.

1399520 Albert William STRINGER (137364).
 1575735 Ernest Arthur THOMAS (137365).
 1396050 Norman Walter WARD (137366).

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

Plt. Off. (prob.) J. BOCKING (117023). 1st Mar. 1943.

Plt. Off. N. M. BROWDY (120523). 31st Mar. 1943.

Plt. Off. R. L. CLARK (110561) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health. 26th Mar. 1943.

Plt. Off. (prob.) R. B. EDWARDS (123887) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health. 31st Mar. 1943.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

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

Sgt.

743398 Norman Kenneth STOUT (138582). 4th Feb. 1943.

Cpl.

1098572 John Stephen Hartwell GOODALL (139261). 11th Feb. 1943.

1122857 Ldg. Acm. Kenneth BAYLISS (139226) to be Actg. Plt. Off. on prob. (emergency). 11th Feb. 1943.

Flg. Off. E. S. WILSON (100098) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health and retains the rank of Flt. Lt. 3rd Apr. 1943.

Actg. Plt. Off. D. M. HUNTER (130089) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health. 2nd Apr. 1943.

Flg. Off. P. P. LOVE (74530) resigns his commn. and retains rank. 25th Mar. 1943.

Flg. Off. F. J. BADO (81757) resigns his commn. 28th Mar. 1943.

BALLOON BRANCH.

Flt. Lt. I. S. MACDONALD (79589) is transfd. to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 29th Mar. 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

To be Flg. Offs. (emergency). 8th Oct. 1942:—

James ROBERTSON (136479).
 Alexis Peter VLASTO (136477).

To be Plt. Offs. (emergency):—

Richard Clarence BLACKHAM (136478).
 Basil Allardyce Clifford YANDELL (136358).

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

Stanley Booth-RUSSELL (136908). 19th Sept. 1942.

Edward Frederick Holwell DUNNICLIFF (115597). 24th Mar. 1943.

To be Actg. Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
 Arthur HASSELL (108911). 27th Aug. 1941.
 Rowden French FITZHERBERT (140806). 20th Feb. 1942.

18th Feb. 1943.

Charles William CLEISSER (140802).
 Raymond Arthur Atherton DOUDNEY (140798).

George Edward Farrington GOTTELLIER (140800).
 Richard Anthony Boyd GOTTELLIER (140801).

Randolph NEVILLE-ROLFE (140799).
 Rolf SMERDON (140803).

22nd Feb. 1943.

John Desmond Banning LOVER (140804).
 Reginald George Banning LOVER (140805).

12th Mar. 1943.

Dennis Oscar Beresford AUBREY (140783).
 Michael Kenneth Beresford AUBREY (140784).

Wt. Offs.

11th Feb. 1943.

590034 Frederick William FARNSWORTH (139241).
 344421 Wilfred William HEWITT (139258).

317142 Douglas Archibald Lambart TURNER (139171).
 334207 Edward WELLER (139246).

359927 John Cyril Gore WILLMOTT (139231).

Flt. Sgts.

11th Feb. 1943.

510124 Donald MERVYN (139267).
 749982 Claude MEER (139260).

333455 John Edgar Fearnley PRATT (139123).
 370174 Albert Eldon RUMP (139127).

370714 Ernest Leonard THOMPSON (139243).
 351817 Robert WALKINSHAW (139158).

Actg. Flt. Sgt.

505271 Charles Basil KNAGG (139253). 11th Feb. 1943.

Sgts.

1155784 Edgar Ewart William HORNBROOK (135988). 31st Dec. 1942.

11th Feb. 1943.

