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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 Wing Commander Guy Kempton LAWRENCE, D.F.C. (70387), Reserve of Air Force Officers, No. 78 Squadron.

Since being awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, this officer has completed many sorties, including attacks on such targets as Berlin, Hanover, Kassel and Milan. Wing Commander Lawrence has invariably pressed home his attacks with great determination and his fearless example has inspired all. In addition, Wing Commander Lawrence has devoted much energy to the training of other air crews and the successes achieved are an excellent tribute to his great skill and untiring efforts.

Acting Squadron Leader John Milne CHECKETTS, D.F.C. (N.Z.403602), Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 485 (N.Z.) Squadron.

In air operations this officer has displayed courage, fortitude and skill of a high order. He has taken part in a very large number of sorties and has proved his skill in many combats, having destroyed at least 11 enemy aircraft; he has also caused the destruction of 2 E. boats. By his exceptional keenness and fine fighting spirit, Squadron Leader Checketts has proved a source of inspiration to all.

Flight Lieutenant Edward KINSELLA (50190), Royal Air Force, No. 88 Squadron.

This officer has completed a very large number of sorties and has displayed skill and courage of a high order. In spite of several trying experiences, his keenness for operations remains unabated and his unconquerable spirit of determination and unswerving devotion to duty have set an example which has inspired all.

Distinguished Service Order.

Flight Lieutenant Eric Arthur BLAND (100540), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 86 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Flying Officer Brian Brindal BURRIDGE (143213), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 86 Squadron.

Flight Lieutenant Bland and Flying Officer Burridge were pilot and navigator respectively of an aircraft which attacked a U-boat. In the face of fierce anti-aircraft fire, Flight Lieutenant Bland pressed home his attack, passing over the submarine at a height of 60 feet. The aircraft was extensively damaged, however, but Flight Lieutenant Bland, displaying great resolution,

executed another attack. Soon afterwards, he was compelled to bring his badly damaged aircraft down on to the sea. Flight Lieutenant Bland and Flying Officer Burridge who, throughout the fight had co-operated splendidly with his pilot, displayed courage and determination of a high order.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Acting Wing Commander John Frank SUTTON, A.F.C. (37835), Reserve of Air Force Officers, No. 10 Squadron.

Wing Commander Sutton has completed many sorties against important targets in Germany. He has displayed great skill throughout and his determination to press home his attacks, often in the face of heavy opposition, has been notable. Wing Commander Sutton is an inspiring leader, whose personal example has contributed materially to the high standard of efficiency of the squadron he commands.

Acting Wing Commander Alan Gatenby WILSON (70831), Reserve of Air Force Officers, No. 487 (N.Z.) Squadron.

One day in October, 1943, this officer led a formation of bombers in an attack on a target in Northern France. When crossing the enemy coast, heavy anti-aircraft fire was encountered. Wing Commander Wilson's aircraft was repeatedly hit and sustained much damage. The navigator was mortally wounded and his parachute and equipment were set on fire. Wing Commander Wilson, unable to obtain the fire extinguisher, promptly smothered the flames with his hands and threw the smouldering equipment overboard. He afterwards flew the damaged bomber home to an airfield where he effected a successful crash-landing. This officer displayed great courage, skill and determination in the face of very trying circumstances.

Acting Squadron Leader William Hudson MAGUIRE (62249), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 85 Squadron.

This officer has undertaken many sorties at night and has shot down 4 enemy aircraft. He has displayed great skill and determination and his efforts have been most commendable.

Flight Lieutenant John Reginald Daniel DENNEHEY (102538), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 164 Squadron.

Flight Lieutenant Dennehey has participated in a large number of sorties and has invariably displayed commendable courage and determination. His keenness has always been apparent and has set an excellent example. In September, 1943, Flight Lieutenant Dennehey flew with great credit in an attack on lock installations in Holland. Although his aircraft was hit by anti-aircraft fire this determined pilot pressed home his attack from a low level.

Acting Flight Lieutenant George ELCOMBE (80274), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 66 Squadron.

This officer is a determined, keen and resolute fighter, whose example has been inspiring. Flight Lieutenant Elcombe has taken part in very many sorties and has led his flight with great skill. In combat he has shot down 3 enemy aircraft.

Flying Officer George Henry WARD (143219), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 158 Squadron.

This officer has completed very many sorties against important and well defended targets. He has displayed exceptional keenness and his skilful efforts have been reflected in the successes obtained. Flying Officer Ward has rendered valuable service.

Flying Officer Arthur Raymond Blair BELLIS (Can/J.11564), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 422 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

Warrant Officer William Franklin BEALS (Can/R.101280), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 422 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

Flying Officer Bellis and Warrant Officer Beals were members of the crew of an aircraft which successfully fought and destroyed a U-boat. In the attack which was executed in the face of intense anti-aircraft fire from the submarine, Flying Officer Bellis and Warrant Officer Beals displayed courage, skill and resolution beyond praise.

Pilot Officer Thomas James BISHOP (155011), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 51 Squadron.

Pilot Officer Bishop has participated in a large number of sorties and has displayed great skill and determination, qualities which have on more than one occasion enabled him to achieve success in the face of difficult circumstances. He is a most efficient captain, whose example has inspired all.

Warrant Officer William COOK (967655), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 164 Squadron.

Warrant Officer Cook is a keen and resolute pilot, whose untiring efforts and unfailing devotion to duty have set a very fine example. Warrant Officer Cook has taken part in a very large number of sorties, including an attack on lock gates in Holland when his excellent work contributed materially to the success achieved.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Jack Hewson TROBE (Aus.416468), Royal Australian Air Force, No. 10 Squadron.

Conspicuous Gallantry Medal (Flying).

1127605 Sergeant Thomas Ernest BISBY, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 10 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

Aus.413637 Flight Sergeant William MOWATT, Royal Australian Air Force, No. 10 Squadron.

1119242 Sergeant Robert Clough BRIDGE, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 10 Squadron.

One night in November, 1943, Flight Sergeant Mowatt and Sergeants Bisby and Bridge were mid-upper gunner, wireless operator and flight engineer respectively in an aircraft piloted by Flight Lieutenant Trobe and detailed to attack Dusseldorf. During the operation the aircraft was subjected to a series of attacks by 4 fighters. In the actions the bomber was repeatedly hit. The rear turret, the hydraulic gear, the inter-communication system, the wireless apparatus and other important equipment were rendered unserviceable. Flight Sergeant Mowatt and Sergeants Bisby and Bridge were wounded. In spite of this, Flight Lieutenant Trobe succeeded in flying clear. Two of the bomber's engines had failed but Sergeant Bridge succeeded in re-starting one of them. He afterwards extinguished a fire which had started near one of the turrets and later assisted Flight Sergeant Mowatt to quell another fire which had commenced in the fuselage. Meanwhile, Sergeant Bisby, although in considerable pain, had remained at his post throughout the encounters, and worked unremittingly to effect a temporary repair to his wireless apparatus. He succeeded in obtaining a fix which proved of material help in enabling his pilot to set course for home. Later on, his wireless apparatus again failed but, although on the point of collapse Sergeant Bisby continued his task of repairing it. By a superb effort, Flight Lieutenant Trobe succeeded in reaching base and, in difficult circumstances, effected a masterly landing. In the face of a perilous situation this officer displayed outstanding skill and courage and his valiant efforts were well supported by his comrades, whose courage, fortitude and devotion to duty were of a high order.

Conspicuous Gallantry Medal (Flying).

