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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 Air Commodore Arthur Mostyn WRAY, M.C., D.F.C., A.F.C., Royal Air Force.

Air Commodore Wray has participated in numerous sorties, including an attack on Hamburg in July, 1943. He is an extremely skilful and gallant captain whose keenness and personal example have proved an inspiration to all in his command. The value of the training he has imparted to the young crews with whom he has flown on operations is inestimable. His work both in the air and on the ground has been of the highest order.

Acting Squadron Leader Alexander Broom GREIG, D.F.C. (68753), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 101 Squadron.

This officer, who has completed many sorties since being awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, is a fearless and courageous captain. His great navigational ability and fine fighting qualities have inspired all with whom he has flown and have played a large part in the many successes obtained. His record of achievement is worthy of the highest praise.

Distinguished Service Order.

Acting Wing Commander Charles Patrick GREEN, D.F.C. (90134), Auxiliary Air Force, No. 600 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Flying Officer Reginald Joseph GILLIES (125945), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 600 Squadron.

In recent operations over Sicily, Wing Commander Green and Flying Officer Gillies, as pilot and observer respectively, have flown together on many sorties. They have displayed outstanding skill and determination and within a period of 3 successive nights, destroyed 7 enemy aircraft, 4 of them on 1 sortie. Wing Commander Green has displayed exceptional ability and his untiring efforts have been reflected in the fine fighting qualities of his squadron, which has destroyed some 56 enemy aircraft.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Elliott Ogilvie Beresford GRANT (Aus. 402345), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 262 Squadron.

In May, 1943, this officer piloted an aircraft engaged on an anti-submarine patrol. During the flight a U-boat was observed on the surface of the

sea and Flight Lieutenant Grant immediately dived to attack. In spite of heavy fire from the vessel it was successfully attacked by depth charges and raked by machine gun fire. Although his aircraft was damaged, Flight Lieutenant Grant flew it to base. This officer, who has completed a very large number of hours flying on operations, displayed great courage and determination.

Flying Officer Francis Richard Lee MELLERSH (105145), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 600 Squadron.

This officer is a tenacious and skilful fighter and has destroyed 5 enemy aircraft in combat. On 1 occasion in April, 1943, during a patrol off Algiers at dusk, he encountered a large formation of enemy aircraft. In the ensuing engagement, Flying Officer Mellersh shot down 2 of them. Although his aircraft was badly damaged he flew it to base. More recently, in July, 1943, Flying Officer Mellersh destroyed 2 enemy aircraft during 1 sortie. This officer has set a praiseworthy example.

Flying Officer Frederick James READ (N.Z.398715), Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 34 Squadron.

This officer who has participated in 44 sorties, is an air gunner of high merit. In July, 1943, he was the rear gunner of an aircraft which attacked the airfield at Gerbini, Sicily. During the operation the bomber was attacked by a hostile aircraft but Flying Officer Read gave his pilot skilful evading directions and then, with an accurate burst of fire from close range, caused the attacker to break away and dive steeply out of control. His vigilance and skill contributed materially to the safe return of the bomber and was typical of the efficiency with which he performs his tasks.

Flying Officer Arthur John Alan ROBERTS (45717), Royal Air Force, No. 600 Squadron.

This officer has completed a large number of hours flying on operations at night. He has displayed outstanding keenness and devotion to duty throughout, setting a very fine example. He has destroyed 3 enemy aircraft.

Pilot Officer Cyril Norfolk SPURDENS (142210), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 70 Squadron.

This officer has completed 40 sorties and has invariably displayed great courage and determination in pressing home his attacks. One night in July, 1943, he took part in an attack on Syracuse and his excellent work contributed materially to the success achieved. On another occasion, Pilot Officer Spurdens undertook a mine-laying mission and, despite fire from the shore batteries and much searchlight activity, accomplished his task successfully. In other operations over the battle area, Pilot Officer Spurdens has achieved success. On 1

occasion, 1 engine of his aircraft was rendered unserviceable when hit by anti-aircraft fire. Nevertheless, he skilfully flew the aircraft to base many hundreds of miles distant. This officer has displayed courage, skill and tenacity of a high order.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Acting Flight Lieutenant William Grey MANIFOLD (Aus.409003), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 467 (R.A.A.F.) Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

1452164 Sergeant Austin Charles Frederick BROWN, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 467 (R.A.A.F.) Squadron.

Flight Lieutenant Manifold and Sergeant Brown were pilot and bomb aimer respectively of an aircraft detailed to attack an industrial plant at Cislago one night in July, 1943. Visibility was poor in the vicinity of the target but, displaying great persistence, Flight Lieutenant Manifold flew over the area for some considerable time until the precise objective could be identified. Despite fighter interference, Flight Lieutenant Manifold flew in to attack and Sergeant Brown released his bombs with accuracy. Both these members of aircraft crew displayed great skill, courage and tenacity.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Flying Officer John Howard TURNBULL (Can/J.6211), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 600 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

1186762 Sergeant Cecil Frank James FOWLER, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 600 Squadron.

As pilot and observer respectively, this officer and airman have taken part in many night operations and have destroyed 5 enemy aircraft. They have displayed skill and tenacity worthy of high praise.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Flying Officer Robert WAUGH (125453), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 15 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

1336334 Sergeant Douglas Alaric BOARDS, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 15 Squadron.

917104 Sergeant Frederick John WATSON, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 15 Squadron.

One night in July, 1943, Flying Officer Waugh and Sergeants Boards and Watson were captain, second pilot and flight engineer respectively of an aircraft detailed for an operation against Hamburg. When nearing the target engine trouble developed, causing the bomber to vibrate violently. The defective engine caught fire and burned fiercely. In an effort to extinguish the flames by the force of the wind, Flying Officer Waugh dived the aircraft to 6,000 feet. His efforts were unsuccessful and it was not until the bomber was down to 2,500 feet that the flames were extinguished. Some height was then regained and course was set for home. When over the North Sea a second engine became defective and, in an effort to maintain height, all movable equipment was jettisoned and thus Flying Officer Waugh was enabled to reach an airfield where he effected a safe landing. During the return flight, Sergeants Boards and Watson displayed great coolness and resource and assisted materially to the safe return of the aircraft. In very trying circumstances these 3 members of aircraft crew displayed great courage, coolness and determination.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

1182061 Flight Sergeant Raymond Gordon AKHURST, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 454 (R.A.A.F.) Squadron.

This airman is a courageous and determined pilot who has undertaken many sorties. On 1 occasion, with a target in Crete as the objective, he pressed home a most determined attack in the face of intense fire from the ground defences, obtaining good results. During the operation his aircraft was extensively damaged. Despite this, he attempted to reach base. Whilst over the sea, the aircraft could no longer be flown but Flight Sergeant Akhurst brought it skilfully down on to the water without injury to any of his crew. His skill and coolness were mainly responsible for their safety.

1316702 Sergeant Geoffrey Lewis COXON, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 207 Squadron.

One night in July, 1943, Sergeant Coxon piloted an aircraft detailed for air operation against Hamburg. Whilst many miles from the target, 1 of the bomber's engines caught fire and was rendered unserviceable. Despite this, Sergeant Coxon continued his mission. Shortly after altering course, in an effort to save time, a second engine caught fire and in spite of all attempts to extinguish the flames the engine burned until the target had been bombed and the aircraft was over the sea on the return flight. All movable equipment had to be jettisoned in an effort to maintain height and, displaying great determination, Sergeant Coxon succeeded in flying the damaged bomber to an airfield. He displayed skill and resolution of a high order.

