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DATE	AIRCRAFT TYPE & NUMBER	CREW	DUTY	TIME		DETAILS OF SORTIE OR FLIGHT	REFERENCES
				Up	Down		
15/16th February	Halifax III LN. 423	F/S. Helmsley, L. F/O. Lancaster, J. F/S. Irwin, R. M. F/S. Brakes, B. E. Sgt. Binnie, N. Sgt. Harrop, F. G. Sgt. Waller, H.	Bombing	17.32	00.15	Target BSB. IN. 11 aircraft attacked target between 2118 and 2131 hours, height 19,000 to 22,000 feet. Bombs dropped: 264 x 30 lb., 7920 x 4 lb., 990 x 4 lb. "I". Attack appeared to be successful but owing to all aircraft being early in attack and 10/10th cloud not much could be seen. Heavy flak was slight and in barrage form and searchlights not effective. Some aircraft report fire glow could be seen against cloud. All aircraft landed away from base.	
15/16th February	Halifax III LN. 388	F/S. Keegan, E. F/O. Knox, K. W. Sgt. Springett, G. A. WO2 Myers, F. G. Sgt. Ryan, R. E. Sgt. Meech, M. E. Sgt. Howson, G. B.	Bombing	17.37	00.20		
15/16th February	Halifax III LN. 426 "Q"	F/O. Calder, D. H. F/S. Ritchie, G. A. Sgt. Gummings, R. E. Sgt. DeWail, F. E. Sgt. Gough, F. F. Sgt. Anderson, R. A. Sgt. Heidman, W. H.	Bombing	17.29	23.55		
15/16th February	Halifax III LN. 476	F/L. Northern, E. F/O. Morrison, F. W. Sgt. Monaghan, H. J. J. Sgt. Freeman, E. E. Sgt. Franklin, L. F/O. Clement, I. F. Sgt. Young, W. H.	Bombing	17.31	23.50		
15/16th February	Halifax III LN. 420 "U"	F/O. Halesney, L. F/O. Arnston, F. A. F/O. Patterson, E. D. WO2 Bourdot, W. In Sgt. Eden, S. J. Sgt. Oswald, H. C. Sgt. Hargon, T. C.	Bombing	17.35	23.47		
15/16th February	Halifax III LN. 373 "W"	WO2 Walker, J. F/O. Cook, C. T. F/S. Richee, A. F. Sgt. Smith, R. G. Sgt. Moss, J. D. Sgt. Graham, D. A. Sgt. Stinson, D.	Bombing	17.25	00.05		
15/16th February	Halifax III LN. 393 "P"	F/O. McIntosh, D. W. F. F/O. Dodge, J. S. H. F/O. Greenhalgh, L. B. Sgt. James, B. F/S. Tyler, J. WO1 McDonald, J. A. F/O. Hall, A. H. B. F/O. Alberts, K. J.	Bombing	17.26	00.06		

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21/25th February	Halifax III LN-390 A	F/O Elco, H.W. Sgt. Finner, G.Ce F/O Little, H.L. F/O MacLachlan, G. Lt. Thomson, J.C. Sgt. Baird, J.D. Sgt. Bushell, P.C.	Bombing	18.16	02.18		
21/25th February	Halifax III LN-393 P	W/O Doolan, J.H. W/O Harris, J.H.P. W/O O'Hara, J.A.K. Sgt. Harlow, G. Sgt. Johnston, A. F/O MacFarland, A. Sgt. Zylla, G.	Bombing	18.20	02.23		
21/25th February	Halifax III LN-380 B	F/O McLaughry, L.P. F/O Patterson, H.H. F/O MacIntyre, P.H. W/O Stewart, W.L. Sgt. Ferguson, P.C. Sgt. Oswald, H.C. Sgt. Wilson, H.J.	Bombing	18.27	02.08		
21/25th February	Halifax III LN-366 V	W/O Leonard, H.G. W/O Wilson, H.G. F/O MacLennan, A. Sgt. Wheelhouse, G. Sgt. Douglas, J. Sgt. Anderson, H.A. Sgt. Gough, P.	Bombing	18.20	02.27		
21/25th February	Halifax III LN-373 W	W/O Wilson, H.H. F/O Wilson, L.P. F/O Cook, G.H. W/O Lafarge, H.B. Sgt. Steiner, H.H. Sgt. Graham, D.A. Sgt. MacKay, J.H.	Bombing	18.18	02.39		
21/25th February	Halifax III LN-427 C	F/O Long, H.H. Sgt. MacIntyre, H.H. Sgt. Olin, H.H. - USAF W/O Wright, H.A. Sgt. Hink, H.H. Sgt. Gray, H.H. Sgt. Pettit, H.H.	Bombing	18.15		Aircraft missing.	