1411327 Sergeant James William NORRIS, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 61 Squadron.

This airman was the flight engineer of an aircraft detailed to attack Dusseldorf. Soon after crossing the enemy coast, the aircraft was attacked by a fighter and sustained damage. A few minutes later another fighter attacked. The bomber was struck by a hail of bullets. The windscreen was broken, the wireless apparatus and other important equipment were destroyed and the oxygen system was rendered useless. The pilot, the wireless operator and the flight engineer were wounded and the navigator was killed. The aircraft became difficult to control but, despite this, the pilot continued to the target, being greatly assisted by Sergeant Norris, whose strenuous efforts were invaluable. Shortly after the target had been successfully attacked, the pilot collapsed owing to his wounds. Sergeant Norris took over the controls and, at times aided by another member of the crew succeeded in flying the damaged bomber to this country. When an airfield was sighted, Sergeant Norris and his comrade succeeded in rallying the semi-conscious pilot sufficiently to take-over and land the aircraft safely. Not until then, did Sergeant Norris disclose that he had been wounded in the arm. In circumstances fraught with great danger, this airman displayed courage, fortitude and determination of the highest order.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

630623 Sergeant William Richard DOHERTY, Royal Air Force, No. 102 Squadron.

One night in November, 1943, this airman was the flight engineer of an aircraft detailed to attack Dusseldorf. Whilst over the target, the bomber was hit. A violent explosion occurred inside the aircraft and part of the fuselage caught fire. Despite the intense heat, the heavy fumes and the lack of oxygen, Sergeant Doherty battled for 20 minutes to subdue the fire which was eventually extinguished. By his heroic efforts, this gallant engineer contributed in a large measure to the safe return of the aircraft.

1622376 Sergeant John Thomas Webster Green NORRIS, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 158 Squadron.

One night in November, 1943, this airman was the rear gunner of an aircraft detailed to attack Dusseldorf. Whilst over the target area, Sergeant Norris saw a fighter coming in to attack from the rear. He gave his captain the necessary combat manoeuvre and then opened fire. The enemy aircraft burst into flames and fell to the ground where it exploded. Almost immediately afterwards, another fighter attacked. Sergeant Norris and the mid-upper gunner met it with devastating fire, causing it to break away. A final burst of fire from Sergeant Norris's guns completed the destruction of the attacker. This skilful and determined gunner has destroyed 2 and assisted in the destruction of 2 more enemy aircraft.

Air Ministry, 3rd December, 1943.

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

CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Legion of Merit (Commander).

Wing Commander Guy Penrose GIBSON, V.C., D.S.O., D.F.C. (39438), Reserve of Air Force Officers.

Silver Star.

Air Commodore Alfred Charles Henry SHARP, Royal Air Force.

Air Ministry, 3rd December, 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Promotion.

'The underlined are granted the rank of Air Cdre. (war subs.):—

Air Cdre. (temp.) A. P. M. SANDERS, C.B.E. 21st Oct. 1943.

Gp. Capt. F. F. INGLIS. 19th Oct. 1943.

Gp. Capts. (temp.) granted the rank of Gp. Capt. (war subs.):—

N. L. DESOER. 8th Oct. 1943.
C. S. CADELL. 17th Oct. 1943.
27th Oct. 1943.
H. V. SATTERLEY, D.F.C.
W. A. D. BROOK.

The undermtd are granted the rank of Wg. Cdr. (war subs.):—

Gp. Capt. (temp.) G. K. HORNER, A.F.C. 24th Nov. 1943.

Wg. Cdrs. (temp.):—

R. H. YOUNG, D.S.O., A.F.C. (32214). 12th Oct. 1943.

N. W. D. MARWOOD-ELTON, D.F.C. (34006). 14th Oct. 1943.

L. H. ANDERSON (29030) 17th Oct. 1943.
J. M. WARFIELD (29220). 19th Oct. 1943.

20th Oct. 1943.
N. C. ODBERT (24213).
A. C. P. CARVER (33050).

E. L. COLBEK-WELCH, D.F.C. (34081).
J. B. BLACK, D.F.C. (34140). 22nd Oct. 1943.
J. F. H. DU BOULAY, D.F.C. (33025). 26th Oct. 1943.

28th Oct. 1943.
R. A. C. CARTER, D.S.O., D.F.C. (26257).
A. V. SAWYER, D.F.C. (33096).

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

Sqn. Ldr. (temp.) M. H. de L. EVEREST (34192). 1st Apr. 1943.

Flt. Lts.:—
F. R. CAREY, D.F.C., D.F.M. (43132). 6th May 1942.

G. A. WATT, D.F.C. (43933). 10th Aug. 1943.
9th Nov. 1943.

E. F. J. CHARLES, D.F.C. (36198).
R. D. YULE, D.F.C. (33502).

Flt. Offs. to be Flt. Lts. (war subs.):—
H. W. GOULE (46342). 19th July 1943.

R. L. PERRY (46403). 9th Aug. 1943.
K. Langley (48006). 13th Nov. 1943.

24th Nov. 1943.
F. G. ADAMSON (2nd Lt. R. North'd Fus.) (47294).

G. ATKINSON, D.F.M. (47413).
A. T. EDMUNDSON, M.C. (Lt. W. York R.) (47297).

E. F. GARLAND, M.C. (Lt. Y. & L.R.) (47293).
N. F. MCLEOD (48695).

P. R. PUMFREY (Lt. R.A.S.C.) (47290).
P. R. SHURLOCK (2nd Lt. R.A.) (47292).

C. J. TUDOR, D.F.M. (47319).
H. C. L. WEATHERLEY (Lt. R.A.S.C.) (47289).

25th Nov. 1943.
R. E. HUNTER, D.F.M. (47378).
D. A. SEWELL (47397).

26th Nov. 1943.
E. FISHER (47311).
J. N. FRANCIS (47316).

W. H. HEWLETT (47648).
A. E. JONES (47423).
P. F. SEWELL (47422).

27th Nov. 1943.
G. H. COOPER, D.F.M. (47315).
F. E. DONNER (48315).

J. F. L. MORTON (47436).
E. BATEMAN (47314). 28th Nov. 1943.

29th Nov. 1943.
D. S. C. BRIERLY (Lt. (temp. Capt.) R.A.) (47460).

E. L. CURTIS (47472).
K. F. EAST, D.F.M. (47896).

R. V. GARTON (Lt. R.A.) (47447).
R. C. T. GOODWIN (Lt. (temp. Capt.) Worcester R.) (47456).

J. E. HALLAS (Lt. D.W.R.) (47489).
B. T. HOLMES (Lt. D.W.R.) (47449).

I. H. HORNE (Lt. R.A.) (47455).
J. F. HOWARD (Lt. R.A.) (47490).

R. H. IRELAND (2nd Lt. I.C.G.L.) (47491).
H. F. C. JOY (Lt. R.A.) (47443).

R. E. KNIGHT (2nd Lt. Lincoln R.) (47461).
D. T. LEES (48112).

D. M. LEITH-HAY-CLARK (Lt. Lincoln R.) (47492).
J. F. OVERTON (Lt. R.A.) (47571).

J. W. PATERSON (47310).

D. F. PERRENS (Lt. (temp. Capt.) Suffolk R.) (47493).

H. G. E. PRICE (47477).

R. I. REID (Lt. R.A.O.C.) (47495).

M. G. RIDLEY-MARTIN (47442).

J. N. ROBERTS (47478).

R. D. SHERET (Lt. Middx. R.) (47454).

C. A. B. SLACK (Lt. Y. & L.R.) (47457).

J. STENTON (47513).

D. STOTHARD (47480).

W. A. L. SWAN (Lt. R.E.T.A.) (47497).

G. T. THOMAS (Lt. Middx. R.) (47498).

E. TYRER (47504).

G. C. L. WATT (2nd Lt. Gordons) (47448).

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

M. E. PRICE (52655). 3rd Sept. 1943.

E. T. D. PIERCEY (52318). 24th Sept. 1943.

E. St. J. B. O'CALLAGHAN (52653). 6th Oct. 1943.

H. P. WOODWARD (52719). 7th Oct. 1943.

H. E. KNEALE (52291). 15th Oct. 1943.

W. G. F. FILBY (55086). 23rd Oct. 1943.

G. R. WHEELDON (52651). 5th Nov. 1943.

L. H. COWLEY (52702). 18th Nov. 1943.

F. A. SAUNDERS (52652). 20th Nov. 1943.

27th Nov. 1943.

