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DATE	AIRCRAFT TYPE & NUMBER	CREW	DUTY	TIME		DETAILS OF SORTIE OR FLIGHT	REFERENCE
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1.1.44.						<u>BOMBING - BERLIN.</u> <u>Summary.</u> Seventeen aircraft were detailed to bomb the target. Two were withdrawn and one returned early. There was 10/10 cloud over the target. Bombing appears to have been somewhat scattered, but explosions were seen and columns of smoke are reported above the cloud tops at 20000 feet. Flak was moderate over the target, but a number of fighters were seen and 3 combats reported.	
1.1.44.	LANC. II. G.2. L.L. 655.	48091 S/L. E.P. Sly. J.18337 W/O. U.L. Martin. J.18090 W/O. E.H. Thomas. H.207487 W/O. Harvey, W.L. J.17723 W/O. Scaddon, J.A. J.17334 W/O. F.G. Roehar. J.2137	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	0035	0741	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 24 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 lbs. incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud with tops at 20000 feet. Sky markers with red and green stars seen. Bombed at 0313 hrs. at 20000 feet. Very few sky markers scattered over 5 miles. Photo. attempted.	
1.1.44.	LANC. II.	115023 W/O. Boulter, P.B.	W/Engineer.				
1.1.44.	LANC. II. G. DS 816	134783 S/L. A.L. Roberts. 939667 Sgt. Bell, A. 169774 Sgt. Foggia, E. 123847 Sgt. Upton, P.W. H.119782 Sgt. Clewlow, G. 951033 W/S. Dehle, H.J. Sgt. Bamister, R. W/L. A.E. Parry.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer. 2nd. Pilot.	0034	0743	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 24 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 lbs. incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud over the target. Bombed at 0312 hrs. at 21000 feet. 1 Green F.I. cascading and disappearing into cloud. Column of smoke seen rising above cloud. Attack rather scattered, not deemed satisfactory. Route O.K. Poor weather grounded enemy fighters. Photo. attempted.	

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1.1.44	LANC. II. D. DS 785.	133610 P/O. L.J. Kingwell. 133622 Sgt. Knight, G.E. 133635 P/O. Peake, J. 133672 Sgt. Nichelow, H.M. 133681 Sgt. Taylor, H. 133697 P/S. Fidge, H.S. 133717 Sgt. Newbury, O.W.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	0030	0216.	Bomb load 1 x 2000, 40 x 30, 900 x 4, 1lb incendiaries. Returned early. Farthest point reached 5238 N 03 E. All bombs jettisoned. M.U. Turret R.S.J. burst. Intercomm and heating out of action.	
1.1.44.	LANC. II. C. LL 625.	147526 P/O. H. Leing. 147543 Sgt. Vickers, A. 147574 Sgt. Knight, J. 147589 Sgt. Hydes, J.M. 147598 Sgt. McAllister, R.E. 147620 Sgt. Salt, C.A. 147642 Sgt. Bennett, P.C.K.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	0043	0728	Bomb load 1 x 2000, 40 x 30, 900 x 4 lbs. incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud with tops 18000feet. 5 Red sky markers seen which soon disappeared into cloud. Bombed at 0319 hours at 20000 feet. Too much cloud, but flash of own bombs seen. Not a good attack, too scattered.	
1.1.44.	LANC. II. F. DS 787.	104012 P/O. Langley, R. 1475046 Sgt. Jones, P.E. 928310 Sgt. Bradwell, D. 1440245 Sgt. Wakling, C.F. 1821993 Sgt. Smith, R.E. 1813263 Sgt. Oliver, H.G. 579999 Sgt. Parker, R.C.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	0037	0723	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 24 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 lbs. incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud over the target. Bombed at 0312 hrs. at 20000 feet. Markers flares glowing in cloud. P.F.F. appeared to be scattered by this may have been due to cloud obscuring flares.	
1.1.44.	LANC. II. E. DS 824.	161058 P/O. J.E. Williams. 1334198 Sgt. Willis, L.N. 151014 P/O. W.D.P. Henshaw. 13341757 P/S. Chapman, W.H. 514246 Sgt. Pratt, A. 932746 P/S. Lane, E.A. 1570338 Sgt. Keenan, J.E.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	0033 1/2	0745	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 24 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 lbs. incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud over the target. Bombed at 0312 hours at 21000 feet. See u/s on homeward route. Fixed aerial came away. Course unknown. P.F.F. widely scattered and backing up poor.	

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1.1.44.	LANC. II. T. DS 822.	Ans. 414654 F/S. Cronbie, D.G.C. 542170 Sgt. Bunn, E.L. 157347 F/O. H.G. Darby. 1523746 Sgt. Tyler, M.J. 1134508 Sgt. Payne, C.G. 1573675 Sgt. Hill, H.R. 1503891 Sgt. Foster, B.P.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. F/Engineer.	0033	0748.	Bomb load 1 x 2000, 40 x 30, 900 x 4 lbs. incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud with tops 15000 feet. Bombed at 0919 hours at 21000 feet. No T.L.s. Two sky markers 7 miles apart. Vague red glow seen through cloud. Attack scattered.	
1.1.44.	LANC. II. Q. DS 818.	1333416 F/S. Steed, F.C.V. 1433260 Sgt. Watts, A. 1382836 Sgt. Bullard, M.J. 65820 F/S. Robertson, A.M. 1671741 Sgt. Sweet, W.H. E 78082 Sgt. Forsythe, C.A. 1566622 Sgt. Cumming, J. 1545806	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. F/Engineer.	0033	0743	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 24 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 lbs. incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Several R.G. sky markers seen as we approached, soon disappeared. Bombed at 0315 hours at 20500 feet. Nothing seen too much cloud. Photo. flash shaken out of tri-cell by avoiding action. Glow of fires seen from 25/30 miles away after leaving target.	
1.1.44.	LANC. II. R. DS 815.	F/S. Henry, W. 1323954 Sgt. Ricketts, S.W. E.120872 F/S. Ball, W.S. 1576668 Sgt. Vallance, F.B. 742541 Sgt. Kenny, D. 1821076 Sgt. Lennigan, W. 1603741 Sgt. Bennett, A.E.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. F/Engineer.	0028	0720	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 24 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 lbs. incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 0312 hours at 20000 feet. Concentration of red and green markers. Route O.K. Photo. attempted. No troubles.	

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2.1.44.						BOMBING - BERLIN Summary. 17 aircraft were detailed to bomb the target. Five failed to take off and two returned early. There was 10/10 cloud over the target.	
2.1.44.	LANC-II 'P' DS 817.	1333416 E/S. Stead, F.C.V. 1433260 Sgt. Watts, A. 1383876 Sgt. Billed, M.J. 671820 E/S. Robertson, A.M. 1671741 Sgt. Sweet, W.H. E.78002 Sgt. Forsythe, C. 1586622 Sgt. Cumming, J.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. W/O Air. M.U. Gunner. Bomb Gunner. E/Engineer.	0001	0211	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 24 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Returned early, farthest point reached 52.35N 0300E. Bomb turret completely w/s. Pilot could not get oxygen. Bombs jettisoned.	
2.1.44.	LANC-II 'P' DS 787	1040312 E/S. Langley, R. 1477046 Sgt. Jones, F.R. 912910 Sgt. Bradwell, D. 1402846 Sgt. Gabeling, C.F. 1823999 Sgt. Smith, E.R. 1813263 Sgt. Oliver, H.G. 675577 Sgt. Parker, B.C. Sgt. Maghill, G.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. W/O Air. M.U. Gunner. Bomb Gunner. E/Engineer. 2nd. Pilot.	0009	0642.	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 24 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. 7-8/10 cloud, tops at 12000 ft. Bombed at 0246 hours at 20000 ft. Should be a good show. Numerous P.P.M. flares and red T.L. all concentrated. Photo. flash did not go off.	
2.1.44.	LANC-II. 'A26'	46091 S/L. E.V. Sly. 476557 E/O. U.L. Martin. J.16090 E/O. H.R. Thomas. 407427 E/O. W.L. Harvey. J.17725 E/O. J.A. Snedden. 153374 E/O. F.G. Mosher. 72177 E/O. P.F. Boulter.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. W/O Air. M.U. Gunner. Bomb Gunner. E/Engineer.	0007	0658.	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 24 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud at 19500 ft. Bombed at 0248 hours at 19500 ft. Starboard outer failed over target. Starboard inner failed over Dutch coast. Both engines icing trouble, started again at lower altitudes. More flak than last night. Big glow of fires seen below clouds.	

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2.1.44.	LANC. II 'B' DS 786	149559 W/L. C. Payne. 1324083 Sgt. Young, G.C. 132709 P/O. Armstrong, E.W. 978911 Sgt. Robinson, J.E. 1395800 Sgt. Teim, P.L.S. Ans. 421909 P/O. Bennett, D.W. 1336082 Sgt. Gilbert, A.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. E. Gunner. W/Engineer.	0006	0637	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 24 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud, tops 10000 ft. very thick. Bombed at 0248 hours at 21000 ft. Sky markers well concentrated, too much cloud to see fires or explosion.	
2.1.44.	LANC. II 'B' LL 624	J. 21428 P/O. S.J. Chequer. 1431168 Sgt. Martiner, E. 1391872 Sgt. Wallington, E.J. 1366420 Sgt. Montgomery, K. Ans. 427140 P/O. O'Brien, J.L. Ans. 418709 P/O. Robertson, A.J. 77818 Sgt. Carey, J.S. 161058	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	0010	0613	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 24 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 0245 hours at 21000 ft. Total load dropped on target.	
2.1.44.	LANC. II 'K' DS 824	P/O. J.E. Williams. 1394196 Sgt. Ellis, L.H. 131014 P/O. D.F. Henshaw. Ans. 417157 P/O. Chapman, W.H. 712246 Sgt. Pratt, A. 992746 P/O. Lane, E. 1570038 Sgt. Keenan, J.E. 161383	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	0018	0635	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 24 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 0248 hours at 21000 ft. Results satisfactory. P.P.F. appeared concentrated. Had encounter with enemy aircraft.	'H' 2.
2.1.44.	LANC. II 'A2P' LL 653	P/O. V.H.J. Viser. 632649 Sgt. Lewis, E.S. 1399074 Sgt. McLoughlin, C.J. 1313419 Sgt. Pitman, E.J. 1624738 Sgt. Barker, J.D. 1626043 Sgt. Gardiner, L.T. 1626043 Sgt. Poyle, E. 165719	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. E. Gunner. W/Engineer. 2nd. Pilot.	0021	0653	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 24 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud, very thick. Bombed at 0302 hours at 9000 ft. Sky markers (red) very scattered but green F.I. nicely concentrated. Orange glow thro cloud but could identify it as fires etc. M.U. Furret w/s. Hit by flak.	

