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FOR THE MONTH OF **APRIL** 19 **45**

DATE	AIRCRAFT TYPE & NUMBER	CREW	DUTY	TIME		DETAILS OF SORTIE OR FLIGHT	REFERENCES
				Up	Down		
4/3/43	Wellington I HS 635 D	Sgt. Lancaster J.A.S. W/O J.A.P. Owen P/S Hale R.W. Sgt. Boyes L.J. P/S Thom A.L. Sgt. Rabinovitch M.	Pilot 2nd Pilot Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	20.45	02.37	KISL Attacked primary from 16000 feet at 23.16 hours. 10/10 cloud. Bombs not seen to explode. An apparent area of incendiaries below clouds but fires did not seem to have taken hold. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. GP. TD. 025, 360 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 16 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
	Wellington I HS 312 F	S/L P.A. Holmes P/O J. McMaster Sgt. Ribchie D.S. P/S Gill G. P/L G.A. Lynn	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	20.42	02.26	KISL Attacked primary at 23.15 from 17000 feet. Own bombs not seen to explode. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. GP. TD. 025, 360 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 16 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
	Wellington I HS 414 H	Sgt. Bruce S.M. P/O M.J.M. Lagasse Sgt. Carthorn W.J. P/S Godden R. Sgt. Strachan S.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	20.38	02.09	KISL Attacked primary at 23.10 from 17000 feet. Own bombs not seen to explode. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. GP. TD. 025, 360 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 16 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
	Wellington I HS 439	P/L A.P.S. Chiplang P/O G.N.W. Baker P/O R.I. Benner P/S Edmonds P.G. P/S Litten P.W.R.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner.	20.41	01.44	KISL Bombs dropped at 22.39 from 17000 feet at 55 15W 08 42N owing to defects in a/o. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. GP. TD. 025, 360 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 16 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
	Wellington III DF 671 N	Sgt. De Bussan G. P/O Spence M.B. P/O W.J. Follows P/S Coe G.D. Sgt. Palmstier D.S.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner.	20.35	03.21	KISL Attacked primary at 23.25 from 17000 feet. Own bombs not seen to explode. Load carried: 1 x 4000 lb. bomb.	

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4/3/43	Wellington I HS 430	P/O B.F.N. Rawson	Captain	20.40	03.06	KIML Attacked primary at 23.16 from 17500 feet. Own bombs not seen to explode. PFF method unsuitable to existing cloud conditions. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. GP. TD. .025, 360 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 16 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
		P/O J.W. Kerr	Navigator				
		P/O I.J. McIntosh	B/Aimer				
		P/S Smith J.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Wakeman J.S.	Air Gunner.				
"	Wellington I HS 572	P/S Conroy R.P.	Captain	20.43	23.30	KIML returned early due to left hand door of rear turret being torn off. Bombs jettisoned. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. GP. TD. .025, 360 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 16 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
		P/O H.A. Tennis	Navigator				
		Sgt. Donmore G.R.	B/Aimer				
		P/S Nelsen G.A.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Burns J.	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington III BT 799	W/O Jafferis D.W.	Captain	20.44	02.30	KIML Attacked primary from 16000 feet. Attacked by one enemy fighter just after leaving target. Load carried: 1 x 4000 lb. bomb. Landed at Catfoas.	
		P/O S.L. Knott	Navigator				
		W/O Beckett S.S.	B/Aimer				
		P/S Lewis A.G.	W/Operator				
		P/S Franklin K.D.	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington I HS 382	Sgt. Hanan S.	Captain	20.37	02.45	KIML Attacked primary at 23.11 from 16500 feet. Bombs not seen to explode. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. GP. TD. .025, 360 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 16 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
		Sgt. Brown M.P.	Navigator				
		P/S Purchase P.S.	B/Aimer				
		Sgt. Litchfield S.G.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Lane P.S.	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington I MS 474 X	P/L G. Pantony	Captain	20.46	03.22	KIML Attacked primary at 23.10 from 17000 feet. Several clouds seen below clouds. Load carried: 1 x 4000 lb. bomb.	
		P/O J.G. Messenger	Navigator				
		P/O L.S. Thompson	B/Aimer				
		P/S Craig K.A.	W/Operator				
		P/S Fitzgerald G.A.	Air Gunner.				

