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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 Squadron Leader Christopher Ronald Alastair FORSYTH (42983), Royal Air Force, No. 216 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

1164455 Flight Sergeant John McPherson WHITELAW, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 216 Squadron.

Squadron Leader Forsyth and Flight Sergeant Whitelaw were pilot and navigator respectively of the leading aircraft of a formation detailed to drop parachute troops on the island of Cos in September, 1943. The operation demanded a high degree of skill, precise timing being essential to success. Nevertheless, Squadron Leader Forsyth, brilliantly supported by Flight Sergeant Whitelaw, whose navigation over a difficult route was faultless, unerringly led his formation to the target where, with amazing precision, the troops were dropped in the selected zones. The success achieved reflects the greatest credit on the efforts of this officer and airman.

Distinguished Service Order.

Flying Officer Richard Leslie William CHEEK (131080), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 40 Squadron.

One night in October, 1943, this officer executed a most determined and highly successful attack on an enemy airfield near Rome. Flying Officer Cheek made several runs over the target, releasing his bombs to good effect. Several of them burst in front of the hangars and a large aircraft was set on fire. He afterwards came down to almost ground level to sweep the objective with a hail of bullets. As a result, 6 aircraft were set on fire, 3 of which exploded. The following night, Flying Officer Cheek attacked another airfield in the same area. In spite of opposition from the ground defences, he executed resolute bombing attacks and afterwards machine-gunned the airfield from a low level. On other occasions, Flying Officer Cheek has attacked various targets with equal vigour. By his outstanding courage, skill and resolution, he has set an example which has inspired all.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Flight Lieutenant Roy BROADBENT (109356), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 267 Squadron.

This officer has completed very many sorties and has displayed skill, courage and devotion to duty of a high order. In operations against the

island of Cos, Flight Lieutenant Broadbent undertook many sorties and his excellent work was highly commendable.

Flight Lieutenant Irvine Francis McDERMOTT (41719), Reserve of Air Force Officers, No. 104 Squadron.

One night in October, 1943, this officer piloted an aircraft detailed to attack an objective near Formia. Soon after taking off the main electrical generator failed. Flight Lieutenant McDermott continued to the target, however, the navigator plotting his course by the light from a torch. Whilst over the target, at a low level, the aircraft was heavily hit by fire from the ground defences. Nevertheless, Flight Lieutenant McDermott maintained his run and made a successful attack. Although his aircraft was badly crippled, this pilot made strenuous and gallant efforts to keep it airborne but eventually was compelled to bring it down on to the sea. The crew were able to clamber aboard the dinghy and, after 2 hours paddling, reached the shore. On this operation, Flight Lieutenant McDermott displayed courage, tenacity and devotion to duty worthy of the greatest praise.

Flight Lieutenant Bernard SMITH (42365), Royal Air Force, No. 216 Squadron.

This officer, who has completed very many sorties, has displayed great skill and resolution. In September, 1943, Flight Lieutenant Smith participated in air operations over the island of Cos and rendered valuable service. He is an able and fearless leader, whose record is worthy of high praise.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Anthony Francis GOBBIE (127235), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 57 Squadron.

Flight Lieutenant Gobbie has participated in very many sorties, including attacks on Berlin, Hamburg, Peenemunde and targets in the Ruhr. He has displayed skill, courage and determination, qualities which have earned him many successes. On two recent occasions, against Leipzig and Kassel respectively, his efforts in the face of extremely adverse weather were worthy of the highest praise.

Flying Officer John Thomson BOUNDY (124789), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 225 Squadron.

This officer has completed a very large number of sorties and has displayed great skill, courage and resolution. One morning in September, 1943, he undertook a reconnaissance in the Salerno area. In spite of anti-aircraft fire, which damaged his aircraft, Flying Officer Boundy reconnoitred the area from a low level. In the afternoon he undertook a similar sortie with good results. Although his aircraft was badly damaged by anti-aircraft fire, Flying Officer Boundy flew it to base. His determined efforts set a splendid example.

Flying Officer Francis Archibald RANDALL (Aus.413090), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 460 (R.A.A.F.) Squadron.

Flying Officer Randall is a cool and resourceful pilot, whose keenness and determination have set a very fine example. He has completed many sorties and has always endeavoured to press home his attacks with vigour. On one occasion, in an operation against Berlin in September, 1943, his aircraft was repeatedly attacked by several fighters. The bomber was extensively damaged but, by a superb effort, Flying Officer Randall succeeded in flying clear. In the face of an extremely harassing situation, this officer displayed courage and skill of a high order.

Flying Officer Rex Malcolm WHITBURN (Aus.407475), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 117 Squadron.

This officer has completed a very large number of sorties, involving operations ranging from El Alamein to Italy. On one occasion, in the Salerno valley area, he successfully accomplished a sortie vital to the efforts of our land forces. His coolness and courage in the face of intense anti-aircraft fire were beyond praise.

Pilot Officer John Albert Victor DENTON (155464), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 158 Squadron.

This officer is a most efficient pilot and captain, whose example of courage and devotion to duty has proved inspiring. Pilot Officer Denton has participated in attacks on a wide range of enemy targets and has obtained good results. His efforts have been characterised by great determination.

Pilot Officer William Henry Frederick GEORGE HAGON (156385), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 77 Squadron.

This officer was the rear gunner of an aircraft detailed to attack Kassel. Whilst over the target area, the bomber was intercepted by 2 enemy fighters but clever evading directions by Pilot Officer Hagon enabled his pilot to out-manceuvre the enemy. A few minutes later a third fighter was observed at close range. Pilot Officer Hagon opened fire with devastating effect, causing the enemy aircraft to dive towards the ground, blazing furiously. This officer displayed great resolution and his alertness contributed materially to the success of the sortie.

Pilot Officer Donald NICHOLLS (156094), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 158 Squadron.

This officer has participated in very many sorties during which such targets as Berlin, Hamburg, Cologne and other well defended areas have been successfully attacked. During a recent operation against Hanover his aircraft was attacked by a fighter. Pilot Officer Nicholls out-manceuvred the enemy aircraft however, and enabled his gunners to shoot the attacker down. This officer has invariably displayed praiseworthy courage and skill.

Pilot Officer John James O'HANDLEY (Can/J17770), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 158 Squadron.

As air-gunner, Pilot Officer O'Handley has participated in a large number of sorties, including 3 attacks on Berlin. He is a most vigilant gunner, whose exemplary conduct in the face of the enemy has set a worthy example. His excellent work has contributed materially to the successes obtained.

Pilot Officer Keith Harold RYRIE (149604), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 57 Squadron.

This officer has completed very many sorties against a wide variety of important and well defended targets. Throughout his tour he has displayed exceptional keenness and has attacked his targets fearlessly and successfully. One night in October, 1943, he piloted an aircraft detailed to attack Leipzig. On the outward flight extremely adverse weather was encountered. Nevertheless, Pilot Officer Ryrie battled on through violent storms to reach and bomb the target. Two night later, this determined pilot flew with distinction in an attack on Kassel. His devotion to duty has been most commendable.

Pilot Officer Sidney George STEVENS (149614), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 57 Squadron.

This officer has displayed great skill and determination throughout his tour of operations. One night in October, 1943, he piloted an aircraft detailed to attack Leipzig. On the outward flight violent electrical storms were encountered. Although the air speed indicator became useless and

other equipment was rendered temporarily un-serviceable, Pilot Officer Stevens went on to complete his mission. His persistence in the face of trying circumstances was most praiseworthy.

Pilot Officer Douglas Alfred WEATHERILL (148094), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 158 Squadron.

This officer is an air gunner of high merit. Throughout his tour he has displayed great keenness and, on more than one occasion, his skilful evading directions and good shooting have contributed in a large way to the successful return of his aircraft to base. Pilot Officer Weatherill has set a fine example of courage and devotion to duty.

Warrant Officer John Thomas DARBY (940734), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 115 Squadron.

