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**CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE  
ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD**

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1.  
6th August 1963.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Canadian Ministers, to approve the award of the British Empire Medal for Gallantry (Military Division) to:

(To be dated 27th July 1963)

236706 Leading Aircraftman Robert George COLE,  
Royal Canadian Air Force.

On the night of 27th April 1962, a fire occurred in a third floor apartment of the R.C.A.F. Married Quarters at St. Avold, France, in which a boy of twelve and three infants, aged two years and below, were sleeping. The youngest infant perished in the fire. Leading Aircraftman Cole, who lived in a neighbouring building, saw the fire and proceeded to the apartment with an extinguisher to render assistance. On his arrival, the fire, which was seated in the main bedroom, was well established, and the apartment was in complete darkness, smoke-filled and very hot. Leading Aircraftman Cole was the first person to enter the apartment, which he did without hesitation and with complete disregard for his own personal safety. In spite of being untrained and unequipped for such activity, he searched the apartment, crawling on his hands and knees to avoid suffocation, and succeeded in finding three children whom he passed for removal to two other airmen who had followed him into the apartment. He then tried to extinguish the fire in the main bedroom where, unknown to him, the youngest child was present, but found this impossible with the limited means at his disposal. Leading Aircraftman Cole then assisted another airman to evacuate eight people who thought themselves trapped on the fourth floor. Throughout this emergency, Leading Aircraftman Cole conducted himself courageously, showing outstanding initiative, judgment and coolness. There is no doubt that his prompt action saved three children from death by asphyxiation.

**AIR MINISTRY**

6th August 1963.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE**

**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH**

*Appointment to commission (permanent)*

*As Pilot Officer (General List):*

Thomas James SNEDDON (4231194). 8th Dec. 1962.

*As Acting Pilot Officer (General List):*

Flight Cadet George Arthur AYRE (608255). 23rd June 1963.

*As Flight Lieutenants (Supplementary List):*

Roger BRADING (2608074). 27th Feb. 1963.

John Henry PEACOCK (507587). 27th June 1963.

*As Acting Pilot Officer (Supplementary List):*

Roger James Mullen TAYLOR (4231571). 1st July 1963.

*Appointment to commission (permanent) (D.E.C.(A))*

*As Flight Lieutenants (Supplementary List):*

Anthony FUNNELL (2309147). 24th Apr. 1963.

*Notification amended*

9th July 1963 (p. 5819, col. 1) concerning Thomas Francis BURKE (507556) *add (seniority 28th Nov. 1961).*

*Promotion*

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:*

J. H. W. KING (1605277). 15th May 1963.

J. K. PARRY, B.Sc. (2617070). 21st June 1963.

P. F. HOUGHTON (1865899). 28th July 1963.

R. D. G. POPE (1600782). 31st July 1963.

G. H. MICKLEBURGH (2476458). 2nd Aug. 1963.

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:*

21st July 1963

R. A. HENSON (4231054).

R. F. KER (3155512).

31st July 1963 (*seniority 31st July 1962*)

C. B. ADCOCK (608182).

R. M. ANNETT, B.A. (608171).

N. B. BALDWIN (608144).

N. J. BING (608183).

R. D. COLE (608147).

P. COULSON (608174).

W. M. N. CROSS (608149).

J. H. CURRIE (608155).

H. FAZAKERLEY (608180).

J. C. FITTUS (608146).

D. FRADLEY (608173).

M. A. GAYNOR (608166).

C. GRANVILLE-WHITE (608157).

J. R. HAMBLETON (4230431).

J. V. HARDING (608163).

M. S. HERRING (608150).

F. J. HOARE (608142).

A. J. F. HUNT (608151).

T. S. KEATS (608176).

D. S. LANIGAN (608153).

J. G. LUMSDEN (608160).

M. S. J. MCKINLEY (608162).

F. MILLIGAN (682463).

B. P. NICOLLE (608145).

J. NOTTINGHAM (682435).  
 R. P. O'BRIEN, B.A. (680178).  
 A. G. PEARCE (608165).  
 B. PRIEST (608175).  
 G. H. ROLFE (608121).  
 T. H. SINDALL (608158).  
 P. G. STURT (608177).  
 G. J. R. SUTTON (608159).  
 C. J. THOMSON (608140).  
 G. N. WADE (681516).  
 R. A. F. WILSON (608139).