505232 Samuel AYERS (138953).
 327866 William George Henry BAILEY (139183).

906065 Charles Edward CHAPMAN (139013).
 1011649 William CLEMENTSON (139088).

1355612 Donald John George DUNBAR (138963).
 910150 Richard Hunter FIRMAN (138997).

1261230 Leslie Prince GATEHOUSE (139113).
 206323 Sydney Ernest GRAY (139120).

1229717 Maurice Edward Wesley HINDS (138989).
 847590 Stanley Richard HODKINSON (138970).

770750 Harold Gilbert JARVIS (139004).
 865534 Arthur Charles LYLE (139061).

1192688 John MAGUIRE (139176).
 967792 John MOONEY (139156).

863552 Leslie Henry PEARMAN (138994).
 936451 Arthur RAMSBOTTOM (139124).

509922 Frederick Charles SELMAN (139121).
 923083 Robert Vernon SMITH (139232).

863318 Gerald Russell STILEMAN (138933).
 1169506 Llewelyn Jones THOMAS (139056).

748907 Francis Charles TIGHE (139265).
 1191307 Leslie TOMLINSON (138960).

1375375 Henry Horace SADLER (139250).

Cpls.

11th Feb. 1943.

- 1176486 Stephen James Becket AMYES (139077).
 985477 Andrew Naismith ANDISON (139000).
 925480 Richard Alfred BARTHOLOMEW (139125).
 1447002 Samuel Ernest BODEN (139132).
 1371885 William Roger BROOKS (139063).
 1111987 Norman BUTLER (139133).
 1106852 Edward CAIRNCROSS (138990).
 957496 William George Maurice CLARKE (138986).
 1246692 Duncan Butt CLULOW (138234).
 1103027 Douglas Bell COOKE (138991).
 1338214 Graham James EDWARDS (138965).
 906464 John Peter FROST (139154).
 1149203 Harry GLASS (139042).
 1134393 James William GREEN (139082).
 1083103 George Allan GRIBBIN (138923).
 1205685 Frederick Clement GRIFFIN (138999).
 1156759 Robert Louis GRIFFITHS (139179).
 936502 Harold HAMMILL (139011).
 1515750 William Golder HEATLEY (139264).
 1306737 Edward Alfred HYDE (139254).
 1360323 Frederick Bernard IERSTON (139177).
 1248322 John Benjamin William ILLINGWORTH (138927).

- 843891 William David JOLLIFF (138964).
 1259073 Wilfred Wilson LEGGE (139050).
 927013 Hubert James LINDEMAN (139240).
 1291039 Walter Howard LOW (138982).
 846201 Edward MASSEY (139155).
 873265 William Freer McALLUM (139044).
 951034 Sidney Vaughan NAPHTALI (138944).
 1520745 Claude Edward NOBLE (138938).
 1507521 Leonard OWEN (139060).
 1044657 Edward PEMBERTON (139122).
 1256706 Raymond Walter PERRY (138977).
 840346 Ernest George RANDELL (139085).
 845411 William Frederick REYNOLDS (138945).
 1451945 Maury Joseph SEHEULT (138972).
 1045751 John SMITH (139045).
 1431560 Richard Gordon TRAPP (139054).
 1242361 Trevor Edwin WEBB (138931).
 1010408 Bernard Albert Leonard WEST (139259).
 1360739 Jack Briscoe WILKINSON (138958).
 1269595 Ernest Simon WOOLF (138980).

Actg. Cpls.

11th Feb. 1943.

- 1561250 Lewis Cowie (139069).
 1449066 Norman Cox (139068).
 1564799 Robert Bernard HENDRIE (139257).
 1420781 Hayden John WHEELER (138974).

Ldg. Ach.

- 1212000 Charles Robert Niall CAMPBELL-HORSFALL (138261). 28th Jan. 1943.

11th Feb. 1943.

