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(472) Wt. 24220/1650. 1800g. 8/40. P.L. 81-7751.

FOR THE MONTH OF September, 1941.

DATE	AIRCRAFT TYPE & NUMBER	CREW	DUTY	TIME		DETAILS OF SORTIE OR FLIGHT	REFERENCES
				Up	Down		
7.9.41	Z. 7492	R S/LDR. Mac CLANCY P/O. SAYERS. OBS. P/S. BOLLOWAY. A/G.	Operations as detailed	11.30	15.50	Attack on convoy about 4 miles west of THE HAGUE consisting of heavily laden merchant vessel escorted by three flak ships. 1 Flakship of 800 tons seen to blow up and merchant vessel enveloped in smoke. A/c. "P" hit in port wing and dashboard.	
	Z. 7351	P P/O. WHEELER P/O. SIMMONS OBS. P/O. WARREN A/G.				-----"	
	Z. 7310	V. SGT. FAIROT. SGT. PARQUHAR OBS. SGT. LEEB. A/G.				Bombs hung up.	
	Z. 7312	N. P/L. HAGGITT P/O. BENNETT. OBS. P/O. RAMSAY. A/G.				Missing.	
	Z. 7304	S. P/O. GRAY. P/O. McCARTHY. OBS. P/O. CASEY. A/G.				A/c. hit, hydraulic gear put U/S. and Air Gunner wounded by shell splinter. Successful belly landing made at base.	
	Z. 7306	U. SGT. FIELDMAN. SGT. PHILLIPS. OBS. SGT. GARR A/G.				Seen to climb sharply and dive into sea. Missing.	

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DATE	AIRCRAFT TYPE & NUMBER	CREW	DUTY	TIME		DETAILS OF SORTIE OR FLIGHT	REFERENCES.
				UP	DOWN		
11.9.41	Z.7310	V. F/L. NAMIAS SGT. HOOD. OBS. SGT. WALDRON. A/G.	Shipping beat as detailed.	16.00	19.20	Set course from TANUMERE with fighter escort and beat completed without any enemy shipping being observed.	
	T.2396	T. SGT. FAUROT SGT. FARQHAR OBS. SGT. LEEB. A/G.					
	V.6395	F. SGT. COLMER SGT. BARTLETT OBS. SGT. TREVOR A/G.					

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17.9.41	Z. 7492 R.	S/LDR. MACGLANCY SGT. DAVIES P/S. HOLLOWAY A/G.	Circus Operation OBS. Power Station at LENS.			2 X 250 lbs. G.P. Inst. 2 X 250 lbs. N.D.T. 4 X 25lbs. incendi.	
	Z. 7283 G.	F/L. WHEBLEE P/O. SIDMONS P/O. WARREN A/G.	OBS. A/G.			-----○-----	
	Z. 7358 U.	P/O. GRAY P/O. MCCARTHY SGT. GOULT A/G.	OBS. A/G.			Inter comm. failure. A/c. returned.	
	V. 6511 R.	F/L. NAMIAS SGT. HOOD SGT. ROBSON A/G.	OBS. A/G.			2 X 250 G.P. Inst. 2 X 250 N.D.T. 4 X 25 Incendi.	
	V. 6395 F.	SGT. ELTRINGHAM SGT. KENNEDY SGT. WALTERSON A/G.	OBS. A/G.			-----○-----	
	Z. 7348 Q.	SGT. COLLIER SGT. BARTLETT SGT. TREVOR A/G.	OBS. A/G.			A/c. hit by a/a fire and hydraulics damaged. Successful belly landing made at base.	

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DATE	AIRCRAFT TYPE & NUMBER	CREW	DUTY	TIME		DETAILS OF SORTIE OR FLIGHT	REFERENCES
				Up	Down		
20.9.41	Z. 7310	V. F/L. NAMIAS	Shipping			Convoy of about 14 ships, some carrying balloons. A/c V hit by a/a 1/2 mile before reaching target. Starboard engine caught fire and a/c made belly landing on water. 2 X 500, 4 X 25 incendi. not dropped.	
		SGT. HOOD	OBS. Operations -				
		SGT. ROBSON	A/G. HOOK OF HOLLAND.				
V. 6510	A.	SGT. O'CONNELL				2 X 500 lbs. 4 X 25 lbs. incendi. M/V of 7000 tons attacked. A/G. observed smoke pouring from amidships.	
		P/O. SAUNDERS	OBS.				
		SGT. GOULT.	A/G.				
Z. 7358	U.	P/O. GRAY				2 X 500 lbs. 4 X 25 lbs. incendi. dropped but results not observed. 4 M/V. observed to be emitting smoke.	
		P/O. McGARTHY.	OBS.				
		P/O. CASEY.	A/G.				
Z. 7283	G.	F/L. WHEELER				2 X 500 4 X 25 dropped. Results not observed. A/c hit in starboard engine and hit water twice. Successful landing made at base.	
		P/O. SIMMONS.	OBS.				
		P/O. WARREN.	A/G.				
Z. 7344	K.	SGT. ELTRINGHAM				2 X 500 4 X 25 dropped. Results not observed. A/c hit by explosive shell on rudder.	
		SGT. KENNEDY	OBS.				
		SGT. WALDRON	A/G.				
V. 6511	R.	P/O. MARRINER.				A/c. returned to base before leaving coast. Unable to keep up with formation. Bombs brought back.	
		P/O. GRAFF.	OBS.				
		P/O. CARTER.	A/G.				

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22.9.44	V.6510 A.	S/L. KENNEDY P/O. ASKER. OBS. P/O. CHAPMAN. A/G.	Circus Operations.	13.50	15.00	This formation recalled and operations cancelled on account of inclement weather.	
	V.6511 B.	SGT. O'CONNELL P/O. SAUNDERS OBS. SGT. GOULT. A/G.					
	T.2331 M.	SGT. ELDRINGHAM SGT. KENNEDY OBS. SGT. WALDRON. A/G.					
	V.6395 F.	P/L. WHEELER P/O. SIMONS OBS. P/O. WARREN. A/G.					
	T.2396 T.	P/O. FLAME SGT. WATLETT OBS. SGT. EVANS. A/G.					
	Z.7472 R.	P/O. MARRINER P/O. GRAFF OBS. P/O. CARTER. A/G.					

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				Up	Down			
27.9.41	Z.7492	R.	S/L. MACCLANCY SPT. DAVIES P/S. HOLLOWAY A/G.	Circus Operations Marshalling Yards at AMIENS.	13.00	15.45	Total Bomb load 12 X 500 lbs. Inst. 24 X 25 lb. s incendi. Bursts seen W. end of target and in N.E. end one burst seen on engine shed in marshalling yard. Another burst in centre of works from bridge to eastern end of works. Further observation difficult owing to bursts enveloping position with smoke. Dog fights reported between e/a and supporting fighters but no a/a encountered.	
	Z.7284	H.	SGT. PATON. P/S. MAGUIRE SGT. BERRY	OBS. OBS. A/G.				
	T.2396	T.	P/O. PLUMB SGT. WAYLETT SGT. EVANS	OBS. OBS. A/G.				
	V.6510	A.	P/L. WHEELER P/O. SIMMONS P/O. WARREN	OBS. OBS. A/G.				
	Z.7442	V.	P/O. MARRINER P/O. GRAFF P/O. CARTER	OBS. OBS. A/G.				
	Z.7495	Y.	P/O. HUDSON SGT. FOULSTON SGT. NEEDLER	OBS. OBS. A/G.				