N.Z.414382 Sergeant Bernard CULLINANE, Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 70 Squadron.

This airman has completed 35 sorties and has invariably displayed great skill and determination in pressing home his attacks often in the face of heavy opposition. On a recent occasion he took part in an attack on the seaplane base at Syracuse and his excellent work contributed materially to the successes obtained. He is a first class pilot whose record is worthy of high praise.

Air Ministry, 20th August, 1943.

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

Distinguished Service Order.

Major Eric Marlin LEWIS, D.F.C. (103088), South African Air Force, No. 14 Squadron.

Acting Squadron Leader John Thornhill SHAW, D.F.C. (108962), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 32 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Wing Commander William George MOSEBY (37327), Reserve of Air Force Officers, No. 153 Squadron.

Acting Squadron Leader John Basil HOLGATE (33426), Royal Air Force, No. 143 Squadron.

Acting Squadron Leader Angus William HORNE, A.F.C. (40708), Reserve of Air Force Officers, No. 600 Squadron.

Acting Squadron Leader James Richard Eastham PROCTER (42435), Royal Air Force, No. 120 Squadron.

Flight Lieutenant Stanley Sutherland DUFF (42340), Royal Air Force, No. 153 Squadron.

Flight Lieutenant David William EADIE (62665), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 210 Squadron.

Flight Lieutenant Douglas Muir GALL (64310), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 201 Squadron.

Flight Lieutenant Duncan Kennedy McCUAIG (67629), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 543 Squadron.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Roy Elliott HANLON (N.Z.40228), Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 150 Squadron.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Peter Henry STEMBRIDGE (118184), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 172 Squadron.

Flying Officer Michael Julius Wedgwood BENN (103589), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 153 Squadron.

Flying Officer Peter Humphrey DENE (126952), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 172 Squadron.

Flying Officer William Maynard FRENCH (Can/J.4742), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 228 Squadron.

Flying Officer John Russell HOWARD (134193), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 143 Squadron.

Flying Officer Thomas Reid JONES (Can/J.6016), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 280 Squadron.

Flying Officer Murray Clarence JOHNSON (Aus.407678), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 14 Squadron.

Flying Officer Leslie Eyre PARKER (Aus.401535), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 14 Squadron.

Flying Officer Raymond Joseph PATERSON (N.Z.404646), Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 104 Squadron.

Flying Officer Harold REEVES (133999), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 543 Squadron.

Flying Officer John Harold SHELMEKDINE (108825), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 542 Squadron.

Flying Officer George Bertram WILLERTON (133039), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 224 Squadron.
 Pilot Officer William Hywel Anthony JONES (139316), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 58 Squadron.
 Pilot Officer Stephen Idwal WALTERS (139739), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 236 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

552898 Flight Sergeant Kenneth JOHNSON, Royal Air Force, No. 120 Squadron.
 1072885 Sergeant Robert Joseph ANDERSON, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 269 Squadron.
 1289553 Sergeant Harold Devening AYLIFFE, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 153 Squadron.
 1311755 Sergeant Robert Charles John CAREY, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 104 Squadron.
 553389 Sergeant James Alexander DICK, Royal Air Force, No. 210 Squadron.
 1216230 Sergeant Thomas FINLAY, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 104 Squadron.
 1316288 Sergeant Rowland MORTIMER, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 150 Squadron.
 N.Z.416176 Sergeant Pax Gilbert FRANK SMITH, Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 150 Squadron.

The above awards are in recognition of gallantry and devotion to duty in the execution of air operations.

Air Ministry, 20th August, 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermtd. are granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.):—

Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.) K. J. D. DICKSON, A.F.C. (36140). 23rd June 1943.

Flt. Lts.:—

29th June 1943.

G. A. C. POTTS, D.F.C. (43943).
 A. S. JUDSON, D.F.C. (42712).
 G. D. LYSTER, D.S.O., D.F.C. (43149).
 R. R. BANKER, D.S.O., D.F.C. (43945).
 A. J. OGILVIE, D.F.C. (42427).

Flg. Offs. to be Flt. Lts. (war subs.):—

G. W. T. HOSSENT (46166). 1st Apr. 1943.
 C. A. P. DESBOROUGH (46129). 2nd July 1943.

3rd July 1943.

L. S. FEARNLEY (46030).
 D. B. HALCRO, D.F.C. (46128).
 L. D. CYMBALIST (46250). 5th July 1943.
 A. HAWORTH (46168). 10th July 1943.

12th July 1943.

A. S. ALDRIDGE, D.F.C. (46172).
 B. BARDEGA, D.F.M. (46170).
 J. S. GRONOW (46209).
 W. J. HURST (46169).

16th July 1943.

J. P. BALL (46312).
 T. W. J. HATTON, D.F.M. (47412).

17th July 1943.

H. COSSAR, D.F.C. (46173).
 G. HAWORTH, D.F.M. (46211).

19th July 1943.

W. C. E. CRAIG, D.F.C. (46341).
 A. G. GIBB (2nd Lt. H.L.I.) (45595).
 D. HAYWOOD (46222).

24th July 1943.

W. R. CROFTS, D.F.M. (46177).
 T. H. D. DRINKWATER, D.F.C. (47841).
 R. N. HOLLAND, D.F.M. (46536).

26th July 1943.

S. J. ARNFIELD (46253).
 J. C. CHEETHAM (46208).
 S. CULVER, D.F.M. (46224). 31st July 1943.

Plt. Offs. to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.):—

J. H. MAXWELL (Lt. Recce. Corps) (48781). 25th Oct. 1942.

6th July 1943.

S. K. HULME (Lt. R.A.) (50849).
 J. D. MAYNE (Lt. R.A.) (50850).
 P. PETTMAN (Lt. Tempy. Capt. R.W.K.) (50851).
 D. B. M. PRICE (Lt. Gen. List) (50852).
 R. T. J. WRIGHT (Lt. R.A.) (50853).
 A. W. RHODES (31294). 15th July 1943.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—

J. G. SHARRATT (49550). 18th Dec. 1942.
 A. N. COOPER (49280). 8th Feb. 1943.

1st July 1943.

F. HODNETT (55005).
 W. O. SPAVEN (55001).
 T. WOODHOUSE (55003).

2nd July 1943.

S. L. MERREN (50557).
 A. W. READ (50611).
 W. J. SLATER (50613).

G. A. A. WITHERICK, D.F.M. (51070). 3rd July 1943.

C. A. RICHARDS (51211). 4th July 1943.

5th July 1943.

T. A. HOWELLS, A.F.M. (51150).
 J. MADDOCKS (51271).
 L. PODGER (51036).
 M. SMITH (50974).

E. WHALLEY (50999). 6th July 1943.

C. A. WINCH (50615). 9th July 1943.

P. G. TAYLOR (55029). 11th July 1943.

A. W. SIMMONDS (51035). 14th July 1943.

W. J. C. JONES (51209). 15th July 1943.

16th July 1943.

W. J. THOMAS (51272).

C. W. WILSON (51105).

S. TAGG, D.F.M. (51037). 18th July 1943.

19th July 1943.

R. W. HOLMES (50961).
 V. G. HOPE (50951).
 T. N. C. PROSSER, D.E.M. (50957).
 W. F. READHEAD (50956).
 C. A. RENNIE (50959).
 E. E. STOCKER, D.F.C. (50954).