- 1185860 Stanley Lennox ALDRICH (139009).
 1128862 Frederick James BALCOMBE (139078).
 1538747 Tom BARKER (138948).
 925531 Sydney Raymond BARRY (139128).
 1492065 David Smith BEEDIE (139129).
 1246580 John BINGHAM (139131).
 964629 Godfrey Reginald BERRY (139130).
 1220099 George Colin Patrick BOXHILL (139230).
 1234079 Roy Barwise BUNCH (139249).
 1512277 Robert William BURNS (138988).
 1046070 Charles William COURTNEY (139002).
 847083 Herbert Edward William DAVENPORT (138967).
 1193696 Kenneth John DAY (139067).
 1022444 William DRUMMOND (138962).
 1159598 John Archdale Pridmore EVANS (138949).
 1219372 Robert Thomas Evans FENN (139235).
 847168 Stanley William Linnaeus FRENCH (139153).
 1030330 Harold Victor GREATER (139262).
 1024678 James Jenkins GRANT (139043).
 1325849 William Louis GROVES (139059).
 1509431 Laurence Stanley HARRISON (139116).
 860306 William Leslie HAWKINS (139010).
 1169132 Frederick William HICKS (139118).
 865536 Harold HILL (138940).
 1149718 Cledwyn HUGHES (139160).
 1489203 Lon Yockney LANE (139167).
 847130 Leslie Charles LEACH (139119).
 1468865 Lionel Charles LORD (138966).
 1454727 Ernest Jack LOWMAN (138941).
 1168364 Louis Leslie MACDONALD (138950).
 1054854 Thomas MCINROY (139052).
 1143558 William MERCER (138924).
 1193135 Charles MERRICK (138937).
 1461677 Arthur MORLEY (138968).
 1049504 Frank NICHOLSON (139049).

- 1467217 George Malcolm NOBLE (139051).
 1035274 Geoffrey PARMLEY (138979).
 1608273 Frederick Lister POWELL (138976).
 1465958 Sydney Noah PREVEZER (138975).
 1202626 Bernard Francis RILEY (139263).
 929565 Geoffrey William ROBERTS (139057).
 1455101 Robert Arthur Shepley Lister ROBINSON (139247).
 1062599 Cyril RUSSELL (139005).
 1224478 George Edward SANDERS (139074).
 926947 Vincent Guy SAUNDERS (139225).
 1174801 George Victor SIMMONS (139244).
 1031514 George Henry SMITH (139269).
 1404834 John William SMYTH (139046).
 1242231 Thomas Stanley STEUART (138957).
 1177927 Herbert Leonard STEVENS (139126).
 1094410 Kenneth Vincent TAYLOR (139084).
 1418615 Harold TEDDER-SHEPHERD (139006).
 1220405 Edward John TREMBLE (139048).
 1195593 Alfred George Uwins WATTS (138930).
 1286212 Richard Hildreth WAUGH (139242).
 842354 Norman Harry WOOD (138947).
 1113574 Frederick WOOLAM (139268).
 1309972 John Esmond YATES-EARL (139169).

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11th Feb. 1943.

- 1413616 Leslie George Douglas BLAKE (138954).
 1287301 George Edward John CHADLEIGH-WHITE (139181).

- 1048419 Hugh CHADWICK-HINDLEY (139266).
 1282740 Cecil CRAVOS (139173).
 1613329 Andrew Carruthers CROSBIE (137322).
 1402007 Norman DESBROW (139151).
 1625597 John Howard DICKINSON (139180).
 1506368 Tom Simpson DUCKWORTH (139041).
 1674792 Geoffrey John ELLIOTT (138955).
 1417564 William Harry Frank FOGG (139152).
 1465624 John Owen FRANKUM (138995).
 1673870 Evan Alfred GOODFELLOW (139083).
 1464931 Jack Liming HARBOR (139117).
 1508209 Sidney Bernard KING (139008).
 1521337 William MADGE (138952).
 1430594 Hugh McGOVERN (139053).
 1285683 Robert Henry Gerald NEWTON (139055).
 144416. Victor Alfred NUNN (138993).
 1616301 Charles Lloyd PACK (138956).
 1392770 Ellis Edward SOMAKE (139073).
 870306 Bernard SPITTLEHOUSE (138985).
 1516283 Harold Hunter THOMAS (138942).
 1493191 William WADSWORTH (139245).
 1471604 Bernard Norman WILSON (139170).

