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Henry William John WRIGHT, Head Warden, Civil Defence Wardens Service, Hatfield (Herts.) Rural District.

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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1.

14th June, 1945.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the Celebration of His Majesty's Birthday, to give orders for the publication of the names of the undermentioned in the London Gazette as having been Commended for valuable service in the air:—

Captain Marmaduke Jonathan Roland ALDERSON, British Overseas Airways Corporation.

Flight Captain Philippa Mary BENNETT, Ferry Pilot, No. 15 Ferry Pool, Air Transport Auxiliary.

Captain Gordon Ronald BUXTON, British Overseas Airways Corporation.

David EWERT, Radio Officer, No. 45 Atlantic Transport Group, R.A.F.

First Officer Eric Perrin HICKS, Ferry Pilot, No. 9 Ferry Pool, Air Transport Auxiliary.

Godfred Lund JOHNSEN, Radio Officer, No. 45 Atlantic Transport Group, R.A.F.

Flight Captain William Lovett Stewart Keith JOPP, Ferry Pilot, No. 1 Ferry Pool, Air Transport Auxiliary.

First Officer Ernest Arthur David KEMPSTER, Pilot, Air Movements Flight, Air Transport Auxiliary.

Squadron Leader Maurice Victor LONGBOTTOM, D.F.C. (deceased), Test Pilot, Vickers Ltd.

Daniel Peter MARVIN, Radio Officer, No. 45 Atlantic Transport Group, R.A.F.

David Nicol RENNIE, Second Radio Officer, British Overseas Airways Corporation.

Captain Joseph SHOESMITH, Second in Command, No. 6 Ferry Pool, Air Transport Auxiliary.

Captain William Lang STEWART, British Overseas Airways Corporation.

Captain Albert Gordon STORE, British Overseas Airways Corporation.

Henry VALLANCE, Pilot, Scottish Airways Ltd.

Alan Milman WOOD, First Radio Officer, British Overseas Airways Corporation.

Captain Humphrey Osmond WRIGLEY, Second in Command, No. 16 Ferry Pool, Air Transport Auxiliary.