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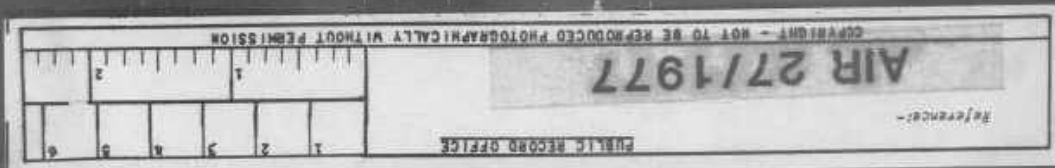
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2.1.44.	LANC. II. 'C' LL 525	147526 W/O. J. E. Leing. 1533543 Sgt. Vickers, A. 1042234 Sgt. Knight, J. 1076803 Sgt. Hydes, J. M. E. 174878 Sgt. McAllister, R. E. M. U. Gunner. 1451820 Sgt. Salt, C. A. 1734422 Sgt. Bennett, P. C. R. W/Engineer. 1425806	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. Bear Gunner. W/Engineer.	0017	0631.	Bomb load 1 x 2000, 40 x 30, 900 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 0248 hours at 20000 ft. Solid cloud to above 23000 ft. Going to 12 lbs P. Route good. Little flak. T. I.s dead on target - good concentration.	
2.1.44.	LANC. II 'N' DS 815	1323934 Sgt. Hackett, S. W. E. 120532 W/S. Ball, W. G. 1756668 Sgt. Vallance, F. B. 542541 Sgt. Kenny, D. 1821076 Sgt. Lannigan, W. 1603741 Sgt. Bennett, A. R. AUS. 414634	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M. U. Gunner. Bear Gunner. W/Engineer.	0003	0703	Bomb load 1 x 2000, 40 x 30, 900 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 0256 hours at 20000 ft. in centre of red E. I.s with green stars - good concentration. Glow under cloud on leaving target. Going on way over sea. Route pretty good. Better than previous nights raids.	
2.1.44.	LANC. II. 'T' DS 822	1372000 Sgt. McRae, A. 177547 W/O. H. G. Darby. 1383746 Sgt. Tyler, M. J. 1134608 Sgt. Payne, C. C. 1779675 Sgt. Hill, H. R. 1509871 Sgt. Foster, B. P.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M. U. Gunner. Bear Gunner. W/Engineer.	0012	0225	Bomb load 1 x 2000, 40 x 30, 900 x 4 incendiaries. Returned early. Bomb Aimer sick. Impossible to carry on. Load jettisoned.	
2.1.44.	LANC. II 'A20' LL 672	V. 30220 W/O. J. M. J. Fourke. 1320267 Sgt. Cottler, S. M. 1122600 W/O. J. E. S. Clare. 1322302 Sgt. Smith, E. L. 1867200 Sgt. Brewer, H. R. 176589 Sgt. Williston, A. 1302114 Sgt. McInerney, P.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M. U. Gunner. Bear Gunner. W/Engineer.	0015	0715	Bomb load 1 x 2000, 40 x 30, 900 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud with tops 10/1200 ft. Bombed at 0256 hours at 20000 ft. in centre of good concentration of red and green markers. Occasional bursts on the cloud, tending to undershoot. Photo. attempted. Ten encounters with enemy aircraft reported.	'B' 1.

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2.1.44.	LANS-II. 'H'	J.19060 P/O. E.A. Greenwood. 147709 P/O. R.A. Nicol. 1888 178341 Sgt. Bates, W.A. 143911 P/O. J.A. Adams. E-190370 Sgt. McNeill, J.J. E-128009 P/O. Bourne, E.H. 1629747 Sgt. Thornton, F.J.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	0020	0647	Bomb load 1 x 2000, 40 x 30, 900 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud with tops 17/18000 ft. Bomed at 0254 hours at 20000 ft. in centre of red and green sky markers. Some glow reflected on clouds. Markers better placed than last night. Should be better show. Photo attempted.	
14.1.44.						<u>BOMBING - BRUNSWICK.</u> Summary. 23 aircraft were detailed to bomb the target. 3 were withdrawn, 4 returned early and 1 is missing. Believed to be a good raid. JU.86s were seen firing rocket projectiles. Photographs of Brunswick are largely cloud. No results observed.	
14.1.44.	LANS-II. 'E2' LL 677	1236018 P/O. Minstanley, A. 1319844 P/O. Tysoe, E. 1386807 Sgt. Scarso, R.P.G. 1127643 Sgt. Dixon, N. 1520997 Sgt. Buckley, E. E-181202 Sgt. Sutherland, W.F. 1782209 Sgt. Homer, G.H. 1339416	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1702	1908	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 40x30 incendiaries. Returned early. Heating Mid Upper turret w/s. Farthest point reached 5278N 020E. 1 x 4000 bomb jettisoned.	
14.1.44.	LANS-II. 'Q' DS 818	P/O. Stood, F.C.V. 143200 Sgt. Hette, A. 1989690 Sgt. Bulled, M.J. 091820 P/O. Robertson, A.M. 1651741 Sgt. Sweet, W.H. E-78082 Sgt. Forsythe, G.A. 1766522 Sgt. Cusning, J.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1654	1916	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 40 x 30 incendiaries. Returned early. Airscrew control w/s. Farthest point reached 5306N 0377E. 1 x 4000 bomb jettisoned.	

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14.1.44	LANSO.II. 'G' DS 706	1291787 P/S. Samuels, K.F.	Captain.	1657½	1850	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30, incendiaries.	
		1600694 Sgt. J. J. J. J.	Navigator.			Returned early. Pilot sick. Farthest point reached	
		1454683 Sgt. Martinale, P.D.	Bomb Aimer.			5255N. 0257E. Load jettisoned.	
		1382810 Sgt. Dowling, J.	WOP/Air.				
		981573 Sgt. Nicholson, A.	M.U. Gunner.				
		1378979 Sgt. Mirams, R.	Rear Gunner.				
		1817316 Sgt. Webb, F.W.	P/Engineer.				
14.1.44.	LANSO.II. 'P' DS 817	1978365 P/S. Ashpitel, P.M.	Captain.	1657	1939	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30, incendiaries.	
		179670 P/O. G.L.W. Jones.	Navigator.			Returned early. Inter-comm w/s. Farthest point reached	
		1450589 Sgt. Green, B.G.	Bomb Aimer.			5220N. 0210E. Load jettisoned.	
		1387233 Sgt. Cole, R.S.	WOP/Air.				
		1586017 Sgt. Hutton, G.R.	M.U. Gunner.				
		976473 P/O. Hall, E.	Rear Gunner.				
		1032632 Sgt. Martin, S.F.	P/Engineer.				
14.1.44.	LANSO.II. 'B' DS 786	1040312 P/S. Langley, R.	Captain.	1705	2219½	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30 incendiaries.	
		928910 Sgt. Bradwell, D.T.	Navigator.			Primary target : BRUNS-IGL. There was 7/10 cloud over	
		1455045 Sgt. Jones, P.R.	Bomb Aimer.			the target. Red and green f.l.s seen also one sky marker.	
		1440246 Sgt. Wakeling, C.F.	WOP/Air.			Bombed at 1921 hours at 20000 ft. Glow of green f.l.s	
		1821993 Sgt. Smith, R.R.	M.U. Gunner.			seen-through cloud. Glow of extensive fires seen. Attack	
		1813263 Sgt. Oliver, H.G.	Rear Gunner.			concentrated. Photo. attempted.	
		773929 Sgt. Parker, R.C.	P/Engineer.				
14.1.44.	LANSO.II. 'E' LL 67L	105412451 P/S. Miller, C.G.	Captain.	1700	2222	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30 incendiaries.	
		1924718 P/S. Clarke, A.W.	Navigator.			Primary target : BRUNS-IGL. There was 10/10 cloud.	
		1757904 Sgt. Wilcock, E.	Bomb Aimer.			Bombed at 1929 hours at 21000 ft. Large fires concentrated,	
		1330208 Sgt. Hicks, D.	WOP/Air.			seen from a distance of 100 miles. Should be a good raid.	
		919869 Sgt. Goodman, E.G.H.	M.U. Gunner.				
		1750724 Sgt. Baker, R.C.D.	Rear Gunner.				
		2202190 Sgt. Edwards, A.C.	P/Engineer.				

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14.1.44.	L.A.N.C. II. '02' LL 672	J.20220 P/O. J.M.J. Bourke. J.22620 P/O. J.E.S. Glare. 1520257 Sgt. Cottler, S.E. 1522308 Sgt. Smith, R.L. 1867200 Sgt. Brewer, H. E.176789 Sgt. Williston, A. 1802314 Sgt. McQueensy, P.	Captain. Navigator. Bomber Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1701	2228	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : BRENSWICK. There was 10/10 cloud over the target. Bombed at 1919 hours at 20000 ft. Terrific explosion from below. Red glow changing to white approx. 1/2 miles to starboard of concentration, over target. Very quiet route. Very big glow in sky on leaving target area.	
14.1.44.	L.A.N.C. II. '02' LL 685	46091 S/Lt. E.F. Sly. J.18739 P/O. U.L. Martin. J.18090 P/O. E.H. Thomas. NZ.405487 P/O. G.L. Harvey. J.17725 P/O. J.A. Snodden. 155384 P/O. F.G. Basher. 12159 P/O. P.E. Boulter.	Captain. Navigator. Bomber Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1706	--	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30. Aircraft missing.	
14.1.44.	L.A.N.C. II. '02' LL 679	NZ.415771 P/S. Mason, P.E. E.175186 P/S. Dimock, A.E. NZ.426384 P/S. Gallagher, J.E. NZ.417215 P/S. Kell, L. E.190931 Sgt. Oakley, E.J. 1508671 Sgt. Dennis, J.W. 1583806 Sgt. Lashley, R.F.	Captain. Air Bomber. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1722	--	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30. Aircraft missing.	