23/26th February	Halifax III LN-386	Sgt. Laporte, P.J. Sgt. MacIntyre, P.J. F/O Little, H.W. Sgt. Mac, H.W. Sgt. MacIntyre, J. Sgt. Stewart, W. Sgt. MacIntyre, G. F/O MacLachlan, G.	Bombing	21.25	01.51	Target AIRBURN, attacked between 0115 and 0125 hours, height 22,000 to 23,500 feet. Smoke incendiaries. Crews report fires all over the town with large columns of black smoke rising up to 14,000 feet. The P.P.F. were on time and the markers were well concentrated. Weather over target was clear with slight ground haze, probably smoke. All aircraft attempted photographs. 1 few fighters seen in the target area.	

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25/26th February	Halifax III LN. 300	F/S. Keegan, J. G. Sgt. Springinotic, A.V. F/O. Dunn, F. W. W/O. Myers, F. J. Sgt. Brown, G. H. Sgt. Brown, K. L. Sgt. Jones, P. E.	Bombing	21.41	04.22		
25/26th February	Halifax III LN. 476	F/O. Turner, A. F/O. Porterfield, R. D. F/O. Dunbar, B. F. Sgt. Austin, J. Sgt. Gallagher, D. Sgt. Price, H. E. Sgt. Fisher, A. F.	Bombing	21.26	04.14		
25/26th February	Halifax III LN. 389 N	S/L. Beall, G. G. F/O. Robinson, F. J. F/O. Anderson, R. J. Sgt. Woolley, D. E. Sgt. Stalton, W. E. F/O. Goodall, A. F. Sgt. Wilson, W.	Bombing	21.25	04.24		
25/26th February	Halifax III LN. 393 P	W/O. McIntosh, D. H.C. F/O. Kelly, F. G. F/O. Dodge, J. S. H. F/O. Jones, B. F/O. Hall, A. H. H. W/O. McDonald, L. A. F/O. Tyler, J.	Bombing	21.21	05.20		
25/26th February	Halifax III LN. 366 V	F/S. Hardy, W. B. W/O. Leonard, R. G. W/O. Wilson, H. G. F/S. Warren, A. Sgt. Whelton, C. J. Sgt. Bourcier, J. Sgt. Anderson, R. J. Sgt. Ough, P.	Bombing	21.30	04.47		
25/26th February	Halifax III LN. 420 SU	F/O. Mahony, L. F. F/O. Patterson, R. D. F/O. Armstrong, F. G. W/O. Bourdet, H. L. Sgt. Bargon, F. G. - RAY Sgt. Connell, H. G. Sgt. Men, G. J. - RAY F/S. Bennett, G. M.	Bombing	21.27		Aircraft failed to return.	
15/16th February	Halifax III LN. 392 S	F/O. Long, H. H. Sgt. Giles, L. A. Sgt. Richardson, B. W/O. Knight, M. Sgt. Botterill, W. H. Sgt. Crowley, B. Sgt. Hirst, H. E.	Bombing	17.54	00.02		

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15/26th February	Halifax III LN. 300	F/O Keegan, J. G. Sgt. Springthorpe, A.F. F/O KERRY, F. V. W/O Myers, F. J. Sgt. Brown, G. H. Sgt. Birch, K. E. Sgt. Jones, P. E.	Bombing	21.41	04.22		
25/26th February	Halifax III LN. 476	F/O Timmer, A. F/O Portersfield, R. D. F/O Dunster, B. F. Sgt. Austin, J. Sgt. Callaghan, D. Sgt. Price, H. E. Sgt. Fisher, A. F.	Bombing	21.26	04.14		
25/26th February	Halifax III LN. 389	S/L. Neall, G. G. F/O Robinson, F. J. F/O Anderson, R. A. Sgt. Rodley, D. E. Sgt. Stainton, W. E. F/O Goodall, A. F. Sgt. Haskins, E.	Bombing	21.25	04.24		
25/26th February	Halifax III LN. 393	W/O Blairlock, D. F. G. F/O Kelly, R. G. F/O Dodgson, J. S. H. F/O Jones, R. F/O Hill, A. H. B. W/O McDonald, I. A. F/O Taylor, J. F/O Hardy, W. E.	Bombing	21.21	05.20		
25/26th February	Halifax III LN. 366	W/O Leonard, R. G. W/O Wilson, R. G. F/O Warren, A. Sgt. Wheelhouse, G. J. Sgt. Bourcier, J. Sgt. Anderson, R. A. Sgt. Cough, P.	Bombing	21.30	04.47		
25/26th February	Halifax III LN. 420	F/O Mahoney, L. F. F/O Patterson, R. D. F/O Armstrong, F. L. W/O Bourde, W. L. Sgt. Burgen, F. G. - R.A.F. Sgt. Oswald, H. G. Sgt. Egan, S. J. - R.A.F. F/O Bennett, G. M.	Bombing	21.27		Aircraft failed to return.	
