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BATTLE COLOURS FOR POLAND'S GALLANT AIRMEN.

Polish pilots have been flying with the Royal Air Force for more than a year; and on this parade they were reviewed by General Sikorski and our Air Chief Marshal Sir Charles Portal.

It was a day of special significance; for the General handed over to a Polish bomber squadron for safe keeping, a flag that has come to them from out of enslaved Poland: Polish women embroidered the flag in secret; a Polish girl smuggled it through German-occupied Europe and brought it to Britain. The day of ceremony ended with the decoration, in the Polish tradition, of many of her sons with awards for gallantry and many N.C.O.'s were raised to commissioned rank, including one who was recovering from wounds.