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14.1.44.	LANC. II. 'A' DS 735	J. 21428 P/O G.J. Chequer. 1391252 Sgt. Wellington, E.J. 1431168 Sgt. Mortimer, K. 1306420 Sgt. Montgomery, R. Aus. 425740 P/S. O'Brien, J.L. Aus. 416709 P/S. Robertson, A.M. 575818 Sgt. Carey, J.S.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. E/Engineer.	1653	2217	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : BRUNSWICK. There was 8-10/10 cloud. Bombed at 1915 hours at 20000 ft. Clouds lit up with yellow T.I.s. Very well concentrated. Monica u/s, working only at extreme ranges. Postfest show - Photo attempted.	
14.1.44.	LANC. II. 'D' DS 785	Aus. 413614 P/O G.S. Hughes. 101427199 Sgt. Hall, A.D. Aus. 421267 P/S. Goddard, O.J. 111416787 P/S. Smith, L.S. 1107921 Sgt. Moorhouse, E.G. 1618730 Sgt. Thornton, G.H. 1323926 Sgt. West, H.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. Navigator. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. E/Engineer.	1723	2203	Bomb load 1 x 4000-bomb. Primary target : BRUNSWICK. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 1930 hours. at 20000 ft. Fires visible through cloud. Well concentrated fires below cloud. Broadcast winds good. Fighters appeared to drop red flares and flak opened up on these. Photo flash hung up.	
14.1.44.	LANC. II. 'C' LL 625	147526 P/O J.R. Laing. 1044234 Sgt. Knights, J. 1333843 Sgt. Vickers, A. 1083482 Sgt. Scott, G.E. R. 174878 Sgt. McAllister, R.B. 1451820 Sgt. Salt, C.A. 1373492 Sgt. Bennett, P.C.K.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. E/Engineer.	1652	2211	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : BRUNSWICK. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 1916 hours at 10000 ft. Orange coloured glow through cloud seen. 12 x 30 inc. hung up.	
14.1.44.	LANC. II. 'J' LL 681	133610 P/O L.J. Kingwell. 120915 P/O J. Peake. 1396722 Sgt. Knight, G.E. 1220052 Sgt. Nicholow, H.M. 1381481 Sgt. Taylor, H. Aus. 409037 P/O Fidge, H.S. 1812145 Sgt. Newbury, D.W.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. E/Engineer.	1644	2154	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : BRUNSWICK. Target was BRUNSWICK 10/10 cloud with tops 5-8000 ft. Bombed at 1920 hours at 20000 ft. Target well lit up. white glow illuminating clouds. Monica u/s. Very concentrated attack. Photo attempted.	

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14.1.44.	LANC. II. 'K' DS 824	161038 P/O. J.K. Williams. 171014 P/O. J.M. Henshaw. 173435 Sgt. Ellis, L.N. 177157 W/S. Chapman, A.R. 174246 Sgt. Pratt, A. 172746 W/S. Lane, E. 170038 Sgt. Keenan, J.R. 174092	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Bear Gunner. W/Engineer.	1647	2151.	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : BRUNSWICK. There was 7-9/10 cloud, with one or two breaks. Bombed at 1916 hours at 20000 ft. Incendiaries seen burning below cloud. Raid concentrated, providing markers were placed correctly - Raid "Bang On". Cloud preventing visual of raid.	
14.1.44.	LANC. 'N' DS 815	172335 P/O. K.A. Deans. 172421 Sgt. Hoare, P.S. 177569 W/S. Elliott, A.J.J. 177495 Sgt. Jackson, A.V. 126236 Sgt. Fearman, G.C. 161507 Sgt. Townsend, E. 161507 W/S. Crombie, D.C.C.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Bear Gunner. W/Engineer.	1655	2156	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : BRUNSWICK. There was 10/10 cloud with one or two breaks. Bombed at 1916 hours at 20000 ft. Glow of many concentrated fires seen through the cloud. Monica w/s. Opening attack rather scattered but appeared to be more concentrated before leaving target. Red T.I.S cascaded 3 minutes ahead of zero hour.	
14.1.44.	LANC. 'S' DS 821.	177547 P/O. H.G. Darby. 179200 Sgt. McRae, A. 1723746 Sgt. Tylor, M.J. 173408 Sgt. Payne, C.G. 177967 Sgt. Hill, H.R. 1709821 Sgt. Foster, B.P.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Bear Gunner. W/Engineer.	1659	2200	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : BRUNSWICK. There was 8-9/10 cloud. Bombed at 1918 hours at 21500 ft. Sky markers appeared to be beyond T.I.S. Few fires developing. Route good. Photo attempted.	

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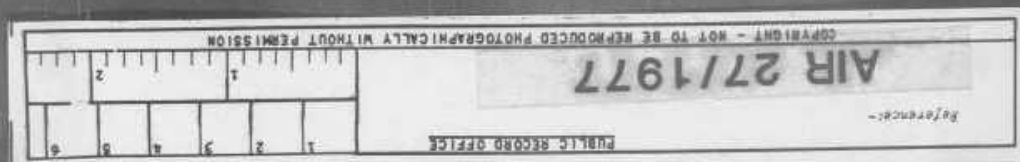
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14.1.44.	LANC. II. 'E2' LL 670	W/S. Prothero, E.	Captain.	1725	2215	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30 incendiaries.	
		W/S. Such, P. H.	Bomb Aimer.			Primary target : BRUNSDIKE. There was 10/10 cloud.	
		W/S. Kesterton, P. A.	Navigator.			Bombed at 1928 hours at 20000 ft. Several large fires	
		Sgt. Law, R. G.	WOP/Air.			burning orange showing through the cloud. Good raid,	
		Sgt. Birse, E. H.	M.U. Gunner.			fires burning well visible 60 miles away. Route markers	
		Sgt. Collins, E. M.	Rear Gunner.			seemed to be too scattered.	
		Sgt. Proctor, S.	W/Engineer.				
14.1.44.	LANC. II. 'H' DS 813	W/O. T. Fankari.	Captain.	1645	2215	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30 incendiaries.	
		Sgt. Kilner, D. J.	Bomb Aimer.			Primary target : BRUNSDIKE. There was 9/10 cloud.	
		W/O. Wry, L. A.	Navigator.			Bombed at 1919 hours at 20000 ft. Monica xms not used.	
		Sgt. Owen, T.	WOP/Air.			Route good. Fires scattered at first but merged later.	
		W/Sgt. White, R. H.	M.U. Gunner.			Photo attempted.	
		Sgt. Crawford, J.	Rear Gunner.				
		Sgt. Cosgrove, G.	W/Engineer.				
14.1.44.	LANC. II. 'H28' LL 680	W/O. V. H. J. Visser.	Captain.	1658	2225	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30 incendiaries.	
		Sgt. McLoughlin, G. J.	Bomb Aimer.			Primary target : BRUNSDIKE. There was 8/10 cloud.	
		Sgt. Lowe, E. S.	Navigator.			Bombed at 1921 hours at 20000 ft. Large glow of fires seen	
		Sgt. Pitman, E. J.	WOP/Air.			while over target and still visible 60 miles away on homeward	
		Sgt. Barker, J. D.	M.U. Gunner.			journey. Very good and effective effort. Photo attempted.	
		Sgt. Gardiner,	Rear Gunner.				
		Sgt. Foyle, K.	W/Engineer.				
W/S. Delacour, H. S.	2nd. Pilot.						

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14.1.44.	LANS. II. 'M' DS 823.	S/L. A. L. Roberts. Sgt. Foggia, R. Sgt. Bell, A. Sgt. Upton, R. W. Sgt. Clewlow, G. W/S. Dahle, H. Sgt. Bannister, R. A. W/O. R. J. Curtiss.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer. 2nd. Pilot	1656	2205	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 48 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : BRUNSWICK. There was 8/10 cloud. Bombed at 1917 hours at 21000 hours. Some fires seen rather scattered. Monica v/s. P.F.F. opened attack too early and T.I. very scattered, appeared to be scattered raid. Photo ^{attempted} smoke	
20.1.44.						<u>BOMBING - BERLIN.</u> <u>GENERAL.</u> 20 aircraft were detailed to bomb the target. 1 was withdrawn, 1 jettisoned and 5 returned early. There was 10/10 cloud over the target, but sky markers were well concentrated and if these were on the target the attack should be a success. Reflection of fires could be seen from 130 miles.	
20.1.44.	LANS. II. 'A' DS 733	W/L. G. J. Chequer. Sgt. Mortimer, L. Sgt. Wallington, E. J. Sgt. Montgomery, R. W/S. O'Brien, J. L. W/S. Robertson, A. M. Sgt. Carey, J. G.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner.	1617 1/2	2309	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was haze and 8/10 cloud. Bombed at 1929 hours at 21000 ft. Bombed on H.T.A. arriving before Pathfinders. Saw T.I.s on leaving target and believed to have dropped bombs approx 3 miles S of T.I.s.	

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20.1.44.	LANC. II. 'J' LL 681.	133610 P/O. L.J. Kingswell. S. 20915 P/O. J. Peake. 1336722 Sgt. Knights, G.E. 1220372 Sgt. Nicholow, H.M. 1381481 Sgt. Taylor, H. Aus. 409037 P/O. Pidge, H.S. 1812145 Sgt. Newbury,	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. W/O/Air.	1609	2325.	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 1938 hours at 20000 ft on 5 red and green sky markers. Markerwell concentrated and should be a good attack. Some reflection of fires seen.	
20.1.44.	LANC. II. 'G' LL 685	147526 P/O. J.R. Leing. 1333843 Sgt. Vickers, A. 1044234 Sgt. Knight, J. 1823462 Sgt. Scott, G.E. E. 174878 Sgt. McAllister, E.B. 1471820 Sgt. Salt, G.A. 1779492 Sgt. Bennett, P.C.K.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. W/O/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	1612	2342	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. 8/10 cloud. Bombed at 1934 hours at 20000 ft. on red sky markers. Saw red glow through clouds.	
20.1.44.	LANC. II. 'P' LL 683	120090 P/O. E.J. Curtiss. 175105 P/O. E. Davey. 158650 P/O. A. Moleod. 177984 P/O. C.E. Baud.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. W/O/Air.	1615	2335	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 1939 hours at 21000 ft on green T.I.s. Fires seen concentrated on leaving target.	
		1389375 Sgt. Marshall, R.H. 1760436 P/S. Clubb, W.J. 1085096 Sgt. Cooper, R.G.	M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.				
20.1.44.	LANC. II. 'KZ' LL 670	152769 P/S. Prothero, E. 1576433 Sgt. Easterton, F.A. 1332564 P/S. Bach, P.W. 1246248 Sgt. Law, E.G. 1568243 Sgt. Birse, A.W. 1823872 Sgt. Collins, R.M. 1676325 Sgt. Proctor, S.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. W/O/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	1618	0001	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 1942 hours at 20000 ft on red and green T.I.s. Orange glow seen on leaving target.	