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4/3/43	Wellington 111 X3704	Sgt. Kennedy G.E. Sgt. McConnell Jones A.C. Sgt. Begg F. Sgt. Walker D.F. Sgt. Chard D.H.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	20.39	02.52	KISEL Attacked primary at 23.10 from 17000 feet. Own bombs not seen to explode. Several glows seen below clouds. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb GP. TD. .025, 360 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 16 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
	Wellington 111 EP 625 V	P/S Huges T.S. Sgt. Lewis A.G. Sgt. Tucker S.B. Sgt. Lappy R.A. Sgt. Monty G.S.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	20.36	02.58	KISEL Attacked primary at 23.21 hours from 15800 feet. No bombs seen to burst. Load carried: 1 x 4000 lb. bomb,	
8/4-9/4	Wellington X HZ 312 F	Sgt. Lancaster J. Sgt. Milne J. P/S Hale R.W. Sgt. Boyce L.J. P/S Thom A.L. Sgt. Abinovitch M.	Captain 2nd Pilot Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	21.30	00.25	DUISBURG Returned early due to icing and faulty port engine. Furthest point reached 32 30 N 03 17 E. All bombs brought back.	
	Wellington X HZ 303 G	Sgt. Ellison R. Sgt. Bailey W.G. Sgt. Horton H.G.J. Sgt. Nicholson S.G. Sgt. Mallaney W.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	21.31	02.39	DUISBURG Attacked primary at 23.23 hours from 17000 feet. Saw other incendiaries burst before bombing. Trouble with guns and intercom. Hit by flak on port side in front of main plane. Load carried: 1 x 500 lb. fused 37 pistol, 2 x 500 TD. .025, 360 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 16 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
	Wellington X HS 414 H	Sgt. Bruce S.M. P/O M.J.M. Legeasse Sgt. Gumborn W.J. P/S Goddon R. Sgt. Strachan S.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	21.29	02.21	DUISBURG Attacked primary at 23.35 hours from 18000 feet. Icing up to 18500 feet. Load carried: 1 x 500 lb. fused 37 pistol, 2 x 500 lb. TD. .025, 360 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 16 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	

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1/4-3/4	Wellington I	P/O B.F.N. Rawson	Captain	21.28	03.45	<u>DUISBURG</u> Target not identified. No markers seen. Bombed on	
	HS 430	P/O J.W. Kerr	Navigator			ETA 23.25, believed <u>DUISBURG</u> from 17000 feet. Hit by heavy	
		P/O I.S. McIntosh	Bomb Aimer			FLAK over the target. Landed at Darnham Market. Load carried:	
		P/S Smith J.	W/Operator			1 x 500 lb. fused 37 pistol, 2 x 500 lb. TD. .025, 360 x 4	
		Sgt Jakeman J.S.	Air Gunner			lb. incendiaries and 16 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
*	Wellington I	W/O Jefferis D.W.	Captain	21.37	23.55	<u>DUISBURG</u> Returned early on account of severe icing. Furthest	
	HS 382	P/O S.L. Knott	Navigator			point reached 53 20 N 03 30 E. A/C unable to get above severe	
		W/O Bookett S.S.	Bomb Aimer			icing cloud. At 17000 feet a/c became iced up and rapidly	
		P/S Lewis A.G.	W/Operator			lost height. Bombs brought back.	
		P/S Franklin K.D.	Air Gunner				
*	Wellington I	P/L A.P.S. Chipling	Captain	21.27	12.55	<u>DUISBURG</u> Attacked believed <u>DUISBURG</u> at 23.20 hours from	
	HS 593	P/O O.N.W. Baker	Navigator			18,500 feet. GE: fix encrossing Dutch coast at Egmond and	
		P/O R.O. Benner	Bomb Aimer			from that DR run made on target. Extremely bad weather	
		P/S Edmonds F.C.	W/Operator			conditions. Load carried: 1 x 500 lb. fused 37 pistol, 2 x 500	
		P/S Litson F.W.R.	Air Gunner			lb. TD. .025, 360 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 16 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
*	Wellington III	Sgt Jameson A.W.	Captain	21.33	00.19	<u>DUISBURG</u> Returned early on account of severe icing. Furthest	
	I 3704	Sgt Hall J.E.	Navigator			point reached 52 52 N 02 45 E. Jettisoned bombs. Load	
		Sgt Atkins H.W.	Bomb Aimer			carried: 1 x 500 lb. fused 37 pistol, 2 x 500 lb. TD. .025,	
		Sgt Mallen H.P.	W/Operator			360 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 16 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
		Sgt Holloway H.	Air Gunner				
10/4-11/4	Wellington I	Sgt Lancaster J.A.S.	Captain	23.12	06.41	FRANKFORT <u>FRANKFORT</u> Attacked primary from 17000 feet at	
	HS 635	P/S Hale R.W.	Navigator			02.36 hours. 10/10 cloud. Own bombs not seen to explode.	
		Sgt Boyes L.J.	Bomb Aimer			Load carried: 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 24 x 30 lb.	
		P/S Thom A.L.	W/Operator			incendiaries.	
		Sgt Rabinovitch M.	Air Gunner				

