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DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE, OTTAWA

30th May 1961.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Canadian Ministers, to approve of the following award to a member of the Royal Canadian Air Force:

(To be dated 20th May 1961)

Air Force Cross

Acting Squadron Leader Joseph Armand Gerard Fernand VILLENEUVE, Royal Canadian Air Force.

On the night of November 7th 1960, Squadron Leader Villeneuve was flying a F86 Sabre aircraft on a local night training exercise when he experienced rapid deceleration, and possible engine failure became evident. At this time Squadron Leader Villeneuve, having just completed an overshoot, was between Chatham aerodrome and the town of Newcastle. He chose to turn away from the built-up area before ejecting rather than risk having the abandoned aircraft crash in the town. After completing his turn he noticed sparks coming out through the tail area together with a strong burning odour, and he had to flame out the engine. As Squadron Leader Villeneuve was now approaching another built-up area he again made the decision to remain with the aircraft rather than to eject. The controls then switched automatically to the alternate system, and the pilot selected the undercarriage down, dive brakes out, and flaps down. Just prior to landing at Chatham Aerodrome the controls seized, which resulted in the aircraft hitting hard and bouncing, and he levelled the wings with coarse use of rudder before the second impact. As the aircraft skidded along the runway on fire the pilot ejected the canopy and escaped, but he sustained a compression fracture of the spine. Squadron Leader Villeneuve's skill, courage, and determination in landing his aircraft rather than ejecting precluded the possibility of the aircraft crashing into a built-up area with tragic results. His actions were in keeping with the highest traditions of the Royal Canadian Air Force.

AIR MINISTRY

30th May 1961.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Air Commodore (Acting Air Vice-Marshal) T. C. MacDONALD, A.F.C., M.D., Ch.B., D.P.H., is appointed Honorary Physician to The QUEEN in succession to Air Commodore G. W. McALEER,

C.B.E., M.B., B.Ch., D.T.M. & H., on the latter's retirement from the R.A.F. 31st May 1961.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to commission (permanent)

As Flight Lieutenant (General List):

Ian Shearer HEADLEY (4083517). 1st Oct. 1960.

As Flying Officers (General List):

1st Oct. 1960

James Nicholas GILLMORE (5010498).

John IVELAW-CHAPMAN (2774741).

Ian Arthur REID, B.A. (2759362). 1st May 1961 (seniority 3rd Aug. 1959).

As Flight Lieutenants (Supplementary List):

George KAYE (4082629). 1st Oct. 1960.

Cecil John JOYCE (4106740). 16th Nov. 1960.

Alfred BOWDEN, D.F.M. (177713). 16th Dec. 1960.

John David EDWARDS (3517204). 17th Jan. 1961.

As Flying Officers (Supplementary List):

Barry John GRAINGER (3520161). 1st Oct. 1960

(since promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant).

John George ADLAM (178838). 7th Oct. 1960

(since promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant).

Leslie BARTON (2473536). 1st Dec. 1960.

Aubrey Redvers BURDEN (206000). 30th Dec. 1960.

As Pilot Officer (Supplementary List):

Allen TAYLOR, B.Sc. (4091384). 1st May 1961 (seniority 1st Jan. 1961).

As Acting Pilot Officer (Supplementary List):

John Philip MUSSON, B.A. (5032745). 21st Oct. 1960 (since regraded as Pilot Officer).

Notification amended

7th Oct. 1952 (p. 5269, col. 1) concerning Jerzy NOWAKOWSKI (500063) for 1st Oct. 1952 read 1st Oct. 1951.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer B. RUTLEDGE (4196102) is regraded as Pilot Officer. 12th Mar. 1961.

Adjustment of period of service

The period of service of the undermentioned Flight Lieutenants is adjusted to eight years on the active list with effect from the dates stated:

J. HUNTER (3516951). 7th Oct. 1953.

J. CLEGG (3134738). 20th Oct. 1953.

Extension of service

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer A. F. R. BLAKE (2822068), W.R.A.F., is extended to ten years with effect from 12th Sept. 1957.

Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:**

G. S. WHITLEY (607729). 29th Jan. 1961.

1st Mar. 1961

J. T. S. LEWIS (607756).

G. W. POLLARD (3520308).

G. D. WADEY (2531433).

G. K. WOOLMINGTON (4158226).

T. RILEY (3117111). 14th May 1961.

B. A. MITCHELL (2608725). 15th May 1961.

M. READE (2587590). 22nd May 1961.

30th May 1961

D. S. HULSE (4172752).

K. E. JONES (3521424).

C. B. POWELL (504772).

J. J. SEEVERS (2767579).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:

W. I. C. WIGMORE (607940). 14th Apr. 1961.

2nd May 1961

M. F. MARTIN (4230445).

D. G. OWEN (4230472).

B. F. SPIGHT (2736951). 5th May 1961.

26th May 1961

R. R. CURTIS (4136949).

I. E. FRANCIS (4182140).

P. D. L. GOVER, B.Sc. (506987). 28th May 1961
(seniority 28th Aug. 1959).

30th May 1961

J. B. ABELL (4230490).

M. R. J. ANSCOMBE (4230496).

J. M. P. COGHAN (2617330).

L. F. DAVIDGE (4230486).

C. R. DEELEY (4149386).

J. E. FILEY (4230500).

P. G. FITZGERALD (2673939).

D. W. GERRARD (4230483).

I. C. GIBBS (4230502).

S. F. MCKILLIGIN (4230473).

T. G. MORRIS (4230474).

R. W. MOSS (4230485).

B. G. MOTT (681588).

P. W. RYAN (681769).

G. W. SALMON (4230504).

J. M. SALT (4230449).

A. J. YULE (4230424).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer W.R.A.F.:

C. A. LORD (2831487). 29th May 1961.

Grant of acting rank

Air Commodore P. T. PHILPOTT, C.B.E., is granted the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 18th May 1961.

Transfer between branches

Flight Officer P. G. M. ORR (8618), W.R.A.F., to the Secretarial Branch, retaining her existing rank and seniority. 23rd May 1961.

Transfer to reserve**Flight Lieutenants:**

J. P. PALMER (503139). 8th May 1961.

R. G. HANNA, A.F.C. (4037254). 9th May 1961.

W. DAVIDSON (582376). 29th May 1961.

Transfer to reserve (national service list)

Flying Officer J. G. LOCKWOOD, B.Sc. (506301). 17th May 1961.

Retirement

Air Vice-Marshal W. C. SHEEN, C.B., D.S.O., O.B.E. 13th May 1961.

Group Captain E. G. PALMER (at own request). 29th Apr. 1961.

Wing Commanders:

E. C. OLDFIELD, A.F.C. (43189) (at own request). 1st May 1961.

G. W. O'N. FISHER, O.B.E., D.F.C. (42560) (at own request). 5th May 1961.

W. G. K. GORRIE, D.F.C. (115739). 24th May 1961.

Squadron Leaders:

J. L. BERRY (132111) (at own request). 24th Apr. 1961.

A. E. FORGEARD (44878). 11th May 1961.

Squadron Leader N. O. S. BAYLEY, D.F.C. (162968), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 25th May 1961.

Flight Lieutenants:

D. A. M. BALDWIN (2500884) (at own request). 1st May 1961.

W. C. WOOD, A.F.C., A.F.M. (1344016). 1st May 1961.

P. M. STACKY (198075). 14th May 1961.

G. S. THOMAS (175847). 28th May 1961.

Direct commission relinquished

Flying Officer J. A. RICHARDS (2620243) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 26th May 1961.

Acting Pilot Officer E. C. L. M. RATNARAJA (4230819) (on appointment to a short service commission). 5th Apr. 1961.

Emergency List commission relinquished

Flying Officer A. TAYLOR, B.Sc. (4091384) (on appointment to a permanent commission). 1st May 1961.

TECHNICAL BRANCH**Appointment to commission (permanent)****As Flight Lieutenant (General List):**

Alasdair Cushmy EALES-WHITE (2557645). 1st Oct. 1960.

As Flying Officer (Supplementary List):

Desmond Herbert Omond PIKE (1408279). 14th Feb. 1961.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer G. A. EVANS (4335031) is regraded as Pilot Officer. 4th Feb. 1961.

Extension of service

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer J. BRADLEY (506090) is extended until 27th May 1962.

Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:**

P. H. TROUGHTON (505510). 1st Jan. 1961
(seniority 9th Aug. 1960).

Retirement**Squadron Leaders:**

J. D. CRAWFORD (104625) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 29th Apr. 1961.

W. J. HEMPHILL, B.Sc.(Eng.), D.C.Ae. (149271). 26th May 1961.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH**Appointment to commission (permanent)****As Flying Officer (Supplementary List):**

Norton. Donald COLLIER (4186433). 30th Mar. 1961.

Extension of service

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer L. J. HUGHES (3129406) is extended until 19th Nov. 1961.

Retirement

Wing Commander P. L. HANCOX, O.B.E. (31321). 27th May 1961.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH**Appointment to commission (permanent)****As Flying Officer (General List):**

Peter William VOLLBORTH (4071816). 1st Oct. 1960.

Appointment to commission (short service)

As Acting Pilot Officer (Supplementary List) five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):

Edward Camillus Lakshman Mahadeva RATNARAJA (4230819). 5th Apr. 1961.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer J. G. STAGG (2826237), W.R.A.F., is regraded as Pilot Officer. 16th May 1961.

Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:**

D. J. CROMPTON, B.A. (504916). 24th May 1961.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer, W.R.A.F.:

M. V. WALKER, M.A. (8805). 14th Apr. 1961.

Retirement

Flight Lieutenant R. H. C. BARKER (147912) (at own request). 29th Apr. 1961.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT**Appointment to commission (permanent)****As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List):**

Donald LYNCH (2446373). 14th Mar. 1961.

As Acting Pilot Officer (Supplementary List):

Aircraftman 2 Brian Russell BARRY (4335099). 27th Apr. 1961.

Retirement

Squadron Leader W. McDEAN (57380). 30th Apr. 1961.

Flight Lieutenant T. D. G. POLAND (57500) (at own request). 31st Mar. 1961.

AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:
J. P. TAYLOR (506009). 22nd May 1961.

MEDICAL BRANCH

Appointment to commission (permanent)
As Flight Lieutenant (General List):
Roy Barrie MACLAREN, M.B., Ch.B. (2607964).
24th Apr. 1961.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:
D. J. SMITH, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (506820).
14th May 1961.

Grant of acting rank

Air Commodore T. C. MACDONALD, A.F.C.,
M.D., Ch.B., D.P.H., is granted the acting rank
of Air Vice-Marshal. 25th May 1961.

EDUCATION BRANCH

Appointment to commission (permanent)
As Flight Lieutenants (Supplementary List):
Ronald Stanley WALKER, B.A. (179028). 23rd
Jan. 1961.
Ronald Stanley KING, B.A. (2571230). 1st
May 1961.

Transfer to a medium service commission
As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List) (ten
years on the active list and four years on the
reserve):
Noel John FLOATE, B.Sc. (505766). 16th Mar.
1961.

Adjustment of period of service

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant J. S.
JENKINSON, LL.B. (505633), is adjusted to four
years on the active list with effect from 25th Oct.
1957.

Extension of service

The period of service on the active list of Fly-
ing Officer C. J. MAYFIELD, B.A. (5052821), is
extended until 31st Oct. 1961.

Promotion

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:
R. S. WALKER, B.A. (179028). 1st Apr. 1961.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:
J. M. MILLS, B.Sc. (505574). 27th Mar. 1961.
P. RITCHIE, LL.B. (506078). 28th May 1961.
A. W. MAY, B.A. (505940). 30th May 1961.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:

26th May 1961
R. B. CAMPEN (5074687).
D. H. FEREDAY (5073941).

Transfer to reserve

Flying Officer B. R. TEAGUE, B.Sc. (505785).
30th May 1961.

Transfer to reserve (national service list)

Flying Officers:
17th May 1961
R. L. BROWN, B.Sc.(Eng.) (506293).
J. S. TUCKER (506305).

Retirement

Flying Officer P. E. DOLING (505784). 30th May
1961.

PROVOST BRANCH

Retirement

Flight Lieutenant H. E. HARRISON (197107)
21st May 1961.