15/16th February	Halifax III LN. 392	F/O Long, H. H. Sgt. Gile, L. J. Sgt. Richardson, B. W/O Knight, H. Sgt. Botterill, W. H. Sgt. Crowley, B. Sgt. Hirst, H. E.	Bombing	17.54	00.02		

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7/8th March	Halifax III <u>LM 373</u>	WO2 Walker, H.R. F/S. Riches, A.S. F/O. Cook, C.T. WO Lefurgey, H.B. Sgt. Stinson, D.S. F/L. Nevins, C.W.	Bombing	1847	0015	Target LEMANS: Five aircraft attacked target from 2123 and 2147 hours, from 12,000 feet. Bombs, 6x1000 + 9x500. FFF markers were absent at Wave zero hours, causing large numbers of aircraft to circle over approximate target area waiting for markers. This caused the majority of aircraft to bomb late. Number of bomb bursts and flashes soon reflected on clouds. Large explosions white turning red in colour, seen. Weather 10/10th cloud over target, tops 6/8000 ft.	
7/8th March	Halifax III <u>LM 380</u>	F/S. Geffey, J.R. Sgt. Dingwall, M.M. F/O. Bayne, R.J. WO. Rutherglen, R.A. Sgt. Hart, K.A. Sgt. McWhirter, R.E. Sgt. Porter, W.	Bombing	1838	0007		
7/8th March	Halifax III <u>LM 382</u>	WO Leonard, R.G. WO Wilson, H.G. F/S. Warren, A. Sgt. Wheelhouse, G. Sgt. Bouscain, J. Sgt. Anderson, R.A. Sgt. Wyatt, R.E.	Bombing	1848	0002		
13/14th March	Halifax III <u>LM 386</u>	F/S. Lapointe, P.J. Sgt. Monaghan, R.J. F/S. Michie, R.W. Sgt. Bear, E.W. Sgt. McDougall, J. Sgt. Stobbart, W. Sgt. Eliwood, G.	Bombing	2231	0347	Target LEMANS: Eight ^{Eight} aircraft attacked target from 0042 and 0059 hours from 13,000 feet. Bombs, 6x1000 + 9x500. Attack appeared to be successful - bombs bursts observed around Red T.I. and smoke seen rising from 14,000 feet after bombing. FFF and route were good. Weather clear little if any cloud. Wis: good photos attempted - no results known yet.	
13/14th March	Halifax III <u>LM 380</u>	F/S. Coffey, J.R. Sgt. Dingwall, M.M. F/O. Bayne, R.J. WO2. Rutherglen, R.A. Sgt. Hart, K.A. Sgt. McWhirter, R.E. Sgt. Peters, W.	Bombing	2226	0401		
13/14th March	Halifax III <u>xw 419</u>	F/S. Holloway, L. F/S. Erwin, R.M. F/O. Lancaster, J.D. F/S. Evans, B.E. Sgt. Waller, H. Sgt. Harrop, F.G. F/S. Tyler, J.	Bombing	2231	0359		
13/14th March	Halifax III <u>LM 421</u>	S/L. McKenna, C.A. F/O. Greenhalgh, I.B. F/O. Bellantyne, E.H. F/S. Wilson, P.R. Sgt. Clayton, W. Sgt. Dower, E.B. Sgt. McArdle, J.	Bombing	2233	0431		

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26/27th March	Halifax III LN. 300 WZ 503	P/O. Plumm, G.A. P/O. Porterfield, R.A. P/S. Dunster, R.F. Sgt. Austin, J.E. Sgt. Price, H.E. Sgt. Gallagher, R. Sgt. Pinder, A. S/L. Beall, G.C.	Bombing	2014	0113	Target EISEN. Aircraft attacked target from 21,000 feet between 2202 and 2216 hours. Black smoke rising to 22,000 feet H/P light to moderate in barrage form up to 24,000 feet. Weather 10/10th clouds in layers 8,000 feet.	