L. P. CARTER, D.S.M. (52545).

H. COATES (52288).

D. C. MARTIN (52312).

L. W. OVERTON, D.F.C. (52569).

H. VERTICAN, D.F.C. (52435). 28th Nov. 1943.

W. C. BAIRD (55045).

B. W. DRAKE (56096).

K. G. J. GRATTON (55215).

J. PHILLIPSON (55097).

S. C. WATSON (55095).

J. MORTON (52501). 29th Nov. 1943.

H. PERRY, D.F.M. (52593). 1st Dec. 1943.

W. G. WILLIAMS, D.F.C. (52431). 2nd Dec. 1943.

W. W. LEE (52402). 3rd Dec. 1943.

Plt. Off. (prob.) to be Flt. Off. on prob.: (war subs.):—

D. H. OVER (52177). 20th Sept. 1943.

(Subs. for notifn. of 15th Oct. 1943 (p. 4563, col. 1).)

Plt. Offs. (prob.) granted the rank of Flt. Off. on prob.: (war subs.):—

J. J. DEVAN (51723). 1st Oct. 1943.

K. STEVENS (52120). 10th Oct. 1943.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Air Vice-Mshl. (temp.) granted the rank of Air Cdre. (war subs.):—

R. S. AIKIN, C.B.E., M.C., A.F.C. 24th Oct. 1943.

The undermtd. are granted the rank of Wg. Cdr. (war subs.):—

Gp. Capt. (temp.) W. G. H. EWING, O.B.E. 23rd Oct. 1943.

Wg. Cdrs. (temp.):—

A. C. WATSON (27240). 1st Oct. 1943.

R. J. CARVELL (22238). 5th Oct. 1943.

D. SAWARD, O.B.E. (33124). 8th Oct. 1943.

A. H. W. J. COCKS (16149). 28th Oct. 1943.

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

C. E. LANGSTON, M.B.E. (43593). 21st Oct. 1943.

Flt. Lt. to be Sqn. Ldr. (temp.):—

G. ADAMS (44084). 5th Nov. 1943. (Seny. 1st June 1942.)

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

Sqn. Ldr. (temp.) H. E. PEARSE (43504). 7th July 1943.

Flt. Lt. (temp.) L. MORGAN (44893). 9th Sept. 1943.

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

J. M. HARRISON (49405). 11th May 1943. (Seny. 15th Jan. 1943.)

R. C. FLANAGAN (49396). 11th Aug. 1943.

27th Nov. 1943.

N. H. BARSBY (51918).

H. HIRST (51917).

R. HOWES (51916).

W. A. JAMES (51868).
K. P. JARMAN (51925).
E. J. SCOTT (51926).
C. W. TAGGERSELL (51921).
G. U. VERO (51606).
D. J. VANSTONE (51818). 1st Dec. 1943.

Regrading.

Actg. Plt. Off. (*prob.*) to be Plt. Off. (*prob.*):—
A. WILSON (51419). 29th July 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Flt. Lt. (*temp.*) granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (*war subs.*):—

T. K. FITT (44294). 1st July 1943.

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

27th Nov. 1943.

W. G. DICKER (51943).
H. P. WARMINGTON (51922).
A. I. POWELL (51904). 29th Nov. 1943.
A. J. MITCHELL (51754). 1st Dec. 1943.
J. M. GILLAN (51744). 2nd Dec. 1943.
3rd Dec. 1943.
W. G. HARDING (51993).
R. G. HILL (51367).
F. HOBSON (52001).
W. R. KITCHENER (51995).

Regrading.

Actg. Plt. Offs. (*prob.*) to be Plt. Offs. (*prob.*):—
7th Oct. 1943.

G. H. FORD (52677).
E. HAWKINS (52674).
A. SCOTT (52676).
C. J. WALTERS (52672).
S. A. PARMENTER (52731). 14th Oct. 1943.
W. B. MILLS (52774). 21st Oct. 1943.
11th Nov. 1943.
P. P. J. BUTLER (52939).
G. H. CAVARRA (52950).
R. R. MOULDER (52970).
18th Nov. 1943.
L. G. E. AMBLER (53075).
F. FOALE (53034).
E. P. HOPPER (53041).
W. G. L. JONES (53070).

Amendment.

In notfn. of 3rd Sept. 1943 (p. 3927, col. 1) concerning Plt. Off. R. C. KEMP (48612) for 6th Aug. 1942 read 6th Aug. 1943.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Gp. Capt. (*temp.*) granted the rank of Gp. Capt. (*war subs.*):—

E. L. RIDLEY. 19th Oct. 1943.

Wg. Cdr. (*temp.*) granted the rank of Wg. Cdr. (*war subs.*):—

E. G. M. CHARLESON (21010). 9th Oct. 1943.
O. D. ALLERTON (21084). 13th Oct. 1943.
R. B. FLEMING (21137). 19th Oct. 1943.
F. C. READ (21135). 25th Oct. 1943.

Flt. Lt. granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (*war subs.*):—

E. I. T. DUFFIELD (10086) (ret.). 14th Jan. 1943.

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

3rd Dec. 1943.

M. A. McCOURT (51363).
D. W. ROCKINGHAM (51364).
J. D. STAFFORD (51365).

Regrading.

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

R. C. KEMP (48612). 8th Dec. 1942.
A. JONES (52084). 18th Aug. 1943.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Sqn. Ldr. (*temp.*) granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (*war subs.*):—

J. G. WIGLEY (21204). 23rd Aug. 1943.
G. L. SEABROOK (21213). 22nd Sept. 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.**Promotion.**

Flt. Lt. (*temp.*) granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (*war subs.*):—

H. FRANKLIN (45163). 1st Aug. 1943.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.****Promotion.**

Wg. Cdr. (*temp.*) granted the rank of Wg. Cdr. (*war subs.*):—

H. I. DABINETT (29007). 6th Oct. 1943.
R. C. H. CROSTHWAITES (29006). 7th Oct. 1943.
E. L. ARDLEY (03121). 19th Oct. 1943.
W. S. P. SIMONDS, D.F.C. (32131). 30th Oct. 1943.

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

Sqn. Ldr. (*temp.*):—
R. BOWS (40363). 1st Sept. 1942.
S. G. STILLING, D.F.C. (39579). 1st Sept. 1943.
E. F. NIND, D.F.C. (39751). 28th Sept. 1943.
R. S. SIKES, A.F.C. (70622). 1st Oct. 1943.
R. J. TWAMLEY (29252). 3rd Oct. 1943.

Flt. Lts.:

N. J. MOWAT, D.S.O. (41725). 21st June 1943.
D. R. BAGNALL, D.S.O., D.F.C. (40790). 30th June 1943.
A. W. MILLSON (41861). 8th Aug. 1943.
C. F. GRAY, D.S.O., D.F.C. (41844). 1st Sept. 1943.
M. J. A. SHAW (40855). 11th Sept. 1943.
A. S. LINNEY, O.B.E. (41717). 4th Oct. 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Sqn. Ldr. (*temp.*) granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (*war subs.*):—

G. F. HALES (24188). 3rd Oct. 1943.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Flt. Lt. (*temp.*) granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (*war subs.*):—

J. P. CONWAY (31428). 20th Sept. 1943.

MEDICAL BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Sqn. Ldr. (*temp.*) granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (*war subs.*):—

P. A. O'CALLAGHAN, M.B., B.Ch. (23362). 26th Oct. 1943.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.****Promotion.**

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

Sqn. Ldr. (*temp.*):—

R. RENDLE (72209). 11th July 1943.
J. F. INKSTER (70339). 11th Oct. 1943.

Flt. Lts.:

R. A. V. GASCOYNE-CECIL, D.F.C. (74702). 4th Oct. 1943.

K. M. BASTIN, D.F.C. (75168). 6th Oct. 1943.

P. B. LUCAS, D.F.C. (100626). 10th Oct. 1943.

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

B. G. HADLAND, D.F.C. (105170). 14th Aug. 1943.

D. L. SEDGWICK (103558). 23rd Sept. 1943.

F. S. JACKSON (109354). 25th Sept. 1943.

A. N. QUAILE (108526). 11th Oct. 1943.

E. H. E. PERRY (110845). 22nd Oct. 1943.

A. R. BLACK (112427). 3rd Nov. 1943.

I. G. BROOM, D.F.C. (112392). 9th Nov. 1943.

F. W. HUMPHREYS (111945). 12th Nov. 1943.

21st Nov. 1943.

