

FORM 1767

ROYAL AIR FORCE

OBSERVER'S AND AIR GUNNER'S
FLYING LOG BOOK

Name

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Instructions.

1. This log book is an official document and the property of H.M. Government.
2. Observers and air gunners will maintain an accurate and detailed record of all flights undertaken on service aircraft.
3. Results of ab initio courses will be recorded on either pages 2, 3, 4 or 5, for which purpose a rubber stamp is available.
4. Proficiency assessments will be recorded on the appropriate page at the back of the book annually on 31st December, on posting or on attachment to another unit for flying duties.
5. Bombing and Air Gunnery records will be entered in the appropriate pages at the back of the book annually on 31st December.
6. Monthly totals will be entered on a single line in red ink and initialled by the Commanding Officer or his deputy.

Certificates of Qualification.

(to be filled in as appropriate)

1. This is to certify that 1286586 KIMBERLEY
 has qualified as Air Gunner
 with effect from 14.11.43 Sgd. Hobbs and Hill
 Date 14.11.43 Unit No. 1 A.G.S., PEMBREY
2. This is to certify that _____
 has qualified as _____
 with effect from _____ Sgd. _____
 Date _____ Unit _____
3. This is to certify that _____
 has qualified as _____
 with effect from _____ Sgd. _____
 Date _____ Unit _____
4. This is to certify that _____
 has qualified as _____
 with effect from _____ Sgd. _____
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Time carried forward:—

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
		<u>BLÉNHEIM</u>					
5. 3. 43.	0840	6346.	SGT. GREGORY.	AIR - EXPERIENCE			.45
5. 3. 43.	1200.	6255.	SGT. ELLISON.	R-Q-1.	SIGHT. U.S.		1.15
5. 3. 43.	1635.	6068.	SGT. FRITH.	R-Q-1	1 EXERCISE OF 25 FT.		1.00
11. 3. 43.	1135.	9461.	SGT. HOLDEN.	AIR - TRACER - DEM	GUN. U.S.		1.00
11. 3. 43.	1710.	6172.	SGT. MCVAY.	AIR - TRACER - DEM	200 RDS. 1:4 TRACER.		.40
12. 3. 43.	0840	6123.	SGT. URAM.	FR - BEAM	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS. 1:4 TRACER. SCORE 10.5%		1.05
14. 3. 43.	0925.	6150	F/O. LORD.	FR - REL - BEAM	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS. 1:4 TRACER. SCORE 0.5%		.50
14. 3. 43.	1655.	6248.	P/O. BOS. WAITE.	FR - UT	NO WYSANDER.		.45
14. 3. 43.	1855.	6260.	F/SGT. CLAQUE.	FR - UT.	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS. 1:4 TRACER. N/A		1.20
19. 3. 43.	1030	6248.	F/SGT. PASZKOWSKI.	FR - UT.	WEATHER. U.S.		.35
19. 3. 43.	1345.	6061.	F/O. MILLICAMP.	FR - QG	AIRCRAFT. U.S.		.50
19. 3. 43.	1700	5987.	SGT. O'MALLEY	FR - QG	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS. SPLASH (SEA)		.35
23. 3. 43	1520	6258	F/SGT HART.	FR U.T.	WEATHER U.S.		.55
24. 3. 43.	0920.	5997	W/O. M ^c DANIEL.	FR: UT.	WEATHER U.S.		.35
27. 3. 43.	1100	6349	F/O MILLICAMP.	FR. QX. OVER.	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS 1:4 TRACER SCORE 5%		1.00
27. 3. 43.	1525	6260	F/SGT HART.	FR. QX. OVER.	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS. 1:4 TRACER SCORE 6.5%		1.10
28. 3. 43.	1400	6258	P/O M ^c ALLEN	FR - UT	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS. 1:4 TRACER. SCORE 5%		.55
30. 3. 43.	0950	5434	SGT ELLISON.	FR - REL - BEAM	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS. 1:4 TRACER. SCORE 3.5%		1.05
30. 3. 43	1150	5434	SGT M ^c VAY	FR - UT.	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS 1:4 TRACER. SCORE 2%		.55
TOTAL Flying Time for course.							17.15.
Asst. Command. S/ADR. C.T.							
NO. 1 A.G.S., PEMBREY 3.4.43.						TOTAL TIME ...	17.15.