20th July 1943.

J. KETLEY (51158).
 R. F. WORSDELL (51269).

L. A. UNDERWOOD (55204). 22nd July 1943.

23rd July 1943.

J. K. G. HUTTON (55008).
 J. LE HURAY (55010).
 D. THOMAS (55007).

E. HONE (51154). 25th July 1943.

C. G. LOADER (51268). 26th July 1943.

Plt. Off. (prob.) V. G. HOPE (50951) is granted the rank of Flg. Off. on prob. (war subs.). 24th June 1943.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Wg. Cdr. E. C. PASSMORE, O.B.E. (27062) to be Gp. Capt. (tempy.). 1st July 1943.

Sqn. Ldrs. (tempy.) granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.):—

H. W. BARKER (35215). 1st Jan. 1943.

L. T. CARD (35221). 2nd May 1943.

Flt. Lt. E. G. MONK (43395) to be Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.). 1st July 1943.

The undermtd. are granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.):—

Sqn. Ldrs. (tempy.):—

J. H. OSBORNE (43866). 1st May 1943.

P. G. COLEMAN, M.B.E. (44364). 1st June 1943.

V. C. JARVIS (43862). 18th June 1943.

Flt. Lts. (tempy.):—

M. W. S. SAUNDERS (35343) (since promoted).

6th June 1942.

C. HERBERT (35333) (since promoted). 24th July 1942.

20th June 1943.

R. C. PARRY (44104).
 R. L. HAMMANS (45598).

E. J. IRISH (44790). 22nd June 1943.

M. W. WILSON (46095). 24th June 1943.

L. A. HUXFORD (44101). 26th June 1943.

W. G. TILEY, M.B.E. (45766). 29th June 1943.

Flg. Offs. to be Flt. Lts. (tempy.). 1st July 1943:—

L. G. HAYWARD (48103).

H. F. JACOB (45504).

Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—

F. A. ROBINSON (48946). 1st July 1943.

7th July 1943.

V. B. ST. JOHN (50648).

W. H. T. WOON (50652).

C. J. TURNER (49931). 16th July 1943.
J. F. RAE (50216). 17th July 1943.

21st July 1943.
J. O. PRYSE (50757).
W. J. RIDER (50752).
J. TERRY (50621).

F. R. H. SEAL (50672). 23rd July 1943.

27th July 1943.
E. F. W. HANSON (50150).
R. A. PAYNE (50861).

28th July 1943.
T. E. PARSONS (50721).
B. G. PRESTON (50838).
J. WAGSTAFF (50814).
C. H. WICKS (50813).
F. J. WILLMOTT (50842).

Plt. Off. (prob.) W. D. DAY (49185) to be Flg. Off. on prob. (war subs.). 1st Oct. 1942. (Subs. for notifi. of 6th Aug. 1943 (p. 3536, col. 2).)

Actg. Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Plt. Offs. (prob.).
11th Mar. 1943:—
A. A. G. DENT (50164).
E. W. DUFFIELD (50346).
T. M. EINBODEN (50337).
L. C. THWAITES (50413).

BALLOON BRANCH.

Flt. Lt. (tempy.) F. H. ROCK (43244) is granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.). 16th June 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermtd. are granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.):—

Flt. Lts. (tempy.):—
F. W. DOWLING (43604). 15th June 1943.
A. T. ARNOLD (44697). 20th June 1943.

Flg. Off. P. J. TUNGAY (45454). 22nd June 1943.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—

H. TAYLOR (45967). 9th Aug. 1942. (*Seny.* 28th July 1942.)
K. SMITH (50023). 5th July 1943.
J. A. P. WILTON (50637). 7th July 1943.
S. A. H. TOWNHILL (49912). 8th July 1943.

18th July 1943.
A. H. SMITH (50673).
R. C. STEEL (50640).
W. A. STREET (50726).
E. G. ROBINSON (50776). 23rd July 1943.

26th July 1943.
J. H. PILE (50203).
F. J. SHIELDS (50212).

T. WRIGHT (50728). 28th July 1943.
R. G. W. SCHOLES (50784). 31st July 1943.

Plt. Off. (prob.) S. R. WALTON (49580) to be Flg. Off. on prob. (war subs.). 2nd Mar. 1943. (Subs. for notifi. of 18th June 1943 (p. 2771, col. 1).)

The notifi. of 4th Dec. 1942 (p. 5270, col. 1) concerning M. BARTLELL (47180) is cancelled.

The notifi. of 30th July (p. 3442, col. 2) concerning Plt. Off. G. A. ASHTON (49816) is cancelled.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.) A. MARR (31199) is granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.). 19th June 1943.

Flt. Lts. to be Sqn. Ldrs. (tempy.). 1st July 1943. (*Seny.* 1st Sept. 1942):—
D. C. URQUHART (43904).
A. F. HERD (44622).

Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—

M. DRISCOLL (49166). 18th Jan. 1943.
R. F. BURRIDGE (50264). 3rd Aug. 1943.

Actg. Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Plt. Offs. (prob.).
25th Mar. 1943:—

J. RODGERS (50797).
R. E. SKINNER (50798).

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.) J. S. B. ANDERSON (21211) is granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.). 1st June 1943.

Flt. Lt. (tempy.) W. N. SARGINSON (21383) is granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.). 28th June 1943.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—

3rd Aug. 1943.
G. S. HAINES (50241).
F. W. PLUCK (50257).
A. ONIONS (50791). 7th Aug. 1943.
G. E. HORLEY (50898). 10th Aug. 1943.

11th Aug. 1943.
J. BRODIE (50553).
A. S. CORDERY (50544).
J. MCCART (50543).

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.) C. W. WOLLASTON, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23350) is granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.). 26th June 1943.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Sqn. Ldrs. to be Wg. Cdrs. (tempy.). 1st July 1943:—

F. D. NUGENT, A.F.C. (34013).
J. D. H. SLADE, A.F.C. (27166).

The undermtd. are granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.):—

Wg. Cdrs. (tempy.):—
29th June 1943.
T. R. THOMAS, D.F.C. (37662).
D. G. WARREN, D.F.C. (37369).

Sqn. Ldrs. (tempy.):—
W. J. BRIGHTY (29003). 21st Feb. 1943.
W. J. ALINGTON, D.F.C., A.F.C. (70006). 24th June 1943.

29th June 1943.
G. F. RODNEY, A.F.C. (37943).
P. H. WAY, D.F.C. (39645).
S. W. R. HUGHES, O.B.E. (40784).
T. L. BINGHAM-HALL, D.F.C. (39848).
E. C. C. TOMKINS, D.F.C. (39910).

Flt. Lts.:—
C. E. W. EVISON (40614). 24th June 1943.
T. J. GUNN, D.F.C., A.F.C. (41401). 29th June 1943.

Flt. Lt. J. S. NEWALL (70496) to be Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.). 1st July 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Flt. Lt. P. G. D. TAYLOR (37367) is granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.). 17th June 1943.
Flg. Off. H. H. THOMAS to be Flt. Lt. in class CC. 3rd Apr. 1943.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Flt. Lt. M. KEELAN (31335) to be Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.). 1st July 1943.
Flt. Lt. (tempy.) V. E. ROBINSON (31347) is granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.). 18th June 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermtd. are granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.):—

Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.) T. L. SANDES, D.F.C. (72486). 29th June 1943.