P. C. PROCTOR (112316).

H. J. TURNER (115614).

22nd Nov. 1943.

H. B. BISHOP (119832).

J. R. COLLINS, D.F.C. (124617).

24th Nov. 1943.

D. W. BEEDHAM (112396).

A. BREMBER (122362).

P. F. BROOKER (112531).

W. S. BROWN (119754).

H. B. CALDWELL (121274).

F. B. CHESTERTON (117879).

R. G. COOK (115159).

M. E. H. DAWSON (112407).

L. C. E. DE VIGNE (113859).

S. R. DIXON (113331).
 R. E. DOWDESWELL (118201).
 E. E. FREETH (122381).
 A. C. HENNESSY (112688).
 C. R. HILL (112518).
 J. L. INGHAM (134923).
 D. W. KELLY (112545).
 H. J. LUCK (118879).
 R. F. MONGER (119281).
 A. E. H. PARSONS, D.F.C. (113356).
 C. W. RENDELL (119262).
 M. J. SEALES (125709).
 R. G. R. TARLING (123924).
 S. L. THOULD (119819).
 L. C. WICKENS (123348).
 A. E. WIGNER (119825).
 P. J. WILLSON (119826).
 J. H. WOOLLEY (113357).

25th Nov. 1943.

J. O. CARPENTER (113856).
 H. A. COOPER (113925).
 J. C. COX (112516).
 E. W. CURTIS (112495).
 E. S. DICKS-SHERWOOD, D.F.C. (80256).
 G. T. ESPLEY (112538).
 A. L. FOORT (116805).
 A. H. GUNN, D.F.C. (80228).
 V. A. HESTER (112695).
 K. B. HOLLOWELL (113338).
 W. L. H. JOHNSTON (113857).
 J. T. MARSHALL (112422).
 P. S. NEWHOUSE (112423).
 R. L. T. ROBB (113877).
 P. C. W. SAGE, D.F.C. (113425).
 C. J. SAMOUELLE (113341).
 C. L. SMITH (116070).
 R. G. SMITH (112402).
 R. O. WHITEHEAD (118049).
 D. J. B. WILSON, D.F.C. (113429).

26th Nov. 1943.

A. E. ASHCROFT (112736).
 H. H. BERRY (113372).
 T. R. CARPENTER (113426).
 O. DAVIES (116590).
 J. N. EMERY (112391).
 R. J. GEE (113831).
 R. J. McNAIR, D.F.C. (112522).
 K. C. ROYLE (113828).
 J. E. TURNBULL (113827).
 J. C. WARDILL (112390).

27th Nov. 1943.

J. B. ANDERSON (120943).
 A. CHAMBERS, D.F.C. (113350).
 L. W. H. COE (120942).
 J. J. HALL (120944).
 A. R. JAYNE (113358).
 A. T. MARTENS (121946).
 P. G. SCOTCHMER (112550).
 P. F. STEIB (112549).

28th Nov. 1943.

A. L. BIRD (115099).
 K. L. CHARNEY, D.F.C. (112709).
 W. A. CUTHERBERT (115195).
 D. M. DIXON (114752).
 E. E. FENNING (116804).
 A. G. L. GUERNIER (132598).
 J. V. HERIZ-SMITH (115252).
 C. HOLLAND (115325).
 E. RAWLINSON (115438).
 D. B. STEWART (115529).

29th Nov. 1943.

C. J. C. BRADSHAW (113926).
 W. D. BURDITT (120244).
 W. A. CLARKE (112537).
 B. A. COLVIN (115322).
 S. G. CREASEY (120974).
 J. F. CUTHERBERT (120967).
 P. V. DAVIS (112412).
 R. P. ELLIS (113974).
 J. E. FARNESS (120953).
 P. H. GARRITY (127815).
 G. E. H. HARDING (123896).
 T. S. HEDLEY (128025).
 D. W. R. HILL (120122).
 A. C. L. HUTCHINSON (112419).
 R. A. JONES (114891).
 F. C. KIBBY (113427).
 H. L. LEWIS (122358).
 G. H. LIVINGSTONE (118045).
 I. M. MACNICOL (116738).
 H. F. MARRIOTT (128031).
 G. W. McC. NEILL (113334).

M. W. PHILIPS (117006).
 J. D. PHILLIPS (112535).
 L. POLLITT (124349).
 H. S. W. POWELL (126973).
 K. A. ROBERTS (112416).
 G. C. H. ROGERS (120594).
 R. M. SHARDLOW (120650).
 H. B. SHOWELL (114410).
 N. SIMMONS (112536).
 J. E. L. SMITH (113095).
 J. G. SPALTON (120649).
 C. F. STRUTT (129915).
 N. TAYLOR, D.F.M. (113834).
 J. H. TOMKINS-RUSSELL (114081).
 H. WIGLEY (120624).
 L. J. WILLCOCKS (129917).
 R. H. A. WILLIAMS (114437).

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

A. J. PUTNAM (115310). 17th Sept. 1943.
 C. A. J. SMITH, D.F.C. (111563). 5th Oct. 1943.
 K. R. P. PAINTER, D.F.C. (119247). 11th Oct. 1943.

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

R. BIRKETT (88517). 5th Sept. 1943.
 8th Nov. 1943.
 J. H. BRUCE (100706).
 H. W. HILL (73231).
 R. C. NURSE (103908).
 J. K. WRIGHT (103228).

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

J. F. POPE (148403). 20th Mar. 1943.
 W. C. M. COX (133777). 21st May 1943.

12th June 1943.

J. K. KEBBINGTON (134737).
 D. F. MACDONALD (134739).
 W. N. MEREDITH (134740).
 2nd July 1943.
 C. A. S. GIBSON (135907).
 T. OLIVER (135909).
 E. G. RENSHAW (135911).
 V. E. STUCHBERRY (148819). 15th July 1943.
 T. L. BIRRELL (141130). 18th July 1943.
 D. C. MASON (142193). 24th July 1943.
 J. B. HARDING (148705). 7th Aug. 1943.
 M. L. ORCHARD (147684). 12th Aug. 1943.
 R. T. WHITEHEAD (141289). 13th Aug. 1943.

19th Aug. 1943.

J. C. ATKINSON (147668).
 A. A. BELL (147665).
 A. E. BRYVETT (138896). 2nd Sept. 1943.
 E. GLOVER (147677). 5th Sept. 1943.

N. LEECE (147628). 5th Sept. 1943.
 12th Sept. 1943.

T. M. CLARK (141537).
 A. D. DICK (141539).
 F. R. LYDECKER (141541).
 C. R. BALDWIN (151576). 19th Sept. 1943.
 E. V. A. LINDEMON (150284). 26th Sept. 1943.
 T. H. STEELE (147686). 26th Sept. 1943.

27th Sept. 1943.