26/27th March	Halifax III LN. 389 N	P/O. Robinson, F.J. P/O. Andrews, E.J. P/O. Woolley, D.E. Sgt. Stainton, W.F. P/O. Goodall, A.F. Sgt. Hicken, W. WO2. Leonard, R.C. WO2. Wilson, H.C. P/S. Marson, A. Sgt. MacLennan, G.I. Sgt. Bourcier, J. Sgt. Anderson, R.A. Sgt. Gough, P.F.	Bombing	2022	2219	Returned early.	
26/27th March	Halifax III LN. 590 R	P/O. Kruger, P.F. WO2. Mills, E.E. P/O. McInnis, S.G. P/S. Moore, R.A. Sgt. MacLennan, E.V. Sgt. Mansion, P.E. Sgt. Brown, J. WO2. Broadway, J.E. P/O. Barrie, R.H.P. WO2. O'Sullivan, L.J.	Bombing	2021	0123		
26/27th March	Halifax III LN. 502 "U"	Sgt. Johnston, A. P/S. Crawford, A. Sgt. Ryalls, T.J. P/L. Deegan, R.C. P/S. Anderson, R. P/S. Axford, G.A. P/O. Smith, J.A. Sgt. Gibbs, H.J. P/S. Robois, P.A. Sgt. Corbitt, J.G.A. Sgt. Sled, J.E. Sgt. Brodie, B. Sgt. Helle, K.P. Sgt. Gallagher, J.F. Sgt. Sweeney, R.H. Sgt. Watts, W. P/O. Himpel, E.E. Sgt. Jarvis, W.E. P/O. Thompson, R. P/O. King, B.S. Sgt. Macneil, W.J. Sgt. Orbeck, G.A. Sgt. Miller, J.	Bombing	2024	0153		
26/27th March	Halifax III LN. 505 X		Bombing	2017	0138		
26/27th March	Halifax III LN. 676 "Y"		Bombing	2035	2319	Returned early.	
26/27th March	Halifax III LN. 392		Bombing	2023	0129		
26/27th March	Halifax III LN. 386 A		Bombing	2015	0133		

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30/31st March	Halifax III LN. 389 N	S/L. Beall, G.S. P/O. Robinson, F.J. P/O. Andrews, E. P/O. Woolley, D.W. Sgt. Stainth, W.T. P/O. Goodall, A.F. Sgt. Hicker, W. P/O. Brickett, D.H.O.	Bombing	2152	0526	12 aircraft attacked, two returned early between 0115 and 0125 hours from 20,000 feet, Bombs, 50x30, 100x2, attack appeared successful with PFF markers and flares rather widely spread. Several crews reported explosions weather: cloud was 5/10 to 10/10th thin at 20,000 feet with thin layer of clouds about 10,000 feet. <i>LANDED AT THORNEY ISLAND.</i>
30/31st March	Halifax III LN. 590 R	P/O. Heimpel, E.S. Sgt. Jarvis, W.E. P/O. Thompson, R. P/O. King, B.S. Sgt. Bereaford, W. Sgt. Orbeck, G. Sgt. Miller, J.	Bombing	2151	0006	Returned early. Hydralics U/S.
30/31st March	Halifax III LN. 592 S	Sgt. Sted, J.E. Sgt. Brodie, B. Sgt. Rolfe, K. Sgt. Brennan, G.J. Sgt. Gallagher J.F. Sgt. Spears, R. Sgt. Watts, W.	Bombing	2206	0548	
30/31st March	Halifax III LN. 645 T	WO2. Beadway, J.M. P/O. Harris, A.M.P. WO2. O'Shail, L.J. Sgt. Harle, S. Sgt. Johnson, A. P/S. Crawford, A. Sgt. Ryalls, T.J.	Bombing	2155	0608	
30/31st March	Halifax III 502 MZ U	P/O. Bruger, F.C. WO2. Mills, K.E. P/O. McInnis, E.G. P/S. Moore, R.A. Sgt. Smilling, E.W. Sgt. Menzies, P.E. Sgt. Brown, S.	Bombing	2216	0109	Returned early. Oxygen failure.
