## AIRCRAFT CRASHES IN THE EAST MIDLANDS 1914-2018, EXCLUDING LINCOLNSHIRE T. N. Hancock

As a retired librarian I have long been aware that all aspects of local history should be recorded for the benefit of future generations and this is my attempt to cover just one of those aspects; it will surprize many people to know that a minimum of some $\mathbf{2 , 0 0 0}$ aircraft have crashed and been 'written-off (eg, did not fly again) in the East Midland counties of Derbyshire (DE), Leicestershire (LE), Northamptonshire (NR), Nottinghamshire (NT) and Rutland (RU) since powered flight began and this list attempts to give the bare details of these - it should be emphasised that these are the crashes that resulted in the aircraft being destroyed, NOT those, of which there many, which crash-landed, were salvaged by 58 Maintenance Unit based at Newark NT or 65 MU at Blaby Wharf LE, were repaired at civilian repair factories such as Auster at Rearsby LE, Brooklands Aviation at Sywell NR, or Fields at Tollerton NT, and flew again. I use the words 'this list attempts to give' advisedly as the recording of these crashes was down, quite frequently, to the whim of an RAF clerk who may have made mistakes in locations and other details.
It is intended that this list will give a basis for further research to those interested in a particular crash. Newspaper reports on wartime crashes are rare but those in peacetime may carry an account in the local press. Each entry gives the aircraft's serial number, its type, its unit and that unit's home airfield (with the county) and the number of fatal casualties if known; it should be remembered that a great many young airmen died in these crashes (signified [where known] by a number followed by ' $k$ ' after the appropriate entry) often in horrific circumstances and also, occasionally, civilians on the ground ( shown as ' + ' after the aircrew deaths). Civilian aircraft have their registration, type and location of crash given. The full history of aviation in Leics can be found in 'Aviation in Leicestershire and Rutland' by R. Bonser, in Northants in 'Aviation in Northamptonshire' by M. Gibson, and in Rutland in 'Wings over Rutland' by J. Rennison. Crashes in the Soke of Peterborough, which was part of Northamptonshire until June 1965 when it was moved into Huntingdonshire, are included until that month. Lincolnshire has been excluded from this work because there were some 3,000 crashes in that county, warranting a list of its own.

## SOURCES

This list is compiled from the information given in many books published by Air-Britain Historians Ltd, and the volumes of 'Bomber Command Losses' by W. R. Chorley, published by Midland Books. R.Cawsey's 'Fatal Air crashes' is very useful for WW1 but it should be noted that these are fatal crashes, not the many in which the crew survived. Two web-sites also proved very useful for the American WW2 crashes - accident-report.com and www.aviationarchaeology.com.

## APPENDICES

These may be found at the end of the list and are an aircraft type index, a geographical location index and a list of the abbreviations used.

Airfields covered by this list (excluding farm strips, microlight strips etc)<br>DERBYSHIRE -Ashbourne- RAF, civil; Burnaston - civil, RAF \& civil; Church Broughton RAF; Coal Aston- civil; Darley Moor RAF and civil; Egginton - civil; LEICESTERSHIRE<br>Bitteswell, - RAF \& Armstrong-Whitworth, Armstrong-Siddeley, Hawker-Siddeley and Bae; Bottesford - RAF; Braunstone - civil, RAF; Bruntingthorpe - RAF, USAF, civil. Castle Donington/East Midlands Airport RAF \& civil. Desford - Reid \& Sigrist \& RAF. Leicester East - RAF, civil; Loughborough - Brush and repair; Market Harborough - RAF; Melton Mowbray - RAF; Nuneaton (airfield) - RAF; Ratcliffe - civil \& Air Transport Auxiliary; Rearsby, Austers; Saltby - RAF, USAAF, RAF, civil;. Wymeswold - RAF \& Fields. NORTHAMPTONSHIRE. Brackley LG (later Croughton) - RAF, civil \& RAF; Chelveston - USAAF, USAF. RAF; Collyweston - RAF; Croughton see Brackley Deenethorpe- USAAF, civil;. Denton - RAF; Desborough - RAF Earl's Barton - RAF. Easton-on-the-Hill- RFC. Grafton Underwood - USAAF. Harrington - USAAF; Hinton-in-the-Hedges RAF \& civil; Kings Cliffe - RAF \& USAAF; Lilbourne RFC, RAF;. Peterborough - RAF; Polebrook - RAF, USAAF; Silverstone - RAF; Spanhoe - USAAF, civil; Sywell - RAF, manufacturers, civil. Turweston RAF \& civil Wittering (originally known as Stamford) - RFC and RAF; Silverstone and Turweston airfields were just in Buckinghamshire but are included.

## NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

Balderton - RAF, USAAF, RAF; East Retford RFC; Gamston - RAF, civil; Hucknall - civil, RAF, manufacturers, civil. Langar - RAF, USAAF, RAF, Avro, RCAF; Newton - RAF; Orston - RAF; Ossington RAF; Papplewick Moor - RAF;. Syerston - RAF; Tollerton - RAF, Fields, civil; Wigsley - RAF; Winthorpe - RAF; Worksop - RAF;
RUTLAND. Cottesmore - RAF, USAAF, RAF; North Luffenham, - RAF, RCAF, RAF; Woolfox Lodge RAF.

## EARLY AVIATION

1899
October
02. No ident. Pilcher Hawk glider. Crashed after structural failure, Stanford Hall LE. 1k. (And thus preventing Percy Pilcher from possibly making the first manned, powered flight.)

## 1914

February
23. 10. FE2, unit N/K. Crashed at Wittering. 1k.

## WORLD WAR 1

The crashes listed under World War One are nowhere near comprehensive, either in number or in their exact locations and although the aircraft are E. Midlands-based not all of the crashes may have been in these counties; however the short range of the aircraft means that it is probable most of the crashes happened in the vicinity of their home aerodromes during the demanding operations of take-offs and landings. Military aircraft first came to a field at Lilbourne NR, used as a stepping stone on journeys north before WW1 but the first aerodrome as such was at Loughborough LE used for testing aircraft assembled by Brush Electrical and opened in October 1915. Stamford (as Wittering was originally called) opened in October 1916 as part of the Home Defence chain against the Zeppelin menace, the aerodrome being occupied by A Flight of 38 Sqn, mainly equipped with FE2bs, and Lilbourne became a training aerodrome in the same month. These two were joined by Easton-on-the-Hill NR, and Hucknall, East Retford and Papplewick Moor, all NT, as the war progressed. It was the training activities at these aerodromes which gave rise to many of the accidents recorded below, the aircraft and engines of those times being very much less reliable than those of later decades. It should be borne in mind that parachutes were not used by the British air forces until the early 1920s.

## 1916

August
10. 5527. FK3 of 55 Sqn Lilbourne. Collided with another aircraft, lost tail and dived in. 2k.
13. 6155. BE12 of 5 RSqn Castle Bromwich Warks. Crashed into buildings Gunthorpe Nt. 1k.

1917
February
12. 7229. BE2c of 63 Sqn Cramlington Northumberland. Hi tree F/L Walton nr Chesterfield DE. 1k.

March
08. A3439. RE8 of 37 RSqn Scampton. EF, crashed F/L Whissendine LE.

April
10. A1113. Strutter of 28 RSqn Castle Bromwich Warks. Crashed Ullesthorpe LE. 2k.

June
08. A6897 Shorthorn of 5 TSqn Castle Bromwich, Warks. Lost on first solo, o/t ldg Blisworth NR. 1k.

July
10. A8204. Strutter of 54 TSqn Harlaxton Lincs. EF, side-slipped and dived in Buckminster. 1k.

August
10. A7326. Pup of 84 TSqn Lilbourne. Wing collapsed in dive 1 m NE of base. 1k.

September
24. F4443. Avro 504 K unit $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{k}$. EF over Leicester, tried to land Victoria Park but crashed avoiding children, in yard of 31 Cecilia Rd.
24/25. 6182. BE 12 of 38 Sqn Stamford. Pilot passed out fm cold and crashed nr base.
25. A7146. F2b of Wireless Testing Park Biggin Hill, Kent. Stalled on t/o from Stamford and spun in. 1k.

## November

8. B3179. Avro 504J of 73 TSqn Lilbourne. Spun in nr base. 2k.
9. B2009. Shorthorn of 26 TSqn Harlaxton Lincs. Stalled, side-slipped in Plungar NT. 1k.

## December 1917

7. B5577. Camel of 73 TSqn Lilbourne. Choked engine and stalled. 1k.
8. A1259 JN3 of 1 TDS Stamford. Port wings collapsed in loop. 1k..
9. [B2631. DH6 of 1TDS Stamford. Collided with below after t/o fm base. 1k.
[B2656. DH6 of 1TDS Stamford. Collided with above. 1k.
B5088. Albatross DV (captured). Crashed Lilbourne. 1k.
10. A792. FE2b of 199 NTSqn East Retford. Stalled fm turn and spun into wood nr base. 1k.

## 1918

January
02. B1903. Curtiss JN4a of 1 TDS Stamford. Crashed Burghley Park Nr. 1k. Duplicate of below?
21. B1908 Curtiss JN 4 of 1 TDS Stamford. Stalled and spun in Burghley Park NR.
22. B1236. F2b of 59 TSqn Lilbourne. Pilot fell out nr base.
25. B4644. Camel of 5 TDS Easton. Spun in fm loop. 1k.

B7284. Camel of 73 TSqn Lilbourne. Wing broke pulling out of dive. 1k.
February
18. A8712. BE2e of 1 TDS Stamford. Dived in off turn nr base. 1k.

March
09. B7822. RE8 of 5 TDS Easton. Spun in from low turn. 1k.
11. $n / k$. RE8 of 1 TDS Stamford. Crashed - NFD. 1 k .
17. $n / k$. FE2b of 199 NTSqn East Retford. Dived in at base. 1k.
24. B7330. Camel of 55 TSqn Lilbourne. Crashed - NFD. 1k.

April

1. B7684. RE8 of 5 TDS Easton. Low speed turn, spun in. 1k.
2. B5133. RE8 of 5 TDS Easton. Spun in from turn. 2k.
3. n/k. N/K of 1 TDS Stamford. Spun in from turn.
4. B7683. RE8 of 5 TDS Easton. Stalled fm turn, spun in.. 1k.
5. A9751. DH6 of 1 TDS Stamford. Lost control on approach base and dived in. 1k.
6. B4547. BE2e of 5 TDS Easton. Ailerons jammed, spun and dived in Wittering village NR. 2k.
$\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{k}$. $\quad \mathrm{N} / \mathrm{k}$ of 1 TDS Stamford. Dived in from turn.
7. A5616. FE2b of 199 NTSqn East Retford.Lost at night, hit high ground ne Shottle DE. 1k.

B9230. Camel of 10 TSqn Lilbourne. Hit wires. 1k.
May
04. B7535. Pup of 55 TS Lilbourne. Stalled and dived in.
08. [A4546. RE8 of 44 TSqn Harlaxton, Lincs. Collided with below over Easton. 1k.
[B7729. RE8 of 44 TSqn Harlaxton Lincs. Collided with above. 2k.
09. D3571. SE5a of 55 TSqn Lilbourne. Broke up in dive, Catthorpe LE.
11. B9242. Camel of 10 TSqn Lilbourne. Spun in. 1k.
20. $n / k$. BE2e of 1 TDS Stamford. EF, stalled in turn. 1k.
21. B6185. BE2e of 5 TDS Easton. Low speed turn, dived in Collyweston NR. 1k.

June 1918

1. A9736. DH6 of 5 TDS Easton. Spun in. 2k.
2. [A9704. DH6 of 5 TDS Easton. Collided with below during practice dogfight nr Stamford. 2k.
[C2028. DH6 of 5 TDS Easton. Collided with above. 1k.
3. B9593. FK8 of 1 TDS Stamford. Crashed - NFD. 1k.
4. 6259. BE2e of 202 TDS Cranwell Lincs. Lost, spun in F/L meltomn Mowbray LE.
1. C8617. FK8 of 1 TDS Stamford. Spun in South Kilworth Le. 1k.
2. C2433. RE8 of 1 TDS Stamford. Stalled on t/o.
3. D9088. FE2b of 200 NTSqn East Retford. Side-slipped in Botany Bay crossing, Babworth NT. 1k.
4. B3153. Avro 504J of 10 TSqn Lilbourne. EF, stalled nr base. 1k.

July
03. D1001. DH 9 of 117 Sqn Beaulieu Hants. EF, turned back and spun in at Hucknall. 1k.
13. C2588. RE8 of 1 TDS Stamford. Tailplane damaged in collision with FK3 (survived), crashed Wothorpe NR. 2k.
[C3506. DH6 of 1 TDS Stamford. Collided with above ldg. 1k.
24. [C6602. DH6 of 1 TDS Stamford. Collided with below. 2k.
25. B8917. F2b of School of Special Flying Gosport, Hants. Stalled fm turn and spun in Lilbourne. 1k.
26. A5575. FE2b of 200 NTSqn East Retford. Crashed - NFD. 1k.
28. D4876. RE8 of 1 TDS Stamford. Lost height in S-bends, spun in. 1k.

## August 1918

5. F2126. Camel of 50 Sqn Bekesbourne, Kent. F/L in mist near Kettering NR.
6. B5131. RE8 of 5 TDS Easton. Spun in from turn. 2k.
7. D4765. RE8 of 1 TDS Stamford. Air-to-ground firing, SB wing collapsed on pull-out. 2k.
8. B7695. RE8 of 1 TDS Stamford. Dived in from steep turn. 1k.
9. D4980. RE8 of 1 TDS Stamford. Wings came off in steep dive. 1k.
10. E80. RE8 of 5 TDS Easton. Dived in fm turn base. 1k.

September
07. C3386. RE8 of 1 TDS Stamford. Spun in on $1^{\text {st }}$ solo. 1k.
25. D9367. Avro 504K of 186 NTSqn East Retford. EF on t/o base, stalled and spun in. 1k.
26. B1586. FFE2b of 90 Sqn Buckminster, Lincs. F/L at night due to engine fire, pilot walked into prop trying to extinguish, Harlestone NR. 1k.
29. B9381. DH9 of 1 TDS Stamford. EF on t/o dived in from turn. 2k.

October

1. A4992. FE2b of 200 NTSqn East Retford. Crashed - NFD. 1k.
2. A4658. FE2b of 200 NTSqn East Retford. Crashed - NFD. 1k.
3. C2624. RE8 of 5 TDS Easton. Crashed - NFD. 1k.
4. D48. Avro 504J of 34 TDS Scampton Lincs. EF, crashed F/L Newark NT. 1k.
5. B5519. DH 4 of 1 TDS Stamford. Stalled and sideslipped in. 1k.

D4763. RE8 of 5 TDS Easton. Structural failure in dive. 1k.
$n / k$. $n / k$. of 1 TDS Stamford. EF, spun in.
November
09. E9033. DH 9A of 15 TDS Hucknall. Spun in fm turn.
11. C2624. RE8 of 5 TDS Easton. Crashed - NFD. 1k.

C2626. RE8 of 5 TDS Easton. Spun in fm turn base.
E330. Avro 504K of 1TDS Stamford. Stalled in turn, dived in base. 1k.

## BETWEEN THE WARS

There was a massive rundown of the RAF during 1919-20, resulting in all the WW1 airfields closing except Stamford, now renamed Wittering, and used for training. The aircraft were becoming more reliable and the pace of training slackened so that the number of accidents reduced and there were fewer casualties in any case, due to the introduction of parachutes. The RAF began to increase in size significantly during the 1930s and operational types, as opposed to those used for training, began to arrive at newly-opened airfields. These more sophisticated and powerful aircraft, equipped with such novelties as flaps, retractable undercarriages and enclosed cockpits (not liked initially!), increased the number of accidents as pilots converted from the elderly biplanes. In addition to the military crashes civilian-owned aircraft and aerodromes began to appear from the early 1920s on, contributing to the total number.

## 1919

January
03. B9383. DH9 of 1 TDS Wittering. Stalled in turn, sideslipped in. 2k.

February
07. C1292. DH 9 of 15 TDS Hucknall. EF on t/o, spun in at base. 1k.

May
08. E8930. DH 9A of 15 TSqn Hucknall. EF, C/L on bumpy ground.

August
09. D3032. DH9 of 5 TDS Easton. EF, F/L, hit wires, and spun in.

October
18. G-AEEZ. Avro 504K. Crashed nr Tuxford NT.

1920
April
N/K
G-EAJA. BE2e. F/L Aylestone, Leicester after EF then destroyed by gale.
June
24. G-EADR. Avro 504K. Wings collapsed, crashed Werrington NR. 3k.

1922
July
14. E9431. Avro 504K of 5 FTS Sealand, Wales. F/L out of fuel, Earl Sterndale DE.

H2283. Avro 504K of 5 FTS Sealand, Wales. Collided on t/o Ilkeston DE.

## 1926

November
19. J7354. DH9A of RAFC Cranwell Lincs. Stalled in tirn, caught fire, Ailsworth NR. 1k.
30. N/K. Avro 504N of CFS Wittering. Spun in Collyweston. 2k.

1927
May
30. N/K Avro 504N of CFS Wittering. Stalled during practice F/L at Easton. 1k.

June
16. E6656. Snipe DC of CFS Wittering. EF during aerobatics, crashed Wothorpe NR. 2k.

October
06. [H2432. Avro 504N of CFS Wittering. Collided with below on ground at base.
[H5185. Avro 504N of CFS Wittering. Collided with above.
1928
April
18. G-EBXG. Moth 60X. Crashed at Chilwell NT.

July
16. J8432. F2b Mk IIIDC of 8 (AC) Flt. Short of fuel, F/L, crashed and o/t on t/o Matlock Golf Club.

August
22. G-EBSK. DH Moth 60X. Spun in after t/o Hucknall. 2k.

September 1928
02. J8107. DH9A of 605 Sqn Castle Bromwich, Warwicks. Dived in fm turn, caught fire, crashed Gt Glen LE. 1k.

## 1929

January
11. C763. F2B of 5 FTS Sealand, Wales. Lost, F/L Hinckley LE.

1930
April
14. G-AADC. Gipsy Moth Coupe. Crashed Chipping Warden NR.

June
13. J8820. Genet-Moth of CFS Wittering. EF during slow-roll, stalled nr base.

August
17. $n / k$. Dickson primary glider. Spun in Burton LE . NFD.

September
06. G-AAGN. Spartan. EF on t/o Ratcliffe on the Wreake LE.

G-AAMG. Spartan. Crashed nr Ratcliffe on the Wreake LE.
November
09. G-AAMT. Moth 60X. Crashed nr Cotgrave NT. 1k.

1931
May
07. K1116. Fairey IIIF Mk IV of 24 Sqn Northolt, Middlesex. F/L Walkeringham NT.

June
24. J8964. Siskin IIIa of 3 FTS Grantham, Lincs. Stalled off low turn, Ketton RU.

July
13. K1788. Avro Trainer of 3 FTS Grantham, Lincs. Practice F/L 2 m W of Ashwell RU, hit water tank on t/o.
August
27. G-AATM. Bluebird IV. Crashed at Coal Aston.

October
30. K2498. Tutor of 3 FTS Grantham, Lincs. Crashed during aerobatice Bulwell Hall golf links NT. 2k.

1932
March
17. J8568. Avro 504N of CFS Wittering. Crashed from shallow dive, caught fire, Barnack NR. 2k.
23. G-AAPM. Moth 60X. Crashed at Tollerton.

May 1932
06. [K1042. Avro 504N of CFS Wittering. Collided with below during formation change Wothorpe NR. 1k. [K1050. Avro 504N of CFS Wittering. Collided with above. 1k.
August
27. G-AATM. Bluebird IV. Stalled in turn during display Coal Aston. 1k.
25. G-ABGD. Puss Moth. Crashed Coal Aston

1933
July
08. G-ACBY. Swift. Crashed at Moulton NR during King's Cup air race.

1934
May
19. G-EBVZ. Avian III. Crashed at Scarcliffe DE.

September
06. G-ACON. Swallow II. Crashed at Retford NT.

October
08. K1668. Bulldog IIa of CFS Wittering. Overturned ldg Wittering.
11. G-EBWA. Moth 60X. Crashed Burbage Edge nr Buxton DE.

November
03. G-EBXG. Moth 60X. Wing detached during loop, Chilwell Manor Golf Course NT. 2k.

1936
January
13. K2962. Bulldog IIa of 3 FTS Grantham. Hit wall and overturned F/L whilst lost 0.5 m SE Thistleton RU.
April
16. K4986. Hart Trainer of 7 FTS Peterborough. Lost height in loop and hit hangar. $2 \mathrm{k}+2$ on ground.

May
n/k. G-ADIN. Gamecock Special. U/c collapsed ldg and o/t Sywell.
June 1936
30. G-ACIZ. Miles Hawk. Crashed at Tollerton.

September
03. K4370. Hart Special of 7 FTS Peterborough. Landed in wrong field at night, into dyke. October
23. K3072. Audax of 7 FTS Peterborough. Collided with K3128 (repaired) during formation t/o and dived in. 1k.

## 1937

February
27. K8236. Fury II of 11 FTS Wittering. Hit target during gunnery trng, uc collapsed ldg. March
15. K4278. Tiger Moth I of 24 Sqn Hendon, Middlesex. F/L out of fuel Melton Mowbray LE.

K4353. SWhark I of SoNC Gosport Hants. Crashed in snowstorm, Saxelbye LE. 1k.
18. K5679. Fury I of 11 FTS Wittering. Hit target during gunnery trng, lost wheel and overturned ldg.

April
09. K5514. Hind I of 104 Sqn Hucknall. Hit slipstream on t/o, bounced and overturned..

May
29. G-AECG. Tiger Moth. Crashed Desford.

June 1937
08. G-ADXW. Tiger Moth. Crashed nr Desford.
15. K4648. Hind I of 104 Sqn Hucknall. Out of fuel, hit hedge F/L base
25. K3078. Audax of 26 Sqn Catterick, Yorks. Bounced ldg Hucknall and overturned.
28. K5213. Audax of 11 FTS Wittering. Hit slipstream on t/o and rolled into ground.

July
02. K5380. Hind I of 98 Sqn Hucknall. Bounced ldg, hit tree and overturned.
15. K6630. Hind I of 218 Sqn Upper Heyford, Oxon. Lost in bad visibility, hit tree F/L Kirby Bellars LE.
22. K6875. Heyford III of 166 Sqn Leconfield, Yorks. Flew into high ground, Broadlee Bank Tor nr Barber Booth DE. 6k.

## August

21. G-ACZX. Moth Major. Spun in fm aeros at carnival Huthwaite NT. 2k.

## September 1937

23. K5217. Audax of 11 FTS Wittering. EF, F/L and overturned in mist, Hathern LE.

K5494. Hind I of 57 Sqn Upper Heyford, Oxon. Out of fuel, overshot F/L hit tree Evenley NR. 1k.
October

1. K5803. Hart Trainer of 11 FTS Wittering. Bounced ldg and $u / c$ collapsed.
2. G-AEER. Eagle II. Dived in Breedon-on-the-Hill LE. 3k.

November
05. K4960. Hart Trainer of 11 FTS Wittering. Abandoned out of fuel in fog, nr Collyweston.

December
03. K7110. Blenheim I of 114 Sqn Wyton, Hunts. Pilot abandoned in cloud, passenger belly-landed a/c nr Hinckley.
14. K6744. Hind I of 50 Sqn Waddington, Lincs. Sideslipped in whilst lost, New Ollerton NT.

## 1938

January
31. K5210. Audax I of 11 FTS Wittering. EF, spun in on approach, at Barnack NR. 1k.

February
09. L6902. Magister I of 9 E\&RFTS Ansty, Warwicks. Stalled F/L in bad visibility nr Hathern LE.
24. K5127. Audax I of 11 FTS Wittering. Overshot night ldg at base and hit fence.

March
18. K4403. Hart of 11 FTS Wittering. Overshot ldg base and hit trees

April
21. K6505. Hart Trainer of 7 FTS Peterborough. Cartwheeled avoiding another aircraft on t/o base.

May
02. L8141. Magister I of 7 ATS Acklington Northumberland. EF, o/s F/L at Hasland DE.

June 1938
22. K3199. Tutor I of RAFC Cranwell, Lincs. Stalled whilst F/L when lost Castle Donington LE.
28. K4559. Hart I of 6 E\&RFTS Sywell. U/c collapsed ldg at base.

K5213. Audax I of 11 FTS Shawbury, Salop. Control lost on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ Wittering, rolled onto $\mathrm{s} / \mathrm{b}$ wing.
July
02. K4459. Hart of 6 E\&RFTS Sywell. U/c collapsed ldg base.
18. K1112. Gipsy Moth I of 17 E\&RTFS Barton, Lancs. EF during aeros, crashed F/L nr Buxton DE.

August
05. K7810. Gauntlet II of 213 Sqn Wittering. Undershot night ldg at base and hit K5365 (repaired)
07. K8185. Demon I of 64 Sqn Church Fenton, Yorks. Abandoned out of fuel in fog nr Leicester.

K8200. Demon I of 64 Sqn Church Fenton, Yorks. Abandoned out of fuel in fog, nr Wittering.
11. K5302. Gauntlet II of 213 Sqn Wittering. Overshot ldg into ditch, base.

September
09. K5314. Gauntlet II of 19 Sqn Duxford, Cambs. EF, hit wheat sheaf F/L and overturned 2 m S of Ollerton NT.
19. K6812. Hind I of 50 Sqn Waddington, Lincs. F/L lost in bad weather and overturned on soft ground, Hasland, DE.

## November

3. K3284. Tutor I of RAFC Cranwell, Lincs. Overturned F/L whilst lost Toton NT.
4. K4446. Hart of 22 E\&RFTS Cambridge. Hit tree F/L in bad weather Thorpe Mandeville NR.
5. L8251. Magister I of 30 E\&RFTS Burnaston. F/L in fog, Bradley DE and hit hedge on t/o.
6. K7611. Battle I of 52 Sqn Upwood, Hunts. Undershot ldg Wittering and hit tender.
7. L8175. Magister I of 27 E\&RFTS Tollerton. Spun in recovering fm stall nr Holme Pierrepoint NT. 1k.
8. K8490. Shark II of D Flt FAA Ford, Sussex. F/L in bad weather and hit hedge nr Loughborough LE.

December
13. K7585. Battle I of 207 Sqn Cottesmore. Undershot ldg and hit trees on night approach to base. 1k.

## 1939

Exact date $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{k}$ G-AFJW. Taylorcraft A. Crashed Rearsby.
January
02. K7890. Gauntlet II of 151 Sqn Nth Weald, Essex. Overshot F/L in bad weather into ditch, Gt Dalby LE.
03. L8329. Magister I of 30 E\&RFTS Burnaston. Crashed on Rolls-Royce factory, Hucknall. 1k.
04. K7694. Battle I of 35 Sqn Cottesmore. Iced up and stalled on approach, crash-landed base.
05. L1456. Blenheim IF of 23 Sqn Wittering. U/c retracted after ldg at base, DBR.
15. G-ADMU. Drone. Crashed Braunstone.
17. L4047. Hampden I of 49 Sqn Scampton, Lincs. Crashed in bad weather 10 m N of Nottingham (nr Ravenshead NT?).

## January 1939 cont

19. L7199. Hind I of 504 Sqn RAuxAF Hucknall. Stalled avoiding tree in bad weather, F/L at Pleasley NT.
20. L1476. Blenheim If of 64 Sqn Church Fenton, Yorks. Hit hills in cloud, Sykes Moor, Bleaklow Moor 4 m ENE of Glossop DE. 2k.

## February

9. L1455. Blenheim If of 23 Sqn Wittering. U/c damaged on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$, belly-landed base.
10. K9216. Battle I of 98 Sqn Hucknall. EF on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$ fm base, crashed in wood.
11. [G-AEIG. Swallow II. Collided with below and crashed at Cotgrave.
[G-AFER. Swallow II. Collided with above, crashed nr Grantham canal, nr Cotgrave. 1k.

## March

10. L9689. Oxford I of 7 FTS Peterborough. Swung on t/o at base, stalled and hit hangar.
11. K8224. Fury II of 7 FTS Peterborough. Stalled ldg, u/c collapsed and overturned, base.
12. L1447. Blenheim If of 23 Sqn Wittering. Hit ridge on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm}$ base and C/L.
13. L1262. Blenheim I of 62 Sqn Cranfield, Beds. Lost control in hail and crashed at Cranford NR. 3k.
14. K3849. Hart I of 4 E\&RFTS Brough, Yorks. Overshot F/L in bad weather and hit tree, nr Kettering NR.
15. L1792. Hurricane I of 46 Sqn Digby, Lincs. EF at night, spun in nr Corby NR.

L1810. Hurricane I of 213 Sqn Wittering. EF, belly-landed on approach to base.
April
13. L1787. Hurricane I of 213 Sqn Wittering. Caught by gust ldg at base, swung and wing and prop hit ground..
27. K5244. Audax I of 5 FTS Sealand, Nth Wales. EF, hit wall F/L Ashbourne.

May
05. K9469. Battle I of 35 Sqn Cottesmore. EF on night $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$, dived in at base. 3 k .
20. L1785. Hurricane I of 213 Sqn Wittering. EF, belly-landed on o/s nr base.

L7202. Hind I of 30 E\&RFTS Burnaston. Crash-landed at base.
22. N6625. Tiger Moth II of 30 E\&RFTS Burnaston. U/s F/L and hit hedge at Prince's Fm, Selston DE.
23. L4155. Hampden I of 7 Sqn Finningley, Yorks. Lost control during formation change, spun in 5 m E of Newark NT (nr Barnby-in-the-Willows?)
June 1939
23. L1573. Hurricane I of 73 Sqn Digby, Lincs. Side-slipped, spun and dived in Top Covert nr Newark NT. 1 k .
L7241. Hind Trainer of 7 E\&RFTS Desford. Stalled and dived in nr base.
July
04. L1800. Hurricane I of 213 Sqn Wittering. Flaps-upldg, o/s base and o/t.
06. L8066. Magister I of 27 ERFTS Tollerton. EF, hit tree F/L nr base
11. BGA371.Kestrel T. Spun in Camphill N of Great Hucklow DE. 1k
13. G-AFKB. Tomtit. Hit HT cables, crashed nr Leicestar Forest East..1k.
14. K9306. Battle I of 40 Sqn Abingdon, Berks. Fumes in cockpit, F/L in reservoir Naseby NR.
15. BGA382. Petrel T13. Dived in fm launch Camphill, N of Great Hucklow DE. 1k.
20. L8368. Blenheim If of 23 Sqn Wittering. Collided with L1448 (repaired), abandoned and crashed Wansford NR. 1k.

## August

3. L1811. Hurricane I of 213 Sqn Wittering. EF, C/L on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ base.
4. K9263. Battle I of 103 Sqn Benson, Oxon. Collided with K9373 (repaired) Nottingham. 1k.
5. G-AFTE. Cub Coupe. Crashed Leicester.
6. L1112. Blenheim I of 82 Sqn Cranfield, Beds. EF, F/L, hit ditch and tipped up, Chellaston DE.
7. K6094. Tutor I of 500 Sqn Detling, Kent. EF on approach to Hucknall, hit fence.

## World War II.

When WW2 broke out in September 1939 all civilian aircraft were grounded or impressed for use by the RAF and FAA. A massive expansion of the RAF took place and the East Midlands became mainly a training area although airfields on the eastern fringes of Notts, Leics, Rutland and Northants did mount operations. All aspects of RAF training took place in the five counties, from elementary flying training on Tiger Moths and Magisters, through advanced flying training on Masters and Oxfords to operational training at the bomber OTUs and HCUs. These last two in particular had a terrifying accident rate as their young crews struggled with the complexities of large and, for that time, sophisticated aircraft, together with flying at night and in bad weather, learning how to drop bombs and how to evade fighters. Fatal crashes at Wigsley and Winthorpe and the Wellington OTUs were far too common, being often due, in addition to inexperienced crews, to old worn-out aircraft as the front-line squadrons naturally received new production aircraft. The Halifax, in its Mark II and V versions, had some nasty flying characteristics whilst the Stirling had a weak undercarriage which contributed to many of its accidents. Most crashes took place on or near airfields as taking-off and landing were the most dangerous areas of flight but
'stuffed clouds' claimed their share, particularly in the high ground of Derbyshire; the RAF's clerks did not specify exactly where a crash took place so those given as at an airfield could have been within a half-mile radius. From 1942 the US Army Air Force began to operate from airfields in Northamptonshire and their crash locations are even more liable to error as young Americans struggled with English place-names! It is also more difficult to interpret US data on their crashes so that not all the incidents recorded in this list may have resulted in the aircraft being written off, some may have been repaired. It is unimaginable that the scale of accidents and fatalities seen in the region during WW2 will ever be repeated, a fact for which we must all be grateful; many of the young men killed saw no operational flying but their contribution should not be forgotten.