W. E. BARFOOT (148741).
 A. L. CUDDINGTON (148742).
 J. F. CUSWORTH (148746).
 E. HARVEY (148744).
 C. LUMBY (148740).
 C. MARTIN (148743).
 R. J. RAMSEY (148745).
 D. A. DOBBIE (144790). 28th Sept. 1943.
 S. L. GILDON (149062). 30th Sept. 1943.
 B. P. JEFFREY (151714). 2nd Oct. 1943.
 G. ARRAND (149704). 10th Oct. 1943.
 J. H. GRAY (148747). 17th Oct. 1943.
 J. QUINN (148704). 23rd Oct. 1943.
 L. C. BROWN (147136). 25th Oct. 1943.
 A. I. TWEEDIE (148402). 28th Oct. 1943.

30th Oct. 1943.

H. R. JONES (151974).
 K. RICK (152056).
 D. H. SMITHERS (152055).
 L. T. E. DORMER (148474). 3rd Nov. 1943.
 4th Nov. 1943.
 D. A. COLOMBO (143466).
 J. D. FOSTER (143467).
 8th Nov. 1943.
 R. J. FLIGHT (147206).
 L. W. HARDING (143293).
 E. JONES (148382).

11th Nov. 1943.
 J. H. ROLLINS (144326).
 A. N. THOMAS (148697).

12th Nov. 1943.
 W. M. BAXTER (143249).
 B. B. COLES (143250).
 J. ORR (143251).

14th Nov. 1943.
 C. E. JEFFERIES (152224).
 R. H. SHORER (152204).

17th Nov. 1943.
 A. L. BELL (149135).
 K. R. SIMMONS (152220).

18th Nov. 1943.
 G. EMMETT (148765).
 G. E. PARKES (143252).

20th Nov. 1943.
 P. N. CROFT (148840).
 D. G. EVANS (149057).
 B. G. KNOESEN (148868).
 A. C. H. McCONNELL-JONES (149143).
 T. H. BENSON (148576). 21st Nov. 1943.
 F. W. DOUGLAS (149110).
 W. FRANCIS (144217).

24th Nov. 1943.
 H. G. PERRY (148572).
 D. B. STEWART (144923).
 F. D. J. FREEDMAN (148479). 25th Nov. 1943.
 P. G. BREARLEY (148790).
 H. I. GAIRN (148789).

26th Nov. 1943.
 K. BOWEN-BRAVERY (144932).
 W. M. J. BULLEID (144934).
 E. F. BURGESS (144935).
 A. F. BURTON (144936).
 J. B. C. CATTERNS (144938).
 F. CLARK (144939).
 D. S. CLARKE (144940).
 A. V. COLLINS (144941).
 A. A. G. COMBES (148124).
 J. C. CORLETT (144942).
 G. H. CRANSWICK (160067).
 H. H. G. DAVIS (144943).
 V. K. FRADLEY (144944).
 C. G. HADDOW (144945).
 G. HOPKINS (156740).
 R. L. HUGHES (144946).
 C. HYDE (148788).
 L. JACKSON (148477).
 R. G. KIELDSEN (147767).
 M. H. O. LEVIN (147010).
 A. E. PELLY (147226).
 J. St. A. POWELL (144949).
 B. R. SPOONER (144948).

28th Nov. 1943.
 E. M. ADAMS (145184).
 L. N. ARKLESS (152343).
 A. G. ASHWORTH (152297).
 M. N. BAGG (152349).
 W. S. A. BARRETT (152302).
 K. BATEMAN (146944).
 H. W. V. BEARNE (152243).
 C. O. BIBBY (152363).
 H. J. BILLINGTON (152229).
 J. R. BIRD (152271).
 E. A. BRACKEN (152277).
 A. BREBNER (152272).
 F. B. BROUGHTON (152234).
 J. BUCKLEY (152235).
 G. A. BUSH (152359).
 L. E. CANDLISH (152354).
 R. R. CAREY-EVANS (152357).
 A. A. CARR (152353).
 S. H. CHEESEMAN (152360).
 D. V. CLIFF (152358).
 R. J. COLE (152267).
 C. W. CORNISH (152244).
 R. CURZON (152322).
 C. J. DAY (152325).
 F. DE LONGA (152286).
 R. V. DENNIS (152249).
 H. DODDS (152259).
 A. MacD. Dow (152246).
 I. R. DRAPER (152242).
 G. F. ELLIOTT (152320).
 H. J. S. FERGUSON (152305).
 J. G. FERGUSON (152256).
 S. I. F. FFITCH (152265).
 E. G. FILLMORE (152245).

M. G. FINN (152307).
 A. L. FIRMIN (152269).
 S. FREEMAN (152321).
 C. R. FRIEND (152319).
 H. W. FULLER (152276).
 H. R. GODDARD (152303).
 J. R. GOULD (152314).
 T. GOWLAND (152301).
 R. L. GRAHAM (152308).
 A. F. GRANT (152352).
 W. G. GRANT (152306).
 L. J. GRIFFITHS (152299).
 F. E. R. GURDON (152296).
 R. H. HANNEY (152254).
 A. HARMAN (152253).
 S. G. HEWITT (152251).
 C. A. HICKMAN (152280).
 G. S. HINE (152315).
 R. J. JARVIS (152313).
 A. JOHNSTON (152310).
 G. A. KIDD (152341).
 J. A. KIDD (152342).
 J. H. KNIGHT (152309).
 C. E. McCLELLAN (152230).
 J. I. McNAB (152346).
 F. D. MARK (152347).
 P. D. MASSIE (152350).
 G. A. MOMBRUM (152348).
 R. G. MOSS (147773).
 W. NIXON (152339).
 G. P. ORMESHER (152318).
 W. R. B. PARKER (152273).
 W. G. PUGH (152238).
 H. RAY (152287).
 K. S. READ (152337).
 J. N. REID (152361).
 J. RICKERBY (152332).
 D. A. RISBEY (152232).
 B. H. ROLLASON (152329).
 C. A. ROWLAND (152356).
 R. H. E. RUE (152247).
 T. R. RUST (152327).
 I. K. SALTER (152335).
 J. L. SEARL (152328).
 B. J. SHERRY (149893).
 L. SHERWIN (152334).
 N. H. SHORT (152333).
 P. J. SHUTER (152257).
 L. SIMPSON (152338).
 L. W. SKIPPER (152344).
 A. SLINN (152261).
 J. A. SMITH (152260).
 J. A. SMITH (152262).
 W. R. SMITH (152258).
 D. H. SNELLING (152266).
 H. S. SPAIN (145022).
 P. J. SPELLMAN (152252).
 E. J. STAINER (152330).
 C. STOCKS (152279).
 F. P. S. STRICKLAND (152270).
 R. STRINGER (152263).
 A. R. TARLTON (152311).
 E. G. THOMAS (152241).
 J. G. THOMPSON (152326).
 R. TOOHER (152236).
 T. P. TURNBULL (147990).
 J. M. S. VAUX (152295).
 D. B. WHITE (148574).
 R. WHITE (152294).
 R. L. WHITE (152293).
 K. A. WILKINSON (152283).
 M. T. W. WILKINSON (152281).
 K. B. WITTEY (152317).
 C. R. WOODLEY (152248).
 P. WOODS, D.F.M. (148095).
 R. L. WOODS (152285).
 S. M. YOUNG (152324).

29th Nov. 1943.

R. E. BAKER (144451).
 J. M. BEATON (144343).
 R. L. BROWN (146692).
 R. B. BURROWS (145033).
 J. F. CLARK (145092).
 F. A. W. CLAY (144336).
 R. A. W. COX (146610).
 W. R. CUTHBERTSON (144345).
 G. J. DALY (149886).
 E. J. DANE (144340).
 F. J. EVANS (150661).
 H. H. GARMENT (145021).
 A. R. GOSLING (145093).
 J. GRAY (145028).
 M. G. HARRIS (146620).
 N. R. HENDERSON (144341).
 J. D. HOGG (146451).

