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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.*

Acting Wing Commander Ronald BERRY, D.F.C. (78538), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

In the campaign in North Africa, this officer participated in a large number of sorties and displayed great skill and leadership. In addition he has displayed excellent organising ability which has contributed materially to the success of the wing he commands. Wing Commander Berry has destroyed 17 enemy aircraft.

Acting Squadron Leader Colin Falkland GRAY, D.F.C. (41844), No. 81 Squadron.

Squadron Leader Gray is a first class fighter, whose personal example has fostered a fine fighting spirit in the squadron. He has taken part in many sorties in operations in North Africa and has destroyed 5 enemy aircraft, bringing his total victories to at least 21. His gallant leadership has been inspiring.

*Bar to Distinguished Flying Cross.*

Acting Squadron Leader George Urquhart Hill, D.F.C. (Can/C.1075), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 111 Squadron.

This officer has led the squadron with great success and, since early April, 1943, has destroyed five enemy aircraft. Early in May, 1943, he led his formation in an operation off the Tunisian coast. During the flight a superior force of enemy fighters was engaged. In the ensuing combats, 7 enemy aircraft were destroyed without loss, 2 of them by Squadron Leader Hill. This officer is a courageous and skilful fighter.

Acting Squadron Leader John Stuart TAYLOR, D.F.C. (60090), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 601 Squadron.

This officer's high qualities of leadership and efficiency have contributed materially to the high standard of operational efficiency of the squadron he commands. He has at all times displayed the greatest keenness to engage the enemy and has destroyed 11 enemy aircraft.

*Distinguished Flying Cross.*

Acting Squadron Leader Oliver Donald Brittain COE (43094), No. 241 Squadron.

In operations in North Africa this officer led the squadron on many bombing missions. One

day in March, 1943, he participated in 2 attacks against Maknassy, where enemy positions were successfully bombed despite poor visibility. Squadron Leader Coe has invariably displayed skill and courage of a high order.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Cyril Harley Sergeant KIRKUS (45600), No. 241 Squadron.

In the campaign in North Africa, this officer participated in numerous bombing and reconnaissance sorties, rendering valuable service. He has at all times displayed great skill and keenness.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Edward Graham NICHOLL (111707), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 241 Squadron.

This officer has completed a large number of sorties and has led the squadron with great skill and determination. On 1 occasion in March, 1943, during a bombing mission near Medjez, his aircraft was shot down between the opposing lines. Flight Lieutenant Nicholl succeeded in re-joining his squadron the same afternoon and expressed a keen desire to resume flying duties immediately. His courageous example has been inspiring.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Francis Peter MARSH (Can/J.15643), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 426 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

Flying Officer Donald Wallace SIMPSON (Can/J. 11110), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 426 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

One night in April, 1943, these officers were wireless operator and navigator respectively of an aircraft detailed to attack Duisburg. When nearing the target area the bomber was engaged by an enemy fighter and sustained severe damage. On the return flight Flying Officer Simpson displayed exceptional navigational ability in most difficult circumstances and Flight Lieutenant Marsh, who skilfully obtained bearings, rendered him valuable assistance. Both these members of aircraft crew displayed great coolness and skill in a perilous situation.

Aus. 400297 Acting Flight Lieutenant Egbert Campbell SMITH, Royal Australian Air Force, No. 361 (R.A.A.F.) Squadron.

Flight Lieutenant Smith has completed a very large number of hours flying on operations. He has always displayed great keenness and determination, setting a fine example. On 2 successive days recently, he executed attacks on U-boats. On the latter of these occasions a photograph taken during the operation showed debris and several of the crew in the water.

Flying Officer Robert Leonard COWEY (126097), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 206 Squadron.

This officer, who has completed a large number of hours flying on anti-submarine patrols, is a determined and enterprising captain. In October, 1942, he successfully attacked a U-boat, whilst on patrol over the Atlantic. Recently he sighted a lifeboat filled with survivors from a torpedoed ship and was instrumental in their subsequent rescue. During a patrol some days later, he pressed home a vigorous attack on a U-boat on the surface. In spite of heavy anti-aircraft fire, Flying Officer Cowey succeeded in straddling the vessel with depth charges. It immediately sank, leaving several of its crew in the water.

Flying Officer John Mercer HARTLEY (100579), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 58 Squadron.

This officer, who has completed many sorties, has rendered excellent service. Recently he has executed 3 attacks on U-boats, pressing home these operations with great skill and vigour. Flying Officer Hartley, has invariably displayed high courage and great determination.

Flying Officer John Knox MOFFAT (114920), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 120 Squadron.

Whilst engaged on convoy escort duties, Flying Officer Moffat executed a successful attack on a U-boat. In the face of anti-aircraft fire he straddled the vessel with depth charges. It sank almost immediately, leaving some of the crew in the water. Flying Officer Moffat displayed great skill and determination.

*Distinguished Flying Cross.*

Pilot Officer Gordon William YOUNG (Can/J.16906), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 90 Squadron.

*Distinguished Flying Medal.*

977509 Sergeant Wilfred Howard DAVINE, No. 90 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Young and Sergeant Davine were pilot and rear gunner respectively of an aircraft detailed to attack a target in the Ruhr one night in May, 1943. During the operation the aircraft was attacked by an enemy fighter. Sergeant Davine was wounded in both legs, while his turret was put out of action. Although in great pain he continued to give his pilot a commentary on the attacker's movements. The fighter made repeated attacks but, displaying great skill, Pilot Officer Young eventually evaded it. His aircraft was badly damaged and became difficult to control. Despite this Pilot Officer Young flew it to base and made a safe landing. By his skill and determination he was undoubtedly responsible for the safe return of the aircraft and its crew. In spite of his severe injuries, Sergeant Davine displayed great fortitude and devotion to duty.

*Conspicuous Gallantry Medal (Flying).*

Aus.403980 Sergeant Arthur Frederick BLACKWELL, Royal Australian Air Force, No. 500 Squadron.

*Distinguished Flying Medal.*

1310462 Flight Sergeant Alfred Sidney KEMPSTER, No. 500 Squadron.

In April, 1943, at night, these airmen were navigator and wireless operator/air gunner respectively of an aircraft the pilot of which was killed by anti-aircraft gunfire. Displaying great promptitude and resource Flight Sergeant Kempster pulled back the control column, while other members of the crew were removing the pilot from his seat, and succeeded in regaining height. His immediate action undoubtedly saved the aircraft from crashing. Sergeant Blackwell then took over the controls and flew the aircraft to base where the remaining members of the crew were enabled to leave the aircraft by parachute. All landed safely. During the return flight Sergeant Blackwell displayed exceptional leadership and captaincy which inspired his comrades in trying circumstances.

*Distinguished Flying Medal.*

1380768 Flight Sergeant Alwyn Berriman DOWNING, No. 600 Squadron.

In April, 1943, this airman piloted an aircraft engaged on patrol over an area of the Mediterranean Sea. Shortly before dawn he observed 5 enemy transport aircraft. Flight Sergeant Downing immediately attacked and, within 4

minutes had shot 4 of them down into the sea. He then engaged and destroyed the remaining aircraft. In achieving this spectacular feat, Flight Sergeant Downing used only half of his ammunition. He displayed great skill, courage and determination.