Flt. Lts.:—
I. CUSTERSON (76319). 30th Mar. 1943.
J. E. JOHNSON, D.S.O., D.F.C. (83267). 16th June 1943.

J. D. BISDEE, D.F.C. (76575). 18th June 1943.
P. B. ELWELL (74716). 25th June 1943.
H. A. DALRYMPLE-WHITE, D.F.C. (74651). 29th June 1943.

Flg. Offs. granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.):—

R. H. LUNNEY, D.F.C. (109920). 1st June 1943.
C. J. FOOKS, D.F.C. (111679). 21st June 1943.
R. A. WELLINGTON, D.S.O., D.F.C. (106238). 24th June 1943.

J. E. PARTRIDGE, D.S.O., D.F.C. (121910). 30th June 1943.

Flg. Offs. to be Flt. Lts. (war subs.):—
D. T. SMITH (102564). 22nd June 1943.
A. R. WELCH (133080). 24th June 1943.

1st July 1943.
D. De B. BANHAM (100066).
B. A. BURBRIDGE (100067).
A. J. M. CAMERON (101060).
D. M. HARRIS (108235). 2nd July 1943.
3rd July 1943.
D. C. R. ALCOCK (100085).
S. E. APPLEBY (101533).

G. D. BODY (100086).
 L. G. CAEN (100043).
 K. N. CLARK (101062).
 A. C. W. COWSLEY (101064).
 A. J. DAVEY (101536).
 C. M. DENNEHY (101065).
 J. EVANS (101539).
 M. B. FRENCH (101540).
 W. H. GILLILAND (101068).
 M. G. HARRIS, D.F.M. (102977).
 J. HODGSON, D.F.C. (101542).

4th July 1943.
 J. G. COOPER (112371).
 W. D. HARRISON (100637).

5th July 1943.
 P. G. BROWN (100619).
 D. W. BURGESS (101078).
 J. BURTON (100620).
 G. CODD (119775).
 J. A. DOBSON (100616).
 R. GORE (100621).

6th July 1943.
 A. BLACK (107476).
 E. A. CARTER (104344).
 J. L. CROSSLEY (100647).

8th July 1943.
 J. BANFIELD (104345).
 L. A. BOND, D.F.C. (104409).
 F. E. DREW, D.F.C. (104411).
 D. P. GOODALL (104412).

9th July 1943.
 B. C. BECKER (80148).
 A. G. GARDNER (101571).
 D. GRUNDY (101567).

10th July 1943.
 H. J. DAVIES (102577).
 R. H. GILBERT (101508).
 P. R. GOODWIN (100622).

11th July 1943.
 G. R. S. ALLARDYCE (111110).
 G. E. ALLISON (110791).
 H. BURTON (111522).
 R. T. H. COLLIS (111107).
 H. A. COWING (111109).
 F. C. MASON (111492).

12th July 1943.
 K. H. ANDREWS (109068).
 G. S. BAKER, D.F.C. (101575).
 C. V. BENNETT (109072).
 G. J. H. BILLING (109065).
 A. W. A. BISHOP (101576).
 P. BOLTER (114686).
 A. C. BURRELL (101577).
 B. M. BUSH (101038).
 A. L. BUTCHER (109987).
 F. C. A. CANDLER (101085).
 P. S. J. CHISWELL (109070).
 B. P. COLSTON, D.F.C. (101087).
 D. J. A. CRESSER (101088).
 J. A. CURRIE (108904).
 M. M. DAVISON (101089).
 T. E. EDWARDS (109076).
 A. H. EVANS (101510).
 J. B. FALCONER (109988).
 G. H. FRAMPTON (109067).
 A. B. FRY (109077).
 C. M. GASPER (75408).
 D. M. GAYNOR (110618).
 D. H. GRINDLEY (117034).
 D. L. GREEN (111115).
 H. S. HARTLEY (109071).

13th July 1943.
 R. A. BODDINGTON, D.F.C. (104534).
 G. HEWITT, D.F.C. (102604).

14th July 1943.
 C. BAILEY (102088).
 F. J. HIGHAM, D.F.C. (101514).

15th July 1943.
 W. McM. GILMOUR, D.F.M., D.F.C. (107773).
 P. St. J. MAKIN (116507).
 R. L. HOYLE (110876).

16th July 1943.
 T. W. BERRY (108624).
 J. FARRALLY (108623).

17th July 1943.
 T. V. G. BLANKS (106144).
 G. J. D. BRYANT (103501).
 D. F. CHADWICK (101519).
 D. G. S. R. COX, D.F.C. (101041).

18th July 1943.
 D. J. ASLIN (102097).
 G. B. COOKE (83430).
 R. R. FABEL, D.F.C. (102982).
 H. F. FEATHERBY (101469).
 C. W. FOX (102099).
 B. GOODALE, D.F.C. (101042).
 J. B. HARPER (102095).
 G. W. HARRISON (102093).
 W. G. HOWELL (84771).

19th July 1943.
 R. C. AITKENHEAD (103541).
 D. V. ANDERSON (102120).
 T. BALLAUF, D.F.C. (103642).
 H. G. BANCROFT (110961).
 A. C. BANWELL (103543).
 G. L. BEAUMONT (103544).
 R. N. BROCKMAN (103546).
 H. C. CALDWELL (103013).
 R. B. CASTLE (103005).
 K. A. CHARLTON (102122).
 R. HADLEY (102608).
 R. D. HEATON (103014).
 A. HILLING (102609).
 R. T. HODGES, D.F.C. (103016).

20th July 1943.
 C. H. BOOTHMAN, D.F.C. (107934).
 F. HAIGH (101522).

21st July 1943.
 D. I. BENHAM (104443).
 C. R. BUGLE (102615).
 J. DANN (102616).
 D. FOPF (112448).

23rd July 1943.
 I. L. T. ACKROYD (103029).
 R. BAKER (102137).
 C. T. BROWN (101587).
 H. J. CAMPS (102295).
 J. F. C. CARRINGTON (103030).
 P. C. COBLEY, D.F.C. (102296).
 A. R. CUSSONS (103557).
 W. DRING (104424).
 A. H. GITTINS (102621).
 L. C. C. HAWKINS (102129).
 A. D. M. NASH (102131).
 R. HAYES (102622).
 K. HOWLETT (102597).

24th July 1943.
 G. M. BATES, D.F.M. (102059).
 F. S. CADMAN (104425).

25th July 1943.
 J. BUDD (111122).
 F. J. HARNIMAN (102142).

26th July 1943.
 C. F. CAMPBELL, D.F.C. (102986).
 D. A. T. CHURCHWARD (105176).
 G. F. C. DUTTON (102954).
 C. GIBSON, D.F.M. (104398).
 J. R. S. HALFORD (102147).
 R. H. HARRISON (103504).
 F. C. HILL (102987).

29th July 1943.
 C. E. GLANVILLE (108523).
 J. R. HAARHOFF (80154).
 E. R. HARTLEY (103032).
 J. R. HASTINGS (108522).

30th July 1943.
 W. E. CHADWICK (102154).
 A. J. L. CRAIF (103561).
 J. F. DEAN (111527).
 R. H. FURNEAUX (103486).
 E. J. FULLEYLOVE (110877).