## September 1939

2. N5184. Anson I of 83 Sqn Scampton, Lincs. Hit HT cables in night F/L in bad weather, crashed Beeston NT.
3. L6675. Blenheim If of 23 Sqn Wittering. Stalled on night ldg and tipped-up at base.
4. N4593. Oxford I of 11 SFTS Shawbury, Salop. Overshot into wood ldg at Wittering in ground mist and o/t.
5. N3786. Magister I of 30 EFTS Burnaston. Failed to recover fm dive at Culland Hall, Hollington DE.
6. L6005. Hereford I of 185 Sqn Cottesmore. EF, yawed and F/L nr Stonesby LE. 0k.

October
04. N5096. Anson I of 49 Sqn Scampton, Lincs. Crashed on night approach to Newton, Radcliffe on Trent NT. 3k.
07. K4987. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Hit tree on night approach to base.

K7334. Audax I of 9 SFTS Hullavington, Wilts. Hit high ground in bad visibility nr Uppingham RU. 1k.
N6209. Blenheim IV of 110 Sqn Wattisham, Suffolk. Skidded and u/c collapsed ldg at Wittering.
10. K6429. Hart Trainer of 11 SFTS Shawbury, Salop. F/L and tipped up nr Derby.
28. L6007. Hereford I of 185 Sqn Cottesmore. U/c collapsed ldg base.

November
11. L4186. Hampden I of 106 Sqn Finningley. Stalled and crashed Misson bombing range NT.
17. K4978. Hart Trainer of 12 SFTS Grantham, Lincs. Hit tree F/L in bad weather nr Loughborough LE.
K7550. Audax I of 12 SFTS Grantham, Lincs. F/L in bad weather and hit hedge Coalville Grammar School LE.
19. K3762. Hart I of 7 SFTS Peterborough. EF on t/o, overturned during F/L Peakirk NR.
22. N7132. Harvard I of 6 SFTS Little Rissington, Glos. Pilot ill, o/t F/L at Blisworth NR.
25. N7134. Harvard I of 6 SFTS Little Rissington, Glos. Lost, stalled on approach to F/L, Charwelton NR.
28. K4993. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Stalled on approach to base and u/c collapsed.

K7456. Audax I of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Stalled on night approach to base.

## December

4. L7067. Anson I of 12 SFTS Grantham Linc. EF in bad weather, crashed Lindley LE..
5. L1460. Blenheim If of 23 Sqn Wittering. EF on o/s, hit obstruction night ldg at base.
6. L1074. Spitfire I of 610 Sqn Wittering. Collided with L1008 (repaired) taxying at base.

## 1940

January
04. K4994. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Undershot F/L and hit tree, Lutterworth LE.

K7457. Audax I of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Stalled on approach to base.
L1466. Blenheim If of 23 Sqn Wittering. Out of fuel, crashed Castor/Helpston Heath NR.
11. K5026. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Heavy ldg at base, DBR.

K7385. Audax I of 7 SFTS Peterborough. U/c collapsed ldg at base.
12. K3128. Hart Special of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Stalled ldg and overturned at base.
13. N6380. Oxford II of 3 SFTS Sth Cerney, Glos. Hit ground in bad visibility, Plungar LE.
16. K9885. Spitfire I of 152 Sqn Acklington, Northumberland. Hit hedge F/L in bad weather 8 m E of Nottingham (nr Bingham?).
17. K6725. Hind I of 12 SFTS Grantham, Lincs. Overshot ldg and tipped up beside another a/c which had F/L, Barsby LE.
25. L3269. Henley III of 1 AAS Manby, Lincs. Flew into hill at Gringley-on-the-Hill NT.

P4223. Swordfish I of 751 Sqn FAA. Hit high ground in cloud, Heydon Head, Holme Moss DE 2 m S of Holme Yorks.. 1k.

## February

24. P1279. Hampden I of 185 Sqn Cottesmore. U/c collapsed ldg at base.

L4198. Hampden I of 185 Sqn Cottesmore. U/c ollapsed ldg at Newton.
27. BB854. Tiger Moth of 7 EFTS Desford. Crash ldg at base.

## March 1940

2. K4997. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Dived in at Nassington NR. 2k.
3. K4992. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Crashed ldg at night base.
4. K3752. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Undershot ldg at base and hit hedge.
5. K5871. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. U/c collapsed F/L nr base.
6. K7498. Audax I of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Bounced on ldg and stalled, base.
7. N3794. Magister I of 30 EFTS Burnaston. Stalled and crashed nr Kneesall, DE.
8. K5798. Hart Trainer of 3 SFTS Sth Cerney, Glos. Overturned F/L Theddingworth LE.

L4160. Hampden I of 7 Sqn Finningley, Yorks. EF, belly-landed Brackley LG (Croughton)
April

1. K6014. Wallace II of 1 EWS Cranwell, Lincs. Hit wires whilst lost, 1m W of Tuxford NT.
2. N3773. Magister I of 30 EFTS Burnaston. Spun in nr Longford DE.
3. L4197. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Hydraulics failed and u/c jammed up, belly-landed at base.

L8331. Magister of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Spun in 4 m W of base $n r$ Hatton DE.
N7054. Harvard I of 10 SFTS Ternhill, Salop. Spun in bad weather, abandoned nr Waltham on the Wolds LE.
18. P5807. Harvard I of 14 SFTS Cranfield, Beds. Lost in bad weather, u/s F/L and hit hedge nr Northampton.
21. L4200. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Overshot into hedge night ldg at base.
27. K6464. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Bounced and swung ldg at base.

N3063. Spitfire Ia of 611 Sqn Digby, Lincs. Blinded by searchlight, spun and abandoned over Kilvington NT.
May

1. L4119. Hampden I of 61 Sqn Hemswell, Lincs. Crashed in bad visibility at Croxton Kerrial LE on return fm Aalborg. 4k.
2. N3179. Spitfire Ia of 266 Sqn Wittering. Hit tree and overturned ldg base.
3. [K3131. Hart Special of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Collided with below ldg at base.
[K3133. Hart Special of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Collided with above.
P1274. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Overshot and lost control, crashed Thisleton RU. 4k.
4. K3308. Tutor I of Station Flight Duxford, Cambs. Out of fuel of ferry flight, F/L Edale DE.

K4947. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Tyre burst and overturned ldg at base.
09. L6016. Hereford I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. EF, F/L Tugby LE. 0k.
10. P1274. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Lost control on o/s fm base, hit cottages 2 m NNE.
18. L4059. Hampden I of 83 Sqn Scampton, Lincs. Stalled and crashed on overshoot, 0.5 m SW Newton.
27. G-ADPB. Tiger Moth of 7 EFTS Desford. Crashed Stoughton LE.
29. P1275. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Hit trees on night approach to base.
31. K6449. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Stalled ldg at base, u/c collapsed.

June 1940

1. P1281. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Stalled on night t/o fm base.
2. P4295. Hampden I of 16 OTU Upper Heyford, Oxon. Stalled night ldg at Brackley LG (Croughton).
3. N5112. Anson I of 17 OTU Upwood, Hunts. EF, F/L and swung into hedge nr Towcester NR.
4. K4991. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Stalled and crashed ldg, base.

K6459. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Bounced and swung ldg base.
07. K7379. Audax I of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Undershot night approach to base.
08. N5037. Anson I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Undershot night approach to base and hit bomb dump.
09. L9885. Beaufort I of 4 FPP Filton, Glos. EF, C/L at Mears Ashby NR.
10. [N4638. Oxford I of 14 SFTS Cranfield, Beds. Collided with below during unauthorized attack nr [ Bozeat NR.
[P5817. Harvard I of 14 SFTS Cranfield, Beds. Collided with above.
11. P1896. Oxford I of 15 SFTS Brize Norton, Oxon. Hit hedge on t/o after F/L Cross-in-Hand LE.
12. P1280. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. U/c collapsed night ldg at base.
13. P4309. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Overshot ldg into hedge at base.

P4359. Hampden I of 61 Sqn Hemswell Lincs. Collided with L4138 (survived) on t/o fm Cottesmore.
21. L4395. Mentor I of 24 Sqn Hendon Middlesex. Dived in fm cloud at Burbage Woods LE.
26. N6942. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Abandoned in spin, Ratby LE.

July
05. K7156. Blenheim If of 23 Sqn Collyweston. Control lost in cloud, abandoned, crashed Granby NT.
06. K5413. Hind I of RAFC SFTS Cranwell, Lincs. Low flying, crashed in R. Trent 1 m S of Clifton-on-Trent NT. 2k.
07. P1309. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Overshot ldg at base and hit pillbox.
22. G-ADPF. Tiger Moth of 7 EFTS Desford. Crashed Braunstone RLG.
24. P2685. Hurricane I of 46 Sqn Digby, Lincs. EF, F/L and hit post, Pear Tree Farm (or station) Derby.

## July 1940 cont

27. L5528. Battle I of 150 Sqn Newton. Bomb fell off a/c. 7k.

N6939. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. U/s F/L and hit hedge at Welford NR.
P1180. Hampden I of 16 OTU Upper Heyford Oxon. Hit tree on t/o Brackley LG (Croughton) crashed Kings Sutton NR. 1k.
28. K5822. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Lost, overturned avoiding children while F/L Woodford NR..
31. L3811. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Lost, C/L and hit wall, Darley Dale DE.

August
03. L5433. Battle I of 103 Sqn Newton. Pilot thought approaching Newton, climbed when realized, stalled and hit tree on approach to Cottesmore.
04. L1356. Blenheim If of 23 Sqn Collyweston. EF crashed ldg base.
08. L1448. Blenheim If of 23 Sqn Collyweston. Lost control on approach, spun in at night nr Peterborough.

L9250. Blenheim IV of 101 Sqn West Raynham, Norfolk. Overshot ldg at Wittering and hit hut.
T1866. Blenheim IV of 101 Sqn West Raynham, Norfolk. Swung to avoid above ldg at Wittering and $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed.
09. L1377. Blenheim If of 29 Sqn Wellingore, Lincs. EF, F/L Wittering.

L6052. Hereford I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. EF after t/o, swung and hit tree 0.5 m W of base. 1 k .
18. N3813. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Out of fuel, stalled and dived in 1 m S of Roston DE.
20. K7092. Blenheim If of 23 Sqn Collyweston. Crashed on night $t / \mathrm{fm}$ Wittering.
23. P2132. Hampden I of 16 OTU Upper Heyford, Oxon. Overshot and hit farm Croughton.
25. L7003. Defiant I of 264 Sqn Hornchurch, Essex. EF, belly-landed nr Mkt Bosworth LE.
27. BB793. Tiger Moth of 6 EFTS Sywell. Overshot ldg at base and stalled.
28. T5694. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. EF, crashed Markfield LE.
30. K4951. Hart Trainer of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Stalled ldg at base, u/c collapsed.

## September 1940

4. R3769. Blenheim IV of 15 Sqn Wyton, Hunts. Crash-landed at night on return fm St Omer, Burton Latimer NR. 2k.
5. L8218. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Overshot ldg at base and hit tree.
6. K9480. Battle I of 18 OTU Hucknall. Stalled on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$ fm base and hit council houses Laughton Crescent, Hucknall. 1k + 5 civilians.
7. P1256. Hampden I of 106 Sqn Finningley York. Crashed at night Misson range, NT.

P4308. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Hit tree and dived in Squire's Farm Langham RU. 1k.
R2062. Beaufighter IIF of Rolls-Royce Hucknall. Destroyed in air raid on base.
G-ADPG. Tiger Moth of 7 EFTS Desford. Crashed on approach to base.
G-AIED. Tiger Moth of 7 EFTS Desford. Crashed on approach to base.
L1986. Hurricane I of 6 OTU Sutton Bridge, Lincs. Fumes in cockpit, abandoned and crashed Marholm NR (Walton?).
L4189. Hampden I of 106 Sqn Finningley, Yorks. Hit high ground at night, Black Edge, 2 m N of Buxton DE. 3k.

## October

01 P1324. Hampden I of 44 Sqn Waddington, Lincs. F/L Croughton, u/c collapsed, on return fm mining
R9649. Anson I of 311(Czech) Sqn East Wretham Norfolk. Verey pistol discharged in cabin, crashed Elton NR.
02. T5689. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Hit cables on approach to base.
03. N9749. Anson 116 OTU Upper Heyford Oxon. Hit control tower low-flying at Croughton.
08. K4368. Hart Special of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Crashed whilst instrument flying Tilton on the Hill LE. 1k.
12. N7836. Master I of 7 OTU Hawarden Nth Wales. Stalled low-flying and spun in North Wingfield DE. BB703. Tiger Moth of 6 EFTS Sywell. Lost, F/L and hit hedge, Ketton RU.
13. L5499. Battle I of 300 (Polish)Sqn Hemswell, Lincs. Stalled off turn and dived in at Oxton NT en route to Calais. 3 k .
14. N5118. Anson I of 4 AONS Ansty, Warwicks. Stalled at low altitude and hit tree C/L at Nth Kilworth LE.
15. P2430. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Hit tree nr Ashbourne DE.
16. L7924. Anson I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Hit ground in bad visibility nr base. 5k.
17. N2773. Wellington Ic of 311 (Czech)Sqn East Wretham, Norfolk. Out of fuel in bad weather on return fm Kiel, abandoned and crashed at Blidworth NT. 1k.
R6233. Oxford II of 14 SFTS Cranfield, Beds. Crashed in bad visibility Bozeat NR.
21. X9398. Dragon of 7 AACU Castle Bromwich, Warwicks. O/s F/L in bad visibility, hit hedge and u/c collapsed nr Clipston NT.

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22. P1343. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Hit trees in bad weather on approach to Wittering.
23. L5356. Battle I of 300 (Polish)Sqn Hemswell, Lincs. Lost wing in steep dive, crashed Sutton-onTrent NT. 3k.
V7302. Hurricane I of 1 Sqn Wittering. Crash-landed at base.

## November

3. P2751. Hurricane I of 1 Sqn Wittering. Wing hit ground in bad visibility in circuit $n r$ base.

X2978. Hampden I of 83 Sqn Scampton, Lincs. Flew into ground at night in bad visibility, Laneham NT. 3k.
X9405. Puss Moth of 3 FPP White Waltham, Berks. Brakes jammed on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm} \mathrm{F} / \mathrm{L}$ and hit hedge at Ashby-de-la-Zouch LE.
11. N6292. Oxford I of 14 SFTS Cranfield, Beds. Spun in on approach to Cottesmore in bad weather, 0.5 m N of Ryhall RU.
13. [L7813. Wellington Ic of 103 Sqn Newton. U/c collapsed in heavy ldg at base then hit by below.
[N2998. Wellington Ia of 150 Sqn Newton. Hit above.
15. P1693. Lysander II of 613 Sqn Firbeck Yorks. C/L out of fuel in bad weather and o/t Ashgate DE.
$5 \mathrm{~K}+\mathrm{BP}$. Dornier Do17Z of 6/KG3 GAF Antwerp Bel. Shot down by AA Prestwold Hall LE. 4k.
25. K4812. Tutor I of RAFC SFTS Cranwell, Lincs. Hit tree low-flying Sutton Scarsdale DE.

P1320. Hampden I of 106 Sqn Finningley, Yorks. Dived in at night Tickencote RU on return fm Kiel 2k.
26. T1859. Blenheim IV of 17 OTU Upwood, Hunts. Flew into high ground Stanion NR. 3 k .
27. P1960. Oxford II of 14 SFTS Cranfield, Beds. EF, F/L and hit hedge Rearsby.
30. P4407. Hampden I of 144 Sqn Hemswell, Lincs. EF, low on fuel, abandoned nr Wittering.

## December

3. K7172. Blenheim IF of 29 Sqn Wellingore Lincs. Crashed Woolley Bridge nr Glossop DE.
4. T5673. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Overshot night ldg at base, swung and hit tree.
5. N3824. Magister I of 5 EFTS Meir, Staffs. Crashed 6 m N of Rugby (nr Lutterworth LE?)
6. P1276. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. EF on $t / o \mathrm{fm}$ base, crash-landed in camp.
7. R5039. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Lost, stalled, F/L and hit ditch at Waltham on the Wolds L LE.
8. P9068. Lysander II of 7 AACU Castle Bromwich Warks. F/L in bad weather and u/c collapsed, Warsop Vale NT.
9. R1137. Wellington Ic of SFP Hatfield, Herts. EF, belly-landed and hit hedge at Earl's Barton NR.
10. P6636. Battle Trainer of 12 SFTS Grantham, Lincs. Lost and engine lost power on approach to F/L at Cossington LE.
X3154. Hampden I of 106 Sqn Finningley, Yorks. Flew into high ground at night in bad visibility at South Rushup Edge 0.5 m S of Barber Booth DE. 4k.
11. L4896. Blenheim IV of 17 OTU Upwood, Hunts. Hit HT cables 0.5 m SW of Foxton LE. 4 k .
12. N4575. Oxford I of 2 SFTS Brize Norton, Oxon. Hit wires on overshoot fm attempted F/L and caught fire at Chipping Warden NR.

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January
08. R5195. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. EF in bad weather, stalled whilst F/L at Nailstone LE.
10. L7958. Anson I of 12 SFTS Grantham, Lincs. Hit hedge and crashed 3m NE of Corby NR.
14. N3563. Blenheim IV of 13 OTU satellite Hinton-in-the-Hedges. Damaged u/c ldg, made for Bicester main base but crash-landed at Whitfield NR.
N6703. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Collided with N6662(survived) over base.
15. P1241. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. EF, F/L Barrow RU. .
16. P3813. Hurricane I of 151 Sqn Wittering. Abandoned out of fuel at night, crashed nr Mkt Harborough LE.

## February

2. R1923. Magister I of Polish EFTS Hucknall. Collided with R1921 (survived) taxying at base.
3. U5+AR. Dornier Do17Z of 7/KG2 Cambrai. Shot down by Defiant at Cowthick Lodge, Weldon NR. 3k.
4. N9765. Anson I of 6 SFTS Little Rissington, Glos. Flew into ground in fog at night at Newbottle NR.

R1014. Wellington Ic of 304 (Polish)Sqn Syerston. Crashed after t/o fm base at Bleasby NT. 4 k .
Z8491. Wellington II of 12 Sqn Binbrook, Lincs. Crashed at night, White Edge Moor E of Froggatt DE on return from Nurnburg.
08. W5365. Wellington II of 12 Sqn Binbrook, Lincs. Stalled and dived in on approach to Tollerton at Cotgrave NT. 7 k .
09. P1342. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Stalled on approach to base and belly-landed.

## February 1941 cont

12. L7811. Wellington IC of 149 Sqn Mildenhall Suffolk. Abandoned in bad weather on return fm Hannover, crashed Conksbury nr Bakewell DE.
P1316. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Heater caught fire on ground Saltby.
T9748. Magister I of 151 Sqn Wittering. Overshot ldg base into ditch.
13. N3388. Defiant I of 151 Sqn Wittering. Abandoned out of fuel nr Waltham on the Wolds LE.

P1292. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Crashed due to snow and sludge on t/o fm base and hit hedge.
25. L4276. Wellington Ic of 11 OTU Bassingbourn, Cambs. Lost control, stalled and spun in at Newnham NR. 5k.
26. V7073. Hurricane I of 308(Polish)Sqn Baginton, Warwicks. Dived in from cloud, Cottesbrooke NR. 1k.
27. R5957. Oxford I of 14 SFTS Cranfield, Beds. Turned after t/o fm Sibson and crashed at Nassington NR.
March
02. T9749. Magister I of 25 Sqn Wittering. EF during aerobatics, crashed nr base.
03. P1283. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Crashed on t/o fm base and hit paint store.
04. N1794. Defiant I of 151 Sqn Wittering. Broke-up in the air, crashed Ketton RU. 2k.
05. N9334. Tiger Moth II of 17 EFTS Nth Luffenham. Stalled F/L in bad weather and o/t Rolleston LE.

V5562. Blenheim IV of 17 OTU Upwood, Hunts. Props in coarse pitch on t/o fm Polebrook, bellylanded.
08. L6692. Blenheim I of 17 OTU Upwood, Hunts. Crashed on t/o fm Polebrook.

V7234. Hurricane I of 151 Sqn Martlesham Heath Suffolk. EF, belly-landed in Burghley Park NR.
X4347. Spitfire Ia of 266 Sqn Wittering. Hit tree and crashed Wothorpe NR.
14. R2255. Beaufighter If of 25 Sqn Wittering. Destroyed in air raid on base.
16. P1213. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Lost control in turn after t/o fm base, crashed Thisleton RU.
20. L7278. Manchester I of 207 Sqn Waddington, Lincs. EF after t/o for Lorient crashed Wymondham LE. 4 k .
21. R1452. Wellington IC of 103 Sqn Newton. Hit obstruction ldg at base on return fm Lorient.

AD745. Hampden I of 144 Sqn Hemswell, Lincs. Hit balloon cable, abandoned in bad weather on return fm mine-laying, Stanwick NR.
22. R2206. Beaufighter If of 25 Sqn Wittering. Overshot night ldg at base and hit hedge.
25. T8324. Master I of 5 SFTS Ternhill, Salop. Flew into high ground in mist nr Hathersage DE.
27. T5602. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Stalled and spun in at Braunstone RLG. 1k.
28. Z6477. Whitley V of 10 Sqn Leeming, Yorks. Abandoned on return fm Dusseldorf because of EF over Pickworth, crashed nr Cottesmore.
30. N4910. Anson I of 12 SFTS Grantham, Lincs. Hit tree low-flying 1 m N of Ram Jam Inn on the A1 nr Stretton RU.
31. N9119. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Stalled ldg at base and cartwheeled.

P2062. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Crashed on approach to Woolfox Lodge. 4k.
R6082. Oxford I of RAFC SFTS Cranwell, Lincs. Lost on navex, overshot F/L and hit HT cables Morton DE.
W5612. Wellington Ic of 103 Sqn Newton. Attacked by intruder whilst ldg at base on return fm Brest, C/L nr base.
April
03. X7541. Beaufighter If of 25 Sqn Wittering. Spun in on night approach to base, Burghley Park NR.
05. N5078. Anson I of 15 OTU Harwell Ox. Caught by search light, Verey fired inside cabin, fire, crashed 12 m N of Banbury (in Northants). 9 k .
08. T5691. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Abandoned in spin and crashed in Bradgate Park, Newtown Linford, LE.
G1+DL. Heinkel He111P of 3/KG55 GAF Villacoublay Fr. Shot down by night-fighter Roe's Rest Farm, Desford.
09. R4+CM.Junkers Ju88A of 4/NJG2 GAF Leeuwarden Holl. Shot down by Beaufighter, abandoned and crashed Langham RU. 1k
10. AD830. Hampden I of 50 Sqn Lindholme Yorks. Hit tree low-flying and crashed on houses Evington, Leicester. $4 \mathrm{k}+1$ civilian.
G1+AT. Heinkel He111P of 9/KG55 GAF Villacoublay Fr. Shot down by Hurricane night-fighter Rothwell Lodge NR.
$12 / 13$. N1766. Defiant I of 96 Sqn, Cranage, Cheshire. Lost at night, abandoned and crashed Rowlee Pastures 3.5 m N of Nether Booth DE.

## April 1941 cont

15. L4892. Blenheim IV of 17 OTU Upwood, Hunts. Lost power, belly-landed and hit hedge 1.5 m E of Polebrook.
R1212. Wellington Ic of 304(Polish)Sqn Syerston. Lost control ldg in strong wind, crashed Flintham Woods nr base. 3k.
W7982. Reliant I of 1 Camouflage U Hendon, Middlesex. EF, crashed 1m NNW of Brassington DE.
16. T4332. Whitley V of 77 Sqn Topcliffe, Yorks. EF, crash-landed Edwinstowe NT.

T5367. Tiger Moth II of 13 EFTS Peterborough. EF during spin, abandoned Longthorpe NR.
P6992. Whirlwind I of 263 Sqn Filton, Glos. LE slats came off, crashed Burghley Park NR.
22. N9643. Anson I of 6 SFTS Little Rissington, Glos. Dived in fm cloud 0.5 m N of Gayton church NR.
24. K4814. Tutor I of 2 CFS Cranwell, Lincs. Lost height in turn and hit tree, Langford Moor, Coddington NT. 2k.
May
04. P4307. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. EF on t/o fm base, swung and hit Hampden P4312 (repaired).
05. T1028. Oxford I of 1(Polish)FTS Hucknall. Swung on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm}$ base and hit pile of concrete.
08. Z2890. Hurricane IIa of 151 Sqn Wittering. Destroyed in air raid on base.

A1+BA.Heinkel He111H of St/KG53 GAF Villacoublay Fr. Shot down by night-fighter, crashed in river Scrooby NT.
10. R2263. Beaufighter If of 25 Sqn Wittering. U/c jammed up, crashed ldg at base.
12. BB695. Tiger Moth of 6 EFTS Sywell. Undershot ldg at base and stalled.
16. T5609. Tiger Moth II of 1(Polish)FTS Hucknall. Abandoned in spin Dibbet Vale, Papplewick NT.
17. L6047. Hereford I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Engine fire, belly-landed nr base.

R2156. Beaufighter If of 25 Sqn Wittering. Damaged by return fire, crashed on ldg at base.
18. L8675. Blenheim If of 68 Sqn High Ercall, Salop. Spun in 1.5 m S of Ruddington NT.

R2209. Beaufighter If of 25 Sqn Wittering. Undershot and hit wall and hedge on approach to base.
20. W5712. Wellington Ic of 37 MU Burtonwood, Lancs. Dived in nr Arthingworth NR.
21. N3787. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Spun in on approach to base.
28. R1044. Wellington Ic of 150 Sqn Newton. Flew into high ground in cloud, Colborough Hill, Halstead LE on return fm Boulogne. 5k.
29. R1957. Magister I of 5 EFTS Meir, Staffs. F/L in bad weather and crashed on t/o nr Ashby de la Zouch LE.

## June 1941

1. K3266. Tutor I of RAFC SFTS Cranwell, Lincs. Crashed 1.5 m S of Houghton on the Hill LE (nr Little Stretton?)
2. X9318. Tiger Moth II of 150 Sqn Newton. Hit tree low-flying and dived in Colston Hall, Car Colston NT.
Z2746. Hurricane IIa of 79 Sqn Pembrey, Sth Wales. Abandoned out of fuel nr Belton LE.
3. K5248. Audax I of 1 SFTS Netheravon, Wilts. EF, o/s F/L and hit house at Isham NR.
4. P6686. Battle Trainer of 12 SFTS Grantham, Lincs. Flew into high ground 2 m N of Melton Mowbray LE (nr Scalford?)
5. [R1017. Wellington Ic of 305(Polish)Sqn Syerston. Collided with below over Elston NT and lost tail.
[ 6k.
[N/K Oxford of 2 SFTS Little Rissington Glos (maybe repaired?) Collided with above. 1 k .
6. N9517. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Stalled and spun in 1 m S of Wilby NR.

R1708. Wellington Ic of 25 OTU Finningley Yorks. SD by intruder nr Misson NT. 6k.
14. L6726. Blenheim If of 25 Sqn Wittering. SB flaps failed, crashed on approach to base at Barnack NR.
15. R6153. Oxford I of 15 SFTS Kidlington, Oxon. Lost, crash-landed on Grafton Underwood airfield site, hit pile of rubble and went into ditch.
17. P2088. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Stalled and crashed on night approach to base 1 m NE. 2k.
18. P1211. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Yawed on approach to base and dived in. 2 k .
19. P1210. Hampden I of 16 OTU Upper Heyford, Oxon. EF, tried to land at Balderton but overshot and crashed nr the Hall, caught fire. 2k.
R5031. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Controls jammed, abandoned and crashed Ellistown LE.
21. P4316. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Crashed 1 m SE of after $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ base, Cottesmore village. 3k.
22. L7314. Manchester I of 207 Sqn Wadding ton, Lincs. Shot down by 25 Sqn Beaufighter from Wittering en route Boulogne, crashed Lovetts Fm SE of Wollaston NR. 7k.
23. R1026. Wellington Ic of 301 (Polish)Sqn Swinderby, Lincs. SBE propeller fell off, hit tree and crashed on return fm Bremen, Winkburn NT. 2k.
R5020. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. O/s F/L and hit trees 4 m E of Lutterworth LE (nr Husband's Bosworth?).

## June 1941 cont

24. P6630. Battle Trainer of 16(Polish)FTS Hucknall. Crashed during practice F/L at Hockerton NT.

24/25. 5J+CD. He 111H of StIII/KG4 GAF Leeuwarden Holland. SD by Beaufighter at Limes Fm, Lullington, DE.
25. L9691. Oxford I of 11 SFTS Shawbury, Salop. EF, overshot F/L on golf course and belly-landed in Minden Drive, Leicester.
29. P1148. Hampden I of 16 OTU Upper Heyford, Oxon. Abandoned in bad weather crashed Heath Farm, Croughton.
July 1941
03. Z5870. Blenheim IV of 12 Gp AACFlt Digby, Lincs. Flew into high ground Lee Farm, Crowden Tower, 2 m N of Edale DE. 4 k .
AN528. Fortress I of 90 Sqn Polebrook. Engine fire on dispersal, base.
04. N6623. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Bounced ldg, swung into hedge and o/t at Denton RLG.
08. T4629. Beaufighter If of 25 Sqn Wittering. Stalled during mock attack on tank at base.

Z6038. Blenheim IVf of 500 Sqn Bircham Newton, Norfolk. Overshot ldg at Desford and hit gun emplacement. 2k.
15. L6768. Blenheim I of 13 OTU satellite Hinton-in-the-Hedges. U/s and hit trees on night approach to base.
N6033. Stirling I of 7 Sqn Oakington Cambs. Flak damage over Hannover, out of fuel and abandoned, crashed in Gold St Northampton. 1k.
[P1289. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Hit the below (which was taking off) whilst ldg at base [ without permission.
[R3386. Anson I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Hit the above.
17. P1278. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Engine fire on t/o, crashed 1 m SE of base. 2 k .
18. N2840. Wellington Ic of 304(Polish)Sqn Syerston. Shot down by intruder on return fm Rotterdam, crashed Cowtham House Farm, Balderton. 6k.
22. P5305. Hampden I of 16 OTU Upper Heyford, Oxon. Undershot night ldg Croughton.

T5810. Tiger Moth II of 17 EFTS Peterborough. Crashed 4 m fm base, possibly in Hunts/Cambs.
23. L4806. Lysander II of 12 Gp AAC Flt Digby, Lincs. EF, hit tree and crashed nr Leicester.
24. T5564. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Stalled and spun in after t/o fm Braunstone RLG.
26. L7699. Swordfish I of Station Flt Gosport, Hants. Crashed nr East Retford NT.
28. AN534. Fortress I of 90 Sqn Polebrook. Starboard wing came off in turbulence, crashed nr Wilbarston NR. 7k.
30. T7225. Tiger Moth II of $25(\mathrm{P})$ EFTS Hucknall. Crashed 8 m N of Nuneaton ( nr Bilstone LE?)
31. L6680. Blenheim I of 13 OTU Bicester, Oxon. Collided with a Wellington ldg at Chipping Warden.
W5719. Wellington Ic of 150 Sqn Snaith, Yorks. Turned back fm Koln due to bad weather and hit high ground at Upper Tor nr Edale DE. 5k.

## August 1941

1. P2129. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Flare ignited on night approach, crashed 1 m SE of base.
2. T7350. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Hit tree low-flying at Thornton LE.
3. X3177. Wellington Ic of 25 OTU Finningley, Yorks. Crashed at night 3 m SW of Bawtry (nr Blyth NT?). 6k.
4. X2916. Hampden I of 25 OTU Finningley, Yorks. Crashed after losing control at night on bombing range, 2 m SW of Misson range NT. 4k.
5. X2970. Hampden I of 25 OTU satellite Balderton. Stalled on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm}$ base.
6. N9256. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Hit tree low-flying in bad weather, Mkt Bosworth LE.

P6811. Oxford II of RAFC SFTS Cranwell, Lincs. Flew into radio mast at Daventry NR. 1k.
T9693. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Crashed ldg at base.
16. T7242. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Overturned ldg at base.

W9193. Hurricane I of 56 OTU Sutton Bridge, Lincs. Dived in and caught fire 6 m E of Ketton RU (nr Barnack NR?).
X2959. Hampden I of 25 OTU satellite Balderton. Undershot night ldg and hit council houses in London Rd, New Balderton. $2 \mathrm{k}+6$ civilians.
17. L1181. Blenheim I of 13 OTU satellite Hinton-in-the-Hedges. Lost, abandoned at night out of fuel, crashed 1 m S of Finedon NR.
W5532. Wellington II of 104 Sqn Driffield, Yorks. Crashed on return fm Koln at Sth Leverton NT. 6k.
W8570. Master III of 5 SFTS Ternhill, Salop. Lost in bad weather, F/L and o/t at Ashbourne DE.
18. R2093. Beaufighter IF of 25 Sqn Wittering. Hit Defiant (repaired) on t/o fm base.