L. HOGG (145031).
 N. JARVIS (144610).
 H. W. J. LEACH (144453).
 D. W. LEE (145094).
 A. LEWIS (144611).
 F. LIVELY (144612).
 A. S. LOBBIN (145032).
 W. D. LOGAN (144616).
 J. R. MACKNEY (145391).
 L. W. C. MAIDMENT (145029).
 R. G. METCALF (145030).
 A. L. MOON (144454).
 J. NAPIER (146609).
 M. B. NICOL (145087).
 B. C. H. OGILVIE (133084).
 L. L. ORAM (144455).
 R. V. OSBORNE (145392).
 R. C. M. OTTER (144337).
 G. F. G. OWEN (144613).
 M. W. OWEN (148383).
 F. T. PASQUALE (146954).
 L. PANTELLINI (145091).
 C. R. RANDLES (145034).
 F. C. REESTER (145088).
 K. H. REYNOLDS (144456).
 J. B. SCOTT (144614).
 A. F. SHEFFIELD (144339).
 H. F. SHUGAR (145090).
 E. C. SMITH (145393).
 H. F. SMITH (144344).
 W. H. SMITH (145027).
 R. V. SPENCER (144457).
 G. STARBUCK (145026).
 R. D. SULLIVAN (146874).
 D. A. SUTHERLAND (144342).
 W. H. SYKES (145089).
 O. S. TAME (144338).
 C. H. TIDBY (144615).
 E. J. WHEELER (144335).
 N. B. WILCOCK (144458).
 P. WILLIAMS (146603).
 P. A. G. WITHERS (145095).
 J. G. WITTINGTON (146878).

30th Nov. 1943.

G. R. M. ADLER (147745).
 J. G. ALCOCK (148823).
 D. E. AUSTEN (147358).
 W. H. BENTON (146974).
 A. E. BRISTOW (149882).
 A. S. C. BROWN (146872).
 L. J. BURRELLS (146931).
 W. DUDGEON (146622).
 J. FEELY (148280).
 F. W. FROST (147919).
 R. H. GILES (148129).
 H. GOLDIE (146420).
 D. HALL (146021).
 E. G. HILL (148436).
 W. JENKINSON (147747).
 W. JOHNSTONE (149883).
 S. M. MCPHERSON (148391).
 C. B. MEGONE (148126).
 A. H. MUNDY (149099).
 A. C. MURGATROYD (146615).
 S. W. PALMER (148779).
 J. I. ROGERSON (147714).
 E. W. TODD (147140).
 H. A. D. WILLMER (146832).
 R. A. WILSON (147994).
 J. B. WRIGHT (149137).

1st Dec. 1943.

E. J. BISHOP (147310).
 W. H. ETHERTON, D.F.C. (147212).
 N. GRAHAM (148472).
 S. A. HIDDER (148762).
 P. J. JONES (147309).
 W. N. JUDD (148379).
 J. A. KENNEDY (148471).
 L. E. LEAH (148824).
 R. W. LORENZO (148092).
 A. SHORT (148394).
 W. M. STORRS (149144).
 L. E. TAYLOR (147606).
 J. WARDLE (148099).
 L. WEST (147516).

2nd Dec. 1943.

H. ELLIS (148467).
 R. G. HUTTON, D.F.M. (148589).
 J. KEDDIE (147703).
 W. R. LAING (147523).
 S. W. MOULDS (147715).
 J. L. SLOPER, D.F.C. (147214).
 G. R. WOODWARD (146978).

3rd Dec. 1943.
 A. A. ALEANDRI (147982).
 W. A. T. BREWER (147505).
 F. COUSINS (148838).
 H. L. CUTTING (147963).
 D. J. DAVIES (148406).
 F. J. GLOVER (148041).
 E. R. GODDARD (147702).
 F. S. PEMBERTON (147271).
 C. W. F. ROACH (148387).
 A. SYMONDS (148701).
 A. B. WELFORD (148405).

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

2nd Oct. 1943.

F. F. CLARKE (151760).
 A. F. COKER (151761).
 G. R. ENTWISTLE (151783).
 L. E. GEE (151786).
 L. G. GREIG (151762).
 P. HORROCKS (151785).
 B. P. HOWELL (151774).
 C. J. A. JARVIS (151784).
 C. R. LONGHURST (146438).
 W. G. WOODS (151787).

(Subs. for notifn. of 15th Oct. 1943 (p. 4567, col. 1.).)

Cancellation of notification.

25th June 1943 (p. 2883, col. 2) concerning Plt. Off. (prob.) J. E. MORRIS (134363).

Amendment.

The notifn. of 24th Sept. 1943 (p. 4253, col. 1) concerning L. ROBSON (135530) should have appeared under the Gen. Duties Br. and not Admin. and Spec. Duties Br.

*TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Confirmation and promotion.*

Plt. Off. (prob.) confmd. in appt. 10th Jan. 1941 and to be Flg. Off. (war subs.) 14th Aug. 1941:—
 R. C. S. ALLEN (77228).

Promotion.

Sqn. Ldr. granted the rank of Wg. Cdr. (war subs.).—

D. H. JOHNSON (76959). 7th Oct. 1943.

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

Sqn. Ldr. (temp.) H. P. STRONG (13166). 1st Oct. 1943.

Fit. Lt. H. L. ASSIG, M.C. (74048). 29th July 1943.

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

J. N. MATSON (117183). 17th Nov. 1943.

Flt. Lt. to be Sqn. Ldr. (temp.).—

A. J. L. COLLINSON (73257). 1st July 1943.

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

1st Oct. 1943.

G. J. HOAD (120638).

J. N. KENDALL (135031).

27th Nov. 1943.

J. BARLOW (127451).

S. F. BROWNLESS (144886).

J. A. BUCHANAN (145099).

A. C. CLARKE (144811).

M. J. P. CLAYTON (144810).

G. H. COOKE (144849).

A. W. CROOK (126724).

R. DALGLIESH (126725).

R. G. EMMETT (144802).

E. W. EVANS (144812).

J. L. FANNER (126726).

J. R. H. FISHER (144813).

J. FROOM (126727).

J. A. GEE (144801).

G. D. HARPER (126758).

P. J. HARVEY (128080).

R. J. HUGHES (144803).

W. G. KELLAWAY (126756).

H. J. LOWE (126728).

R. E. MACDONALD (126729).

W. F. MARTIN (144804).

C. M. MEREDITH (126730).

H. W. MORRIS (128084).

J. A. NAUNTON (144805).

K. E. OWENS (126732).

D. SCHOLES (144808).

C. S. SELINGER (144814).

A. C. P. SMITH (144807).

L. A. SMITH (126757).

W. L. SMITH (126734).
 R. STANGER (144806).
 M. R. TIDMARSH (126735).
 G. ULLYOTT (126736).
 J. E. J. WATTS (144815).
 J. R. WEAVER (126755).
 D. WILKINSON (144983).
 C. R. WILLS (126759).
 L. VICKERS (144809).
 H. P. HALL (143480). 29th Nov. 1943.
 1st Dec. 1943.
 I. ARROL (132918).
 T. H. BRADLEY (137105).
 B. K. CLANCY (135160).
 H. CRONSHAW (138551).
 C. E. HARRIS (135161).
 H. JENNINGS (137066).
 L. P. St. L. F. X. KIRWAN (137064).
 A. W. NETTLETON (137068).
 D. K. RYAN (136952).
 H. D. M. SEYMOUR (135164).
 J. M. SMITH (137070).
 G. F. WINTERS (135165).

Regrading.

Actg. Flt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flt. Offs. (prob.):—
 A. H. ASHWORTH (143334). 6th Aug. 1943.

10th Nov. 1943.