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10/4-11/4	Wellington X HZ 363 E	P/S Hoyes T.S. Sgt Lewis A. Sgt Banks T.S. Sgt Impey R.A. Sgt Monty C.S.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	23.19	05.49	FRANKFURT Attacked primary at 02.38 hours from 17000 feet. Bombs not seen to explode. No results observed. Load carried: 1 x 1000 GP. TD. .025, 2 x 500 lb. GP. TD. .025, and 1 x 500 lb. fused 37 pistol. Landed at West Malling.	
"	Wellington X HZ 303 E	Sgt Ellison R. Sgt Bailoy W.G. Sgt. Horton H.S.J. Sgt Nicholson E.C. Sgt Mullaney W.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	23.17	05.34	FRANKFURT Attacked primary at 02.37 hours from 17000 feet. Bombs seen to explode. Many fires noted. Could be seen for 50 miles on return journey. Load carried: 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries. Landed at West Malling.	
"	Wellington X HZ 312 F	Sgt. Bruce S.M. P/O M.J.M. Lagasse Sgt Carthorn W.J. P/S Gadden R. Sgt Strachan S. Sgt Milne J.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner 2nd Pilot.	23.15	00.50	FRANKFURT Returned early on account of port engine trouble. Furthest point reached 33 10 N 00 25 W.	
"	Wellington X HZ 572 K	Sgt De Bussac G.H. P/S Spence M.B. P/O W.A. Follows P/S Gos G.D. Sgt Palmatier D.E.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	23.16	06.47	FRANKFURT Attacked primary from 17000 feet at 02.48 hours. Own bombs not seen to explode. Glow from fires seen. PFF markers at least ten minutes late. Method of marking unsatisfactory owing to weather conditions. Load carried: 1 x 1000 lb. fused 37 pistols 2 x 500 lb. GP. TD. .025, and 1 x 500 lb. fused 37 pistol.	
"	Wellington 111 BK 162 B	P/S Kilburn G.R. P/O H.W.G. Burton Sgt. Wood J.K. P/S Pipe W.G. Sgt. Quirie J.B.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	23.38	05.45	FRANKFURT Attacked primary from 17000 feet at 0300 hours. Attack appeared scattered. Load carried: 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	

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10/4-11/4	Wellington X	F/O B.F.N. Hanson	Captain	23.10	06.54	FRANQUET Attacked primary from 16500 feet at 02.41 hours. Own bomb bursts not seen. Glow from fires seen from distance of 75 miles. PFF appeared to be a little late. Load carried: 1 x 1000 lb. GP..TB. .025, 2 x 500 lb. GP. TD. .025 and 1 x 500 lb. fused 37 pistol.	
	HE 429	F/O J.W. Kerr	Navigator				
		F/O I.S. McIntosh	Bomb Aimer				
		F/S Smith J.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Jakeman J.S.	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington X	W/O Jefferis D.W.	Captain	23.21		FRANQUET No report was received of this aircraft after leaving base. Load carried: 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
	HE 636	F/O S.L. Knott	Navigator				
		W/O Beckett S.E.	Bomb Aimer				
		F/S Lewis A.G.	W/Operator				
		F/S Franklin K.D.	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington III	F/S Mills K.P.	Captain	23.14	07.00	FRANQUET Attacked primary from 16500 feet at 02.42 hours. Cloud conditions made it impossible to form any estimation of the concentration of the raid. Load carried: 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries. Landed at Parnborough.	
	HE 160	Sgt. Leitch G.A.	Navigator				
		Sgt. Johnson J.F.	Bomb Aimer				
		F/S Bales J.	W/Operator				
		F/S Collett E.L.	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington III	Sgt. Kennedy G.L.	Pilot	23.09	07.26	FRANQUET. Attacked primary from 16000 feet at 02.46 hours. Own bursts not seen. No glows observed. PFF technique not suitable in cloud conditions. Fired at (accurately) off south east coast of England. Load carried: 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
	X 3704	Sgt. McConnell Jones	A.C. Navigator				
		Sgt. Bagg J.	Bomb Aimer				
		Sgt. Walker D.F.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Chard D.H.	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington X	Sgt. Jamson A.W.	Captain	23.18	06.00	FRANQUET Attacked primary from 16500 feet at 02.33 hours. Moderate heavy flak over target. Load carried: 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
	HE 533	Sgt. Hall J.E.	Navigator				
		Sgt. Atkins H.W.	Bomb Aimer				
		F/O F.A. Reynolds	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Holloway H.	Air Gunner.				