CATERING BRANCH

Dismissal by sentence of General Court Martial
Flying Officer M. A. CONSTABLE (5053675). 4th
Mar. 1961.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE
NURSING SERVICE*Extension of service*

The period of service on the active list of Flight
Officer V. F. M. PENROSE (407557) is extended to
seven years with effect from 6th May 1957.

The period of service on the active list of Flying
Officer I. J. TAIT (407618) is extended to six years
with effect from 11th Nov. 1957.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Officer:
W. J. BALMFORTH (407576). 20th May 1961.
J. M. WARD (407513). 26th May 1961.

Short service commission relinquished

Flying Officer M. M. MARTIN (407580). 20th
May 1961.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE
OF OFFICERS

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Flight Lieutenants, retaining their rank:
R. HOLMES (154288). 3rd May 1961.
4th May 1961

R. JEAVONS (579211).
G. T. R. JOHNS (40918).

D. Q. SULLIVAN (1044707). 11th May 1961.

Flight Officer J. C. LANE (2817275),
W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining the rank of Flying Officer.
15th May 1961.

Flying Officer A. G. MCTAVISH (1553889),
retaining his rank. 3rd May 1961.

Flying Officer N. E. M. HARKER (2661294),
W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining her rank. 26th Jan. 1961.

TECHNICAL BRANCH

Emergency List commission relinquished

Flying Officer I. A. REID (2759362) (on appoint-
ment to a permanent commission in the R.A.F.).
1st May 1961.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Flight Lieutenant T. H. GRAHAM (199386). 5th
Sept. 1958.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Flight Lieutenant K. W. MARTIN (500702),
retaining his rank. 4th May 1961.

Flight Officer S. M. MCKAY (2800994),
W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining the rank of Flying Officer.
15th May 1961.

Commission resigned

Flying Officer M. WHITTAKER, M.A. (8760),
W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining her rank. 21st Mar. 1961.

EDUCATION BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Flight Lieutenant R. S. KING, B.A. (2571230)
(on appointment to a permanent commission in
the R.A.F.). 1st May 1961.

Flight Officer R. M. FENTEMAN, B.A. (884760),
W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining her rank. 25th May 1961.

PROVOST BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Flight Lieutenant E. G. MYRING, D.F.C. (133790),
retaining his rank. 6th May 1961.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Flight Lieutenant C. R. MARTIN (108420), retain-
ing his rank. 15th May 1961.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE
(Reconstituted)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Extension of service

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant B. C.
STEPHENS (199554) is extended by five years with
effect from 19th Apr. 1961.

Transfer to reserve

Flight Lieutenant A. C. MACMILLAN (48185). 1st
Feb. 1961.

TECHNICAL BRANCH

Extension of service

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant R. W.
SAWYER, B.Sc. (78626) is extended by one year with
effect from 3rd Apr. 1961.

GENERAL LIST

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Transfer to reserve

Flight Lieutenant R. J. MURTON (103897). 1st
Jan. 1961.

TECHNICAL BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Flight Lieutenant J. M. W. HAGGARTY, B.Sc.
(199452) retaining his rank. 28th Jan. 1961.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Flight Lieutenants, retaining their rank :

C. H. McCONNELL (103876). 11th Apr. 1961.
S. H. HANSON, M.B.E. (2686508). 16th Apr. 1961.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE

(Reconstituted section)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to commission

As Acting Pilot Officers (one year) :

William Stuart LENTON (2617068). 27th Nov. 1960.

Robert Dean CARSWELL (2617950). 1st Feb. 1961.

Francis John MARRIOTT (2617667). 8th Feb. 1961.

12th Feb. 1961

David John FLETCHER (2617065).

David Freston NASH (2617069).

John Kenneth PARRY (2617070).

Commission relinquished

Flight Lieutenants :

B. J. KEYNES (173278). 10th May 1961.

R. HEMS (138394). 31st May 1961.

Flight Lieutenants, retaining their rank :

J. S. KENNON (205707). 4th May 1961.

K. B. PHIPPS (178889). 7th May 1961.

Pilot Officer P. V. AMES (2639031). 16th Apr. 1961.

Acting Pilot Officer R. J. AUBREY (2620323). 8th May 1961.

