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*Air Ministry, 29th December, 1953.*

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to grant unrestricted permission for the wearing of the undermentioned decoration conferred upon the warrant officer indicated in recognition of valuable service rendered during the war:—

CONFERRED BY HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN OF THE NETHERLANDS.

*Bronze Cross.*

Warrant Officer Alfred Charles SPRINGATE (1705182),  
 Royal Air Force (now Royal Canadian Air Force).

*Air Ministry, 1st January, 1954.*

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The undermentioned half-yearly promotions are made:—

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

*Air Vice-Marshal to Air Marshal:—*

1st Jan. 1954.

G. H. MILLS, C.B., D.F.C. (Acting Air Marshal).  
 Sir Harry BROADHURST, K.B.E., C.B., D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C. (Acting Air Marshal).  
 C. B. R. PELLY, C.B., C.B.E., M.C. (Acting Air Marshal).  
 Sir Dermot A. BOYLE, K.C.V.O., K.B.E. C.B., A.F.C. (Acting Air Marshal).

*Air Commodore to Air Vice-Marshal:—*

1st Jan. 1954.

W. G. CHESHIRE, C.B.E. (Acting Air Vice-Marshal).  
 J. G. ELTON, C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. (Acting Air Vice-Marshal).  
 C. E. CHILTON, C.B., C.B.E. (Acting Air Vice-Marshal).  
 G. I. L. SAYE, C.B., O.B.E., A.F.C.

*Group Captain to Air Commodore:—*

1st Jan. 1954.

C. C. McMULLEN, C.B.E., A.F.C.  
 H. R. GRAHAM, D.S.O., D.F.C.  
 A. A. ADAMS, D.F.C.  
 J. D. MILLER, C.B.E.  
 J. F. HOBLER, C.B.E.  
 C. G. LOTT, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C.  
 G. J. C. PAUL, D.F.C.

*Wing Commander to Group Captain:—*

1st Jan. 1954.

F. H. TYSON (26248).  
 G. N. AMISON (32239).

R. E. BURNS, D.F.C. (34215).  
 D. S. WILSON-MACDONALD, D.S.O., D.F.C. (37451).

S. WROATH, A.F.C. (36125).  
 C. F. C. WRIGHT, D.S.O., D.F.C. (34012).  
 G. P. SEYMOUR-PRICE, D.F.C. (34056).  
 R. J. ABRAHAMS, O.B.E., (37663).  
 R. J. P. PRICHARD, O.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. (36109).

C. H. SIMPSON (36117).  
 F. A. WILLAN, D.F.C. (36111).  
 J. N. W. FARMER, D.F.C. (37316).  
 F. M. MILLIGAN, O.B.E., A.F.C. (37453).  
 H. E. BUFTON, D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C. (33223).  
 G. F. POWELL-SHEDDEN, D.S.O., D.F.C. (33277).  
 R. M. B. D. DUKE-WOOLLEY, D.S.O., D.F.C. (33241).

A. V. R. JOHNSTONE, D.F.C. (90163).  
 E. G. JONES, D.S.O., O.B.E., D.F.C. (37357).  
 H. I. EDWARDS, V.C., D.S.O., O.B.E. D.F.C. (39005).

C. D. TOMALIN, O.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. (37548).  
 G. T. B. CLAYTON, D.F.C. (37624).  
 D. F. SPOTSWOOD, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C. (37733).

R. F. AITKEN, O.B.E., A.F.C. (39839).  
 S. W. R. HUGHES, O.B.E., A.F.C. (40784).  
 D. C. MCKINLEY, D.F.C., A.F.C. (40125).

*Squadron Leader to Wing Commander:—*

1st Jan 1954.

P. D. W. HACKFORTH (33112).  
 D. E. BENNETT (33219).  
 L. M. GILCHRIST (31221).  
 R. I. ALEXANDER, D.F.C. (39923).  
 D. R. GRIFFITHS, D.F.C. (42001).  
 L. J. M. BUNCE (43093).  
 A. B. GOLDIE (41281).  
 F. N. BRINDEN (40338).  
 H. A. ENGLAND, D.F.C. (40899).  
 H. L. DERWENT, A.F.C. (70853).  
 L. J. WARD, D.F.C. (41501).  
 J. L. NUNN, D.F.C. (74685).  
 S. C. LADYMAN (41851).  
 H. H. ECCLES (74330).  
 J. R. GARDNER (41841).  
 B. DEAVES, D.F.C. (40682).  
 M. J. A. SHAW, D.S.O. (40855).  
 J. H. S. BROUGHTON, D.F.C., A.F.C. (40884).  
 P. O. V. GREEN, A.F.C. (41015).  
 P. L. PARROTT, D.F.C., A.F.C. (41054).  
 H. F. O'NEILL, D.F.C. (41312).  
 P. D. B. STEVENS (41329).  
 R. J. E. BOULDING (41249).  
 D. N. FEARON (41389).  
 P. J. S. FINLAYSON, A.F.C. (41569).  
 P. J. SIMPSON, D.S.O., D.F.C. (41875).