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11th Feb. 1943.

- 1764177 Brian Hare ALLEN (139252).
 1631244 Alfred William Lancaster ANDREWS (139040).

- 1640088 Stanley Frederick ASHWOOD (138946).
 1631415 Dennis Arthur BANNISTER (139159).
 1570170 John Anderson BLACK (139070).
 1717727 Leslie Page BLACKWELL (139192).
 1618848 Norman Stuart BRIGGS (139007).
 1466302 John Beaumont BUCKWELL (138987).
 1721896 Herbert Walter Fleming BURLEIGH (139189).
 1453469 Clifford Sydney GIBBS (139062).
 1618975 Harry GREENFIELD (139081).
 1717741 Arthur William James GREENWOOD (139195).
 1714801 Royston Alfred GREENWOOD (139003).
 1630594 Frank Churchill HAWKINS (139178).
 1619699 William HOLDEN (139047).
 1473043 George Kennedy HORNER (138973).
 1520246 Herbert Harry HOWSON (139071).
 1612032 Leonard John Baker HUMPHREYS (138996).
 1865119 John Cecil JAMES (139188).
 1630741 Reginald Edward JAMES (139075).
 1642119 Herbert Stanley JONES (139256).
 1656649 John Philip JONES (138992).
 1717734 Tom KAY (139187).
 1655606 Francis John KIBBLE (138939).
 1695823 Horace Gledhill KING (138935).
 1257014 Frederick Henry KIRBY (138928).
 1632818 Kenneth Alfred Charles LEATHER (139157).
 1519114 Eric William LEDWIDGE (139115).
 1546800 John LEE (138929).
 1674578 Ian MACLACHLAN (138951).
 1865595 Donald Cameron MACGILLIVRAY (139186).
 1711904 John Henry MARTIN (139185).
 1657775 Allan Howe MARTIN (139080).
 1613367 Albert MARTIN-BRANT (139229).
 1688026 Noel OSBORNE (139079).
 1687011 Fred PEARSON (138978).