30/31st March	Halifax III LN. 692 V	WO2. Leonard, R.G. WO2. Wilson, H.C. P/S. Warren, A. Sgt. Wheelhouse, O.G. Sgt. Mease, F.O.B. Sgt. Anderson, R.A. Sgt. Gough, P.F.	Bombing	2208	0539	<i>LANDED AT CORB.</i>
30/31st March	Halifax III LN. 676 Y	P/L. Deegan, R.C. P/S. Anderson, R.C. P/S. Arford, C.A. P/O. Smith, J.A. Sgt. Gibbs, H.J. P/S. Dubois, P.A. Sgt. Corbeil, J.C.A.	Bombing	2207	0509	<i>LANDED AT THORNEY ISLAND.</i>

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April 9/10	Halifax III LN. 389 "F"	S/L Beall, G.S. P/O Robinson, F.J. P/O Andrews, E.J. P/O Woolley, D.W. Sgt. Harvey, F.V. P/O Goodall, A.P. Sgt. Hickox, V.	Bombing	2124	0242	Target VILLAGE ST. GEORGE, GEORGIA. Bombs, 621000, 2x500, M.C. Attached target at 0013 hrs. from 15,000 feet many bomb bursts around T.I. area. Two orange explosions seen at 0004 hrs. George U/S. Attack well concentrated - PFF Red T.I. TIMED AT 0009½ and 0010½ hrs. Route O.K.	
April 9/10	Halifax III LN. 392 "F" LN. 345 "F"	W/O Beadway, J.M. P/O Harris, A.M.P. W/O O'Sullivan, L.J. Sgt. Harle, S. Sgt. Johnson, A.T. P/S Crawford, A. Sgt. Ryalls, T.J.	Bombing	2055	0243	Target VILLAGE ST. GEORGE, GEORGIA. Bombs, 621000, 2x500 M.C. Attached target at 0002 hrs from 14,000 feet. Many bomb bursts around markers, orange explosion 0003½ hrs. followed by thick black foggy smoke to 14,000 feet. Good attack - route good - PFF, O.K.	
April 9/10	Halifax III LN. 392 "B"	Sgt. Sled, J.E. Sgt. Brodie, B. Sgt. Ballo, K.P. Sgt. Brennan, G. Sgt. Gallagher, J. Sgt. Spears, E.H. Sgt. Shand, J. P/S Fog, H.G.	Bombing	2114	0257	Target VILLAGE ST. GEORGE, GEORGIA. Attached target at 0012 hrs from 14,500 feet. Numerous bomb bursts around T.I. Bombs, 62000, 2x500, M.C. 1x2000 hung up. A good attack route good, PFF good 1/2 at 0014, 23 1/2 hrs.	
April 9/10	Halifax III LN. 692 "B"	P/S Oliver, W.K. P/S Wood, W. Sgt. Parks, W. Sgt. Springstein, G. Sgt. Hebert, H. Sgt. Wyatt, R.E.	Bombing	2105	0305	Target VILLAGE ST. GEORGIA. Bombs, 621000, 2x500 Attached target at 0004 hrs. from 15,000 feet. T.I. Red seen exploding at 0003 hrs. Bomb bursts well concentrated around T.I. 1x2000 jettisoned live. Loose in bomb bay. 0256 hours - 5x06N 0040E. Considered a successful trip. Arrived at target early owing to winds on outward route.	
April 9/10	Halifax III LN. 609 "B"	W/O Leonard, R.G. W/O Wilson, H.G. P/S Warren, A. Sgt. Beelhouse, C.G. Sgt. Lewis, E.C. Sgt. Anderson, R.A. Sgt. Gough, P.F.	Bombing	2053	0214	Target VILLAGE ST. GEORGIA. Bombs, 621000, 2x500, M.C. Attached target at 0004 hrs. from 15,000 feet. Markers, T.I. red and green both, also ground detail clearly visible. Bombing appeared to be well concentrated around T.I. A large explosion lasting for several seconds seen George U/S. Monica U/S. Good trip - target clearly visible.	
April 9/10	Halifax III LN. 905 "A"	P/S McKay, R.H. P/S Irwin, A.H.O. P/S Anderson, H. P/O King, H.S. Sgt. Pelletier, G. P/S Tait, R.W. Sgt. Ashby, H.J.	Bombing	2109	0227	Target VILLAGE ST. GEORGIA. Bombs, 621000, 2x500 M.C. Attached target at 0004 hours from 15,000 feet. Two big explosions yellowish in colour, at 0004 hrs. which lasted for 10 seconds and seemed to hang in the air. The bombing was very good and the raid should be a success. The PFF were bang on time.	