**Adjustment of period of service**

*The period of service on the active list of the undermentioned is adjusted to eight years from the dates stated:*

Flight Lieutenant J. E. SAWFORD (4179252). 29th Feb. 1956.  
 Flying Officer A. I. MACNAB (4177046). 4th Jan. 1956.

**Regrading****Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:**

C. J. STOCK (608186). 12th Apr. 1963.  
 T. B. STACEY (2774475). 25th May 1963.  
 J. R. H. WESTERN (4231366). 8th June 1963.

3rd Aug. 1963

H. B. ADAMS (4231472).  
 E. J. BARTON (3522551).  
 R. J. BLISS (4231460).  
 J. R. BUCKLEY (2617978).  
 B. R. BUNCH (4231524).  
 R. S. BURROWS (4231509).  
 D. J. CARTER (2619458).  
 R. C. CHAPPLE (587478).  
 J. A. CHURCHILL (4231503).  
 B. EDWARDS (3523781).  
 M. F. FERNEE (4231476).  
 D. W. GLADWIN (4231502).  
 I. GRANT (684838).  
 I. P. GRIEVE (4231517).  
 P. S. READ (4231505).  
 A. J. H. REED (4231470).  
 J. R. RELFE (4231473).  
 C. J. H. RICHARDSON (4231506).  
 D. C. STALLAN (4231387).  
 M. STEWART (4231475).  
 M. THOMAS (4231477).  
 D. R. THOMPSON (4231499).  
 N. R. TREGASKIS (4231500).  
 R. M. WALKER (4231528).  
 D. F. WILLOUGHBY (5200041).

**Grant of acting rank**

Air Vice-Marshal J. G. DAVIS, C.B., O.B.E., M.A., is granted the acting rank of Air Marshal. 1st Aug. 1963.

**Transfer between branches**

Flight Lieutenant D. V. HARTLAND (4070460) to the Equipment Branch, retaining his rank. 16th Apr. 1963 (*seniority 12th Sept. 1958*).

**Transfer to reserve**

Flight Lieutenant P. MCCARTHY (4170954). 27th July 1963.

**Retirement**

Air Vice-Marshal J. WORRALL, C.B., D.F.C. 5th Aug. 1963.

Wing Commander L. C. GLOVER (115234) (at own request). 22nd June 1963.

Squadron Leader K. J. TABOR (168499). 29th July 1963.

**Flight Lieutenants:**

L. JOHN (50970) (at own request). 5th July 1963.

D. W. SHANAHAN, D.F.C. (128679). 8th July 1963.

C. RICHARDSON (133360). 22nd July 1963.

T. J. PUGH (141861). 28th July 1963.

D. N. YATES (158722). 2nd Aug. 1963.

**Direct Entry commission relinquished****Acting Pilot Officers:**

M. F. J. LITTLE (4231043). 17th June 1963.

R. J. M. TAYLOR (4231571). 1st July 1963.

**Commission terminated****Acting Pilot Officers:**

E. ARMITAGE (4231652). 11th July 1963

P. BLAKE (4231740). 13th July 1963.

D. KEEFE (4231591). 15th July 1963.

**TECHNICAL BRANCH****Appointment to commission (permanent)****Notification amended**

23rd July 1963 (p. 6272, col. 1) concerning John Alan RIXON, B.Sc. (502997) for John Alan RIXON read John Alan RIXOM.