Withdrawal of permission to retain rank

The permission granted to Flight Lieutenant C. GRIFFITHS (117680) to retain his rank in *London Gazette Supplement*, 12th Apr. 1949 (p. 1825, col. 1) is withdrawn with effect from 16th Feb. 1961.

TECHNICAL BRANCH

Appointment to commission

As Acting Pilot Officer (one year) :

John William BILLING (2617856). 1st Dec. 1960.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :

H. E. COCKERILL (187275). 13th July 1957.

Notification cancelled

2nd May 1961 (p. 3269, col. 2) concerning D. G. WILSON (2614248).

Commission relinquished

Flight Officer O. G. MANLEY (1213), W.R.A.F.V.R., retaining her rank. 7th Apr. 1961.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE

TRAINING BRANCH

Appointment to commission

As Flying Officers (four years) :

Richard Henry TRINDER (1609852). 18th Jan. 1961.

James Joseph LASENBY (206887). 6th Feb. 1961.

John Frank NICHOLSON (503325). 10th Mar. 1961.

Edgar Bernard Richard LOCKWOOD, D.S.O., M.B.E. (89584). 14th Mar. 1961.

As Pilot Officers (four years) :

Leslie Frank George FOX (3142404). 14th Jan. 1961.

Alfred Reginald WATTS (2693067). 25th Jan. 1961.

Alfred Kelly PRENTICE (629532). 1st Mar. 1961.

9th Mar. 1961

James Herbert Alfred NEWTH (3055081).

Ronald Douglas WILKINSON (2536945).

17th Mar. 1961

Francis Lawrence Joseph SMITH (206884).

George Brian WEBSTER (3504107).

Hermon Keith WOOLLER (3516116).

18th Mar. 1961

Gordon Robert George HUDSON (206881).

Gerald Francis SPENCER (206888).

20th Mar. 1961

Philip Edwin LOVELL (3511972).

John Michael ROLFE, B.Sc. (206882).

Peter John SCHOFIELD (2745983).

25th Mar. 1961

Clifford Roy DIMOND (206890).

Albert Victor MORGAN (550913).

Victor Kenneth ROBINSON (2607066).

Reginald Albert John TURNER (206891).

Anthony Kenneth Lewis PHELAN (4022362). 6th Apr. 1961.

Extension of service

The period of service of the undermentioned Flying Officers is extended by four years with effect from the dates stated :

25th May 1961

A. DUNNE (575941).

N. WALMSLEY (3126235).

A. V. EDWARDS, B.Sc. (3087287). 27th May 1961.

28th May 1961

T. G. BOWEN (929964).

A. D. GRAHAM (1592967).

J. G. PRIEST (205679).

29th May 1961

W. J. DYER (2606839).

P. R. GRADWELL (2573586).

B. G. JONES (3130447).

I. LITHGOW (2466448).

W. J. MORGAN (2228936).

B. E. WILLS (3137782).

30th May 1961

R. DOVER (3507219).

G. C. HAWES (3111508).

K. S. MOORE (206026).

R. D. WILSON (3011471).

The period of service of Flying Officer T. E. ARCHER (102856) is extended by one year with effect from 27th May 1961.

Commission relinquished

Flying Officers :

R. L. J. CHURCH (2475917). 16th Apr. 1961.

E. J. THATCHER (206001). 21st Apr. 1961.

A. TAYLOR, B.Sc. (4091384) (on appointment to a permanent commission in the R.A.F.). 1st May 1961.

Flying Officer F. E. BROOKS (205665), retaining his rank. 30th Apr. 1961.

Pilot Officers :

A. BAILEY (206010). 15th Apr. 1961.

J. GRIMSON (206006). 28th Apr. 1961.

Commission resigned

Flying Officers :

H. McCABE, D.F.C. (54261). 14th Jan. 1961.

J. J. ANDREWS, B.Sc. (503778). 11th Feb. 1961.

Flying Officers, retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant :

A. W. MAXEY (1862756). 2nd Feb. 1961.

R. T. NAYLOR, M.B.E. (134880). 7th Mar. 1961.

Flying Officers, retaining their rank :

C. E. WYKES (197373). 21st Feb. 1961.

P. B. SMITH, B.A. (173103). 10th Mar. 1961.

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