1312369 Sergeant Roy Jack Hubert HUSSEY, No. 72 Squadron.

In operations in North Africa, this airman took part in a very large number of sorties, including attacks on airfields and road transport. He has invariably displayed fine leadership and great tenacity and has destroyed at least 4 enemy aircraft in combat.

*Air Ministry, 1st June, 1943.*

AWARDS OF A FOREIGN DECORATION.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

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

CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

*Air Medal.*

Acting Squadron Leader Alfred Henry Wynne BALL, D.S.O., D.F.C. (33532).

Flight Lieutenant Murray Crichton Bill ANDERSON, D.F.C. (44673).

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

Acting Flight Lieutenant Daniel Murray MCKENZIE (Can/J.8786), Royal Canadian Air Force.

Flying Officer Harold Wallace CLYNE (122934), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

Flying Officer Edwin Richard COWAN, D.F.C. (66596) (now deceased).

Flying Officer William Frank RAINS (110557), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve (now missing).

Aus.405496 Flight Sergeant Bernard Joseph O'CONNELL, Royal Australian Air Force.

1126030 Flight Sergeant John Percival IREDALE.

1085204 Sergeant Kenneth Burton FORBES.

521698 Sergeant John Frederick SAMSON.

Aus.403825 Sergeant Roy Meldrum TAYLOR, Royal Australian Air Force (now deceased).

*Air Ministry, 1st June, 1943.*

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

To be Plt. Offs. (tempy.) on being employed with the R.A.F. 28th Apr. 1943:—

John Charles EVELEIGH, Lt. R.T.R. (51811).  
Arthur Raymond Davies PUGH, Lt. R.A. (51812).

Donald Sidney SMITH, Lt. R.A. (51814).

Clifton Ignatius WALTER, Lt. R.A. (51813).

Hugh Edward Griffiths WELLS, Lt. R.A. (51815).

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

Wt. Offs.

562427 Arthur Ambrose ARGENT (51740). 5th Nov. 1942.

24th Jan. 1943.

563392 Sidney Charles READHEAD (51646).

580811 Kenneth Percy ROBERTS, D.F.M. (51647).

581483 Robert Weavers WARD (51648). 1st Feb. 1943.

560083 John Douglas CHRISTIAN (51741). 20th Mar. 1943.

528923 Peter Stanley HAMPSON (51732). 21st Mar. 1943.

Tempy. Wt. Off.

581457. Rayner Harvey JENKINS (51672). 24th Feb. 1943.

Flt. Sgts.

543803 William Henry COTTERELL, D.F.M. (51720). 16th Dec. 1942.

511515 Harold George Dunthorne PAWSEY (51727). 21st Dec. 1942.

632833 Norman SHERRIFF (51719). 7th Jan. 1943.

567040 Harry Leonard MELLOR (51739). 19th Jan. 1943.

652212 Thomas Coulton LATHAM (51721). 31st Jan. 1943.

11th Feb. 1943.  
 630942 Patrick Henry McKENNA (51725).  
 562052 William Henry CREEK (51799).  
 619092 John Harris HOLLINGWORTH (51718).  
 8th Mar. 1943.  
 547029 William Joseph JAMES (51726). 17th  
 Mar. 1943.  
 624219 Leslie Frank HARPER (51675). 19th Mar.  
 1943.  
 527616 George Henry NICHOLSON (51729). 5th  
 Apr. 1943.

Actg. Flt. Sgt.  
 571338 John Charles GOODSON (51805). 5th  
 Apr. 1943.

Sgts.  
 507634 George Barnie SUTHERLAND (51742).  
 2nd Nov. 1942.  
 645721 Raymond Wilberforce BREWSTER  
 (51629). 27th Jan. 1943.  
 610610 Arthur John TUCKER (51676). 15th Feb.  
 1943.

658387 Reginald Talbot HOYLE (51797). 21st  
 Feb. 1943.

573106 James Patrick ALLAN (55043). 26th  
 Feb. 1943.  
 545151 James FILSON (51743). 13th Mar. 1943.  
 658049 John Lovell WHITELEY (51798). 27th  
 Mar. 1943.

656647 Frank Cyril MILTON (51800). 2nd Apr.  
 1943.  
 567828 George Wilson STEWART (51302). 3rd  
 Apr. 1943.

5th Apr. 1943.  
 621445 John BURDON (51730).  
 616420 James Jardine DEVAN (51723).  
 529155 Charles Herbert FRANCIS (51738).  
 569921 Robert Edward MANVELL (51737).  
 652368 Frank Sainthill PEARSE (51390). 27th  
 Apr. 1943.

Cpls.  
 5th Mar. 1943.  
 575172 Graeme Keith BUSHELL (55050).  
 575149 Peter John SOUTHGATE (55055).

Ldg. Acm.  
 517387 Jack Thompson HAUGHTON (55036).  
 21st Feb. 1943.

Flt. Lt. (tempy. Sqn. Ldr.) J. M. N. PIKE  
 (33200) to be Sqn. Ldr. 1st Dec. 1941.  
 Flg. Off. L. F. WAERN (46213) is transfd. to the  
 Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 13th May 1943.

Flt. Lt. F. W. SNELL, D.F.C. (39349) takes rank  
 and precedence as if his appt. as Flt. Lt. bore  
 date 19th Dec. 1941. Reduction to take effect  
 from 4th Sept. 1942.

Gp. Capt. (tempy. Air Cdre.) J. L. VACHELL,  
 M.C., is placed on the ret'd. list on account of ill-  
 health and retains the rank of Air Cdre. 21st May  
 1943.

Flg. Off. R. H. HUGHES, D.F.M. (45303), is  
 cashiered by sentence of General Court Martial.  
 11th Mar. 1943.

**Amendment.**

The notfn. of 13th Oct. 1942 (p. 4440, col. 2)  
 concerning K. E. SLACK (51806) should have  
 appeared under the R.A.F. and not the  
 R.A.F.V.R. and his number is as now stated.

**TECHNICAL BRANCH.**

To be Flg. Offs. on prob. (emergency). 22nd  
 Apr. 1943:—

Wt. Offs.  
 505067 Patrick Joseph EUSTACE (51545).  
 363161 Bertie LOCK (51568).  
 362531 Arthur Stanley LUCAS (51587).  
 348912 Alexander SMITH, B.E.M. (51589).

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—  
 Wt. Off.  
 534124 Arthur Frederick PLANT, D.F.M.  
 (51306). 1st Apr. 1943.

Flt. Sgts.  
 22nd Apr. 1943.  
 509318 Patrick William Kenealy CRISP, D.F.M.  
 (51582).  
 550927 Eric Eustace DASHPER (51584).  
 627916 Douglas Raymond DOUGHTY, D.F.M.  
 (51583).

530886 Richard Albert FOSTER (51585).  
 562738 Leslie Ronald Hordley KING (51566).  
 565101 John William NAYLOR (51571).

Sgt.  
 630402 Ronald Arthur FARMER (51586). 22nd  
 Apr. 1943.

Cpl.  
 516364 Francis Robert POPE (51588). 22nd  
 Apr. 1943.

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

364522 Alfred Charles William BOOTH (51237).  
 25th Mar. 1943.

22nd Apr. 1943.  
 365172 Alfred BONNY (51548).  
 363157 Jack Thomas LETLEY, B.E.M. (51567).  
 358761 Donald Thomas ROBINSON (51575).