180 39DN,
ROYAL AIR FORCE

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty
1.6.43	10,00	^{FL} "J" 173	F/Sgt. Mc. CARTNEY.	CINÉ CAMERA TEST
4.6.43	15,15	^{FL} "C" 681	Sgt FRANCIS.	CINÉ SHOTS.
9.6.43	15,05	^{FL} "J" 173	F/Sgt. Mc. CARTNEY.	CINÉ SHOTS.
10.6.43	13,30	^{FL} "K" 698	Sgt. MOORE.	CINÉ SHOTS.

Time carried forward:— 17.15.

REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
	Day	Night
TEST SCRUBBED. TOO CLOUDY TO SEE GROUND.	.25	
FORMATION FLYING. SHOTS FROM THE NOSE.	.40	
PRACTICE BOMBING. NO CINÉ SHOT TAKEN	1.5	
PRACTICE BOMBING. CINÉ TEST SHOT TAKEN.	.35	
TOTAL JUNE....		3.05
TOTAL HOURS FOR JUNE.		9.05
TOTAL HOURS TO DATE		20.20
TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS.		NIL
<p>Signed <i>P. Mays</i></p> <p>O.C. OPERATIONAL SECTION</p> <p>RAF. FPU.</p>		
TOTAL TIME ...		20.20

88 SQDN. AND 101 SQDN.
ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Time carried forward :- 20.20

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
5-7-43	15.00	Boston "J"		CAMERAMAN. A.G.	LOW LEVEL SMOKE LAYING EXERCISE.	00.30	
12-7-43	09.55	Boston "J"	F/O RISELEY.	CAMERAMAN A.G.	OPERATIONS. — GRANDQUERILLY. LOW LEVEL ATTACK ON A POWER STATION AT GRANDQUERILLY NEAR ROUEN. TURNED BACK DUE TO INADEQUATE CLOUD COVER.	1.50	
22-7-43	16.00	Boston "H"	W/CDR. PELY-FRY.		NORTHOLT TO SWANTON MORLEY	00.30	
29-7-43	22.55	ED 37A "H" LANCASTER.	F/LT. HULL	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS — HAMBURG. MID-UNDER CAMERA (HANDHELD CAMERA USED) FILM BROKE OVER TARGET. HIGH LEVEL ATTACK.		5.25
29-7-43	22.30	ED 37A "H" LANCASTER.	F/LT. HULL	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS. — REMSCHEID. (WÜRZBURG) MID-UNDER CAMERA. (300FT. SHOT) HIGH LEVEL ATTACK.		4.20
TOTAL HOURS FOR JULY						2.50	10.05
TOTAL HOURS TO DATE						23.10	10.05
TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS (JULY)						1.50	10.05
J.P. [Signature] / SGT. S/LDR. COMMANDING "A" FLIGHT, 101 SQDN. P.I. [Signature] S/LDR. COMMANDING OPS. FILM PRODUCTION UNIT.							
TOTAL TIME ...						23.10	10.05