L4048. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Stalled and crashed nr Barrow RU. 5k.

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20. N4608. Oxford I of 16(Polish)FTS Newton. Undershot and hit trees on approach to base.
[AE138. Hampden I of 16 OTU satellite Croughton. Hit by below whilst taxying at night. 2k
[AE147. Hampden I of 16 OTU satellite Croughton. Hit above whilst t/o fm base.
21. BB866. Tiger Moth of 7 EFTS Desford. Stalled on approach and spun in at Braunstone RLG.
22. X9626. Wellington Ic of 25 OTU satellite Balderton. Lost, overshot night ldg at Newton and hit bomb dump.
23. K6117. Tutor I of RAF College Cranwell Lincs. Crashed at Coddington NT.

AE221. Hampden I of 25 OTU satellite Balderton. Hit birds on t/o fm base, EF and crashed.
25. N6603. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. EF, hit cables F/L and dived in Barton-in-the-Beans LE.

X7570. Beaufighter If of 25 Sqn Wittering. Hit tree on t/o fm base.
27. L6908. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Lost, hit tree F/L Chapel-en-le-Frith DE.
29. N3378. Defiant I of 255 Sqn Hibaldstow, Lincs. Flew into high ground in cloud at Bleaklow Stones 4m ENE of Glossop DE. 2k.
P4412. Hampden I of 25 OTU Finningley Yorks. Lost control and C/L at Balderton.
30. AV986. Leopard Moth of 1 FPP White Waltham, Berks. F/L at Rushup Edge 0.5 m S of Barber Booth DE, blown into wall on t/o and $u / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed.
31. N5074. Anson I of 16 OTU satellite Croughton. Hit by enemy cannon fire on approach to base, crashlanded. 1k.
P8471. Spitfire IIb of 266 Sqn Martlesham Heath, Suffolk. Hit hangar on t/o fm Collyweston.

## September 1941

2. V3210. Oxford 1 of 2 SFTS Brize Norton, Oxon. Flew into high ground in fog, Cowburn Moor nr Chapel-en-le-Frith DE.
3. N3828. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Stalled and hit tree on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ base, crashed in sewage farm.

X2919. Hampden I of 50 Sqn Swinderby, Lincs. Crash-landed on return fm Berlin between Wittering and Wansford NR. 0k.
Z6648. Whitley V of 77 Sqn Topcliffe, Yorks. Crash-landed short of fuel in fog on return fm Frankfurt, Chellaston DE. 0k.
05. W5708. Wellington Ic of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Crashed on overshoot in fog at base. 4 k .
06. T7224. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Crashed on t/o fm practice F/L Wistow Park LE.
07. AE304. Hampden I of 144 Sqn Nth Luffenham. Crashed after t/o for Berlin, on EmpinghamKetton road. 4k.
09. N3986. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Crashed 1 m N of Sutton on the Hill DE.
10. P1087. Oxford II of 16(P)FTS Newton. Wing hit ground avoiding a Battle ldg side-by-side at base.
12. [P1301. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Collided with below in circuit at night, base. 4 k .
[P4303. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Collided with above. 4k.
[T6432. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Collided with below nr base. 2k.
[V3980. Oxford I of 15 SFTS Kidlington, Oxon. Collided with above. 2k.
AE118. Hampden I of 144 Sqn Nth Luffenham. Crashed on return fm Rostock at Barn Farm Illston-on-the-Hill LE.
AE121. Hampden I of 144 Sqn Nth Luffenham. Crash-landed nr Isolation Camp, Empingham RU on return fm Rostock, 2k.
13. P1184. Hampden I of 16 OTU satellite Croughton. Undershot night ldg and hit tree at base.
16. P4302. Hampden I of 25 OTU satellite Balderton. Stalled on night overshoot at base. 1k.
17. N6595. Tiger Moth II of 17 EFTS Peterborough. Lost wing and abandoned, crashed Willesdon Ave, Peterborough.
T8239. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Crashed Nunnery Farm, Leicester.
19. T5416. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Hit obstruction ldg at Braunstone RLG.
20. X3030. Hampden I of 144 Sqn Nth Luffenham. Crashed on approach to base return fm Frankfurt, hit HT cables 2 m SW on Morcott-Uppingham road. 4 k .
X9922. Wellington Ic of 101 Sqn Oakington, Cambs. Crashed into trees on return fm Ostend, Preston Deanery NR. 5k.
22. R1233. Wellington Ic of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. EF, prop came off and sliced fuselage, crashlanded nr Aston-le-Walls NR. 0k.
25. T8685. Master I of 5 SFTS Ternhill, Salop. Lost in bad weather, o/s F/L and hit house 0.5 m N of Denby church DE.
26. P9226. Wellington Ia of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Overshot night ldg at base. Hit 24 hrs later by below.
27. X9621. Wellington Ic of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Hit wreckage of above ldg at base.
28. P1194. Hampden I of 25 OTU satellite Balderton. EF on t/o fm base crashed nearby.
29. R3216. Wellington Ic of 18 OTU Bitteswell. Stalled, bounced and swung on return to base. 7 k

## October 1941

1. N9147. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Bounced ldg at base, swung and tipped-up.

N9460. Tiger Moth II of 17 EFTS Peterborough. Abandoned in spin and crashed Witton's Farm, Flag Fen, Fengate NR.
AE222. Hampden I of 16 OTU satellite Croughton. EF on night t/o, F/L nr base. 0k.
02. Z5058. Hurricane IIB of 121(Eagle) Sqn Digby, Lincs. Lost at night, abandoned, and crashed at Bretby, DE.
AB691. Oxford II of 12 SFTS Grantham, Lincs. Lost in bad weather, overshot F/L and hit tree, crashed Weir Mill Farm, Linby NT.
07. V5762. Blenheim IV of 42 OTU Andover, Hants. Hit trees in fog Tebbs Farm, Flag Fen House, Fengate NR.
10. X9928. Wellington Ic of 25 OTU satellite Balderton. Hit poles on t/o fm base and crashed at Staple Farm, Hawton NT. 1k.
BB853. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Swung ldg and hit hut at base.
12. N5417. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. EF, stalled and spun in at Broken Flats Farm nr Repton DE.

X7620. Beaufighter If of 25 Sqn Wittering. Stalled fm turn on approach at Pilsgate NR.
14. L5959. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Crashed on approach to base.

P1227. Hampden I of 16 OTU satellite Croughton. Landed downwind at night and swung off runway.
16. T3921. Defiant I of 96 Sqn Cranage, Ches. Flew into high ground at night, Shining Tor 3 mW of Burbage DE 2k.
20. R1037. Wellington Ic of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Crashed into village on night overshoot, base. 2k.
21. AB653. Oxford II of 12 SFTS Grantham. Hit tree on night o/s at Denton
22. V6955. Hurricane I of MSFU Speke, Lancs. EF, crashed Gt Oxendon NR.
23. L1305. Blenheim I of 17 OTU Upwood, Hunts. Lost, F/L on Chelveston airfield site.

L8079. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Bounced ldg and stalled at base.
R1138. Wellington Ic of 18 OTU Bitteswell. Hit trees at night Ullesthorpe LE.
24. P4301. Hampden I of 16 OTU satellite Croughton. Hit trees at night Charlton NR. 4k.

R1071. Wellington Ic of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Very low on night approach to base, turned steeply into hangar. 1k.
V6004. Blenheim IV of 17 OTU Upwood, Hunts. EF due to faulty switching of tanks, crashed F/L at Grafton Underwood airfield site NR. 2k.
25. AE184. Hampden I of 50 Sqn Skellingthorpe, Lincs. Overshot ldg in bad weather nr Ratcliffe on the Wreake LE .
28. N9313. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. EF on t/o fm base, stalled and crashed.

N9214. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Crashed at base.

## November

2. Z5947. Blenheim IV of 17 OTU Upwood, Hunts. Iced-up, lost control in cloud, dived in East Leake NT. 3k.
3. T5381. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. EF, hit tree after t/o and crashed Scaldwell NR.
4. N3820. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Dived in during aeros at Milton DE.
5. P1225. Hampden I of 16 OTU satellite Croughton. Lost in fog, heavy night ldg at base, caught fire.

P9044. Oxford I of RAFC SFTS Cranwell, Lincs. Lost, stalled F/L at Wigsley NT.
Z5810. Blenheim IV of 13 OTU Bicester, Oxon. EF belly-landed nr Blisworth NR.
AE311. Hampden I of 144 Sqn Nth Luffenham. Swung ldg at base on return fm Hamburg, hit control caravan. 2 groundcrew k.
11. L4035. Hampden I of 16 OTU satellite Croughton. Climbed steeply on t/o fm base, stalled and caught fire. 3 k .
Z5800. Blenheim IV of 13 OTU Bicester Oxon. EF, hit tree and broke-up 3 m W of Hinton-in-theHedges NR.
12. AA428. Defiant II of 151 Sqn Wittering. Stalled on approach, bounced and overturned at base.
16. R6129. Oxford I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Abandoned in bad weather, crashed nr Retford NT.

T6572. Tiger Moth II of 9 EFTS Ansty, Warwicks. Spun in avoiding HT cable, Stanion Lane Pit, Corby NR.
V3512. Oxford I of RAFC SFTS Cranwell, Lincs. Flew into hill in bad visibility Shepshed LE.
18. L7428. Manchester I of 25 OTU Finningley. EF crashed at night Scaftworth NT. 3k.

22 P7560. Spitfire IIa of 131 Sqn Atcham, Salop. Abandoned in spin from cloud, crashed Dale Head farm Harpur Hill DE.
T8390. Master I of 9 SFTS Hullavington, Wilts. EF, tipped up F/L at Illston-on-the-Hill LE.
25. L6761. Blenheim I of 51 OTU Cranfield, Beds. Lost in bad weather, crashed at night 1 m SE of Wakerley NR.
R7407. Battle Trainer of 16(P)FTS Newton. Collision at Newton.
T5675. Tiger Moth II of 17 EFTS Peterborough. Spun in nr base.

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27. P1155. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Crashed after t/o 0.5 m NW of Buckminster LE. 4 k . December
28. [N6968. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Collided with below at night, crashed 0.5 m NE of Piddington
[ station NR. 2k.
[X9799. Wellington Ic of 15 OTU Harwell, Berks. Colllided with above. 8k.
T9823. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Flew into high ground Hallfield Farm, Atlow DE. 1k.
29. L5964. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Lost wing during aeros, crashed in Trent at Walton-onTrent DE.
P2112. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Stalled on approach to base in bad weather.
30. P1168. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Stalled in turn at night and dived in 4 m S of base ( nr Sewstern Grange?) 2k.
X7580. Beaufighter If of 25 Sqn Wittering. Stalled on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ base and dived in.
31. W5103. Botha I of 5 FPP Hatfield, Herts. Lost in cloud, crashed Bleaklow Meadows 4m ENE of Glossop DE. 1 k .
32. R4902. Tiger Moth II of 19 EFTS Sealand, Nth Wales. Spun in Hamilton Grounds, Scraptoft LE.
33. X2992. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Lost control asymmetric practice, crashed Blue Point Farm 2.5 m N of base. 2 k .
34. P2076. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Throttle lever broke, undershot ldg at night base.
35. BB811. Tiger Moth of 20 EFTS Yeadon, Yorks. Lost, $\mathrm{o} / \mathrm{s}$ F/L and hit wall 2 m SE of Matlock DE.
36. L9522. Halifax I of 28 CVFlt Leconfield, Yorks. Flew into ground in mist, Terrace Hills, Knipton LE. 8k.
37. L6096. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Stalled after $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$ and spun in 1 m S of base. 2 k .

W5374. Wellington II of 305 (Polish)Sqn Lindholme, Yorks. Crashed at Sibbertoft NR on return fm Koln. 6k.
26. P1842. Oxford II of 2 SFTS Brize Norton, Oxon. Crashed F/L nr Stoney Stanton LE.

## 1942

January

1. L4212. Wellington DWI of RAE Farnborough, Hants. F/L in bad weather and u/c collapsed, Edwinstowe NT.
2. N7802. Master I of 5 SFTS Ternhill, Salop. Lost, out of fuel, F/L and tipped-up at Short Heath DE.
3. W5514. Wellington II of 12 Sqn Binbrook, Lincs. Lost, out of fuel, hit HT cables and a lorry on approach to Ashbourne airfield site on return fm Brest, crash-landed Moor Close. 1k.
4. AD752. Hampden I of 144 Sqn Nth Luffenham. Crashed at night, Duddington NR. 2k.
5. R6882. Spitfire Va of 609 Sqn Digby, Lincs. Broke-up in the air, abandoned and crashed 2.5 m N of East Stoke NT (nr Staythorpe?)
6. Z1265. Wellington IV of 300 (Polish)Sqn Hemswell, Lincs. Severe icing and bad visibility on return fm Hamburg, crashed Clipston NT. 6k.
7. R1340. Wellington Ic of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. EF on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ base, stalled and hit tree. 3 k .
8. X9931. Wellington Ic of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Crashed in base circuit at night, Redhill Wood. .
9. AE381. Hampden I of 50 Sqn Skellingthorpe, Lincs. Crashed into Cluther Rocks on Kinder Scout nr Farlands Booth DE in bad weather trying to land at Ringway, Manchester. 4k.
10. AT142. Hampden I of 50 Sqn Skellingthorpe, Lincs. Crashed on approach to Cottesmore on return fm Munster, Exton RU. 4k.
11. AD782. Hampden I of 408(Canadian)Sqn Nth Luffenham. Stalled and crashed after t/o for Brest. 4 k .
12. X9607. Wellington Ic of 25 OTU Finningley, Yorks. Severe icing, lost power and crashed at Draughton crossing NR.
AD765. Hampden I of 144 Sqn Nth Luffenham. Swung on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$ fm base and $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed. 1 k .
13. [T5630. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Collided with below on t/o fm Denton RLG.
[T6396. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Collided with above.
14. V9433. Lysander III of 7 AACU Castle Bromwich, Warwicks. Pilot overcome by fumes, o/s F/L and crashed at Knighton, Leicester.

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6. L6809. Blenheim I of 13 OTU satellite Hinton-in-the-Hedges. Hit tree just after t/o Farthinghoe NR.1k.
7. X2989. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Control lost in circuit at base.
8. N3797. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. U/c collapsed ldg at base.
9. R4919. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. EF, stalled and crashed Annesley Park NT.
10. P1316. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Faulty heater lamp, caught fire on ground.

P2081. Hampden I of 16 OTU Upper Heyford, Oxon. Hit trees Edgecote Park on night approach to Chipping Warden. 2k.
R1027. Wellington Ic of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Hit trees on night overshoot at base. 5 k .

## February 1942 cont

17. AD832. Hampden I of 144 Sqn Nth Luffenham. EF, crash-landed Bulwick NR .
18. K7109. Blenheim I of 13 OTU satellite Hinton-in-the-Hedges. EF on approach to base.
19. X7065. Oxford II of 14 PAFU Ossington. Hit Wellington Z1255 (repaired) ldg at base.
20. N1616. Defiant I of CGS Sutton Bridge, Lincs. EF, belly-landed at Chelveston NR.

N9065. Hampden I of 16 OTU satellite Croughton. Heavy ldg at base, caught fire..

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4. L6804. Blenheim I of 17 OTU Upwood, Hunts. EF in bad weather, abandoned and crashed nr Colston Basset NT, caught fire.
AD860. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Caught fire on ground, fault in heater system.
5. L4110. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Dived in at night 2 m NW of base nr Croxton Kerrial LE. 2k.
P8971. Oxford II of 14 PAFU Ossington. EF on approach, belly-landed 1.5 m E of base.
6. AD842. Hampden I of 408 Sqn Nth Luffenham. Stalled and crashed just after t/o for mine laying. 3k.
7. P2085. Hampden I of 455(Australian)Sqn Wigsley. Landed on SB wheel on return fm Essen, swerved off runway.
8. P5326. Hampden I of 455(Australian)Sqn Wigsley. EF after t/o fm base, banked into ground. 1k.
9. R3607. Blenheim IV of 13 OTU Bicester, Oxon. Lost in bad weather, crashed F/L at Old Hayes Farm, Ratby LE.
T7220. Tiger Moth II of 25(P)EFTS Hucknall. Stalled on approach to base, crashed Blidworth NT.
10. L7395. Manchester I of 61 Sqn Woolfox Lodge. Returned early fm Essen with mechanical problems, abandoned and crashed Thornhaugh NR.
11. N3053. Spitfire Vb of Rolls-Royce Hucknall. Crashed on t/o fm base.

BL345. Spitfire Vb of 616 Sqn Kings Cliffe. Crashed ldg at base.
16. AD988. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Dived in on approach at Thisleton RU. 4k.

BL331. Spitfire Vb of 616 Sqn Kings Cliffe. DBR ground collision at Wittering.
17. AD749. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Crashed attempting night ldg in bad weather at Newton.
23. P6805. Oxford II of 14 PAFU Ossington. Crashed at Laneham NT.
25. P1197. Hampden I of 16 OTU satellite Croughton. Hit hut overshooting ldg at base.

P1298. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Tried to overshoot at base, hit lorry and crashed.
P2437. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Dived in nr Derby.
26. P1221. Hampden I of 16 OTU Upper Heyford, Oxon. Flew into ground at night Barnwell,NR. 4k.
27. L4108. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Dived in at night in bad visibility nr base. 2k.

AX107. Anson I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Caught fire in refueling accident on the ground at base.
28. R2197. Beaufighter If of 25 Sqn Wittering. Ef on o/s, stalled and u/c collapsed at base.
31. N3964. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. EF, hit house on night approach to base.

April

1. R2056. Beaufighter If of 25 Sqn Wittering. Collided with Blenheim and crashed Thorpe Waterville NR [T1828. Blenheim IV of 105 Sqn Swanton Morley, Norfolk. Collided with below and crashed nr [ Titchmarsh NR. 1k.
[T2056. Blenheim IV of 105 Sqn. Collided with above, crashed Thorpe Waterville NR.
2. AX910. Havoc I of 1453 Flt Wittering. Stalled and spun during mock attack by Spitfire at Aldwinckle St Peters NR.
3. N3903. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. U/s ldg, hit tree and C/L approach to base.
4. N3849. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Hit by L8333 (repaired) waiting to t/o fm base.
5. R5498. Lancaster I of 207 Sqn Bottesford. 2xEF on night approach to base.

DD821. Puss Moth of ATA. Tipped-up taxying at Tollerton and later hit by Master W8762 (survived).
11. AT186. Hampden I of 408 (Canadian)Sqn Balderton. EF, crashed at Clifton Pastures, Beeston NT.
12. AT155. Hampden I of 144 Sqn Nth Luffenham. Stalled and dived in at Ridlington RU. 2k.
13. AD543. Spitfire Vb of 616 Sqn Kings Cliffe. Flew into the groundduring aeros nr Wansford. 1k.
14. T6826. Tiger Moth II of 17 EFTS Peterborough. Abandoned in spin 2 m S of Wittering.
15. W8725. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Stalled and dived in at Burrows Farm, Clifton NT.
16. [T7185. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Collided with below and crashed at Blidworth NT.
[T7972. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Collided with above.
P1247. Hampden I of 16 OTU satellite Croughton. Overshot night ldg at base and stalled. 1k.
19. AS902. Oxford II of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Hit high ground at night at Stone House, Cold Overton LE. 1 k .
23. L7549. Lancaster I of 44 CFlt Waddington, Lincs. EF, F/L nr Ashwell RU.

AL549. Liberator II of 1653 HCU Polebrook. Lost brakes taxying and ran into ditch at base.
24. R7654. Typhoon Ia of 266 Sqn Duxford, Cambs. Dived in out of cloud, Great Casterton RU.

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R5545. Lancaster I of 61 Sqn Woolfox Lodge. Overshot ldg and hit wall, Nth Luffenham.

## May 1942 cont

2. L9206. Blenheim IV of 13 OTU Bicester, Oxon. Dived in 3 m E of Billesdon LE (nr Tugby Wood). 3k.
P1277. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Overshot night ldg at base. 0k.
Z3646. Hurricane IIB of 486(NZ) Sqn Wittering. Lost power and belly-landed at night, Collyweston.
3. T7742. Tiger Moth II of 25 PEFTS Hucknall. Hit HT cables low flying nr Wood Close Fm Kneesall NT.
4. P1351. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Crashed after night t/o 2 m SW of base, nr Stonesby LE.
AE186. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Swung on t/o, u/c collapsed..
5. P6447. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Collided with P6373 (repaired) and crashed Hilton DE.

BG211. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. Dived in at night Darlton NT.
09. N6481. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Overshot and crashed at base.
15. K9961. Spitfire Ia of 6 FPP Ratcliffe. Crashed nr Leicester.

T6261. Tiger Moth II of 25(P)EFTS Hucknall. Out of fuel, crashed on approach to base.
AT479. Oxford I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Hit by Hampden P1185 (repaired) whilst taxying at base.
16. BG183. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. Night t/o from Langar with flaps down, crashed.
20. W1099. Halifax II of 102 Sqn Dalton, Yorks. Crashed on approach to Cottesmore, returning fm leaflet raid on France.
21. BG207. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. Flew into ground at night in low cloud, Hall Farm, Egmanton NT.
26. W8531. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Crashed King Street Lane, Clowne, DE.

June 1942
02. T2904. Wellington Ic of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. SB EF, crashed trying to land at night at base.
03. AB246. Spitfire VB of 616 Sqn Kings Cliffe. Tyre burst on t/o Wittering, overturned.

AS904. Oxford I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Spun in 0.5 m E of Greetham RU. 4k .
AT220. Hampden I of 408(Canadian)Sqn Balderton. Caught fire refueling on ground.
BT500. Hotspur II of AFEE detachment, Chelveston. Broke-up in a dive, crashed Denford NR.
04. W8443. Master III of 16(P)FTS Newton. Collided with W8476 (repaired) nr base.

Z9431. Whitley V of 297 Sqn Hurn, Hants. EF C/L at Irthlingborough NR.
06. AD980. Hampden I of 408(Canadian)Sqn Balderton. Lost control in turn just NE after t/o fm base.
08. AL381. Boston DB-7 of USAAF Molesworth, Hunts. Crashed nr Thrapston NR.
09. Z7283. Blenheim IV of 18 Sqn Wattisham Suffolk. EF at night, hit trees and houses at Houghton-on-the-Hill LE.
14. T1062. Oxford II of 12 PAFU Grantham, Lincs. EF, dived in 1.5 m E of Hinckley LE. 5 k .
16. N6088. Stirling I of 1651 HCU Waterbeach, Cambs. Engine fire, wing came off and crashed Barnby Moor NT. 8k.
AD787. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Swung on ldg at base and u/c collapsed.
17. L6774. Blenheim I of 13 OTU satellite Hinton-in-the-Hedges. Port engine fire, landed at base, swung, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed and fire spread to rest of aircraft.
18. AT223. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. EF on night approach, crashed nr base.
21. L8227. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Stalled on practice F/L Dalbury Lees DE.
22. T2548. Wellington Ic of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Crashed at night on return to base, Redhill NT. 3 k .
23. L8133. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Hit tree on overshoot at base.
27. DL605. Master III of 16(P)FTS Newton. Braked and o/t ldg at base.
28. N3892. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Hit tree low-flying nr base.

T7474. Tiger Moth II of 87 Sqn Charmy Down, Somerset. Crashed during aeros at East Carlton NR.
29. R3848. Blenheim IV of 13 OTU Bicester, Oxon. Lost power and crash-landed Brook Farm, Moorhouse NT.
DL604. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Hit tractor ldg at base.
30. AD802. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Spun in at night, Shelford NT. 4k.

July 1942
02. ED154. Oxford II of 14 PAFU Ossington. Structural failure, spun in 0.5 m S of Carlton-on-Trent NT.
05. L7496. Manchester IA of 1654 HCU Wigsley. EF on approach to base, o/s and C/L.

T6307. Tiger Moth II of 29 OTU Nth Luffenham. Crashed during aerobatics nr base.
AD766. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Yawed after t/o and crashed 2 mW of Skillington, Lincs (nr base?).
10. N6733. Tiger Moth II of 25(P)EFTS Hucknall. Lost, F/L and hit tree stump at Smalley DE.

## July 1942 cont

12. W5795. Wellington VI of A\&AEE Boscombe Down, Wilts. Propeller blade came off, penetrated pressure cabin and hit pilot, broke-up and dived in fm high altitude Stanley DE.
X2974. Hampden I of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Collided at night with Wellington Z8837 (repaired) and partially abandoned, crashed at East Stoke NT. 2k.
V3874. Oxford I of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Hit trees low-flying nr Gunthorpe NT.
13. BP858. Spitfire Vb of 485(New Zealand)Sqn Kings Cliffe. Swung ldg at base and collided with BM522 (survived).
DV700. Wellington Ic of 23 OTU Pershore, Woucs. EF, F/L at night 1 m N of Old NR. 2k.
14. DL562. Master III of 16(P)FTS Newton. U/c collapsed in heavy ldg at base.
15. R5891. Lancaster I of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Overshot ldg at base.
16. L6646. Blenheim I of 13 OTU Bicester, Oxon. Spun in on approach 1 m N of Croughton. 1k.

W8462. Master III of 16 PFTS Newton. Stalled and bounced ldg at base, o/s and u/c collapsed.
25. V3866. Oxford I of 16(P)FTS Newton. Spun in at night, Cropwell Bishop NT.
26. Z1750. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Engine lost power, crash-landed at Charwelton NR.
28. N4647. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. EF, hit water tower on approach to base.
29. AT113. Hampden I of 408(Canadian)Sqn Balderton. Dived in 1.5 m SE of base. 4 k .

August

1. P2129. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Flare ignited and set fire to bomb bay at night, crashed 1 m SE of base.
AB151. Spitfire Vb of 303(Polish)Sqn Kirton-in-Lindsey, Lincs. Crashed Eakring NT.
41-9024.Fortress B-17E of 97 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Brakes failed landing base, hit lorry on ground.. 1 k in lorry.
2. U5+AD. Dornier Do217E of StabIII/KG2 GAF Arnhem Holland. Shot down by Spitfire, Round House Farm, Cranford NR. 3k.
3. [L7385. Manchester I of 207 Sqn Bottesford. Crashed ldg at base and hit below. 2k.
[R5550. Lancaster I of 207 Sqn Bottesford. Hit by above. 3k.
L8333. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Hit by T9821 (survived) after ldg at base.
4. T7805. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Crashed on night overshoot at base.
5. DD821. Puss Moth of the ATA. Tipped up taxying at Tollerton and hit by another aircraft.
6. R9608. Anson I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Overshot night ldg into hedge at base.
7. R5863. Lancaster I of 207 Sqn Bottesford. Crashed on 3xengine overshoot, Normanton LE. 6k.

V9776. Lysander TTIIIa of 97 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Crashed ldg at Cottesmore.
DV881. Wellington Ic of 29 OTU Woolfox Lodge. Swung on night ldg and u/c collapsed, base.
22. V4164. Oxford I of 12 PAFU Grantham, Lincs. EF, crashed Wansford quarries NR.
26. BT790. Hotspur II of 1 GTS Croughton. Hit building on approach to base.
28. N7889. Master I of 7 AACU Castle Bromwich, Warwicks. Lost in bad weather, hit tree in circuit, Husbands Bosworth.
AE312. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Stalled and crashed at night, Thisleton RU. 4k.
BJ726. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. EF, F/L nr Braunston NR.
DV834. Wellington Ic of 29 OTU Nth Luffenham. Swung on t/o, stalled and crashed. 1k.
30. L7416. Manchester I of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Brakes failed, swung in crosswind and hit tree ldg at base.

## September 1942

1. L7298. Manchester I of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Inadvertently ran out of fuel on t/o, belly-landed 1 m E of base.
R1877. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Dived in at night nr Etwall DE.
T1002. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. Bounced ldg at base and hit hedge on overshoot.
T6267. Tiger Moth of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Crash-landed at base flown by non-pilot.
2. L4162. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Crashed at night nr Thistleton RU. 4k.
3. X8198. Beaufighter VIf of 409(Canadian)Sqn Coleby Grange, Lincs. EF, belly-landed at Wymeswold.
4. W1252. Halifax II of 78 Sqn Middleton St George, Yorks. Flak damage on Frankfurt raid, abandoned and crashed nr Abthorpe NR.
5. AE385. Hampden I of 408(Canadian)Sqn Balderton. Stalled after t/o and crashed 2 m NE of base. 2k.
6. R1459. Wellington Ic of 29 OTU Nth Luffenham. EF after t/o for Bremen, crashed nr Empingham RU.
AW151. Moth Minor of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Swung ldg at base and u/c collapsed.
7. AD845. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Crashed out of fuel 0.5 m W of Saltby on return fm Bremen.

HH376. Hotspur II of 1 GTS Croughton. Cast off fm tug on t/o and crash-landed base.
15. AD740. Hampden I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Hit hedge on night approach, stalled and crashed at base. 3k DL603. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Lost power, undershot ldg and C/L at Tollerton.

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19. W8530. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Hit tree low-flying at White House farm, Colston Bassett NT.
20. W8794. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. EF during aeros, u/s F/L and hit hedge at Hockerton NT.
21. W8998. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. EF, hit bank F/L on the Fosse Way (nr base?).
22. W4095. Mosquito NFII of 151 Sqn Coltishall Norfolk. Broke-up in dive at Lutton, NR.
23. R5724. Lancaster I of 61 Sqn Syerston. Hit by flak and night-fighters whilst mine-laying, C/L at Wittering.
24. X3705. Wellington III of 29 OTU satellite Woolfox Lodge. Propeller feathered and u/c collapsed in heavy ldg at night at base.
25. T2747. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Hit ground in low cloud nr Market Overton RU. 3k

## October 1942

1. R1401. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Bounced ldg at base, stalled and crashed.

R5703. Lancaster I of 61 Sqn Syerston. Dinghy came out of wing on t/o for Wismar, fouled tailplane and crashed at Gunthorpe NT. 7k.
02. W4238. Lancaster I of 106 Sqn Syerston. Returned early fm Krefeld, overshot ldg at Newton and hit gun-pit.
05. W4102. Lancaster I of 106 Sqn Syerston. EF, abandoned op to Aachen, caught fire and belly-landed nr Langar, bombs exploded.
07. R1801. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Possibly lost fabric fm wing and crashed Woodhouse Eaves LE. 3k.
08. R5945. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. Ran out of fuel, hit HT cables and crashed Kneesall NT.
12. W8455. Master III of 5 PAFU Ternhill, Salop. EF, F/L and u/c collapsed at King Sterndale, DE.
13. Z8854. Wellington Ic of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. Crashed on night approach to base at Watery Lane, Scropton DE. 6k.
BR371. Spitfire IX of 6 FPP Ratcliffe. EF on t/o fm Hucknall, belly-landed 2m W.
15. L7968. Anson I of CNS Cranage, Ches. Hit Moss Ridge, Long Hill Farm nr Buxton DE. 4k.

R1667. Wellington IC of 21 OTUI Moreton-in-Marsh Glos. Crashed at Park Drain station NT, nr Westwoodside Linc.
T5976. Tiger Moth II of 25 PEFTS Hucknall. Destroyed by gale at base.
DV717. Wellington Ic of 11 OTU Westcott, Bucks. Dived in fm cloud at night, Breck's Farm, Maplebeck NT. 5k.
19. V6606. Hurricane I of 288 Sqn Digby, Lincs. Caught fire in the air, abandoned and crashed nr Bottesford.
23. W4278. Lancaster I of 97 Sqn Woodhall Spa, Lincs. Low on fuel on return fm Genoa, o/s ldg and hit concrete mixer at Nth Luffenham.
25. BJ896. Wellington III of 29 OTU Nth Luffenham. Failed to gain height on t/o fm base and hit gunpost..
28. L8255. Magister I of 16 EFTS Burnaston. DBR in hangar at base.

AZ803. Master II of 1529 BATFlt Collyweston. Flew into ground at night on beam approach training nr Marholm NR. 1k.
29. R5660. Lancaster I of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Landed on 3 xE and overshot into gun post at base.

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07. N3567. Blenheim IV of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Hit tree after t/o fm base, stalled and crashed 1 m W.
08. L4100. Hampden I of 14 OTU Saltby satellite. Undershot night ldg at base and crashed 1 m E.

Z1325. Wellington IV of 18 OTU Bramcote, Warwicks. Stalled while low-flying at night and crashed nr Hinckley LE. 1k.
09. X3163. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Bounced and $\mathrm{o} / \mathrm{s}$ ldg at night at base, crashed nr Barrow RU.
AH931. Tomahawk IIa of 8 MU Little Rissington, Glos. EF, belly-landed nr Evensley NR.
DL401. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Crashed on night o/s at Elton NR.
10. P6808. Oxford II of 16(P) SFTS Newton. EF on t/o fm base, o/s into ditch.