Actg. Wt. Off.  
 560510 Henry William ADAMS (51547). 22nd  
 Apr. 1943.

Flt. Sgts.  
 22nd Apr. 1943.

563713 Edwin Harvey ANDREWS (51546).  
 517342 Eric BARRETT (51550).  
 507771 George BROWN (51549).  
 566657 George Charles CLARKE (51552).  
 335877 Ernest John Wilson COLLINS (51553).  
 562483 Thomas CROW (51551).

563096 Herbert Joshua Francis DUDENEY  
 (51557).

561691 Dennis Pascoe DUNN (51555).  
 561712 Vivian Ernest Cooksey FORSTER (51559).  
 560295 Ralph Arthur HARWOOD (51560).  
 563557 James Henry HOWARD (51562).  
 565591 George Edgar Frederick JOHNSON  
 (51563).

562773 Ronald James KING (51565).  
 567413 Thomas Willis LENNARD (51569).  
 563903 John MAWDSLEY (51570).  
 561207 Leslie Champion ROGERS (51574).  
 565203 John William Cecil SMITH (51576).  
 565971 Henry Alfred James STEEDMAN (51578).  
 564286 Frank Edward SWAIN (51577).  
 562947 Thomas Smith WILSON (51580).

Sgts.  
 22nd Apr. 1943.  
 641305 Edward James CASHMAN (51554).  
 545705 Denis Edward HASTWELL (51561).  
 566349 Arthur JEFFERSON (51564).  
 528573 William Morgan PHILIPPS (51572).  
 573501 William James TUFT (51600).  
 529353 Joseph George WOODS (51579).

Flt. Lt. (tempy. Wg. Cdr.) M. DAWNAY  
 (33082) to be Sqn. Ldr. 1st Mar. 1941.

**ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.**

To be Flg. Off. on prob. (emergency):—  
 86948 Wt. Off. Victor Charles TERRY (51590).  
 22nd Apr. 1943.

Flg. Off. (prob.) C. T. BEESON (48553) is  
 transfd. to the Tech. Br. 1st May 1943.

**EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**

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

22nd Apr. 1943.  
 507608 Rodger Burns HUGHES (51593).  
 334642 William Henry LUXTON (51595).

To be Actg. Plt. Off. on prob. (emergency):—  
 513406 Wt. Off. Cameron Claude CLARKE  
 (51591). 22nd Apr. 1943.

**ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.**

Flt. Lts. relinquish their rank at their own re-  
 quest and are transfd. to the Gen. Duties Br. in  
 rank of Plt. Off.:—

R. P. BURTT (21249). 4th Dec. 1942.  
 R. V. CARROLL (21326). 7th May 1943.

**RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.**

**ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.**

Percy Lionel COATES, D.S.O., T.D., to be Flt.  
 Lt. in class CC. 1st July 1942.

Louis Alfred CADWELL to be Flg. Off. in class  
 CC. 7th May 1943.

Wg. Cdr. J. K. GARLAND relinquishes his  
 commn. in class CC on cessation of duty. 1st  
 Mar. 1943.

The notfn. of 27th Apr. 1943 (p. 1908, col. 1)  
 concerning E. McL. KEAY is cancelled.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.**

Flt. Lt. R. J. PAYNE (39390) is transfd. to  
 the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 4th May, 1943.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

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

Wt. Offs.

741109 Robert Ferdinand GRAESSER (I44018).  
13th Dec. 1942.745510 Alan Walter GEAR (I44002). 12th Jan.  
1943.751226 William Paton ANDERSON (I43494). 24th  
Jan. 1943.747705 John Graham PARSONS (I43773). 26th  
Jan. 1943.749582 Walter Frederick BOWKER (I43488). 10th  
Feb. 1943.

17th Mar. 1943.

1160506 Ian McDonald MUNRO (I44274).

755644 Richard MASCALL (I43490).

747900 Frank BARKER (I43879). 18th Mar.  
1943.754644 John James FIELD (I44281). 22nd Mar.  
1943.754155 Frederick Charles STAITE (I44006). 24th  
Mar. 1943.1375826 William Edward CUMMINGS (I43492).  
29th Mar. 1943.

Flt. Sgts.

986569 Gordon Alfred KENYON (I43471). 5th  
Sept. 1942.747428 Norman Louis ROSE (I44286). 17th  
Sept. 1942.754680 Robert Leask TAIT (I43768). 23rd Sept.  
1942.900649 Peter John WILLS (I44268). 5th Oct.  
1942.1162674 Frederick William HART (I43869). 3rd  
Nov. 1942.1177720 Edwin Georgie RUSSON (I43673). 7th  
Nov. 1942.919983 Joseph Carden MALLALIEU (I43569).  
11th Dec. 1942.

28th Dec. 1942.

1285834 Stanley John DUDLEY (I44001).

1108931 Albert Edward TRUESDALE (I44162).

1053086 Basil Ron FROST (I43983). 6th Jan.  
1943.905140 Wilfrid Laurence TENNESON (I44015).  
11th Jan. 1943.1114937 John Butcher TAYLOR (I44271). 12th  
Jan. 1943.1067471 Alan Charles MUSKETT (I44189). 14th  
Jan. 1943.

24th Jan. 1943.

755315 Cyril BOYLE (I43495).

920429 Ivor Norman MARTIN (I43496).

934584 Harry Herbert SMITH (I43984). 27th  
Jan. 1943.

28th Jan. 1943.

907477 Frank Edwin HAYNES (I43570).

1206398 Reginald Charles MUNDY (I44276).

1164980 Hugh Cecil BRADSHAW (I43770). 29th  
Jan. 1943.

1050123 Lionel GEEKIE (I44011). 1st Feb. 1943.

9th Feb. 1943.

1062365 Roger HOGGARTH (I44017).

932937 Dudley Bernard ATKINSON (I44026).

1181651 Jack BARNES (I44021).

919137 John Alexander BLAIR (I43987).

1014106 Kenneth Mayer RATHBONE (I43880).  
14th Feb. 1943.

15th Feb. 1943.

1151682 Thomas William Dennis WHITE  
(I43874).

1286273 Cyril BARON (I43875).

926302 Cecil Kenneth GARNER (I43775). 22nd  
Feb. 1943.

23rd Feb. 1943.

785046 Lincoln Richards LORD (I44010).

1162441 Herbert Charles Wilfrid THORPE  
(I43990).

25th Feb. 1943.

1387250 James Francis GRIEVE (I44168).

1308034 Stewart James VOLANTE (I43771).

655071 Herbert Laurence WORLEY (I44027).  
27th Feb. 1943.1057430 Leslie Ernest HILL (I44182). 28th Feb.  
1943.655511 Chris Noel WOODCOCK (I44040). 2nd  
Mar. 1943.924769 Thomas William ROBINSON (I43856).  
3rd Mar. 1943.

4th Mar. 1943.

1068335 Frank CUETO (I44290).

655193 Leslie Arthur Norman HOLLAND  
(I44285).

6th Mar. 1943.

932302 John Leslie Whisson HILL (I44009).

1062733 Guy TREVOR (I44178).

9922608 Berwyn WHITE (I44289). 7th Mar.  
1943.954264 John Mossop, D.F.M. (I44165). 9th  
Mar. 1943.

10th Mar. 1943.

