

*Air Ministry, 13th July, 1943.*

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

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

*Distinguished Flying Cross.*

Acting Flight Lieutenant Ian George Secord KELTIE (Can/J.7455), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 402 Squadron.

Acting Captain John Frederick Oliver DAVIES (103138), South African Air Force, No. 12 Squadron.

Flying Officer Douglas Campbell BUNCH (115674), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 219 Squadron.

Flying Officer Albert Edward GREGORY (133005), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 275 Squadron.

Flying Officer Merrick Sadlier HOLGATE (Aus. 400117), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 207 Squadron.

Flying Officer Robert Eric HOLGATE (130339), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 61 Squadron.

Flying Officer Ronald Charles HOWITT (116414), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 149 Squadron.

Flying Officer John Alexander JOHNSTONE (49273), No. 101 Squadron.

Flying Officer Norman Alexander KEENE (Can/J. 15654), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 411 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

Flying Officer Edward Ernest KITCHEN (116202), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 10 Squadron.

Flying Officer David Gordon KNIGHT (126895), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 101 Squadron.

Flying Officer Alexander Stuart MACWILLIAM (Aus. 411808), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 460 (R.A.A.F.) Squadron.

Flying Officer Ian Campbell MEIKLE (80209), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 83 Squadron.

Flying Officer Robert Walton NIVEN (125915), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 106 Squadron.

Flying Officer Walter THOMAS (119075), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 115 Squadron.

Flying Officer Richard Norman WILLIAMS, D.F.M. (129113), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 83 Squadron.

Lieutenant Pieter Johannes DU PREEZ (94432), South African Air Force, No. 12 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Frederick Charles ALLCROFT (Can/J.17472), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 61 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Favell Clinton ANNAND (Can/J.16435), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 51 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Reginald Norman AYLES, D.F.M. (51539), No. 61 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Dennis Walter BATEMAN (139205), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 77 Squadron.

Pilot Officer John Campbell BLAIR (138194), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 149 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Alfred Dalé BOUSCHARD (Can/J.17049), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 83 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Henry John BREWER (137213), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 61 Squadron.

Pilot Officer John Neale BUCKLAND (132352), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 101 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Colin Neil CAMPBELL (Aus. 404850), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 467 (R.A.A.F.) Squadron.

Pilot Officer Royds Molyneux CANVIN (Aus.411441), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 460 (R.A.A.F.) Squadron.

Pilot Officer Richard Seymour CLINTON (Can/J.16202), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 425 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

Pilot Officer Frederick Benjamin DASHPER (Can/J.17211), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 61 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Trefardoc Rudolph DAVIES (141411), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 103 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Frederick EASTON (143728), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 10 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Richard Otway FRENCH (N.Z.415756), Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 75 (N.Z.) Squadron.

Pilot Officer William Campbell GORDON (Can/J.16260), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 101 Squadron.

Pilot Officer John Francis HACKING (143428), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 83 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Benjamin Edward Joseph HUTT, D.F.M. (133809), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 138 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Douglas Ivor JONES (145857), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 97 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Guy Desmond John KING (144648), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 103 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Kingdon Roger KNAPP (Can/J.17037), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 428 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

Pilot Officer Robert Andrew LIVINGSTON (Can/J.17110), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 425 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

Pilot Officer William Walter John LOUD (136179), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 602 Squadron.

Pilot Officer John Richard McCORMACK (N.Z.412004), Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 102 Squadron.

Pilot Officer David Mackie (132603), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 156 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Harold Phillip MASON (Aus.403522), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 83 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Henry Jackson MORRISON (137588), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 218 Squadron.

Pilot Officer James Francis MUNRO (Can/J.17499), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 97 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Harry Sutcliffe NICHOLSON (134017), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 106 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Gordon William OLDHAM (160013), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 61 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Stanley Wilfred PEGLAR (129062), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 103 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Cyril John PLUMMER (125161), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 103 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Douglas Albert RAWES (142543), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 61 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Thomas William ROBINSON (143856), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 101 Squadron.

Pilot Officer John Frederick SAMUEL (Aus.400999), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 12 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Eric Arthur SKILLETER (Can/J.16999), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 61 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Raymond Bagnall SMITH (135400), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 425 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

Pilot Officer Edward Ernest STOCKER (50954), No. 35 Squadron.

Pilot Officer William Trevor TIMPERLEY (51536), No. 166 Squadron.

Pilot Officer John Forbes THOMSON (N.Z.413509), Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 156 Squadron.

Pilot Officer William Sewell TREACY (144004), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 97 Squadron.

Pilot Officer George Alexander VINISH (Can/J.17099), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 10 Squadron.

Pilot Officer William Whitehouse (132383), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 103 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Jerome Arthur ZEE (Can/J.17230), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 7 Squadron.

Warrant Officer Marmion Wilfred CARROLL (Aus.408034), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 467 (R.A.A.F.) Squadron.

Warrant Officer George DENWOOD (562509), No. 103 Squadron.

Warrant Officer John Wilfred LUKE (751422), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 12 Squadron.

Warrant Officer Nicholl Ramsay ROSS (754544), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 103 Squadron.

*Distinguished Flying Medal.*

210560 Flight Sergeant Hugo Le Roux BERGH, South African Air Force, No. 12 (S.A.A.F.) Squadron.

759130 Flight Sergeant William ELDER, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 276 Squadron.

610733 Flight Sergeant Peter KIRBY, No. 276 Squadron.

630841 Flight Sergeant James MacKENZIE, No. 104 Squadron.

1354028 Sergeant Leonard George BADGER, No. 276 Squadron.

1380910 Sergeant William Dennis BURCHETT, No. 49 Squadron.

778740 Sergeant (now Pilot Officer) Noel Ernest BURTON, No. 106 Squadron.

573567 Sergeant Douglas Alfred CARTWRIGHT, No. 156 Squadron.

1444440 Sergeant Alan John CROUCH, No. 10 Squadron.

1344026 Sergeant Kenneth Ker DAVIDSON, No. 106 Squadron.

Aus.403026 Sergeant (now Pilot Officer) William John DONNER, Royal Australian Air Force, No. 50 Squadron.