R7147. Spitfire PR IC of 11 CRC USAAF Bovingdon Herts. Crashed at Wellingborough NR.
14. K4261. Tiger Moth I of 14 EFTS Elmdon, Warwicks. Collided with Tiger T6288 (repaired) in haze and spun in at Botcheston LE. 2k.
N6334. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. Lost in bad weather, F/L and o/t Skegby Fm, Normanton on Trent NT.
16. X4001. Wellington III of 29 OTU Nth Luffenham. Hit fuel bowser on night $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm}$ base.
17. W8447. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. EF, belly-landed at base.
18. W8995. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Crashed on night approach to Tollerton RLG.
28. R1786. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. EF on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm}$ base, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ raised to stop.

X9941. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Hit tree after night $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ base and crashed at Hoton LE. 1 k .
30. AX785. Tiger Moth of 6 EFTS Sywell. Spun in during aerobatics nr base.

## December 1942

1. BK250. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Swung on t/o at base in strong cross-wind hit control tower then hit hangar. $2 \mathrm{k}+2$ civilians on ground..
2. L7850. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Engine problem, C/L in Exton Park RU.
3. DV929. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Climbed steeply after night t/o and crashed nr village. 4 k .
4. X8140. Beaufighter VIf of 409(Canadian)Sqn Coleby Grange, Lincs. Engine fire, lost control and crashed 6 m N of Mansfield NT (nr Warsop Vale?)
5. R1223. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Hit tree on overshoot at base and crashed nr Hoton. 2k.

R1522. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Crashed just after night t/o fm base when flaps raised rather than $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$, on Cottesmore - Mkt Overton road nr Barrow RU. 4k.
08. R5864. Lancaster I of 61 Sqn Syerston. Caught fire on ground at base and bombs exploded.
10. DV777. Wellington Ic of 11 OTU Oakley, Bucks. Crashed in bad weather at night, Byfield NR. 1k
11. W4255. Lancaster I of 1654 HCU Wigsley. U/c collapsed night ldg in bad visibility at base.

W8503. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Control lost at night in bad visibility, crashed 3 m S of Tollerton.
BG196. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. Crashed on night overshoot at base.
BK243. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Hit ground in night circuit Turweston. 2k.
12. T2896. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Lost sight of circuit at night in bad visibility and hit trees nr Loughborough LE. 1k.
BJ620. Wellington III of 25 OTU Finningley, Yorks. Diverted to Wymeswold due bad weather and hit trees in circuit 1 k .
13. W8820. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Hit by DK838 (repaired) taxying at Newton.
14. BM636. Spitfire Vb of 347 FSqn USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed at base.
17. DD624. Mosquito II of 151 Sqn Wittering. Heavy ldg at base, u/c collapsed.
20. N7623. Master I of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Hit DL287 (survived) ldg at base.

P9223. Wellington Ia of 172 Sqn Chivenor, Devon. Lost propeller on approach to Sywell and overshot.
Z1617. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Stalled and crashed on night approach to base.
21. R5699. Lancaster I of 61 Sqn Syerston. Returned early fm Munchen with intercom problems, downdraught on approach to base, undershot.
T2887. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Engine fire, crash-landed Mill Hill Farm Bingham NT.
23. R9665. Anson I of 3 OTU Cranwell, Lincs. Crashed F/L on Cranford Q-site NR.

BJ834. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. Engine fire, crash-landed at night at base.
29. EN114. Spitfire IX of Rolls-Royce, Hucknall. Dived in 2 m E of Rearsby during speed trials, oxygen failure.

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January
02. L4379. Wellington I of 18 OTU Bramcote, Warwicks. Iced up and crashed nr Nottingham. 1k.
09. W5629. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Cottesmore. EF after t/o fm base, C/L at Ashwell station RU. 3k
10. X9953. Wellington Ic of 11 OTU Westcott, Bucks. Iced up at night, abandoned and crashed nr Burbage LE. 1 k .
11. W4183. Lancaster I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Yawed on night $t / o \mathrm{fm}$ base, wing hit ground, crashed.

BK405. Wellington III of 27 OUT satellite Church Broughton. Engine mismanagement, stalled and crashed at Covert Farm Boylestone DE. 5k.
DV449. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Bounced on ldg at Saltby, stalled and hit vehicle. 1civilian k .
13. X3338. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. EF in circuit, spun in at Woodford NR. 5k.
15. V5752. Blenheim IV of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Stalled in cloud and dived in Blake House Osmaston DE.

W8840. Master III of 7 FPP Sherburn-in-Elmet Yorks. Hit high ground in bad visibility at Bottom House Ashbourne DE.
BJ763. Wellington III of 16 OTU satellite Barford St John, Oxon. Engine fire on night t/o, crashed 1 m NNE of Portway, Aynho NR. 2k.
BK412. Wellington III of 23 OTU Pershore, Woucs. EF, crashed at night Orton-on-the-Hill LE. 1k.
18. R5540. Lancaster I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Crashed on ldg at base.

R5900. Lancaster I of 106 Sqn Syerston. Flak damage on Berlin raid, u/c collapsed ldg base.
21. W8864. Master III of 5 PAFU Ternhill, Salop. Abandoned and spun in Scotland Nursery, Butterley DE.
W8929. Master III of 347 Sqn USAAF Kings Cliffe. Dived in at base.1k.
22. X3307. Wellington III of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Engine fire, belly-landed 2 m SW of base (nr Walton Lodge?)

## January 1943 cont.

23. DT678. Halifax II of 408(Canadian)Sqn Leeming, Yorks. $2 x$ EF on return fm Lorient, crash-landed at Ossington.
24. R5772. Manchester I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. EF, F/L in field 1 m NE of base.

X3348. Wellington III of 427(Canadian)Sqn Croft, Yorks. Emerged fm cloud on return fm Lorient, C/L at Blackden Edge, 2 m N of Edale DE.
Z1318. Wellington IV of 301(Polish)Sqn Hemswell, Lincs. Belly-landed after t/o for Lorient, at Langar.
HE368. Wellington $X$ of 466(Australian)Sqn Leconfield, Yorks. EF on return fm Lorient, crashed Sutton station NT. 4k.
41-6272. Thunderbolt P-47C of 56 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Ground looped at base.
28. R5540. Lancaster I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Landed base at night on one wheel, bounced, stalled and crashed.
29. 41-6186. Thunderbolt P-47C of 4 FG USAAF Debden, Essex. EF, F/L Harpole NR.
30. R1011. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Flew into high ground at night, Birchen Bank Moss, nr Crowden DE. 3k.
X3889. Wellington III of 16 OTU Upper Heyford Ox. EF, wung ldg at Silverstone, u/c raised to stop.
X3941. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. Flew into high ground at night in bad weather, Gladwins Mark, Beeley Moor DE. 2k.
February 1943

1. L7530. Lancaster I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Pilot dazzled, overshot ldg at base and flew into Beacon Hills, Newark NT. 1k.
X3361. Wellington III of 425(Canadian)Sqn Dishforth, Yorks. Crashed just after t/o fm Kings Cliffe at Fineshade NR. 3k.
[41-6213.Thunderbolt P-47C of 582 FRG USAAF base N/K. Collided with below over Kirby Muxloe, [ crashed in village. 1 k .
[41-6348.Thunderbolt P-47C of 582 FRG. Colided with above and crashed Park House Farm nr Desford 1k.
2. BK241. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. Spun in at night Hall Farm Osleston DE. 5k.
3. BG174. Oxford I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Stalled on night overshoot Tollerton RLG.
4. N2761. Wellington Ic of 11 OTU Westcott, Bucks. 1xengine fire at night, partially abandoned and crashed Fletcher Field nr Ashley NR. 3k.
5. T1862. Beaufighter VIF of 96 Sqn Honiley Warks. EF, u/s F/L and stalled, Turweston.
6. 41-6257. Thunderbolt P-47C of 56 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed ldg at Elm's Farm Wittering.
7. W4167. Lancaster I of 207 Sqn Langar. Bounced and stalled on return to base fm Lorient, u/c collapsed.
8. N2809. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU satellite Castle Donington. Crashed at night in snow storm Hermitage Farm, Blackbrook Res, Whitwick LE. 5k.
HF613. Wellington III of 22 OTU Wellesbourne Mountford, Warwicks. Lost control in snow, crashed Hole Water nr Hope DE. 5k.
9. R7042. Spitfire PRIVof I PRU Benson Oxon. Dived in at Radstone junction, Whitfield NR. 1k.

T8251. Tiger Moth II of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Spun in at Bannell Farm Mickleover DE.
17. DE461. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. EF, crashed at Sutton Cheney LE.

T2558. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU satellite Saltby. Crashed on night overshoot 1 m NW of Sproxton LE. 4 k
18. W4270. Lancaster I of 61 Sqn Syerston. Engine fire, crashed in circuit at Bottesford 2.5 m NW. 7 k . 42-5756. Fortress B-17F of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Crashed on t/o fm base.
19. R5850. Lancaster I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Lost power, o/s night ldg at base and hit wires. 1 k .
20. T5492. Tiger Moth II of 25 PEFTS Hucknall. F/L at Markeaton DE.
21. DL748. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. EF, F/L into ditch at St Mary's Church, Shelford NT.
23. T8840. Master I of 7 PAFU Peterborough. EF, belly-landed on approach to Woolfox Lodge.
25. L7400. Manchester I of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Bomb exploded on ground at base, DBR.

N6773. Tiger Moth of 6 EFTS Sywell. Undershot night ldg at Denton RLG and hit hedge.
T6393. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Controls jammed during aerobatics, abandoned and crashed Castle Ashby NR.
26. T1048. Oxford II of 14 PAFU Ossington. Swung into wood on t/o fm base.
27. BJ760. Wellington III of 29 OTU Nth Luffenham. Tyre burst on $t / o \mathrm{fm}$ base, swung and $u / c$ collapsed.
BK268. Wellington III of 427(Canadian)Sqn Croft, Yorks. Engine fire on return fm Koln, crashed nr Woolfox Lodge. 5k.

## March 1943

1. BK447. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. O/s night approach to Turweston. DBF. 2k. 41-24476. Fortress B-17F of 306 BG USAAF Chelveston. Belly-landed at base.
2. 41-6253. Thunderbolt P-47C of 56 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed ldg at base. 0k.
3. W8817. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. U/c collapsed on heavy ldg at Tollerton RLG.

BG197. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. Flew into high ground at night Starkholmes, DE.1k.
DE727. Tiger Moth II of 16 EFTS Burnaston. EF on approach to base, hit fence.
05. BK433. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Stalled and dived in at night nr base. 4 k

ED549. Lancaster III of 100 Sqn Grimsby, Lincs. Crashed on return fm mine-laying trying to land at Langar. 6k.
07. N9212. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Lost, o/s F/L and hit hedge at Clay Cross DE. AA325. Defiant I of 16 OTU Upper Heyford Oxon. U/c collapsed ldg at Sywell.
09. N6753. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Stalled and spun in nr base.

P1668. Lysander II of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Crashed ldg at base.
10. BK543. Wellington III of 29 OTU satellite Woolfox Lodge. Lost power and tyre burst in night emergency ldg at base, $u / c$ collapsed.
DV864. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU North Luffenham. Confused by Q-site, crash-landed Walk Farm, between Pickworth and Ryhall RU nr Q-site at night. 3k.
11. W8446. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Bounced and stalled on ldg at Tollerton.
12. R5556. Lancaster I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Port outer engine fire, crashed Cromwell NT. 10k.

V4154. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. Dived in at night Besthorpe NT.
22. BD422. Whitley V of 296 Sqn Hurn, Hants. Collided with LA827 (survived) in formation, crashed Fotheringhay NR.
24. DZ257. Mosquito II of 151 Sqn Wittering. Dived in on night-flying test nr base.
28. L1234. Blenheim I of 42 OTU satellite Darley Moor. Overshot ldg and C/L at base.
29. T6369. Tiger Moth II of 303 BG Polebrook. Taxying accident at base.
30. T9837. Magister I of the 6 FPP ATA Ratcliffe on the Wreake. Blown over after ldg at base.
31. [X9944. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Hit by below while parked and caught fire at base.
[AD628. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Cottesmore. EF on night t/o fm base in bad weather, o/s ldg and hit above. 2 k .
[41-24559. Fortress B-17F of 303 BG USAAF Kimbolton, Hunts. Collided with below during assembly
[ for Rotterdam, Mears Ashby NR.
[41-29573.Fortress B-17F of 303 BG USAAF. Collided with above. 15 k in total.

## April 1943

4. BK508. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. EF on night approach, hit tree at Terrel Hays, Radbourne DE. 1k.
5. T6164. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Blown over in gale at Denton RLG.

V6078. Blenheim IV of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Lost descending in cloud at night, hit trees at Bunton nr Matlock DE. 3k.
08. [L7545. Lancaster I of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Collided with below and crashed between Burton Lazars
[ and Brentingby LE. 8k.
[AB665.Oxford II of 14 PAFU Ossington. Collided with above and crashed Burton Lodge. 2k.
10. DF611. Wellington III of 30 OTU satellite Seighford, Staffs. Lost power, F/L on road but swung and hit wall and caught fire, Newhaven station DE. 3k.
ED823. Lancaster III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Hit HT cables at night, crashed School Lane, Halam, NT. 7k.
13. V6510. Blenheim IV of 13 OTU Bicester, Oxon. EF, belly-landed Hucknall.

HP373. Martinet I of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Crashed 1 m fm Upper Heyford NR.
15. L7294. Manchester I of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Engine fire, stalled and crashed on approach to base.
16. HP372. Martinet I of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. EF, stalled and crashed on Brackley Rd nr base.
18. MP407. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. Awaiting night t/o at base and hit by MP408 (repaired).
22. BG208. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. Flew into ground in bad visibility at night 2 mW of base.
23. ED169. Oxford II of 20 PAFU Kidlington, Oxon. Collided with Oxford HN385 (repaired) ldg at Croughton.
25. X3816. Wellington III of 29 OTU satellite Woolfox Lodge. Crashed at night at Stocking Farm Leicester. 5k.
BA756. Blenheim V of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Controls not responding, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ raised to stop at base.
41-6227. Thunderbolt P-47C of 56 USAAF FG Horsham St Faith Norfolk. Lost in cloud, abandoned, crashed Horsehill Tor, Barber Booth DE.
27. AZ806. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. EF in circuit, F/L and hit ditch, Guntons Rd, Peterborough.
28. DL778. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Crashed after t/o from Tollerton RLG.
29. N1190. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. EF crashed on attempted night overshoot at base 0.25 m NW. DL882. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Bounced ldg at base, stalled, cartwheeled and caught fire.

## May 1943

2. BJ669. Wellington III of 26 OTU Church Broughton. EF, o/s ldg at base.
3. HF810. Wellington III of 22 OTU Wellesbourne Mountford, Warwicks. EF, made emergency ldg at Husbands Bosworth.
4. W4775. Lancaster I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Swung and u/c collapsed ldg at base.

W7887. Halifax II of 35 Sqn Graveley, Cambs. Out of fuel on return fm Dortmund, abandoned and crashed Woodford NR. 0k.
W8730. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Lost power and o/s F/L at Tollerton RLG.
BK210. Wellington III of 29 OTU Nth Luffenham. EF, night F/L 1m NNE of base. .
06. K7159. Blenheim I of 12 PAFU Grantham, Lincs. Lost height and hit trees at Croxton Kerial LE.
07. T6300. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Stalled on approach to base and hit pillbox.
[42-29491. Fortress B-17F of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Collided with below ldg at base. 10k.
[42-29865. Fortress B-17F of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Collided with above.10k.
11. N6874. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. EF, crashed at Owthorpe NT.

V8370. Beaufighter If of 141 Sqn Wittering. EF on approach to base, dived in at Burghley Park NR.
BR650. Spitfire PRIV of 543 Sqn Benson, Oxon. Out of fuel, belly-landed 1m S of Polebrook.
12. EB717. Oxford I of 11 PAFU Shawbury, Salop. Flew into hill in bad weather Halfway House, Macclesfield Rd, Burbage DE.
13. DV714. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Bounced ldg, crashed and caught fire at base. 1k EB338. Whitley V of 81 OTU Tilstock, Shrops. Engine problems, crashed Alsop-en-le-Vale DE. 1 k .
15. 42-29673. Fortress B-17F of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Battle damage Wangerooge, C/L at base. 1k.
17. X9457. Dragon Rapide of 79 Wing Long Kesh NI. Hit ridge ldg Sywell and port wing came off..
18. T7183. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Sideslipped into ground at Longdale Fm Blidworth NT.
19. L7297. Manchester I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Engine fire in circuit at base, F/L, u/c raised to stop.

L7298. Manchester I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Swung on t/o and u/c collapsed at base.
V4022. Oxford I of 14 PAFU Ossington. Spun in nr West Burton nr Bole NT.
Z8837. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Cottesmore. EF on t/o fm base, hit hedge and caught fire. 1k.
HZ437. Wellington X of 301 FTU Lyneham, Wilts. Spun in on o/s Turweston at Westbury Fm.
21. 42-29938. Fortress B-17F of 96 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. C/L at base return Emden.
22. R1216. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Caught fire on ground at base.

X7249. Oxford II of 14 PAFU Ossington. Swung ldg at base and hit tractor.
BJ669. Wellington III of 26 OTU Wing, Bucks. Engine problem, F/L at Church Broughton.
24. JB792. Halifax II of 51 Sqn Snaith, Yorks. Crash-landed at Woolfox Lodge after hydraulics failure on return fm Dortmund.
25. W8450. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Lost, hit tree F/L at night at Coppice Rd Arnold NT.

W8769. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. EF, u/s F/L at Tollerton RLG.
27. N9829. Anson I of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Lost wing and crashed nr base. 3k.

BB855. Tiger Moth of 7 EFTS Desford. Collided with Tiger R4906 (survived), abandoned and crashed Northampton.
DL607. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Hit ground after night t/o fm Tollerton RLG, Landmere Lane, Wilford NT.
EB783. Oxford I of 18 PAFU Church Lawford, Warwicks. Hit tree low-flying Holloway Fm, nr Creaton NR
29. ED199. Oxford I of 18 PAFU Church Lawford, Warwicks. Stalled after t/o fm Podington, Wollaston NR
30 W8723. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Crashed after night t/o fm Tollerton RLG at Thurble Dyke, Cotgrave NT.
June 1943

1. W4131. Lancaster I of 1660 HCU Swinderby, Lincs. EF on t/o at Langar, swung and u/c collapsed.
2. DL783. Master III of Wittering SFlt. O/s ldg at base in heavy rain.

DV732. Wellington Ic of 11 OTU Westcott, Bucks. Flew into hill at night nr Eyam DE.
05. W8891. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Heavy ldg and $u / c$ collapsed at Tollerton RLG
08. R4853. Tiger Moth II of 14 EFTS Elmdon, Warwicks. Collided with R4967 (survived) Stag House Fm, Mkt Bosworth LE.
BJ981. Wellington III of 16 OTU Upper Heyford, Oxon. Broke-up in the air and crashed Tiffield NR. 5k.
11. R5849. Lancaster I of Rolls-Royce and A\&AEE Hucknall. Fire in the air, crashed nr base.

T8001. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. O/t on practice F/L at Earls Barton RLG.
DV678. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Cottesmore. Engine problems, F/L Chatsworth Park nr Baslow DE.
12. BK558. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Caught fire in air, returned to base, DBR.
[42-30036. Fortress B-17F of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Collided with below over base. 5k.
[42-30101. Fortress B-17F of 384 BG.USAAF Grafton Underwood. Collided with above, landed DBR.

## June 1943 cont

14. N9348. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Hit house chimney on overshoot at base.
15. W8266. Boston III of 6 FPP Ratcliffe. Overshot ldg at Tollerton and u/c collapsed.
16. X3658. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. EF after t/o fm base, crash-landed at Lower Boddington NR.
DL847. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. U/c collapsed ldg at base.
17. R9198. Stirling I of 1665 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Caught in strong crosswind on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm} \mathrm{base}, \mathrm{u/c}$ collapsed.
HE372. Wellington $X$ of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Propellor jammed in fine pitch after night $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{fm}$ base, F/L nr Ashby Magna LE.
18. V5390. Blenheim IV of 13 OTUT Bicester Ox. U/c collapsed on down wind ldg Silverstone.

BK453. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. EF on night approach to base, clipped HT cables and crashed.
29. Z1668. Wellington III of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. EF in night circuit at base, crashed Glebe Farm, Lutterworth LE.

## July

2. DE300. Tiger Moth II of 18 EFTS Fairoaks, Surrey. EF, F/L 3m N of Oakham RU (nr Ashwell?)
3. X3871. Wellington III of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Heavy night ldg at base, u/c collapsed, DBR.

05 BF339. Stirling I of 1665 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Swung on night $t / o \mathrm{fm}$ base and hit vehicle and buildings.
06. BJ713. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. EF on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$, crashed Crowfoot Fm nr base.
07. T6164. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Destroyed in gale at Denton.

T8776. Master I of 7 PAFU Peterborough. EF, crashed 1 m N of Glinton NR.
W8706. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Crashed nr Radcliffe-on-Trent station NT.
LN265. Wellington X of 310 FTU Harwell, Oxon. Iced up and lost control, crashed Duston NR. 5k.
08. X3934. Wellington III of 17 OTU satellite Turweston, Bucks. Stalled just after t/o and crashed at Priesthaywood Farm Syresham NR. 4k.
09. R5889. Lancaster I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Tyre burst on night $t / \mathrm{ofm}$ base, used up fuel and made good ldg but fire broke out.
AZ876. Blenheim V of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Dived in Hillcliff Lane, Cross o'th' Hands Turnditch, DE.
13. HJ921. Mosquito NFII of 25 Sqn Church Fenton, Yorks. Spun in at Weardale Rd Nottingham.

LM311. Lancaster III of 467(Australian) Sqn Bottesford. Flak-damage at Turin, broke-up when flaps lowered on return to base. 7 k .
14. 42-3106. Fortress B-17F of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Crashed ldg at base return Amiens.
16. BJ797. Wellington III of 17 OTUI Silverstone. Swung on $t / o \mathrm{fm}$ base and hit tree.
17. N3509. Defiant I of 26 OTU Wing, Bucks. Landed at Desford in bad weather, o/s and hit Tiger Moth N6741 (repaired).
18. DM132. Master II of 17 PAFU Calveley, Ches. Hit wires low-flying and crashed 1m NE of Belvoir Castle LE (probably in Lincs).
20. AH795. Tomahawk I of 1685(Bomber Defence Training)Flt Ossington. Engine fire on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$, crashlanded at Papplewick NT.
23. AH864. Tomahawk I of 1683(Bomber Defence Training) Flt Bruntingthorpe. Engine fire, abandoned, crashed nr Arnesby LE.
24. BK621. Stirling I of 1665 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Swung on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{fm}$ base, u/c collapsed.
25. BL389. Spitfire Vb of 349 (Bel)Sqn Kings Cliffe. Pilot thrown out in dive over base, crashed Coppice Leys nr Barrowden RU.
EF354. Stirling I of 1665 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Control problems at night, fast ldg at base and u/c collapsed avoiding another aircraft.
26. N7824. Master I of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Hood blew off on $t / o$ and crashed at base

V8572. Beaufighter VIf of 141 Sqn Wittering. Bounced ldg at base.
Z9189. Whitley V of 42 OTU satellite Darley Moor. Crashed on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ base at Edlaston Hall DE.
ED591. Lancaster I of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Tyre burst on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm}$ base, hit tree stumps.
28. X6780. Oxford I of 288 Sqn Digby Lincs. Hit tree in dive at Whetstone Gorse LE.
29. EF337. Stirling I of 1665 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Swung on ldg at base and $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed.
30. W8471. Master III of 16 PFTS Newton. Taxied into DL700 (survived) on runway at Tollerton.

EM805. Tiger Moth II of 416(Canadian)Sqn Digby, Lincs. Crashed in the circuit at Polebrook during aeros.
31. DV197. Lancaster I of 50 Sqn Skellingthorpe, Lincs. Hit by flak on Remscheid raid, killing gunner; crash-landed at Kings Cliffe. 1k.

## August

1. R5614. Lancaster I of 106 Sqn Syerston. Heavy ldg, crashed on overshoot at base.
2. Z1107. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU satellite Castle Donington. Engine fire, stalled and crashed nr Breedon-on-the-Hill LE. 5k.

## August 1943 cont

3. AH777. Tomahawk I of 1685 Bomber (Defence) Training Flt Ossington. U/c jammed up, belly-landed at base.
DV823. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Market Harborough. Engine problems, crash-landed at night 1 m NW of Hose LE.
HE807. Wellington X of 300(Polish)Sqn Ingham, Lincs. EF on return fm Hamburg, F/L Truman's Lodge, Clumber Park nr Hardwick NT.
4. X8197. Beaufighter VIf of 141 Sqn Wittering. U/c collapsed ldg at base.

BF446. Stirling I of 1665 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Swung and $u / c$ collapsed ldg at base.
05. V8702. Beaufighter VIf of 141 Sqn Wittering. Dived in 2 m S of Braunston RU (Withcote Lodge nr Loddington LE?).
W8464. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. EF, belly-landed at Owthorpe Lodge NT.
07. T8565. Master I of 7 PAFU Peterborough. EF on t/o fm base, hit trees.

X9638. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU satellite Castle Donington. Engine fire, crashed nr base. 5k.
08. T1866. Blenheim IV of 101 Sqn. Crashed ldg Wittering.
09. MS471. Wellington X of 82 OTU Ossington. Engine fire, crashed on Wellow to Ompton rd NT. 5k.
11. N7901. Master I of 7 PAFU Peterborough. EF after t/o, belly-landed 1 m NW of base.
12. W4952. Lancaster I of 207 Sqn Langar. Swung on down wind ldg at base and u/c collapsed.
13. 42-3106.Fortress B-17F of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Crashed on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm}$ base.
14. JN639. Martinet I of 82 OTU Ossington. EF after t/o F/L nr base.
15. R8652. Typhoon Ib of 59 OTU Millfield, Northumberland. Belly-landed at Rearsby.

X3786. Wellington III of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Hydraulics problem, diverted to Wittering but ran out of fuel on night approach and crash-landed.
BZ367. Boston IIIa of 13 OTU Bicester, Oxon. Overshot ldg and hit pillbox at Peterborough.
16. BK550. Wellington III of 29 OTU satellite Bitteswell. Landed downwind after wind change and overshot runway.
HJ929. Mosquito NF II of 410(Canadian)Sqn Coleby Grange, Lincs. Abandoned after tail flutter and crashed Dethick DE.
17. X9883. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU satellite Castle Donington. Caught fire just after ldg at base.

Z1694. Wellington III of 23 OTU Pershore, Worcs. Lost control at night and dived in 2 m NW of Wymeswold. 6k.
DE711. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Spun in at Litchborough NR.
42-29728. Fortress B-17F of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Flak damaged Schweinfurt, short of fuel, crash-landed nr base.
18. JD296. Halifax II of 102 Sqn Pocklington, Yorks. Bomb doors wouldn't close after raid on Peenemunde, diverted to Ashbourne but overshot.
19. T8659. Master I of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Abandoned after control lost during aeros and crashed Priory Rd, Peterborough.
20. BV759. Barracuda II of 15 MU Wroughton, Wilts. EF, crashed nr Rufford bombing range nr Rainworth NT. 2k
JD119. Halifax II of 10 Sqn Melbourne, Yorks. Propellor detached, crashed Elkington NR. 5k.
21. DT697. Halifax II of 1658 HCU Riccall, Yorks. 2x SBEF, emergency ldg at Bruntingthorpe but hit house (The Firs) on airfield boundary. 5k.
HE332. Wellington $X$ of 82 OTU Ossington. Hit trees on night approach to base. 2k.
23. W4190. Lancaster I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. EF, swung on t/o fm base.

BJ900. Wellington III of 17 OTU Silverstone. EF on t/o fm Turweston, C/L> DBF.
24. W4381. Lancaster I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Tyre burst damaged hydraulics, swung and u/c collapsed ldg at base.
BK399. Wellington III of 82 OTU Ossington. Verey pistol fired accidently, caught fire on ground at base.
42-107136. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Battle damage Merseberg, C/L at base.
25. HE555. Wellington X of 17 OTU satellite Turweston, Bucks. EF, F/L between Blisworth and Roade NR.
43-654. Cub L4B of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. EF, F/L at base.
26. 42-29508. Fortress B-17F of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Engine fire on ground at base, exploded.
29. BK431. Wellington III of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Wing detached, crashed nr Oakham RU. 7k

## September

1. [R5698. Lancaster I of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Collided with below at night and crashed High Cross, [ Bleasby NT. 7k.
[JB132. Lancaster III of 61 Sqn Syerston. Collided with above on return fm Berlin, crashed at Morton NT. 8k.
V8698. Beaufighter If of 141 Sqn Wittering. Crash-landed at base.

## September 1943 cont

2. Z8870. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Flapless ldg at base, DBR.
3. X3727. Wellington Ic of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. Flap problem and EF on night ldg at base, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{s}$ and burnt out.
4. BF318. Stirling I of 1665 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Landed base in strong crosswind, swung and u/c collapsed.
5. BK442. Wellington III of 29 OTU satellite Bitteswell. Engine fire, belly-landed nr base.

DV232. Lancaster I of 61 Sqn Syerston. Early return fm Mannheim with engine problems, crashed in R. Trent N of East Stoke NT.
08. R5547. Lancaster I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Swung ldg at Balderton and $u / c$ collapsed.

JB153. Lancaster III of 103 Sqn Elsham Wolds, Lincs. Dived in after t/o fm Wymeswold and exploded 2 m fm airfield. 9 k inc 3 ATC cadets.
14. AZ808. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Spun in fm aeros at Haddon NR

BJ901. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. Bounced ldg at base, swung into a hedge.
15. [DL676. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Hit by W8693 (survived)whilst taxying at base.
[DL688. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Hit by W8693 as above.
ED546. Lancaster III of 467(Australian) Sqn Bottesford. Overshot ldg at Wittering.
42-29825. Fortress B-17F of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Crash landed on approach to base, out of fuel, on return fm Romilly-sur-Seine at Lutton NR.
16. L7897. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU satellite Husbands Bosworth. EF, F/L nr Welford NR.

T7036. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Abandoned after controls jammed, crashed nr Ratcliffe on the-Wreake LE.
DV479. Wellington IC of 14 OTU satellite Husbands Bosworth . Bounced ldg at base and crashed Home Fm, Sulby NR.
17 V8698. Beaufighter VIF of 141 Sqn Wittering. Swung on single-engine ldg at base.
W4921. Lancaster I of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Lost control on t/o fm base, hit Battle HQ and crashed in camp.
21. 42-67017. Lightning P-38H of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed on t/o fm Wittering.
22. X3747. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Engine problems, overshot night ldg at base and crashed nr Byfield.
BK200. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Flaps raised too soon and crashed on night o/s fm base at Appletree NR. 6k.
23. DV511. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Caught fire in hangar at base.

42-8643. Thunderbolt P-47D of 355 FG USAAF Steeple Morden Cambs. Hit high ground at Corner Fm, South Wheatley NT.
42-30647. Fortress B-17F of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Collided with another B-17 (survived) breaking formation return Nantes, crashed nr base. 10k.
24. AL496. Boston IIIA of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Ran off runway at base and hit bank.
25. X9871. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Flaps retracted too soon, sank back on runway at base.
AA609. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Spun in fm turn 3 m SW of Haddon NR.
JA448. Wellington X of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Banked steeply after t/o fm base, crashed at Walton LE. 7 k .
26. DV697. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU satellite Husbands Bosworth. Engine problems, approached base downwind , tried to overshoot and crashed Sulby NR. 4k.
27. [W8710. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Collided with below in formation break 0.5 m SW of [ Radcliffe-on-Trent NT.
[DL612. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Collided with above.
BJ645. Wellington III of 18 OTU Finningley, Yorks. EF, dived in at Everton NT. 4k.
28. DF120. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Aileron jammed, abandoned and crashed Broughton Astley LE.
DM259. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Broke formation and crashed at Newborough NR.
JA965. Lancaster III of 463(Australian)Sqn Waddington, Lincs. Crashed ldg at Wigsley on return fm Hanover.
29. HF600. Wellington $X$ of 17 OTU satellite Turweston, Bucks. Lost control orbiting a beacon at night, crashed 1.5 m W of Centre Point, Wappenham NR. 6k.
LN532. Wellington X of 16 OTU Upper Heyford, Oxon. Flew into ground at night out of cloud nr Whittlebury Wood NR. 5k.

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2. DV184. Lancaster III of 207 Sqn Langar. Pitot cover left on, stalled on night t/o fm base. 7 k .