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20.1.44.	LANC. II. 'B2' LL 684	Ams. 412451 P/S. Miller, C.G. 1775304 Sgt. Wilcock, E. 1807941 Sgt. Bates, A. 1390208 Sgt. Hicks, D. 919869 Sgt. Goodman, E.G.H. 1770524 Sgt. Parker, E.C.D. 2202190 Sgt. Edwards, A.C.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U.Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.		1622	1821	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. Returned early. Port inner engine u/s. Farthest point reached 53° 35' 00" 30E. Total load jettisoned.	
20.1.44.	LANC. II. 'B2' LL 677	1236018 P/S. Winstanley, A. 1319844 P/S. Tysse, H. 1780007 P/S. Scrase, R.P.G. 1127643 Sgt. Dixon, N. 1520937 Sgt. Binkley, E. 2.181202 Sgt. Sutherland, W.F. 1582209 Sgt. Homer, G.H. J.20187	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U.Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.		1623	2223	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. Returned early. Attacked by 'B' 3. fighter. Half starboard propeller shot off. Tyre punctured. Starboard inner tank holed and all petrol lost. Mid Upper and front turrets u/s. Total load jettisoned 10 miles of Hamburg.	
20.1.44.	LANC. II. 'B' AS 813	P/O. T. Penkiri. E. 64521 W/O. Fry, L. 1547077 Sgt. Kilner, A.J. 1316364 Sgt. Owen, T. 1891077 Sgt. Poake, K.E. 1126069 Sgt. Crawford, J. 1027606 Sgt. Gosgrove, G.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U.Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.		1621	1923	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. Returned early. Rear turret inter-comm and oxygen u/s. Farthest point reached 54° 03' 04" 32E. Total load jettisoned.	

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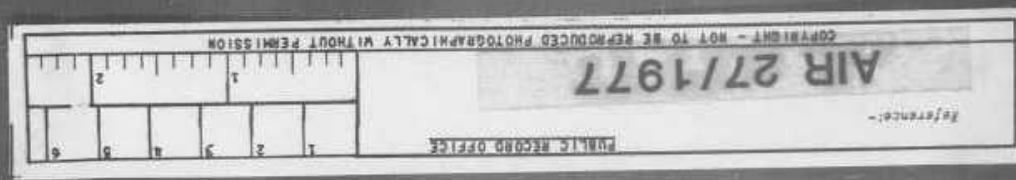
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20/1/44.	LANC. II. 'O' DS. 816	Ams. 413614						
		P/O. G.S. Hughes.	Captain.	1614	2330	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries.		
		NZ. 416587						
		P/S. Smith, L.S.	Navigator.			Primary target BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 1937 hours at 22000 ft. Bombed in centre of Red and		
		NZ. 427199						
		Sgt. Hall, A.D.	Air Bomber.			Green flares. No results noticed. Had encounter with enemy aircraft.	'E' 4.	
20/1/44.	LANC. II. 'L' LL. 703	Ams. 412267						
		P/S. Goddard, O.J.	WOP/Air.					
		1105921						
		Sgt. Moorhouse, E.G.	M.U. Gunner.					
		1437285						
		Sgt. Whitbread, L.J.H.	Rear Gunner.					
20/1/44.	LANC. II. 'M' DS. 823	1523926						
		Sgt. West, H.	W/Engineer.					
		131090						
		P/Lt. Gray, D.A.A.	Captain.	1621	1900	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries.		
		1610618						
		Sgt. Brown, R.E.	Navigator.			Primary target BERLIN. Returned early due to oxygen supply being u/s. Farthest point reached 53° 45'N 09° 10'E.		
20/1/44.	LANC. II. 'N' DS. 823	1315709						
		Sgt. Brasier, E.W.E.	Air Bomber.					
		1175873						
		Sgt. Bounsome, R.A.	WOP/Air.			Jettisoned 1 x 4000, 470 x 4, 16 x 30 incendiaries.		
		E. 142779						
		P/S. Sharp, H.G.	Rear Gunner.					
20/1/44.	LANC. II. 'D2' LL. 674	1283278						
		Sgt. Huddle-Wrigley,	M.U. Gunner.					
		1002381						
		Sgt. Helliwell, R.	W/Engineer.					
		Ams. 414654						
		P/S. Crombie, D.C.C.	Captain.	1613 1/2	2327	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries.		
20/1/44.	LANC. II. 'D2' LL. 674	1392000						
		Sgt. McRhee, A.	Navigator.			Primary target : BERLIN. 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 1936 from 23,000 feet. Bombed between clusters of sky markers.		
		137547						
		P/O. H.G. Darby.	Air Bomber.			Sky markers well concentrated.		
		1323746						
		Sgt. Tyler, M.J.	WOP/Air.					
20/1/44.	LANC. II. 'D2' LL. 674	1134608						
		Sgt. Payne, C.C.	M.U. Gunner.					
		1579675						
		Sgt. Hill, H.R.	Rear Gunner.					
		1509891						
		Sgt. Le Neve Foster, B.P.	W/Engineer.					
20/1/44.	LANC. II. 'D2' LL. 674	J. 20220						
		P/Lt. J.M.J. Bourke.	Captain.	1612 1/2	2349	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries.		
		J. 22620						
		P/O. J.E.S. Claro.	Air Bomber.			Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 1940 hours at 20,000 feet on red T.L.s glowing through cloud. Bomb sight u/s.		
		1320287						
		Sgt. Outler, S.E.	Navigator.					
20/1/44.	LANC. II. 'D2' LL. 674	1322308						
		Sgt. Smith, E.L.	WOP/Air.					
		1867200						
		Sgt. Brewer, J.	M.U. Gunner.					
		E. 176569						
		Sgt. Williston, A.	Rear Gunner.					
20/1/44.	LANC. II. 'D2' LL. 674	1802314						
		Sgt. McQueeney, P.	W/Engineer.					

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20.1.44.	LANC. II. 'P' DS. 842	1040312 P/S. Langley, R.	Captain.	1610.	1854	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 340 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Returned early. Compasses w/s. Farthest point reached 53° 53'N 03° 00E. Jettisoned total bomb load.	
		928910 Sgt. Bradwell, D.	Bomb Aimer.				
		1455046 Sgt. Jones, F.R.	Navigator.				
		1448246 Sgt. Wakeling, C.P.	WOF/Air.				
		1821999 Sgt. Smith, R.R.	M.U. Gunner.				
		1813269 Sgt. Oliver, H.G.	Rear Gunner.				
		573999 Sgt. Parker, B.C.	P/Engineer.				

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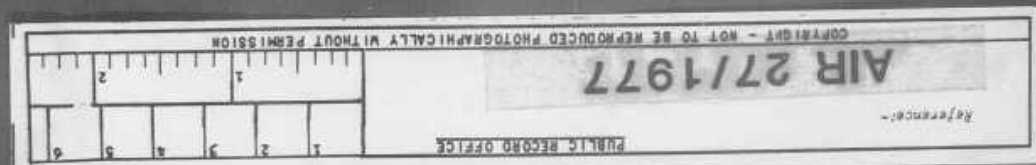
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20.1.44	LANC. II 'N' DS. 815	134092 P/Lt. C.W. Nichol. 23133 P/O. Deanes, K.D. 1324921 Sgt. Hoare, R.S. 119760 P/S. Elliott, A.J.J. 1377495 Sgt. Jackson, A.Y. 1282356 Sgt. Fearman, G.C. 1615097 Sgt. Townsend, R.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1615	2332	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 1938 hours at 21,000 ft. on good concentration of red and green markers. One large explosion to S of target at 1942. Concentrated glow of fires seen on leaving.	
20.1.44.	LANC. II 'T' DS. 822	1378365 P/S. Mupitel, P.M. 133670 P/O. H.L.W. Jones. 1450549 Sgt. Green, B.G. 1387235 Sgt. Cole, R.S. 1386017 Sgt. Hutton, G.R. 976475 P/O. Hall, E. 1032692 Sgt. Martin, S.E.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1611	2345	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 1942 hours at 20000 ft. on red flares with green stars. T.L.s well concentrated. Orange glow seen.	
20.1.44	LANC. II 'Q' DS. 818	1333416 P/S. Stead, P.C.V. 1433260 Sgt. Watts, A. 1349996 Sgt. Billed, M.J. 651820 Sgt. Robertson, A.M. 1651741 Sgt. Sweet, W.H. E.78082 Sgt. Forsythe, C.A. 1766622 Sgt. Cusning, J.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1620	1955	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Picks returned early. Lack of oxygen on pilots connection. Farthest point reached 54° 10' N 05° E. Jettisoned 1 x 4000.	
20.1.44	LANC. IIU LL678	Ans. 409973 P/S. Thackray, N.W.F. 1779792 Sgt. Davies, P.C. Ans. 415482 Sgt. Mouldale, J.E. 1575442 Sgt. Hughes. Ans. 424001 Sgt. Henn, C.H. Ans. 424300 Sgt. Embley, R.E. 1832773 Sgt. Canfield, C.W.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner.	1622½	2356	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 1939 hours at 20000ft on main concentration of flares.	

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20.1.44	LANC. II '12' LL 678	1104586 F/S. Milborough, H. J. 23343 F/O. H. Heamey. E. 83830 W/O. Metcalfe, G.W. 1487389 Sgt. Stanforth, L.L.	Captain. Navigator.. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air.	1616	2320	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. 10/10 cloud, Bombed at 1937 hours at 20500 ft. on red and green sky marker. T.L.s concentrated and faint glow seen below cloud.	
20.1.44	LANC. II 'B2' LL 680	1812094 Sgt. Braithwaite, G.R. 1692069 F/S. Rogers, R.M. 161383 F/O. V.H.J. Vizer. 652649 Sgt. Lowe, E.S. 1339054 Sgt. McLaughlin, C.J. 1313419 Sgt. Pitman, E.J. 1624738 Sgt. Barker, J.D. 1626043 Sgt. Gardiner, L.T. 1686490 Sgt. Boyle, K.	M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. E/Engineer.. Captain. Navigator.. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. E/Engineer..	1624	2340	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 540 x 4, 60 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10 cloud. Bombed at 1940 hours at 20,000 ft. on red and green sky markers. Should be a good show.	
21.1.44						<u>BOMBING - MAGDEBURG.</u> <u>SUMMARY.</u> 18 Aircraft were detailed to bomb the target. 3 returned early and 4 is missing. There was 5-7/10 cloud.	
21.1.44	LANC. II 'B2' LL 680	161383 F/O. V.H.J. Vizer. 652649 Sgt. Lowe, E.S. 1339054 Sgt. McLaughlin, C.J. 1313419 Sgt. Pitman, E.J. 1624738 Sgt. Barker, J.D. 1626043 Sgt. Gardiner, L.T. 1686490 Sgt. Boyle, K.	Captain. Navigator.. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. E/Engineer..			Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720, 4, 30 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Aircraft Missing.	