As wireless operator/air gunner Warrant Officer Darby has completed a large number of sorties, many of them in the Middle East. He has displayed exceptional skill and proved himself to be a most valuable member of aircraft crew. In spite of several trying experiences his keenness remains unabated and his example has been most inspiring.

Warrant Officer Marcus Griffiths POTTER (564775), Royal Air Force, No. 117 Squadron.

Warrant Officer Potter has participated in a very large number of sorties and has displayed great skill and devotion to duty throughout. During the air operations over Salerno, Warrant Officer Potter executed many sorties vital to the success of our invading troops and his fine work contributed to the success achieved. Warrant Officer Potter has displayed courage and determination of a high order.

Warrant Officer Arthur William SIMPSON (519591), Royal Air Force, No. 158 Squadron.

As air gunner Warrant Officer Simpson has participated in many sorties and has displayed outstanding efficiency, determination and devotion to duty. On several occasions his cool and skilful directions have enabled his pilot to evade fighter attacks, thus playing a good part in the successes obtained. Warrant Officer Simpson has rendered fine service.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Warrant Officer Edward Harold BOUTILIER (Can/R.76385), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 115 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

1381335 Sergeant Wyndham Edgar ROGERS, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 115 Squadron.

One night in October, 1943, Warrant Officer Boutillier and Sergeant Rogers were pilot and wireless operator/air gunner of an aircraft detailed to attack Hanover. Whilst over the target area, the bomber was hit by machine-gun fire from a fighter. Two engines were set on fire, the trimming controls of the elevators were shot away and the fuselage was extensively damaged. The rear gunner was killed and Sergeant Rogers and another of his comrades were wounded. In spite of this, Warrant Officer Boutillier remained master of the situation. He feathered one of the engines and then by violently diving extinguished the fire in the other engine. On the return flight the bomber was difficult to control but, displaying superb airmanship, this determined pilot succeeded in reaching base. He displayed skill, courage and resolution of a high order. Sergeant Rogers, although suffering severely from his injury, bravely fulfilled his duties and, during the homeward course, worked at his wireless apparatus obtaining fixes which greatly helped his pilot.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

Can/R.96009 Flight Sergeant Thomas William DIMMA, Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 408 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

As rear gunner, Flight Sergeant Dimma has participated in a large number of sorties, involving attacks on a wide variety of targets. He has displayed commendable courage and devotion to duty and has proved himself to be a most dependable member of aircraft crew. On several occasions his timely warnings and skilful evading directions have enabled his pilot to out-manceuvre enemy fighters.

1331629 Flight Sergeant Lewis Henry GOULD, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 179 Squadron.

Can/R.102446 Sergeant Donald Mervin CORNISH, Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 179 Squadron.

As wireless operator/air gunner and pilot respectively, these airmen have undertaken many anti-submarine patrols. On one occasion, they sighted a U-boat and, in the face of heavy anti-aircraft fire, Sergeant Cornish pressed home a most determined attack. Three nights later, another U-boat was sighted and immediately attacked. Although the aircraft was hit by anti-aircraft fire, Sergeant Cornish pressed home his attack with great accuracy. The U-boat was extensively damaged and was unable to submerge. These gallant airmen displayed great skill and determination, setting an excellent example.

Aus.409836 Flight Sergeant Peter Bowen JACKSON, Royal Australian Air Force, No. 102 Squadron.

One night in October, 1943, this airman piloted an aircraft detailed to attack Kassel. On the outward flight, still many miles from the target, 1 of the bomber's engines failed. Undeterred, Flight Sergeant Jackson continued to the target and bombed it from a low level. His effort was typical of the determination he has shown throughout his tour of operations.

656413 Flight Sergeant Robert LOCKHART, Royal Air Force, No. 37 Squadron.

Flight Sergeant Lockhart is a most skilful and fearless pilot, whose determined efforts throughout his tour have been highly commendable. His fine fighting spirit was well illustrated on 1 occasion during a sortie against a target near Formia, Italy. Shortly after crossing the enemy coast, on the return flight his aircraft came into collision with another bomber. The upper part of the fin and the rudder were torn away, while the remainder hung loosely. The rudder bar was jerked with considerable force and Flight Sergeant Lockhart was painfully hurt in the leg. The aircraft became almost uncontrollable, but, by strenuous efforts, this pilot succeeded in holding it to its course. The situation was serious but he battled on to reach base, where, in the face of almost impossible odds, he effected a safe landing. Flight Sergeant Lockhart displayed courage, fortitude and tenacity of a high order.

Can/R.124098 Flight Sergeant Philip Douglas MITCHELL, Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 619 Squadron.

As air gunner, Flight Sergeant Mitchell has participated in many attacks on well defended enemy targets. He is a cool and reliable member of aircraft crew, whose vigilance and skill have contributed materially to the successes obtained. On a recent occasion, during an attack on Stuttgart, Flight Sergeant Mitchell engaged an enemy fighter and shot it down.

1231935 Flight Sergeant Ronald THACKRAY, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 10 Squadron.

Flight Sergeant Thackray is an outstanding captain, whose determined efforts have been worthy of high praise. On several occasions, his aircraft has been damaged by enemy action but, each time, he has flown it back to base. His fine fighting qualities and devotion to duty have set an excellent example.

1239065 Sergeant James Desmond ASPIN, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 625 Squadron.

One night in October, 1943, this airman piloted an aircraft detailed to attack Leipzig. On the outward flight his aircraft was attacked by 2 enemy fighters. Coolly and skilfully, Sergeant Aspin out-maneuvred the attackers, enabling his gunner to shoot 1 of the enemy aircraft down and drive the other off. Although the rear turret became unserviceable, Sergeant Aspin flew on and executed a successful bombing attack. On the return journey, the bomber was hit by machine-gun fire from another fighter but Sergeant Aspin flew clear and was able to reach base. This airman displayed outstanding skill, courage and resolution.

1033580 Sergeant Eric FURNESS, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 158 Squadron.

Sergeant Furness is a confident and resolute air gunner whose operational record is worthy of much praise. He has participated in a large number of sorties, including such well defended targets as Berlin, Cologne, Hamburg and Essen and has played a good part in the successes obtained. His example of coolness and devotion to duty has been inspiring.

1334637 Sergeant Herbert Oliver Jordan SPARKS, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 207 Squadron.

One night in October, 1943, this airman was the wireless operator/air gunner of an aircraft detailed to attack Leipzig. Before the target was reached the bomber was attacked by a fighter. The intercommunication gear was rendered unserviceable and the wireless aerial destroyed. Sergeant Sparks was severely wounded in the legs but refused to leave his post. After a comrade had fixed a tourniquet on his injured legs, Sergeant Sparks continued to work at his wireless apparatus and later succeeded in repairing the inter-communication gear. This airman displayed great courage and fortitude and set a most inspiring example.

Air Ministry, 23rd November, 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As *Plt. Offs. (temp.) on employment with the R.A.F.* 2nd Oct. 1943:—

Lt. Joseph Herman BLASKEY, The King's R. (53422).

Lt. Malcolm MEEHAN, Y. & L.R. (53423).

As *Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—*
Wt. Offs.

581484 John Pemberton WILLIAMS (53430). 12th Apr. 1943.

563867 Frederick FAIRCHILD (53429). 20th Apr. 1943.

526225 Thomas Dignan CAMPBELL (52607). 31st July 1943.

517808 John CHRISTIE (53421). 12th Aug. 1943.

618482 Frederick Arnold MELTON (53435). 2nd Oct. 1943.

Temp. Wt. Off.

562812 George Charles MARTIN (53437). 5th Aug. 1943.

Flt. Sgts.

570378 George William Wray WADDINGTON (53427). 23rd Aug. 1943.

543303 John Edward NEWBY (53425). 25th Aug. 1943.

635821 William George DAYNES, D.F.M. (53432). 3rd Sept. 1943.

652059 John Edward BUTTON (53436). 15th Sept. 1943.

591421 John Ernest WHITLOCK (53431). 20th Sept. 1943.

617443 Clifford HARDMAN (53434). 21st Sept. 1943.

567861 Arthur Edmund Frederick WHEELER (53426). 16th Oct. 1943.

Temp. Flt. Sgt.