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3. [P7986. Spitfire IIa of 61 OTU Rednal, Shrops. Collided with below Smaile Fm, Ashby-de-la-Zouch. [ 1k.
[R6801. Spitfire Ia of 61 OTU Rednall, Shrops. Collided with above.
HE276. Wellington X of 17 OTUI Silverstone. EF on night approach, u/s base DBF. 6k.
4. AH895. Tomahawk IIa of 26 OTU Wing, Bucks. EF, F/L at Stoke Gate (or Stokegap)Fm, Roade NR.
5. DL618. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Caught fire in hangar at base.

HR727. Halifax II of 51 Sqn Snaith, Yorks. Ran out of fuel on return fm Frankfurt, crashed Blackden Edge 2 m N of Edale DE. 5 k .
07. LN291. Wellington $X$ of 82 OTU Ossington. EF on night approach to base due icing, C/L in Clipstone Forest NT.
09. HE919. Wellington X of 82 OTU Ossington. Lost power and crash-landed at Blyth NT.

41-24529. Fortress B-17F of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. O/s ldg at base.
10. 42-29557. Fortress B-17F of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Battle damage, crashed ldg at Desford and hit hangar, return Munster.
12. HE201. Wellington $X$ of 82 OTU satellite Gamston. PEF on t/o, flew into trees at Hall Fm, between Haughton Chapel and Bevercotes NT. 3k.
41-3037. Fortress B-17F of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Battle damage, abandoned and crashed at Wakerley NR return Schweinfurt. .
14. HJ817. Mosquito VI of 60 OTU High Ercall, Shrops. Flew into hill in bad visibility Agar Nook cemetery nr Coalville LE. 2k.
42-30196. Fortress B-17F of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Abandoned, crashed at Wakerley NR return Schweinfurt.
15. ED546. Lancaster III of 467(Australian) Sqn,Bottesford. Poor visibility, flaps u/s, crash-landed on approach to Wittering.
20. Z1717. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Bounced, climbed and rolled over after t/o fm base and crashed nr Culworth NR. 4 k .
HE298. Wellington X of 17 OTU Silverstone, Bucks. Lost power and crash-landed nr Sulgrave NR.
21. MP448. Oxford I of 6 PAFU Little Rissington, Glos. Engine fell out, abandoned nr Langar NT.
22. R9249. Stirling I of 1657 HCU Stradishall, Suffolk. Crashed night ldg on three engines in bad weather at Chipping Warden, hit trees and two roofs in Aston-le-Walls NR. 5k.
W5688. Wellington IC of 14 OTU satellite Husbands Bosworth. Lost control blind flying and dived in on approach, Gumley Wood LE, nr Bell Inn. 5k.
W8727. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. U/c collapsed ldg at Tollerton.
42-37803. Fortress B-17G of 390 BG USAAF Framlingham, Suffolk. Crashed ldg at Hucknall.
24. DV839. Wellington IC of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Descended through cloud at night and hit ground nr Wittering. 3k.
26. HE696. Wellington $X$ of 30 OTU Hixon, Staffs. Overshot at Burnaston and hit hangar. 1k.
27. W8888. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Undershot night ldg at Tollerton RLG.

HE860. Wellington $X$ of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. EF on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$ fm base, swung into hedge.
29. 42-37828. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Swung off runway at base into mud, DBR in recovery.
30. 42-67072. Lightning P-38H of 55 FG USAAF Nuthampstead, Herts. Crashed ldg at Tollerton.

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05. EB788. Oxford I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Crashed on night approach to Leicester East, between Stoughton and Houghton-on-the-Hill LE.
06. T8628. Master I of 53 OTU Kirton-in-Lindsey, Lincs. EF, crashed at Ashwell RU.

LN551. Wellington X of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Lost engine power in bad weather at night, crash-landed at Naseby NR.
10. AH986. Tomahawk IIa of 1685 BDTFlt Ossington. Let down through cloud and hit HT cables nr Ossington. DBR.
AK162. Tomahawk IIb of 1682 (Bomber Defence) TFlt Stanton Harcourt Ox. EF on t/o fm Turweston, crashed 1 m S .
AW174(or 177). Heinkel He111H of 1426 (Enemy Aircraft) Flt Collyweston. Stalled avoiding Ju88 landing in opposite direction at Polebrook. 7 k .
42-22508. Thunderbolt P-47D of 495 FTG USAAF Atcham, Shrops. Crashed ldg at Hucknall.
13. DD755. Mosquito NF II of 141 Sqn Wittering. Broke-up in the air after mock attack on Stirling, Ashton NR.
42-30821. Fortress B-17F of 92 BG USAAF Podington Northants. Broke-up in the air, crashed at Marlborough Fm, North End NR. Fatal.

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15. DL751. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. EF, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{s}$ and hit tree F/L 2 m fm base.

DZ266. Mosquito NF II of 151 Sqn Middle Wallop, Hants. Stalled on t/o fm Wittering and hit tree.
[42-29953.Fortress B-17F of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Collided with below Newton Bromswold
[ NR. Fatal.
[42-30666. Fortress B-17F of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Collided with above.
17. N6484. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Crashed on o/s at base.
18. 42-67062. Lightning P-38H of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Broke-up in air, abandoned and crashed at Corby NR.
22. X3307. Wellington III of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Crashed 2 m SW of base.

LN601. Wellington $X$ of 82 OTU Ossington. EF after t/o for leaflet dropping fm base, crashed Norwell Woods House NT. 6k.
24. DV435. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Abandoned at night after controls iced-up and crashed nr Shottle Hall, Shottlegate DE. 1k.
HX978. Mosquito VI of 21 Sqn Sculthorpe, Norfolk. Dived in 1 m S of Newborough NR.
25. DV771. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. SEF at night, crashed in field nr base. 6 k .

MX709. Barracuda II of 7 FP Sherburn-in-Elmet, Yorks. Crashed in low cloud and bad visibility Annesley North station NT. 1k.
26. V8779. Beaufighter VIf of 141 Sqn Wittering. EF, abandoned nr Seaton RU.

42-30005. Fortress B-17F of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Overshot ldg at base.
27. BJ823. Wellington III of 16 OTU Upper Heyford, Oxon. Crashed 12 minutes after night t/o at Culworth NR. 5 k .
29. 42-37828. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Ground accident at base.
30. X9680. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU satellite Husbands Bosworth. Lost control in bad weather, crashed at night at Orton NR. 1k.
42-5905. Fortress B-17F of 388 BG USAAF Knettishall Suff. O/s ldg at Polebrook
42-30408. Fortress B-17F of 92 BG USAAF Podington, Beds. Mission to Solingen abandoned and exploded in air, Astwell Castle nr Helmdon NR. 10k.

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3. AZ700. Master II of RAFC SFTS Cranwell, Lincs. Hit the approach lights at night, Syerston.

DV334. Lancaster I of 9 Sqn Bardney, Lincs. Crashed on return fm Berlin on approach to Gamston.at Markham Clinton, Markham Moor NT. 6k.
04. HN699. Oxford I of 1517 BATFlt Chipping Warden. EF on overshoot fm base.
05. 42-39825. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Lost power on t/o fm base en route France and hit houses in village.
10. P7883. Spitfire IIa of 53 OTU Kirton-in-Lindsey, Lincs. Flew into Rushup Edge 0.5 m S of Barber Booth DE.
11. W8357. Boston III(T) of 4 OAPU Melton Mowbray. Overshot ldg at base and hit Boston BZ386 (repaired).
42-67480. Lightning P-38J of 27 ATG USAAF Hendon Mx. Crashed at Cronkstone Grange nr Cowdicote DE.
43-12196. Mustang P-51B of 354 FG USAAF Lashenden, Kent. Exploded in air, crashed Southwell NT return Emden.1k.
13. AH825. Tomahawk I of 1685 (BDT)Flt Ossington. EF, C/L nr base.

42-29529. Fortress B-17F of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. 2xengine failure nr base, sideslipped in return Bremen.
16. LM307. Lancaster I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Crashed after t/o fm base 1 m E of Sth Muskham, NT. 7k.

N/K Lightning P-38L of 55 FG USAAF Nuthampstead, Essex.Lost control in cloud return Kiel, dived in at Wakerley NR. 1k.
19. 42-67025. Lightning P-38H of 55 FG USAAF Nuthampstead, Herts. Crashed on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$ fm Kings Cliffe.
20. HD983. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU satellite Husbands Bosworth. PEF, crash-landed at Desborough.
21. T2738. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Lost port propellor at night, belly-landed at base.
22. LN160. Wellington $X$ of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. EF, hit tree attempting night emergency ldg at Wigsley.
DV361. Lancaster III of 207 Sqn Spilsby, Lincs. Caught fire in the air and abandoned nr Grafton Underwood. 3k.
HN727. Oxford I of 20 PAFU Kidlington, Oxon. Dived in during searchlight co-op, Hartwell NR.
26. W8831. Master III of 16 (P)FTS Newton. EF, belly-landed Orston RLG.

AZ922. Blenheim V of 12 PAFU Grantham, Lincs. EF, crashed ldg at Bottesford.

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27. X3344. Wellington III of 17 OTU Silverstone. Crashed on o/s fm Turweston towards Brackley station NR.
42-3207. Fortress B-17F of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. U/c colapsed ldg at base.
28. T7345. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Collided with T5980 (survived) on approach to base, stalled and dived in.
29. EB287. Whitley V of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Stalled on t/o fm base, crashed at Home Farm Yeldersley E of Osmaston DE.
JN429. Martinet I of 18 OTU satellite Bircotes, Yorks. Lost control during dummy attack and spun in 1 m W of Worksop NT. 2k.
30. 42-67489. Lightning P-38L of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Hit searchlight on t/o fm base en route Germany.

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02. Z1169. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. 2 xEF , abandoned and crashed Upper Middleton Lodge Fm, NR. Cannot trace, possibly nr Middleton NR.
05. W7772. Halifax II of 1656 HCU Lindholme, Yorks. EF, belly-landed at Oatland Farm, Gringley-on-the-Hill NT.
AH942. Tomahawk I of 1683 BDTFlt Bruntingthorpe. Hit tractor whilst taxying at Desborough.
EL164. Beaufighter VIf of 51 OTU Cranfield, Beds. EF, F/L nr Grendon NR.
06. LN448. Wellington III of 18 OTU satellite Worksop. Bounced ldg at base, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed on second attempt.
LR259. Mosquito VI of 464 Sqn Hunsdon, Herts. Hit hangar low-flying Chipping Warden.
07. T5613. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Inadvertently t/o fm base whilst taxying and spun in. 42-29821. Fortress B-17F of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Crashed fm structural failure at base. Fatal.
08. 41-24614. Fortress B-17F of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. U/c collapsed on night ldg at base return leaflet raid.
09. 41-6234. Thunderbolt P-47C of 495 FTG USAAF Atcham, Shrops. EF, crash-landed nr Loughborough A/F LE.
42-67200. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed ldg at base.
10. P9490. Spitfire IA of RAFC SFTS Cranwell, Lincs. Dived in Great Oakley NR, possible oxygen failure. 1 k .
11. BK333. Wellington III of 17 OTUI Silverstone.EF, hit tree on night approach to Turweston, Oatleys Hall. 5k.
42-22761. Thunderbolt P-47D of 359 FG USAAF East Wretham, Norfolk. Crashed Flore NR. 1k.
14. P1217. Hampden I of 517 Met. Sqn St David's Pembs. Crashed on ldg at Tollerton.

DL941. Master II of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Hit by EM385 (repaired) whilst parked at Tollerton RLG
DV577. Wellington Ic of 105 OTU Bramcote, Warwicks. Engine fire on t/o fm base, crash-landed Nuneaton airfield LE.
17. JA569. Wellington III of 4 OAPU Melton Mowbray. Engine problems, B/L nr Braunston RU.
19. 41-6259. Thunderbolt P-47C of 27 ATG USAAF. Crashed Sudbury Coppice 3 m W of Church Broughton. 1k.
20. BK273. Wellington III of 18 OTU satellite Worksop. Propellor blade detached after night $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$ fm base, dived in Worksop College NT 3m SSW of A/F. 5k.
21. Z1733. Wellington Ic of 18 OTU satellite Worksop. Engine problems, fast approach to base and hit transformer hut. 1 k .
BJ652. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. Flew into high ground at night Smerrill Grange Fm nr Middleton DE. 6k.
EF151. Stirling III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. EF and u/c problem, hit tree on night approach to base, Brough NT. 3k.
LN238. Wellington X of 84 OTU Desborough. EF, crashed into Geddington Chase NR. 3k.
24. LN948. Wellington X of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. EF after t/o fm base, crashed Lower Lodge Fm, Braybrooke NR. 3k.
26. T6366. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Spun in on approach to Earl's Barton RLG.
27. Z9434. Whitley V of 10 OTU Abingdon, Oxon. EF, F/L at night 2 m E of Croughton.

HE983. Wellington $X$ of 18 OTU satellite Worksop. Lost control and crashed 0.75 m ESE of Lound NT. 5k
HZ484. Wellington X of 84 OTU Desborough. Crashed at night nr the Manor House, Arthingworth NR. 5k.
LN168. Wellington $X$ of 82 OTU satellite Gamston. Engine problem, belly-landed at night at base. 42-31414. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Raised $u / c$ instead of flaps on t/o fm base.

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28. X3962. Wellington III of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. SEF on approach to base, clipped tree, swung ldg and $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ raised to stop.
HE461. Wellington X of 18 OTU Finningley, Yorks. Lost power on overshoot and hit obstruction Worksop.
JA316. Wellington III of 4 OAPU Melton Mowbray. Engine problems, hit HT cables recovering fm dive, Odstone Barn Fm LE.
42-37722. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Caught fire on ldg at base.
29. Z1697. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. EF, lost control, stalled and dived in nr Culworth NR. 4 k .
42-30643. Fortress B-17F of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. U/c retracted at taxying at base en route Brunswick.
42-67521. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed on t/o fm base.
30. 42-31415. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Battle damage, tyre burst ldg base return Brunswick.
42-39834. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. C/L at base return Brunswick.

## February 1944

1. LV828. Halifax III of 427(Canadian)Sqn Leeming, Yorks. EF, propellor detached and hit other engine, abandoned and crashed Warkton NR. 1k.
2. 42-39834. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. U/c collapsed ldg at base.
3. N2764. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Lost power and crashed after night t/o fm base, Sims Farm, Hoton LE.
Z1114. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU satellite Castle Donington. Engine problems, overshot night ldg at base. 5k.
HE749. Wellington X of 84 OTU Desborough. Stalled on overshoot at Worksop and exploded nr Scofton NT. 7k
4. X3409. Wellington III of 82 OTU satellite Gamston. Dived in at night 2 m fm base, exploded. 5 k .

AH899. Tomahawk IIa of 1683 (BD)TFlt Mkt Harborough. Engine fire after t/o fm base, belly-landed nearby.
05. DV866. Wellington IC of 28 OTU satellite Castle Donington. Lost power on t/o fm base and bellylanded.
NX529. Auster AOP III of Crashed Green Mile Lane, Babworth NT.
07. LX306. Oxford I of 18 PAFU Church Lawford, Warwicks. Hit tree low-flying at Caswell nr Greens Norton NR.
10. HF603. Wellington $X$ of 84 OTU Desborough. Landed too fast and overshot at night at base.
11. HZ372. Wellington $X$ of 27 OTU Lichfield, Staffs. Out of fuel, crash-landed at night nr Orton-on-theHill church LE.
12. BK248. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. EF, o/s and crashed at night Foster's Booth nr Pattishall NR. 4 k .
HX816. Mosquito VI of 60 OTU High Ercall, Shrops. Spun in on single-engined approach to Wittering.
13. 42-12578. Lightning P-38F of 27 ATG USAAF Grove, Berks. EF, abandoned and crashed Holdenby NR.
42-98587. L-5 Sentinel of 67 TRG USAAF Membury, Wilts. Crashed 1m W of East Norton LE.
17. HE741. Wellington $X$ of 82 OTU Ossington. 2 xEF on night approach, crashed at base.
19. AH929. Tomahawk IIA of 14 OTU Market Harborough. EF, belly-landed at Harrington.

BZ217. Boston IIIA of 88 Sqn Hartford Bridge Hants. EF on t/o fm Loughborough, hit tree at Dishley LE nr base.
20. DL844. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. U/s ldg at Braunstone, caught wing and o/t. 42-5859. Fortress B-17F of 303 BG USAAF Molesworth Hunts. C/L nr Bozeat NR return Berberg.
21. 42-29858. Fortress B-17G of 351 USAAF BG Polebrook. EF on $t / o \mathrm{fm}$ base en route Germany, C/L and exploded Barnwell NR.
22. [42-31516. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Collided with below during
[ assembly and crashed nr Irthlingborough NR. 8k.
[42-38041. Fortress B-17G of 303 BG USAAF Molesworth, Hunts. Collided with above. 10k.
42-67442. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed ldg at base. 0k.
24. R1269. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU satellite Castle Donington. EF on night overshoot, crashed nr base.

V1707. Albemarle ST II of 42 OTU Ashbourne. U/c collapsed on night ldg at base. 0k.
BJ655. Wellington III of 17 OTUI Silverstone. Abandoned night $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$ and $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ raised to stop Turweston.
DV668. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Verey pistol fired in aircraft on ground at base.

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24 cont 42-67237. Lightning F-5C of 10 PRG USAAF Mount Farm Ox. Dived in at Crossway Hard Fm, Southwick NR.
25. DM283. Master II of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Hit HT cables and crashed at Gregory Rose Gdns, Toton Lane, Stapleford NT.
26. EF127. Stirling III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Out of fuel, crashed between Edwinstowe and Clipston NT. 5k.
28. 42-67982. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Belly-landed at base.
29. 42-38176. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Belly-landed at base.

March

1. EF518. Stirling III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Swung on t/o and hit snow bank at base.

MS803. Martinet I of 84 OTU Desborough. EF at night, F/L and hit wall nr base.
42-68113. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. O/s ldg at Wittering.
02. DV719. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Engine fire at night, abandoned and crashed 0.5 m NW of Weston-by-Welland NR.
42-100544. Dakota C-47A of 436 TCG USAAF Bottesford. EF, F/L Loddington Hall LE.
04. 42-67279. Lightning P-38J of 55 FG USAAF Nuthampstead, Herts. Crashed 1m SE of Anstey LE. 1k.

42-67736. Lighning P-38L of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. EF, crashed into quarry Spanhoe return ops.
42-31034. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Belly-landed at base.
05. 42-37999. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Crashed ldg at base.

43-7005. Mustang P-51B of 4 FG USAAF Debden, Essex. EF F/L Bathurst Farm nr Rushden NR return France.
06. LH290. Horsa I of 1 HGMU Netheravon, Wilts. Overshot on downwind ldg Leicester East.
07. HE818. Wellington X of 18 OTU satellite Worksop. Overshot night ldg at base and lost control, crashed at Blyth NT. 4k.
09. EM376. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Dived in at Werrington NR.

42-31202. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Crashed ldg at base.
10. 42-39878. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Crashed ldg at base.
11. LH270. Horsa I of 1 HGMU Netheravon, Wilts. Overshot ldg at Leicester East.
12. V1604. Albemarle ST II of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Crashed at night, Bradley Nook Fm, Bradley Lodge nr base.
LX745. Oxford I of 11 PAFU Shawbury, Shrops. Flew into high ground at night, The Tors, Shining Tor 3 m W of Burbage DE. 3k.
13. R5851. Lancaster I of 5 LFS Syerston. EF on approach to base, caught by gust and crashed.
14. W7711. Halifax II of 1662 HCU Blyton, Lincs. Tyre burst ldg at Wittering, swung and wrecked..
15. Z1836. Firefly NF II of 746 Sqn FAA Wittering. Hit sandbags ldg at base, u/c collapsed.

BJ696. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Night belly-landing at base, caught fire..
EH989. Stirling III of 90 Sqn Tuddenham, Suffolk. Collided with LN660 (crashed in Bucks) on approach to Silvestone, Bucks returning fm Amiens, crashed Astwell Park nr Syresham NR. 7k.
NM235. Oxford I of 20 PAFU Kidlington Oxon. Out of control avoiding collision at night, crashed Smeeton Westerby, LE.
16. R1183. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU satellite Castle Donington. Flaps dropped just after night t/o, stalled and crashed at base. 2 k .
42-68109. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. EF, abandoned and crashed Thorpe NT.
17. X3967. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. Undershot night ldg at base, u/c collapsed and caught fire.
BK352. Wellington III of 17 OTU Turweston. Overshot ldg at base and hit ground 0.25 m E of Brackley station.
20. X9949. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. EF in night circuit, crash-landed Little Oxenden nr Great Oxenden NR. 1k.
LN181. Wellington X of 82 OTU Ossington. Lost power, entered cloud and lost control, crashed Yardley Gobion NR. 8k.
21. LJ533. Stirling III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. EF, crash-landed and hit tree nr base.
22. LK930. Halifax V of 1664 HCU Dishforth, Yorks. EF at night, F/L Palterton DE. 2k.

42-67725. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed ldg at base.
23. X3337. Wellington III of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. EF at night, u/c would not lock, belly-landed Chipping Warden.
[HF732. Wellington X of 22 OTU Wellesbourne Mountford, Warwicks. Swung on t/o fm Sywell
[ and hit below. 5k.
[MP718.Wellington XIVof 22 OTU Wellesbourne Mountford, Warwicks. Hit by above.
LP258. Wellington X of 26 OTU Wing, Bucks. Control lost in cloud at night, crashed 1 m NW of Hardwick NR. 6k.

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24. R2069. Beaufighter IF of 51 OTU Cranfield, Beds. Control lost during mock attack on B-17, crashed Easton Maudit NR.
LA774. Whitley V of HGCU Nth Luffenham. Engine problem, baulked on approach to base and crashed Empingham RU.
25. N6526. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Hit wires on $\mathrm{o} / \mathrm{s} \mathrm{fm}$ practice F/L at Twycross LE.

X9644. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU satellite Castle Donington. Problem on t/o at base, u/c raised to stop. DL938. Master II of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Stalled on t/o fm base, rolled over and dived in.
42-67731. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Pulled out too low and hit another P-38 on t/o fm base. 1 k .
26. N2737. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Caught fire on ground at base.

T2922. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Hit by night-fighter on leaflet raid over France, bellylanded at base.
AH882. Tomahawk IIa of 1683 BDTFlt Mkt Harborough. Swung on ldg at Bruntingthorpe, u/c collapsed.
42-31098. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Crashed ldg at base return France.
42-97532. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. C/L at base.
27. R1669. Wellington Ic of 14 OTU satellite Husbands Bosworth. Swung on night approach to base, dived in and exploded. 6k.
DM207. Master II of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Stalled on t/o fm base.
29. 43-6817. Mustang P-51B of 363 FG USAAF Rivenhall, Essex. Hit ground during aeros, Geddington NR.1k.
30. P1463. Albemarle GT I of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Hit HT cables in snow on t/o fm base, crashed Bradbourne DE. 4k.
V7464. Hurricane I of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Short of fuel, belly-landed at base.
BZ288. Boston IIIa of 13 OTU Bicester, Oxon. Lost control in haze at night crashed 1.25 m NE of Rothersthorpe NR.
42-100923. Dakota C-47A of 440 TCG USAAF Bottesford. Crashed and caught fire at base.
31. BL680. Spitfire Vb of 7 PRG USAAF Mount Farm, Oxon. Crashed ldg at Kings Cliffe.

LW478. Halifax III of 578 Sqn Burn, Yorks. Hit W/T mast in bad visibility on o/s fm Silverstone, return Nurnburg. 7k.
42-38013. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Crashed ldg at base.
42-107046. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Belly-landed at base. 0k.
43-6844. Mustang P-51C of 4 FG USAAF Debden, Essex. Hit ground during aeros nr Grafton Underwood.
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DV444. Wellington Ic of 28 OTU satellite Castle Donington. EF, u/c would not lower and overshot at base.
AH764. Tomahawk I of 1685 BDTFlt Ossington. Collided with vehicle taxying at base.
04. R5726. Lancaster I of 5 LFS Syerston. Dived in from cloud, broke-up in the air and crashed nr Brenston NT. 7k.
05. LN482. Wellington X of 11 OTU satellite Oakley, Bucks. Lost control in cloud, broke-up and crashed Poplars Farm Rothersthorpe NR. 6k.
08. DK920. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Stalled out of formation and spun in Nassington NR. 43-675. L-4B Cub of 316 TCG USAAF Cottesmore. Crashed at Debdill, Collyweston.
10. NE480. Beaufighter X of 304 FTU Melton Mowbray. Ran out of fuel, stalled and crashed Denton NR.
11. X7291. Oxford II of 116 Sqn Digby, Lincs. Hit tree low-flying at Collyweston.

JN427. Martinet I of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. EF on night approach to base, stalled and crashed.
LK456. Stirling III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Engine fire, crashed just after t/o at base. 9k.
LN245. Wellington X of 84 OTU Desborough. EF on night approach to base, crashed Glendon Rd, Rothwell NR. 4k.
12. W3954. Spitfire VB of 504 Sqn Digby Lincs. EF, hit cows F/L nr Hallaton LE.

DM177. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Dived during low-level flying 1m NW of Northborough NR.
13. 42-98526. L-5 Sentinel of 440 TCG USAAF Bottesford. Crashed ldg at base?
14. P1217. Hampden I of 517 Sqn Brawdy, Wales. Crashed ldg at Tollerton en route scrapping.
[W4103.Lancaster I of 5 LFS Syerston. Collided with below nr Syerston, crashed Screveton NT.
[ 8k.
[LB415. Oxford I of 1521 BATFlt Wymeswold. Collided with above. 2k.
15. HE804. Wellington $X$ of 1481 (B)GFlt Ingham, Lincs. Crashed in wood nr Ollerton NT.
17. W4232. Lancaster I of 5 LFS Syerston. Lost control just after t/o fm base, wing came off in dive. 7 k .
18. 42-39832. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. U/c retracted too soon on t/o fm base.

42-67722. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. EF, belly-landed at base.

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19. MF200. Wellington X of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Crashed at night Normanton-on-Soar NT. 4k.
20. T6268. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Crashed on overshoot at base.

Z1733. Wellington III of 18 OTU satellite Worksop. EF, o/s and hit transformer unit ldg at base.
DL283. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Shot down by intruder at Walton NR.
HZ412. Wellington X of 17 OTUI Silverstone. EF on o/s Turweston, stalled and dived in. 4k.
22. 42-31988. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. $2 x E F$ on t/o en route Hamm, cartwheeled, and crashed at Hemington NR 4 k .
23. Z1621. Wellington III of 28 OTU Wymeswold. EF on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm}$ base, crashed Prestwold Woodyard. LE.
24. 42-37789. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Caught fire ldg at base.
25. LK552. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. 2xEF, abandoned and crashed Cheese House on the Trent NT; cannot trace, possibly Bole NT.
42-31484. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Structural failure nr base.
26. P1592. Albemarle ST I of 42 OTU Ashbourne. U/c collapsed ldg at base.

42-68005. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed ldg at base.
28. Z9164. Whitley V of 42 OTU Ashbourne. EF, C/L 3m NE of Hucknall (nr Papplewick?)

NL762. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Stalled ldg at base.
42-68025. Lightning P-38L of 364 FFG USAAF Honington, Suffolk. Dived in fm high altitude Rushden NR. 1k.
29. W7447. Stirling I of 1665 HCU Tilstock, Shrops. Abandoned and crashed in R. Trent nr West Burton nr Bole NT.

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1. KW119. Beaufighter VIf of 304 FTU Melton Mowbray. EF on overshoot at base, spun in at Kirby Bellars LE. 2k.
42-97522. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Caught fire ldg base.
2. 42-107074. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Undershot ldg and caught fire at base.
3. HJ783. Mosquito VI of 2 GSU Swanton Morley, Norfolk. EF, crashed F/L nr Foxton LE.
4. L1224. Blenheim I of 12 PAFU Grantham, Lincs. Dived in at Houghton-on-the-Hill LE.

ND906. Lancaster III of 7 Sqn Oakington, Cambs. Iced up, lost control and crashed Ashby St Ledgers NR. 8k.
06. LP172. Wellington X of 11 OTU Westcott, Bucks. Dived out of cloud at night Whittlebury NR. 6k.
08. LN646. Wellington X of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Engine problems, overshot night ldg at base. 42-67075. Lightning P-38H of 496 FTG USAAF Goxhill, Lincs. EF, F/L 1 m N of Peakirk NR. 43-28447. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crash-landed at base. 0k.
09. EF249. Stirling III of 218 Sqn Woolfox Lodge. EF on return fm mine laying, flaps wouldn't work, overshot ldg at base, u/c collapsed.
10. MP467. Oxford II of 1538 Flt Croughton. Hit by MP470 (repaired) while waiting to t/o at base.

42-67207. Lightning P-38J of 496 FTG USAAF Goxhill, Lincs. Crashed in cloud Tintwhistle Knarr DE. 1 k .
42-67874. Lightning P-38J of 496 FTG USAAF Goxhill, Lincs. Caught fire in the air, abandoned, crashed nr Tickhill DE.
11. LJ524. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Overshot night landing at base on 3xengines. 5 k . 42-94964. Liberator B-24D of 801 BG USAAF Harrington. Crashed ldg at base.
12. T7964. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. U/c collapsed on heavy ldg at Braunstone RLG. LW965. Oxford I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Collided with LW915 (repaired) after t/o fm Orston RLG. 43-28404. Lightning P-38 J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed ldg at base.
13. DF517. Oxford I of 1655 MTU Warboys, Hunts. Severe turbulence in cloud, broke-up in the air and crashed 1.5 m SE of Gaddesby LE. 4 k .
HE198. Wellington $X$ of 28 OTU satellite Castle Donington. Engine problem on t/o fm base, u/c raised to stop.
14. HE739. Wellington $X$ of 82 OTU satellite Gamston. Out of fuel on return fm leaflet dropping over France, crashed in Thoresby Park NT. 5k.
15. MT454. Auster AOP IV of Auster Aircraft Rearsby. Dived in during air display at Abbey Park, Leicester. 1k.
42-30704. Fortress B-17F of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Battle damage, C/L at base.
42-67130. Lightning F-5C of 10 PRG USAAF Mount Farm Oxon. EF, crash landed Cotesbach LE.
17. EE956. Stirling III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Severe icing, lost control, broke-up and crashed in quarry 1 m NW of Rothwell NR. 9 k .
18. [N9153. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Bounced ldg and hit below on overshoot at Denton RLG. [T5687. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Hit by above while parked.
19. DV368. Lancaster I of 5 LFS Syerston. Tyre burst on t/o fm base, swung and u/c collapsed.

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20. N9375. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Crashed during aerobatics 2 m NNW of Papplewick RLG (nr Newstead Abbey NT?).
LP381. Wellington X of 18 OTU satellite Worksop. Crashed on approach returning fm leaflet raid on France, Peak Hill, Carlton Rd 2 m N of base. 2k.
NL761. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Bounced ldg at base.
21. [P7820. Spitfire Ia of 53 OTU Kirton-in-Lindsey Lincs. Collided with below on camera gun exercise,
[ C/L at Sturton-le-Steeple NT.
[BJ819. Wellington III of 82 OTU Ossington. Collided with above and C/L.
22. JD299. Halifax II of 1658 HCU Riccall, Yorks. EF at night, crash-landed Duke's Wood Eakring NT. 2k.
23. 42-97637. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Battle damage Saarbrucken, C/L at base.
24. 42-97325. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Collided with another B-17(survived) nr base. Fatal.
25. L7578. Lancaster I of 5 LFS Syerston. Dived in at night fm 8,000' and crashed Glebe Farm Gonalston NT. 7k.
LJ558. Stirling III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Swung on landing at base, hit another Stirling (repaired) and workshop.
43-28451. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed ldg at base.
26. [T6954. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Collided in cloud with below 1.5 m SE of Groby LE.
[T7999. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. Collided with above and abandoned.
[W4258.Lancaster I of 5 LFS Syerston. Landed on below at base at night.
[W4383.Lancaster I of 5 LFS Syerston. Hit by above on ground. 3k.
28 W3445. Wellington III of 17 OTU Silverstone. EF at night, o/s belly-ldg Turweston. DBF
BK558. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Caught fire in the air, crash-landed base.
HE846. Wellington X of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. EF during fighter-affiliation, belly-landed at Bruntingthorpe.

## June 1944

1. T6389. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Hit tree low-flying Wilby NR.
2. [42-37511. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Crashed taxying at base and hit below. [42-107043. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG Deenthorpe. Hit by above.
3. [LP906. Wellington X of 81 OTU Tilstock Shrops. Collided with below and crashed at Werrington [ NR?)
[NA702.Halifax III of ORTU Matching Essex. Collided with above.
4. 43-28385. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed ldg at base.
5. LK594. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Lost control descending through cloud, crashed nr Saltby. 7k.
[LL231. Halifax V of 1667 HCU Sandtoft, Lincs. EF, hit below night ldg at Gamston.
[LN535. Wellington X of 82 OTU satellite Gamston. Hit by above.
ME579. Lancaster III of 9 Sqn Bardney, Lincs. Hit trees on night return fm Argentan and crashed nr Belvoir Castle LE. 6k.
42-38098. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Crashed ldg at base.
6. DL890. Master II of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Spun in during aerobatics, Nuthall Rd Nottingham.
7. EM880. Tiger Moth II of 25 PEFTS Hucknall. Heavy ldg at base.