31st July 1943.
 Plt. Offs. to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.):—
 P. C. KENDALL (84473). 1st July 1943.
 R. D. USHERWOOD (62778). 10th July 1943.
 N. J. ORCHARD (89020). 16th July 1943.
 Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—

1st Oct. 1942.
 A. GAVAN (115126).
 J. G. MEJOR (119016).
 B. F. PRODDOW (119143). 1st Dec. 1942.
 C. THATCHER (130295). 25th Mar. 1943.
 E. LEE (137591). 22nd Apr. 1943.
 J. G. G. VENABLES (131630). 26th Apr. 1943.
 W. E. J. BYFORD (133636). 6th May 1943.
 L. L. PEARSE (142918). 9th May 1943.
 H. T. WOOLVERIDGE (137072). 20th May 1943.
 F. M. SMITH (136954). 12th June 1943.
 D. H. WOOD (131066). 25th June 1943.

1st July 1943.

C. G. HINTON (150038).
 J. C. HORNBY (150016).
 A. F. HOWLETT (137325).
 H. HOYLE (150061).
 J. P. HUNT (150065).
 R. C. HUNTER (150009).
 G. J. HUSSEY (150010).
 E. G. HUTCHIN (150040).
 R. T. JOHNSON (150044).
 S. A. JONES, D.F.M. (137292).
 H. J. B. KELLY (150023).
 J. L. KERR (150055).
 A. F. LAVENDER (150051).
 M. J. LLOYD (150025).
 P. C. LORD (139214).
 J. R. MOORE (150034).
 T. MOORE (150068).
 J. E. NORTH (150030).
 B. P. O'HAGAN (150008).
 E. C. ORR (150012).
 B. L. PARTRIDGE (150052).
 F. E. PHILLIPS (136525).
 E. F. W. PINNEY, D.F.C. (137451).
 D. POLLARD (150050).
 T. W. REECE (150026).
 A. F. RICHARDSON (150066).
 H. L. RIDD (150019).
 S. E. ROGERS (150033).
 T. ROUND (150002).
 E. SCOTT (150043).
 A. G. SHELTON (136486).
 M. H. SHELTON (150006).
 G. SMITH (150048).
 G. A. SMITH (150004).
 S. C. SMITH (139821).
 D. STEVENS (150017).
 T. K. STOTHARD (150018).
 G. S. TAYLOR (150067).
 R. E. TEMPLE (150049).
 F. WALGATE (150003).
 B. WALKER (150060).
 C. W. WARREN (150005).
 D. J. WEBSTER (138667).
 J. A. WHITMORE (150014).
 J. WHITE (137312).
 J. C. WILSON (150021).
 J. R. WILSON (150057).
 R. WOOLLACOTT (150028).

2nd July 1943.

I. N. HINCHLIFFE (135781).
 E. L. HOGG (135755).
 A. K. HUNTER (135916).
 J. LEES (139385).
 A. G. LODGE (136816).
 C. McL. LOVELL (135912).
 D. V. MANSELL (135913).
 S. G. NORRIS (135750).
 D. L. OAKENFOLD (136474).
 A. J. OURY (138848).
 L. C. PARSONS (136817).
 S. J. PAYNE (135742).
 C. E. PEAKE (135917).
 G. PHILIPSON (135915).
 N. R. G. PRONGER (135744).
 I. J. F. RICH (136818).
 S. G. ROGERS (135752).
 A. E. RYDER (135918).
 A. SANDALL (135919).
 P. S. SMITH (136526).
 J. H. SPARK (135920).
 D. T. TAYLOR (135749).
 J. M. TONES (135782).
 R. TOWNER (135743).
 M. W. VINCE (134583).
 R. G. WATKINS (135746).
 J. R. WATSON (135785).

3rd July 1943.

D. A. JOYNES (139953).
 W. H. THORNING (137521).
 G. W. WILLIAMS, D.F.M. (139221).

4th July 1943.

J. KIND (141747).
 A. ROFFE (137341).
 H. STEVENS (139415).
 H. E. WALMSLEY (139425).

5th July 1943.

C. S. HUNTON (141735).
 R. W. READ (141779).
 G. A. STROUD (141736).

6th July 1943.

W. JONES (139737).
 V. F. R. KENWARD (141269).

J. L. LANGFORD (139589).
 R. L. ROSS (138828).
 R. P. SOFTLEY (141739).
 P. J. TEMPLE (139575).
 H. W. WATSON (141870).
 S. WILLISON (139586).
 G. W. WOODWARD, D.F.C. (139497).

7th July 1943.

F. T. HOPPS (133250).
 C. E. O. JONES (139393).
 J. E. ORCHARD (139926).
 C. T. G. SHIELDS (138692).
 J. D. TAYLOR (141717).
 W. VINCENT (141818).
 P. M. WOOLDRIDGE (141164).

8th July 1943.

R. F. MARRACK (139943).
 J. H. O'DELL (137314).
 H. D. OFFICER (151168).
 F. W. SHEPHERD (139477).
 D. L. SHIELD (139495).

9th July 1943.

L. A. NEWBON (136505).
 J. J. NICOLAU (136501).
 A. P. POTTS (136503).
 R. A. RACKHAM (136510).
 J. G. SIMPSON (136506).
 C. A. B. SPEARING (136519).
 W. M. TAIT (136476).
 D. G. TEMPLAR (136507).
 H. WILSON (136509).

10th July 1943.

P. E. HUCKIN (151056).
 J. JACQUES (141524).
 C. E. E. KELLY (142036).
 W. MARSDEN (151059).
 J. D. MAULT (151052).
 C. J. MEERES (151053).
 J. OSBORNE (151055).
 R. SCHOLEFIELD (151057).
 A. T. SMITH (151054).
 N. SMITH (139808).
 D. TIDY (141099).
 J. J. VAUGHAN (151060).
 J. WILKINSON (151058).

11th July 1943.

E. O. LODGE (141155).
 L. MAGNUS (150071).
 D. T. OLIVER (141467).
 A. J. PAINTER (151098).
 J. M. RICHARDS (147978).
 A. L. SEAMAN (150074).
 G. F. SHATTOCK (138690).
 R. C. WICKENS (151091).
 J. H. WYATT (151094).

12th July 1943.

D. L. MERCHANT (141799).
 E. R. MORRIS (141801).
 F. RHODES (141770).
 W. G. RIPLEY, D.F.M. (139951).
 C. J. SCHULMAN (139270).
 J. E. WATTS (140923).
 W. R. WRIGHT (141867).

13th July 1943.

E. W. MILES (139472).
 C. MILLER (139409).
 E. ORTON (139639).
 G. TUSLER (139646).
 A. O'B. WEEKES (139611).

14th July 1943.

N. C. JONES, D.F.M. (141733).
 H. S. L. T. NORCROSS (139403).
 A. W. SUMMERS, D.F.M. (139390).
 J. WALKER (139426).
 G. A. WEST (139516).

15th July 1943.

L. A. LUDLAM (141744).
 R. A. MILLER (139422).
 D. B. NIXON (141725).
 J. WALKER (142031).

16th July 1943.

A. D. JONES (136200).
 B. R. KING (136201).
 J. A. KONSCHER (80471).
 E. LIDDLE (136210).
 E. J. LONG (141821).
 K. F. OLDHAM (136202).
 W. F. PLUMPTON (136203).
 W. H. POLGREAN (137230).
 S. POTTS (136488).
 L. A. PRICKETT (139811).