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21.1.44	LANG. II 'A' DS. 735	J. 21428 P/L. G.J. Chequer. Captain. 1431168 Sgt. Mortimer, E. Navigator. 1391272 Sgt. Wallington, E.J. Bomb Aimer. 1366420 Sgt. Montgomery, E. WOP/Air. Ans. 427740 P/S. O'Brien, J.L. M.U. Gunner. Ans. 415509 P/S. Robertson, A. Rear Gunner. 775818 Sgt. Carey, J.S. P/Engineer.		2008½	2220	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Returned early inter-com u/s. Farthest point reached 53° 40'N 02° 00'E. Total load jettisoned.	
21.1.44	LANG. II 'K' DS. 735	161078 P/O. J.K. Williams, Captain. 151014 P/O. A.P. Henshaw, Bomb Aimer. 1334136 Sgt. Lewis, L.H. Navigator. Ans. 417177 P/S. Chapman, W.H. WOP/Air. 914246 Sgt. Pratt, A. M.U. Gunner. 932746 P/S. Lane, E.A. Rear Gunner. 1570038 Sgt. Leenen, J.E. P/Engineer.		1956	---	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Aircraft Missing.	
21.1.44	LANG. II 'L2' LL678	Ans. 427196 P/S. Delacour, H.S. Captain 1433141 Sgt. Blamontain, G. Bomb Aimer. 151067 P/O. H.G. Pictou. Navigator. 1580616 Sgt. Bonham, A.C. WOP/Air. 1523873 Sgt. Savage, G.D. M.U. Gunner. E. 197190 Sgt. Williams, S.F. Rear Gunner. 1625306 Sgt. Martin, G.E. P/Engineer.		2004	0318	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : MAGDEBURG. There was 7/10 cloud. Bombed at 2311 hours at 20000ft. Good attack. Results satisfactory. Fires over Berlin area.	
21.1.44	LANG. II 6J' LL 681	133610 P/O. L.J. Kingwell Captain. J. 20917 P/O. J. Peake. Bomb Aimer. 1996722 Sgt. Knight, G.E. Navigator. 1220052 Sgt. Michelow, H.M. WOP/Air. 1581481 Sgt. Taylor, H. M.U. Gunner. Ans. 409037 P/S. Fidge, H.S. Rear Gunner. 1812145 Sgt. Newbury, A.W. P/Engineer.		1951½	0300	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : MAGDEBURG. There was 4-7/10 broken cloud. Bombed at 2303 hours at 20000 ft. Good fires seen through breaks in cloud. Bullet holes in starboard fin rudder. Bomb doors holed by, either fighter or flak. Crossed coast Wilhelmshafen due to loss of Navigational Equipment during fighter attack. Fighters were over the target very quickly. 'B' 3.	



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21.1.44.	LANC. II 'P' LL.683	120090 P/O. R.J. Curtiss. 158650 P/O. D. McLeod. 157105 P/O. Davey, E. 157384 P/O. C.E. Band. 156046 P/S. Clubb, A.J.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. Rear Gunner.	1949½	0314	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : MAGLEBURG. Scattered patchy cloud. Bombed at 2302 hours at 20000 ft. Fires seen on starboard of river. Route good except for entering and leaving enemy coast. Attack should develop well.	
21.1.44	LANC. II 'D2' LL.674	1086096 Sgt. Cooper, A.F. 1104586 P/S. Milbrough, H. E.89830 J.25323 P/O. Hamey, H. 1487387 Sgt. Stanforth, L.L. 1812094 Sgt. Braithwaite, C.R.W. 18541872 P/S. Eggers, R.M. 1692069 Sgt. Barber, W.T. J.20220 P/L. J.M.J. Bourke. J.22620 P/O. J.E.S. Clare. 1320287 Sgt. Cutler, S.E. 1522308 Sgt. Smith, R.L. 1867200 Sgt. Brewer, J. E.176589 Sgt. Williston, A. 1802314 Sgt. McQuensy, P.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer. Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1954½	0312	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : MAGLEBURG. There was 6/10 cloud. Bombed at 2302 hours. at 20000 ft. Scattered fires and tending to overshoot. Monia u/s. Fires beginning to obtain hold. Route not too good.	
21.1.44	LANC. II 'C2' LL.672	J.20220 P/L. J.M.J. Bourke. J.22620 P/O. J.E.S. Clare. 1320287 Sgt. Cutler, S.E. 1522308 Sgt. Smith, R.L. 1867200 Sgt. Brewer, J. E.176589 Sgt. Williston, A. 1802314 Sgt. McQuensy, P.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	2001½	---	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Aircraft Missing.	

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21.1.44	LANC. II. 'B2' LL.684	Ams. 412451 P/S. Miller, C.G. 1785941 Sgt. Bates, W.A. 1779304 Sgt. Wilcock, R. 1788288 Sgt. Hicks, D. 219869 Sgt. Goodman, E.G.H. 1788928 Sgt. Parker, R.C.D. 2202170 Sgt. Edwards, A.C. 522769	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer..	2005	0337	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : MAGEBURG. Clear over Magieburg, 10/10 cloud over route. Bombed at 2303 hours at 21000 ft. Green F.L.s seen with a large number of fires and incendiaries. Target well covered with fires. Monica seemed unreliable. Route good.	
21.1.44	LANC. II 'K2' LL.670	P/S. Brothcro, E. 1932664 P/S. Sach, E.H. 1776433 P/S. Keasterton, P. 1246248 Sgt. Law, R.G. 1568243 Sgt. Birse, E.W. 1823872 Sgt. Collins, R.M. 1676325 Sgt. Proctor, M. 1733210	Captain. Bomb aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer..	2014	0322	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : MAGEBURG. Cloud very light 2-3/10. Bombed at 2310 hours 20000ft. 2 Red F.L.s Together. One very large fire orange red and 6 smaller fires of same colour. F.L.s and flares very well placed. Fires appeared to be gaining control all over target area.	
21.1.44	LANC. II. 'Q' DS.818	P/S. Steed, P.C.V. 1399896 Sgt. Bulled, M.J. 1733260 Sgt. Pitts, A. 611820 P/S. Robertson, A. 1671741 Sgt. Sweet, W.H. E. 76082 Sgt. Grayson, G. 1666622 Sgt. Gunning, J.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator, WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner, P/Engineer..	1958	0307	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target ; MAGEBURG. There was 4/10 cloud broken. Bombed at 2305 hours at 20000ft. Concentrated fires burning.	
21.1.44	LANC. II 'H' DS.815	P/S. C.A. Nichol. 123133 P/O. R.D. Deans. 1724381 Sgt. Hoare, F.S. 1179769 P/S. Elliott, A.J.J. 1377495 Sgt. Jackson, A.V. 1262356 Sgt. Pearson, G.C. 1615097 Sgt. Townsend, R.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator, WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer..	1950	0250	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : MAGEBURG. There was 5/10 cloud. Bombed at 2306 hours at 20000ft. String of fires seen merging into one. Poor route especially route in and out over coast. No help from Pathfinderers. Attack good and and concentrated. Photo. flash failure.	

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21.1.44	LANC. II. 'H' DS. 813	J. 20187 P/O. T. Penkuri. E. 64521 W/O. L. Wry. 1547879 Sgt. Milner, A.J. 1316364 Sgt. Owen, T.Y. 1851875 Sgt. Peake, K.E. 1120069 Sgt. Crawford, J. 1025606 Sgt. Cosgrove, G. 187865	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. E/Engineer.	1959	0304	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : MAGLEBURG. There was broken cloud 7/10. Bombed at 2312 hours at 20000ft. Considerable amount of undershooting but T.L.s well placed. Very deep red fire with great quantity of smoke. Good fires burning when leaving target.	
21.1.44	LANC. II. 'T' DS. 822	P/S. Ashpiter, P.M. 135670 P/O. W.L.W. Jones. 1450549 Sgt. Green, B.G. 1357235 Sgt. Cole, R.S. 916473 W/O. Hall, B. 143598 P/O. H.C. Bryant. 1330027 Sgt. Bristow, H.C.L. Ans. 414654	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. Rear Gunner. M.U. Gunner. E/Engineer.	1957	0247	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : MAGLEBURG. Clear patch over Magleburg, remainder 10/10. Bombed at 2304 hours at 19000 ft. Red and green T.L.s seen also incendiaries and numerous fires. Route across coast too lively.	
21.1.44	LANC. II. 'M' DS. 823	P/S. Crombie, D.C.C. 1392000 Sgt. McEhee, A. 137547 P/O. H.G. Darby. 1323746 Sgt. Tyler, M.J. 1579675 Sgt. Hill, H.R. 1134608 Sgt. Ryne, C.C. 1509891 Sgt. Le Nove Postar, H.P.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. Rear Gunner. M.U. Gunner. E/Engineer.	1955	2332	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 360 x 30 incendiaries. Returned early. Rear Turret oxygen failure. Rear Gunner semi-conscious, revived on losing height to 17000 feet. Farthest point reached 5430N 0640E. 1 x 4000 bomb jettisoned. Incendiaries brought back to base.	

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21.1.44	LANC. II. 'L' LL-703	131090 P/Lt D. A. Gray. 1610618 Sgt. Brown, E.R. 131702 Sgt. Masier, E.W.E. 1175873 Sgt. Hounsome, R.A. E.142779 P/S. Sharpe, H.G. 1285278 Sgt. Huddle-Wigley, 1002381 Sgt. Helliwell, R.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. W/O/Air. Rear Gunner. M.U. Gunner. W/Engineer.			Bomb load 1 x 4000, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : MAGLEBURG. There was 5/10 cloud. Bombed at 2304 at 20000 ft. TLs very scattered in length over target area. Well lit up. No red markers seen + one green with yellow stars. More cloud than anticipated.	
21.1.44	LANC. II. 'B' LL-627	E.150540 P/S. Bennett, R.A.J. E.168202 Sgt. Baker, W.L. E.128222 P/S. Dodd, T.W. 1385738 P/S. Upton, P.W. 1433262 Sgt. Brettell, A. 1312982 W/O. Hughes, D.J. 1622243 Sgt. Lowry, K.A.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. W/O/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	2000	---	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 720 x 4, 90 x 4, 24 x 30 incendiaries. Aircraft Missing.	
27.1.44	LANC. II					BOMBING - BERLIN. Summary. Twenty-one aircraft were detailed to bomb the target. 1 failed to take off, 5 returned early. There was 6-8/10 cloud encountered as far as Hannover increasing to 10/10. As the target was approached sky markers were well concentrated and all crews identified the target by these. Cloud prevented any accurate assessment of the raid, but the glow of fires on the cloud was visible for 150 miles on the return trip. The target was encircled by fighter flares and there was considerable fighter activity, but only four combats have been reported and one JU88 is claimed as damaged	