- 1661597 Arthur Ernest PHILLIPS (139086).
 1726350 Herbert Leo PHILLIPS (139190).
 1613446 Peter PICKARD (139066).
 1656093 Nower PREBBLE (138971).
 1618433 Charles RICE (139064).
 1402763 Leslie Stuart ROBINSON (139144).
 1653991 Robert Ernest SADLER (139248).
 1631130 Cyril Aubrey SHEPHERD (138959).
 1717740 William Henry Rose SMYLY (139184).
 1569639 John SNEDDON (139058).
 1618602 Eric Joseph TABOR (139244).
 1632212 Lionel George THROUP (138998).
 1633626 Charles William Ramsey THURSTON (139174).
 1631400 John Ormonde TOMLINSON (138984).
 1717428 George Lewis Greig TURNBULL (139001).
 1547524 Francis George Ernest WILLIAMS (138961).
 1619700 James Arthur WRIGHT (139087).
 To be transfd. to the Tech. Br.:—
 Flt. Lts.:—
 T. W. ROWLANDS (74223). 12th Jan. 1943.
 K. S. DOUGLAS, M.C. (83762). 1st Mar. 1943.
 Flg. Off. (prob.) C. A. LUCE (112190). 20th Feb. 1943.
 To be transfd. to the Equip. Br.:—
 Flg. Off. (prob.) A. E. DAVIES (111394). 3rd Feb. 1943.
 Plt. Off. (prob.) D. DAVIES (124373). 17th Feb. 1943.
 Flg. Off. R. K. CROWTHER (82216) is transfd. to the R.A.F. Regt. 12th Feb. 1943.
 Flg. Offs. seconded for special duty:—
 D. G. MOORE (119007). 1st Feb. 1943.
 H. C. D. IRWIN (108909). 13th Feb. 1943.
 Flg. Offs. relinquish their commns. on account of ill-health and retain the rank of Flt. Lt.:—
 T. J. W. BATHER (62369). 25th Mar. 1943.
 J. E. BURT (85418). 29th Mar. 1943.
 To relinquish their commns. on account of ill-health and retain their ranks:—
 Flt. Lt. V. S. COWELL, A.F.C. (72807). 23rd Mar. 1943.
 Flg. Offs.:—
 P. WILSON (87557). 25th Mar. 1943.
 W. A. WALKER (102733).
 H. B. GROVES (109336). 27th Mar. 1943.
 B. P. TAILOUR (87248). 31st Mar. 1943.
 V. BRENT (87484). 5th Apr. 1943.
 Plt. Off. A. N. BAKER (123540). 6th Apr. 1943.
 To relinquish their commns. on account of ill-health:—
 Flg. Offs.:—
 W. T. MORRELL (79801). 27th Mar. 1943.
 J. C. NICHOLS-MARCY (75404). 29th Mar. 1943.
 Plt. Off. T. St. P. MOLONY (113037). 6th Apr. 1943.
 Actg. Plt. Off. W. W. BOLDING (133892). 31st Mar. 1943.
 Plt. Off. S. S. BOOTH-RUSSELL relinquishes his hon. commn. 28th May 1942.
 Flg. Offs. to relinquish their hon. commns. on appt. to emergency commns. in the R.A.F.V.R.:—
 8th Oct. 1942.
 R. C. BLACKHAM.
 J. ROBERTSON.
 B. A. C. YANDELL.
 Flt. Lts. resign their commns. and retain the rank of Sqn. Ldr.:—
 H. F. FENN, D.S.O. (82312). 26th Mar. 1943.
 W. P. NICHOLLS (76078). 31st Mar. 1943.
 Flg. Off. G. E. FORREST (68275) resigns his commn. and retains the rank of Flt. Lt. 12th Apr. 1943.
 Flg. Off. R. C. SWAFFIELD (79482) resigns his commn. 30th Mar. 1943.
 The commn. of Plt. Off. (prob.) The Earl of Annesley (67753) is terminated. 22nd Feb. 1943.
 The notifn. of 12th Jan. 1943 (p. 281, col. 1) concerning K. R. LEADER (131243) is cancelled.

Amendments

- In notifn. of 18th July, 1941 (p. 4132, col. 2) concerning 21103 Flt. Sgt. G. W. SCOTT (69605) for Flt. Sgt. read Wt. Off.
 In notifn. of 2nd Dec. 1941 (p. 6899, col. 1) concerning 514302 Flt. Sgt. B. WILLIAMS (110081) for 17th Oct. 1941 read 24th Oct. 1941.

In notifn. of 5th May 1942 (p. 1978, col. 1) and 30th Mar. 1943 (p. 1474, col. 1) concerning D. N. LINNETT (118089), for Plt. Off. (prob.) read Actg. Plt. Off. (prob.).

In notifn. of 4th Aug. 1942 (p. 3416, col. 2) concerning 770691 Sgt. H. T. HARRISON (123538) for 1st July, 1942, read 18th Oct. 1941.

In notifn. of 16th Feb. 1943 (p. 819, col. 1) concerning 1777608 Raphael APSEL (135977) for APSEL read APFEL.

TRAINING BRANCH.

Plt. Offs. relinquish their commns. on appt. to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br.:—

17th Feb. 1943.

J. F. ROBINSON (62162).

J. H. WATSON (65796).

Plt. Off. R. H. WHITE (69940) relinquishes his commn. on appt. to the Dental Br. 11th Mar. 1943.

