- Pilot Officer Alfred George Rowe (Can/J.16574), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 432 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.
- Pilot Officer George William RUSHBROOK (127291), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 102 Squadron.
- Pilot Officer Derek Tom Newell SMITH (144763), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 61 Squadron.
- lot Officer John Leichman SNEDDON (143903), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 196 Pilot Officer Squadron.
- Squadron. Pilot Officer Arthur Humphrey George SPENCER (145359), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 97 Squadron. Pilot Officer Peter Yeoman STEAD (143662), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 196 Squadron. Pilot Officer George Alfred Harding STEVENS (Can/J.17321), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 50 Squadron
- Squadron.
- Squaron. Pilot Officer Michael Acton SULLIVAN (N.Z.414697), Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 156 Squadron. Pilot Officer Ernest Edward TINGLEY (141268), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 76
- Squadron. ilot Officer Pilot Officer George Pierre VANDEKERCKHOVE (Can/J.17326), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 427 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron. Pilot Officer Gordon Kenneth Frank WADE (144277), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 10
- Squadron.
- Squadron. Pilot Officer Claud Robert WILSON (144288), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 51 Squadron. Warrant Officer John Douglas CHARROT (1255380), Royal Air Force, No. 138 Squadron. Warrant Officer Lewis Kenneth FENNELL (745419), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 10 Squadron
- Squadron.
- Warrant Officer James GOLDIE, D.F.M. (620563), Royal Air Force, No. 83 Squadron. Warrant Officer Kenneth James GORDON (747712), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 105
- Squadron.
- Squadron. Warrant Officer Eric Wilfred TODD (741478), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 51 Squadron. Warrant Officer Joseph Francis La FRANCE (Can/R.88754), Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 207 Squadron. Warrant Officer William McRobbie, D.F.M. (566719), Boyol Air Force, No. 25 Soundary
- Royal Air Force, No. 35 Squadron. Warrant Officer Christopher THORNHILL (517570), Royal Air Force, No. 7 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

- 1336489 Sergeant Robert Leonard Double, Royal Air Force, No. 199 Squadron. 1289746 Sergeant Eric William EIGHTEEN, Royal Air

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  Can/R.90093 Sergeant Ray Charles ELLIOTT, Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 101 Squadron.
  Can/R.113675 Sergeant Richard Warren ELLIS, Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 166 Squadron.
  622064 Sergeant Ralph Jeffery FAIRHEAD, Royal Air Force, No. 207 Squadron.
- Force, No. 207 Squadron. 1043875 Sergeant Edward Foster, Royal Air Force, No. 467 (R.A.A.F.) Squadron.
- 1295418 Sergeant Stanley Alfred GAWLER, Royal Air
- I295410 Sugaran
   Force, No. 50 Squadron.
   Aus.416258 Sergeant Kenneth William GILES, Royal
   Australian Air Force, No. 460 (R.A.A.F.)
- 1336894 Sergeant Stanley Ralph GILIMAR, Royal Air Force, No. 10 Squadron. 1286189 Sergeant William GINGER, Royal Air Force, No. 158 Squadron.
- 574919 Sergeant Ivan Maurice GLADWELL, Royal Air Force, No. 10 Squadron.
- 1392019 Sergeant Richard Joseph William GOAD, Royal Air Force, No. 97 Squadron. 1576836 Sergeant Samuel GODSON, Royal Air Force, No. 50 Squadron.
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  778101 Sergeant Harry James GOODWIN, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 78 Squadron.
  N.Z.413705 Sergeant (now Pilot Officer) Ronald Claris GORDON, Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 70 Sergeant Construction Construction Construction
- No. 101 Squadron. 1266564 Sergeant (now Pilot Officer) Frederick William Browne HAILEY, Royal Air Force, No. Frederick 78 Squadron.
- 1321011 Sergeant Ronald William HAINSWORTH, Royal Air Force, No. 10 Squadron. 1187564 Sergeant Lawrence Sidney James HAMBLETT, Royal Air Force, No. 61 Squadron.

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  1315038 Sergeant Ernest Charles HAWKINS, Royal Air Force, No. 61 Squadron.
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  968134 Sergeant Ronald Lennard HOOPER, Royal Air Force, No. 35 Squadron.
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  1203969 Sergeant Percival Vincent KNIGHT, Royal Air Force, No. 12 Squadron.
  1398705 Sergeant Albert Thomas LARKINS, Royal Air Force, No. 10 Squadron.
  1348227 Sergeant Neil Russell McCORKINDALE, Royal Air Force, No. 9 Squadron.
  1556757 Sergeant William JOSeph McLAUGHLIN, Royal Air Force, No. 166 Squadron.
  1330340 Sergeant Hedley Robert MADGETT, Royal Air Force, No. 61 Squadron.
  1392072 Sergeant Percival Thomas Frederick May, Royal Air Force, No. 78 Squadron.
  159000 Sergeant Trevor George MUHL, Royal Air Force, No. 207 Squadron.
  1071888 Sergeant Peter Donaldson MURDOCH, Royal Air Force, No. 166 Squadron.
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  1185839 Sergeant Colin Campbell NOBLE, Royal Air Force, No. 106 Squadron.
  642127 Sergeant Joseph PARR, Royal Air Force, No. 101 Squadron.
  777889 Sergeant Frederick Ernest PETERS, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 12 Squadron.
  982667 Sergeant Herbert RANKIN, Royal Air Force, No. 61 Squadron.
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  Can/R.115536 Sergeant Wilfred Harold Roach, Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 15 Squadron.
  1286310 Sergeant Jacob ROSENBLOOM, Royal Air Force, No. 115 Squadron.
  1356846 Sergeant Eric George SAMPSON, Royal Air Force, No. 61 Squadron.
  Can/R.98788 Sergeant Norman Leslie SCHOFIELD, Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 50 Squadron.
  1267264 Sergeant Stafford Henry George SINCLAIR, Koyal Air Force, No. 9 Squadron.
  Can/R.112604 Sergeant John Leonard SMALE, Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 15 Squadron.
  569544 Sergeant James Alexander SPRIGE, Royal Air Force.
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- Can/R.117523 Sergeant James Downey WATTS, Royal Canadian Air Force, No. 426 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.
- 576152 Sergeant Norman Kenneth WHITBY, Royal
- Store, No. 156 Squadron.
   Sergeant Kenneth Flavis WINTER, Royal Air Force, No. 156 Squadron.
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## AMENDMENT.

In notification of 13th August, 1943 (p. 3631, col. 1), for 658085 Sergeant Alexander Brown, Royal New Zealand Air Force, No. 75 (N.Z.) Squadron, read 658085 Sergeant Alexander Brown, Royal Air Force, No. 75 (N.Z.) Squadron.

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- GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH. Sheddan Scarrett BRUGH, 2nd Lt. R.A. (52602), to be Plt. Off. (tempy.) on being employed with the R.A.F. 29th Jan. 1943.
  - To be Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):-

Flt. Sgts.

- 590906 Oswald John Lander (55093). 14th May
- 1943. 638718 Herbert Victor Spencer (52557). 9th June 1943. 621072 Harvey Allan (52573). 28th June 1943.

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