E. P. BROTHERS (142408).
 G. G. CLUTTERBUCK (65196).
 J. R. DAWSON (137061).
 A. E. GOODWIN (142407).
 D. B. KENNEDY (142406).
 R. J. PAUL (137069).
 F. D. RAWCLIFFE (141387).
 J. C. RENNISON (141587).
 G. E. SHIPP (139196).
 J. E. D. STARK (141588).
 G. W. THOMPSON (142405).
 R. THOMPSON (142404).
 J. W. TOMLINSON (142403).
 C. W. E. WALKER (142402).
 G. S. PERRY (141798). 13th Nov. 1943.

*ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.**Promotion.*

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

Sqn. Ldrs. (temp.):—
 E. H. ROBERTS (76494). 26th Aug. 1943.
 A. C. KERMODE (73262). 6th Oct. 1943.

Flt. Lts.:—

D. T. LAWRIE (60851). 8th May 1943.
 H. H. THOMAS, M.B.E. (75316). 1st Sept. 1943.
 1st Oct. 1943.
 R. T. MARK, M.C. (78329).
 R. E. BLAND (78614).
 W. J. GIBBS (74104). 5th Oct. 1943.

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

Flt. Lts. (temp.):—
 S. JACKSON (79252). 26th Aug. 1943.
 S. F. PICKUP (74203). 4th Sept. 1943.
 H. R. CHATTERTON (86143). 16th Oct. 1943.
 Flg. Off. C. A. HOOPER (112326). 27th Oct. 1942.

Plt. Offs. to be Flg. Offs. (war subs.):—
 P. E. PETERS (86253). 18th Feb. 1943.
 P. E. LETTS (89542). 27th June 1943.
 H. C. PYNE (126560). 26th Oct. 1943. (Seny. 25th Jan. 1943).

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

E. S. HOUSLEY (156472). 9th Oct. 1942.
 H. A. V. DREES (133822). 17th Aug. 1943.
 F. E. NEAL (143475). 20th Nov. 1943.

27th Nov. 1943.

C. H. ALEXANDER (141967).
 A. H. ASHWORTH (141942).
 C. S. BAILEY (144846).
 N. B. BAIN (144817).
 A. H. R. BAKER (144856).
 G. B. BELL (141957).
 J. BELL (141968).
 H. W. BOWDEN (144859).
 J. H. BOYD (141943).
 S. J. BRADBROOK (141969).
 J. R. BRADSHAW (141961).
 W. BREMNER (144858).

G. H. McA. BRYSON (141906).
 R. H. BUNCH (141962).
 R. S. CALDER (144860).
 A. CAMERON (144861).
 C. G. J. CARPENTER (143189).
 W. CORCORAN (141909).
 R. COTON (141958).
 L. DARLOW (141970).
 D. G. DAVIES (141949).
 J. DAVY (141948).
 H. J. DAWSON (141959).
 H. J. H. ELLINGWORTH (143822).
 A. E. C. EVANS (141963).
 R. H. EVANS (144862).
 G. E. FARNHAM (144863).
 G. F. L. FELTHAM (141904).
 L. B. FREWER (141945).
 J. C. GAGG (141951).
 W. N. GARRARD (144068).
 G. J. GIMBLETT (141950).
 G. A. GRASSBY (144844).
 A. R. HALL (144865).
 V. F. HANNAM (144864).
 R. W. HARRIS (141944).
 G. H. HONEYMAN (144845).
 S. B. JACKSON (144067).
 N. R. LONG (141960).
 P. D. LOUGH (141964).
 E. W. McDOWELL (143823).
 J. V. MORRIS (141965).
 N. R. MORRISON (144244).
 G. E. MUNDAY (144866).
 T. R. NEWTON (141946).
 H. W. PARSLAW (141947).
 F. J. PATTEN (144867).
 W. J. RANDALL (141952).
 P. C. ROBERTS (143071).
 T. W. ROBERTS (141903).
 G. RUSSELL (144868).
 F. J. SAFFERY (141955).
 J. SMITH (141953).
 D. W. SWAIN (141905).
 L. THREADGOLD (141956).
 F. E. WADLEY (141954).
 K. M. WATSON (144816).
 K. H. WHITE (144870).
 F. G. WHITEMAN (144869).
 J. C. G. WILSON (142076).
 L. G. WRATHALL (141908).
 A. W. YOUNG (144871).

28th Nov. 1943.

M. W. J. HUNNISSETT (144072).
 C. MILLHOUSE (144240).

29th Nov. 1943.

A. C. PARK (144243).
 G. ROYDEN (144245).

30th Nov. 1943.

R. L. COLLINS (144966).
 A. F. STUART (143069).

2nd Dec. 1943.

L. BEADLE (143188).
 B. C. BUNTING (144055).
 T. O. DAVIES (144968).
 F. E. ELLACOTT (144054).
 N. A. HARTWELL (142800).

3rd Dec. 1943.

B. ALLISON (145187).
 H. C. A. ASKEW (145215).
 W. E. BARTON (142235).
 W. F. BATES (145189).
 J. S. BROUH (145188).
 K. H. B. BROWN (142247).
 L. N. BUXTON (145190).
 J. J. CALLENDER (142239).
 R. W. CHAMP (142236).
 B. CLAYTON (142227).
 S. A. DALTON (145191).
 L. V. DAVIS (142237).
 F. EGAN (145193).
 N. H. EVANS (145192).
 L. C. FRIAR (144049).
 D. S. GILLHAM (142243).
 T. GOURLAY-GALLOWAY (142242).
 G. H. HALSTEAD (145195).
 G. R. HERRICK (142228).
 R. A. T. HOBBS (145194).
 W. IRVING (145196).
 C. E. IVES (142241).
 D. A. JACKSON (145197).
 H. H. JONES (145198).
 C. V. KING (145199).
 K. MACKENZIE (142238).
 I. MACKINNON (145201).

K. H. MASON (142230).
 E. R. MEAD (145200).
 J. C. MILLAR (145216).
 A. T. NANCE (142231).
 S. G. PHILLIPS (142240).
 G. H. PILKINGTON (142244).
 J. ROBERTSON (142232).
 J. SMALLY (144571).
 G. H. SPARKES (145218).
 M. TIBBER (142245).
 E. R. TURNHAM (142233).
 F. E. WATTS (142234).

Plt. Off. (prob.) to be Flg. Off. on prob. (war subs.):—
 F. L. MORTON (123331). 23rd Feb. 1943. (*Seny 14th Jan. 1943.*)
 (Subs. for notifn. of 9th Mar. 1943 (p. 1314, col. 2).)

Regrading.

Actg. Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Plt. Offs. (prob.):—
 H. REEKIE (86256). 1st Oct. 1941.
 G. C. BEAMISH (86257). 9th Oct. 1941.

27th Dec. 1941.

C. MACLENNAN (89543).
 W. A. J. MUSSON (89544).
 F. C. SEAMAN (141670). 28th July 1943.
 L. J. B. FIELDING (146528). 26th Aug. 1943.

22nd Sept. 1943.

M. R. GOULD (145244).
 E. W. HEATH (145242).
 7th Oct. 1943.
 J. H. COPLEY (147845).
 T. E. WEBB (156602).

21st Oct. 1943.

H. GILBERT (148600).
 4th Nov. 1943.
 L. BERKSON (155661).
 F. C. G. GOUGH (155680).

11th Nov. 1943.