NM706. Oxford I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. EF on t/o fm base, hit obstruction.
11. P1472. Albemarle ST I of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Tyre burst ldg at base.

DK861. Master II of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Hit flagpole during camera gun practice and crashed Owthorpe NT.
ME791. Lancaster I of 44 Sqn Dunholme Lodge, Lincs. Hit by flash bomb during practice bombing, lost aileron and crashed nr Nottingham. 4 k .
12. EF181. Stirling III of 218 Sqn Woolfox Lodge. Tyre burst on t/o fm base for mine-laying, swung and u/c collapsed.
42-104239. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Engine fire, crashed after t/o 5 m W of base. NFD.
42-107210. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Bomb exploded whilst being unloaded at base. 7 k .
44-6082. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Crashed taxying at base en route France.
13. DK941. Master II of 1 FPP White Waltham, Berks. EF, crash-landed nr Gretton NR.

EF299. Stirling III of 218 Sqn Woolfox Lodge. U/c collapsed on night overshoot at base on return fm mine-laying.
14. V1618. Albemarle ST II of 42 OTU Ashbourne. EF, hit tree F/L at Hollington DE.
[LN860. Wellington X of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Caught fire from below.
[MS480.Wellington X of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Caught fire on ground at base.

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15. P1563. Albemarle STI of 9 FP Aston Down Glos. Hit hedge on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$ fm Ashbourne and C/L. 41-23999. Liberator B-24D of 801 BG USAAF Harrington. Stalled and crashed at base.
43-15359. Dakota C-47A of 315 BG USAAF Spanhoe. Crashed taxying at base.
16. 43-28430. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed 6 m SW of 'Colnorden’ $=$ Coleorton LE? 1k.
17. HJ767. Mosquito VI of 60 OTU High Ercall, Shrops. Control lost in cloud, spun in nr Newton.
18. N6721. Tiger Moth II of 25 PEFTS Hucknall. Stalled avoiding another aircraft ldg at base.

T2617. Wellington Ic of 105 OTU satellite Nuneaton. Crashed in circuit at base, Philips Fm, Wykin LE.
42-97139. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Lost control on t/o fm base en route France, ground-looped and hit gunpost..
19. BJ904. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. Out of fuel, lost control and crashed on approach to base. 3 k .
43-28433. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. EF, crash-landed 1 m S of Ketton RU.
43-35336. Forwarder UC-64A of 325 FRS USAAF. F/L 1 m SE of Rothwell NR.
42-68015. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. F/L out of fuel 1 m W of base.
T5788. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Abandoned in spin 0.5 m SE of base.
BB792. Tiger Moth of 6 EFTS Sywell. Hit cyclist low-flying Wollaston NR.
HE989. Wellington X of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Engine problem, bounced ldg Silverstone, u/c collapsed.
24. JA452. Wellington $X$ of 82 OTU Ossington. Oxygen cylinder exploded on ground at base.
26. N6916. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Heavy ldg at base, DBR.
29. HF641. Wellington III of 22 OTU Wellesbourme Mountford, Warwicks. Struck by lightning, exploded and crashed nr Roade NR. 6k.
30. N9182. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Heavy ldg at base, DBR.

BK803. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Engine fire at night, abandoned and crashed nr Rufford Colliery nr Rainworth NT.
43-685. L-4B Cub of 27 ATC USAAF Grove, Berks. Lost control during aeros and hit hut, Grafton Underwood.
43-10194. Havoc A-20G of 416 BG USAAF Wethersfield, Essex. EF on t/o, crashed 1 m N of Cottesmore. Fatal.

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1. LN689. Wellington X of 14 OTU satellite Husbands Bosworth. EF, hit trees 2 m N of Clipston NR. 1 k .
2. EE899. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Landed at Winthorpe on three engines, bounced, stalled and $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed.
MG980. Anson I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. U/c collapsed in heavy landing in bad visibility at base.
3. 42-68160. Lightning P-38J of 20 USAAF FG Kings Cliffe. Taxying accident at base.
4. N4765. Oxford II of 74 Service Group USAAF (base $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{k}$ ). Crashed-landed Darley DE.
5. X3354. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. EF on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{fm}$ base, swung, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed.

AZ660. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Bounced ldg at base and wing hit ground.
MZ519. Halifax III of 578 Sqn Burn, Yorks. Crashed returning fm Croixdalle, nr Farnsfield NT. 7k
42-31037. Fortress B-17G of 401 USAAF BG Deenethorpe. Taxying accident at base, hit by another B17.
07. DE259. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Failed to recover fm spin, crashed at Annesley Hall NT. 43-37534. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. EF on t/o, belly-landed at base.
N/K Hadrian CG-4 of 434 TCG USAAF Aldermaston, Berks. Crash-landed Tiffield NR.
08. X7630. Beaufighter If of 51 OTU Cranfield, Beds. Caught fire in the air, blew up nr Collyweston.
[42-108873.Dakota C-47A of 315 TCG USAAF Spanhoe. Collided with below and crashed Tinwell
[ RU. 34 Polish paratroopers and US crews killed.
[43-15341.Dakota C-47A of 315 TCG. Collided with above.
09. 42-40501. Liberator B-24D of 801 BG USAAF Harrington. Crashed at base.
11. X3306. Wellington III of 29 OTU satellite Bitteswell. O/s ldg and $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed at base.

EM400. Master II of 16 (P)FTS Newton, Heavy ldg at Orston LG, u/c collapsed.
LL675. Lancaster II of 408 (Canadian) Sqn Linton-on-Ouse, Yorks. Crashed at night on railway sidings nr Eaton LE. 6k.
12. BJ622. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Landed at base at night with wheels up. 42-68176. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed on t/o fm base.
42-103309. Lightning P-38J of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed on t/o fm base.

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13. [LN509. Wellington $X$ of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Collided with below and crashed at night East [ Farndon NR. 2k.
[LP627. Wellington X of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Collided with above. 2k.
42-107139. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Top turret caught fire on ground at base.
43-37674. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Crashed ldg at base.
43-37780. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Overshot on wet runway at base, into hedge.
14. T6262. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Hit DF150 (repaired) on t/o fm base.

DM428. Master II of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Stalled ldg at Tollerton and wing hit ground.
LK489. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Tyre burst night ldg at base, u/c collapsed.
44-6122. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Controls locked, crashed landing at base.
17. LP406. Wellington $X$ of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Dived in at night and exploded Ragdale bombing range LE. 6k.
44-13631. Mustang P-51D of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Belly-landed at base.
18. DL883. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Lost power on approach to base and hit fence.

EJ114. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Overshot $3 x$ engine ldg at base, CL at Girton NT.
19. LJ539. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Vibration on t/o fm base, $u / \mathrm{c}$ jammed down, emergency ldg, ran out of runway.
LN967. Wellington X of 84 OTU Desborough. Escape hatch blew off on night t/o fm base, braked and hit obstruction.
PG994. Oxford I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Lost control at night, crashed nr Normanton-on-Trent NT.
20. EH951. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Engine fire, abandoned and crashed at Glebe Farm Clipstone NT.
22. 42-97201. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Crashed ldg at base.
24. V1621. Albemarle ST II of 42 OTU Ashbourne. EF, u/s approach to base and hit buildings.

BD230. Whitley V of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Dived in on night circuit at base, Mugginton DE.
EH978. Stirling III of 1660 HCU Swinderby, Lincs. Hit tree on t/o fm base and lost port tailplane, tried to land at Winthorpe, lost control avoiding aircraft on ground, crashed nr airfield. 9 k .
FV986. Mitchell II of 13 OTU Bicester, Oxon. Dived in at night, Chilwell NT.
25. T6820. Tiger Moth II of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Lost power and stalled on practice F/L, hit hedge at Walton-on-Trent, DE.
DE284. Tiger Moth II of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Overturned in F/L at Hilton Lodge, Etwall DE.
26. N6809. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. U/s ldg and hit hedge at Earls Barton RLG.
28. P1605. Albemarle ST I of ORTU Hampstead Norris, Berks. EF on approach to Cottesmore.
29. N3941. Magister I of 418(Canadian)Sqn Hurn, Hants. Out of fuel, o/s F/L at Ilkeston DE.

LJ585. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. EF at night, caught fire, partially abandoned and crashed nr Normanton-on-Trent NT. 4k.
42-31875. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Overshot ldg on short, wet runway at base, return Merseburg, into ditch.
30. [V3791. Oxford II of AFDU Wittering. Hit by below after ldg at base.
[HK320. Mosquito XVII of 219 Sqn Bradwell Bay, Essex. Hit the above ldg at Wittering.
AL491. Boston DB-7B of 41 CW USAAF (base $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{k}$ ). Crashed ldg at Grafton Underwood.
42-97638. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Crashed ldg at base.
31. L6680. Blenheim I of 13 OTU Bicester, Oxon. Hit Wellington (repaired) ldg at Chipping Warden.

BK455. Wellington III of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Stalled in circuit at base due to fuel being accidently switched off.
JS999. Dauntless I of 787 Sqn FAA Wittering. U/c collapsed ldg at base.
NC452. Wellington $X$ of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Fuel tank switched off by mistake in night circuit, crashed nr base.

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1. HE993. Wellington X of 18 OTU Finningley, Yorks. Orbiting Ashbourne airfield at night, lost control and sideslipped in . 6 k .
LK494. Stirling III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Tyre burst on t/o fm base, u/c collapsed.
LN511. Wellington X of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. EF on overshoot, crashed nr Church Langton LE.
42-97072. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Couldn't find formation in bad weather assembling for France, EF and crashed Weldon NR. 9k.
2. NA581. Halifax III of 425 (Canadian)Sqn Tholthorpe, Yorks. Dived in fm 4,000' 1 m SW of Blyth NT. 7k.
44-13832. Mustang P-51D of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Spun in fm cloud during formation assembly, crashed south side of canal Werrington NR. 1k.

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3. X3837. Wellington III of 82 OTU Ossington. Landed with $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ up by mistake at base.

EE967. Stirling III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Swung on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ base avoiding another aircraft, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed.
42-107224. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Hit trees in mist on approach to base. Fatal.
04. 44-13924. Mustang P-51D of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. EF on t/o fm Sibson, crashed at Wansford NR. 1k.
05. HE821. Wellington X of 86 OTU Gamston. Lost power, stalled and crashed Henny Moor Farm, Cresswell DE. 5k.
07. P1519. Albemarle ST I of 42 OTU Ashbourne. O/s ldg at base, swung, u/c collapsed.

MJ413 Spitfire IX of 1 FPP White Waltham, Berks. Stalled after t/o fm Ratcliffe on the Wreake. 1k.
08. R6389. Oxford II of RAFC SFTS Cranwell, Lincs. Lost engine nacelle fairing, dived in Pytchley Lodge NR.
09. LF313. Hurricane IIc of 28 OTU Wymeswold. EF on $t / o \mathrm{fm}$ Peterborough, belly-landed.

42-97777. Fortress B-17G 379 BG USAAF Kimbolton Hunts. Crashed at Grafton Underwood.
11. 44-6005. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Caught fire on ground at base.
12. BK562. Wellington III of 30 OTU satellite Seighford, Staffs. Instrument failure at night, partially abandoned, crashed Wilford, Nottingham. 3k.
EB 192. Halifax V of 1667 HCU Sandtoft Linc. Flew into high ground in bad weather Wiseton Park, NT.
LN446. Wellington X of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. EF, crashed on approach to Worksop. 1k.
42-107005. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Caught fire on ground at base.
13. DP348. Horsa I of HGCU Nth Luffenham. Stalled in circuit at base and crashed.

LN281. Wellington X of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. EF, crashed 4 m N of Melton Mowbray off Saxby Road. 7k.
LN987. Wellington X of 28 OTU Wymeswold. Brakes failed ldg at base, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ raised to stop.
14. HE428. Wellington $X$ of 82 OTU Ossington. Fuel switched off in error, crash-landed nr Egmanton NT.
PD208. Lancaster I of 550 Sqn Nth Killingholme, Lincs. Crashed on return fm Fontaine-le-Pin at Wansford NR believed due to autopilot failure. 7 k .
15. 43-38116. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Battle damaged Chemnitz, C/L at base. 44-8011. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Taxying accident at base.
17. LN600. Wellington $X$ of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. EF on approach to base, overshot.
19. [W6643.Oxford II of 85 Group CFlt Heston, Middlesex. Collided with below ldg at P'boro.
[W9061.Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Hit by above while parked at base.
AZ359. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Stalled and dived in at night, Ailsworth NR.
AZ890. Blenheim V of 12 PAFU Grantham, Lincs. Flew into ground at night, Sewstern Grange LE. 1k.
MF568. Wellington X of 105 OTU Nuneaton. Overshot on wet runway, u/c raised to stop at base.
21. DZ433. Mosquito IV of 1655 MTU Wyton, Hunts. Spun in fm cloud, Everton NT. 2k.
24. 43-37551. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Crashed ldg at base.
27. LK616. Stirling III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Crashed at night Hawton NT. 6k.

42-31779. Fortress B-17G of 379 BG USAAF Kimbolton, Hunts. Mid-air fire, abandoned and crashed Slipton NR.
28. LP208. Wellington $X$ of 18 OTU Finningley, Yorks. EF, belly-landed Hardwick SLG DE.

43-25028. Mustang P-51C of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed on t/o at base.
30. EF200. Stirling III of 1660 HCU Swinderby, Lincs. EF lost control on night overshoot, hit tree and crashed Hardwick Grange NT. 5k.
HE485. Wellington X of 86 OTU Gamston. Engine problem at night, crashed Haughton Hall NT. 5k.
LN394. Wellington X of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Hit HT pylon at night, nr railway sidings Welham LE. 5 k .
AL491. Boston DB7B of 41 CW USAAF Grafton Underwood. Crashed on ldg at base.
31. LJ630. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Engine fire at night, crashed Stanton-by-Dale DE. 7k. [N5451. Tiger Moth II of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Collided with below and crashed Chellaston DE. [NM637 . Oxford I of 11 PAFU Shawbury, Shrops. Collided with above.

## September

1. T9747. Magister I of the ATA. EF on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$ fm Desford, hit house.

Z1661. Wellington III of 82 OTU Ossington. EF at night, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ would not lower properly and collapsed Idg at base.
BD137. Harvard IIA of 1 SF USAAF, Honington Suffolk. Crashed 2 m E of Grafton Underwood. Fatal.
01/02. n/k Ju 88 Mistel. Crashed at Warsop Vale NT. NFD.

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2. LM279. Lancaster I of 57 Sqn East Kirkby, Lincs. Dived in fm cloud at night after t/o for Brest, 2 m NE of Crick NR. 7k.
LW344. Halifax II of 1656 HCU Lindholme, Yorks. Ran into violent thunderstorm, iced up and crashed Little Casterton RU. 8k.
3. HF570. Wellington $X$ of 84 OTU Desborough. EF on night approach to base, hit trees and crashed. 3k.
4. BK252. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. EF at night, returned to base, overshot, yawed and crashed 1 m fm airfield. 2 k .
HE982. Wellington X of 17 OTU Silverstone. Dived in at night on o/s base. 5 k .
PG494. Hurricane IIc of 51 OTU Cranfield, Beds. Stalled on approach to Saltby in bad weather.
5. MF562. Wellington X of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Dived in at night 1 m E of Keyham LE on Hungarton road. 8 k .
N/K. Norseman C-64 of USAAF. Crashed Desford railway junction. 2 k .
6. HM904. Oxford I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. U/c collapsed ldg at base.
7. MF425. Wellington $X$ of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. EF on approach, overshot ldg at base.

MF439. Wellington X of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. EF on approach, banked to avoid another aircraft in circuit and crashed nr base.
$\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{k} \quad$ Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Flak-damaged Germany and abandoned over Northampton, flew on and crashed Cotterill Spinney, Little Stretton LE.
12. P1659. Albemarle ST I of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Brakes failed ldg at base, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ raised to stop. HP321. Martinet I of 1690 BDTFlt Syerston. Crashed at Hucknall. 2k. 42-40713. Liberator B-24D of 492 BG USAAF Harrington. Crashed on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{fm}$ base.
15. 41-6178W. Thunderbolt P-47C of 495 FTG USAAF Atcham, Shrops. Crashed at Dovedale Rd Leicester. $1 \mathrm{k}+1 \mathrm{k}$.
17. 42-67872. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Stalled and crashed on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$ at base, Weldon. 9 k .
18. BF481. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Swung on night $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm}$ base, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed.

DM244. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Stalled at low altitude and hit house Haunton, NT
20. EF115. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Swung ldg at base on three engines, hit tree trunk, u/c collapsed. 0k.
21. LN876. Wellington $X$ of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. SEF, F/L at Theddingworth LE. 0k.
22. LX475. Oxford I Of 6 PAFU Little Rissington, Glos. Descending through cloud at night, flew into ground at Castle Donington.
23. 44-6485. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Mechanical failure, fire in bomb bay at base.
24. LP826. Wellington $X$ of 85 OTU satellite Husbands Bosworth. Dived in at night Althorp Park nr Great Brington NR. 7k.
25. [AZ598. Master II of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Hit by below on ground at Tollerton RLG.
[DL894. Master II of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Swung ldg at Tollerton and hit above.
[HM791. Oxford I of 18 PAFU Church Lawford, Warwicks. Collided with below and crashed [ Crowfield NR.
[LW867.Oxford I of 18 PAFU Church Lawford. Collided with above at night, C/L Turweston.
26. BD296. Whitley V of 42 OTU Ashbourne. U/c collapsed ldg at base.

DL247. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Stalled Idg at base and o/t.
27. KG547. Dakota III of 107 OTU Leicester East. U/c collapsed in heavy ldg at base.

LK453. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Crashed in night circuit of base in bad weather 1 m N. 7 k . 43-37776. Fortress B-17G of 490 BG USAAF Eye, Suffolk. Crashed and caught fire Elmside Farm, Nailstone LE. Fatal.
44-6080. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Taxying accident at base.
29. 42-35439. Norseman UC-64 of 10 ADG USAAF Chilbolton, Hants. Hit ground descending in cloud, o/t and caught fire Shining Tor nr Buxton DE. 2 k .
43-38262. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Caught fire on ground at base.

## October

1. W4941. Lancaster I of 5 LFS Syerston. U/c collapsed at dispersal on base. DBR.

EG423. Anson I of 42 OTU satellite Darley Moor. Skidded on wet grass and $u / c$ collapsed taxying at base.
06. ME996. Wellington $X$ of 17 OTUI Silverstone. U/c raised too soon on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{f} \mathrm{fm}$ base. DBF.
07. DP810. Horsa I of HGCU Nth Luffenham. U/c collapsed in heavy ldg at night, base.
09. 44-13848. Mustang P-51D of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed on t/o at base and exploded.
10. DM333. Master II of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Abandoned $t / o$ and o/t at Tollerton.

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11. DK822. Master II of 5 PAFU Sealand, Wales. Stalled and dived in, Heathcote DE.

42-52003. Liberator B-24J of BADA USAAF Burtinwood Lancs. Hit ground in cloud 1m N of Brookhouse DE.
[42-3510. Fortress B-17G of 96 BG USAAF Snetterton Heath, Norfolk. Collided with below
[ in turbulence and crashed at Woodend NR. 4k.
[42-31053. Fortress B-17G of 96 BG. Collided with the above. 7k.
12. DM424. Master II of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Caught fire on overshoot at base, dived in 1 m NE of Plumtree NT.
JA475. Wellington X of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Lost control in thunderstorm, crashed Coton NR. 6k.
13. MF515. Wellington $X$ of 105 OTU satellite Nuneaton. Tyre burst on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ base, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ raised to stop, slid into railway cutting.
PE882. Focke-Wulf FW190A-4 of 1426 EAFlt Collyweston. Caught fire in the air and crashed nr base by A43. 1k.
43-42089. Hadrian GC-4A of 316 TCG USAAF Cottesmore. Crashed nr Tiffield NR. Fatal.
43-19807. Hadrian CG-4A of 316 TCG USAAF . Collided (with above?), Tiffield NR.
14. V7223. Hurricane I of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Bounced ldg at base.
15. BK555. Wellington III of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Fuel cocks mismanaged on approach, belly-landed nr base.
EM815. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Collided with T7687 (repaired) on approach to base.
16. X3719. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. EF on approach to base, overshot and crashed.
LN536. Wellington $X$ of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Caught fire in the air at night, crashed Yardley Hastings NR. 6k.
MF518. Wellington $X$ of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Hit trees and crashed just after t/o fm base Marston Trussell NR. 6k.
17. X3879. Wellington III of 29 OTU satellite Bitteswell. Engine lost power, C/L nr base.
19. LP332. Wellington $X$ of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Iced up at night, lost control, broke-up and crashed nr Castle Donington. 5k.
21. T6030. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Spun in fm cloud Starthwood Farm nr Watnall NT.
24. LP844. Wellington $X$ of 18 OTU satellite Worksop. Stalled and crashed just after night $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$ fm base. 3k. 42-93780. Dakota C-47A of 316 TCG USAAF Cottesmore. Crashed ldg at base. 0k.
26. 43-48399. Dakota C-47B of 316 TCG USAAF Cottesmore. Crashed ldg at base.
27. DZ256. Mosquito NFII of 239 Sqn West Raynham Norfolk. Spun in during fighter affiliation nr Coddington NT (but possibly Lincs)
28. 42-97938. Fortress B-17G of 401 USAAF BG Deenethorpe. Crashed ldg at base.
$\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{k} \quad$ Thunderbolt P-47D of unknown unit USAAF. Crashed at Finney Spring nr Shepshed LE. 1k.
29. Z6176. Blenheim IV of RAF Film Unit Catterick, Yorks. Hit colliery cable nr Mansfield NT.

DE157. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Dived in fm slow roll at Barracks Farm, Papplewick Moor RLG.

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3. HN429. Oxford I of 11 PAFU Shawbury, Shrops. Flew into high ground Axe Edge 1m SW of Burbage DE.
4. N9347. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall.Crashed in heavy ldg at base.

EF266. Stirling III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Crashed on 3xengine approach to base at Collingham NT.
HE806. Wellington X of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. SEF on night approach, crash-landed.
43-617. Cub L-4B of 315 TG USAAF Spanhoe. Crashed on ldg at base.
05. LL778. Lancaster I of 5 LFS Syerston. Overshot 3xengine night ldg at base.
06. 44-14198. Mustang P-51D of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Taxying accident at base.
07. LX638. Oxford I of 18 PAFU Church Lawford, Warwicks. Lost propellor and dived in at Wymondham LE. 4k.
08. HE787. Wellington $X$ of 82 OTU Ossington. Bounced night ldg at base, swung and caught fire.

JA343. Wellington $X$ of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. Dived in at night 1 m SSW of base. 6 k .
09. [43-37666. Fortress B-17G of 303 BG USAAF Molesworth, Hunts. Collided with below and crashed nr
[ Harrington.
[43-38057. Fortress B-17G of 303 BG USAAF Molesworth, Hunts. Collided with above. 17k in the two [ a/c.
44-8227. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Taxying accident at base.

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10. [T7689. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Collided with below over base.
[T7741. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Collided with above.
DL845. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Bounced ldg and u/c collapsed, base.
11. HE750. Wellington $X$ of 91 GSU Gamston. Caught fire in hangar at base.
12. 42-97941. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Taxying accident at base.
13. LN639. Wellington X of 84 OTU Desborough. Swung night ldg at base and hit LN234 (repaired). 1k.

42-37945. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Taxying accident at base.
44-13702. Mustang P-51D of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed ldg at base. 1k.
44-14438. Mustang P-51D of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Crashed ldg at base - connected with above?
21. 41-23682W. Liberator B-24D of 492 BG USAAF Harrington. Crashed on t/o fm base.

42-102566. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. C/L at base.
22. EB337. WhitleyV of 42 OTU Ashbourne. EF, F/L Moss Farm, Bradley DE.

MF705. Wellington X of 17 OTU Silverstone, Bucks. SBEF, crash-landed Ashby St Ledgers NR.
TP814. Me109G of 1426 Flt Wittering. U/c on t/o base.
42-102566. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. U/c collapsed ldg at base.
23. TP814. Messerschmidt Me 109G of AFDU Wittering.U/c collapsed on t/o fm base.
24. LL132. Halifax V of 1669 HCU Langar. Swung ldg at base, opened up and hit engine stand.

NA783. Wellington $X$ of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Wingtip hit ground circling at night, crashed Litchborough NR. 5k.
41-23682. Liberator B-24D of 492 BG USAAF Harrington. Nose wheel collapsed on t/o fm base, nosed over.
25. DT519. Halifax II of 1669 HCU Langar. Engine problems at night, hit trees and Nissen hut ldg Bottesford.
LN242. Wellington X of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. EF after night t/o, crashed on Manor Farm, Upper Boddington NR. $7 \mathrm{k}+3$ civilians.
MX709. Barracuda II of 7 FP Sherburn-in-Elmet, Yorks. Crashed in low cloud and bad visibility Annesley North station NT. 1k.
44-8445. Fortress B-17G of BAD 1 USAAF Burtonwood, Lancs. Bounced ldg Deenethorpe, overshot and crashed Great Oakley NR. Fatal.
26. LA914. Whitley V of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Swung ldg at base and u/c collapsed.

LX307. Oxford I of 18 PAFU Church Lawford, Warwicks. Frost on wings so stalled on t/o fm Harrington.
27. PB745. Lancaster I of 189 Sqn Fulbeck, Lincs. Crashed after t/o for Munchen, nr Saltby. 4k.

42-95290. Liberator B-24D of 492 BG USAAF Harrington. O/s ldg at base, u/c collapsed.
28. 43-38627. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Crashed night ldg at base after leaflet raid.

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LN167. Wellington $X$ of 82 OTU Ossington. Engine fire, lost control and crashed Crow Park Farm, Sutton-on-Trent NT. 5k.
MM783.Mosquito NF XXX of 12 FU Melton Mowbray. Side-slipped in on approach to base in bad visibility. 1 k .

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3. 42-97475. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Crashed on t/o fm base.
4. LL172. Halifax V of 1669 HCU Langar. Bounced on night ldg at base and hit JN917 (repaired).

43-38750. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. 3xEF, undershot and crashed ldg at Deenethorpe.
06. [KB768.Lancaster X of 428 (Canadian) Sqn Middleton St George, Durham. Collided with below en [ route Bohlem, crashed 1 m E of Yelvertoft NR. 7k.
[LW200.Halifax VII of 426 (Canadian) Sqn Linton-on-Ouse, Yorks. Collided with above en route. 7k.
07. 42-107121. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Ground-looped at base.
09. 42-102576. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Crash-landed at base.
11. N9853. Anson I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Flew into high ground in fog, Kinder Scout 3m NW of Edale DE.
NG270. Lancaster I of 1651 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Crashed in bad weather at night, probably due to severe icing, Ailsworth NR. 7 k .
12. V3901. Oxford I of 18 PAFU Church Lawford, Warwicks.Hit HT cables low-flying, Newbold Grounds, Lower Catesby NR.
HX816. Mosquito VI of 60 OTU High Ercall, Salop. Lost control on single-engine approach to Wittering.

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15. LF393. Hurricane IIc of 1669 HCU Langar. Lost in bad weather, landed Saltby downwind, o/s and hit hedge.
43-38973. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Hit Daventry radio mast in fog, crashed at Norton NR 10k.
16. HR691. Halifax II of 1669 HCU Langar. Engine problem on night $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ base, crash-landed.

44-8275. Fortress B-17G of 379 BG USAAF Kimbolton, Hunts. Mid-air fire during assembly for Stuttgart, abandoned and crashed Bozeat NR - pilot remained to miss village. 1k.
17. LP306. Wellington $X$ of 17 OTUI Silverstone. Stalled on $t / o \mathrm{fm}$ Turweston. DBF.
18. P1554. Albemarle ST I of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Hit house on night approach to base.

HZ533. Wellington X of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. Crashed nr railway on night overshoot at base. 4 k .
NC494. Wellington X of 22 OTU Wellesbourne Mountford, Warwicks. Dived in at night nr Chipping Warden. 6k.
24. R7568. Proctor III of 84 GP CSqn Gilze-Rejen, Belgium. O/s F/L in bad visibility, hit fence nr Corby.

N/K Air-launched V-1. Crashed Beighton Hill, Matlock DE.
" " . Crashed Buxton DE.
" " Crashed Chapel-en-le-Frith DE.
". . Crashed Sturton-le-Steeple NT.
" ". . Crashed Woodford NR.
31. LK460. Stirling III of SFU Honiley Warks. U/c leg jammed up, belly-landed Wittering.

LN973. Wellington $X$ of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Landed at base wheels up and caught fire.
43-38585. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Battle-damaged Neuss, C/L at base.

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1. N/K. Air-launched V-1. Crashed W of Castor NR.
2. V3878. Oxford I of 18 PAFU Church Lawford, Warwicks. Lost, iced up and abandoned Woodford Halse NR
3. BJ909. Wellington III of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Flew into the ground on approach to base in bad weather at night, nr Kimcote LE. 5k.
LP841. Wellington $X$ of 82 OTU Ossington. Crashed after night $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ base, at Laxton NT. 4 k .
4. Z9443. Whitley V of 42 OTU Ashbourne. U/c collapsed taxying at base.

LL636. Lancaster II of 1668 HCU Bottesford. Caught fire on ground at base.
07. JB286. Lancaster III of 467(Australian)Sqn Waddington, Lincs. Abandoned over the North Sea on return fm Munich, crashed nr Eye NR. 7k in sea.
08. W3825. Spitfire VB of 42 OTU. Ashbourne. Taxied into tractor at Darley Moor.
09. DM437. Master II of 16 (P)FTS Newton. EF on t/o fm base, hit fence.
10. KJ835. Dakota IV of 108 OTU Wymeswold. EF, dived in in snow between Sileby and Barrow LE. 3k.
42-97263. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Crashed after t/o fm base en route Germany..
43-38354. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Crashed on t/o fm base en route Germany.
12. BL714. Spitfire Vb of 12 FU Melton Mowbray. Running up at base and tipped on nose, DBR.

JB125. Lancaster III of 5 LFS Syerston. Overshot in bad weather at night, banked and crashed 0.5 m N of Tree Hotel, Hoveringham NT. 7 k .
13. N/K. Air-launched V-1. Crashed in sewerage farm Irthlingborough NR.
14. X3465. Wellington III of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. Crashed in bad weather at night on return fm diversion sweep, Wymeswold. 1 k .
EF204. Stirling III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Flew into ground descending in cloud in bad weather at night, Barnby-in-the-Willows NT. 6k
EH988. Stirling III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Engine fire, dived in Home Farm, Annesley Park NT. 5 k .
LK618. Stirling III of 11 FU Talbenny, Sth Wales. O/s abandoned t/o and hit bank, u/c collapsed, Melton Mowbray.
MF116. Wellington $X$ of 26 OTU Wing, Bucks. Crashed at night Holt Farm, Sketchley LE. 6k.
15. LP828. Wellington $X$ of 30 OTU Hixon, Staffs. Abandoned out of fuel on return fm diversion sweep, crashed on tennis courts, Wilford NT.
LP830. Wellington X of 30 OTU Hixon, Staffs. Abandoned out of fuel on return fm diversion sweep, crashed Arnold NT.
16. DV161. Lancaster III of 1653 HCU Nth Luffenham. Crashed in base circuit after night $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$, at Morcott RU. 7k.

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17. DM441. Master II of 20 PAFU Kidlington, Oxon. EF on t/o towing glider fm Croughton, cast-off and belly-landed 0.5 m N .
NC706. Wellington $X$ of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. EF, crashed on night approach at Walton LE. 5k.
18. HN587. Oxford I of 21 PAFU Wheaton Aston, Staffs. Stalled off turn and crashed Beeston Rylands NT.
19. T7866. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. F/L in snow, hit fence nr Daventry NR.

NH253. Spitfire IX of 5 FP Thame, Bucks. Control lost in cloud, abandoned and crashed Stonton Wyville LE.
42-94920. Liberator B-24H of 446 BG USAAF Bungay Suff. Abandoned in snow return Germany, crashed Hinton NR.
42-97766. Fortress B-17G of 482 BG USAAF Alconbury, Hunts. Abandoned in snow storm returning fm raid and crashed Home Farm Blatherwycke NR.
43-38542. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Crash-landed Clopton NR in snow storm returning fm raid. 1 k .
N/K. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Abandoned in snow return Germany, crashed Tur Langton LE.
22. EB951. Oxford I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Overshot ldg base and $u / c$ collapsed.