548686 John James MANDALE (53433). 18th Sept. 1943.

Sgts.

577123 George William Frederick CHAPMAN (53428). 15th Aug. 1943.

542582 Anthony Horace ALLMOND (53449). 16th Aug. 1943.

548985 William McTAGGART (53450). 15th Sept. 1943.

591034 John Leslie Ross COLEMAN (53438). 12th Oct. 1943.

Cpls.

591879 James Douglas JONES (53112). 22nd Jan. 1943.

624985 Frank HOLLIDAY (55231). 20th Aug. 1943.

Ldg. Acm.

575932 Colen Paul MUNDY (55229). 20th Aug. 1943.

605484 David Freeland Cliff ROSS (55238). 3rd Sept. 1943.

Amendment.

In notifi. of 21st Sept. 1943 (p. 4177, col. 1), concerning W. M. HUGGARD (52811), for 8th July 1943, read 8th June 1943.

Grant of acting rank.

Air Cdre. S. E. TOOMER, D.F.C., as Air Vice-Mshl. 2nd Sept. 1943. (Subs. for notifi. of 14th Sept. 1943 (p. 4080, col. 2)).

Transfer between branches.

Sqn. Ldr. (since promoted) N. C. WALKER (26167) to the Tech. Br. 24th Apr. 1940.

Transfer to Reserve.

The undermdtd. to the R.A.F.O. and called up for air force service:—

Flt. Lts. (temp. Sqn. Ldrs.):—

F. E. G. HAYTER (40164). 13th Oct. 1943.

25th Oct. 1943.

F. O. BARRETT (40355).

H. J. FISH (40379).

D. R. M. FROSTICK (40381).

A. H. HEWITT (40391).

F. R. MCAULIFFE (40403).

Flt. Lts.:—

16th Oct. 1943.

G. T. CORNISH (43282).

T. R. GILDERTHORP (43482).

J. L. HERON (43285).

A. J. HOLLAND (43286).

K. R. HUGHES (43287).

P. B. MOORE, D.F.C. (43290).

J. F. PAIN (43291).

J. O. SLATTER (43293).

A. R. D. BARRATT (40354). 25th Oct. 1943.

Reversion to Retired List.

Flt. Lt. F. C. PHILLIPS (05262) (at own request) retaining the rank of *Sqn. Ldr.* 15th Sept. 1943.

Retirement.

Wg. Cdrs. (temp. Gp. Capts.) and re-employed:—

G. Y. TYRELL, M.C. 5th Nov. 1943.

J. W. JEAN, D.S.M. 10th Nov. 1943.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flg. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Wt. Offs.

158429 Charles Ernest JONES (52347). 8th July 1943.

345343 John Mayne PHILLIPS (53121). 30th Sept. 1943.

As Actg. Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Flt. Sgts.

562103 Stewart Kenneth JUPP (52833). 2nd Sept. 1943.

567749 Frederick Victor REHILL (53126). 30th Sept. 1943.

Cpls.

575435 Joseph Francis Michael LUMSDEN (52966). 16th Sept. 1943.

30th Sept. 1943.

575097 Peter Hammill WILDE (53127).

576222 Norman Leslie WHITE (53128).

BALLOON BRANCH.**Transfer between branches.**

The undermdtd. to the *Admin. and Spec. Duties Br.:*—

Flt. Lt. J. McCALLUM (43335). 1st Sept. 1943.

Flg. Off. S. H. PAIN (49022). 11th Sept. 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flg. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Wt. Offs.

352911 George Frederick ROBBINS (52728). 19th Aug. 1943.

30th Sept. 1943.

332461 John Edward DOWLING (53129).

355825 John Henry ROWLEY (53125).

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

545878 Ronald Hugh NEAL (52933). 15th Sept. 1943.

30th Sept. 1943.

517794 Herbert Francis George DAWSON (53130).

590831 John Lancelot SMITH (53122).

Flt. Sgt.

515430 Robert Edwin BARNES (53131). 30th Sept. 1943.

Sgts.

30th Sept. 1943.

628414 Kenneth Charles BLACKISTON (53132).

632452 Henry John Alan ROBINSON (53124).

Cpl.

54192 Derek Ian George GRAHAM-HODGSON (53139). 30th Sept. 1943.

Transfer between branches.

Flg. Off. C. A. G. WHITE (48265) to the *Tech. Br.* with effect from and seny. of 2nd Sept. 1942.

Dismissal by sentence of General Court Martial.

Flg. Off. C. W. HUNTER (47066). 30th Oct. 1943.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Retirement.**

Gp. Capt. W. J. KING, O.B.E., D.C.M. 29th Apr. 1943.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.**Transfer between branches.**

Sqn. Ldr. P. H. ROSCOE (21223) to the *Gen. Duties Br.* as *Plt. Off.* (at own request). 17th Sept. 1943.

Forfeiture of seniority.

Flg. Off. S. E. DAWE (47604) takes rank and precedence as if his appt. as *Flg. Off.* bore date 1st Apr. 1943. Reduction to take effect from 22nd Sept. 1943.

MEDICAL BRANCH.**Transfer to Reserve.**

Flt. Lt. J. StC. POLSON (23368) to the R.A.F.O. and called up for air force service. 5th Oct. 1943.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.**ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.****Appointment to commission.**

As Flt. Lts. in class CC.:—

William Reginald RACE. 17th Mar. 1943.

20th Oct. 1943.

Edwin Reginald ANDREWS.

Trevor William HOYLE.

Bernard William BASIL ORTON.

Victor George PARKER.

Gilbert RAE, O.B.E.

Henry George SHERWOOD.

Rex Hamilton TAPLEY.

Assumption of lower rank (class CC).

Flt. Lt. H. T. O. WINDSOR, M.C., as *Flg. Off.* 5th Oct. 1943. (*Seny. 4th Dec. 1939.*)

Commission relinquished (class CC).

Wg. Cdr. B. E. HARRISON, A.F.C. (*Sqn. Ldr. R.A.F. Retd.*) (04042) (on cessation of duty). 15th Sept. 1943.

Flt. Lts. (on appt. to emergency commns. in the R.A.F.V.R.):—

K. V. W. NICHOLLS. 1st Apr. 1943.

K. LOVELL. 13th Apr. 1943.

N. M. WILSON. 4th May 1943.

J. ROBINSON. 8th May 1943.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Transfer between branches.**

Flt. Lt. J. G. HOME (31328) to the *Gen. Duties Br.* as *Plt. Off.* (at own request). 15th Oct. 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.****Appointment to commission.**

As Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—

Wt. Offs.