776031 William James JOHNSON (I43489).

1312191 Anthony Dundas LOFTING (I44007).

11th Mar. 1943.

970157 David HUTCHISON (I44167).

1378611 Albert Edwin Robin BOWLER (I43862).

759245 Peter Robert FARMER (I43487). 12th  
Mar. 1943.

13th Mar. 1943.

1264979 Frederick Howard PELHAM (I44003).

934012 John George EATON (I44170).

754773 Frank BELL (I43575). 14th Mar. 1943.

1064694 Harry CHADWICK (I43860). 15th Mar.  
1943.959301 Reginald George JACKSON (I43486). 16th  
Mar. 1943.7250190 Leonard James PALMER (I43872). 19th  
Mar. 1943.1291382 James Broad ROBINSON (I44283). 20th  
Mar. 1943.1051160 James Dunbar CHRYSAL (I44282). 21st  
Mar. 1943.

22nd Mar. 1943.

1220193 Herbert Henry BODDY (I44287).

1174355 John Shepherd LEWERY (I41786).

24th Mar. 1943.

1378052 Laurence James FROST (I44014).

817259 Alexander Adie SIM (I44196).

1293179 Alan James Frederick CATTANACH  
(I44295).

742174 Stanley Gilbert PICKARD (I43865).

1365761 Robert Murdo Tulloch Milne Beattie  
MACDONALD (I44028). 25th Mar. 1943.

1064096 William Stanley ALDERSON (I44184).

28th Mar. 1943.

1258835 John Raymond WILLIS (I43986). 4th  
Apr. 1943.1185888 John Harold REAVILL (I44164). 2nd  
Apr. 1943.777788 Arthur Ernest THORNTON (I60034). 5th  
Apr. 1943.

Tempy. Flt. Sgt.

959610 Douglas PHILLIPS (I43573). 30th Jan.  
1943.

Sgts.

923046 John Richmond CHUBB (I43572). 2nd  
Sept. 1942.1153985 Edward Elmer ROBBINS (I43470). 12th  
Sept. 1942.1071240 Edward George COOK (I44270). 15th  
Sept. 1942.

17th Sept. 1942.

1188482 William Arthur Lacy TUCK (I44269).

1259559 Robert Crawford WHITE (I44284).

927025 George Arthur YOUNGMAN (I43935).  
28th Sept. 1942.

31st Oct. 1942.

1029246 Benjamin CHAPMAN (I44025).

1377493 Bernard George HILL (I44024).

971752 Alistair Kay MURDOCH (I43482). 6th  
Nov. 1942.1335726 Kenneth Reginald PENRY (I43870).  
20th Nov. 1942.956441 Frank George WARREN (I43867). 5th  
Dec. 1942.966999 Henry Edward EVANS (I36825). 18th  
Dec. 1942.1000345 James Brian WILKINSON (I43483). 20th  
Dec. 1942.

1343456 Hugh MARTIN (I43998). 31st Dec. 1942.

8th Jan. 1943.

1600193 Arthur Charles TURNER (I29726).

1577852 Harold Douglas WAKEMAN (I29727).

1032139 Stafford John HUXLEY (I44008). 11th  
Jan. 1943.

948177 Arthur Humphrey GROUNDS (I44195).

14th Jan. 1943.

1263689 Herbert Frank RICHARDSON (I44273).  
15th Jan. 1943.

- 1255370 David Kenneth BREAREY (143584).  
19th Jan. 1943.  
1377534 George Edward HARVEY (144013).  
20th Jan. 1943.  
658272 Stuart Edward GOLDSWORTHY (151101).  
22nd Jan. 1943.  
655868 Michael Vernon SOLOMON (144039). 1st  
Feb. 1943.  
785087 James HAWSON (144292). 7th Feb.  
1943.  
10th Feb. 1943.  
1431982 William JOLLEY (144023).  
1332252 George STRANGE (144020).  
1216150 Edwin John WHITFIELD (144022).  
1803055 Paul Oliver GAUGHENBAUGH (143883).  
12th Feb. 1943.  
13th Feb. 1943.  
1393348 Ernest Edward TATT (144087).  
1210063 John Brian Darlington LORT (143941).  
14th Feb. 1943.  
1290245 Ernesto HOWELL (144194).  
1051869 William Thomas BATSON (143468).  
912809 Eric Stanley HUGHES (144000). 16th  
Feb. 1943.  
20th Feb. 1943.  
1294038 Jan Bernard Marinus HAYE (142599).  
1387813 Stanley Harry BARNARD (144187).  
23rd Feb. 1943.  
1050116 Sidney Wilfred ADAMSON (144172).  
969792 Walter DENTON (143881).  
25th Feb. 1943.  
1147867 John COUGHLAN (144293).  
1331326 David Murray ELLIS (144294).  
754434 Cyril William ELLIS (144169). 26th  
Feb. 1943.  
1377737 Francis Leslie Ashton MORRIS (143491).  
27th Feb. 1943.  
28th Feb. 1943.  
1127206 Herbert GRAHAM (144296).  
1323272 Keith DURBIDGE (143999).  
1st Mar. 1943.  
1381106 John Alan Brian CURTIS (143774).  
605417 William Sewell TREACY (144004).  
1294564 Reginald Horace ROCKETT (143876).  
1128555 Alfred David LEYSHON (143574). 3rd  
Mar. 1943.  
1381066 Arthur Charles LOVELAND (143493).  
4th Mar. 1943.  
1434077 George Herbert PULLAN (151496). 5th  
Mar. 1943.  
6th Mar. 1943.  
1076880 George MATTINSON (143576).  
1376898 Vivian LOWER (143871).  
1312002 Cyril Ernest COOMBS (144181).  
1576813 Derrick Gordon MASTERS (143873). 7th  
Mar. 1943.  
1151389 Michael John David FULLER (143760).  
9th Mar. 1943.  
1214301 Gordon Kenneth Frank WADE (144277).  
10th Mar. 1943.  
11th Mar. 1943.  
1437113 Clement Barnett INGS (143654).  
1172575 George Robert KENT (143587).  
13th Mar. 1943.  
1361459 Colin Raeburn BENTLEY (143579).  
1208531 Ernest George FRANCIS (143571).  
1331707 Albert Robert POTTER (143772).  
1336353 Claud Robert WILSON (144288). 14th  
Mar. 1943.  
15th Mar. 1943.  
1269944 Charles Edward OAKLEY (143878).  
1259786 Oldrich Dennis BLAHA, D.F.M. (143580).  
1287436 Alan Thomas BUDINGER (143991).  
16th Mar. 1943.  
658225 Albert Walter TOZER (143868).  
952970 John Lawrence IRVINE (144005).  
1216113 Jack GRUNDY (144280).  
778740 Noel Ernest BURTON (160039).  
1500186 Ronald Albert PARKINSON (144180).  
17th Mar. 1943.  
658710 George Horne McDUGAL (143982).  
924580 Dennis William WEBBER (143864).  
19th Mar. 1943.  
1379569 Edgar Langford PAVITT (143578).  
755353 Leonard LEWIS (144166).  
1333031 Clifford COLE (143778).  
943775 Frank HARDING (143861).  
21st Mar. 1943.  
1087286 Robert Pickering CRYER (143859).  
1341977 James Love HADDOW (143857).  
22nd Mar. 1943.  
1087734 John Owen PENNINGTON (144275).  
1338247 Iltyd French LENG (143988).  
23rd Mar. 1943.  
1131647 George William POLLARD (143577).  
1260193 Stanley Robert FARLEY (143877).  
1334891 Charles Godfrey TAPSON (144272). 24th  
Mar. 1943.  
25th Mar. 1943.  
1239591 Robert Leslie PICKUP (144185).  
1072959 Maurice Alfred Iorworth DAVIES  
(143992).  
1319625 Walter John PAINTER (143985). 26th  
Mar. 1943.  
1388665 Kenneth Charles Seymour LEGGE  
(144177). 27th Mar. 1943.  
657670 Eric Ivor BRITTON (144279). 28th Mar.  
1943.  
1223942 William SMITH (144291). 1st Apr. 1943.  
1082025 Frank Taylor SCHOLES (144278). 3rd  
Apr. 1943.  
1382479 Albert William Edward Peter  
CARTWRIGHT (143909). 4th Apr. 1943.  
5th Apr. 1943.  
928104 John Thomas BENNETT, D.F.M. (143928).  
1010319 James Ralph COATES (143929).  
1268373 Arthur Frederick James FERROTT  
(144215).  
800596 William Thomas POTTER (143930).  
1443184 Stanley John SLADE (143997).  
110527 James Herbert WOLTON, D.F.M.  
(143996).  
6th Apr. 1943.  
950706 Ralph BROWN (144183).  
1318242 John Edward HILL (144186).  
1315004 Robert George GRAY (144179). 8th Apr.  
1943.  
954982 William Latimer TURNER (144163). 9th  
Apr. 1943.  
Tempy. Sgt.  
1360168 Arthur Brooks (144171). 13th Mar.  
1943.  
Cpls.  
19th Feb. 1943.  
908881 Albert Raymond HECKMAN (151254).  
802499 James Lyle WOOD (151256).  
995307 Maurice Cecil KAY (151376). 26th Feb.  
1943.  
749761 John Henry BUGBEE (151409). 5th  
Mar. 1943.  
6th Mar. 1943.  
948859 James Cameron HARTHILL (139722).  
962487 Edward Patrick NEARY (139724).  
658107 Gordon Frederick PARKINSON (141884).  
3rd Apr. 1943.  
Ldg. Acm.  
656136 Thomas McWhirter CALDERWOOD  
(118607). 28th Mar. 1942.  
1392163 James Arthur MATHIAS (131108). 10th  
Oct. 1942.  
1335962 Harold Edward BREEZE (133630). 6th  
Nov. 1942.  
20th Nov. 1942.  
1231056 George Henry CALVELEY (134561).  
632327 John McLAUGHLAN (136472).  
21st Nov. 1942.  
1542923 David Henry ATKINSON (133788).  
1538237 Joseph Edward BROWN (133786).  
1393581 Ernest George FARROW (133785).  
1393236 Stanley Robert GRAFTON (133784).  
4th Dec. 1942.  
1321002 Stewart Andrew ANNING (136403).  
1321168 Ronald Mons LOWE (135627).  
5th Dec. 1942.  
1316909 David Campbell GORDON (133765).  
778937 David Millington GRANTHAM (80452).  
1376548 Frank Ernest KNIGHT (133766).  
798462 Patrick Charles TEMPLE (133768).  
1448423 Clifford Geoffrey NEWTON (136667).  
18th Dec. 1942.  
30th Dec. 1942.  
1321160 Oswald Henry Mark HALL (138120).  
1472216 Donald John HAMILTON (138117).  
1200094 Ronald HANSON (138118).