5 AUG 1943
 FILM PRODUCTION UNIT

101 SQDN. ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Time carried forward:— 23.10 10.05

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
6/8-43	23.10	"H" ED 372 LANCASTER	F/Sgt. HAMMOND	PHOTOGRAPHER.	BULLSEYE PRACTICE. D.N.C.O. 10% CLOUD.		
12-8-43	13.45	"K" ED 372 LANCASTER	F/Lt. MACKAY	MID-UPPER GUNNER.	AIR FIRING. 200 ROUNDS AT (NO COLOUR ON TIPS) DROQUE.	1.00	
13-8-43	21.35	"K" ED 372 LANCASTER	F/Lt. MACKAY	CAMERAMAN A.G.	OPERATIONS. — MILAN. MID-UNDER CAMERA. (60 FT. SHOT.) HIGH LEVEL ATTACK.		8.50
14-8-43	21.10	"K" ED 372 LANCASTER	F/Lt. MACKAY	CAMERAMAN A.G.	OPERATIONS. — MILAN. NOSE CAMERA. TWO RUNS OVER TARGET. (300 FT. SHOT.) HIGH LEVEL ATTACK.		9.10
25-8-43	10.00	(F.P.U) ANSON	W/O. BROWNE	PASSENGER.	TRANSPORT. NORTHOLT TO LUDFORD MAGNA	1.5	
<p>TOTAL HOURS FOR AUG. 2.5 22.30 TOTAL HOURS TO DATE. 25.15 32.35 TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS. — 22.30</p>							
<p>S/LDR. COMMANDING B FLIGHT 101 SQDN. R.P. Hughes</p>						<p>S/LDR. COM. — OPS FILM PRODUCTION UNIT I. Magna</p>	
TOTAL TIME ...						25.15	32.35

20-81 101 SQDN. AND 88 SQDN. ROYAL AIR FORCE

Time carried forward :- 25.15 32.35

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
30-8-43	23-45	ED 272 K LANCASTER	F/Sgt. Fawcett.	CAMERAMAN A.S.	OPERATIONS. — MÜNCHEN — GLADBACH — RHEYDT. MID-UNDER CAMERA. (250 FT SHOT) HIGH LEVEL ATTACK.	4.40	
31-8-43	19-30	ED 272 K LANCASTER	F/Sgt. Fawcett.	CAMERAMAN A.S.	OPERATIONS. — BERLIN. NOSE CAMERA. (200 FT. SHOT) HIGH LEVEL ATTACK.	8-10	
9-9-43	09.00	"B" BOSTON.	F/Lt. Pushman.	CAMERAMAN A.G.	<u>OPERATIONS.</u> — "STARKY" FRENCH COAST. COMBINED OPERATIONS. (70 FT. SHOT) NOTE. LANDED FOR 15 MINS. AT FORD.	1.30	
<p>TOTAL HOURS FOR SEPT. 1.30 12-50</p> <p>TOTAL HOURS TO DATE 26.45 45-25</p> <p>TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS 1.30 12-50 (SEPT)</p> <p>S. Kimberley/Sgt.</p> <p>S/LDR. COMMANDING OPS FILM PROD. UNIT.</p>							
TOTAL TIME ...						26.45	45.25

28-28

310 SQDN. (DUTCH)

Time carried forward :- 26-45 45-25

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
15-10-43	15.50	"L" MITCHELL	DE GROOT F/LT. LEPPE	CAMERAMAN.	CAMERA TEST. MID-UNDER. (30FT SHOT)	1.30	
25-10-43	12.28	"B" MITCHELL	Sgt. LAAMENS	CAMERAMAN. AG.	<u>OPERATIONS</u> — <u>BREST.</u> LANDED AT PORT REQU ON RETURN. (SHOT UP.) AT 15.18 HRS.	2.50	
26-10-43	13.00	"E" MITCHELL	F/LT. DE. LIEFDE.	PASSENGER.	TRANSPORT FROM PORTREATH TO LASHAM.	1.20	
<p>TOTAL HOURS FOR OCTOBER. 5.40 —</p> <p>TOTAL HOURS TO DATE. 32.25 45-25</p> <p>TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS (OCTOBER) 4.10 —</p> <p>J. Kimberley c/Sgt.</p> <p>E. P. Meyer S/LDR. COMMANDING OPS FILM PROD. UNIT.</p>							
TOTAL TIME ...						31.15	45.25

