Tempy. Sub-Lieuts. to be Tempy. Lieuts.:-

F. B. Braham. Sir J. H. S. Fayrer. H. G. Reigate.

G. N. Ward.

1st July 1940.

Midn. P. N. Harris to be Sub-Lieut. IIth

Jan. 1940.

Actg. Sub-Lieut. (A) D. A. Wise to be Sub-Lieut. (A). 14th Mar. 1940.

> Air Ministry, 16th July, 1940.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards:-

Awarded a Bar to the Distinguished Flying Cross.

Flying Officer Newell Orton, D.F.C. (39330).

Awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross. Flight Lieutenant Alan Leonard PITFIELD

(39007) (since reported missing). Acting Flight Lieutenant Peter Prosser Hanks

(37351). Acting Flight Lieutenant Reginald

Eric LOVETT (37543). ying Officer

James Flying Archibald Findlay MacLachlan (39639). Flying Officer Fred Wace Snell (39349).

Flying Officer James Edward Vernon (36145)

(since reported missing).

Pilot Officer Peter William Olber Mould (33414).

Awarded the Distinguished Flying Medal.

562898 Flight Sergeant Francis Joseph SOPER. 564578 Sergeant William Ralph CRICH.

741935 Sergeant Lionel Sanderson PILKINGTON, R.A.F. Volunteer Reserve.

580094 Sergeant Raymond Arthur Cecil de Courcy White.

The above awards are for gallantry and devotion to duty in the execution of air opera-

Air Ministry,

16th July, 1940.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Air Vice-Marshal Alfred Guy Roland GARROD, O.B.E., M.C., D.F.C., is appointed Air Member for Training on the Air Council. 8th July 1940.

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Pilot Officers on probation:—

Flight Sergeants.

18th June 1940.

(Seniority 9th May 1940.) 366445 Leslie Leonard Kennedy (43926).

21st June 1940. (Seniority 9th May 1940.) 362162 Lionel Edward Speer (43927).

22nd June 1940. (Seniority 9th May 1940.) 561460 Argur George Blagden (43928).

Sergeants.

4th June 1940. 513660 Alexander Frederick Chisholm (43929).

580493 Bruce Victor Manders (43930).

12th June 1940. (Seniority 25th Apr. 1940.) 565945 Edwin Joseph Spencer (43931).

13th June 1940. (Seniority 25th Apr. 1940.) 580284 Leslie George Bull (43932).

14th June 1940.

(Seniority 25th Apr. 1940.) 563245 George Alexander WATT (43933).

15th June 1940. (Seniority 2nd May 1940.)

560595 David James Donaldson 43934). 560314 John Nisbet Scott Cumming (43935).

565123 John Henry Lowes (43936).

17th June 1940.

(Seniority 2nd May 1940.) 7 Arthur Percival Blackwell 565327 (43937).

17th June 1940. (Seniority 9th May 1940.) 580243 Benjamin Richard HALL (43938).

20th June 1940. (Seniority 2nd May 1940.) 352849 John Edward Kennedy (43939).

20th June 1940. (*Seniority 25th Apr.* 1940.) 16 Frederick Bertram 564616 EVEREST (43940).

21st June 1940. (Seniority 2nd May 1940.) 560535 Geoffrey Clifford Brunner (43941). 564389 Kenneth Reginald Rogers (43942).

21st June 1940. (Seniority 25th Apr. 1940.) 590631 George Albert Campfield Potts (43943).

562604 James Ayscough SIMS (43944).

22nd June 1940. (Seniority 25th Apr. 1940.) 580,038 Richard Remer Banker (43945). 565116 Arthur Terence Maudsley (43946). 515232 James Wesley Dawson (43947). 590503 Kenneth Harold William DODKIN (43948).

22nd June 1940. (Seniority 9th May 1940.) 561304 William Try Mathieson (43949).

22nd June 1940. 580818 Norman Butler (43950). 580845 Donald Patrickson Drussell (43951).

24th June 1940. 580856 John Ross Cockton (43952). 565782 Horace Charles Randall (43953).

25th June 1940. (Seniority 25th Apr. 1940.) 580034 John Richard DENNY (43954). The undermentioned are granted temporary commissions as Pilot Officers on being employed with the Royal Air Force:—

Ist July 1940. James Hardie Brown, R.S. Fus.

(43955). Lt. Richard Gerald Walter GARRETT, R.E.

(43956). and Lt. Christopher Alexander Vaughan HAWKINS, E. Surrey R. (43957). and Lt. Cosmo Michael PRICE-OWEN, R.A.

(34958).