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27.1.44.	LANC. II. 'B2'	Ams412451 P/S. Miller, C.G.	Captain.	1748	Manston. 0149	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 7 Cans incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud, tops 10000 ft. Bombed at 2045 at 21000 ft. There-w Enemy fighters in target area. 1 Canister incendiaries hung up. Owing to fuel shortage landed at Manston.	
		1579304 Sgt. Wilcock, B.	Navigator.				
		1324718 Sgt. Clarke, A.W.	Bomb Aimer.				
		1330208 Sgt. Hicks, D.B.J.	WOP/Air.				
		919869 Sgt. Goodman, G.H.M.	M.U. Gunner.				
		1750524 Sgt. Baker, R.G.D.	Rear Gunner				
		2202190 Sgt. Edwards, A.	P/Engineer.				
		NZ. 422315 P/S. Petry, L.M.	2nd. Pilot.				
27.1.44	LANC. II. 'C'	125427 P/L. G.K. Boyd.	Captain.	1745	2123	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Returned early. Farthest point reached 5315N 0610E.	
	DS.708	1600694 Sgt. Adkin, L.S.J.	Navigator.			Both port engines overheating and starboard wing flying low. Load jettisoned.	
		145689 Sgt. Martindale, P.D.	Bomb Aimer.				
		1382210 Sgt. Dowling, J.	WOP/Air.				
		1338979 Sgt. Grams, R.	M.U. Gunner.				
		381579 Sgt. Nicholson, A.	Rear Gunner.				
		1815316 Sgt. Webb, E.W.	P/Engineer.				
27.1.44	LANC. II. 'B'	133610 P/O. L.J. Kingwell.	Captain.	1752	1941	Bomb load 1 x 8000. Returned early. Farthest point reached 5317N 0250E. Poor engine performance. Bomb jettisoned.	
	LL-624	1396522 Sgt. Knight, G.E.	Navigator.				
		J. 20915 P/O. J. Peake.	Bomb Aimer.				
		1220092 Sgt. Michelow, H.M.	WOP/Air.				
		1581481 Sgt. Taylor, H.	M.U. Gunner.				
		Ams. 405037 P/O. Edge, H.S.	Rear Gunner.				
		1812145 Sgt. Newbury, O.W.	P/Engineer.				

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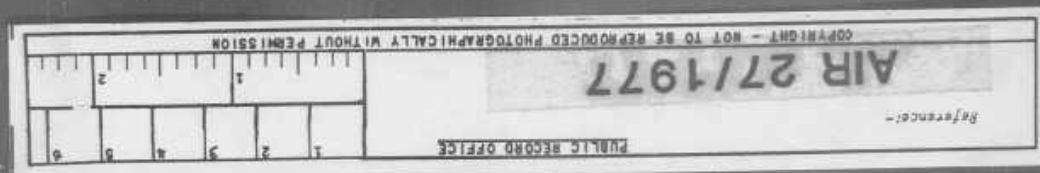
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27.1.44	LANC. II. 'P' DS. 842	P/O. Greenwood, E. 1387106 Sgt. Bowman, D.A. E. 151614 P/S. Deans, R.W. 143311 P/O. J.K. Daves. E. 136270 Sgt. McNeill, J.J. E. 128609 P/O. E.W. Bourne. 1629747 Sgt. Thornton, F.J. Ans. 413614	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/A.G. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1746	0219	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2037 hours at 20000 ft. Bombed in centre of two green and red markers. Attack should develop well. Photo flash failed.	
27.1.44	LANC. II. 'D' DS. 785	P/O. G.S. Hughes. NZ. 416587 P/S. Smith, L.S. NZ. 427199 P/S. Hall, A.D. Ans. 421267 P/S. Goddard, O.J. 1107921 Sgt. Moorhouse, E.G. 1437285 Sgt. Whitbread, L.J.H. Ans. 152926 Sgt. West, H.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/AIR. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1749	0148	Bomb load 1 x 8000 lb bomb. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2030 hours at 21000 ft. Red glows seen on clouds. P.Q.E. seen and useful. Attack should develop well. Markers concentrated. Photo attempted. Spoof markers between Hamburg and Bremen very effective and foxed jerry.	
27.1.44	LANC. II. 'C' IL. 625	P/O. J.R. LeING. 1533843 Sgt. Vickers, A. 1044234 Sgt. Knights, J. 1023462 Sgt. Scott, G.E. E. 174878 Sgt. McAllister, R.B. 1451820 Sgt. Salt, C.A. 1575492 Sgt. Bennett, P.C.K.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1752	0126	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2036 hours at 20000 ft. 10/10 cloud prevented visual. Markers well concentrated although flak was being belted up round them. Red glows reflected through the clouds showing fires underneath. Large area well concentrated.	

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27.1.44	LANC. II. 'E' DS.786	J.20167 P/O. T. Penkuri. E.64521 W/O. Gray, L.A. 1547079 Sgt. Kilner, O.J. 1316304 Sgt. Owen, T.Y. 1891075 Sgt. Peake, E.E. 1126069 Sgt. Crawford, J. 1025006 Sgt. Cosgrove, G.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	1801	0215	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2038 hours at 20000 ft. Flashes seen through clouds which were lit up by S/ls. Little to be seen on arrival, concentration of fires seen some time after leaving.	
27.1.44	LANC. II. 'O' DS.816	115023 S/L. A.L. Roberts. 1319583 Sgt. Bell, A. 587667 Sgt. Foggia, R. 167774 P/O. J.M. Hydes. 1238470 Sgt. Clewlow, G. E.119782 W/S. Deble, H.J. 971033 Sgt. Bannister, R.A. 134092	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	1758	0155	Bomb load 1 x 8000 lb bomb. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2037 hours at 20000 ft. Smoke seen from large fire above cloud on leaving target. sky markers well concentrated.	
27.1.44	LANC. II. 'N' DS.815	1170569 P/O. Elliott, A.J. 1317423 P/S. Jackson, A.V. 1262356 Sgt. Pezman, G.C. 1615077 Sgt. Townsend, F.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	1743	0203	Bomb load 1 x 8000 lb bomb. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2042 hours at 20000 ft. R.F.F. not too good with route markers. Red glow seen in sky 100 miles away on homeward route from target.	

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27.1.44	LANC. II. 'P' DS. 822	1378475 F/S. Ashpittel, P.L. 135670 P/O. H.L.W. Jones. 1450549 Sgt. Green, R.G. 1387235 Sgt. Cole, R.S. 976475 W/O. Hall, E. 143598 P/O. H.G. Bryant.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. Rear Gunner. M.U. Gunner.	1747	0212	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2031 hours at 19000 ft. Quiet trip, good route. Photo taken. One fighter seen over target.	
27.1.44	LANC. II. 'S8' LL. 669	1032692 Sgt. Martin, S.F. Ans. 414654 P/S. Crombie, D.C.C. 1392000 Sgt. Mahee, A. 137747 P/O. H.G. Darby. 1323746 Sgt. Tyler, M.J. 1579675 Sgt. Hill, H.E. 1134608 Sgt. Ryne, G.G. 1509891 Sgt. Le Nave Foster, H.E.	P/Engineer. Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/A.G. Rear-Gunner. M.U. Gunner. P/Engineer.	1756	0208	Bomb load 1 x 8000 lb bomb. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 8-10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2036 hours at 21000 ft. Glows reflected through cloud. Quiet uneventful trip. Route satisfactory. Attack should develop.	
27.1.44	LANC. II. 'P' LL. 683	1118708 P/S. McGowan, W.L. Ans. 413305 P/S. Bishop, A.N. 1537757 Sgt. Lewis, L.W.C. Ans. 410729 P/S. Bryan, H.E. 2581622 Sgt. Henry, G.A. E.181202 Sgt. Sutherland, W.F. 1581581 Sgt. Clarke, J.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1757	0135	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2032 hours at 18000 ft. Cloud prevented visual. Sky markers were in three groups. Jerry putting flak up at markers. Many 'cookie' explosions in larger area.	
27.1.44	LANC. II. 'L' LL. 703	Ans. 409973 P/O. N.A. Thackray. 1579592 Sgt. Davies, P.C. Ans. 419482 Sgt. Mouldale, J.E. 1575442 Sgt. Hughes, E. Ans. 424103 P/S. Hooley, R.H. Ans. 424001 Sgt. Henn, C.H. 1832773 Sgt. Benfield, C.W.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. Rear Gunner. M.U. Gunner. P/Engineer.	1759	2008	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Returned early. Farthest point reached 5317N 0312E. Poor engine performance. Load jettisoned.	

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27.1.44	LANC.II. 'M' LG.829	1347806 P/S. Henry, W. 1323954 Sgt. Roberts, J.V. E.120832 P/S. Hall, A.E. 1576668 Sgt. Vallance, F.E. 542741 Sgt. Kenny, D. 1821076 Sgt. Lennigan, W. 1603741 Sgt. Bennett, W.E. #13000	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. E/Engineer.	1742	0205	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 450 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2036 hours at 20000 ft. One cluster of green/red markers with two others nearby. Should be alright if P.F.F. were correct.	
27.1.44	LANC.II. 'O2' L6727	P/O. L. Greenwood. 49803 P/O. L. Greenburgh. 1313839 Sgt. Butler, F.G. Ans. 437149 Sgt. Bennett, D.J. 1386739 Sgt. Stromberg, G.H. 900040 Sgt. Carey, R.J. Ans. 428925 P/S. Drake, G.A. 1673443 Sgt. Wodds, L. 52765	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. E/Engineer.	1754	0146	Bomb load 1 x 4000, There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2041 hours at 20000 ft. Red haze seen through clouds. P.Q.R. seen rather scattered. Attack progressing well. Photo. attempted. Hole in Mid Upper turret perspex.	
27.1.44	LANC.II. 'K2' L670	P/S. Brotherton, E. 1576433 P/S. Kenterton, F.A. 1332664 P/S. Sach, F.W.E. 1246248 Sgt. Law, E.G. 1568243 Sgt. Birse, A.W. 1823872 Sgt. Collins, E.M. 1676325 Sgt. Procter, S.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. E/Engineer.	1755	0140	Bomb load 1 x 4000, 32 x 30, 450 x 4. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2030 hours at 20000 ft. Red glow seen on leaving. Small flak hole on starboard bomb door. Sky markers dropped dead on time and well concentrated. On leaving red glow reflected evidence of fires beneath cloud.	

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28.1.44						<u>BOMBING - BERLIN.</u> Summary. 19 Aircraft were detailed to bomb the target. 4 failed to take off and 1 returned early. Crews encountered 9-10/10 cloud on the way which thinned out somewhat over the target. Sky markers were well concentrated, and the reflections of many fires could be seen from the German coast on the homeward journey. Explosions were reported over the target. There appeared to be less fighter opposition than previously.	
28.1.44	LANC. II. 'B' LL 624	70816 S/L. E. G. B. Reid. 137676 P/O. H. James. 1585089 Sgt. Meade, V.R.D. NL 414365 P/S. Mack, W.T.L. Ans. 415845 P/S. White, E.H. Ans. 410114 P/S. Williams, G.G. 1608232 Sgt. O'Donnell, R.J. J. 19060	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOB/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	0009½	0759	Bomb load 1 x 2000 lb. bomb, 16 x 30, 750 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud with tops 5000 ft. Bombed at 0319 hours at 21000 ft. Very good Attack. Good concentration of fires.	
28.1.44	LANC. II. 'H' DS. 813	P/O. E. Greenwood. 1387105 Sgt. Newman, D.A. E. 151814 P/S. Deans, E.W. 143911 P/O. J.K. Daves. E. 190270 Sgt. McNeill, J.J. E. 190609 J. 19375 P/O. E.W. Bourne. 1629747 Sgt. Thornton.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOB/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	0010½	0828	Bomb load 1 x 2000 lb. bomb, 16 x 30, 750 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 0324 hours at 20000 ft. Very good fires and seen from Rostock. Munition u/s. Route and attack good.	