Plt. Offs. relinquish their commns. on enlistment into the R.A.F.:—

J. SNAITH (109769). 9th Oct. 1942.

J. G. BARKER (107032). 1st Mar. 1943.

A. J. COGBILL (63293). 12th Mar. 1943.

Plt. Off. M. R. J. HALL (64046) relinquishes his commn. on enlistment into the Army. 14th Feb. 1943.

To resign their commns.:—

Plt. Offs.:—

J. A. PEACOCK (61687). 3rd Oct. 1942.

O. H. MITCHELL (64139). 26th Feb. 1943.

T. C. COBB (66425). 4th Mar. 1943.

E. L. GANDAR-DOWER (64136). 6th Mar. 1943.

8th Mar. 1943.

W. T. TOWLER (67451).

P. C. HANBURY (102356).

G. V. DOWSON (65272).

J. TOMLIN (64086).

H. B. COUPAR (62813).

9th Mar. 1943.

H. F. O. DAWES (64589).

B. K. DAVIES (64029).

G. E. THOMAS (57611).

W. H. THOMAS (106747). 10th Mar. 1943.

16th Mar. 1943.

W. C. BAILLIE (68033).

D. W. BENNETT (106712).

17th Mar. 1943.

C. BRIDGER (66146).

E. O. THOMAS (111863).

P. HEPBURN (69936).

C. W. JENNER (62924).

W. LORIMER (100915).

S. H. EADES (69241).

18th Mar. 1943.

W. M. STACE (68368).

S. MICKLEWHITE (115450).

J. J. W. NELMES (65126).

A. E. SHEPHERD (100947).

G. LUKE (102497).

J. R. LONGLEY (104265).

A. H. JACKSON (107010).

H. T. COMBE (65758).

H. T. CHAMBERLAIN (68982).

A. CAMPBELL (104269).

J. VOSE (69420).

19th Mar. 1943.

C. J. COLQUHOUN (100265).

R. S. WHITEMAN (113673).

H. JOHNSON (65715).

22nd Mar. 1943.

A. B. WIGNALL (62621).

R. H. VOICE (111321).

R. H. DENNETT (67891).

J. B. SHREWSBURY (67291).

24th Mar. 1943.

J. B. ELTON (64415).

I. C. BENDALL (63292).

G. D. BREWSTER (65786). 31st Mar. 1943.

Actg. Plt. Offs.:—

J. G. E. MUNT (128334). 10th Mar. 1943.

F. LINDSLEY (125244). 16th Mar. 1943.

J. THOM (128761). 17th Mar. 1943.

19th Mar. 1943.

C. H. HUNTER (122615).

L. CLITHEROE (118836).

The commn. of Plt. Off. J. A. HODGE (122589) is terminated. 22nd Mar. 1943.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

To be Actg. Pit. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Stanley Thomas SIMONS (139023). 13th Mar. 1943.

Flt. Sgt.

351427 Henry Rudolf ROCKY (139236). 11th Feb. 1943.

Sgts.

11th Feb. 1943.

510772 Leonard BANNISTER (139162).
1059657 Ernest BROWN (139145).

Cpl.

11th Feb. 1943.

1071224 George BIRBECK (139251).

1072751 Harry HAIGH (138932).

1287330 Edwin James JOHNS (139234).

1206274 Francis George PATERSON (139166).

Ldg. Acm.

11th Feb. 1943.

1356530 Arthur Thomas BANKS (139147).

844118 Harold James Reginald BROWN (139146).

1257293 Colin Charles CHURCHHOUSE (139148).

1154560 John Henry SCHOLFIELD (139163).

Acm. 2nd Cl.

11th Feb. 1943.

1642663 William Harold BROWN (138943).

1689687 Reginald HUBBARD (139165).

1727131 Alfred Southern KILBURN (139164).

1631227 Stanley Jeffries PAGE (139228).

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

To be Actg. Plt. Off. on prob. (emergency):—
Patrick George CLARK (135057). 15th Mar. 1943.