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14/4-15/4	Wellington X	F/S Mills K.P.	Captain	21.03	04.17	STUTTGART Attacked primary from 16000 feet at 0100 hours. Own results not observed. Area round PFF markers well on fire. Very concentrated attack. Landed at Coltishall. Load carried: 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
	HE 160	Sgt Collins D.	Navigator				
		Sgt Gibson J.F.	Bomb Aimer				
		F/S Boles J.	W/Operator				
		F/S Collett E.L.	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington X	Sgt Hansen S.	Captain	21.01	04.12	STUTTGART Attacked primary from 16500 feet at 00.54 hours. Own results not observed. Large and concentrated fires. Many explosions and bomb bursts. Load carried: 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries. Landed at Coltishall.	
	HE 382	Sgt Brown M.P.	Navigator				
		F/S Purchase F.H.	Bomb Aimer				
		Sgt Mitchfield E.G.	W/Operator				
		Sgt Lane P.S.	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington X	Sgt. Jamson A.W.	Captain	21.06	00.33	STUTTGART Returned early on account of icing. Furthest point reached 50 25 N 01 05 E at 22.40 hours. Found icing at 12500 feet. Unable to gain sufficient height to get out of icing in time.	
	HE 763	Sgt. Hall J.S.	Navigator				
		Sgt. Atkins H.W.	Bomb Aimer				
		F/S Allen J.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Holloway H.	Air Gunner				
16/4-17/4	Wellington III			21.23		MANHEIM This aircraft was not reported after leaving base. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. MC. TD. .025 and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries.	
	HK 162	S/L P.A. Holmes DFC	Captain				
	B	Sgt. Milne J.R.	2nd Pilot				
		F/O McMaster J.	Navigator				
		Sgt. Ritchie D.S.	Bomb Aimer				
		F/S Gill G.	W/Operator				
		F/L S.A. Lunn	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington X	Sgt Ellison R.	Captain	21.16	00.08	MANHEIM Landed at Cottensmore because starboard engine failed. Furthest point reached: 50 46 N 01 10 E. Bombs jettisoned. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. MC. TD. .025, and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries.	
	C	Sgt. Malley W.S.	Navigator				
		Sgt. Harton H.S.J.	Bomb Aimer				
		Sgt. Nicholson E.C.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Mallenoy W.	Air Gunner				

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16/4-17/4	Wellington X HS 633 D	Sgt. Hancock J.A.S.	Capta in	21:21	04:32	MANHEIM Attacked primary from 16500 feet at 00.55 hours. No clouds - very hazy. Own bombs seen to explode. Small fires noted. PFF well placed. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. MC. TD. .025 and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries.	
		P/S Hale R.W.	Navigator				
		Sgt. Boyes L.J.	Bomb Aimer				
		P/S Thom A.L.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Habinovitch M.	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington X HE 363 E	P/S Hayes T.S.	Captain	21:17	04:28	MANHEIM Attacked primary from 17200 feet at 01.01 hours. Own bombs not seen to explode. Fires seemed to be taking hold. PFF well placed. Load carried: 3 x 500 MC. TD. .025 and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries.	
		Sgt. Lewis A.	Navigator				
		Sgt. Banks T.S.	Bomb Aimer				
		Sgt. Inpy R.A.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Monty C.S.	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington X HS 414 H	Sgt. Bruce S.H.	Captain	21:19	03:54	MANHEIM Attacked primary at 00.58 hours from 16500 feet. Bombs seen to explode in built up area. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. MC TD. .025 and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries. Landed at Stradishall.	
		P/O W.J.M. Legesse	Navigator				
		Sgt. Hawthorn W.J.	Bomb Aimer				
		P/S Sedden R.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Strachan S.	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington X HS 572 K	Sgt. De Bussac G.H.	Captain	21:15	03:25	MANHEIM Attacked primary at 0100 hours from 16500 feet. Own results not observed. One very large fire seen. Fired on by He ifex while over target. Evasive action taken. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. MC. TD. .025 and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries. Landed at Manston.	
		P/S Spence M.B.	Navigator				
		Sgt. Tucker S.B.	Bomb Aimer				
		P/S Coe G.D.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Palmstier	Air Gunner				
"	Wellington X HS 913 L	P/S Kilburn G.R.	Captain	21:18	21:08	MANHEIM Returned early on account of engine trouble. Furthest point reached 52 20 N 00 30 E at 2250 hours. Load carried: 3 x 500 MC. TD. .025 and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries.	
		P/O H.W.G. Burrell	Navigator				
		Sgt. Hobbitt W.A.	Bomb Aimer				
		P/S Pipe W.G.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Airie J.B.	Air Gunner				

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"	Wellington X HS 912	P/O B.F.N. Ransom P/O J.W. Kerr P/O I.S. McIntosh P/S Smith J. Sgt. Jackson J.S.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	21.27	04.00	MANHEIM Attacked primary at 01.15 hours from 16000 feet. Aircraft landed at Wattisham, overshooting aerodrome and damaging aircraft. Pilot shaken. Others unhurt. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. GP. TD. .025 and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
"	Wellington X HS 160	Sgt. Jamson A.W. Sgt. Hall J.E. Sgt. Atkins H.W. P/S Willsher W.P. Sgt. Holloway H.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	21.20	04.46	MANHEIM Primary attacked from 16300 feet at 00.55 hours. Bombs exploded close to markers. Scattered incendiary fires noted. Flak moderate. Load carried: 1 x 500 lb. fused 37 pistol, 2 x 500 lb. GP. TD. .025 and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
"	Wellington X HS 915	P/S Mills K.P. Sgt. Gwynne E. Sgt. Johnson J.F. P/S Boles J. P/S Collett E.L.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	21.24	22.59	MANHEIM returned early due to illness of rear gunner. E Furthest point reached 32.46 N 00.18 W at 22.05 hours. When rear gunner found unconscious it was decided to return. Bomb load brought back.	
"	Wellington X HS 914	Sgt. Fendleton J.E. Sgt. Collins D. P/O G. Jarvis Sgt. White R.C. Sgt. Roughton D.O.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner.	21.25	05.12	MANHEIM Primary attacked from 16000 feet at 01.10 hours. Own bombs not seen to explode. Target well alight. Landed at Colerne. Load carried: 2 x 500 lb. GP. TD. .025, 1 x 500 lb. fused 37 pistol and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	