G. R. PRITCHETT (136490).
 T. J. PUGH (141861).
 J. PULLAR (136204).
 K. B. ROBINSON (139816).
 T. A. ROSKILLY (136211).
 D. A. ROSS (136713).
 P. R. SANDFORD (141456).
 E. L. SANDIFER (136487).
 G. G. SAUNDERS (136212).
 S. R. SHACKLETON (136213).
 G. R. SKEATES (136214).
 C. STEVENS (137305).
 W. J. STEVENS (136206).
 S. A. SWAIN (136207).
 E. A. TURNER (80472).
 D. G. VORLEY (136215).

17th July 1943.

J. JACKSON (140920).
 R. P. F. KIRVAN (141133).
 A. G. A. OVERALL (141404).
 E. W. POOLE (142578).

18th July 1943.

A. R. NEWITT, D.F.M. (141408).
 H. PATERSON (142007).
 H. SHERWOOD (139636).
 R. L. YARWOOD (139500).

19th July 1943.

E. M. HUNTER, D.F.M. (141411).
 B. J. JACKSON (139291).
 S. J. V. JOHNS (139656).
 J. MARPOLE (139292).
 F. PLEVIN (140915).
 C. C. REEDER (139814).
 G. M. ROSS (141136).

20th July 1943.

H. R. HOLLOWAY (139479).
 S. C. HUBBARD, D.F.M. (139478).
 S. A. HURLEY (139392).
 W. LEWIS (139418).
 P. W. MANNING (139637).
 N. POOLE (139395).
 A. D. POWELL (139806).
 L. G. SEARLE (160036).
 J. SMITH (141780).
 H. A. TAYLOR (141752).
 W. E. WYKES (139812).

21st July 1943.

H. H. LADBROOK (139394).
 D. A. LAFBERRY (142215).
 J. MAYSON (139481).
 A. J. PALMER (140911).
 H. G. RIDLEY (141278).
 N. J. STRONELL (141395).

22nd July 1943.

H. J. HIRST (151048).
 W. D. S. JACKSON (151072).
 J. Y. JOHNSON (151021).
 R. H. JOHNSON (151035).
 W. G. KING (151033).
 E. K. E. KNIGHT (160021).
 W. J. A. LANE (151002).
 G. J. I. G. LESLIE (151007).
 S. M. F. LEVY (151012).
 L. J. LINDRIDGE (151067).
 W. LOWE (151082).
 H. MCCARTHY (151083).
 C. L. C. MASON (151008).
 F. MARWOOD (151036).
 I. MORGAN (142027).
 J. W. NEWMAN (151023).
 W. H. C. PATEMAN (151062).
 W. S. PRYCE-WILLIAMS (151019).
 H. F. RAYNHAM (151064).
 G. C. REED (151078).
 A. F. REYNOLDS (151000).
 C. G. ROGERS (151090).
 N. F. ROGERS (151030).
 E. SMITH (141769).
 S. B. SPRING (151009).
 J. W. STONE (151040).
 C. R. M. STROUD (151081).
 J. W. TINDALL, D.F.M. (141410).
 R. G. E. WHARMBY (151043).
 J. R. H. WILLSON (151016).

23rd July 1943.

J. D. HIRD (137163).
 F. HOLT (150130).
 N. H. HORNBY (150111).
 E. D. HOUSTON (137161).
 A. HUMBERSTON (136522).
 D. J. HUNTER (150142).
 E. INGHAM (150115).
 S. W. JOHNSON (137153).

J. G. F. JOHNSTON (150101).
 W. J. JONES (137160).
 M. C. KAROP (150084).
 J. KIRKWOOD (138302).
 J. KUSEL (150132).
 H. J. LARBY (138133).
 J. B. LATHAM (150124).
 G. F. LEE (150090).
 F. S. LEWIS (150092).
 G. W. LIVINGSTONE (137162).
 G. H. LOUDEN (137154).
 N. R. MARRIOTT (150078).
 N. A. MARSTON (136912).
 P. MATTHEWS (150136).
 R. H. MAWLE (150102).
 E. F. G. MILLS (139505).
 H. MITCHELL (150116).
 W. R. MITCHELL (150120).
 G. A. MORRISON (150107).
 O. E. P. NEWCATER (137156).
 S. J. T. O'BRIEN (150104).
 J. L. OWEN (150133).
 B. K. R. PARK (150109).
 R. M. PARKER (150097).
 J. E. PARKINSON (136913).
 A. F. W. POLDEN (138135).
 E. F. POLLOCK (137055).
 K. J. POOLE (137157).
 W. G. POULTER (150140).
 P. K. PREDDY (150087).
 A. W. ROBINSON (150114).
 C. A. ROGERS (150123).
 W. A. ROWLEY (150112).
 A. SCOTT (136524).
 A. S. W. SKEMPTON (150093).
 E. S. SMALLRIDGE (137164).
 H. F. SMITH (150131).
 N. A. SMITH (137169).
 P. N. SPEED (150119).
 R. STEAD (137158).
 G. D. SUTCLIFFE (150137).
 F. E. THOMAS (137159).
 L. F. TITCUMB (150103).
 D. J. TRAINI (150098).
 D. G. TUCK (150129).
 L. UNSWORTH (150089).
 B. J. UPTON-PROWSE (150113).
 F. G. E. WADE (150125).
 C. WESTON-BURT (150128).
 R. B. WHITE (150076).
 H. W. B. WILEY (150088).
 A. F. D. WILLIAMSON (150085).
 A. B. WITHECOMBE (137231).
 G. A. J. WOOD (150096).

24th July 1943.

H. LAMPKIN (141085).
 J. A. STEPHENS (141830).

25th July 1943.

A. IRVINE (139513).
 G. O. MCGREGOR (142212).
 P. R. McLAREN, D.F.M. (142216).
 E. POVEY (141405).
 P. C. RYDE (141093).

26th July 1943.

B. W. LANDERS (150148).
 R. D. McNICOL (141869).
 S. F. N. NEAL (139932).
 M. G. R. OSBORN (141084).
 A. C. RICHARDS (137223).
 J. C. SAMPSON (137225).
 J. VAUGHAN (137106).
 D. M. WEDDELL (137107).
 J. A. WICKSON (150147).
 H. W. C. WILSON (137224).
 J. R. WILSON (150146).
 W. H. J. YEO (137226).

27th July 1943.

D. H. JONES (141819).
 B. E. C. MACPHERSON (140922).
 J. MALLETT (141010).
 W. MARSHALL (141749).
 E. N. MILLER (142016).
 A. J. SANDERS (141091).
 C. A. THOMPSON (142010).
 J. M. TIGHE (141022).

28th July 1943.

W. McDONALD, D.F.M. (142140).
 C. R. PARKER (141527).
 W. R. PAULSON (141698).

29th July 1943.

H. C. SHARPE, B.E.M. (141024).
 G. A. SLATTER (141406).
 G. WILD (141086).

30th July 1943.

H. R. HOLLEDGE (137616).
 R. W. W. JAMES (137626).
 P. JOSEPH (137625).
 J. MANSFIELD (142222).
 J. MARSON (141704).
 A. J. PLATT (137629).
 F. R. PUGH (141143).
 K. N. ROWLEY (141270).
 E. E. TINGLEY (141268).
 W. H. TOLMAN (137199).
 H. S. TOVEY (137615).
 P. G. TOVEY (137618).
 K. A. E. TRUSLER (137619).
 F. WILLIAMS (137634).
 G. WILSON (141094).
 W. A. WRIGHT (141719).