320 SQDN. (DUTCH)
AIR FORCE

Time carried forward :-

~~28.45~~ 32.25 45.25

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
17-11-43	15-15	"F" MITCHELL		CAMERAMAN A.S.	TEST ON FIXED CAMERA NEAR BASE. AIR TO GROUND. (350 FT. SHOT)	1.00	
23-11-43		"H" MITCHELL	LT/CDR. BREEDVELD	CAMERAMAN A.S.	<u>OPERATIONS.</u> ——— Lunch Village. <u>AUDINGHAM</u> . (100 FT. SHOT) Winged bomb platforms.	1.30	
25-11-43	15-06	"K" MITCHELL	S/LT. MANSCHOT.	CAMERAMAN A.S.	<u>OPERATIONS.</u> ——— Lunch Village. <u>AUDINGHAM</u> . (200 FT SHOT) Winged bomb platforms.	1.40	
20-11-43	15-13	"N" MITCHELL	Sgt. V.D. AKKER.	CAMERAMAN A.S.	CAMERA AIR TEST. CAMBERLEY. (200 FT. SHOT)	0.45	
TOTAL HOURS FOR NOVEMBER.						4.55	—
TOTAL HOURS TO DATE.						37.20	45.25
TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS.						3.10	—
... Sgt. V.D. Akker / Sgt. (NOVEMBER)							
SIGNED. <i>[Signature]</i> S/LDR. COMMANDING OPDU.							
TOTAL TIME ...						37.20	45.25

467 SQUADRON
ROYAL AIR FORCE (AUSTRALIAN)

Time carried forward :- 37.20 45.25

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
30.12.43	12.30	"E" LANCASTER.		CAMERAMAN.	EXPERIMENTAL T.I. ^S FOR B.D.U. NOTHING SHOT. NO BOMBS DROPPED. STARBOARD OUTER ENGINE CUT.	1.15	
3.1.44	12.00	"M" LANCASTER.		CAMERAMAN.	EXPERIMENTAL T.I. ^S FOR B.D.U. (100FT. SHOT.)	1.45	
<p>TOTAL HOURS FOR DECEMBER. 3.0</p> <p>TOTAL HOURS TO DATE. 40.20 45.25</p> <p>TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS (DECEMBER) —</p> <p>... J. Limbrey / SGT.</p> <p>SIGNED <i>P. I. Meyer</i> S/LDR COMMANDING OFFICER.</p>							
TOTAL TIME ...						40.20	45.25

22-24

ROYAL
467 SQDN. (AUSTRALIAN)
AIR FORCE

Time carried forward:— 40-20 45-25

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty
17-1-44	14-56	"E" LANCASTER	F/O. DURSTON.	CAMERAMAN.
21/22-1-44	19-50	"E" LANCASTER	F/O. DURSTON.	CAMERAMAN. A.G.

REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
	Day	Night
AIR TEST ON AIRCRAFT, AND CAMERA TEST.	00-45	00-25
OPERATIONS. — MAGDEBURG. MID-UNDER CAMERA. (140FT. SHOT) HIGH LEVEL ATTACK.	00-45	06-25

TOTAL HOURS FOR JANUARY 00-45 6-25
 TOTAL HOURS TO DATE 41-05 51-50
 TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS (JANUARY) — 6-25

J. Kimberley / S/Sr.
 S/LDR. COMMANDING "A" FLIGHT
 467 SQDN.

E. M. Jones
 S/LDR. COMMANDING OPERATIONAL
 FILM PRODUCTION UNIT.

TOTAL TIME ... 41-05 51-50

25.24 617 SQDN AND 467 SQDN. ROYAL AIR FORCE (AUSTRALIAN)
(DAM BUSTERS)

Time carried forward :- 41.05 51.50

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
25/26.3.44	19.20	3V.380 "N" LANCASTER.	W/C. CHESHIRE. DPO AND BARS. DFC.	CAMERAMAN. A.C.	OPERATIONS. — LYONS, LIMOGES. LOW LEVEL PRECISION BOMBING ATTACK ON THE RHONE-GNOME AIRCRAFT FACTORY NEAR LYONS. (300 FT. SHOT) ORBITS ROUND TARGET.	8.5	
26/27.3.44	19.45	ED 403 "G" LANCASTER	F/LT. MARSHALL.	CAMERAMAN. A.C.	OPERATIONS — ESSEN. 10/10 ^{THS} CLOUD. (NO FILM SHOT.) HIGH LEVEL ATTACK.	5.0	
26.2							
27.12							
28.0							
<p>TOTAL HOURS FOR MARCH. — 13.05</p> <p>TOTAL HOURS TO DATE. 41.05 64.55</p> <p>TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS. — 13.05 (MARCH)</p> <p>J. Kimberley. F/S.</p> <p>..... S/LDR. COMMANDING "B" FLIGHT 467 SQDN.</p> <p>..... S/LDR. COMMANDING OPERATIONAL FILM PRODUCTION UNIT</p>							
TOTAL TIME ...						41.05	64.55