1458897 Philip Harold HAWKINS HENMAN (138111).  
 1316372 Ernest Garth Fidler LYDER (138123).  
 994647 John Deans TELFER (138093).  
 1602210 Thomas Leslie THOMPSON (138101).  
 1269667 George Wilfred WINSTANLEY (137613).  
 1386332 Peter Cecil John STRUTT (137171). 9th Jan. 1943.

15th Jan. 1943.

1575649 Robert Antony WARD (151070).  
 1393434 Peter Barnard WILLS (151068).

22nd Jan. 1943.

1502958 William ADAMSON (151097).  
 1800020 John David Rayner BETHELL (151038).  
 6571116 Reginald Gordon John GODSELL (151089).  
 1508715 Reginald CRAIL (138301). 23rd Jan. 1943.

29th Jan. 1943.

1334732 Bernard Roy BAKER (151225).  
 1281200 Reginald Gordon BURKE (151224).  
 658793 Geoffrey Victor VARDIGANS (151222).

1375273 Peter Norman BOYLE (141683). 30th Jan. 1943.

981259 Peter Steven Leinthall LAYCOCK (151105). 1st Feb. 1943.

5th Feb. 1943.

1576866 Thomas Lawson BRINTON (151121).  
 742578 Reginald Melbourne Julian JOSEPH (151141).

1438459 John Everard JOHNSON (136915). 6th Feb. 1943.

8th Feb. 1943.

1457340 Thomas Clement BATSON (151334).  
 1324513 Cyril Leslie ROSS (151335).

1577594 Dennis Harold BURKINSHAW (139029). 13th Feb. 1943.

19th Feb. 1943.

1586130 Edward Ronald DUCHESNE (151283).  
 1333588 Cyril George Ernest HARBER (151284).  
 1459706 Arthur George LORD (151280).  
 1560940 Desmond WHITE (151286).  
 911753 Leslie George WILSON (151278).  
 1357043 Kenneth Biltcliffe WINFIELD (151277).  
 1586393 William Harry CASLEY (151255).  
 922406 Dennis Albert DERBY (151251).  
 1219821 Ralph Eric GREEN (151258).  
 944270 Anthony Edward GRUBB (151259).  
 1601128 Cyril Asher HORWICH (151257).  
 1388711 Mostyn William OLIVER (151326).  
 1065737 Reginald WEST (151264).

20th Feb. 1943.

1600286 Francis George BENNETT (138366).  
 1602861 Jack Howard GRANTHAM (138364).  
 1421170 William James HYETT (138370).  
 1586933 John Mansell Tabor SANCTUARY (138369).

1802165 Charles Ernest YEO (138367).  
 710072 Bruce Fiennes RITCHIE (160008).

21st Feb. 1943.

1321220 Clifford John HAMMENT (151295).  
 1391707 Leslie John HURD (151299).  
 1392383 Desmond Edward DEWELL (151302).  
 1318055 Dennis James FOLLOWS (151305).  
 1397182 Joseph Francis Loftus WISE (151301).

26th Feb. 1943.

1120821 Robert BARR (151382).  
 1394217 David Austin LAMPARD (151378).

5th Mar. 1943.

1396533 Ronald James AUTY (151425).  
 1578709 Douglas George BLADON (151426).  
 1459126 Jack BROCKETT (151412).  
 1513959 Edward Percival CARRIGAN (151421).  
 1622162 Peter Raymond COLLIS (151418).  
 1391749 Douglas Hubert DURLING (151427).  
 1396273 Reginald Ellis EDWARDS (151414).  
 1267587 Jack Alfred Charles ATKINS (151503).  
 1336236 Roy Beresford BENIANS (151460).  
 1321670 David Murray BRRELLE (151449).  
 1397925 Archibald Gillman BRADLEY (151457).  
 1802691 Norman CROSBY (151416).  
 1324657 Kenneth Thomas BELL (151474).  
 1511060 Ronald James PARR (151497).