43-38125. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Crashed-landed 3m SE of Saltby. NFD.
43-38721. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Taxying accident at base.
42-102620. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Taxying accident at base. Connected with above?
23. LL587. Halifax III of 347 (French)Sqn Elvington, Yorks. Engine fire on return fm Gelsenkirchen, partially abandoned and crashed Woodford NR. 2k.
27. ED413. Lancaster III of 1651 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Single-engine practice, unable to feather prop and belly-landed at Castle Farm, Barnwell NR. Ok.
29. HJ775. Mosquito VI of 51 OTU Cranfield, Beds. Caught fire in the air, crashed nr Northampton.

LM308. Lancaster III of 5 LFS Syerston. Caught fire in air at night and crashed nr base. 7k.
February
03. LN838. Wellington X of 14 OTU satellite Husbands Bosworth. Dived in at night and exploded nr Flore NR. 7k.
LP640. Wellington X of 85 OTU Husbands Bosworth. EF, F/L nr Mkt Harborough airfield.
43-7000W. Mustang P-51B of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. EF, crashed nr base.
04. LM629. Lancaster III of 5 LFS Syerston. O/s on 3xengine approach to base.
05. Z6473. Whitley V of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Bounced ldg and $u / c$ collapsed at base.

LX846. Beaufighter X of 12 FU Melton Mowbray. U/c collapsed ldg at base, DBR.
N/K. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Crashed after t/o fm base at Rushden. 7 k .
06. [43-37595.Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Collided with below over base returning
[ fm Germany, crashed Lutton NR. 19k in the two a/c.
[43-38080. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Collided with above.
07. BD661. Whitley V of 21 HGCU Brize Norton Oxon. Swung ldg in cross-wind and u/c collapsed, Ashbourne.
EB361. Whitley V of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Swung ldg in cross-wind at base, u/c collapsed.
HE286. Wellington $X$ of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. SBEF in circuit at base, F/L nr Gilmorton LE.
JA684. Lancaster III of 1668 HCU Bottesford. Flaps retracted by mistake on 3xengine overshoot, crashed off runway and caught fire.
ME325. Lancaster III of 1651 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Practice bomb exploded in bomb bay on approach to base, crash-landed.
11. JA457. Wellington X of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. 1xengine practice, lost height and F/L at night nr Shearsby LE. 0k.
15. 43-37922. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Lost control on t/o fm base en route Zossen, crashed Newton Bromswold NR. $7 \mathrm{k}+2 \mathrm{k}$.
43-38291. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Hit pole and tree on t/o fm base en route Zossen, High Hayden Lodge, Rushden NR .7k.
16. N9882. Anson I of 1426(EA)Flt Collyweston. O/s F/L in bad weather at base, u/c raised to stop.
18. [EB797. Oxford 1 of 16(P)FTS Newton. Collided with below 1 m S of base.
[FT395. Harvard IIb of 16 (P)FTS. Collided with above.
19. LF741. Hurricane IIc of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Attempted night ldg at base in crosswind, swung into ditch.
42-31630. Fortress B-17G of 457 BG USAAF Glatton, Hunts. Hit ground nr Grafton Underwood whilst searching for Deenethorpe in bad weather. 7 k ..

## February 1945 cont

20. HK729. Lancaster I of 1669 HCU Langar. Flash bomb exploded in bay on approach to base, 2xEF, C/L 0.5 m SE of Barnstone Station NT. 1k.
21. [Z6665. Whitley V of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Hit below taxying at night at base.
[LA820. Whitley V of 42 OTU Ashbourne. Hit by above while parked at base.
[PZ765. Hurricane IIc of 11 PAFU Shawbury, Shrops. Flew into high ground in formation Didsbury
[PZ851 Hurricane IIc of 11 PAFU. Intake, Tintwhistle DE. 3k.
[PZ854. Hurricane IIc of 11 PAFU.
22. PN366. Halifax III of 1663 HCU Rufforth, Yorks. $2 x E F$ feathered in error, broke-up in steep bank and crashed Drift rd Edmonthorpe LE. 7k.
23. FL183. Mitchell II of 2 GSU Fersfield, Norfolk. Hit trees in bad visibility nr Worksop NT.

NG382. Lancaster I of 1669 HCU Langar. Swung on t/o fm base and hit MT hut.
26. DS838. Lancaster II of 1668 HCU Bottesford. Swung off taxi track into soft ground.

44-14844. Mustang P-51D of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. EF, belly-landed at base.
27. MA814. Spitfire IX of 303 (Polish) Sqn Coltishall Norfolk. Hit ground during roll at Harrington NR (or Lincs?)
28. KJ806. Dakota IV of 108 OTU Wymeswold. O/s ldg at Castle Donington satellite and hit bank.

March 1945
02. 42-103793W. Mustang P-51C of 359 FG USAAF East Wretham, Norfolk. Hit tree in beat-up, crashed nr Polebrook. 1k.
03. JB699. Lancaster III of 1651 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Shot down by intruder on return fm diversion ops, crashed at Cottesmore. 7 k .
ME781. Lancaster I of 1651 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Lost height on 3xengine approach to base on return fm diversion op, yawed as power applied and crashed nr base. 6 k .
ND387. Lancaster III of 1651 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Shot down by intruder on return fm diversion op, crashed nr Stretton RU. 6k.
PB118. Lancaster III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Shot down by intruder on return fm diversion op, partially abandoned and crashed Church Warsop NT. 1k.
04. LM748. Lancaster III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Shot down by intruder nr base.

LN178. Wellington X of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. EF, F/L at night nr Shearsby LE.
NM683. Oxford I of NTU Warboys, Hunts. Flew into high ground in cloud, Rushup Edge 0.5 m S of Barber Booth DE.
PD431. Lancaster I of 1653 HCU Nth Luffenham. Bounced ldg at night, u/c hit van and tree, crashed nr Edith Weston RU. 7k.
44-6464.Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. EF, abandoned on approach Bitteswell return Germany, crashed Moorbarns Farm, Lutterworth LE.
05. N6774. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Lost, hit hedge F/L at Pilsley DE.

HM324. Proctor III of MCSqn hendon Middlesex. Hit high ground in cloud Hargatewall DE. 3k. PD437. Lancaster I of 1662 HCU Blyton, Lincs. Hit tree at night, crashed nr Woodbeck NT. 7k. 42-63788. Liberator B-24D of 492 USAAF BG Harrington. Taxying accident at base.
06. DK442. Firefly I of Rolls-Royce Hucknall. F/L in bad visibility Bulwell NT.

NG410. Lancaster I of 57 Sqn East Kirkby, Lincs. Short of fuel on return fm Bohlen, C/L nr Nuneaton airfield (possibly in Warwicks.)
NM708. Oxford I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Lost at night, overshot ldg at Cottesmore.
44-13873. Mustang P-51D of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Ammunition door opened, broke-up and crashed 1m SE of Barnwell NR. 1k.
07. T5844. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Crashed ldg at base.

PB610. Lancaster III of 227 Sqn Balderton. Tyre burst ldg at base on return fm Sassnitz, swung and caught fire.
08. P7895. Spitfire IIa of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Crashed on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm}$ base.

T6270. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Hit blister hangar on approach to base.
10. 41-23674. Liberator B-24D of 492 BG USAAF Harrington. Nose-wheel collapsed ldg at base.
11. T6202. Tiger Moth II of 25 PEFTS Hucknall. Crashed ldg at base and o/t.
13. LP402. Wellington $X$ of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Engine problems, landed base and raised $u / c$ to stop. (Some sources say site was Nth Killingholme, Lincs.)
14. 41-28871. Liberator B24H of 492 BG USAAF Harrington. EF, C/L nr base.
15. NK935. Anson I of 48 Sqn Down Ampney, Glos. O/s ldg at Peterborough and hit hut.

NM404. Oxford I of 18 PAFU Church Lawford, Warwicks. Flew into ground at night in fog on approach to Grafton Underwood.
16. NM420. Oxford I of 16(P)FTS Newton. EF, u/s ldg at base and hit hut.
17. T5844. Tiger Moth II of 25 PEFTS Hucknall. Stalled ldg at base.
18. 44-38507. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Battle-damage Zwickau, crashed ldg at base.
19. 44-6590. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Taxying accident at base.

## March 1945 cont

20. 44-11566. Mustang P-51K of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. EF, belly-landed nr base.
21. T5674. Tiger Moth II of 7 EFTS Desford. EF, crashed at Markfield LE.

HF514. Wellington X of BCIS Finningley, Yorks. Practising single-engine ldgs at Worksop and F/L.
HH356. Hotspur II of 20 PAFU Kidlington, Oxon. DBR ldg at Croughton.
NA917. Wellington X of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Single-engine practice, lost height in circuit and crash-landed nr base.
23. V4131. Oxford I of 7 SFTS Peterborough. U/c collapsed ldg at Wittering.

FD364. Vengeance IV of 12 FU Melton Mowbray. U/c jammed up made one-wheel ldg at base.
24. HK738. Lancaster I of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Flaps jammed down practising 3xengine night ldgs at base, crashed Langford NT.
PB871. Lancaster I of 1651 HCU Woolfox Lodge. EF on night $t / o \mathrm{fm}$ base swung off runway and u/c collapsed.
25. BK615. Stirling I of 12 FU Melton Mowbray. Hit by Beaufighter NE823 (survived) while parked at base.
42-97395. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Abandoned over Saltby, crashed nr Croxton Kerrial LE.
[43-37665. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Caught fire on ground and exploded. [43-38435. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. DBR by explosion of above.
26. NA901. Wellington $X$ of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. Swung on t/o fm base, $u / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed and caught fire.
27. DK918. Master II of 7 SFTS Peterborough. U/c collapsed in heavy ldg at base.

FD393. Vengeance IV of 12 FTU Melton Mowbray. U/s ldg at base, u/c collapsed.
29. [DM336. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Collided with below and crashed at Knarr Cross Fm,
[ Thorney Toll NR.
[PW391.Stirling AIV of ORTU Matching Essex. Collided with above.
April 1945
02. LN159. Wellington $X$ of 29 OTU Bruntingthorpe. Hit trees after t/o fm base, crashed Stanford Rd Kimcote. 5k.
43-14484. Forwarder UC-61A of 492 BG USAAF Nth Pickenham, Norfolk. EF, F/L 1m E of Gt Oxendon NR.
03. PH406. Oxford I of 12 Gp Comms Flt Hucknall. Swung in crosswind t/o fm base, u/c collapsed.
06. DP799. Horsa I of 1 HGSU Netheravon, Wilts. Cast off fm tug and F/L nr Stony Stratford NR.

44-6923. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Caught fire in the air after t/o for Germany, crashed at Walgrave NR. 9k.
07. EB866. Oxford I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Stalled on t/o fm base.
08. ND647. Lancaster III of 1653 HCU Nth Luffenham. Lost control and crashed nr Thurnby Lodge, Scraptoft LE. 6k.
09. MZ506. Halifax AIII of 297 Sqn Hurn, Hants. EF, lost height and hit trees Higham Ferrers NR.

ND949. Lancaster III of 630 Sqn East Kirkby, Lincs. Diverted fm base due to poor weather on return fm Lutzkendorf, crashed Foxton LE. 7k.
12. LN237. Wellington $X$ of 84 OTU Desborough. Engine problem, F/L at base.
14. KB816. Lancaster X of 428(Canadian)Sqn Middleton St George, Durham. Diverted to Church Broughton on return fm Kiel, overshot.
15. PB213. Lancaster III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Flew into ground at night, Hall Farm Oxton NT. 4 k .
16. HH690. Hotspur II of 20 PAFU Kidlington, Oxon. Undershot night ldg at Croughton.
17. NC667. Wellington $X$ of 105 OTU satellite Bitteswell. EF on t/o fm base crash-landed in circuit.
18. LP286. Wellington $X$ of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. EF, tried to go round again but crashed Edgcote Park NR. 5k.
19. MW347.Hurricane IIc of 30 OTU Gamston. EF on t/o fm base, belly-landed nr airfield nr railway.
21. KF366. Harvard IIb of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Collided with FT375 (repaired) in formation, crashed at Cotgrave NT.
22. LN710. Wellington X of 12 OTU Chipping Warden. Hit by LN549 (repaired) whilst parked at base.
24. LJ461. Stirling IV of 1665 CU Saltby. Swung on $t / o \mathrm{fm}$ base and $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed.
25. ML714. Beaufort IIa of 12 PAFU Grantham, Lincs. Engine problem, belly-landed 4 m S of Desford nr Thurlaston LE.
43-6322W. Mustang P-51B of 355 FG USAAF Steeple Morden, Cambs. EF, F/L Bowser farm, Bingham NT.

## April 1945 cont

26. PD339. Lancaster I of 50 Sqn Skellingthorpe, Lincs. Hit tree low-flying, crashed Hardingstone NR. 5k.
27. PB983. Lancaster I of 582 Sqn Little Staughton, Hunts. Iced up in snow, 2xengine lost power, lost control, hit trees and crashed Bulwick NR. 2k.
May
28. PB733. Lancaster III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Levelled off too high on night ldg at base, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed.
29. ME309. Lancaster III of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Swung on night ldg at base, u/c collapsed.

PG581. Hurricane IIc of 84 OTU Desborough. Collided with fuel bowser taxying at base.
44-48830. Liberator B-24J of 446 BG USAAF Bungay, Suffolk. Crashed at night 5 m S of Melton Mowbray (nr Burrough-on-the-Hill?)
05. HM324. Proctor III of MComms Sqn Hendon, Middlesex. Flew into high ground in bad visibility 3.5m NE of Buxton DE.
06. P8168. Spitfire IIa of 7 SFTS Peterborough. Swung ldg at base and $u / c$ collapsed.

RJ351. Horsa I of 1333 CU Leicester East. Stalled on approach to base.
43-38117. Fortress B-17G of 305 BG USAAF Chelveston. Stalled ldg at base.
07. 42-39993. Fortress B-17G of 401 BG USAAF Deenethorpe. Nosed up ldg at base.
08. 43-97216. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. DBF at base.

VICTORY IN EUROPE.
The RAF's flying in Europe ran down but training was still necessary for the war in the Far East and the invasion of Japan. The USAAF began to return to the USA.

## May 1945 cont

10. ED631. Lancaster I of 1651 HCU Woolfox Lodge. Night 3xengine ldg at base, bounced and went through hedge and across the A1 into a quarry. 2 k .
LK544. Stirling IV of 1665 HCU Saltby. Swung on t/o fm base, u/c collapsed.
MW341.Hurricane IIc of 14 OTU Mkt Harborough. Brake problem taxying at base, hit van.
11. NC713. Wellington $X$ of 105 OTU satellite Bitteswell. EF, stalled on approach to base. 4 k .
12. 44-8280. Fortress B-17G of 351 BG USAAF Polebrook. Nosed over on ldg at base.
13. 42-102620. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Taxying accident at base.
14. PG259. Wellington X of 27 OTU satellite Church Broughton. U/c problem, belly-landed at base at night and caught fire.
15. 42-97986. Fortress B-17G of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Nosed over ldg at base.
16. DK918. Master II of 7 PAFU Peterborough. U/c collapsed ldg at base.
17. HK789. Lancaster I of 1668 HCU Bottesford. Failed t/o at base, ran through hedge.

KB993. Lancaster X of 408(Canadian)Sqn Linton-on-Ouse, Yorks. Flew into high ground in cloud at night, Shelf Moor, 3m ENE of Glossop DE. 6k.
NA718. Wellington X of 30 OTU Gamston. Stalled turning back for base with problem, crashed Bank Haughton Farm, Haughton NT nr base. 2k.
22. T6057. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Collided with R5016 (repaired) on approach to base. 44-14649. Mustang P-51D of 357 FG USAAF Leiston, Suffolk. Belly-landed at Geddington NR.
25. PB227. Lancaster III of 1661 HCU Winthorpe. Swung on night ldg at base, u/c collapsed.
26. [T5677. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Hit by below while parked at base.
[T7700. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Bounced ldg, swung and hit the above.
LN445. Wellington X of 17 OTU satellite Turweston, Bucks. EF on night t/o fm base, hit tree and crashed Whittlebury NR. 2k.
27. 42-94824. Liberator B-24H of 406 BG USAAF Harrington. Crashed ldg at base.
29. PW386. Stirling IV of 1665 HCU Saltby. Swung on t/o fm base and hit parked C-46. 44-64084. Mustang P-51D of 4 FG USAAF Debden, Essex. Lost in cloud, crashed Plainsteads Fm, Monks Rd, Glossop DE. 1k.

## June 1945

3. [LP906. Wellington X of 81 OTU Sleap, Shrops. Collided with below and crashed at Newborough NR. [NA702.Halifax III of ORTU Matching Essex. Collided with above, crashed at Werrington NR.
4. Firefly I of R-R Hucknall. Heavy landing in bad visibility Bulwell NT.
5. 44-50940. Liberator B-24M of 801 BG USAAF Harrington. U/c retracted before airborne on t/o fm base.
6. 44-50746. Liberator B-24M of 492 BG USAAF Harrington. U/c/collapsed ldg base.
7. 44-72266. Mustang P-51D of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. U/c collapsed ldg at base.
8. 44-11161. Mustang P-51D of 20 FG USAAF Kings Cliffe. Taxying and hit vehicle at base.
9. [HN378. Oxford I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Collided in formation, abandoned and crashed 1m WSW of [NM419.Oxford I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Kinoulton NT.
10. 44-49523. Liberator B-24L of 492 BG USAAF Nth Pickenham, Norfolk. EF, spun in 5 m S of Harrington (nr Walgrave NR?) Fatal.

## June 1945 cont

18. NX488. Auster AOP III of 1333 TSCU Leicester East. Caught fire on start-up, base.
19. EM930. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. U/c collapsed ldg at base.

LF374. Hurricane IIc of 1690 BDTFlt Syerston. EF, night F/L nr base.
21. R4772. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. Stalled on slow approach to Denton RLG.
22. MM883.Beaufighter VIf of 1668 HCU Bottesford. Tyre burst on night ldg at base, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed.
23. LP822. Wellington X of 105 OTU satellite Bitteswell. $\mathrm{O} / \mathrm{s}$ ldg at base.
25. AL452. Boston DB-7 of 384 BG USAAF Grafton Underwood. Crashed ldg at base.

MF706. Wellington X of 105 OTU satellite Nuneaton. Escape hatch blew off on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm}$ base, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ raised to stop.
27. NA559. Halifax III of 1665 HCU Saltby. Tailwheel caught in hole and sheared off ldg at base.

July
06. R4773. Tiger Moth II of 16 EFTS Burnaston. EF on approach, stalled F/L at Castle Gresley DE.
07. HE908. Wellington X of 105 OTU satellite Bitteswell. Collided with Oxford NM795 (repaired) and belly-landed at base.
09. LL339. Halifax MetV of 517 Met. Sqn Brawdy Pembs. EF, landed at Newton but DBR.

NA703. Halifax III of 1665 HCU Saltby. O/s ldg at base, swung and u/c collapsed.
11. N9322. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. U/s night landing at base and hit hedge.
13. N4597. Oxford I of 21 PAFU Wheaton Aston Staffs. Hit tree low-flying at Little Eaton DE.

DE686. Tiger Moth II of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Ran away on start-up at base.
LN844. Wellington X of 11 OTU Westcott, Bucks. EF, diverted to Bottesford, second EF on night approach, crashed nr airfield.
14. BT878. Hotspur II of 21 HGCU Brize Norton, Oxon. DBR in heavy ldg at Croughton.
16. LW554. Halifax III of 1665 HCU Saltby. Tailwheel tyre burst ldg at base.
18. N6912. Tiger Moth II of 6 EFTS Sywell. EF, hit hedge F/L Welton NR.
19. HK746. Lancaster I of 1654 HCU Wigsley. Banked after night $t / o \mathrm{fm}$ base and crashed in bomb-dump. 1 k .
21. EE291. Meteor F3 of Power Jets Ltd, Bruntingthorpe. Rolled in during a display over Whetstone Works, Hall's Fm Blaby. 1k.
24. V4228. Oxford I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. EF on overshoot at base, crash-landed Bingham station NT.
42-108982. Dakota C-47A of the USAAF. Flew in cloud into Shelf Moor 4m ENE of Glossop DE. 5k.
29. HE734. Wellington $X$ of 105 OTU satellite Nuneaton. Overshot ldg at base.
31. DE686. Tiger Moth II of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Ran away on start-up at base and DBR.

August 1945
02. MF229. Wellington XIII of 11 FU Talbenny, Sth Wales. U/c jammed, belly-landed Melton Mowbray.

NC547. Wellington X of 105 OTU satellite Nuneaton. Hit trees on overshoot fm base, crashed 1.5 m N of base (nr Upton LE?).
09. DE956. Tiger Moth II of 25 (P)EFTS Hucknall. Control lost in mist, crashed at Littlefields Farm, Watnall NT.
LF161. Hurricane IIc of 1690 BDTFIt Syerston. Turned over Idg base at night in bad weather.
14. KG611. Dakota III of 1382 (T)CU satellite Castle Donington. Overshot ldg at base and tipped up.
17. HR256. Wellington $X$ of 105 OTU satellite Nuneaton. U/c jammed up, B/L at base.
31. N9590. Anson I of 11 AGS Andreas IoM. O/s ldg into hedge at Sywell.

RD725. Beaufighter X of 12 FU Melton Mowbray. EF on t/o fm base, swung into obstruction. 2k.
VICTORY IN THE FAR EAST AND THE END OF WW 2.
The RAF began to decrease in size and close airfields..
The amount of flying now decreased significantly.

## September 1945

6. HM862. Oxford T1 of 16 (P)FTS Newton. Spun in at Kinoulton Gorse NT.

KB687. Mosquito FB25 of TCDU Netheravon, Wilts. Tailwheel broke ldg at Wittering.
17. EM641. Martinet TT1 of 2 APS Bradwell Bay, Essex. EF, belly-landed and hit wall at Blackhill Farm, Beacon Hill nr Woodhouse Eaves LE.
18. HK703. Lancaster B1 of 1653 HCU Nth Luffenham. Engine problems, lost height and belly-landed in field nr base.
26. N3714. Magister I of 16 (P)FTS Newton. EF, o/s F/L into ditch 0.5 m N of Bingham NT.
28. DF120. Tiger Moth T2 of 7 EFTS Desford. Aileron jammed during aerobatics, abandoned and crashed Broughton Astley LE.

## October

1. RV352. Mosquito B16 of 3 FP Hawarden, Nth Wales. U/c jammed, belly-landed at Wymeswold.
2. KG513. Dakota C3 of 1333 TSCU Leicester East. Hit by FZ691 (repaired) whilst parked at base.

## October 1945 cont

3. NG274. Lancaster B1 of 1668 HCU Cottesmore. Stalled on three-engine approach to base, crashed at Burley Bushes RU. 6k.
4. T7049. Tiger Moth T2 of 7 EFTS Desford. Engine lost power on approach and hit tree, Braunstone RLG.
5. EE347. Meteor F3 of 1335 CU Colerne, Wilts. Ran out of fuel, C/L nr Polebrook.
6. RJ175. Horsa I of 1333 TSCU Leicester East. Towline broke on t/o, hit pole at base.
7. NG118. Lancaster B1 of 1653 HCU Nth Luffenham. Landed u/c up in error at base.

November
06. EM332. Master T2 of 1 GTS Croughton. EF, hit tree and caught fire F/L nr Aynho NR. 1k
23. NL185. Anson C11. BCCFlt Halton, Bucks. Flew into The Cloughs NW of Edale DE in bad visibility. 1 k .
29. RJ161. Horsa I of 1333 TSCU Leicester East. Tug lost power and cast glider off, F/L Caunton NT.

December
28. HN594. Oxford I of 21 PAFU satellite Seighford, Staffs. Flew into Brown Knoll NNE of Malcoff DE in cloud.

## THE COLD WAR.

The RAF had now decreased in size but not as drastically as in 1919 as the USSR was seen as a new threat to the UK. Several bomber stations remained open but the number of aircraft and thus accidents were greatly reduced. There was a temporary increase in the early 1950s, as pilots converted to jet-powered aircraft during their advanced training and the tempo of training increased as a result of the Korean war. However, aircraft and their engines were becoming more and more reliable, training periods were extended, much improved radio, radar, other navigation aids and greatly improved air traffic control reduced the dangers of night and bad weather flying and ejector seats offered a much better chance of survival if a crash occurred. The reduced accident rate was such that just one crash became a national media item by the 1970s. Increasingly civil aircraft begin to figure in the lists.

## 1946

January
02. HH714. Hotspur II of 21 HGCU Elsham Wolds, Lincs. Hit van in night ldg Croughton.
03. DE371. Tiger Moth T2 of 16 EFTS Burnaston. Lost at dusk, overshot F/L Crowtrees Farm, Shoale, DE (location not found). Probably Shottle DE.
11. LX673. Oxford TI of 21 PAFU Wheaton Aston, Staffs. Flew into high ground descending in cloud on BAT training, Wincle Minn, The Cloughs NW of Edale, DE. 2k.
17. LF632. Hurricane FIIc of 1653 HCU Nth Luffenham. Lost hydraulics, belly-landed at base. February

1. NE140. Lancaster B3 of 12 Sqn Binbrook, Lincs. Control lost in cloud, dived in 1m E of Beeby, LE. 6k.
2. PA269. Lancaster B1 of 300(Polish)Sqn Faldingworth, Lincs. Broke-up in cu-nim cloud and crashed Wigston Magna, LE. 6k.
3. NT558. Mosquito NF30 of 54 OTU East Moor, Yorks. Spun in out of cloud nr Pitsford, NR. 2k.
4. RF385. Lincoln B1 of 57 Sqn Scampton, Lincs. Control lost in cu-nim cloud, dived in 1 m E of Queniborough LE. 7k.
March
5. EM376. Master T2 of 7 PAFU Peterborough. Dived in at Lincoln Rd, Werrington NR.
6. T6165. Tiger Moth T2 of 6 EFTS Sywell. Overturned ldg at base.
7. FD828. Dakota C3 of 1381 TCSU Desborough. Lost radio aids on night flight, abandoned and crashed Radcliffe-on-Trent NT.
8. N9304. Tiger Moth T2 of 7 EFTS Desford. Stalled and hit tree Top House Farm, Odstone LE. 0k
9. NG437. Lancaster B1 of 1653 HCU Nth Luffenham. Climbed steeply after t/o from base, banked, stalled and spun in. 7 k .
10. NC444. Wellington B10 of 17 OTUI Silverstone. O/s single-engine approach to base, hit ground. DBF.
11. PF492. Mosquito B16 of 16 OTU Cottesmore. Swung ldg at base, u/c collapsed.
12. HJ870. Mosquito T3 of 16 OTU Cottesmore. Bounced ldg at base, swung and u/c collapsed.

April
02. RV317. Mosquito B16 of 16 OTU Cottesmore. Swung ldg at base, u/c collapsed.
17. KG594. Dakota C3 of 1382 TCSU Wymeswold. Propeller would not unfeather, lost height and belly-landed 2 m SE of base. NFD.
23. LA282. Spitfire F21 of 41 Sqn Wittering. Stalled ldg at base, wing hit ground, swung and u/c collapsed.
May
07. HH366. Hotspur II of 1 GTS Croughton. Hit by HH534 (repaired) ldg at base.

KG741. Dakota C3 of 1381 TCSU Desborough. U/c damaged on undershoot at base, belly-landed.

## May 1946 cont

8. HN207. Oxford T1 of 16 (P)SFTS Newton. Dived in on approach to Hucknall, Nuthall NT. 1k.
9. RV363. Mosquito B16 of 16 OTU Cottesmore. Overshot night ldg at base in bad weather and overturned.
10. TW108. Mosquito T3 of 16 OTU Cottesmore. SBEF, hit trees at night F/L Bellemores Farm, Goadby Marwood LE. 1k.
11. BT942. Hotspur II of 1 GTS Croughton. DBR in heavy ldg at base.

June 1946
15. X7489. Dominie C1 of Power Jets, Bitteswell. Slid into ditch taxying at base.
21. PB681. Lancaster B3 of 1653 HCU Nth Luffenham. DBR in severe turbulence, scrapped on return to base.
22. EM910. Tiger Moth T2 of Nottingham UAS Newton. Flew into ground ldg at base.
24. T7442. Tiger Moth T2 of 6 EFTS Sywell. Swung on overshoot at base and hit N6667 (repaired).
25. NC661. Wellington GR13 of EANS Shawbury, Shrops. EF, lost height and hit tree F/L at Burnaston. 6k.

## July

3. PF538. Mosquito B16 of 16 OTU Cottesmore. Swung on t/o fm base, u/c collapsed.
4. NP884. Halifax B6 of 4 FP Hawarden, Nth Wales. Overshot ldg at Loughborough.
5. TA306. Mosquito NF19 of 1653 HCU Nth Luffenham. EF, landed on one wheel at base, swung and u/c collapsed.
6. FS836. Harvard T2b of 20 FTS Snitterfield, Warwicks. Hit trees in practice F/L Badby NR.
7. PF540. Mosquito B16 of 16 OTU Cottesmore. Swung on t/o fm base, u/c raised to stop.

August
15. LM524. Lancaster B3 of 1653 HCU Nth Luffenham. Bounced on 3xengine ldg at base, attempted overshoot and hit hut losing wheel.

## September

9. PF601. Mosquito B16 of 16 OTU Cottesmore. Swung on t/o fm base, u/c collapsed.
10. PF651. Mosquito PR34 of 8 OTU Chalgrove, Oxon. Lost control and dived in fm cloud, Pilsgate NR.

October 1946
07. RV361. Mosquito B16 of 16 OTU Cottesmore. Swung on ldg at base, u/c collapsed.
26. RL146. Mosquito NF36 of 23 Sqn Wittering. EF, hit trees F/L Upper/Lower Benefield NR.

## November

5. RR289. Mosquito T3 of 16 OTU Cottesmore. Belly-landed on single-engine overshoot at base.
6. VA874. Mosquito T3 of 16 OTU Cottesmore. Swung night ldg at base, cart wheeled avoiding trees.
7. RR293. Mosquito T3 of 16 OTU Cottesmore. Hit ground in bad visibility 1.5 m N of base. 2 k .

December
02. PN322. Halifax A7 of 1333 TSTU Syerston. Bounced ldg at base, u/c collapsed.
12. MG671. Anson T1 of 21 PAFU Moreton-in-Marsh, Glos. Skidded on wet grass ldg at Newton, swung and $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed.
20. PG686. Tiger Moth T2 of 7 EFTS Desford. Stalled on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ Braunstone RLG.

## 1947

January
16. KF570. Harvard T2b of 6 SFTS Little Rissington, Glos. Lost on air test at night, belly-landed at Postern Hill Farm, Hazelwood DE.
March
16. G-AGPS. Auster Arrow. DBR in a gale at Rearsby.

G-AHCH. Taylorcraft Plus D. DBR in a gale at Rearsby.
May
05. RS644. Mosquito FB6 of 204 AFS Cottesmore. Dived in out of cloud, 1m NE of Whissendine RU. 2k.
17. PP373. Halifax A7 of 21 HGCU Nth Luffenham. Elevators failed on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm}$ base, $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ raised to stop.
28. DF207. Tiger Moth T2 of 1333 TSTU Syerston. Bounced over hedge on t/o fm base. 0k.

June 1947
28. G-AHCP. Auster Autocrat. Crashed on approach at Sywell. 1k.

July
22. FX384. Harvard T2b of 1 FTS Grantham, Lincs. Out of fuel, F/L into hedge 1.5 m W of Werrington NR.

## August

23. VP350. Mosquito T3 of 504 Sqn RAuxAF Hucknall. Crashed on t/o fm base.

## September 1947

2. G-AHSF. Taylorcraft Plus D. DBR at Rearsby.
3. RT871. Halifax A9 of 1333 TSTU Syerston. Swung on $3 x$ engine $t / \mathrm{fm}$ base and hit building.

November
15. VF241. Messerschmitt 163B-1A of RAE Farnborough, Hants. DBR in landing trials at Wittering.
28. RL177. Mosquito NF36 of 264 Sqn Wittering. EF on t/o fm base, hit tree and belly-landed 1 mW .

## December

1. LR523. Mosquito T3 of 204 AFS Cottesmore. Swung on t/o and $u / c$ collapsed at base.

1948
January
19. TA476. Mosquito FB6 of 204 AFS Cottesmore. EF, undershot ldg at base and hit hedge.
25. G-AGZN. Taylorcraft Plus D. Hit electricity pylon nr Rearsby.
28. RS647. Mosquito FB6 of 228 OCU Leeming, Yorks. Abandoned after electrical failure at night in cloud, crashed Braile Wood, Eakring NT. 1k.
29. PZ303. Mosquito FB6 of 204 AFS Cottesmore. Swung ldg at base, u/c collapsed.