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28.1.44	LANC II. 'O' IS. 625	147526 W/O. J.E. Laing. 1533843 Sgt. Pickers, A. 1044234 Sgt. Knights, J. 1023452 Sgt. Scott, G.E.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air.	0016	0818	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb. bomb. 24 x 30, 180 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud with one or two breaks. Bombed at 0322 hours at 20000 ft. Heavy concentration of sky markers and large red glow reflected through cloud. The best prang I have been on - P.F.F. were Bang On'. Fires red glow could be seen for 150 miles after leaving target. Had encounter with enemy aircraft.	'B' 10.
28.1.44	LANC II. 'N' IS. 515	1451825 Sgt. Salt, G.A. R. 174578 Sgt. Mallister, R.B. 173452 Sgt. Bennett, P.C.K. 134032	Rear Gunner. M.U. Gunner. W/Engineer.	0023 1/2	0740	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb. bomb. 24 x 30, 180 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 9/10 cloud, clear in patches. Bombed at 0328 hours at 20000 ft. Cluster of green T.L.s seen through break in clouds. Just after leaving target saw long narrow line of concentrated fires over target. Route satisfactory.	
28.1.44	LANC II. 'T' IS. 622	120090 W/O. R.J. Curtis. 157183 W/O. E. Davy. 158650 W/O. D. McLeod. 157984 W/O. G.E. Baud. 1389975 Sgt. Marshall, R.H. 1500436 W/O. Clubb, W.J. 1086096 Sgt. Cooper, R.G.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	2357	0744	Bomb load 1 x 2000 lb bomb. 16 x 30, 750 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 8 1/2/10 cloud. Bombed at 0315 hours at 21000 ft. Concentrated fires in target area, burning red. Marking flares and T.L.s well concentrated. Huge explosion with an orange coloured flash at 0314 hours and a further one to the N.E. at 0326 hours.	
28.1.44	LANC II.						

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28.1.44	LANC. II.	1118708 P/S. McGonn, W.L. Ans. 413305 P/S. Durham, A.H. 1357127 Sgt. Lewis, L.W.C. Ans. 410529 P/S. Bryan, K.E. 1587622 Sgt. Henry, G.A. R. 181202 Sgt. Rutherford, W.F. 1581581 Sgt. Clarke, J. Ans. 409975	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	0013 ^{1/2}	0821	Bomb load 1 x 2000 lb bomb, 16 x 30, 750 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 0324 hours at 20000 ft. Good concentration of fires reflected through cloud also seen through haze. Attack seemed rather scattered. Sky markers seemed to be two or three miles apart. One big fire and many small fires seen. Good route, no trouble.	
28.1.44	LANC. II. 'O' DS. 816	P/O. N.W. Thackray. 1579592 Sgt. Davies, P.C. Ans. 413482 Sgt. Mouldale, J.R. 1575442 Sgt. Hughes, P. Ans. 424001 Sgt. Henn, G.H. Ans. 424353 P/S. Beasley, R.H. 1832773 Sgt. Banfield, C.W. 1533416	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	0006	0840	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb bomb, 24 x 30, 180 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud, tops 7000 with gaps. Bombed at 0327 hours at 20000 ft. During run in large part of sky lit up by flash of big explosion. Route marked P.Q.R. seen, very useful. Attack appears to have been well concentrated. Large glow of fires seen through cloud.	
28.1.44	LANC. II. 'Q' DS. 818	P/S. Stead, F.C.V. 1453260 Sgt. Watts, A. 1389896 Sgt. Hilled, M.J. 651820 P/S. Robertson, A.M. 1651741 Sgt. Sweet, W.H. R. 180882 Sgt. Forsythe, C.A. 1566622 Sgt. Gunning, J. 1345806	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	0004	0753	Bomb load 1 x 2000 lb bomb, 16 x 30, 750 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud with tops 6000 ft. Bombed at 0324 hours at 20500 ft. During run in sky lit up by flash of large explosions. Route markers easily identified. Route good. Fighter opposition conspicuous by its absence.	
28.1.44	LANC. II. 'M' DS. 823	P/S. Henry, W. 1323954 Sgt. Sicketts, S.W. R. 120872 P/S. Hill, W.S. 1576668 Sgt. Vallance, F.B. 142541 Sgt. Kenny, D. 1821076 Sgt. Lennigan, W. 1603741 Sgt. Bennett, A.E.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	2359 ^{1/2}	0807	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb bomb, 24 x 30, 180 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 0323 hours at 20000 ft. Very good raid. Many numerous fires seen from German coast. Route O.K. and good raid. Large explosion at 0319 hours.	

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28.1.44	LAWC. II 'C2' LL-727	1104585 F/S. Milbrough, H. 2.23343 F/O. H.G. Heaney. E. 57830 W/O. Metcalfe, G.W. 1457583 Sgt. Stanforth, L.L. 1812034 Sgt. Braithwaite, C.R.W. Ams. 418772 W/S. Rogers, R.M. 1692869 Sgt. Barber, W.T.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	0017	0804	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb. bomb. 24 x 30, 180 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target: HERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 0319 hours at 20000 ft. When coming into target sky lit up by huge explosion. Long line of fires running N.W.-S.E. terminating in a large concentration line of fires spreading to West. Should have been a very good attack. No trouble from fighters.	
28.1.44	LAWC. II 'K2' LL-672	752769 F/S. Protherus, E. 1576433 F/S. Eberton, P.A. 1352664 F/S. Sach, P.W.B. 1246248 Sgt. Law, R.G. 1568243 Sgt. Kirse, A.W. 1823672 Sgt. Collins, R.M. 1676923 Sgt. Proctor, S.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	0021 1/2	0843	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb. bomb. 24 x 30, 180 x 4, 90 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target: HERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud, thin. Bombed at 0321 hours at 21000 ft. Many concentrated fires and 1 large explosion at 0320 hours. Route satisfactory and very good attack.	
28.1.44	LAWC. II 'I2' LL-678	Ams. 327136 F/S. Delacour, H.S. 151087 F/O. R.G. Pisten. 1433141 Sgt. Blamontain, G. 1580616 Sgt. Bohan, A.G. 1523833 Sgt. Savage, G.D. E. 297190 Sgt. Williams, S.F. 1627906 Sgt. Martin, G.E.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	0012	0812	Bomb load 1 x 2000 lb. bomb. 16 x 30, 750 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target: HERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 0326 hours at 20000 ft. Fires and explosions seen through cloud, S/ls. below. Route quiet. Photo attempted. Had two encounters with enemy aircraft.	'B' 11.

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28.1.44	LANC. II. 'F2' DS. 786	1236018 W/S. Winstanley, A. 1319844 W/S. Tysce, H. 1586607 Sgt. Scrase, R. B. G. 1125643 Sgt. Dixon, W. 1544912 Sgt. Wilson, A. E. 161431 W/S. Rycritt, Sid. 1582269 Sgt. Bomer, G.H.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer WOP/Air M.U. Gunner Rear Gunner W/Engineer	0017½	0754	Bomb load 1x 2000 lb. bomb, 16 x 30, 750 x 4 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Large dumb-bell shaped fire running S to N surrounded by searchlights. Attack appeared very concentrated - should have good photo.	
28.1.44	LANC. II 'G' DS. 708	125427 W/S. G.K. Rayd. 1600694 Sgt. Atkin, L.S.J. 1454683 W/S. Martindale, P.L. 1582810 Sgt. Dowling, J. 1338973 Sgt. Mirams, R.A.D. 981573 Sgt. Nicholson, A. 1815316 Sgt. Webb, P.W.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer WOP/Air M.U. Gunner Rear Gunner W/Engineer	0008	0824	Bomb load 1 x 2000 lb. bomb. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 0325 hours at 20000 ft. Several large fires seen from German coast. Route and attack very good.	
28.1.44	LANC. II. 'L' LL-703	115223 W/S. A.L. Roberts, SFC. 1319583 Sgt. Hall, A. 959667 Sgt. Feggin, R. 169554 W/S. J.M. Hydes. 1238470 Sgt. Clewlow, G. E. 119782 W/S. Dable, H.J. 951033 Sgt. Bannister, R.A.	Captain Navigator Bomb Aimer WOP/Air M.U. Gunner Rear Gunner W/Engineer	2358½	0904	Bomb load 1 x 2000 lb. bomb, 16 x 30, 750 x 4 incendiaries. Returned early. Farthest point reached 5403N 0438. Instrument panel u/s. Load jettisoned.	

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30.1.44						BOASTING - BERLIN. Summary. 17 Aircraft were detailed to bomb the target. 1 was withdrawn, 2 returned early and 2 are missing. There was 10/10 cloud over the target.	
30.1.44	LANC. II. 'G' DS.708	125427 P/O. G.K. Boyd. 145468 P/O. Martindale, P.D. 1600694 Sgt. I.E.J. Adkin. 1922810 Sgt. Dowling, J. 1338979 Sgt. Mirams, R.A.D. 981579 Sgt. Nicholson, A. 1817316 Sgt. P.W. Webb. J.19060	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1723	---	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb. bomb, 600 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Aircraft missing.	
30.1.44	LANC. II. 'H' DS.813	P/O. E. Greenwood. 1387106 Sgt. Newman, D.A. E.151814 P/O. Deans, E.W. 143311 P/O. J.K. Daves. E.190270 Sgt. McNeill, J.J. E.188489 J.19355 P/O. E.W. Bourne. 1629747 Sgt. Thornton, F.J. 133610	Captain. Navigator. BOMB AIMER. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1714	2349	Bomb load 1 x 8000 lb. bomb. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2022 hours at 20000 ft. There was good concentration of sky markers. Monica u/s. Route too hot - attack not as good as previous night.	
30.1.44	LANC. II. 'F' DS.842	P/O. L.J. Kingwell. 1396522 Sgt. Knight, G.E. J.20915 P/O. J. Peske. 1220052 Sgt. Nicholow, H.M. 1981481 Sgt. Taylor, H. Ans.403037 W/O. Fidge, H.S. 1812145 Sgt. Newbury, O.W.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1710	2336	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb. bomb, 600 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud with tops 8000 ft. Bombed at 2027 hours at 20000 ft. Many flares well concentrated. Cloud prevented visual. Monica u/s. Incendiaries did not show through the cloud, but the red glow of fires could be seen 100 miles from target. Sky markers were good. Hundreds of fighter flares in target area and on the track.	