31st July 1943.

R. LEACH (137928).
 N. R. VARDY (141391).
 E. J. BOWN (140919). 1st Aug. 1943.
 J. D. K. CROOKS (140921). 4th Aug. 1943.
 H. B. BRISCOE (138354). 6th Aug. 1943.
 W. R. F. CURRY (125493). 20th Aug. 1943.
 Plt. Offs. (prob.) granted the rank of Flg. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—
 P. CURTIS, D.F.M. (139288). 20th June 1943.
 H. J. BIDMEAD (139293). 26th June 1943.
 Plt. Off. M. KELLETT (prob.) (86630) is granted the rank of Flg. Off. on prob. (war subs.) 24th Aug. 1941 and confmd. in appt. 7th Sept. 1941. (Subs. for notfn. of 28th Oct. 1941 (p. 6256, col. 2).)

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Sqn. Ldr. (temp.) H. C. BRAND (70079) is granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.). 30th Mar. 1943.

The undermtd. are granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.):—

Flt. Lts. (temp.):—
 F. X. J. ARMSTRONG (76218). 17th June 1943.
 P. H. WELCH (84037). 18th June 1943.
 H. L. BIRD (77575). 22nd June 1943.
 L. BERNSTEIN (84448). 25th June 1943.
 Flg. Off. P. C. MORTIMORE (87003). 20th June 1943.

Flg. Offs. to be Flt. Lts. (temp.). 1st July 1943:—

H. S. HOFF (83361).
 E. R. L. LEWIS (79417).
 Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—

I. T. STRICKLAND (109347). 15th Apr. 1943.

14th July 1943.

B. L. D. PORRITT (136985).
 C. A. REID (115890).
 R. A. REID (120839).
 D. G. RICHARDS (66898).
 A. G. SALTER (115039).
 E. F. SAUNDERS (117265).
 M. L. T. SINCLAIR (114940).
 R. C. SMITH (116627).
 R. E. TAYLOR (137083).
 G. W. THOMAS (119461).
 C. TUDOR (117389).
 C. C. TUE (119680).
 W. J. WAGSTAFF (115070).
 J. WYATT (116669).
 F. E. WYER (117241).
 B. F. J. YERBURY (136980).
 D. N. SHARMA (117407).

C. H. WELLS (131850). 16th July 1943.

21st July 1943.

E. S. POWLEY (128608).
 G. A. RUDDOCK (127857).
 M. SALWAY-WALLER (127449).
 H. H. TAYLOUR (127448).
 P. R. PRICE (119768). 27th July 1943.
 R. S. WOOD (138278). 28th July 1943.
 Plt. Off. (prob.) P. C. MORTIMORE (87003) is granted the rank of Flg. Off. on prob. (war subs.). 1st May 1941.
 Actg. Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Plt. Offs. (prob.):—

11th Mar. 1943.

A. G. FINDLAY (134613).
 G. KIDD (134591).

25th Mar. 1943.

T. A. WESTWOOD (131268).
 C. WILLIAMS (131271).
 W. WILSON (129675).

1st Apr. 1943.

D. H. BURNETT (126723).
 E. R. PICKWORTH (123629).
 H. H. HAYWARD (116572). 16th June 1943.

22nd July 1943.

D. E. ACKLAND (131502).
 P. L. BISGOOD (132919).
 D. C. CHAPMAN (133475).
 J. COCKSHOOT (130888).
 P. R. HEATON (132911).
 Y. HOLBITZ (132931).
 M. R. V. MACKAY (132952).
 H. MULHOLLAND (134609).
 R. PENTON (126126).
 M. POHORYLES (132357).
 G. POTT (130933).
 L. R. SEELING (132942).
 R. SHEPHERD (132943).
 A. J. C. SMITH (132945).

BALLOON BRANCH.

Flt. Lt. (temp.) E. G. POLE, M.B.E. (75293) is granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.). 18th June 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermtd. are granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.):—

Sqn. Ldrs. (temp.):—

J. M. WELLS (74889). 24th June 1943.
 M. A. NEWNHAM, D.F.C. (75897). 29th June 1943.
 L. M. WOOLVERIDGE (73927). 30th June 1943.
 Flt. Lt. S. C. WOOD (86802). 23rd June 1943.
 The undermentioned are granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.):—

Flt. Lts. (temp.):—

S. C. LOCKWOOD (79099). 1st June 1943.
 A. C. PRING (73898). 15th June 1943.
 W. F. DAVIS (83431). 16th June 1943.
 R. E. CASALIS DE PURY (77745). 17th June 1943.

19th June 1943.

R. P. CLARKE (84181).
 A. H. W. WALL, O.B.E., M.C. (77839).
 R. S. DAVIES (78959). 20th June 1943.

22nd June 1943.

J. A. SAWARD (74554).
 D. MEINERTZHAGEN (78620).
 A. E. KING (74152).
 R. C. GREEN (78322). 23rd June 1943.
 A. S. KELSEY (81506). 28th June 1943.
 J. C. KILKENNY (77000). 29th June 1943.

30th June 1943.

J. SHARP (79611).
 R. WATTS-JONES (88093).
 L. O. GLENISTER (85170).

Flg. Offs.:—

L. R. HORROX (62429). 18th June 1943.
 K. S. STUBBS (60417). 28th June 1943.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—

J. B. S. MORRISON (101699). 18th Sept. 1942.
 A. SMITH (114496). 1st Oct. 1942.
 M. A. C. JAMES (102210). 1st Jan. 1943.
 A. J. MANDER (107475). 1st Jan. 1943.
 F. E. PROSSER (123579). 8th Mar. 1943. (Seny. 17th Feb. 1943.)
 G. L. HEATH (129405). 27th Apr. 1943. (Seny. 2nd Feb. 1943.)

1st July 1943.

H. G. REYNOLDS (131787).
 K. WATSON (132462).

2nd July 1943

J. ROWTHORN (132470).
 P. WILLIS-FRANCIS (131782).
 J. T. WALKER (132480).

3rd July 1943.

F. B. SAYER (132484).
 G. G. H. SIMPSON (135904).

4th July 1943.

D. A. ROSS (132467).
 J. B. C. RUFFE-WILLIAMS (132471).
 F. W. WILLSON (131873).

5th July 1943.

G. E. PAYNE (132499).
 E. W. PINNELL (132524).
 C. B. FLOWS (132565).

F. C. POPE (132500).
 D. J. E. PROFFITT (132525).
 E. B. RUHL (132566).
 L. A. SINFIELD (132501).
 S. SOMPER (132526).
 J. R. SORRELL (132502).
 P. T. STUTTARD (132527).
 T. L. TULEY (132528).
 W. H. J. WEBBER (132529).
 S. C. WILDGOOSE (132567).
 D. U. R. WILLIAMS (132530).
 H. A. WINDMILL (132531).
 F. D. H. WITT (132568).
 C. H. WOODCOCK (132503).
 R. R. WOODSIDE (132532).
 H. YOUNG (132569).
 A. D. R. SINCLAIR (132478). 7th July 1943.
 M. W. C. PRIOR (131786). 9th July 1943.

12th July 1943.
 W. SKINNER (132899).
 J. T. WENT (132463).
 R. C. PIGOTT (136232). 13th July 1943.
 S. P. STEAVENSON (132468). 14th July 1943.
 E. G. THOMAS (132458). 15th July 1943.
 J. W. PARTRIDGE (137604). 18th July 1943.