April 9/10	Halifax III LN. 676 "A"	P/O Walker, J.R. P/S Riches, A.F. P/O Cook, G.T. Sgt. Harveys, R.E. Sgt. Stinson, D.S. Sgt. Graham, D.A. Sgt. Moss, J.D.	Bombing	2110	0255	Target VILLAGE ST. GEORGIA. Bombs, 621000, 2x500 M.C. Attached target at 0014 hrs. from 15,000 feet. Cluster of Red T.I. Bombs was concentrated and many bursts were seen around Red T.I.'s. One big explosion which lasted for ten minutes. One small fire seen on left target. 2x500 bombs jettisoned at 5000N 0020E, 0108 hrs. 15,000 ft. Route O.K. and PFF were bang on. Should be a real prange	

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April 10/11	Halifax III LW. 392 "S"	Sgt. Sled, J.E. Sgt. Bredie, B. Sgt. Belle, K.P. Sgt. Brennan, G. Sgt. Gallagher, J. Sgt. Spears, B.H. Sgt. Hodgson, J.W.	Bombing	2054	0053	Target GHEM Bombs 9x1000, 6x500, M.C. Attacked target at 2248 hrs. from 13,000 feet Centre of T.I.'s which went down at 2244 hrs. Bombs seen bursting around T.I. Appeared very good raid and well concentrated.	
April 10/11	Halifax III LW. 692 "V"	WO2. Leonard, R.G. WO2. Wilson, H.C. P/S. Warren, A. Sgt. Dealhouse, C.G. Sgt. Masse, J.O.B. Sgt. Anderson, R.A. Sgt. Cough, P.F.	Bombing	2045	0036	Target GHEM Bombs 9x1000, 6x500, M.C. Attacked target at 2251 hrs; from 13,000 feet. Some of the bombing seemed to be going to the south of the markers, but the raid seemed fairly good. P.F.F. were bang on time and the raid should be successful.	
April 10/11	Halifax III MX. 505 "X"	P/S. McKay, B.M. P/S. Erwin, A.R.O. P/S. Anderson, H. P/O. King, R.S. Sgt. Pelletier, G. P/S. Pitt, H.W.	Bombing	2041	0037	Target GHEM Bombs 9x1000, 6x500 M.C. Attacked target at 2248 hrs; from 14,000 feet. Bombs were bursting in target area T.I.'s seemed to be scattered P.F.F. were on time and the raid looked like a real effort.	
April 10/11	Halifax III LW. 676 "Y"	Sgt. Ashby, R.J. P/O. Walker, J.R. P/S. Riches, A.F. P/O. Cook, G.E. WO1. Lefurgey, H.R. Sgt. Stinson, R.S. Sgt. Graham, D.A. Sgt. Moss, J.D.	Bombing	2053	0054	Target GHEM; Bombs 9x1000, 6x500 M.C. Attacked target at 2248 hrs. from 13,000 feet River seen. PFF concentrated. Many bomb bursts around T.I.'s. A good route concentration of A/C in target area.	
April 10/11	Halifax III LW. 645 "T"	P/O. Alberts, E.J. P/O. Holland, J.R. WO2. Newask, J. Sgt. Pelleck, E.H. Sgt. Wallace, A.W. Sgt. Oxner, G. Sgt. Harrod, E.	Bombing	2039	0021	Target GHEM Bombs 9x1000, 6x500 M.C. Attacked target at 2245 hrs. from 13,000 feet. Green T.I. in vicinity Red T.I. Concentration. Bombs bursts around T.I.'s. Good raid PFF O.K. - route trouble free.	
April 18/19	Halifax III EW. 905 "Z" LW 421 "M"	S/L. McKenna, G.A. P/O. Greenhalgh, L. P/O. Ballantyne, B.H. P/S. Wilson, F.H. Sgt. Clayton, W. Sgt. Dower, L.B. Sgt. Mcardle, J.	Bombing	2045	0203	Target MOIST LE-SBC: Bombs, 6x1000, 9x500, M.C. Attacked target at 2350 hrs. from 15,000 feet. Cluster of Red and Green T.I.'s seen. Bomb bursts concentrated around T.I. Markers. Also fires and series of explosions on West end of Target. 1X1000 bomb hung-up. Attack appeared to be very good. Commentary appeared to be jammed. PFF O.K.	