Flt. Lt. P. W. M. HALL (75132) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health and retains his rank. 5th Apr. 1943.

Flg. Off. P. W. L. EDGECOMBE (64813) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health. 31st Mar. 1943.

The notifn. of 15th Dec. 1942 (p. 5459, col. 2) concerning Flg. Off. D. W. TWEDDLE (101117) is cancelled.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

To be Flg. Offs. (emergency):—
Ralph Curzon RYLANCE, M.D., B.Ch. (138860). 25th Feb. 1943.

11th Mar. 1943.

Brian Gerard Conrad ACKNER, M.B., B.Ch. (137467).

John Edwin ADAMSON, M.B., B.Ch. (137279).

Ian James BUCHAN, M.B., Ch.B. (139311).

Harold John FULLER, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (139504).

Peter Roland GREEN, L.M.S.S.A. (139309).

Alexander Robert HARBINSON, M.B., Ch.B. (139308).

Ian Skinner KIRKLAND, M.B., Ch.B. (137266).

Robert Marshall LAIRD, M.B., B.Ch. (139307).

David Gordon SIMPSON, M.B., B.Ch. (139306).

Flg. Off. D. A. DAVIES, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (126478) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health. 27th Mar. 1943.

DENTAL BRANCH.

To be Flg. Offs. (emergency) 11th Mar. 1943:—
Charles Tattershall DODD, L.D.S. (139310).
Thomas Hall FELTON, L.D.S. (139602).
Sydney GREEN, L.D.S. (139312).
Oliver Bertram HEYWOOD, L.D.S. (139428).
Roger Hutton WHITE, L.D.S. (69940).

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

1227740 Ldg. Acm. Ernest Arthur ROBINSON (137951) to be Plt. Off. on prob. (emergency). 23rd Jan. 1943.

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

Flg. Off. B. A. COSGROVE (89549). 3rd Apr. 1943.

Plt. Off. D. E. HUNT (123788). 15th Mar. 1943.

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

Flg. Off. H. SCHAVERIEN (82994). 31st Mar. 1943.

Plt. Off. H. BELL (127555). 2nd Apr. 1943.

Flt. Lt. H. A. HYDE (83759) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health on 26th Mar. 1943 and retains the rank of Flg. Off.

The commn. of Actg. Plt. Off. (prob.) H. C. O'DONNELL (122040) is terminated. 29th Mar. 1943.

Amendments.

In notifn. of 10th July, 1942 (p. 3052, col. 1) concerning 121663 Flt. Sgt. T. L. FALLON for 121663 read 972740.

The notifn. of 13th Oct. 1942 (p. 4442, col. 2) concerning J. G. CAMERON (105337) should have appeared under Acct. Br. and not Admin and Spec. Duties Br.

AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Flt. Lt. D. L. LLOYD (90180) is transfd. to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 25th Mar. 1943.

BALLOON BRANCH.

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

Wg. Cdr. G. J. RAYNER (90436). 28th Feb. 1943.

Flt. Lts.:—

24th Mar. 1943.

R. B. HAWKES (91148).

R. H. HAYWARD (91137).

G. K. MARSHALL (90862).

R. V. SALTMARSH (90999). 27th Mar. 1943.

WOMEN'S FORCES.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

To resign their commns.:—

Sec. Offs.:—

R. M. MORRIS (792). 14th Mar. 1943.

E. MCILHAGGA (3112). 24th Mar. 1943.

A. V. SERPELL (1800). 1st Apr. 1943.

Sec. Offs. (prob.):—

E. I. BIRNIE (5984). 13th Mar. 1943.

3rd Apr. 1943.

M. PIMBLETT (5073).

J. H. SWIFT (4792).

Asst. Sec. Offs. (prob.):—

S. C. PEPPER (6426). 24th Mar. 1943.

M. P. BREEDON (5632). 27th Mar. 1943.

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