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THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL HAS RECEIVED ADVICE THAT HIS MAJESTY THE KING HAS BEEN PLEASED TO APPROVE OF THE FOLLOWING AWARDS:—

## AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

*For gallant and distinguished services in the field in Europe:*

### BRITISH EMPIRE MEDAL.

NX23444 Driver Warren George Brown.  
WX4777 Private Raymond Gerald Richard Cameron.  
VX5728 Private Alfred Ernest Dyer.

## COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

### ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS.

*Ordered by His Royal Highness the Governor-General.*

I, HENRY WILLIAM FREDERICK ALBERT, DUKE OF GLOUCESTER, the Governor-General in and over the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, do hereby approve of the Administrative Arrangements specified in the Schedule hereto, and do order that, until further Order herein, the matters specified in the second column of the Schedule opposite to the name of the Department shall be administered by the Minister of State for the Commonwealth administering that Department.

### THE SCHEDULE.

The name of the Department of State of the Commonwealth is specified in the first column of the Schedule, and the matters dealt with by the Department are specified in the second column opposite the name of the Department.

First Column. Name of Department.	Second Column. Matters dealt with by Department.
The Department of Information	<p>(a) National publicity, through—</p> <p>(i) An editorial, and pictorial production organization in Australia, servicing overseas publicity officers in England, United States of America, Canada, India, Malaya, Japan, France, Egypt, Brazil;</p> <p>(ii) The regular publication of essential facts and figures relating to the Australian economy and administration;</p> <p>(iii) The organization of Australian exhibitions for use abroad</p>

### THE SCHEDULE—continued.

First Column. Name of Department.	Second Column. Matters dealt with by Department.
The Department of Information— continued.	<p>(b) Conduct and administration of Shortwave Broadcasting, transmitting—</p> <p>(i) National publicity to overseas countries;</p> <p>(ii) Foreign Policy broadcasts to Allied and former enemy countries, in conjunction with the Department of External Affairs</p> <p>(c) Administration of the National Film Board, whose objects are to expand, promote, assist and co-ordinate the production, distribution and the importation of films for the purpose of adult education, rehabilitation, social development, international understanding, trade and tourist expansion and immigration</p> <p>(d) Direction and control of Immigration publicity in association with the Department of Immigration</p> <p>(e) Establishment and servicing of Australian News and Information Bureaux abroad; appointment and servicing of Press Attaches to Australian Diplomatic Missions, and of Information Officers attached to Australian Trade Commissioners</p>

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Commonwealth (L.S.) of Australia this twelfth day of December, One thousand nine hundred and forty-six.

HENRY

Governor-General.

By His Royal Highness's Command,

J. B. CHIFLEY

Prime Minister.

### ACT OF PARLIAMENT ASSENTED TO.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that His Royal Highness the Governor-General, in the name and on behalf of His Majesty, assented, on the 9th December, 1946, to the undermentioned Act passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives in Parliament assembled, viz.:—

No. 57 of 1946.—“An Act to grant and apply out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund a sum for the service of the year ending the thirtieth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and forty-seven, for the purposes of Additions, New Works, Buildings, &c., and to appropriate that sum”.

F. C. GREEN, Clerk of the House of Representatives.