745370 William Gordon WHITEFORD (158651). 2nd May 1942.

1344646 Robert Joseph EDIE (158543). 3rd Aug. 1943.

1164962 Arthur William ARROWSMITH (158782). 4th Aug. 1943.

1377864 Brian Higley BARR (158575). 17th Aug. 1943.

745955 Arthur Ortho SHUFFLEBOTHAM (159078). 6th Sept. 1943.

1318032 Peter Frank JARVIS (158550). 10th Sept. 1943.

946099 Kenneth GILL (158555). 12th Sept. 1943.

905197 Ernest Stephen SLOCOMBE (159097). 13th Sept. 1943.

923525 Arthur Henry CHESLYN (158649). 17th Sept. 1943.

1167745 Albert Richard HOSTLER (158662). 18th Sept. 1943.

755789 Harold ESTHOP (159236). 22nd Sept. 1943.

845266 Alfred PROCTOR (159096). 23rd Sept. 1943.

- 1365118 Harry GRUNDY (158553). 26th Sept. 1943.
- 1390276 Peter Arthur Frederick JOHNSON (158787). 27th Sept. 1943.
- 751813 Ernest Arthur SPENCER-MATTHEWS (159234). 6th Oct. 1943.
- Temp. Wt. Offs.
6th Aug. 1943.
- 740924 Joseph Frederick ARNOLD (158318).
907050 Cecil Harold JONES (158574).
14th Aug. 1943.
- 740980 Frank William PEARCE (158571).
747911 Thomas Charles Pullinger HODGES (158290).
745056 Tom WOLSTENHOLME (158795).
975070 Alfred Reginald DARBYSHIRE (158663).
17th Sept. 1943.
- Actg. Wt. Offs.
1430126 Stanley BURTON (158541). 21st July 1943.
- 779048 Ronald James MOORE, D.F.C. (160121).
12th Aug. 1943.
- 1194017 Denis Walter RUDGE (158544). 25th Aug. 1943.
- 658725 John Oliver ROLLAND (158794). 25th Sept. 1943.
- Flt. Sgts.
1290611 Anthony WILLIAMS (158576). 30th May 1943.
- 1257269 Edward Laming JACKSON (158648). 17th June 1943.
- 1187260 Coltas Henry John HAWKINS (158590).
28th June 1943.
- 1375523 Jack CHURCHILL (159031). 6th July 1943.
- 1078367 Derek George Reginald WARD (158587).
25th July 1943.
- 791160 Ronald Sommerville PROCTOR (158542).
28th July 1943.
- 1161481 Rex Trevor SERCOMBE (158538). 1st Aug. 1943.
- 1263186 Desmond Frederick William HINTON (158781). 4th Aug. 1943.
- 1384275 Henry Frank MACNEVIN (159108). 6th Aug. 1943.
- 1027207 Robert Frank LAVACK (159040). 13th Aug. 1943.
- 1314182 John Maldwyn JOHN (158549). 15th Aug. 1943.
- 1185913 Granville DAVIES (158545). 24th Aug. 1943.
- 778939 Denis Foster BOOTH (160122). 25th Aug. 1943.
- 1316413 William Henry HUGHES (159079). 26th Aug. 1943.
- 1376180 Arthur George CARROLL (158780). 28th Aug. 1943.
- 1313554 Jack Raymond BICKFORD (158789).
2nd Sept. 1943.
- 3rd Sept. 1943.
- 1335195 Roger Midgley MORGAN (158547).
999731 Jack SKELTON (158796).
- 5th Sept. 1943.
- 657121 Lionel James ROBERTS (158552).
1316321 James Roy George MILTON (158791).
- 6th Sept. 1943.
- 1230989 Selwyn RICHARDSON (158546).
1243201 George William HIND (158551).
- 7th Sept. 1943.
- 1375919 Arthur Henry RAWLINGS (158536).
1271666 Ronald Arthur IMPEY (158799).
- 8th Sept. 1943.
- 1132421 Vincent Henry TWOMEY (158586).
1138664 Joseph Herbert HINGSTON (158588).
1002386 Lionel Cranfield POLL (159080).
1196128 Eric Lionel Dunn OLDFIELD (159229).
- 9th Sept. 1943.
- 1007002 Bryan Carter WARDELL (158904).
1335422 Neville George William COOPER (158783).
940225 Frank George Fox (158678). 10th Sept. 1943.
- 12th Sept. 1943.
- 1380845 Rodney James HARTNELL (158591).
1337313 Henry Fitzgerald HODGES (158788).
1271764 Arthur Cecil DUNLOP (159081). 13th Sept. 1943.
- 1387983 Donald McLEOD (158650). 15th Sept. 1943.
- 16th Sept. 1943.
- 1316940 John GODFREY (158554).
1382127 Glyndwr DAVIES (158798).
1258211 Fred COLVILLE (158802). 19th Sept. 1943.
- 1001434 Marcus William GODDARD (158567).
21st Sept. 1943.
- 1236644 William James JACOBS (158901). 22nd Sept. 1943.
- 1211335 James Henry KINGSBURY (158548).
23rd Sept. 1943.
- 24th Sept. 1943.
- 954515 Ernest Joseph William FLORENCE (158566).
778800 John CRAIGHEAD (160118).
1375365 Leslie Gordon PYNER (159091).
- 27th Sept. 1943.
- 1378166 Frederick Henry WORSFOLD (159082).
751492 Douglas Bertie CHINERY (158688).
1377494 Harry Thornton SHEWAN (158664).
656930 Thomas Lightbody BUCHANAN (158784).
- 28th Sept. 1943.
- 1085007 George William EDWARDS (158786).
934162 Charles Benjamin HOUNSLOW (158539).
751519 James McGURK (158532).
- 29th Sept. 1943.
- 905665 Bryan Donald SWAN (158565).
658380 Kenneth Lionel MELLOR (159176).
971845 Christopher William CHARLTON (158540).
1st Oct. 1943.
- 4th Oct. 1943.
- 656399 Albert STOCK (159083).
1375556 Sidney Thomas CLARE (159012).
- 1253647 Reginald Henry Douglas WILTSHIRE (159105). 6th Oct. 1943.
- 7th Oct. 1943.
- 969187 Harold NELSON (159106).
1192494 William Harvey CHAPPELL (158578).
1336912 Donald Harold COURTENAY (158785).
9th Oct. 1943.
- 18th Oct. 1943.
- 1107486 Robert Miller HASTIE (158979).
1080384 Geoffrey VICKERS (158905).
- Temp. Flt. Sgts.
656037 Geoffrey WRIGHT (157840). 30th Aug 1942.
- 655666 William SHAKESPEARE (159084). 3rd July 1943.
- Sgts.
1380954 Alfred Lewis BEARD (148844). 10th Oct. 1942.
- 1384331 John Edwin HAMER (141117). 16th Oct. 1942.
- 1376777 John Millar MORRISON (158902). 23rd Nov. 1942.
- 1284387 Edward John SHEPHERD (158289). 7th Jan. 1943.
- 1236800 Richard James HERBERT (156498). 17th Feb. 1943.
- 1188408 Clifford John WILLIAMS (158991). 12th Apr. 1943.
- 1014102 Derek Hugh John ELLIS (158792). 5th May 1943.
- 1434572 George Valentine SERGEEV (158647). 18th June 1943.
- 1359986 James Thompson CRAIG (158665). 22nd June 1943.
- 1397031 Greville EGERTON-HINE (139372). 21st July 1943.
- 1394204 John Kenneth PARSONS (159085). 31st July 1943.
- 798606 Heber Thomas Martin TRASK (158992). 8th Aug. 1943.
- 1223038 Stanley Walter GREENGRASS (158535). 11th Aug. 1943.
- 15th Aug. 1943.
- 1586151 John Forsyth HARE (158684).
1338223 Ronald Arthur WATERS (158683).
997286 Andrew PRINCE (158537). 25th Aug. 1943.
- 1294064 Donald Frank WEBB (159100). 26th Aug. 1943.
- 27th Aug. 1943.
- 1293864 Ronald John HANNAFORD (158800).
924327 Leslie Walter WESTWOOD (158801).
908423 Albert Edward NEWMAN (159101). 28th Aug. 1943.
- 1338920 Samuel David HOPKIN (158677). 29th Aug. 1943.