**Promotion****Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:**

31st July 1963

A. K. BAKER (576373).

J. C. CROWDY (578059).

D. GAMESTER (577140).

N. W. GOOCH (568189).

G. SMITH (553288).

G. N. STEVENSON (553647).

**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:**

R. ROSE (575629). 13th July 1963.

W. WILKINSON (568010). 3rd Aug. 1963.

P. A. WATSON (4335064). 4th Aug. 1963.

**Retirement****Squadron Leaders:**

L. T. KELLY (52298) (at own request). 2nd July 1963.

J. BEARDMORE, A.M.I.E.E. (144904) (at own request). 6th July 1963.

**Flight Lieutenants:**

T. A. MOONEY (520446) (at own request). 29th June 1963.

J. N. BEAN, M.B.E. (52685) (at own request). 9th July 1963.

C. CONNOR, A.M.Brit.I.R.E. (112078). 1st Aug. 1963.

F. H. BARRETT (48867). 6th Aug. 1963.

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

Ian Nicol BRAMELD (4256339) 1st Apr. 1963.

**Regrading****Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:**

12th June 1963

W. S. ROLLO (4335178).

I. V. STACEY (4231401).

**Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer, W.R.A.F.:**

L. J. TISDALL (2797086). 12th June 1963.

**Retirement**

Flight Lieutenant R. F. A. BENNETT (51354) (at own request). 5th July 1963.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH****Promotion****Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:**

31st July 1963

H. J. FOSTER, B.E.M. (592075).

P. M. SALTER, B.E.M. (568637).

R. G. SCARRATT (591412).

**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:**

A. T. H. BECKINGHAM (4230895). 6th Aug. 1963.

**Regrading****Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer, W.R.A.F.:**

J. T. FRAMPTON (2797088). 16th May 1963.

**Retirement**

Flight Officer M. BERGMAN (née WINDSOR) (7510)

W.R.A.F. (at own request), 29th June 1963.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT****Appointment to commission (permanent)****As Acting Pilot Officer (Supplementary List):**

Michael Franz John LITTLE (4231043). 17th June 1963.

**Promotion****Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:**

C. B. LANE (507150). 6th Aug. 1963.

**Retirement**

Squadron Leader A. A. STEWART, M.C. (202289) (at own request). 29th June 1963.

**AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH****Appointment to commission (short service)**

*As Flight Lieutenant (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):*

Derek James William DALBY, M.B.E. (507574). 1st July 1963.

## MEDICAL BRANCH

*Appointment to commission (short service)*

*As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List) (five years on the active list and three years on the reserve):*

John Michael HUMPHRIES, M.B., B.S. (507505). 3rd Mar. 1963 (seniority 19th July 1962) (substituted for notification of 4th June 1963 (p. 4855, col. 1)).

*As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):*  
Roy Ernest BURFOOT, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (507512). 28th Apr. 1963 (substituted for notification of 4th June 1963 (p. 4855, col. 1)).

*Promotion**Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:*

G. S. FINE, M.B., B.Ch. (507090). 1st May 1963.  
A. J. DUTTON, M.B., Ch.B., D.A. (506873). 1st Aug. 1963.

M. A. CRAWLEY, M.B., Ch.B. (505845). 2nd Aug. 1963.

D. C. WATTS, M.B., Ch.B. (505854). 6th Aug. 1963.

## DENTAL BRANCH

*Appointment to commission (short service)*

*As Flight Lieutenants (Supplementary List) (five years on the active list and three years on the reserve):*

Sean Damian MURPHY, B.D.S. (507562). 9th June 1963 (substituted for notification of 9th July 1963 (p. 5821, col. 1)).

Robin John WINKWORTH, L.D.S.R.C.S. (507555). 9th June 1963 (seniority 22nd Aug. 1960).

*As Squadron Leader (Supplementary List) (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):*

Kwong Wing Ho, B.D.Sc. (507502). 5th May 1963.

*Promotion**Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:*

R. TINEY, B.D.S., L.D.S.R.C.S. (506043). 2nd Aug. 1963.

*Pilot Officer to Flight Lieutenant:*

R. C. STEVENS, B.D.S. (507248). 21st June 1963.  
C. J. V. NEWMAN, L.D.S. (506470) 1st July 1963.

*Regrading**Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:*

R. W. JONES (507296). 22nd June 1963.

## PROVOST BRANCH

*Regrading and promotion*

Acting Pilot Officer, M. R. F. MACLACHLAN (4231593) is regraded as Pilot Officer and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 9th May 1963.

## CATERING BRANCH

*Retirement*

Wing Officer G. M. PHILLIPS, M.B.E. (2866) W.R.A.F. (at own request). 10th July 1963.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE  
NURSING SERVICE*Appointment to commission (short service)*

*As Flight Officer (Supplementary List) (four years on the active list):*

Jeanne BROCKMAN (407499). 8th July 1963 (seniority 8th July 1961).

*As Flying Officers (Supplementary List) (four years on the active list):*

8th July 1963 (seniority 8th July 1961)  
Maureen KIRKHAM (408037).  
Edith Elizabeth Fossitt STONES (408039).  
Stephanie WRIGHT (408040).

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF  
OFFICERS

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:*

C. J. R. LOFTHUS (3521386). 8th Jan. 1963.

*Commission relinquished**Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:*

W. T. C. DANSIE (129256). 17th July 1963.  
P. G. HARKNETT (583674). 25th July 1963.  
Flight Officer P. D. CAMPBELL (2824635) W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining the rank of Flying Officer. 18th July 1963.

## SECRETARIAL BRANCH

*Commission relinquished**Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:*

H. C. T. MAYOUX (103095). 17th July 1963.  
C. D. LAPRAIK (168897). 18th July 1963.  
Flight Officer B. HEARN (4741), W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining her rank. 29th July 1963.

Flight Officer F. T. COX (2814601), W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining the rank of Flying Officer. 18th July 1963.

## CATERING BRANCH

*Commission relinquished*

Flight Officer V. P. DART (8725), W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining her rank. 22nd July 1963.

## ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE

(Reconstituted)

## TECHNICAL BRANCH

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:*

P. L. HARRIS, B.Sc. (2600776). 15th June 1961.

## ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE

## RESERVE OF OFFICERS

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

*Commission relinquished*

Flying Officer F. J. P. PHILLIPS (187723). 15th July 1963.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT

*Commission relinquished*

Flight Lieutenant H. HARMAN (176898), retaining his rank. 2nd July 1963.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER

## RESERVE

(Reconstituted Section)

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

*Commission relinquished*

Flight Lieutenant R. H. PAYNE, D.F.C. (131909). 21st July 1963.

*Acting Pilot Officers:*

A. RILEY (2618067). 27th Oct. 1962.  
J. G. ROWBOTHAM (2617146). 19th Jan. 1963.  
P. A. ROSS (2617187). 11th June 1963.

## EQUIPMENT BRANCH

*Commission relinquished*

Flying Officer C. J. WHITE (2612302). 4th May 1963.

## SECRETARIAL BRANCH

*Commission relinquished**Flight Lieutenants:*

A. R. WHITAKER (100053). 25th June 1961.  
H. ROLLINGS (84631). 15th Dec. 1961.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER

## RESERVE

## TRAINING BRANCH

*Appointment to commission**As Pilot Officers (four years):*

Smalley SKELTON (207257). 10th May 1963.  
6th June 1963

Thomas ABRAM (576482).  
Donald Aidan CLARK (207256).  
Donald McDonald FEWELL (996547).

Harry MIDDLEBROOK (3056728). 10th June 1963.  
Brian Rundle COULSON, B.A. (5029983). 13th June 1963.

15th June 1963

Alan Peter BRADLE (3218017).  
Raymond John GRAY (3143433).  
Donald Ernest NIXON (3106920).

**Promotion***Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :*

17th June 1963

A. L. BROOKS (2611689).  
A. J. SMITH (3146648).

K. BLUNN (3522157). 30th June 1963.  
D. G. SPENCER (2776898). 6th July 1963.

7th July 1963

W. H. ANTLIFF (206929).  
L. E. CARROLL (3007484).  
D. M. COCKLE (4174275).  
J. F. R. FORT (3044104).  
J. W. UTLEY (3512898).

8th July 1963

S. F. GARDNER (206926).  
A. G. SHARP (5012054).  
W. A. SMITH (206939).  
R. R. WAINWRIGHT (2548542).

P. L. WILLIAMS (4011902). 20th July 1963.  
A. BALE (3036824). 25th July 1963.  
S. ROBINSON, B.Sc. (2443835). 26th July 1963.

*Extension of service*

*The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by four years from the dates stated :*

*Flying Officers :*

A. G. WOODS, D.F.C. (122252). 4th July 1963.  
A. M. SHIMWELL (2703674). 8th July 1963.  
E. R. MARSON, M.A. (206331). 13th July 1963.

23rd July 1963

A. S. LEIGH (1541436).  
D. J. PEARCE (1862416).  
P. F. PERCHARD (3089386).  
N. PRICE (3133153).  
J. W. TWIGGINS (3120988).

24th July 1963

D. L. GARDINER, M.A. (2426263).  
L. D. HOOTON (3508691).  
D. B. MARTIN (206660).  
M. SPENCELEY (3123624).

25th July 1963

G. M. MATTHEWS (205720).  
J. A. WARD (3007357).  
E. G. STOKES, D.F.C. (85950). 26th July 1963.  
P. ORD, B.A. (504384). 28th July 1963.  
F. L. PICKLES (177115). 29th July 1963.

31st July 1963

J. E. COATES (1869782).  
T. A. SHADE (3078332).

1st Aug. 1963

W. I. DANIEL (148341).  
I. G. LLEWELLYN (543546).  
H. M. SALTER (206290).

W. BAGGOTT (1681510). 4th Aug. 1963.

5th Aug. 1963

L. D. BLACKBURN (3139557).  
G. H. CRUMP (3104741).

6th Aug. 1963

J. G. ALLOTT (2733658).  
K. BEAUMONT (2779076).  
G. SMITH (3148484).

Pilot Officer D. KENYON (575790). 23rd July 1963.

The period of service of Flying Officer A. J. BROCKINGTON (362787) is extended by three years from 27th July 1963.

The period of service of Flying Officer D. A. GARNER (206168) is extended by one year from 29th June 1963.

*Commission relinquished*

Flying Officer R. L. COX (41153). 24th June 1963.

*Commission resigned**Flying Officers :*

P. H. DRABBLE (51627). 17th Apr. 1963.  
H. M. BOARDMAN (3010941). 18th Apr. 1963.  
G. C. SMITH (3064703). 25th Apr. 1963.  
E. W. EVANS, B.A. (89347). 27th Apr. 1963.  
E. B. R. LOCKWOOD, D.S.O., M.B.E. (89584).  
30th Apr. 1963.

P. G. CHICHESTER (17241). 1st June 1963.

Flying Officer E. A. BOARDMAN (204590), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 17th May 1963.

*Flying Officers retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant :*

3rd Apr. 1963

T. JONES, B.Sc. (204538).  
F. M. POLLITT (205120).

I. C. SAUNDERS (1850738). 18th June 1963.

*Flying Officers retaining their rank :*

R. F. WALKER, M.A., D.Phil. (181697). 22nd Apr. 1963.

P. P. BULL (1576099). 8th May 1963.

J. E. LANGFORD (204114). 25th May 1963.

*Pilot Officers :*

D. B. MCNICHOLL (206961). 1st Apr. 1963.  
J. A. IMRIE (207094). 14th May 1963.  
N. E. V. BROWN (206963). 24th May 1963.  
R. E. C. GLEW (206990). 25th May 1963.  
A. J. P. SYMONS (206833). 11th June 1963.  
B. G. HAVENHAND (206868). 17th June 1963.

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