6th Mar. 1943.

987145 James Archibald JACKSON (139721).  
 1003607 Henry MORDUE (139725).  
 1053434 James Jeff Millar TAYLOR (139723).

19th Mar. 1943.

1559159 Matthew Morrison BILSEAND (151524).  
 1397600 William James BARNES (151626).

1324468 Harry Frank Somme MITCHELL (151619).  
 1395327 Frederick ROSE (151611).  
 1458988 Bryan Spofforth LITTLE (151620).  
 1542334 Ronald MADEN (151614).  
 1554690 William Fisher MARTIN (151609).  
 1396472 Dennis Edward MILLER (151607).  
 1468378 Herbert John MORLEY (151610).  
 1418571 William Job OWENS (151616).  
 1324205 Howard Clifford POLKINGHORNE (151608).

1490715 Harry ROBERTS (151618).  
 1419516 John Radford ROSSER (151612).  
 1585699 Albert John SMITH (151615).  
 1491418 Arthur Littlejohn SMITH (151617).  
 1517814 Harold Bernard ALDERMAN (151512).  
 1579212 Donald John BAKER (151513).  
 1600979 Percival John BAKER (151520).  
 1580108 John HERRIS BEDFORD (151510).  
 1339934 William Sidney EVERARD BRITAIN (151521).

1458984 Walter BROWN (151509).

26th Mar. 1943.

1612354 John Hereward ALLIX (150290).  
 1557979 Dennis Ferguson ANDERSON (150283).  
 1603508 Nicholas Agnew ANSELL (150291).  
 1434500 Joseph Stephen Patrick BARRETT (150281).

1321989 John Francis St. Clair CAMPLING (150286).

1801400 Frederick Jack DOUGHTY (150289).  
 1470933 Henry Robert GAMPER (150282).  
 778177 Richard Jenner HAMILTON (150285).  
 1420225 Lionel Sydney JORY (150287).  
 961108 John Francis LANGSTONE (150288).  
 1365598 Eric Victor Alwyn LINDEMON (150284).

27th Mar. 1943.

1324304 Robert Lewis FRENCH (141565).  
 1550541 Andrew Gillespie HENDRY (141570).  
 1394727 Raymond KEARNEY (141566).  
 1331722 Robert SANFORD (141567).  
 623160 William Henry George WILLIAMS (141572).

710065 Ronald CARTER (141543).  
 1392402 Ernest Henry HARRISON (141544).  
 1348355 Alexander Smith Baird McLACHLAN (141546).

1390513 Sydney James STOTT (141547).

3rd Apr. 1943.

1451767 Francis Alan BELL (141895).  
 1435313 Clive ENTWISTLE (141891).  
 1412188 John Selby GIBBINS (141893).  
 1393542 John Denis HEGARTY (141890).  
 1232095 Alan Mackinlay PARKER (141889).  
 1387559 Graham ROGERS (141888).  
 1504658 William Henry WAGSTAFF (141892).  
 1321435 Jack William BLANCHARD (141885).  
 917181 Richard James Ely BUCKINGHAM (141886).

1553663 William McGarva CAMPBELL (141874).  
 1435155 John Caldwell COX (141875).  
 1319957 Louis Henry EVEREST (141879).  
 1450347 Frank GEE (141883).  
 1320669 Reginald Alexander HERBERT (141878).  
 1481298 George Douglas KEWLEY (141882).  
 1435873 Francis Leo LLOYD (141876).  
 1556122 John Morton MEARS (141873).  
 1395557 Stanley Edwards PECK (141880).  
 1334767 John Anthony PLATTEN (141887).  
 1385533 David Robert RAIKES (141877).  
 1452709 Richard Harold TOPP (141881).

1394198 George Albert MAY (150327). 9th Apr. 1943.

17th Apr. 1943.

1238312 Sidney Alan EVANS (143193).  
 1268119 Donald Edward MAENNING (143194).

27th Apr. 1943.

1395925 William Philip CRAGG (142375).  
 844580 John Dick NEEDHAM (142374).  
 1388643 Donald Augusto PAGLIERO (142377).  
 1014496 Glyndwr Morgan ROBERTS (142376).  
 1615732 Harry Scott THEW (142371).  
 1601257 Ronald Charles Goodall TIBBLES (142372).  
 1459218 George WILDE (142373).

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

Flg. Offs. :—

A. A. H. HINMAN (115311). 8th May 1943.

12th May 1943.

H. C. GREENWOOD (106154).

R. G. HILL (102588).

L. R. FEARS (129235). 14th May 1943.

15th May 1943.

C. A. CASH (115157).  
B. HALEY (115075).

Plt. Off. (prob.) J. G. STUART (133657). 18th May 1943.

Flg. Off. R. J. HEWETT, D.F.M. (109307), takes rank and precedence as if his appt. as Flg. Off. bore date 29th Jan. 1943.

Flg. Off. H. G. SLAUGHTER (121378) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health and retains his rank. 22nd May 1943.

Flg. Off. (prob.) H. G. SOMMERS (120521) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health. 21st May 1943.

Flt. Lt. D. A. TERRILL (86660) is dismissed the Service by sentence of General Court-Martial. 9th Mar. 1943.

The notfn. of 6th Apr. 1943 (p. 1578, col. 2) concerning the undermentioned officers is cancelled, and the notfn. of 3rd Nov. 1942 (p. 4757, col. 1) remains effective:—

1293256 John CRAMPTON (131910).  
1292596 Philip Victor Glas SANDEMAN (131911).  
1365478 John Philip Tweedale THOMSON (131912).  
1176871 Donald WRIGHT (131913).

The notfn. of 5th Jan. 1943 (p. 165, col. 2) concerning 778322 A. S. ROYSTEIN (80460) is cancelled.

**Amendments.**

In notfn. of 23rd Mar. 1943 (p. 1363, col. 2) for E. T. CATHCART-GUNNISON read E. T. CATHCART-CUNNISON (160010).

In notfn. of 13th Apr. 1943 (p. 1684, col. 2) concerning J. O. PHILLIPS (141726) for PHILLIPS read PHILLIPPS.

In notfn. of 20th Apr. 1943 (p. 1803, col. 1) concerning 1473519 Wilfred Brooks ARMITAGE (136497) for Brooks read Brooke.

In notfn. of 4th May 1943 (p. 1989, col. 1) concerning E. W. POOLE (142578) for 3rd Nov. 1942 read 7th Jan. 1943.

The notfn. of 4th May 1943 (p. 1988, col. 1) concerning 657329 W. T. TIMPERLEY (144035) should have appeared under the R.A.F.V.R. and not the R.A.F. and his number is as now stated.

In notfn. of 11th May 1943 (p. 2101, col. 1) concerning C. O. WISE (142850) for 20th Dec. 1942 read 1st Jan. 1943.

**TECHNICAL BRANCH.**

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency). 22nd Apr. 1943:—

Flt. Sgts  
977478 Philip Geoffrey BRETT, D.F.M. (142991).  
755765 Charles Owen CLARKE (142988).  
937699 Kenneth William HAYNES (142989).  
904638 Douglas Robert MOURTON (142990).  
755043 George Barrington REDFEARN, D.F.M. (142992).