- 30th Aug. 1943.
 1339043 William Thomas GREW (159102).
 1081645 Frank FOSTER (159175).
 910970 Donald Felix FARRELL (158720). 31st Aug. 1943.
 605502 Arthur George THORNE (159225). 2nd Sept. 1943.
 750077 Philip HUTCHINGS (153372). 3rd Sept 1943.
 655043 Peter Malcolm HUGHES (158625). 5th Sept. 1943.
 1352796 Raymond CASS (158903). 7th Sept. 1943.
 1361192 William SPOONER (159098). 8th Sept. 1943.
 1321985 Donald Bertram POLDEN (158676). 10th Sept. 1943.
 1454523 Thomas Arthur EVANS (159086). 11th Sept. 1943.
 12th Sept. 1943.
 1288917 Allen WHITAKER (158666).
 1481301 John Frederick Quirk BROUGH (158900).
 1133665 John ROBERTS (159231). 13th Sept. 1943.
 778064 Louis Cedric HOWELL (160123). 15th Sept. 1943.
 993764 Allan French WRIGHT (159087). 18th Sept. 1943.
 984667 William Simpson BENSON (159233). 19th Sept. 1943.
 1330464 Barry John ROCK (159235). 27th Sept. 1943.
 28th Sept. 1943.
 1315900 Howard Aldon HURLEY (158667).
 1451977 Harold BLOW (158577).
 1436439 Derek John CLAYTON (159103). 29th Sept. 1943.
 30th Sept. 1943.
 902164 Eric Reginald CRANE (159107).
 1376850 Reginald George GAISFORD (158668).
 1333548 Tarn Derek SEAGER (158911).
 1450597 Sydney David COY (158906).
 1585766 John Alexander McQUEEN (158908). 4th Oct. 1943.
 1585251 Arthur Henry NADEN (159089). 5th Oct. 1943.
 6th Oct. 1943.
 994733 Robert Wilson WISHART (159099).
 1456783 Leonard BUCKLEY (159104).
 1377916 William David SAMBROOK (158669). 7th Oct. 1943.
 8th Oct. 1943.
 1552390 John Service MIDDLEMISS (158907).
 1436653 George Howarth TAYLOR (158910).
 1180606 Leslie George BURDEN (158909). 9th Oct. 1943.
 1396351 Leslie Francis Stiles SEARLE (159090). 11th Oct. 1943.
 12th Oct. 1943.
 1581465 William John BOTTRELL (158790).
 1458773 Anthony Oliver WRIGHT (158793).
 1236906 John Anthony Harley DICKENSON (157174). 13th Oct. 1943.
 1551272 William Howie CRAIG (159088). 14th Oct. 1943.
 Temp. Sgts.
 1206583 Thomas Archibald CLARKE (158975). 7th Aug. 1943.
 14th Aug. 1943.
 1206745 John Edwin ALLEN (158573).
 978013 Eric Richard DAVIS (158572).
 Cpls.
 653891 Robert Victor OSTLER (148524). 31st July 1943.
 701428 Robert McPherson BUCHAN (153276). 6th Aug. 1943.
 918342 Ronald JARRETT (153218). 20th Aug. 1943.
 750399 George BAILES (149037). 21st Aug. 1943.
 Ldg. Acm.
 1334402 Peter Frederick ROBERTS (132817). 7th Nov. 1942.
 13th Feb. 1943.
 1381119 Stanley Edgar LORD (139096).
 1383862 Francis John COSTELLO (139104).
 1331346 John HART (139105).
 1576237 Dan WHITTINGTON (139101).
 1576302 Leonard Kenneth WHITE (139094).
 1433127 Clifford MOORE (139717). 27th Mar. 1943.
 1511676 Charles Francis BALE (141333). 29th Mar. 1943.
 1323270 Norman Frederick James HOLMEWOOD (156736). 2nd Apr. 1943.
 1156074 Gerald Herbert WORLEY (152877). 23rd July 1943.
 28th July 1943.
 1601232 Charles Arthur GIRARD (150470).
 1804312 Frederick Charles TATE (150481).
 1567834 John Brantingham BRUCE (150495).
 1398043 John Leonard JORDAN (150521).
 31st July 1943.
 1396660 Eric William CAPRON (147925).
 1330521 Harold Victor CROSSE (148523).
 778984 Gideon David Joubert FOURIE (160074).
 6th Aug. 1943.
 1577981 Oscar HERRINGTON (152978).
 1487865 Colin HUMPHREY (152980).
 1385336 Joseph John William COLLYER (152982).
 1182355 Dennis Terry FLANAGAN (152983).
 1578561 Cecil William ATKINSON (152959).
 1558385 James Morrison HUNTER (153086).
 1389241 Edward Thomas MEAKER (153017).
 1339676 Bertram Josiah PLOWWRIGHT (152957).
 1672283 Brian Hope REECE (153079).
 1800986 George William Charles SMITH (152973).
 20th Aug. 1943.
 1323648 Joseph John BAMBURY (153126).
 1534941 Francis Roy BRECKENFIELD (153093).
 1581464 Alan John PAGE (153099).
 1323468 Peter John CHILD (153172).
 1398846 Reginald Alfred ALABASTER (153209).
 1801005 Edward Frank HARDS (153210).
 1608143 Walter APPELBY (153212).
 1604458 Anthony Michael GRIFFITHS (153213).
 1388569 Joseph Francis ROTHWELL (153214).
 1602655 Ronald Alfred PULLINGER (153216).
 1600004 Douglas Walter HARBORD (153114).
 1488394 Aylmer Bernard ARMSTRONG (153118).
 1601471 Ronald Lindsay JAMES (153121).
 1396339 Maurice Emile SAUZIER (153215).
 1394787 Kenneth Joseph CHAMBERS (153270).
 1578624 Dennis Joseph MITCHELL (153272).
 1656552 Howell Thomas EVANS (153225).
 1515336 Harry PILKINGTON (153226).
 1614654 John Edward HOWELL (153227).
 1418592 Gerwyn PHILLIPS (153228).
 1549841 Walter OXLEY (153229).
 1620363 Jack NEWSOME (153230).
 1583221 Frank Charles Henry GUNN (153219).
 1602996 Anthony MARTIN (153222).
 1245567 Robert Henry HURN (153223).
 1399236 Eric Douglas HENLEY (153108).
 1430556 Harold James MARKLEY (153110).
 1586787 Aubrey Edward BRADFORD (153240).
 1566562 Henry DUDDY (153242).
 1801178 Alan Edward HALL (153138).
 1582102 Donald Harvey NEWMAN (153139).
 1565333 David Douglas HOUSTON (153143).
 1681862 John Frederick BROOK (153144).
 1521369 Victor OLDCORN (153147).
 1586922 Alban Michael John KENT (153247).
 1622861 Albert Ronald METTAM (153250).
 1582280 Alfred LLOYD (153251).
 1601973 Trevor Alfred PITTOCK (153254).
 21st Aug. 1943.
 1580074 Ronald George TOMLINSON (149038).
 1533970 Thomas Edmund HALHEAD (149039).
 1565241 Thomas Sorbie SWAN (149040).
 1583310 Kenneth Charles WEAVER (149041).
 1399090 William Jewell GUARD (149042).
 3rd Sept. 1943.
 1801679 Frank Henry BARNETT (153287).
 1800921 William Roy ANDERSON (153288).
 1324258 Robert Richard Fernie BRUCE (153354).
 808383 George Henry Goult LAYT (153355).
 1601093 Arnold Hannam BOBBETT (153357).
 1601506 Kenneth Reginald HALL (153358).
 1585593 Leonard Francis COSGROVE (153411).
 1588542 Alan James SALMON (153412).
 1567554 William Buchanan REEKIE (153405).
 1602567 Geoffrey Douglas HEAD (153406).
 1582266 Sydney COOKE (153407).
 1581461 Paul Edward FILBY (153327).
 1397428 Leonard Alfred BARLOW (153328).
 1581807 Denis Alexander George BERTRAM (153330).
 1566879 Fraser Armstrong McKinnell BRUNTON (153332).
 1356449 Harry PEARSON (153333).
 1602556 Alan Derek PIGOTT (153335).
 1517934 Charles Eric BUTTERWORTH (153337).