C. W. M. ADAMS (156142).
 J. A. A. APPLEBY (156144).
 F. BALLISTER (156153).
 W. G. E. BEAZLEY (156157).
 T. H. BEDSON (156149).
 A. E. W. BINNS (156156).
 J. M. BLANE (156150).
 B. R. BROOKS (156154).
 L. G. BROWN (156158).
 J. A. CARTWRIGHT (156160).
 W. G. CHAMBERLAIN (156168).
 H. T. J. K. CHORLEY (156165).
 W. J. P. CLEMENTS (156161).
 P. J. COLEMAN (156166).
 T. E. M. COWDEN (156164).
 S. G. CROWE (156167).
 A. A. DAY (156169).
 K. J. DREW (156240).
 A. R. G. EDWARDS (156205).
 W. E. W. FARROW (156206).
 R. J. GARRETT (156213).
 J. D. GIBSON (156212).
 J. GOMM (156210).
 J. H. GUILMANT (156246).
 E. N. C. HEDGE (156215).
 S. G. P. HORLEY (156214).
 R. K. LEARMONT (156250).
 A. M. LLOYD-JAMES (156251).
 W. I. McARTHUR (156257).
 J. E. MARCHISIO (156256).
 W. H. ORR (156192).
 J. OSBORNE (156191).
 R. W. PARTRIDGE (156194).
 W. Y. PHILLIPS (156195).
 A. R. PONSFORD (156196).
 P. F. POULTNEY (141645).
 L. C. RATES (156218).
 K. M. REES (156242).
 I. P. B. ROBERTSON-WILLIAMS (156197).
 B. SAMUEL (156227).
 H. SCOTT (156220).
 W. SCOTT (156222).
 R. SENIOR (156225).
 M. H. SHORT (156219).
 B. T. SMITH (156244).
 A. STONE (156221).
 E. W. SPILLER (156224).
 S. J. SWALES (156223).
 J. H. WALKER (156241).
 R. J. B. WALKER (156235).
 C. W. WHYBROW (156234).

18th Nov. 1943.
 B. R. M. BUTLER (156528).
 R. G. W. CHANDLER (156548).
 F. C. DEAN (156500).
 N. T. DIGGLE (156497).
 G. EASTER (156494).
 S. FAIRLEY (156510).
 J. GODMAN (156509).
 R. GREENFIELD (156535).
 K. GRIFFITHS (156534).
 C. C. HALL (156512).
 M. HARRIS (156541).
 S. R. C. HAYES (156540).
 G. JAMES (156511).
 S. W. KEELING (156490).
 A. E. KNIGHT (156491).
 L. A. LYTTON (156489).
 M. R. N. MAGGILLYCUDDY (156481).
 J. C. S. MANDER (156508).
 C. J. MONK (156480).
 W. A. NICHOLLS (156479).
 K. A. PRENTICE (156513).
 I. E. RAWSON (156473).
 B. SHELDON (156187).
 F. THACKWAY (156523).
 G. W. A. WALKER (156516).

Actg. Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Plt. Offs. (prob.):—
 R. H. COOPER (144086). 25th Aug. 1943.
 H. GRIFFITHS (145651). 9th Sept. 1943.
 (Subs. for notifn. of 8th Oct. 1943 (p. 4455, col. 1).)

Cancellation of notification.

1st Oct. 1943. (p. 4363, col. 1) concerning J. A. MACDONALD (115873).
 12th Nov. 1943. (p. 4979, col. 2) concerning J. T. BLACKWOOD (141050).

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Sqn. Ldr. (temp.) granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.):—
 R. E. W. LITTLE (72308). 12th Oct. 1943.

Flg. Off. granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.):—
 D. REGAN (103255). 31st Oct. 1943.

Flg. Off. to be Flt. Lt. (temp.):—
 T. H. D. WALL (83608). 1st Jan. 1943.

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

H. H. HARRIS (123261). 3rd Mar. 1943. (Subs. for notifn. of 11th June, 1943 (p. 2684, col. 2).)

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

D. W. VINALL (143816). 30th Nov. 1943.

3rd Dec. 1943.

J. ADSHEAD (142290).
 J. A. BATES (142292).
 R. BROUH (142293).
 S. E. COLLINGBOURNE (142294).
 H. T. COOPER (142296).
 J. H. CROSS (142295).
 A. FLETCHER (142298).
 R. FLINT (142297).
 A. E. GILL (142816).
 F. P. E. GREEN (142301).
 W. H. GREENWOOD (142300).
 C. HAWARD (142304).
 F. C. HEAD (142303).
 J. W. HOLT (142302).
 T. E. IRVING (142305).
 W. J. JANOWSKY (142307).
 W. M. JENSON (142306).
 A. R. KELLY (142308).
 J. A. LAWRENCE (142281).
 L. MACKINNON (142282).
 T. MCLEAN (142283).
 J. R. G. McRITCHIE (142284).
 H. J. MULLINS (142285).
 C. F. OSBORN (142286).
 J. H. RAWLINSON (142287).
 T. M. SHIELDS (142288).
 F. E. SHIERS (142309).
 J. E. J. SHOBROOK (142312).
 E. A. SMITH (142311).
 G. A. SMITH (142310).
 R. N. STEVENSON (142313).
 G. D. TAIT (142315).
 H. TAYLOR (142316).
 F. H. TOZER (142314).

Regrading.

Actg. Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Plt. Offs. (prob.):—
 26th Aug. 1943.

H. F. F. JOYCE (146577).
 H. L. LASKER (146570).

G. F. DAVEY (146587). 1st Sept. 1943.
9th Sept. 1943.
L. MACGILLIVRAY, M.M. (149891).
G. M. TICEHURST (149894).
S. L. TROWBRIDGE (149895).
C. S. WATSON (149896).
F. E. WINTERBURN (149898).

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.*Promotion.*

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

W. R. T. TOLFREE (143829). 30th Nov. 1943.
3rd Dec. 1943.
C. H. BARTRAM (142248).
W. L. BINNS (142249).
J. M. GRAY (142252).
S. C. THOMAS (142253).

MEDICAL BRANCH.*Promotion.*

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

3rd Dec. 1943.

W. V. GLASGOW, M.B., B.Ch. (133923).
J. A. JUDSON, M.B., Ch.B., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S.
(133922).
M. Y. PAGET, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.R.C.O.G.
(133921).
L. D. ROBERTSON, M.B., Ch.B. (133919).
R. V. ROBINSON, M.B., B.Ch. (133920).
A. B. H. TAYLOR, M.B., Ch.B. (133918).

DENTAL BRANCH.*Promotion.*

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

3rd Dec. 1943.

V. P. BETTS, L.D.S., R.C.S. (133476).
A. E. CAVE, L.D.S. (131863).
C. A. WAKEFORD, L.D.S., R.C.S. (132826).
A. T. WYNNE, B.D.S., M.B., Ch.B. (133085).

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Promotion.*

Flt. Lt. (temp.) granted the rank of Flt. Lt. (war subs.):—
I. H. BOWHILL (77818). 14th July 1942.

Flt. Lt. granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.):—
I. H. BOWHILL (77818). 12th Sept. 1943.
Plt. Offs. (prob.) to be Flg. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—
J. H. WRIGLEY (134956). 10th June 1943.
D. MCK. GRAY (143407). 14th Nov. 1943.
J. T. FLEMING (143409). 20th Nov. 1943.
D. J. CALLUM (143408). 27th Nov. 1943.
D. G. UNDERWOOD (145126). 1st Dec. 1943.

AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Promotion.*

Wg. Cdr. (temp.) granted the rank of Wg. Cdr. (war subs.):—
G. SHAW, D.F.C. (90297). 9th Oct. 1943.
G. L. DENHOLM, D.F.C. (90190). 30th Oct. 1943.

BALLOON BRANCH.*Promotion.*

Sqn. Ldr. (temp.) granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.):—
G. A. USHER (90558). 16th July 1943.

MEDICAL BRANCH.*Promotion.*

Sqn. Ldr. (temp.) granted the rank of Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.):—
J. AITKEN, M.B., Ch.B. (90551). 8th Oct. 1943.

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Promotion.

Flt. Off. to be Flt. Lt. (war subs.):—
E. M. BEAMISH (6008). 3rd Dec. 1943.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.*Promotion.*

Asst. Sec. Offs. (prob.) to be Sec. Offs. on prob. (war subs.):—
J. S. SPEAKE (5419). 22nd July 1943.
M. F. THOMSON (6439). 13th Sept. 1943.
B. M. PLATT (3466). 1st Oct. 1943.

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