751552 David SMITH (142993).  
Actg. Flt. Sgt.  
978601 Thomas Corrin RUSHTON (142995).

Sgt.  
1293813 Thomas Carlton BIRD (142994).

Cpl.  
922909 William David DAY (142987).

Ldg. Acn.  
1498107 Colin Fred SHARE (142996).

To be Actg. Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—  
William James FARMEREY (109961). 24th Oct. 1941 (since resigned).

24th Mar. 1943.  
Thomas Morton CLARK (140778).  
Douglas George FURNEAUX (140796).  
Kenneth James HARDMAN (140777).  
Henry John HARE (140792).

14th Apr. 1943.  
Francis DUERDEN (140843).  
Gareth Emrys MORGAN (140844).

Flt. Sgt.  
801317 George Ernest HOFF (142976). 22nd Apr. 1943.

Sgts.  
22nd Apr. 1943.  
1176292 Harold Percy HOULSTON (142975).  
192729 George Thomas JONES (142977).  
1329599 Albert James SMITH (142982).  
364322 Cyril TRIBE (142985).

Cpls.

22nd Apr. 1943.  
953883 Kenneth ARNOLD (142980).  
1329648 Roger George William CHAPMAN (142979).  
909604 Trevor George NEWMAN (142978).  
1186855 Leslie Gordon RUSSELL (142981).  
991440 Douglas Cameron SEGIE (142983).  
1154496 Eric SMITH (142984).

**BALLOON BRANCH.**

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

Flt. Lt. T. R. H. KANE (79251). 20th May 1943.

Flg. Off. D. J. DOREY (18096). 6th Feb. 1943.  
Flg. Off. B. PARSONS (63860) is transfd. to the Equipt. Br. 17th Mar. 1943.

**ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.**

To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—  
Archibald George Dunlop MACKENZIE (143098). 2nd Apr. 1943.

Sgt.  
509946 Cyril Thomas JENNER (143003). 22nd Apr. 1943.

Cpl.  
1271467 John Patrick BRICK (141483). 22nd Apr. 1943.

To be Actg. Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—  
Abercrombie Gordon DONALD (144363). 1st Feb. 1942.

James Scott BUTLER (140782). 27th Mar. 1943.

Cpls.  
1191574 Leonard Percy WALPOLE (141219). 18th Mar. 1943.  
940705 Thomas GOURLAY-GALLOWAY (142242). 8th Apr. 1943.  
1266775 Robin Jabez HUMPHRIES (143000). 22nd Apr. 1943.

Ldg. Acn.  
22nd Apr. 1943.  
1081948 Roy Grayson GOLDMAN (142999).  
1563068 David Tannahill Russell REID (143001).

Acn. 1st Cl.  
1808115 William Harry DAVISON (142998). 22nd Apr. 1943.

Acn. 2nd Cl.  
1099166 John Edward HUNTER (141582). 25th Mar. 1943.

15th Apr. 1943.  
1711929 Maurice Victor ABBOTT (142380).  
1713898 Herbert Gibson CORPE (142381).  
1702159 Cyril Reginald DANCEY (142382).  
1762136 Bryan Augustine HOLMES (142383).

Solly ZUCKERMAN is granted an hon. commn. as Gp. Capt. 13th May 1943.

Cecil Dennis SOLTZ is granted an hon. commn. as Flg. Off. 5th May 1943.

Flg. Off. E. C. L. NICHOLS (61558) relinquishes his rank at his own request and is transfd. to the Gen. Duties Br. in the rank of Plt. Off. 2nd Apr. 1943.

Flt. Lt. W. A. VILLIERS (72962) relinquishes his rank at his own request and is transfd. to the Gen. Duties Br. in the rank of Plt. Off. 28th Mar. 1942. (Subs. for notfn. of 17th Nov. 1942 (p. 4987, col. 1).)

To be transfd. to the Equip. Br.:—  
Flg. Off. E. V. WHITTEMORE (117238). 19th May 1943.

Plt. Off. (prob.) A. L. BAKER (133295). 3rd Mar. 1943.

Flt. Lt. G. L. D. COX (41669) ceases to be seconded for Special Duty. 3rd Apr. 1943.

Flt. Lt. N. E. LANE (74157) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health and retains the rank of Sqn. Ldr. 19th May 1943.

Flt. Lts. relinquish their commns. on account of ill-health and retain their rank:—

J. WHITTAKER (77998). 22nd May 1943.  
D. C. BEADELL (74418). 24th May 1943.

Plt. Off. C. L. DE BEER (80168) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health. 22nd Nov. 1942.

**METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.**

To be Flt. Lts. (emergency). 1st Apr. 1943:—  
Archibald Thomson Ritchie ANDERSON (140474).  
Leonard James ASH (140465).  
John Keenan BANNON (140310).  
Frederick BEECH (140035).  
George Richard Raymond BENWELL (140100).

Alwyn BEYNON (140003).  
 Everleigh Arnold Box (140365).  
 John BRAZIER (140411).  
 Alfred CHADWICK (140503).  
 Colin Hugh CHAMPION (140433).  
 John Arthur CHANNON (140602).  
 Eric Alfred CLARKE (140312).  
 Leo Selwyn CLARKSON (140314).  
 Albert James CORKILL (140467).  
 James George COTTIS (140499).  
 David Thomas John DEAN (140501).  
 Eric DUDLEY (140468).  
 Albert Henry FRENCH (140008).  
 Thomas Henry Francis GIFFORD (140439).  
 Alan Francis GOWER (140603).  
 Ronald Clifford Fred HAGGETT (140428).  
 Harold Theodore Dixon HOLGATE (140101).  
 Peter Geoffrey Charles HOWARD (140429).  
 Leonard Wright HUBBERT (140261).  
 William Arthur HUTT (140608).  
 Joe HYMAN (140443).  
 Cyril Ernest JOSLIN (140668).  
 Lewis Thomas George LAMPEY (140486).  
 Richard Edward Keith LEVETT (140217).  
 Arnold LITTLEWOOD (140007).  
 George Gaylor MACDONALD (140345).

To be Flg. Offs. (emergency). 1st Apr. 1943:—

Ernest ANDERSON (140075).  
 Herbert BALDWIN (140515).  
 George Marston BAND (140376).  
 Charles William BEDDIS (140282).  
 Leslie Stewart BIRCH (140079).  
 Stanley Jack BLOYCE (140038).  
 Albert Edward BOWN (140012).  
 Philip George BURBY (140231).  
 Arthur Laurence BURROWS (140288).  
 Francis John BURTON (140476).  
 Peter CARLIDGE (140153).  
 John Lewis CASE (140119).  
 Ronald James CASEMORE (140229).  
 Eric Albert William CLARKSON (140227).  
 Howard Frederick CLEAVES (140287).  
 Jacob Wolfe COHEN (140050).  
 Irving COOPER (140073).  
 George Arthur CORBY (140081).  
 Hugh CORRIGAN (140121).  
 James McDonald COUTTS (140078).  
 Arthur Thomas DORRELL (140010).  
 Lloyd DUDLEY (140112).  
 Raymond Noel DUNN (140125).  
 Andrew ELLIOTT (140015).  
 Albert Jowett ESDAILE (140076).  
 Matthew FINLAYSON (140159).  
 Richard Richardson FOTHERINGHAM (140152).  
 David George FRANCIS (140020).  
 Samuel Walter GREEN (140225).  
 Donald Mackay GUNN (140247).  
 Charles Henry HARGREAVES (140111).  
 John Rustat HEMSTED (140157).  
 Graham HIGMAN (140492).  
 Fred Pickup HOLDEN (140074).  
 Robert Henry HONEYWELL (140277).  
 Stanley HORROCKS (140123).  
 Eric HOWGATE (140268).  
 Charles JACKSON (140224).  
 Arthur Henry JONES (140273).  
 David Wyn JONES (140276).  
 William Trevor JONES (140235).  
 Percy Charles KING (140483).  
 Reginald Stone KING (140316).  
 Walter Philip Job LEWIS (140624).  
 Jack LEWELLYN (140087).  
 Charles Arthur Standing LOWNDES (140149).