1564454 Peter Garvie FLETT (153340).
 1603290 Kenneth Roy HOLMES (153343).
 1801952 Charles Henry HARPER (153382).
 1567793 Arthur Edward EASTERBEE (153385).
 1622689 Harold Lawson HOWLING (153306).
 0802498 John Alfred GARRETT (153314).
 1802406 Charles Edward ESAM (153311).
 1474631 Philip Hewson (153391).
 1801726 John AIRD (153395).
 1399556 Frank Hubert. PICKARD (153396).
 1360485 Peter Stuart POSTLETHWAITE (153397).
 1586949 Walter Edward Frank GRAY (153361).
 1803557 Charles Alexander LYLE (153362).
 1803218 David John HOSKING (153363).
 1565945 Donald Derek MORRISON (153364).
 1602595 Mason Joseph BIRBECK (153367).
 1802530 John Martin MAYNARD (153368).
 1395903 Lionel John Oliver PRUDENCE (153399).
 1622722 David Henry George LYON (153400).
 1565312 John MACGREGOR (153403).
 1570316 Leonard REVILLIOD (153375).
 1800384 Dennis LAWRENCE (153376).
 1584166 Charles Wilfred Albert ANDERSON (153377).
 1802817 John Frederick BARTLE (153378).
 1615124 William Rutherford Alexander PILGRIM (153379).
 1494063 George Cecil Brailsford RAINE (153381).

17th Sept. 1943.
 1522687 William CARR (153514).
 1622684 Harry PARKINSON (153515).
 1604154 Brian Reginald HAWES (153520).
 1582427 Eric Bowden DANE (153444).
 1548368 Francis Henry LINDSAY (153445).
 1621807 Derek William WOODALL (153447).
 1580513 Rees RAWLINGS (153448).
 1624529 James McINNIS (153449).
 1565845 Kennedy BROWN (153450).
 1521660 Kenneth Lindsay HUGHES (153435).
 1684134 Edmund LEAH (153567).
 1317511 Norman John LEWIS (153471).
 1625945 Henry Noel Trevor MEDRINGTON (153446).

1808824 John Lysberg Noel BARBER (140884).
 19th Sept. 1943.
 1st Oct. 1943.
 1620708 Graham Fortnom COX (150569).
 1150779 Louis Vincent Chester FABIAN (150653).
 1803156 Sidney Francis WHITAKER (150570).
 1523251 Philip Lawler RUSHTON (150607).
 1801304 Paul Charles WILLIAMS (150609).
 1804035 Henry NELKEN (150621).

13th Oct. 1943.
 1399718 Owen Godfrey AXTEN (157172).
 657821 Edward CUTTS (157173).
 1381948 Charles Jeffrey JARDINE (157175).
 Acm. 2nd Cl.
 1853856 John Jerome MERCIER (158010). 16th Oct. 1943.
 1588301 Frederick Brearley HILL (158285). 23rd Oct. 1943.

Amendments.

In notifi. of 27th July 1943 (p. 3387, col. 2) for Henry HANLEY (139841) read Henry Claire Shallcross HAMLEY (139841).

In notifi. of 10th Aug. 1943 (p. 3592, col. 1) concerning F. H. J. ASHLEY (147903) for 25th Apr. 1942 read 25th Apr. 1943.

In notifs. of 28th Sept. 1943:—
 P. 4310, col. 1, concerning C. H. PEACOVER (146600) for PEACOVER read PECOVER.
 P. 4311, col. 1, concerning 1801349 C. C. MARTEN (147117) for 1801349 read 1801359, and concerning Robert John Rex UPRICHARD (152664) for Rex read Hex.
 P. 4311, col. 2, concerning Rowland Charles SQUIRE (152839) for Rowland read Ronald.

In notifs. of 5th Oct. 1943:—
 P. 4410, col. 2, concerning Denning GEALL (155857) for Denning read Dening, and concerning E. HENSON (155938) for 31st July 1943 read 30th July 1943.

In notifs. of 12th Oct. 1943 (p. 4503, col. 2) concerning G. A. HUTCHINSON (156434) and C. W. C. TURNER (156453) for 18th May 1943 read 3rd July 1943.

In notifi. of 26th Oct. 1943 (p. 4723, col. 2) concerning J. M. SNORTLE (157422) for SNORTLE read SHORTLE.

Transfer between branches.

The undermtd. to the Admin and Spec. Duties Br.:—

Flg. Offs.:—
 2nd Nov. 1943
 H. P. DYSON (138317).
 P. O. LANKESTER (129975).
 T. L. T. THOMPSON (112528).
 W. H. HAYWARD (130717). 3rd Nov. 1943.
 J. A. E. MALLARD (123440). 8th Nov. 1943.

Plt. Offs.:—
 R. F. D. HAMILTON (73213). 7th Sept. 1943.
 G. F. MacNAB NEILLANDS (149699). 29th Oct. 1943.

Commission relinquished.
 Flg. Off. (prob.) F. S. PRATT (129637). 22nd Oct. 1943.
 Flg. Off. S. J. WILLIAMS (125599). 27th Oct. 1943.

The undermtd. (on account of ill-health) retaining their ranks:—
 Flt. Lt. C. I. PEARSE (84898). 6th Nov. 1943.
 Flg. Off J. M. MASON (104494). 5th Nov. 1943.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.
 As Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
 Wt. Off.
 362643 Herbert John STEBBINGS (156525). 23rd Sept. 1943.

Flt. Sgts.
 30th Sept. 1943.
 1022485 Leslie Hindle DAVENPORT (156883).
 1006291 Ronald HINDLE (156868).
 993486 Cyril LEE (156851).
 945125 Edward Charles SILLS (157025).

Sgts.
 30th Sept. 1943.
 1281989 Jeyrumdas Aditram MIRCHANDANI (156849).
 979113 Walter Reginald BRACE (156860).

Cpls.
 30th Sept. 1943.
 1246623 Cuthbert Willis ANDERSON (156904).
 917251 Peter Charlton BUTSON (156861).
 1405377 Emlyn Bartley JONES (156865).
 1535305 Reginald George SLATER (157024).
 1229771 Charles Alfred WARD (156858).

Ldg. Acm.
 30th Sept. 1943.
 1272833 Victor Harold Ernest COLE (156895).
 1113189 Henry John CONNELL (156896).
 1454166 Albert Henry DAWTON (156884).
 1535243 Ivor EVANS (156882).
 1511621 George Austen HENDERSON (156869).
 1288052 Robert Charles Grant HOLLIS (157032).
 1468165 Cyril Horace Terence JOHNSON (156864).
 1199367 Gordon Nicholas LITTLEWOOD (156852).
 1512981 Lawrence Coulthard LOVEDAY (156853).
 1415610 George Edward MARSHALL (156848).
 1074493 John Wilfrid SEGGIE (157026).
 1344253 Robert Kirkland SHIELDS (157023).

Acm. 1st Cl.
 30th Sept. 1943.
 1647771 Derick Victor BINGE (156902).
 1517312 Robert Kermodie CAIN (156889).

As Actg. Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
 William Charles Hosken (146863). 20th Oct. 1943.

Sgt.
 949225 Harold Arthur FREEMAN (156493). 23rd Sept. 1943.

Acm. 2nd Cl.
 30th Sept. 1943.
 1777653 Thomas William AYNLEY (156520).
 1738714 David Ronald BAILEY (156794).
 1717948 Keith Tudor BOYD (156792).
 1723284 James Charles Ezekiel BUTTON (156793).
 1717950 John Albert CHITTY (156796).
 1782245 Alan COATES (156797).
 1727371 Geoffrey William DOLPHIN (156800).
 1768409 Hugh Geoffrey DUNCAN (156801).
 1720363 Arthur William ENGLISH (156802).
 1710530 John EWELS (156803).
 1713941 Derek GOODMAN (156805).
 1785513 Douglas Corbett HADDOW (156806).
 1217908 Harold William HARRIS (157038).
 1715147 George William HART (156809).
 1702208 John HUTCHINS (156808).
 1736099 Frederick Joseph HYDE (156807).
 1705364 Peter William Meredith JOHN (156810).