April 18/19	Halifax III LW. 386 "A"	P/O. Lapointe, P.J. Sgt. Monaghan, R.J. P/S. Michie, R.W. P/O. Hawkins, A. Sgt. MacDougall, J. Sgt. Stobart, W. Sgt. Ellwood, G.	Bombing	2050	0236	Target MOIST) LE-SBC: Attacked target at 0002 hrs. from 15,000 feet; Bombs 6x1000, 9x500 M.C. Two clusters of Red and Green T.I.'s close together but few bomb bursts were seen. Two fairly large explosions seen after leaving the target area. PFF were bang on. No Master of Ceremonies. Attack opened with Red T.I.	

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April 18/19	Halifax III LN. 392 "S"	P/O Wilker, J.R. P/S Riches, A.F. P/O Cook, C.T. P/S James, B. Sgt. Stinson, G.S. Sgt. Graham, D.A. Sgt. Moss, J.D.	Bombing	2114	0120	Target NOISY LE SEC: Bombs, 6x1000, 9x500 Attacked target at 2357 hrs from 15,000 feet. 1x1000 lb bomb hung up and jettisoned alive. Bomb bursts around target A/C hit by bomb from friendly aircraft. Leading edge of wing hit Landed at Ford due to loss of height. Raid appeared to be O.K. but owing to seeing bombs dropped by A/C above further observations were not taken.	
April 18/19	Halifax III LN. 645 "T"	P/O. Roadway, J.M. P/O. Harris, A.M.P. WO2. O'Shell, I.W. Sgt. Harle, S. Sgt. Johnson, J. (Johndon, A.) P/S. Crawford, A. Sgt. Ryalls, T.J. WO2. Leonard, R.G. WO2. Wilson, H.C. P/S. Warren, A. Sgt. Wheelhouse, C.G. Sgt. Bouncier, J.P. Sgt. Anderson, H. (Sgt. Gough, P.F.)	Bombing	2100	0115	Target NOISY LE SEC. Bombs 6x1000, 9x500 Attacked target at 2358 hrs. from 15,000 feet. Cluster of Red and Green T.I. Fire could be seen after leaving target Attack appeared to be good. Three A/C with bomb doors open caused us to hurry. PFF O.K.	
April 18/19	Halifax III LN. 692 "V"	WO2. Leonard, R.G. WO2. Wilson, H.C. P/S. Warren, A. Sgt. Wheelhouse, C.G. Sgt. Bouncier, J.P. Sgt. Anderson, H. (Sgt. Gough, P.F.)	Bombing	2104	0229	Target NOISY LE SEC: Bombs 6x1000, 9x500 Attacked target at 0000 1/4 hrs from 15,000 feet PFF well concentrated. Large yellow explosion seen at 0007 hrs. PFF seemed bang on! Appeared to be a good show. Friendly aircraft seen to blow up in front of us.	
April 18/19	Halifax III ME 505 "X"	P/O. Tait, R.W. (P/S Irwin) Sgt. Elliotter, G. (P/S Anderson) Sgt. Aahby, B.J.	Bombing	2052	0227	Target NOISY LE SEC: Bombs 6x1000, 9x500 M.C. Attacked target at 0000 hrs. from 15,000 feet Cluster of Red and Green PFF T.I.'s. One large fire seen in T/A Bomb bursts and fires seen after leaving target area. 1x1000 lb bomb hung up. Very good attack. PFF seemed scattered.	
April 18/19	Halifax III LN 676 "Y"	P/O. Foy, H.O. Cwp. P/S. Liver, W.K. P/S. Wood, W. Sgt. Parks, W. Sgt. Sprin, stein, C. Sgt. Herbert, H. Sgt. Wyatt, E.K. Sgt. Read, A.S. Sgt. White, B. Sgt. Campbell, C.M. WO2. Stiles, C.P. Acted as Mid Under Gunner for P/O. Foy) Acted as Mid Under Gunner for P/S. Heloway) Acted as Mid Under Gunner for P/S. Ward.) Acted as Mid Under Gunner for P/O. Roadway)	Bombing	2103	0232	Target NOISY LE SEC. Bombs 6x1000 9x500 M.C. Attacked target at 2356 hrs. from 15,000 feet. Concentration of Red and Green T.I.'s Bomb bursts seen around T.I.'s Glow of fire in T/A seen after leaving target. Good attack PFF very good Route good.	This is the first time that Mid Under Gunners have been used by this Squadron.