To be Plt Offs. (emergency). 1st Apr. 1943:—

William George ANDERSON (140132).  
 Clare Walter CHAFFE (140091).  
 John Henry COOMBS (140637).  
 Ernest DEARING (140304).  
 Alwin Eric DORNER (140818).  
 Gwyn Howell EDWARDS (140634).  
 Richard Henry ELDRIDGE (140197).  
 Thomas EMMERSON (140128).  
 Ronald Lewis EVANS (140633).  
 David Wilkinson FOX (140129).  
 George GARLAND (140097).  
 Leslie Allen GUILLE (140025).  
 Kenneth Alfred HANCOCK (140635).  
 Arthur Henry HULL (140638).  
 Thomas Leonard HUNT (140256).  
 Edward Albert HUTCHINSON (140171).  
 Ivor Herbert JONES (140060).  
 Arthur Edmund LOVE (140094).

## EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

To be Actg Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency).  
 22nd Apr. 1943:—

Flt. Sgt.  
 974593 Dennis WOOLLACOTT (142970).

Actg. Flt. Sgt.  
 750063 Hubert Llewellyn HOWELL (142945).

Sgts.  
 1150929 Clifford Maurice Sydney ABBOTT (142928).  
 1246601 Henbert Vaughan BURKE (142930).  
 350977 Edward George GILLOW (142944).  
 1454337 Kenneth HOLLAND (142949).  
 750270 Frank Hugh WILLIS (142972).

Cpls.  
 982183 John BLACK (142929).  
 1111930 Joe COATES (142938).  
 1325872 Arthur William DART (142939).  
 959669 Eric John HANSELL (142948).  
 921778 Gordon John POWELL (142960).  
 1105856 William John Cecil POWELL (142958).  
 1248223 Daniel Hamer PURKIS (142959).  
 1357460 Tom Reginald Ian Rutherford SANCEAU (142963).

Actg. Cpl.  
 1655761 Arthur Barclay LINES (142954).

Ldg. Acn.  
 1666776 Stuart Leslie BACON (142935).  
 1096419 James Austin Neville BARBOUR (142931).  
 1458702 Joe Nugent BEESON (142932).  
 1492668 Thomas Edgar COOPER (142937).  
 1540519 Raymond JACKSON (142951).  
 1220999 Eric Spencer WARR (142969).  
 1442751 James Frederick WENHAM (142971).

Acn. 1st Cl.  
 1642984 Reginald Bertie Arthur DAWBORN (142942).  
 1578984 Robert Wingate FRANCIS (142943).  
 1643957 Harry LOWERY (142956).  
 1664470 William George Alfred PIDDINGTON (142961).  
 1412276 Frank Raymond SERLE (142966).

Acn. 2nd Cl.  
 1667928 Howard John BAKER (142936).  
 1669394 Albert BREMNER (142933).  
 1680389 Anthony Thomas Steele DIXON (142941).  
 1860134 Victor DUNGLINSON (142940).  
 1670965 John Lawrence HARDY (142947).  
 1861564 Raymond Butler HAY (142946).  
 1648208 Charles James HILLING (142950).  
 1629932 Edgar Lees JENNINGS (142952).  
 1661732 Ernest Arthur KENNETT (143080).  
 1523767 George Garfield LEWIS (142955).  
 1472815 Geoffrey Harold LOTERY (142953).  
 1687227 Archibald Hayward MILLS (142957).  
 1616926 Robert Hazlewood PLOWRIGHT (142962).  
 1571072 James Hilary Peter TONGE (142967).  
 1696319 Basil Alexander WILLIAMS (142973).  
 1637632 Reginald Frederick YORK (142974).

## MEDICAL BRANCH.

Flt. Lt. B. RODITI, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.; D.C.H. (83963) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health and retains his rank. 20th May 1943.

## DENTAL BRANCH.

Flt. Lt. D. W. MANNING, L.D.S. (68695), relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health. 21st May 1943.

## LEGAL BRANCH.

Flt. Lt. H. E. JONES (82404) is transfd. to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 17th May 1943.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

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

Flt. Lt. T. T. DAVIES (77115). 10th May 1943.  
 Flg. Off. W. F. KELLAWAY (128528). 7th Apr. 1943.  
 Flg. Off. T. L. BATES (104935). 13th May 1943.  
 Flg. Off. (prob.) T. N. ASTBURY (103127). 18th May 1943.  
 Plt. Off. (prob.) C. W. DINNING (127588). 6th May 1943.

## AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

## BALLOON BRANCH.

Sqn. Ldr. A. J. BEARD (90503) is transfd. to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 19th May, 1943.



## WOMEN'S FORCES.

*Employed with the Dental Branch of the R.A.F.*

Flg. Off. E. M. MYERS (5900) relinquishes her commn. on account of ill-health. 27th May, 1943.

## PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.

The members listed in columns 2670 to 2686 in the Air Force List for March 1943 (from E. M. BLAIR, R.R.C. to M. E. WILLIAMS, but *excluding* the Sisters mentioned below), who are at present serving, are granted emergency commns. in Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing Service or, if marked "(R)," in Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing Service Reserve. Commns. are in the Nursing Service ranks indicated and take effect from 1st Jan. 1943 (present seniority being unaffected). Officers will normally be on probation until they have completed one year's service.

*Exceptions:—*

Miss E. E. BEAUMONT.  
Miss M. A. BRAYTON.  
Miss J. B. DAVIES.  
Miss E. S. FINLAYSON.  
Mrs. I. B. LASS.  
Miss M. MCCALLUM.  
Miss F. J. MATTLAND.

Miss W. O'DWYER.  
Miss B. M. OLVER.  
Mrs. I. J. PAINTER.

The members listed in columns 2686 and 2687 in the Air Force List for March 1943 (from I. M. STEELE to M. O. MANDER, but *excluding* Sister Miss M. LANE) are granted emergency commns. in Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing Service Reserve in the rank of Sister with effect from the dates shown against their names. Officers will normally be on probation until they have completed one year's service.

## WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

Sec. Off. (prob.) S. E. NASH-GOURLAY (4517) relinquishes her commn. on account of ill-health. 28th May, 1943.

## To resign their commns.:—

Sqn. Off. B. M. HILL (160). 26th May, 1943.

## Sec. Offs.:—

M. U. KEELING (3692). 12th May, 1943.  
E. A. DE PAULA (2173). 18th May, 1943.  
M. G. BRENNER (3557). 19th May, 1943.

The commn. of Asst. Sec. Off. (prob.) A. H. ORR (4852) is terminated. 29th May, 1943.

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