- 1750866 George Alan KENT (156812).
 1724479 Kevin William KEOHANE (156811).
 1785071 James Neilson LEIPER (156814).
 1725836 Ronald Norman LORD (156815).
 1750865 William Arthur MALLINSON (156816).
 1726372 William Bennison POWELL (156818).
 1737719 John RODGERS (156819).
 1768408 Geoffrey Thomas SMAILES (156821).
 1701448 Michael Edgar Coleridge STEDHAM (156823).
 1711973 John William STONE (156822).
 1737718 Peter Garnett WRIGHT (156824).
- Commission resigned.*
 Flg. Off. J. UPHILL (77006). 31st Oct. 1943.
- BALLOON BRANCH.**
Transfer between branches.
 Flg. Off. G. H. M. NICHOLS (68848) to the Ad-
 min. and Spec. Duties Br. 19th Aug. 1943.
- ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES
 BRANCH.**
Appointment to commission.
As Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
 John CONNOR (69274). 13th Oct. 1943.
- Wt. Offs.*
 350286 Henry Charles MATTHEWS (156237). 16th
 Sept. 1943.
 79370 William Henry LAWSON (156857). 30th
 Sept. 1943.
- Sgts*
 30th Sept. 1943.
 370379 James MCFADYEN (156839).
 965107 Robert Richardson WHITE (157017).
 842272 William Westfield WHITE (157018).
- Cpls.*
 1459564 Thomas William THOMPSON (146858).
 17th July 1943.
 862707 Howard George PHELPS (156837). 30th
 Sept. 1943.
- Ldg. Acn.*
 1634338 Robert Eric Heathcote FIELDWICK
 (156879). 30th Sept. 1943.
- Acn. 1st Cl.*
 1865109 George Arthur NICHOLLS (156838). 30th
 Sept. 1943.
- As Actg. Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—*
 Geoffrey Stephen Ambrose OGDEN (155623). 13th
 Oct. 1943.
- Wt. Off.*
 352554 Thomas George James TRIBE (156050).
 15th Sept. 1943.
- Flt. Sgts.*
 940826 Ernest Edward Harwin KIRBY (156863).
 30th Sept. 1943.
 961550 John Frank KINDRED (156547). 5th Oct.
 1943.
- Sgts.*
 741310 Raymond Herbert LOVETT, D.F.M.
 (156488). 23rd Sept. 1943.
- 30th Sept. 1943.*
 996630 Kenneth BARNES (156898).
 1285584 Harold Blatchford CHAPMAN (156890).
 1382086 James Archibald CROMARTY (156891).
 964267 Ernest James DETHERIDGE (156887).
 1157798 William Arthur GRIERSON (157036).
 1820728 Andrew Leslie HAY (156876).
 1125023 Bernard Davies HICKS (156875).
 873000 John Taylor LORIMER (156855).
 1360759 Adrian John Stuart McMILLAN (156845).
 1012009 Harry MITCHELL (156841).
 1160879 Victor Leslie MORGAN (156843).
 913012 Laurence John ODERBOLZ (156836).
- Cpls.*
 1416036 Eric Trevor Medland THOMAS (156228).
 16th Sept. 1943.
- 30th Sept. 1943.*
 1375653 Ronald Frederick BAYMAN (156900).
 1121979 Colin CUTLER (156892).
 929400 Glyndwr DAVIES (156888).
 1133895 Clifford DEWHURST (156885).
 1020348 Cyril Cowgill MASON (156840).
 1079753 Charles Benjamin MULVEY (156847).
 1144842 Royden Wallace SEED (157027).
 902575 Donald Paul SHARP (157037).
 1197918 Thomas Ronald TRENERRY (157022).
 1557618 Robert Walker WEBSTER (157014).
 1109100 John WEATLEY (157011).
- Actg. Cpl.*
 1662007 Raymond Cyril PUGH (156832). 30th
 Sept. 1943.
- Ldg. Acn.*
 1668808 David William TURNER (156229). 16th
 Sept. 1943.
 1783094 Keith Berkeley CROSBY (156530). 23rd
 Sept. 1943.
- 30th Sept. 1943.*
 1191584 William Stanley ADAMS (156906).
 1073108 John Howard ANDERSON (156783).
 1522262 Thomas Eric ATKINSON (156905).
 1624969 Norman Owen BROAD (156899).
 1066142 John Morton DURRANT (156886).
 1642920 Douglas Butler GRIFFIN (156878).
 1144320 Frank Noel HARMSHAW (156870).
 1508195 Arnold HILTON (156872).
 1060208 James Templeton Deans McNICOL
 (156844).
 1106376 Kenneth Stanley MALLETT (156846).
 2213476 Louis ROSE (157030).
 1662908 Jack ROSS (157034).
 1256729 Donovan James SMALLEY (157028).
 1571347 Allan TURNBULL (157021).
 1625051 Raymond Arthur WALLER (157010).
- Acn. 1st Cl.*
 30th Sept. 1943.
 1467830 Reginald Edward ELLERY (156880).
 1784015 John Joseph HOUSBY (156873).
 843614 Stuart Tennant LYLE (156856).
 1674210 Thomas Arfon ROBERTS (157033).
 1699010 Ernest Fleetwood Street TRAVIS
 (157020).
 1694483 John WHYTE (156859).
 1683034 William Orr WILSON (157012).
 1625861 John William WILTSHIRE (157015).
 1378403 Arthur Leslie WRIGHT (157013).
 1617829 William Arthur WRIGHT (157016).
- Acn. 2nd Cl.*
 1625599 Alfred STORER (156226). 16th Sept.
 1943.
- 30th Sept. 1943.*
 1717949 Robert ANDERSON (156790).
 1880858 Healey Norman Niles Becket BALLANS
 (156795).
 1679760 James BLEAKLEY (156901).
 1635470 John Herbert EVENDEN (156881).
 1691872 James GUTHRIE (157035).
 1650703 Edward Victor HATFULL (156871).
 1655242 Claude Adrian ESCOTT LEWIS (156854).
 1877083 William Archibald MACLURG (156850).
 1310619 Francis John PEARSON (156835).
 1623969 John Henry PRICE (156834).
 1880906 George Chychele WATERSTON (156986).
- As hon. Wg. Cdrs.:—*
 17th Sept. 1943.
 Eric Leslie BRD.
 Frank YATES.
- As hon. Sqn. Ldrs.:—*
 17th Sept. 1943.
 Clifford Walter EMMENS.
 Peter Leslie KROHN.
- As hon. Flt. Lts.:—*
 17th Sept. 1943.
 Eric Edward AMOS.
 Arthur Reginald BELCHER.
 George Arthur CASSELLS.
 William Ernest DELLER.
 Geoffrey HARTLEY.
 James Bentley HAWKER.
 John Hylton MADGE.
 Frederick William NEWSON.
 Harry REEDMAN.
 Stanley RIPLEY.
 Reginald Frederick STRAWSON.
- Transfer between branches.*
 Flg. Off. W. E. ADAMS (68294) to the Gen.
 Duties Br. as Plt. Off. (at own request). 3rd Sept.
 1943.
 Flt. Lt. A. H. BROWN (76256) to the Balloon
 Br. 11th Nov. 1943.
 Plt. Off. Duncan DAVIDSON (156471) to the
 Accountant Br. with effect from and seny. of 1st
 Apr. 1942.
 Flt. Lt. J. E. ALLEN-JONES (81434) to the Legal
 Br. with effect from and seny. of 24th July 1943.
 Wg. Cdr. J. H. HARRIS (74827) to the R.A.F.
 Regt. 1st Dec. 1942.
- Commission relinquished.*
*Plt. Offs. (prob.) (on appt. to the R.A.A.F.). 30th
 June 1941 (Promotions promulgated in the
 R.A.F.V.R. subsequent to that date are hereby
 cancelled):—*
 Walter Leonard CROSSING (117050).
 John Archer Proctor KAINES (117092).

Alan McLeod WARD (117119).
Arthur Herbert WARD (117118).
Herbert Harman WILSON (117123).

Flg. Off. A. G. WALLER (88991) (on account of ill-health) retaining the rank of Flt. Lt. 8th Nov. 1943.

Plt. Off. J. R. GIBBS (110364) (on account of ill-health) retaining the rank of Flg. Off. 4th July 1943.

Plt. Off. L. J. Thomas (139056) (on account of ill-health) retaining his rank. 4th Nov. 1943.