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DATE	AIRCRAFT TYPE & NUMBER	CREW	DUTY	TIME		DETAILS OF SORTIE OR FLIGHT	REFERENCES
				Up	Down		
16/4-17/4	Wellington X HS 593	F/S Conroy R.F. Sgt. Leitch G.A. Sgt. Donmore G.R. F/S Nelson G.A. Sgt. Burns J.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	21.26	03.45	MARSHALL Attacked primary at 01.06 from 17000 feet. Bombs seen to explode on target. Three large fires and two big flashes seen. Moderately heavy flak. Landed at Hunton. Load carried: 1 x 500 lb. fused 37 pistol, 2 x 500 lb. GP. TD. .025 and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
20/4-21/4	Wellington X HS 633 D	F/L G. Pentony F/O J.S. Messenger F/O L.S. Thompson F/S Craig K.A. F/S Fitzgerald G.A.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.19	03.25	GARDINER SORTIE BREST AREA Vegetables planted as ordered at 00.26 hours from 700 feet. No clouds + bright moonlight. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. Vegetables, Assembly 1 x 300 and 1 x 302.	
*	Wellington X HS 414 H	Sgt. Ellison R. Sgt. Balley W.G. Sgt. Horton H.S.J. Sgt. Nicholson E.C. Sgt. Mulleney W.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.28		Port engine caught fire after leaving target (Brest) and pilot flew back to English coast on one engine but could not obtain more than 1,000 ft. Pilot carried out single engine approach and landing but aircraft swung off to starboard and hit a gully, whereupon it burst into flames. Port engine had been hit by flak over the target. Crash landed at Exeter. A/C burst into flames. No one hurt. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, Assembly 1 x 300 and 1 x 302.	
*	Wellington X HS 572 K	F/S Kiburn G.H. F/O H.W.S. Burton Sgt. Nesbitt W.A. F/S Pipe W.G. Sgt. Cairie J.B.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.18	03.57	GARDINER SORTIE BREST AREA Vegetables planted as ordered at 0105 hours from 600 feet. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, Assembly 108.	
*	Wellington X HS 429	F/S Kennedy G.L. Sgt. McConnell Jones Sgt. Bagg J. Sgt. Walker D.F. Sgt. Chad D.H.	Pilot Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.28	03.58	GARDINER SORTIE BREST AREA Vegetables planted as ordered at 0027 hours from 600 feet. Defences accurate but slight. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables Assembly 108.	

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16/4-17/4	Wellington X HS 993	P/S Conroy R.F. Sgt. Leitch G.A. Sgt. Donmore G.R. P/S Nelson G.A. Sgt. Burns J.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	21.26	ATTACKED primary at 01.06 from 17000 feet. Bombs failed to explode on target. Three large fires and two big fires soon. Moderately heavy flak. Landed at Manston. Load carried: 1 x 500 lb. fused 37 pistol, 2 x 500 lb. incendiaries, 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
20/4-21/4	Wellington X HS 635 D	P/L G. Fentony P/O J.G. Messinger P/O L.E. Thompson P/S Craig K.A. P/S Fitzgerald G.A.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.19 03.25	GARDENING SORTIE BREAST AREA. Vegetables planted as ordered at 0045 hours from 700 feet. No clouds + bright moonlight. poor sea visibility. Landed at night with 100 ft. on the aerodrome.	
	Wellington X HS 414 H	Sgt. Ellison R. Sgt. Balley W.G. Sgt. Horton H.S.J. Sgt. Nicholson E.C. Sgt. Mullaney W.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.20 02.55	GARDENING SORTIE BREAST AREA. Vegetables planted as ordered at 0048 hours from 600 feet. Intense light flak in Breast area. Hit by flak and caught fire at French Coast on return. Crash landed at Exeter. A/C burst into flames. No one hurt. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, Assembly 1 x 300 and 1 x 300.	
	Wellington X HS 572 K	P/S Kiburn G.R. P/O H.W.G. Burton Sgt. Nesbitt W.A. P/S Pipe W.G. Sgt. Wairie J.B.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.18 03.57	GARDENING SORTIE BREAST AREA. Vegetables planted as ordered at 0105 hours from 600 feet. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, Assembly 108.	
	Wellington X HS 429	P/S Kennedy G.L. Sgt. McConnell Jones Sgt. Begg J. Sgt. Walker D.F. Sgt. Chard D.H.	Pilot Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.28 03.38	GARDENING SORTIE BREAST AREA. Vegetables planted as ordered at 0027 hours from 600 feet. Defences accurate but slight. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables Assembly 108.	

