- David Russ, Chief Butcher, R.M.S. "Rangitata," New Zealand Shipping Company Ltd. (Mitcham, Surrey.)
- Ernest Joseph RUSSELL, Group Office Assis-tant, Royal Ordnance Factories, Woolwich. (Abbey Wood, S.E.2.)
- George SANFORD, Postman, Head Post Office, Birmingham.
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- Fire Brigade, Hawick.
- William Evelin George SHENTON, Boatswain, ex R.M.S. "Magdalena," Royal Mail Lines, Ltd. (New Milton Hampshire.)
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- George SPARKS, Skilled Mechanic, Cambois Colliery, Northern Division, National Coal Board. (Blyth, Northumberland.)
- Kenneth STEWART, Boatswain, m.v. "Durham," Federal Steam Navigation Company Ltd. (Tong, Stornoway.)
- Norman STURDY, Chargehand, Anhydrous Ammonia Filling Station, Imperial Chemical Industries Ltd. (Middlesbrough.)
- Warren John Swann, Superintendent of Stores, No. 14 Maintenance Unit, R.A.F., Carlisle.
- James Desmond Sweetnam, Assembly Superintendent, E. K. Cole Ltd. (Malmesbury, Wiltshire.)
- Charles George THATCHER, Supervisor, Grade I, Control Commission for Germany, British Element.
- Glyndwr THOMAS, Assistant Divisional Officer, Glamorgan County Fire Brigade. (Port Talbot.)
- John George THOMAS, Assistant Yardmaster, Hartlepools Docks. (Darlington.)
- James F. THOMSON, Honorary Organiser and Collector, Newenden Village Savings Group, Kent.
- William Thomas TREZISE, Chargehand Plater, Silley Cox & Company Ltd. (Falmouth, Cornwall.)
- Fred TUNE, Foreman Bricklayer, Appleby-Frodingham Steel Company, (Scunthorpe.)
- Clifford TURNER, Machine Tool Fitter, Dowty Equipment Ltd. (Cheltenham.)
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- George Henry VowLES, Depot Manager, Bristol Area, House Coal Distribution (Emergency) Scheme. (Bristol.)
- Winifred, Mrs. WALKER, Centre Organiser, Women's Voluntary Services, Chanctonbury Rural District.
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- David Charles WEBSTER, Coachmaker, Hackey Transport Executive. Garage, London (Stroud Green, N.4.)
- Lucy, Mrs. WEBSTER, Farm Worker, Betsham, Kent.

- Thomas Rendell WELLS, Instructor, Waddon Government Training Centre, Ministry of Labour and National Service. (Teddington, Middlesex.)
- William WELSH, Foreman, Carnation Con-General Milk Products densery, Ltd. (Dumfries.)
- Ernest Claude WESSELL, Senior Paper Keeper, H.M. Stationery Office. (East Greenwich, S.E.10.)
- George Lilburn YETTS, Custodian, Lindisfarne Priory, Holy Island, Berwick-on-Tweed.
- David YOUNG, Surface Worker, Arniston Colliery, Scottish Division, National Coal (Gorebridge.) Board.

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- Costas Georghiou FISHER, Supervisor in the Field, Malaria Eradication Scheme, Cyprus.
- Stelios Elia SOTERIOU, Supervisor in the Field, Malaria Eradication Scheme, Cyprus.
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- Joseph Ndife OKAFOR, Veterinary Assistant, Grade I, Veterinary Department, Gambia.
- Harvey Anthony KING, Forest Ranger Grade I, Forestry Department, Jamaica.
- Hassan BANKADE, lately Government Messenger, Nigeria.
- Emanuel Akandu ANORUE, Inspector of Police, Grade II, Nigeria.
- Esperance SERVINA, Senior Port Coxswain, Port and Marine Department, Seychelles.
- Evelyn Leslie Foy LEIGH, Senior Technical Staff, Sierra Leone Railway.
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- Ismail HUSSEIN, Sergeant-Major, Illaloe Force, Somaliland Protectorate.
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