The undermtd. (on cessation of duty):—

Hon. Flt. Lts.:—

W. H. RANN. 11th Sept. 1943.
D. E. DAVIES. 1st Oct. 1943.

Hon. Flg. Offs.:—

W. V. HOBSON. 20th Aug. 1943.
W. R. LUND. 22nd Aug. 1943.
A. TROMANS. 18th Oct. 1943.

Commission resigned.

Flg. Offs. retaining the rank of Flt. Lt.:—

J. O. M. MACKAY (101178). 10th Nov. 1943.
H. D. VAUGHAN (82304). 16th Nov. 1943.
Flg. Off. (temp. Flt. Lt.) A. B. LUCY (79273) retaining the rank of Flt. Lt. 4th Nov. 1943.

Dismissal by sentence of General Court-Martial.

Flt. Lt. G. P. TAYLOR (77013). 24th July 1943.

METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flt. Lts. (emergency):—

Kelvin Vercoe NICHOLLS (140842). 1st Apr. 1943.
Kenneth LOVELL (132218). 13th Apr. 1943.
Norman Mitchell WILSON (132226). 4th May 1943.

James ROBINSON (132223). 8th May 1943.

As Flg. Offs. (emergency). 1st Oct. 1943:—

James Robert ADGIE (157598).
Albert Norman LOWE (157602).
Kenneth Edwin WAITE (157606).
Victor Douglas Eustace WEBB (157605).

As Plt. Offs. (emergency). 1st Oct. 1943:—

James ANDERSON (157584).
William BURNSIDE (157587).
Ian Paterson MACINTOSH (157583).
Robert Hopcs MURDOCH (157614).
John Douglas PENMAN (157588).
William SHANNON (157611).

TRAINING BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Plt. Off. M. C. H. LAMPLOUGH (114521) (on appt. to the R.N.V.R.). 15th Sept. 1943.

Plt. Off. C. DAIN (62545) (on appt. to the Army). 1st Oct. 1943.

Actg. Plt. Off. B. P. K. WATTS (156055) (on appt. to the Chaplains Branch). 30th Sept. 1943.

Plt. Off. J. CONNOR (69274) (on appt. to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br.). 13th Oct. 1943.

Plt. Offs. (on enlistment into the R.A.F.):—

L. WATSON (65928). 27th Aug. 1943.
P. MAHON (66836). 26th Oct. 1943.
B. W. W. SAMPSON (114844). 1st Nov. 1943.

Commission resigned.

Plt. Offs.:—

2nd Nov. 1943.
W. CLARKSON (128796).
W. HUXLEY (106710).
3rd Nov. 1943.
W. J. HOULTON (102011).
A. W. SAVIDGE (106729).

4th Nov. 1943.
R. BERNARD (122692).
E. J. SULLIVAN (65220).
C. J. THOMPSON (69689).

M. BRAHAM (66354). 5th Nov. 1943.

8th Nov. 1943.

C. J. CRAFT (122637).
R. W. FENTON (65210).
J. W. HOLMES (62182).
H. W. R. LUBBOCK (114528).
R. A. SHEPHERD (102931).
E. M. THOMAS (118861).
S. P. T. WELLS (69287).
D. S. WOODWARD (114561).

Actg. Plt. Offs.:—

A. G. HAWKINS (128323). 6th Nov. 1943.
8th Nov. 1943.
J. G. LOMAN (136294).
F. G. YORKE (132437).

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

Transfer between Branches.

Cancellation of Notification.

3rd Nov. 1942 (p. 4758, col. 1) concerning Plt. Off. W. L. HARBUIT (117082).

12th Jan. 1943 (p. 281, col. 1) concerning Flg. Off. W. O. JENNINGS (117091).

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flt. Lts. (emergency):—

21st Oct. 1943.

Michael Hedley HARMER, M.B., B.Ch., F.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (157290).

Ivor Elwyn Joseph THOMAS, M.D., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.O.G. (157288).

As Flg. Offs. (emergency):—

21st Oct. 1943.

Raymond DALEY, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.P., M.R.C.S. (157291).

Henry Arthur Hamilton SUMMERS, M.B., B.Ch. (157289).

Leslie TURGILL, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (157647).

Evan William Meurjg WILLIAMS, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (157287).

Commission relinquished.

Flt. Lt. R. ODDIE, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (83683) (on account of ill-health) retaining the rank of Wg. Cdr. 5th Nov. 1943.

Flt. Lt. P. G. McE. G. JONES, L.R.C.P. & S., L.R.F.P.S. (106448) (on account of ill-health). 8th Nov. 1943.

Commission resigned.

Flt. Lt. (temp. Sqn. Ldr.) K. W. BRUCE, L.M.S.S.A. (72109) retaining the rank of Sqn. Ldr. 21st Nov. 1943.

DENTAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flg. Offs. (emergency):—

21st Oct. 1943.

John Cecil COX, L.D.S. (157156).

James Neville DRAKE, L.D.S. (157157).

William George SOMERVILLE-WOODIWI, L.D.S. (157158).

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

The Rev. Stanley William PATTISON, B.A., B.D. (155537). 22nd Sept. 1943.

28th Sept. 1943.

The Rev. Charles Ralph ELLIOT (155182).

The Rev. William Arthur PARTRIDGE (155624).

The Rev. Bertram Philip Knight, WATTS (156055). 30th Sept. 1943.

The Rev. Archibald Wylie McCANDLESS (156468). 12th Oct. 1943.

The Rev. William Andrew Livingstone HUTCHISON (156467). 15th Oct. 1943.

The Rev. Gerald Anton Hayward RAINBOW, B.A. (155175). 18th Oct. 1943.

The Rev. William Graham REEVES (156676). 19th Oct. 1943.

The Rev. Edward John Barnes PIKE (156054). 22nd Oct. 1943.

Commission resigned.

The Rev. E. CARDIS (106489). 6th Nov. 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Plt. Off. (since promoted) E. R. RILEY (123663) to the Balloon Br. from 7th Dec. 1942, to 3rd Aug. 1943, incl., and to Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 4th Aug. 1943.

Flg. Off. W. S. HOWE (85748) to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 6th Nov. 1943.

Commission relinquished.

Flt. Lt. F. W. SMITH (119957) (on appt. to the R.N.V.R.). 15th Aug. 1943

Flg. Off. E. W. S. BARDSLEY (85887) (on account of ill-health) retaining the rank of Flt. Lt. 3rd Nov. 1943.

Flg. Off. R. G. D. JONES (106058) (on account of ill-health) retaining his rank. 8th Nov. 1943.

Commission resigned.

Flt. Lt. H. W. ADSHEAD, M.C. (87242), retaining the rank of Sqn. Ldr. 9th Nov. 1943.

Flt. Lt. H. G. KNIGHT (81986) retaining his rank. 6th Nov. 1943.

AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

BALLOON BRANCH.

Transfer between Branches.

Sqn. Ldrs. to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br.:—

G. H. S. EDGAR (90671). 29th July 1943.

R. W. HOLLOWAY (90806). 9th Sept. 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Sqn. Ldr. G. N. S. CLEAVER, D.F.C. (90135) (on account of ill-health), retaining his rank. 9th Nov. 1943.

WOMEN'S FORCES.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE RESERVE.

Commission relinquished.

Sister E. A. BURRELL (5512) (on account of ill-health). 9th Nov. 1943.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

Commission relinquished.

The undermd. (on account of ill-health):—

Sec. Off. C. R. McDONALD (2556). 20th Nov. 1943.

Asst. Sec. Off. (prob.) A. M. LEONARD (6708). 29th Oct. 1943.

Commission resigned.

Sec. Offs.:—

D. E. S. BOLDERO (5682). 26th Oct. 1943.

B. D. K. COWAN (4468). 5th Nov. 1943.

L. M. THOMPSON (6077). 10th Nov. 1943.

J. HOWARTH (3582). 16th Nov. 1943.

Sec. Off. (prob.) J. M. HUTLEY (4546). 7th Nov. 1943.

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