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464 sqdn. (AUSTRALIAN)
ROYAL AIR FORCE

Time carried forward :- 41.05 64.55

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty
26-4-44	16.30	Oxford	P/O LITTLE.	PASSENGER.
26-4-44	18.45	Oxford	P/O LITTLE.	PASSENGER.

REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
	Day	Night
TRANSPORTING U/S CAMERA TO NORTHOLT FROM WADDINGTON.	1.10.00	0.2.00
NORTHOLT TO LICHFIELD.	0.45	
LICHFIELD TO WADDINGTON.	0.50	
TOTAL HOURS FOR APRIL.	2.45	—
TOTAL HOURS TO DATE.	44.50	64.55
TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS. (APRIL)	—	—

J. Kimberley F/SST.

A. Marshall FLT. COMMANDING 3 FLUGEL
464 sqdn.

P. Payne S/LDR. COMMANDING
OPERATIONAL FILM PRODUCTION UNIT.

TOTAL TIME ... 44.50 64.55

467 SQDN AND GROUP.

ROYAL AIR FORCE (AND AUSTRALIAN)

Time carried forward: — 44.50 64.55

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
6/5.44	00.45	^{ED953} LANCASTER.	W/C. TRIT. DSO. DFC.	CAMERAMAN. A.C.	OPERATIONS. — SABLE - SUR - SARTHE. / LANCASTER - 2-010		
					SPECIAL LOW LEVEL ORBITS ROUND TARGET DURING BOMBING TO OBTAIN PICTURES. (400 FT. ALT)		5.00
9/10.5.44	22.25	^{ED953} LANCASTER.	F/LT. MARSHALL	CAMERAMAN. A.C.	OPERATIONS. — GENNEVILLIERS. (PARIS) / TOTAL 400-010		
					FACTORY PRECISION BOMBING. OUR A/C CARRIED NO BOMBS. PURELY PHOTOGRAPHIC SORTIE. (170 FT. SHOT.) HIGH LEVEL.		
13.5.44	10.30	NE 11700 FPU HUDSON	F/O. GILLMAN.	PASSENGER.	NORTHOLT to WADDINGTON.	1.0	—
13.5.44	14.15	^{ED953} LANCASTER	F/O. HAWES.	CAMERAMAN.	FORMATION SHOTS OF LANCASTERS. (LOCAL) (CAMERA JAM)	0.45	—
TOTAL HOURS FOR MAY. 1.45. 9.00							
TOTAL HOURS TO DATE 46.35. 73.55							
TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS. — 9.00 (MAY).							
SIGNED. <i>[Signature]</i> F/551							
SIGNED. <i>[Signature]</i> S/LDR. COMMANDING "B" FLIGHT. 467 SQDN.							
SIGNED. <i>[Signature]</i> S/LDR. COMMANDING FILM PRODUCTION UNIT.							
TOTAL TIME ... 46.35 73.55							