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				Up	Down		
16/4-17/4	Wellington X HS 993	P/S Conroy R.P. Sgt. Leitch G.A. Sgt. Gonsarro G.R. P/S Nelson G.A. Sgt. Burns J.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	21.26	03.45	MARSEILLE Attacked primary at 01.06 from 17000 feet. Bombs seen to explode on target. Three large fires and two big flashes seen. Moderately heavy flak. Landed at Wanston . Load carried: 1 x 500 lb. fused 37 pistol, 2 x 500 lb. GP. TD. .025 and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
20/4-21/4	Wellington X HS 635 D	P/L G. Pentony P/O J.G. Messenger P/O L.S. Thompson P/S Craig K.A. P/S Fitzgerald G.A.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.19	03.25	GARDENIE SORTIE BREST AREA Vegetables planted as ordered at 00.26 hours from 700 feet. No clouds + bright moonlight. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. Vegetables, Assembly 1 x 300 and 1 x 302.	
*	Wellington X HS 414 H	Sgt. Ellison R. Sgt. Balley W.G. Sgt. Horton H.S.J. Sgt. Nicholson S.G. Sgt. Mallamoy W.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.28	03.57	Port engine caught fire after leaving target (Brest) and pilot flew back to English coast on one engine but could not obtain more than 1,000 ft. Pilot carried out single engine approach and landing but aircraft swung off to starboard and hit a gully, whereupon it burst into flames. Port engine had been hit by flak over target. Crash landed at Spierden and burst into flames. No one hurt. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. Vegetables, Assembly 1 x 300 and 1 x 302.	
*	Wellington X HS 572 K	P/S Kiburns G.R. P/O H.W.G. Burton Sgt. Mahitt W.A. P/S Pipe W.G. Sgt. Quirie J.B.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.18	03.57	GARDENIE SORTIE BREST AREA Vegetables planted as ordered at 0107 hours from 900 feet. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, Assembly 108.	
*	Wellington X HS 429	P/S Kennedy G.L. Sgt. McConnell Jones Sgt. Bagg J. Sgt. Walker D.J. Sgt. Chard D.H.	Pilot Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.28	03.38	GARDENIE SORTIE BREST AREA Vegetables planted as ordered at 0027 hours from 600 feet. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, Assembly 108.	

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				Up	Down		
16/4-17/4	Wellington X HE 593	P/S Conroy R.P. Sgt. Leitch G.A. Sgt. Donnamo G.R. P/S Nelson G.A. Sgt. Burns J.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer W/Operator Air Gunner	21.26	03.45	MANSELD Attacked primary at 00.25 hours from 7000 feet. Bombs soon to explode on target. Three flashes seen and two big flashes seen. Moderately heavy rain. Crash landed at Hamerton. Load carried: 1 x 500 lb. fused GP. TD. 2 x 500 lb. GP. TD. 025 and 24 x 30 lb. incendiary.	
20/4-21/4	Wellington X HE 633 D	P/L G. Pentony P/O J.G. Messinger P/O L.S. Thompson P/S Craig K.A. P/S Fitzgerald G.A.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.19	03.25	GARDENING SORTIE BREAST AREA. Vegetables planted as ordered at 00.26 hours from 700 feet. Intense light FLAK in Breast area. Hit by FLAK and caught fire at French Coast on return. Crash landed at Eyster. A/G burst into flames. No one hurt. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, Assembly 108 and 1 x 500.	
"	Wellington X HE 414 H	Sgt. Ellison P. Sgt. Balley W.G. Sgt. Horton H.S.J. Sgt. Nicholson S.C. Sgt. Millamoy W.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.20	03.55	GARDENING SORTIE BREAST AREA. Vegetables planted as ordered at 0048 hours from 600 feet. Intense light FLAK in Breast area. Hit by FLAK and caught fire at French Coast on return. Crash landed at Eyster. A/G burst into flames. No one hurt. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, Assembly 1 x 300 and 1 x 500.	
"	Wellington X HE 572 K	P/S Kibbura G.R. P/O H.W.G. Burton Sgt. Hobbitt W.A. P/S Pipe W.G. Sgt. Quirie J.B.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.18	03.57	GARDENING SORTIE BREAST AREA. Vegetables planted as ordered at 0105 hours from 600 feet. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, Assembly 108.	
"	Wellington X HE 429	P/S Kennedy G.L. Sgt. McConnell Jones Sgt. Begg J. Sgt. Walker D.J. Sgt. Chard D.H.	Pilot Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	21.28	03.58	GARDENING SORTIE BREAST AREA. Vegetables planted as ordered at 0027 hours from 600 feet. Descent accurate but slight. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables Assembly 108.	