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30.1.44	LANC. II. 'A' DS. 735	J.21428 P/L G.J. Choquer. 1931272 P/S. Wallington, E.J. 1431168 P/S. Mortimer, E. 1366420 Sgt. Montgomery, R. 1425740 P/O. O'Brien, J.L. 1418709 P/S. Robertson, A.J. 535818 Sgt. Caray, J.S. 1317103 P/S. Milliford, R.L.	Captain. Bomb Aimer. Navigator. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer. 2nd. Pilot.	1722	---	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb bomb, 600 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 Aircraft missing.	
30.1.44	LANC. III. 'C' LL. 625	147526 P/O. J.E. Laing. 1533843 Sgt. Vickers, A. 1044234 Sgt. Knights, J. 1021462 Sgt. Scott, G.E. 1451828 Sgt. Salt, C.A. R.174878 Sgt. McAllister, R.E. 1575492 Sgt. Bennett, P.C.K.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. Rear Gunner. M.U. Gunner. P/Engineer.	1711	2354	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb. bomb, 600 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 Bombed at 2025 hours at 20000 ft. No result seen in target, but fires seen on leaving. Not as good as last night's raid. P.F.P. concentrated at first, appeared scattered later. Route good. Had encounter with enemy aircraft.	'B' 3.
30.1.44	LANC. II. 'D' DS. 765	R.20187 P/O. T. Rankin. R.64521 P/O. Wry, L.A. 1547055 Sgt. Kilner, D.J. 1316364 Sgt. Owen, T.Y. 1691075 Sgt. Peake, E.E. 1126089 Sgt. Crawford, J. 1025606 Sgt. Cagrove, G.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1712	2357	Bomb load 1 x 8000 lb bomb. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2027 hours at 20000 ft. Glow of fires through cloud. Target ringed with fighter flares "More than ever". Nice widespread fires after we left the target. Very good attack. Route good. Had encounter with enemy aircraft.	'B' 5.

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30.1.44	LANC. II. 'L' Lla 703	115023 S/Lt. A.L. Roberts, DFC. Captain. 1319583 Sgt. Bull, A. 99667 Sgt. Poggin, R. 16774 W/O. J.M. Hydes. 123847 Sgt. Gleslew, G. R.119782 W/S. Doble, H.J. 991039 Sgt. Summister, R.A.	DFC. Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	1725 1	2347	Bomb load 1 x 2000 lb. bomb. 900 x 4, 90 x 4, 24 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2022 hours at 21000 ft. Cluster of 4 red flares, green stars. Green T.Is. dropping just as we bombed. Cloud prevented visual. Attack very scattered - best I've seen as far as the sky marking was concerned. There appeared to be a good red glow underneath the cloud when we were leaving the target.	
30.1.44	LANC. II. 'O' Ds 816	141096 W/Lt. D.A.A. Gray. 1610618 Sgt. Brown, R.E. 1315709 Sgt. Brasier, E.W.R. 1175873 Sgt. Hounscomb, R.A. 1263278 Sgt. Hoddle-Wrigley, R.A. R.142779 W/S. Sharp, H.G. 1002381 Sgt. Helliwell, R.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	1720 1	2338	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb. bomb. 600 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 9-10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2026 hours at 20000 ft. Orange glow of fires and sky well lit up with fighter flares. Easy trip though unmolested much fighter activity.	
30.1.44	LANC. II. 'T' D6.822	178365 W/S. Ashpittel, P.M. 135670 W/O. W.L.W. Jones. 1450549 Sgt. Green, B.G. 1387235 Sgt. Cole, R.S. 143798 W/O. H.C. Bryant. 976475 W/O. Hall, E. 1032632 Sgt. Martin, S.F.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	1718 1	2324	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb. bomb. 600 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2027 hours at 18000 ft. Big glow of fires seen through clouds. Route good. Bright moon above clouds. Numerous fighters seen. Had encounter with enemy aircraft.	'B' 12.

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30.1.44	LANC. II. 'S' LL.669	Aus. 414654 P/O. Crombie, D.C.G.	Captain.	1716½	2320	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb bomb. 600 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Bombed at 2022 hours at 22000 ft. Target area ringed with fighter flares. Route markers well placed helpful. Moon quite bright, aircraft would be seen about two miles away.	
		1592000 Sgt. McInnes, A.	Navigator.				
		137547 P/O. H.G. Darby.	Bomb Aimer.				
		1323846 Sgt. Tyler, M.J.	WOP/air.				
		1134608 Sgt. Payne, C.C.	M.U. Gunner.				
		1579675 Sgt. Hill, H.E.	Rear Gunner.				
		1509891 Sgt. Le Neve Foster, R.P.	P/Engineer.				
30.1.44	LANC. II. 'M' DS.823	Aus. 409973 P/O. N.W. Shackray.	Captain.	1724½	1931	Bomb load 1 x 2000 lb. bomb. 1 x 5000 lb bomb. 90 x 4, 48 x 30 incendiaries. Returned early. Farthest point reached 5330N 0320E. Burst Oil pipe Rear Turret. Load jettisoned.	
		1579792 Sgt. Davies, P.G.	Navigator.				
		Aus. 415482 P/O. Mouldale, J.R.	Bomb Aimer.				
		1575442 Sgt. Hughes, P.	WOP/air.				
		Aus. 424881 Sgt. Henn, C.H.	M.U. Gunner.				
		Aus. 424963 P/O. Bramley, R.E.	Rear Gunner.				
		1832773 Sgt. Bonfield, C.W.	P/Engineer.				
30.1.44	LANC. II. 'Q' DS.818	P/O. R.J. Curtis.	Captain.	1713	2331½	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb. bomb. 600 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud. Concentration of sky markers red with green stars. Bombed at 2023 hours at 20000 ft. Target area surrounded by fighter flares. Glow of fires seen through cloud. Attack appeared concentrated if P.F.F. O.K. No troubles.	
		155105 P/O. R. Davey.	Navigator.				
		148650 P/O. D. McLeod.	Bomb Aimer.				
		157984 P/O. C.E. Bond.	WOP/air.				
		138977 Sgt. Marshall, R.H.	M.U. Gunner.				
		150436 P/O. Clubb, W.J.	Rear Gunner.				
		108896 Sgt. Cooper, P.G.	P/Engineer.				
30.1.44	LANC. II. 'R' DS.786	1104586 P/O. Blbrough, H.	Captain.	1721½	2325	Bomb load 1 x 4000 lb. bomb. 600 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud with 5000 ft. Cloud prevented visual. Monica u/s. Markers more concentrated than I have ever seen before - if they were O.K. we were "Bang On".	
		J. 23343 P/O. H.C. Heaney.	Navigator.				
		E. 83830 P/O. Metcalfe, G.H.	Bomb Aimer.				
		1487389 Sgt. Stanforth, L.L.	WOP/air.				
		1812034 Sgt. Braithwaite, C.R.W.	Rear Gunner.				
		1692069 Sgt. Barber, W.F.	P/Engineer.				
		Aus. 418572 P/O. Rogers, R.M.	M.U. Gunner.				

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30.1.44	LANC. II. 'C2' LL. 727	49803 P/O. L. Greenburgh. 1313899 Sgt. Butler, P.G. Ans. 417149 Sgt. Bament, D.L. 1386939 Sgt. Strenberg, G.H. 900040 Sgt. Carey, P.J. Ans. 420925 P/S. Drake, C.A. 1673445 Sgt. Middle, L. Ans. 412451	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1719 $\frac{1}{2}$	2340	Bomb 1 x 4000 lb. bomb. 600 x 4, 90 x 4, 32 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target: BERLIN. There was 10/10 cloud with tops 8-10000 ft. Bombed at 2024 hours at 20000 ft. Bombed in centre of rather scattered red and green markers. Weather clear above cloud. Target area illuminated by all types of coloured flares and rockets - Route too tricky. Had encounter with enemy aircraft.	'B' I.
30.1.44	LANC. II. 'B2' LL. 664	P/S. Miller, C.G. 1579304 Sgt. Wilcock, E. 1324718 Sgt. Clarke, A.W. 1330208 Sgt. Hinks, D.B.F. 919869 Sgt. Goodman, G.H.M. 1750924 Sgt. Baker, R.C.D. 2202190 Sgt. Edwards, A.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1715	2048	Bomb load 1 x 2000 lb. bomb. 1 x 500 lb. bomb. 900 x 4, 48 x 30 incendiaries. Returned early. Farthest point reached 5415N 0601E. Rear and M.U. Turrets inter-comm u/s. M/U gunns u/s. 1855 hours 19000 ft 5403N 0455E on track Heavy flak bursting 2000 yards on starboard quarter slightly above. 12 gun flashes seen, Bomb Aimer aimed bombs at flashes. Bomb observed to explode. Shots attempted. Heading 260 M out line 2 ships near proximity seen.	
30.1.44	LANC. II. 'I2' LL. 678	Ans. 425196 P/S. Delacour, H.S. 171007 P/O. E.G. Ploton. 1433141 Sgt. Dalakountain, G. 1590616 Sgt. Benson, A.C. 152389 Sgt. Savage, G.D. R. 197190 Sgt. Williams, S.F. 1627906 Sgt. Martin, G.E.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. P/Engineer.	1717 $\frac{1}{2}$	2329	Bomb load 1 x 2000 lb. bomb. 1 x 500 lb. bomb. 900 x 4, 48 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target: Berlin. There was 10/10 solid cloud. Bombed at 2029 hours. at 21000 ft. Too early to see anything except sky markers. 48 x 30 incendiaries hung up. Very quiet and uneventful. 50 miles from target saw glow of fires.	

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30.1.44	LANC. II. 'E2' LL. 678	Ass. 425196 W/S. Delacour, H.S. 151087 W/O. E.G. Pinton. 1493141 Sgt. Blakemount, G. 1580616 Sgt. Hughes, G.C. 152389 Sgt. Savage, G.D. E. 197190 Sgt. Williams, S.F. 1625906 Sgt. Martin, G.E.	Captain. Navigator. Bomb Aimer. WOP/Air. M.U. Gunner. Rear Gunner. W/Engineer.	1717½	2329	Bomb load 1 x 2000 lb. bomb. 1 x 500 lb. bomb. 900 x 4, 48 x 30 incendiaries. Primary target : Berlin. There was 10/10 solid cloud. Bombed at 2019 hours. at 21000 ft. Too early to see anything except sky markers. 48 x 30 incendiaries hung up. Very quiet and uneventful. 50 miles from target saw glow of fires.	

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