ROYAL
463 SQDN. (AUSTRALIAN)
AIR FORCE

Time carried forward :- 46-35 43.55

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
14/15-6-44	22-55	LM 587 "L" LANCASTER.	W/C. PETTY, DSO.	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS. — POITIERS. GERMAN TROOP CONCENTRATION. TWO CAMERAS USED. (MID-UNDER 90FT. SHOT) (DOOR, 165 FT. SHOT) FAIRLY LOW ORBIT.	5-30	
14/15-6-44	22-25	LM 587 LANCASTER.	W/C. KINGSFORD-SMITH DSO. DFC.	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS. — AUNAY-SUR-ODON. GERMAN TROOP CONCENTRATION, CRACK PANZER DIVISION. LOW ORBITS ROUND TARGET. FRONT TURRET CAMERA. (350 FT. SHOT)	4-35	
15/16-6-44	21-35	LM 589 "Y" LANCASTER	F/LT SCHULTZ.	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS. — CHATELERAUD SMALL AMUNITION DUMP. FAIRLY LOW ORBIT ROUND TARGET. (400 FT. SHOT) NOSE TURRET CAMERA.	6-20	
21/22-6-44	23-00	LM 589 "Y" LANCASTER.	F/LT. SCHULTZ.	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS. — GELSEN-KIRCHEN. (RUNR) HIGH LEVEL ATTACK. 10% TH CLOUD. NOISE MID-UNDER CAMERA (30 FT. SHOT)	5-30	
27/28-6-44	21-45	LM 589 "Y" LANCASTER.	F/LT. SCHULTZ.	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS. — VITRY-EN-FRANCOIS. MARSHALLING YARD. (40 FT. SHOT) NOSE TURRET CAMERA. (60 FT. ON WAY BACK)	7-30.	
TOTAL TIME ...						46-35	102-20

463 Sqdn. (AUSTRALIAN)
ROYAL AIR FORCE.

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Time carried forward :- 47-05 107-40

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
18-7-44	04-15	"Y" LM589 LANCASTER	F/LT. SCHULTZ.	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS. — CAEN. TACTICAL TARGET. ARMY CO-OP. FRONT TURRET CAMERA. (800ft SHOT)	3-30	11-8-25
19-7-44	19-15	"L" LM587 LANCASTER	F/LT. SCHULTZ.	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS. — ST. LEU THIVERNY D'ESSEMENT. (NR. PARIS.) FLYING BOMB STORAGE DEPOT. FRONT TURRET CAMERA. (800ft SHOT) ORBITS ROUND TARGET.	4-00	
25-7-44	18-00	"L" LM587 LANCASTER	F/LT. MERRILL.	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS. — ST. CYR. (PARIS) SIGNALS. A.I. REPAIR DEPOT FOR GERMAN WESTERN FRONT. (MID-UNDER CAMERA 30FT SHOT. DOOR CAMERA 250FT SHOT) ORBITS ROUND TARGET.	3-30	
31-7-44	17-55	"L" LM587 LANCASTER	F/LT. MERRILL.	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS. — JOIGNY-LAROCHE. MARSHALLING YARD. GERMAN TROOP MOVEMENTS. (TURRET CAMERA. 700FT. SHOT)	4-40	
TOTAL HOURS FOR JULY.					D. 16-45. N. 4-20	SIGNED..... W/CDR.	
TOTAL HOURS TO DATE.					63-50. 112-00	OPERATIONS 53 BASE.	
TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS (JULY)					15-40. 4-20	SIGNED..... S/LDR.	
SIGNED..... J. Kimberley. P/O.					COMMANDING OPS FILM UNIT.		
TOTAL TIME ...						62-40	107-40

463 Sqn. (AUSTRALIAN.)
ROYAL AIR FORCE

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Time carried forward:— 62-40 ¹⁰⁷⁻⁴⁰ ~~112-00~~