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				Up	Down		
20/21/4	Wellington X	Sgt. Hansen S.	Captain	21.21	03.20	GARDENSIDE SORTIE BEST AREA. Vegetables planted as ordered at 0034 hours from 730 feet. Load carried 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, assembly 108.	
	HS 982	Sgt. Brown M.P.	Navigator				
		P/S Purchase F.S.	B/Aimer				
		Sgt. Mitchell S.G.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Lane F.S.	A/Gunner				
"	Wellington X	P/S Conroy R.F.	Captain	21.23	04.36	GARDENSIDE SORTIE BEST AREA Vegetables brought back as pin points were not found. Target not identified after searching for 30 minutes.	
	HS 993	Sgt. Leitch G.A.	Navigator				
		Sgt. Deansmore G.R.	B/Aimer				
		P/S Nelson G.A.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Burns J.	A/Gunner				
26/21/4	Wellington X	P/S Kimbura G.R.	Captain	0048	0339	DUSKIEE Attacked primary at 0240 hours from 16000 feet. Clear - haze. Result not observed. Target a mass of small fires. Attack concentrated. Load carried: 3 x 500lb. MI. TD. .025, 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries.	
	HS 912	P/O H.W.G. Burdon	Navigator				
	L	Sgt. Heabitt W.A.	B/Aimer				
		P/S Pipe W.G.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Quirie J.B.	A/Gunner				
"	Wellington X	P/S Hayes T.S.	Captain	0051	0348	DUSKIEE Attacked primary at 0245 hours from 17200 feet. Many small fires seen. Defences strong and searchlights a nuisance. Load carried: 3 x 500 MI. TD. .025, 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries.	
	HS 354	Sgt. Lewis A.	Navigator				
	C	Sgt. Banks T.S.	B/Aimer				
		Sgt. Ispey R.A.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Monty C.S.	A/Gunner				
"	Wellington X	Sgt. De Bussac G.H.	Captain	0035	0340	DUSKIEE Attacked primary at 0230 hours from 17000 feet. Own results not observed. Six large fires and many small ones seen. Searchlights accurate and a nuisance. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. MI. TD. .025, 24 x 30 lb incendiaries and 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries.	
	HS 572	P/S Spence M.B.	Navigator				
	K	P/O W.A. Follows	B/Aimer				
		P/Sgt. Coe G.D.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Palmatier D.S.	A/Gunner				

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25/4-27/4	Wellington X	P/L G. Pembrey	Captain	0050	0517	<p>MISBURE Attacked primary at 0232 hours from 17000 feet.</p> <p>Clear - excellent visibility. Own bombs not observed.</p> <p>Raid well concentrated. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. MC. TD. .025, 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries.</p>	
	HE 312	P/O J.G. Messenger	Navigator				
	F	P/O L.S. Thompson	B/Aimer				
		P/S Craig K.A.	W/Operator				
		P/S Fitzgerald G.A.	A/Gunner				
"	Wellington X	Sgt. Bruce S.M.	Captain	0056	0520	<p>MISBURE Attacked primary at 0228 hours from 16000 feet.</p> <p>FFF quite satisfactory. Attack appeared concentrated.</p> <p>Load carried: One 4000 lb. bomb.</p>	
	IN 438	Sgt. Clark G.A.	2nd Pilot				
	M	P/O M.J.M. Legesse	Navigator				
		Sgt. Carthorn W.J.	B/Aimer				
		P/S Godden R.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Strachan S.	A/Gunner				
"	Wellington X	Sgt. Fendleton J.S.	Captain	0045	0528	<p>MISBURE Attacked primary at 0226 hours from 16000 feet.</p> <p>Defences fairly intense - especially searchlights. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. MC. TD. .025, 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries.</p>	
	HS 589	Sgt. Collins D.	Navigator				
		P/O G. Jarvis	B/Aimer				
		Sgt. White R.G.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Pierce R.B.J.	A/Gunner				
"	Wellington X	P/O B.A. Geale	Captain	0049	0536	<p>MISBURE Attacked primary at 0243 hours from 14000 feet.</p> <p>Searchlights very effective. Load carried: 1 x 4000 lb. bomb.</p>	
	MS 474	P/O H.A. Tannis	Navigator				
		P/S Vose J.S.	B/Aimer				
		Sgt. Piggott J.	W/Operator				
		P/S Anglin W.S.	A/Gunner				
"	Wellington X	Sgt. Hansen S.	Captain	0046		<p>MISBURE This aircraft was not reported after leaving base.</p> <p>Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. MC. TD. .025, 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries.</p>	
	HS 382	Sgt. Thompson G.K.	2nd Pilot				
		Sgt. Brown M.P.	Navigator				
		P/S Purchase P.H.	B/Aimer				
		Sgt. Mitchfield R.G.	W/Operator				
		Sgt. Lane P.S.	A/Gunner				

