

left leg and causing him to fall to the floor; after firing a third shot which harmlessly struck a wall the man tried to escape. The man was later shot and killed as he attempted to escape from the police station.

Constable Trudgett although disarmed and seriously injured displayed great courage and tenacity in his endeavours to foil the prisoner's escape bid, releasing his hold on the man only when struck by the second shot.

*Queen's Commendation for Brave Conduct*

Jessie, Mrs. Burns, Housewife, Dalston, London E.8.

For attempting to prevent the escape of a gang of thieves following an armed robbery.

John Andrew Byers, Constable 1st Class, New South Wales Police Force.

For disarming and arresting a mentally disturbed man.

Kenneth Edward Dale, Chief Inspector, York and North-East Yorkshire Police.

William John Hammond, Sergeant, York and North-East Yorkshire Police.

For arresting an armed man who had kidnapped and attacked his former wife.

Louis Elman, Company Director, De Lane Lea Ltd., London W.1.

Terence Michael O'Brien, Security Officer, De Lane Lea Ltd., London W.1.

Brian Charles Beebee Short, Accountant, De Lane Lea Ltd., London W.1.

Roger Henry Watts, Studio Manager, De Lane Lea Ltd., London W.1.

For disarming and detaining an armed criminal who had attempted a wage robbery.

Richard George Hipkiss, Sergeant, Hampshire Constabulary.

For arresting a man who was threatening to use a firearm to resist arrest.

Charles Frank Holleyman, Constable, Metropolitan Police.

For services leading to the arrest of a driver who had caused him bodily harm by dangerous driving.

Adrian McGill (Deceased), Sub-Officer, Glasgow Fire Brigade.

For attempting to rescue a woman from a blazing tenement block.

Douglas Alan Price, Sales Executive, London W.7.

For going to the assistance of a neighbour who was attacked by armed burglars.

Neville Robert Whalan, Constable 1st Class, New South Wales Police Force.

Carl John Young, Nightwatchman, Dubbo, New South Wales.

For preventing the escape of an armed criminal who had shot and wounded a policeman.

William John Walton, Senior Constable, New South Wales Police Force.

For services in preventing an armed and mentally disturbed youth from committing suicide.

Clifford Jenkin Wilcox, Collier, Gorseinon.

For protecting a woman who was threatened by a man armed with a sawn-off shotgun.

Alexander Strachan Willox, Station Officer, H.M. Coastguard, Peterhead, Aberdeenshire.

For services leading to the rescue of five schoolboy canoeists who were blown off course in dangerous sea conditions.