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
7/8-8-44	21-15	"L" LM589 LANCASTER.	F/LT. SCHULTZ.	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS — SEQUEVILLE. (NR. CAEN) GERMAN TROOP CONCENTRATION. (DOOR CAMERA. 40 FT. SHOT.)		4-0
14-8-44		"L" LM584 LANCASTER.	F/LT. SCHULTZ.	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS. — QUESNAY AND SUBSEQUENT MILITARY TARGETS. OPENING OF NEW OFFENSIVE. ORBITS ROUND THREE TARGETS FOR 45 MINS. (NOSE TURRET CAMERA 1500 FT. SHOT)		4-30
16-8-44	09-54	"L" LM584 LANCASTER.	F/LT. MERRILL.	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS. — GILZE-RIJEN. 3-20 NIGHT FIGHTER AIRFIELD IN HOLLAND. ORBITS ROUND TARGET. (NOSE CAMERA. 350 FT. SHOT)		
19-8-44	05-28	"L" LM584 LANCASTER.	F/LT. MERRILL. JFC	CAMERAMAN. A.G.	OPERATIONS. — LA PALLICE. 5-45 OIL STORAGE PLANT. NO FILM SHOT. (MID-UNDER AND DOOR CAMERAS.) ⁸ / ₁₀ THE CLOUD.		
TOTAL HOURS FOR AUGUST.			13-35	^{3.} 4-0	SIGNED. — <i>P. C. Angling</i>	W/COR. OPS 53 BASE.	
TOTAL HOURS TO DATE.			47-25	116-00	SIGNED. — <i>A. Ngna</i>	S/LDR. OPS FILM FILM UNIT.	
TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS. (AUGUST)			13-35	4-0		TOTAL TIME ...	75-45 111-40

463. Sqdn. (AUSTRALIAN.)
ROYAL
A.F.

9617 Sqdn. R.A.F.

Time carried forward:— 15-45 116-40

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
9-9-44	17-30	"L" LM 587 LANCASTER.	F/LT. BUCKNAM.	CAMERAMAN A.S.	WADDINGTON — BARDNEY.	00-15	
11-9-44	19-30	"L" LM 587 LANCASTER.	F/LT. BUCKNAM.	CAMERAMAN A.S.	OPERATIONS. — BARDNEY TO Inagrich (YASODNICK) RUSSIA. (NR. ARKANGLE)		11-00
15 9-9-44	09-30	"L" LM 587 LANCASTER.	F/LT. BUCKNAM.	CAMERAMAN A.S.	OPERATIONS. — YASODNICK TO NORTHERN NORWAY. BATTLESHIP "TIRPITZ" ON TO WADDINGTON. 14-30 (DOOR CAM, 350 FT SHOT.) ORBITS ROUND TARGET.		
14-9-44	15-30	"L" LM 587 LANCASTER. OXFORD. P. 8976	F/LT. MERRILL D.F.C.	PASSENGER.	WADDINGTON — NORTHOLT.	00-45	
18-9-44	14-00	OXFORD. P. 8976	F/LT. MERRILL D.F.C.	PASSENGER.	NORTHOLT — WADDINGTON.	00-50	
19-9-44 20	18-40	"L" LM 587 LANCASTER.	F/O. TOTENHAM.	CAMERAMAN A.S.	OPERATIONS. — MÜNCHEN - GLADBACK -RHEDT. (RUHR) REMAINED IN TARGET AREA 16 MINS. (NOSE CAM. 250 FT. SHOT)		5-30
						D.	N.
TOTAL HOURS FOR SEPTEMBER. 16-05.						16-30	
TOTAL HOURS TO DATE.						93-30.	132-30
TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS. (SEPT) 14-30.						16-30	
SIGNED ——— Y. Kimberley. P/O							
SIGNED ——— W/C. OPS. 53. BASE							
SIGNED ——— S/LDR. OPS. FILM PRODUCTION UNIT.							
TOTAL TIME ...						93-05	138-30

B.C.O.F.U.

00:401

BOMBER COMMAND OPERATIONAL FILM UNIT

Time carried forward :-

97-00

130-00

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
						Day	Night
6.5.45	12-30	"V" LANCASTER PD 334	F/LT. SKELTON, DFC.	CAMERAMAN, A.G.	"EXODUS" CONVEYING EX P.O.W.s TO ENGLAND. SYERSTON - MAELSBRÖEK (BRUSSELS) MAELSBRÖEK - SYERSTON.	01-25	-
	16-45					01-50	-
8.5.45	10.00	"V" LANCASTER PD 334	F/LT. SKELTON, DFC.	CAMERAMAN A.G.	VE DAY "EXODUS" CONVEYING EX P.O.W.s TO ENGLAND. SYERSTON - RHEINE (GERMANY) RHEINE - DUNSFOLD. DUNSFOLD - SYERSTON.	02-15	-
	15-20					02-15	-
	17-50					00-45	-
13-5-45	0810	"Y" LANCASTER	F/LT. SKELTON, DFC.	CAMERAMAN, A.G.	SYERSTON - BALLYKELLY, (IRELAND.)	01-35	-
14-5-45	0925	"	"	"	BALLYKELLY - U-BOAT CONVOY - BALLYKELLY.	05-25	-
15-5-45	0935	"	"	"	BALLYKELLY - SPEAKE.	01-10	-
	1100	"	"	"	SPEAKE - SYERSTON.	01-30	-
					TOTAL HOURS FOR MAY.	18-10	-
					TOTAL HOURS TO DATE.	106-10 115-10	130-00
					TOTAL OPERATIONAL HOURS.	18-10	-
					SIGNED <u>J. Kimberley</u> , F/O.		
					SIGNED <u>A. Sanderson</u> , S/LDR, O.C. BCFU.		
					TOTAL TIME ...	115-10	130-00

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BOMBER COMMAND OPERATIONALS FILM UNIT

Time carried forward :- 115.10 ~~130.00~~

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty
25/9/45	11-00	"S" LANCASTER. NX566	F/LT. NORTH.	CAMERAMAN.
Operations Completed 25 th September 1945.				
SIGNED --- Flight Lieutenant. T.H. Kimberley DFC.				

REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
	Day	Night
CAMERA X COUNTRY. NORWICH AREA.	1-30	
TOTAL TIME ... 116-40 130-00		

Units at which served as ~~Observer~~ A.G.

Unit STATION.	From	To	Unit	From	To
PEMBREY. NO. 1. ASS.	1-3-43	4-4-43	GUNNERY COURSE		
ATTACHED 180 SQDN.					
FOULSHAM.	18-5-43	17-6-43	180 SQDN.		
ATTACHED					
SWANTON MORLEY.	28-6-43	25-7-43	88 SQDN.		
ATTACHED R.A.F.					
FARMBOURGH.	12-12-43	18-2-43	AND LUDFORD	25-7-43	6-9-43
			101 SQDN.	MAGNA, 101	SQDN.
F.P.U. IVER HEATH	18-2-43	25-9-45			
HARTFORD BRIDGE	8-9-43	12-10-43	88 SQDN.		
LASHAM.	12-10-43	30-11-43	320 SQDN. (DUTCH)		
	30-12-43				
WADDINGTON.	30-12-43	20-9-44	467 SQDN 463 SQDN (AUSTRALIAN)		
^N BARDEY.	11-9-44	12-9-44	109 SQDN.		
WOODHALL SPA.	25-3-44	26-3-44	617 SQDN. (DAM BUSTERS.)		
FULBECK.	1-3-45	1-3-45	B.C.F.F.U.		
SYERSTON.	15-5-45	15-5-45	B.C.F.F.U.		
LUDFORD MAGNA	25-7-43	6-9-43	101 SQDN.		
NORTHOLT	25-8-43	25-8-43	B.C.F.F.U.		
BALLYKEWY (IRELAND)	13-5-45	14-5-45	B.C.F.F.U.		
SPRAXE.	15-5-45	15-5-46	B.C.F.F.U.		
YAGODNIK (RUSSIA)	1-1-44	12-9-44	463 SQDN WITH 9 SQDN		
FORD.	9-9-43	9-9-43			
PORTBEATH	25-10-43	26-5-43	320 SQDN (DUTCH) (SHOT-UP)		

19 STATIONS

Aircraft in which flown

Type	Type AFTER THE WAR	Type
BLENNHEIM.	FLYING BOAT	
MITCHELL.	HUNTER. FIGHTER (FILMING)	
BOSTON.	RAPIDE.	
LANCASTER.	HELICOPTERS (ONE WEEK FILMING)	
HUDSON.	VARIOUS AIRLINERS	
ANSON.	GLIDERS (ONE WEEK FILMING)	
BOSTON.		
MITCHELL.		
LANCASTER.		
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MOSQUITO.		
ANSON.		
LANCASTER		
LANCASTER		
LANCASTER.		
BOSTON		
MITCHELL		