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				Up	Down		
23/21/4	Wellington X HS 993	P/S Genvey E.F. Sgt Leitch G.A. Sgt Penmore G.H. W/Sgt Nelson G.A. Sgt Burns J.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	0047	0931	<u>BUIBUB</u> Attacked primary at 0237 hours from 17500 feet. Own results not observed. Many small fires seen. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. MD. TD. 025, 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries.	
*	Wellington X HS 777	S/L J.C. Cairns DEI Sgt. Sabbett K.S. P/O Larkins R. P/L C.M.S. Awad P/S Lang R.F. P/O S. Poyer	Captain 2nd Pilot Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	0059		<u>BUIBUB</u> This aircraft was not reported after leaving base. Load carried: 3 x 500 lb. MD. TD. 025, 24 x 30 lb. incendiaries and 270 x 4 lb. incendiaries. <i>Load - 3 x 500 lb., 24 x 30 lb., 270 x 4 lb.</i>	
27/23/4	Wellington X HZ 312 F	P/L G. Pantouy P/O L.E. Thompson P/O J.S. Messenger P/S Craig K.A. P/S Fitzgerald G.A.	Captain B/Aimer Navigator W/Operator A/Gunner	0945	0442	<u>TESROLL GARDENING SORTIE</u> Vegetables planted as ordered from 700 feet at 0304 hours. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, assembly 1 x 102 and 1 x 108.	
*	Wellington X HZ 363 E	P/S Hayes T.S. Sgt Lewis A. Sgt Banks T.S. Sgt Impey R.A. Sgt Monty G.S.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator A/Gunner	0149	0502	<u>Gardening sortie TESROLL</u> Vegetables planted as ordered at 0317 hours from 1000 feet. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, 1 x 102 and 1 x 108.	
*	Wellington X HS 572 H	Sgt. De Bussac G.H. P/S Spence M.B. P/O W.A. Fellows P/S Cox G.D. Sgt. Alastair D.E.	Captain Navigator B/Aimer W/Operator	0150	0514	<u>GARDENING SORTIE TESROLL</u> Vegetables planted as ordered from 800 feet at 0314 hours. Parachutes seen to open. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, assembly 1 x 102 and 1 x 108.	

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27/28/4	Wellington X	Sgt Bruce S.M.	Captain	0152	0453	GARDENING SORTIE TRESPOLI. Vegetables planted as ordered at 0310 hours from 800 feet. Parachutes seen to open. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, assembly 1 x 102 and 1 x 108.	
	HS 913	P/O M.J.M. Lagasse	Navigator				
	L	Sgt Carstern W.J.	B/Aimer				
		P/S Godian R.	W/Operator				
		Sgt Palmstier D.E.	A/Gunner				
"	Wellington X	S/L A.P.S. Chipling	Captain	0155	0508	GARDENING SORTIE TRESPOLI. Vegetables planted as ordered at 0315 hours from 700 feet. Parachutes seen to open. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, assembly 1 x 102 and 1 x 108.	
	HS 696	P/O O.N.W. Baker	Navigator				
	T	P/O E.I. Bonner	B/Aimer				
		P/S Edmonds P.C.	W/Operator				
		P/S Litson F.W.R.	A/Gunner				
"	Wellington X	P/S Courvoisier R.P.	Captain	0157	0511	GARDENING SORTIE TRESPOLI. Vegetables planted as ordered at 0320 hours from 900 feet. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, assembly 1 x 102 and 1 x 108.	
	HS 793	Sgt Leitch G.A.	Navigator				
		Sgt Donmore G.R.	B/Aimer				
		P/S Nelson G.A.	W/Operator				
		Sgt Burns J.	A/Gunner				
28/29/4	Wellington X	S/L A.P.S. Chipling	Captain	2100	0132	GARDENING SORTIE BELLEVILLE. Vegetables planted as ordered from 700 feet at 2304 hours. Load carried: 2 x 1500 lb. vegetables, assembly 708.	
	HS 763	P/O O.N.W. Baker	Navigator				
	A	P/O E.I. Bonner	B/Aimer				
		P/S Edmonds P.C.	W/Operator				
		P/S Litson F.W.R.	A/Gunner				
"	Wellington X	P/O J.A.R. Lancaster	Captain	2101	0149	GARDENING SORTIE BELLEVILLE. No attack made as unable to locate garden. A/C overshoot on landing. Crew unhurt.	
	HS 635	P/S Hale R.W.	Navigator				
		Sgt Boyne L.J.	B/Aimer				
		P/S Thom A.L.	W/Operator				
		Sgt Rabinovitch M.	A/Gunner				

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