

*Air Ministry, 1st January, 1949.*

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

*Air Force Cross**Squadron Leaders*

- Neville Blake FREEMAN (82697), R.A.F.  
 Ralph Edward HAVERCROFT (114000), R.A.F.  
 Alfred Stanley KNOWLES (43070), R.A.F.  
 Harold Brownlow MARTIN, D.S.O., D.F.C., (68795), R.A.F.  
 Richard Frewen MARTIN, D.F.C., (33439), R.A.F.  
 Robert Wardlow OXSPRING, D.F.C., (40743), R.A.F.

*Acting Squadron Leader*

- John FINCH, D.F.C., (64308), R.A.F.

*Flight Lieutenants*

- Noel Joseph ADAMS (133036), R.A.F.  
 Eric Rupert CHALK (175659), R.A.F.V.R.  
 Ronald COATES, D.F.C., (54395), R.A.F.  
 Colin Ian COLQUHOUN, D.F.C., (162098), R.A.F.  
 Arthur Graham DOUGLASS (150340), R.A.F.  
 George ELLAMS (49286), R.A.F.  
 George Eric Clifford GENDERS, D.F.M., (120165), R.A.F.  
 Archibald de Largy GREIG, D.F.C., (56064), R.A.F.  
 Neil Kenneth McCALLUM, D.F.C., (59350), R.A.F.  
 Ronald George MILTON (123196), R.A.F.  
 Maxwell SCANNELL (59609), R.A.F.  
 Dudley SCORGIE (115082), R.A.F.V.R.  
 Philip Edward Herbert THOMAS (60297), R.A.F.  
 Ernest Harry TURNER (52027), R.A.F.

*Acting Flight Lieutenant*

- Stanley Reginald KELLAWAY (195904), R.A.F.

*Flying Officer*

- Derek James Bryan WHITEHEAD (203223), R.A.F.

*Air Force Medal**Flight Sergeant*

- 542573 Donald James SPALDING, R.A.F.

*Pilot I*

- 1344016 William Clunas WOOD, R.A.F.

*Sergeant*

- 516540 Albert John HUMPHRIES, R.A.F.

*Pilots II*

- 1570997 William McCASH, R.A.F.  
 1571212 Kenneth STRACHAN, R.A.F.V.R.

*Navigator II*

- 533224 Albert ROBINSON, R.A.F.

*Signaller II*

- 1865956 Trevor Malcolm LAURENT, R.A.F.

*Government House, Canberra.*

1st January, 1949.

**ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE**

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

*Air Force Cross**Flight Lieutenants*

- Herbert John COLLOPY (Aus. 4198).  
 Edward Charles PALMER (Aus. 418675).

*Warrant Officer*

- Noel Henry PEEL (Aus. 23829).

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the names of the following personnel who have been commended:—

**KING'S COMMENDATIONS FOR VALUABLE SERVICE IN THE AIR***Squadron Leaders*

- D. R. BEATTIE (Aus. 260639).  
 M. G. WHITWORTH (Aus. 3614).

*Flight Lieutenants*

- A. J. BUNYAN (Aus. 420535).  
 D. J. CAMPBELL (Aus. 406639).  
 R. CARLIN (Aus. 405717).  
 A. E. DELAHUNTY (Aus. 412117).  
 R. H. GLASSOP, D.F.C. (Aus. 403921).  
 J. A. MACLEOD (Aus. 425705).  
 C. J. MELCHERT (Aus. 435511).  
 G. PAGE (Aus. 9455).  
 H. W. PEARSON, D.F.C. (Aus. 425547).  
 R. K. STARKIE (Aus. 427162).  
 R. J. WHEELER (Aus. 4228).

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The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the names of the following personnel who have been commended:—

**KING'S COMMENDATIONS FOR VALUABLE SERVICE IN THE AIR***Wing Commander*

- A. J. SHELFOON, A.F.C. (58281), R.A.F.

*Squadron Leaders*

- M. E. BLACKSTONE, D.F.C. (72257), R.A.F.  
 R. N. H. COURTNEY, D.F.C. (70852), R.A.F.  
 A. K. PASSMORE, D.F.C. (40939), R.A.F.  
 J. RENNIE (47776), R.A.F.  
 P. N. SMITH, D.F.C. (88026), R.A.F..

*Acting Squadron Leaders*

- W. T. ELLIS (110331), R.A.F.  
 D. C. L. WEBBER, D.F.C. (116778), R.A.F.  
 E. W. WRIGHT, D.F.C., D.F.M. (64870), R.A.F.

*Flight Lieutenants*

- S. ALLEN (55118), R.A.F.  
 P. BARBER, D.F.C. (129476), R.A.F.  
 G. J. BOLTON (191155), R.A.F.  
 E. A. BRITTAINE (152398), R.A.F.  
 J. CAMPBELL (120526), R.A.F.  
 J. C. H. COLE (121275), R.A.F.V.R.  
 L. V. DALE (184935), R.A.F.  
 R. V. ECCLESTONE, D.F.C. (175308), R.A.F.  
 D. T. EVANS (167821), R.A.F.  
 B. J. L. GREENLAND (146422), R.A.F.V.R.  
 A. E. HALL (153138), R.A.F.  
 N. W. HEALE (177623), R.A.F.  
 R. HOUGHTON (179525), R.A.F.  
 N. LAWSON (52025), R.A.F.  
 R. LINGARD, D.F.C. (147208), R.A.F.  
 J. A. W. LONG (133263), R.A.F.  
 D. G. MADDOCKS, D.F.C. (156087), R.A.F.  
 G. W. MASSEY (163908), R.A.F.  
 F. J. E. MOYSEY (190671), R.A.F.  
 B. P. MUGFORD (128917), R.A.F.  
 J. T. NEWBOULT (163108), R.A.F.  
 W. P. PEEDELL (161598), R.A.F.V.R.  
 H. PUGH (154374), R.A.F.