February
06. TE590. Mosquito FB6 of 204 AFS Cottesmore. Dived in from cloud, 0.5 m W of Woolfox Lodge. 2 k .
08. EM850. Tiger Moth T2 of Nottingham UAS Newton. Wing dropped on overshoot at base, swung and crashed.
09. TA546. Mosquito FB6 of 204 AFS Cottesmore. Hit ground after night t/o fm base. 2k.

March
13. VP345. Mosquito T3 of 504 Sqn RAuxAF Hucknall. Caught fire on t/o fm base, stalled and crashed Moorgreen NT. 2k.
21. G-AICB. Auster Autocrat. Crashed on t/o at Tollerton.

April
10. RK933. Mosquito NF30 of 504 Sqn RAuxAF Hucknall. Lost height on practice overshoot at base, hit bank and crashed Moorgreen NT. 2k.
May
26. KN375. Dakota C4 of 240 OCU Nth Luffenham. Hit by KK198 (survived) while parked at base at night.
29. DE681. Tiger Moth T2 of Nottingham UAS Newton. Hit HT cables low-flying 1m WSW of Gotham NT.
June 1948
13. G-AHML. Tiger Moth. Crashed in Sywell woods, Sywell.
19. G-AGDL. Miles Sparrowhawk. Crashed at Tollerton.
22. T7086. Tiger Moth T2 of Station Flt Wittering. Stalled on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{ofm}$ base, swung and hit building.

July
09. RF518. Lincoln B2 of 61 Sqn Waddington, Lincs. Pilot's seat collapsed ldg Wittering, hit ground, climbed and belly-landed.
25. RG180. Mosquito PR34 of 540 Sqn Benson, Oxon. EF, overshot ldg at Hucknall, u/c raised to stop.
31. G-AGIX. Dakota of British European Airways.. EF, o/s F/L and hit HT cables Sywell.

August
07. G-AKWT. Auster 5. Crashed at Tollerton.
11. MW259. York C1 of 242 Sqn Abingdon, Berks. Two engines lost power, belly-landed at Desford and hit bump.
24. T7412. Tiger Moth T2 of 7 FTS Cottesmore. Swung on $t / o \mathrm{fm}$ Wittering, stalled and $u / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed.
27. T7332. Tiger Moth T2 of 7 FTS Cottesmore. Hit by T6043 (survived) after t/o fm base, crashed.

November
03. 44-61999. Superfortress RB-29A of 91 RW USAF Scampton, Lincs, Crashed on Higher Shelf Moor 4m ENE of Glossop DE on approach to Burtonwood Lancs. 12k.
04. PK293. Oxford T1 of 1689 FPTFlt Aston Down, Glos. Tail buffeting, belly-landed nr Ibstock LE.

December
04. R5043. Tiger Moth T2 of 22 FTS Syerston. Stalled on t/o from practice F/L Ossington.
21. PA411. Lancaster B1 of 230 OCU Lindholme, Yorks. Flew into high ground in bad weather Tintwhistle Knarr 2m NNW of Tintwhistle DE. 7k.

1949
February
25. FS847. Harvard T2b of 22 FTS Syerston. Could not recover fm spin, abandoned and crashed 1 m N of Kingston-on-Soar NT.

## March 1949

25. KF319. Harvard T2b of 22 FTS Syerston. Overshot night ldg at Newton and hit air-raid shelter.

April
06. NM141. Tiger Moth T2 of 22 SFTS Syerston. Stalled during practice F/L Old Surrey NT. Cannot trace this location.
20. LT602. Anson T1 of 240 OCU Nth Luffenham. Seat slid back on t/o fm base, lost control, swung and $\mathrm{u} / \mathrm{c}$ collapsed.
24. G-ALLD. Olympia. Crashed fm launch Camphill N of Great Hucklow DE.

May
14. G-AHGV. Auster 5. F/L at Humberstone Leicester.
23. KP276. Dakota C4 of 240 OCU Nth Luffenham. Hit by KJ810 (repaired) whilst parked at base.

June 1949
16. R4965. Tiger Moth T2 of 22 FTS Syerston. Tipped up in practice F/L in long grass, Knapthorpe Farm NT.
25. PK488. Spitfire F22 of 502 Sqn RAuxAF Aldergrove, Nth Ireland. Ran out of fuel, crash-landed 1.5 m N of Parwich DE.

July
10. G-AIOC. Cierva C30A. Crashed during display at Rearsby, DBR.

August
29. KN544. Dakota C4 of 240 OCU Nth Luffenham. Both props feathered in error at night, bellylanded and caught fire nr base.
September
26. [RE374. Lincoln B2 of 57 Sqn Waddington, Lincs. Collided with below on night exercise, crashed [ Staythorpe NT. 7k
[RF407. Lincoln B2 of 61 Sqn Waddington, Lincs. Collided with above. 7k.

## November

19. G-AIZP. Auster Archer. Crashed at Shardlow DE.
20. LX634. Oxford I of 64 Gp CFlt Linton-on-Ouse, Yorks. Heavy ldg at Wymeswold, u/c collapsed.

As the number of crashes decreases from now on it can be assumed that, with the military aircraft, the crews survived unless fatalities are indicated.

## 1950

February
02. LL735. Lancaster II of National Gas Turbine Est, Bitteswell. U/c collapsed ldg at base.
27. TS700. Tiger Moth T2 of 7 FTS Cottesmore. Caught fire starting up at base.

April
21. VT345. Meteor F4 of 504 Sqn RAuxAF Wymeswold. Undershot ldg at base, u/c collapsed.
23. N9272. Tiger Moth T2 of 7 RFS Desford. Hit hut on approach to base.

May
14. VW267. Meteor F4 of 92 Sqn Linton-on-Ouse Yorks. Out of fuel and abandoned 6 m WNW of Worksop NT. 1k.
July 1950
14. FT412. Harvard T2b of 7 FTS Cottesmore. Engine problem, undershot F/L and hit tree nr Barsby LE.

## August

2. G-AJYF. Avis. DBR in F/L nr Queniborough LE (or possibly Queenborough Kent)
3. SZ974. Mosquito FB6 of 204 AFS Swinderby. Swung on ldg at Wigsley RLG and u/c collapsed.
4. G-AIOK Hawk Trainer III. Crashed at Burnaston.

September
18. G-AJYK. Autocar. Crashed nr Rearsby.

November
17. T6243. Tiger Moth T2 of 50 Sqn Waddington, Lincs. Lost and overshot F/L, hit hedge at Ratby LE. December
07. RA487. Meteor F4 of 66 Sqn Linton-on-Ouse, Yorks. Lost in cloud at night, abandoned and crashed Hagg Plantation, Derwent Reservoir nr Ashopton 3m N of Bamford DE.
14. VS379. Prentice T1 of 22 FTS Syerston. Hit tree in snowstorm Norwell NT. 1k.

1951
March
08. KF173. Harvard T2b of 22 FTS Syerston. Iced up and abandoned, 'chute didn't open, crashed Swinford LE. 1k.

## March 1951 cont

15. VS360. Prentice T1 of 6 FTS Ternhill, Shrops. Lost, stalled F/L and hit hedge 1.5 m W of Sth Leverton NT.
16. VZ404. Meteor F4 of 504 Sqn RAuxAF Wymeswold. Dived in 0.25 m N of Desford School, 2 m N of village. 1 k .
April
17. [VZ518. Meteor F8 of 66 Sqn Linton-on-Ouse, Yorks. Flew into high ground descending in cloud. 1k [WA791.Meteor F8 of 66 Sqn Linton-on-Ouse, Yorks. Slidden Moss 4m N of Crowden DE. 1k.
18. G-AJYX. Archer. Crashed nr Melton Mowbray LE after pilotless t/o fm Rearsby.
19. VS617. Prentice T1 of 22 FTS Syerston. Collided with Harvard FT415 (survived) on approach to base.
May
20. NT298. Mosquito NF30 of 15 MU Wroughton, Wilts. Swung on t/o fm Sywell and u/c collapsed. June 1951
21. VN850. Canberra prototype of Rolls-Royce Hucknall. EF, dived in on o/s at base, St Albans Rd, Bulwell, NT. 1k.
July
22. VA892. Mosquito T3 of 204 AFS Swinderby, Lincs. Yawed on approach to Wigsley, wing hit ground. 1 k .
WB579. Chipmunk T10 of 2 RFS Barton, Lancs. Flew into hills in cloud, Arnfield Moor Arnfield DE.
23. PK430. Spitfire F22 of 102 FRS Nth Luffenham. EF, crashed on approach to base.
24. EE584. Meteor F4 of 504 Sqn RAuxAF Wymeswold. EF on approach to base, dived in. 1k.
25. WA400. Vampire FB5 of 102 FRS Nth Luffenham. Lost and short of fuel, belly-landed Moscar Top nr Great Longstone DE and caught fire.

## August

29. LR520. Mosquito T3 of 204 AFS Swinderby, Lincs. Stalled on single-engine approach to Wigsley. 2k. September
30. G-AMIE. Tiger Moth. F/L Finedon NR, DBR.

October
03. VS280. Prentice T1 of 22 FTS Syerston. Stalled and spun in on practice o/s at Ossington. 1k.
10. HJ977. Mosquito T3 of 204 AFS Swinderby, Lincs. Swung ldg at Wigsley, u/c collapsed.

## November

19. LR571. Mosquito T3 of 204 AFS Swinderby, Lincs. Swung ldg at Wigsley, u/c collapsed.
20. TA553. Mosquito FB6 of 204 AFS Swinderby, Lincs. Swung ldg at Wigsley, u/c collapsed.

December
18. TE657. Mosquito FB6 of 204 AFS Swinderby, Lincs. Stalled ldg at Wigsley, tyre burst and swung off runway.

1952
January
14. FT415. Harvard T2b of 22 FTS Syerston. Followed railway and saw tunnel, climbed and hit hill Kinder Scout nr Farlands Booth DE. 1k.
KF723. Harvard T2b of 3 FTS Sth Cerney, Glos. Hit HT cables at low-level and crashed 7.5m SW of Sth Luffenham RU. 1k. NFD.
February
06. RS530. Mosquito FB6 of 204 AFS Swinderby, Lincs. Swung on single-engine ldg at Wigsley, u/c collapsed.
March
05. N/K. Glider crashed at Burnaston. 1k.

May
18. VS366. Prentice T1 of 7 RFS Desford. Probable EF, dived in 2 m S of Shepshed LE. 2k.
24. G-AHBO. Taylorcraft+C. Crashed Weston Favell NR.

June 1952
15. G-ALTG. Cambridge glider. Collided with Olympia G-ALMM (survived) Camphill N of Great Hucklow gliding site DE.
20. [NC925. Wellington T10 of 2 ANS Thorney Island, Hants. Collided with below breaking cloud, abandoned
[ and crashed Calverton NT.
[WA777. Meteor F8 of 12 Gp CFlt Newton. Collided with above and abandoned.
July
22. VT264. Meteor F4 of 215 AFS Finningley, Yorks. Out of fuel, hit tree on approach to Castle Donington. 1 k .
29. [WK519.Chipmunk T10 of 5 BFTS Desford. Hit by below whilst parked at base.
[WK547.Chipmunk T10 of 5 BFTS Desford. Collided with above on t/o fm base.

## August 1952

25. 19178. Sabre 2 of 410 Sqn RCAF Nth Luffenham. Crashed on overshoot at base.

September
10. VR234. Prentice T1 of 7 FTS Cottesmore. Bounced ldg at base, stalled and crashed.
20. G-ALUE. Autocrat. Crashed Axe Edge Moor nr Buxton DE.

October
11. NP234. Proctor C4 of 64 Gp CFlt Rufforth, Yorks. Hit ground marker ldg at Newton; DBR. 19370. Sabre 2 of 416 Sqn RCAF Nth Luffenham. EF, belly-landed base.
23. WK510. Chipmunk T10 of 5 BFTS Desford. Hit tree during practice F/L Broombriggs Farm 4 m SW of Loughborough LE. 1k.

## November

4. FT321. Harvard T2b of 7 FTS Cottesmore. EF in circuit, F/L 2 m NE of base. WF324. Varsity T1 of 201 AFS Swinderby, Lincs. Outer wing broke off after heavy ldg at Wigsley.

## December

4. WL402. Meteor T7 of 211 AFS Worksop. Dived in during asymmetric training, Lound NT. 2k.
5. FX306. Harvard T2b of 6 FTS Ternhill, Shrops. EF, hit wall F/L Foolow DE.

1953
January
07. WG113. Balliol T2 of 7 FTS Cottesmore. Crashed on overshoot fm Woolfox Lodge RLG.

## January 1953 cont

15. WB455. Anson T21 of 6 ANS Lichfield, Staffs. Lost radio aids in cloud, F/L Syerston and u/c collapsed.

## February

4. WK924. Meteor F8 of 211 AFS Worksop. Dived in fm cloud 9m NNE of Nottingham NT. 1k. NFD.
5. 19122. Sabre 2 of 410 Sqn RCAF Nth Luffenham. Undershot ldg at base.

March
15. VP433. Seafire FR47 of 1833 Sqn FAA Bramcote, Warwicks. Emergency ldg after t/o fm base, hit bank at Flat Lane Farm, Gilmorton LE. 1k.
April
06. FS746. Harvard T2b of RAFC Cranwell, Lincs. Short of fuel, crashed F/L Packington LE. 1k.
28. WK506. Chipmunk T10 of 5 BFTS Desford. Collided with WG478 (survived), lost tail and spun in Kirby Muxloe LE. 1k.
May
04. FX209. Harvard T2b of 22 FTS Syerston. Spun in at Farnsfield NT. 2k.
05. N9395. Tiger Moth T2 of Swinderby (Lincs) SFlt. EF, F/L hit ground avoiding cattle, slid into dyke 1.5 m N of Holme NT.
06. KF300. Harvard T2b of 22 FTSW Syerston. Dived in fm cloud Maplebeck NT. 2k.
08. WG115. Balliol T2 of 7 FTS Cottesmore. Undershot ldg at base at night, hit hedge.
19. WK929. Meteor F8 of 211 AFS Worksop. Dived in after $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ base nr Carburton NT. 1k.

June 1953
09. WK823. Meteor F8 of 211 AFS Worksop. Stalled ldg at base and u/c collapsed.

July
14. WL397. Meteor T7 of 211 AFS Worksop. Stalled on approach and landed heavily at base.

August
02. G-ALJX. Olympia 1 glider. Hit HT cables on approach, Bolsover DE.
26. VR311. Prentice T1 of 7 FTS Cottesmore. Stalled and crashed practicing F/L at Thorpe Satchville LE.

September
02. WE917. Meteor F8 of 211 AFS Worksop. Lost leading-edge of wing, inverted and dived in 1.5 m N of base. 1 k .
05. RE397. Lincoln B2 of 148 Sqn Upwood, Hunts. Tyre burst on t/o fm Wittering, swung and u/c collapsed.
15. KF197. Harvard T2b of 22 FTS Syerston. Swung on night ldg at base, u/c collapsed.

October
06. 19167. Sabre 2 of 441 Sqn RCAF Nth Luffenham. Crash-landed at base.

December
02. 19185. Sabre 2 of 441 Sqn RCAF Nth Luffenham. Undershot ldg at base.
04. VS507. Anson C20 of 12 Gp CFlt Newton. Stalled on overshoot at base and spun in. 6 k .
16. 19137. Sabre 2 of 439 Sqn RCAF Nth Luffenham. Ran out of fuel, crashed nr Long Whatton LE. 1k.
29. WL829. Venom NF2 of 23 Sqn Coltishall, Norfolk. EF, stalled on approach to F/L 2.5m NNW of Tuxford NT. 1k.

1954
January
14. FX248. Harvard T2b of 22 FTS Syerston. Verey light shot into cockpit awaiting t/o at base.

February
03. WG135. Balliol T2 of 7 FTS Cottesmore. Bounced ldg at base, wing touched ground and cartwheeled.
17. RA687. Lincoln B2 of 61 Sqn Wittering. EF on t/o fm base, overshot and u/c collapsed.
21. 19159. Sabre 2 of 410 Sqn RCAF Nth Luffenham. Undershot ldg at base.
24. KF282. Harvard T2b of 22 FTS Syerston. Swung ldg at base and tipped up..

March
13. WF327. Varsity T1 of 201 AFS Swinderby, Lincs. Stalled during single-engine circuit at night crashed 1.5 m SW of Syerston.. 4 k .
April
08. 19155. Sabre 2 of 439 Sqn RCAF Nth Luffenham. Engine problem, undershot ldg at base.

May

1. WV532. Provost T1 of 22 FTS Syerston. Hit by WV540 (survived) after ldg at base.
2. KF355. Harvard T2b of 22 FTS Syerston. Dived in at Dyke End Sth Collingham. 1k.
3. 17522. North Star of 4 OTU RCAF Dorval, Canada. Crashed on ldg North Luffenham RU.
1. MB565. Firefly FR1 of 1841 RNVR Sqn Stretton, Ches. Engine problem, tried to F/L Hixon but undershot and crashed on railway line at Weston-on-Trent DE.
2. WF393. Varsity T1 of 201 AFS Swinderby, Lincs. Undershot on flap-less ldg at Wigsley, main spar broke and wings came off, caught fire.
3. KF650. Harvard T2b of 22 FTS Syerston. Wingtip hit runway on cross-wind ldg at base, overturned.
4. KF130. Harvard T2b of 22 FTS Syerston. Belly-landed in error at night at base.

June 1954
08. WK906. Meteor F8 of 211 AFS Worksop. Flew into ground in bad visibility at night Whissendine RU. 1 k .
26. VS330. Prentice T1 of 211 AFS Worksop. Stalled on t/o fm base.

July
22. [XD707.Sabre F4 of 66 Sqn Linton-on-Ouse, Yorks. Flew into hill in cloud, Ashop Moor, Kinder Scout [ nr Farlands Booth DE. 1k.
[XD730.Sabre F4 of 66 Sqn Linton-on-Ouse, Yorks. 1k.

## August

14. WN905. Hunter F2 of AWA Bitteswell. Lost part of u/c in high-speed run, ejected and crashed East Langton LE.
15. WH873. Canberra B2 of 76 Sqn Wittering. Hit trees on night approach to base, nr Barnack NR. 3k.
16. WH458. Meteor F8 of RAFFC Manby, Lincs. Dived in fm cloud at night Brigstock/Gt Weldon NR. 1k.

XD776. Sabre F4 of 66 Sqn Linton-on-Ouse, Yorks. Caught fire and abandoned, crashed Blatherwycke NR.

## October

25. WF384. Varsity T1 of 201 AFS Swinderby, Lincs. Double-engine fire, belly-landed in R.Witham 1m SSW of Barnby-in-the-Willows NT.
November
26. WD933. Canberra B2 of A-S Engines Bitteswell. Sapphire engine test-bed, EF crashed and overturned ldg at base.
27. WE948. Meteor F8 of 211 AFS Worksop. Belly-landed at base.

December
02. WK920. Meteor F8 of 211 AFS Worksop. U/c damaged ldg at base.
14. 19234. Sabre 2 of 137(T)Flt RCAF Ringway, Lancs. Hit high ground Black Hill DE W of Holme Yorks. 1k.

## 1955

March
07. WL461. Meteor T7 of 211 AFS Worksop. Hit trees in snow at night on approach to base.
16. WL354. Meteor T7 of 211 AFS Worksop. Dived in during aerobatics 5m SE of Retford NT 2k.
29. VL970. Lancastrian C2 Avon testbed of Rolls-Royce Hucknall. Control lost on overshoot at base, wing hit ground and cartwheeled. 4 k .
April

1. WL474. Meteor T7 of 211 AFS Worksop. Dived in fm asymmetric overshoot at Gamston 2.5 m NE of airfield. 2 k .
2. G-ADPJ. Super Drone. Crashed at Leicester.

## May 1955

12. WE904. Meteor F8 of 211 AFS Worksop. Dived out of cloud, hit ground recovering at Millthorpe DE. 1 k .

## July

29. WP222. Valiant B1 of 138 Sqn Wittering. Aileron fault, flew into ground after night t/o fm base Barnack NR. 4k.

## September

21. [WS621.[Meteor NF12 of AWOCU Nth Luffenham. Collided with below during night target [ interception, crashed Church Broughton. 1k.
[WS683. [Meteor NF12 of AWOCU Nth Luffenham. Collided with above and crashed Gt Cubley DE. 1k.

## October

14. WV502.Provost T1 of 1 FTS Syerston. Dived in at Winkburn Park NT. 2k.

December
18. WL799. Shackleton MR2 of Avro, Langar. Caught fire on ground at base.

1956
January
11. WS619. Meteor NF12 of AWOCU Nth Luffenham. Hit tree on night approach 2 m E of base.

February
26. WV485. Provost T1 of 1 FTS Syerston. Collided with WV559 (survived) in formation and crashed at Weston NT. 1k.
March
05. XH297. Vampire T11 of RAFC Cranwell, Lincs. Elevator control failed, abandoned, crashed Kneesall NT.
May
13. WT574. Hunter F1 of Rolls-Royce Hucknall. EF on t/o fm base, crash-landed.

June 1956
04. WK752. Meteor F8 of RAFFC Manby, Lincs. Brakes failed ldg at Langar, overshot into ditch.

October
05. WL137. Meteor F8 of 19 Sqn Church Fenton, Yorks. Control lost in cloud, dived in 9m SW of Worksop. NFD. 1k.

## November

29. WV565.Provost T1 of 1 FTS Syerston. Bounced ldg at base, elevator jammed and stalled.

December
02. G-AIZT. Archer. Crashed and caught fire Gaddesby LE. Fatal.
05. 52-6145. Beaver L-20A of 81 FBW USAF Sculthorpe, Norfolk. Lost in cloud, hit high ground nr Devil's Elbow, Bramah Edge 0.5 m SE of Deepclough E of Tintwhistle DE. 2k.
07. WR970. Shackleton MR3 of A\&AEE Farnborough, Hants. Spun in during stalling tests Ivy Cottage Foolow DE. 4k.

1957
January
09. VZ860. Vampire FB(T)5 of 4 FTS Worksop. Dived into house in centre of Harby NT. 1k +1 civilian.

April
25. XE828. Vampire T11 of 4 FTS Worksop. U/c jammed, belly-landed at base.
29. WN162. Balliol T2 of 238 OCU Nth Luffenham. Fumes in cockpit and u/c retracted in error at base.

July
21. G-AKUA. Hawk Trainer. Crashed at Burnaston.
29. G-AJSF. Hawk Trainer. Crashed in cloud at Kinderlow End nr Farland Booth DE. 1k.

August
08. XE866. Vampire T11 of 4 FTS Valley, Wales. Flew into ground in cloud, Stanage Edge 2 m ENE of Bamford DE. 2k.
13. VZ119. Vampire T11 of 8 FTS Swinderby, Lincs. Abandoned in cloud, pilot hit aircraft, crashed Besthorpe NT. 1k.
September
06. XE880. Vampire T11 of 4 FTS Worksop. U/c collapsed ldg at base.

November
28. XK426. Thrust Measuring Rig of RR Hucknall. Lost control in hover at base. 1k.

December
09. WZ456. Vampire T11 of RAFC Cranwell, Lincs. Control lost during aerobatics, ejected and crashed 2 m S of Newark NT.

## 1958

January
16. [XE990. Vampire T11 of 8 FTS Swinderby, Lincs. Collided with below and crashed over Colwick. 2k [XH321.Vampire T11 of 8 FTS Swinderby, Lincs. Collided with above and crashed at Colwick NT.
[ $\quad 2+1 \mathrm{k}$. Wreckage over large area

## March

30. G-AOSD. Tiger Moth. Crashed at Syerston.

April
09. WT207. Canberra B6 of 76 Sqn Hemswell, Lincs. Crashed after rocket motor exploded at 45,000 , ejected at record height and crashed Monyash DE.
21. WL359. Meteor T7 of 4 FTS Worksop. Dived in during beat-up of base. 1k.

May 1958
06. WL358. Meteor T7 of 4 FTS Worksop. Lost power on overshoot at base, belly-landed 1m E.
12. VZ178. Vampire $\mathrm{FB}(\mathrm{T}) 5$ of 8 FTS Swinderby, Lincs. Flew into ground at night 0.5 m SE of Beeby LE. 1k.
22. 55-3696. Super Sabre F-100D of 20 FBW USAF Wethersfield, Essex. Ejected in spin, crashed 3m W of Loddington LE.

## September

20. VX770. Vulcan B1 of Rolls-Royce Hucknall. Leading-edge detached and broke-up during display at Syerston. $4 \mathrm{k}+3 \mathrm{k}$ on ground.

## October

29. WG320. Chipmunk T10 of TTC CFlt Wyton, Hunts. Bounced on glider-tow t/o at Nth Luffenham, DBF.

## 1959

January
20. WA215. Vampire FB(T)5 of 8 FTS Swinderby, Lincs. EF, undershot F/L at Syerston.

June
28. [BGA676. Prefect T30. Collided with below Bradwell Edge nr Great Hucklow DE.1k. [BGA1091. Harbinger. Collided with above.
December
12. 54-0421. Destroyer RB-66B of 19 TRW USAF Bruntingthorpe. Crashed Welsh Myres Farm Skeffington LE. 3k.

## 1960

February
04. XM377. Jet Provost T3 of 2 FTS Syerston. Radio aids failed, short of fuel, crash-landed base.

March
08. XM385. Jet Provost T3 of 2 FTS Syerston. EF on overshoot at base.

May
30. XF507. Hunter F6 of 65 Sqn Duxford, Cambs. Dived in at Islip NR. 1k.

June
17. XM382. Jet Provost T3 of 2 FTS Syerston. Ejected in spin 3.5m NNE of Melton Mowbray LE.

August
12. XD864. Valiant $B(K) 1$ of 7 Sqn Wittering. Stalled and blew-up Spanhoe. 5k.

November

1. 53-0409.Destroyer RB-66B of 10 TRW USAF Alconbury, Hunts. EF, abandoned and crashed Badby NR.

## 1961

June
29. XM373. Jet Provost T3 of 2 FTS Syerston. Stalled on t/o fm base, sank back onto runway.

November
26. G-AIAA. Percival Proctor 5. Crashed on ldg Burnaston.

1962
February
07. 54-0460.Destroyer RB-66B of 10 TRW USAF Chelveston. Engine fire, crash-landed. 4k.

June
14. XH613. Victor B1A of 15 sqn Cottesmore. EF on approach to base, dived in nr Thistleton RU. 5k.
10. BGA965. T21. Crashed Rearsby.
20. XM714. Victor B2 of 100 Sqn Wittering. Stalled after night $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o} \mathrm{fm}$ base, spun in at Barnack NR. 5k.

April
19. XP623. Jet Provost T4 of 2 FTS Syerston. Ejected in spin, crashed Thrussington LE.

July
18. XM186. Lightning F1a of 111 Sqn Wattisham, Suffolk. Ejected in spin during aerobatics, crashed Collyweston NR. 1k.
29. XM380. Jet Provost T3 of 2 FTS Syerston. EF, ejected and crashed 1 m S of Seagrave LE.

September
20. XP622. Jet Provost T3 of 2 FTS Syerston. EF on roller ldg, u/c collapsed Wymeswold RLG.
29. G-AOFO. Tiger Moth. Crashed at Tollerton.

December
30. G-ALBC. DH Dragon Rapide of Solair. Flew into high ground in cloud nr Edale DE.

1964
January
16. 54-543. Destroyer RB-66B of 10 TRW USAF Alconbury. Crashed at Thurning NR.

March
25 XN723. Lightning F2 of Rolls-Royce Hucknall. Fire in the air, ejected and crashed Keyham LE. May
23. G-ASFM. Terrier. Crashed after glider-tow t/o Rearsby. 1k.

July 1964
25. G-APZY. Tri-Pacer. Crashed at Naneby Hall, Cadeby LE.

August
16. G-ASFE. Chipmunk 22. Hit whilst parked at Tollerton by G-AOST (survived).
22. G-APKE. Tiger Moth. Crashed Barrowcliffe Fm nr Rearsby.

September
03. XP246. Auster AOP9 of 6 Flt AAC Middle Wallop Hants. O/s F/L in bad weather and hit hedge at Lowesby LE.

## 1965

January
20. G-AKJG. Dove 2 of Shackleton Aviaition. Engine fire, DBR belly-landing Old NR.

March

1. 56-3212.Super Sabre F-100D of 48 TFW USAF Lakenheath, Suffolk. Crashed in R.Trent 0.5 m S of Cromwell NT.
May
2. XS118. Wessex HAS 1 of RR Hucknall. Testing Napier Gazelle engine, flamed out and F/L at Watnall NT.

## October

2. G-ANHI. Tiger Moth. EF on climb out after practice F/L Lutterworth LE. 2k.

November
12. XM406. Jet Provost T3 of 2 FTS Syerston. Ejected in spin, crashed 1m SSW of Clipston NT.

December
27. G-ATKJ. Terrier. Crashed on t/o fm Rearsby.

1966
May
26. [XM384. Jet Provost T3 of 2 FTS Syerston. Collided with below and ejected, crashed
[ Woodborough NT.
[XP631. Jet Provost T4 of 2 FTS Syerston. Collided with above.
August
19. XN147. Sedbergh TX1 of 2 GC Grantham. Crashed at Newton.

September
03. BGA1243. Capstan T49, Crashed Camphill N of Great Hucklow DE.

December
30. XP569. Jet Provost T4 of 2 FTS Syerston. Spun in at East Drayton NT. 2k.

1967
June
28. XN597. Jet Provost T3 of 2 FTS Syerston. Nosewheel collapsed ldg at Wymeswold RLG.

## December 1967

6. G-ASPO. Centurion. Crashed Rothersthorpe NR. 1k.

1968
January
30. XM604. Vulcan B2 of 9 Sqn Cottesmore. Compressor failed on approach to base, control lost and crashed Cow Close Farm Cottesmore. 4k.

## December

16. G-ASOE. Hiller 360. DBR on start-up at Tollerton.

1969
February
20. G-AODG. Viscount 700 of BMA. U/s in snow ldg at East Midlands.

April
06. BGA1358. Capstan T49. Crashed at Camphill N of Great Hucklow DE.

June
07. XP396. Whirlwind HC10 of 230 Sqn Wittering, Hunts. Tail rotor failed, yawed into ground nr Fleckney LE.
July 1969
22. G-AWJL. Jet Ranger. Crashed nr Broughton NR.

1970
March
27. G-ARAR. Tri-Traveller. Crashed Sywell.

May
06. 64-1018.Phantom RF-4C of 10 TRW USAF Alconbury, Hunt. EF, ejected crashed Unthank Plantation, Millthorpe DE.

## August

10. G-AVGG. Cherokee. Crashed Papplewick NT.

1971
January
29. [WH874. Canberra T17 of 360 Sqn Cottesmore, RU. Collided with below in formation, ejected and [ crashed Coxmoor (or Cox Moor) NT.
WJ862. Canberra T4 of 360 Sqn Cottesmore RU. Collided with above.

## June

15 G-AXPK. Stampe SV4C. Nose-dived in at Leicester East.
1972
February
04. XT106. Sioux AH1 of 3 CBAS FAA Plymouth. Hit tree in fog, crashed on Beacon Hill nr Woodhouse Eaves LE.
28. G-ATVN. Hiller 360. Rotor detached, crashed Spring Lane Balderton NT. 2k.

April
08. G-AIPH. Archer. Crashed after t/o from Hucknall.

September
12. XW356. Jet Provost T5 of RAFC Cranwell, Lincs. Control lost in cloud and ejected nr Tupton DE.

1973
August
18. G-ATMS. Terrier. Snagged glider cable left on runway, wrapped round u/c, crashed, Saltby. 2k.

September

1. G-ARNN. Swift. Crashed at Hucknall.
2. [G-APVT. Tiger Moth. Collided with below near Tollerton. 2k.
[G-ATLY. Beta. Collided with above. 1k.
1974
June
3. XG130. Hunter FGA9 of 45 Sqn Wittering, Cambs. Control lost in cloud, ejected and crashed Melton Mowbray LE.
October
4. G-ASDI. Apache. DBR nr Kettering NR.

January
15. G-BABN. Hughes 269. Lost control on pipe-line inspection, crashed Beech Fm nr Barnby Moor NT. 2k.
July
29. WB562. Chipmunk T10 of 7 AEF Newton. Lost control during aerobatics, crashed Winthorpe. 2k. G-ATDM. Hiller 360. Crashed nr Longcourse Farm, Duckmanton DE.
October
18. G-ARWL. Cessna 182. Crashed Ashbourne.

1976
January
02. G-AVCC. Cessna 172. DBR in gale at East Midlands.

March
27. G-BCCO. Club. Spun in 1 m SE of Sywell.

April
10. G-ATFH. Brantly B2. Tail rotor detached, exploded in flight and crashed Highfield Farm Empingham LE. 2k.
19. G-BAEA. