

his uniform and upon further examination found a bullet had grazed his hip. The gunman was apprehended some time later and both he and the first suspect were subsequently tried and convicted of a number of serious offences.

Sergeant Hadaway and Constables Healy and Rainsford displayed gallantry of a high order and devotion to duty in their pursuit of a violent and armed man who discharged his weapon at the officers several times with intent to resist arrest, wounding all three.

*Queen's commendation for brave conduct*

Robert BRIGGS, Constable, Lincolnshire Police.

Jeffrey Roy READ, Constable, Lincolnshire Police.

For services in pursuing two men one of whom was armed with a revolver. During the chase and search, the gunman fired several shots indiscriminately at Constable Briggs. Undeterred he and other officers continued their search. Constable Read on locating the men, and being fired at, successfully persuaded them to give themselves up.

Ian George CHATER, Shipyard Plater, Swan Hunters Shipbuilders, Wallsend.

For services in pursuing, overpowering, disarming and detaining an armed man, following a robbery at a Building Society office.

Richard EVELEIGH, Computer Manager, Addiscombe, Surrey.

Peter Charles SAYSELL, Insurance Consultant, Purley, Surrey.

For services in rescuing a blind man who had stumbled and fallen from a crowded platform onto a railway line, seconds before a non-stopping train entered the station.

Alfred Harry FORD, Warrant Officer Class I, On Contract in the Royal Army of Oman.

For services in twice entering an extremely dangerous and fast flowing wadi, in full flood, to reach

an overturned landrover and attempt to rescue its occupant who was found to have been drowned. Driven back by the force of the water on the first attempt, he succeeded on the second.

John Albert GRAHAM, Detective Constable, British Transport Police.

Sydney James SAUNDERS, Constable, British Transport Police.

For services in overpowering, disarming and arresting a gunman following a robbery at a Building Society office.

Martin John HIGH, Building Contractor, East Preston, Sussex.

For services in attempting to arrest a robber following a raid on a Post Office. The robber threatened Mr. High with a gun and upon striking Mr. High in the face, made his escape. Undeterred Mr. High followed the robber and identified him to the police who subsequently made an arrest.

Richard Hilary NODEN, Construction Manager, Eastbourne, Sussex.

For services in rescuing a woman and her daughter from the first floor of her blazing house.

*Queen's commendation for valuable service in the air*

Dale Warren MOON, Captain, Bristow Helicopters Ltd.

Roger WILLIAMS, Lately Co-Pilot, Bristow Helicopters Ltd.

For services in assisting in the rescue of personnel from a stricken mobile gas drilling rig off the Norfolk coast, in atrocious and deteriorating weather conditions, making two successful evacuations.