19th July 1943.
 C. R. E. BOWAK (133279).
 V. L. ROFF (133303).
 G. W. SHELDON (133277).
 J. W. R. WHITE (133293).
 S. I. WILLIAMS (133308).
 M. M. WILLSON (133302).
 F. E. YOUNGMAN (132066).
 J. G. WILLIAMS (136746). 21st July 1943.
 E. J. C. WEBB (137184). 23rd July 1943.
 G. A. RIDLEY (135028). 24th July 1943.

26th July 1943.
 D. S. PALMER (133864).
 E. P. PALMER (133890).
 A. A. PAPE (133865).
 A. E. PEGG (133843).
 L. D. PORTER (133866).
 L. RAFTERY (133932).
 H. R. RAWLINSON (133867).
 D. F. RENNOLDS (133868).
 A. C. RIDER (133930).
 R. T. RUTLEDGE (132896).
 C. G. TERRY (133933).
 P. G. THOMSON (133911).
 M. S. TRENAMAN (133899).
 R. H. VALLINS (133869).
 J. C. WALKER (133913).
 H. J. WALTER (133914).
 R. S. WATTS (133903).
 J. H. WILLIAMS (133845).
 H. WOOD (133902).
 F. G. L. WYNNE (133904).
 M. RORKE (136899). 27th July 1943.

28th July 1943.
 H. B. PEPPER (138272).
 R. C. SPANTON (138273).
 H. WILSON (136581).
 W. R. WORDLEY (138012).

30th July 1943.
 J. D. SANGSTER (137185).
 S. C. PENFOLD (138348).
 A. W. BALDWIN (134293). 3rd Aug. 1943.
 D. H. ALLEN (117391). 16th Aug. 1943.
 Actg. Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Plt. Offs. (prob.):—

S. W. POORE (128130). 2nd Nov. 1942.
 G. A. E. LEWIS (112577). 15th Feb. 1943.
 The notfn. of 16th Apr. 1943 (p. 1750, col. 1) concerning M. C. HARRISON-GRAY (105905) is cancelled.

Amendment.

In notfn. of 30th July 1943 (p. 3448, col. 1) concerning Wg. Cdr. W. C. WILSON, D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C. (77141) for 3rd June 1943 read 8th June 1943.

METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. on prob. (war subs.). 2nd July 1943:—
 R. UNWIN (134662).
 R. V. SEIG (136141).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

The undermtd. are granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.):—
 Sqn. Ldrs. (temp.):—
 P. H. THOMSON (72244). 17th June 1943.
 R. FENWICK (72151). 23rd June 1943.

Flt. Lt. (temp.) E. J. W. S. FOOTE (75938). 17th June 1943.

Flg. Off. J. S. TURNER (89571) to be Flt. Lt. (temp.). 1st July 1943.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. prob. (war subs.):—

1st Aug. 1943.

R. M. DAVISON (135906).

G. WINRAM (131544).

P. H. E. LAUDER (138377). 2nd Aug. 1943.

3rd Aug. 1943.

R. A. V. BEERE (134275).

H. COHEN (134244).

W. L. COLE (134245).

F. L. COOPER (134239).

A. G. DRAKE (134246).

H. J. T. FIELDING (134230).

J. A. FLEET (134240).

J. F. GEORGE (137174).

C. G. GIBBS (134234).

A. J. L. HARVEY (134241).

N. G. HODGSON (134273).

G. HUGHES (134309).

W. A. J. ILES (134276).

T. V. JONES (134278).

C. A. KINNAR (134274).

R. H. KITLEY (134267).

E. E. LLOYD (134231).

W. H. MORGAN (134232).

L. SHARPS (134262).

H. M. SHIPWAY (134263).

T. SUTCLIFFE (134261).

F. J. THORPE (134264).

L. W. L. UNDERWOOD (134233).

B. H. WILLIAMS (134250).

J. H. YOUNG (134238).

J. K. ADDENBROOKE (137177). 10th Aug. 1943.

11th Aug. 1943.

C. D. HINCHLIFFE (140780).

C. G. KILGOUR (140781).

T. PARKIN (133311). 12th Aug. 1943.

Actg. Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Plt. Offs. (prob.):—

W. L. HEAL (143620). 1st July 1943.

15th July 1943.

M. E. BEECH (144427).

R. SUGDEN (144509).

J. D. MILNE (141504). 23rd July 1943.

The notfn. of 16th July 1943 (p. 3223, col. 1) concerning P. D. U. BOWRON (143593), and L. B. COMPTON (143606) are cancelled.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—

3rd Aug. 1943.

R. J. PUPLETT (134236).

F. W. ROBERTS (134271).

H. SETTLE (134277).

R. H. J. SMALLWOOD (134249).

H. K. VINK (134252).

B. T. WARE (134251).

8th Aug. 1943.

R. A. REED (134235).

F. B. SEMPLE (134247).

J. H. PARSONS (134242). 9th Aug. 1943.

11th Aug. 1943.

G. J. K. FEAVER (135835).

G. G. GIBSON (135836).

F. HARDMAN (135837).

W. McI. MURRAY (135822).

R. S. OGLE (135833).

D. M. ROBERTS (135853).

G. P. ROBERTSON (135852).

L. H. STOWE (135856).

H. K. THOMSON (135791).

S. WALTON (135850).

F. C. WILLIAMS (135854).

N. QUELCH (138378).

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Flg. Offs. to be Flt. Lts. (war subs.):—

G. E. S. ROBINSON, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (118416). 8th Aug. 1943.

13th Aug. 1943.

M. C. BELL, L.R.C.P. & S., L.R.F.P.S. (126754).

P. G. EPPS, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (126753).

R. A. HOUSE, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (126752).

G. H. B. ROBERTS, M.B., B.Ch., L.M., D.P.H. (126751).

P. A. M. SPAIGHT, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (126750).

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Flt. Lts. (tempy.) granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.):—

E. C. SIMOND (82097). 11th June 1943.

J. G. WARRY (78868). 15th June 1943.

16th June 1943.

D. GUYE (83080).

W. W. HAMMOND (84087).

R. W. NASH (82420). 27th June 1943.

J. T. BOUGHEN, D.C.M. (84078). 29th June 1943.

Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—

H. G. SUTHERS (127685). 28th Feb. 1943.

J. WHARTON (137989). 23rd July 1943.

AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Sqn. Ldrs. (tempy.) granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.):—

E. S. SMITH, A.F.C. (90093). 23rd June 1943.

R. G. ENGLAND, D.F.C. (90392). 29th June 1943.

BALLOON BRANCH.

Flt. Lts. (tempy.) granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.):—

J. B. COPLEY (90825). 18th June 1943.

A. R. AVENS (91032). 22nd June 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Sqn. Ldr. (tempy.) T. R. BIRD (90418) is granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.). 27th Apr. 1943.

WOMEN'S FORCES.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

Asst. Sec. Offs. (prob.) to be Sec. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—

L. M. HAYDON-ROBERTS (5272). 8th Jan. 1943.

1st Apr. 1943.

S. M. PUGH (2267).

J. M. GRINLING (3509).

C. M. MAURICE-JONES (5598). 2nd June 1943.

Amendment.

In notifi. of 23rd July 1943 (p. 3334, col. 2) concerning E. M. MAYES for 7th Apr. 1943 read 12th Apr. 1943.

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