April 18/19	Halifax III LN 692 "Z" M2 502 "U"	P/O. Ruger, F.G. WO2. Mills, F.B. P/O. Molmie, E.G. P/S. Moore, E.A. Sgt. Speeling, E. Sgt. Penzie, F.E. Sgt. Bram, S.	Bombing	2056	0215	Target NOISY LE SEC: Bombs 9x500 6x1000 M.C. Attacked target from 15,000 feet at 2359 hrs The markers were well concentrated and bombing seemed accurate. PFF were bang on and did a good job. The raid should be very good.	
						At 2340 hours on the 18th April. The bomb was required to and one aircraft on the 19th on an air raid rescue. This took off and searched for any aircraft in the area not obtainable from operations. In page 128.	

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April 20/21	Halifax III MZ 503 "L"	P/O. Trickett, D.H. P/O. Heron, K. P/O. Smith, J. Jones P/O. Monk, E.W. Sgt. Sutherland, J.A. Sgt. Ant, G.A. Sgt. Walton, E.W. S/Lt. Beall, G.S.	Bombing	2111	0207	Target LENS. Bombs 9x1000, 500x6 Attacked target at 234 hrs from 10,500 feet On the whole the raid seemed a little scattered Explosion which lit up the sky seen after leaving target area. The Master Bomber was heard quite clearly.	
April 20/21	Halifax III LW. 389 "N"	P/O. Robinson, F.J. P/O. Andrews, E.J. P/O. Woolley, D.E. Sgt. Harvey, F.V. P/O. Goodall, A.F. Sgt. Hickox, W.	Bombing	2114	0155	Target LENS. Bombs 9x1000 6x500 Attacked target at 234 1/2 hrs from 10,500 feet Bomb bursts around T.I.'s with some overshoots. Raid appeared to be building up PFF O.K. but seemed a little late in starting Route rather near S/Lt. Belt.	
April 20/21	Halifax III LW. 590 "R"	P/O. Beachway, J.M. P/O. Harris, A.M.P. WO2. G.S. Holly, J.L. Sgt. Harle, S. Sgt. Johnson, A.T. P/S. Crawford, A. Sgt. Ryalls, T.J. WO2. Surles, C.F.	Bombing	2122	0119	Target LENS Bombs 9x1000 6x500 Attacked target at 234.2 hrs. from 10,000 feet One fire with large explosion 234 hrs smoke to 3000 - 4000 feet PFF a little late Commentary helped to increase backers up of PFF.	
April 20/21	Halifax III LW. 392 "S"	P/O. Walker, J.R. P/S. Riches, A.F. P/O. Cook, C.T. P/S. Ames, B. Sgt. Stinson, D.S. Sgt. Graham, D.A. Sgt. Moss, J.D.	Bombing	2130	0154	Target LENS Bombs 9x1000 6x500 Attacked target at 234 1/2 hrs from 10,500 feet Bomb bursts seen through breaks in cloud. Appeared to be a good attack. A/C markers down well directed the Main Force Route good.	
April 20/21	Halifax III MZ 562 "U"	P/O. Kruger, F.C. DFM WO2. Mills, K.E. P/O. McInnis, E.G. P/S. Moore, R.A. Sgt. Snelling, E. Sgt. Menzies, P.E. Sgt. Brown, S.	Bombing	2112	0132	Target LENS. Bombs 9x1000 6x500 Attacked target at 234.5 hrs from 10,500 feet PFF were steady throughout the attack. Target mostly obscured by cloud.	
April 20/21	Halifax III LW. 692 "V"	WO2. Leonard, R.G. WO2. Wilson, I.G. P/S. Warren, A. - RWF Sgt. Wheelhouse, G.G. - RAF Sgt. Burdick, J.P. - POW Sgt. Anderson, R.A. - POW Sgt. Gough, P.P. - RAF	Bombing	2113		Missing. Nothing has been heard of this aircraft since take-off.	
April 20/21	Halifax III MZ 505 "X"	P/S. McKay, R.M. P/S. Lewis, A.R.O. P/S. Anderson, H. WO1. Lynn, W.R. P/S. Pitt, R.W. Sgt. Palletier, G. Sgt. Ashby, B.	Bombing	2120	0145	Target LENS. Bombs, 9x1000 6x500 Attacked target at 234.1 hrs from 10,500 Master Bomber not heard well enough to be of any benefit PFF bang on time A very good route A big orange explosion was seen at 2354 hrs.	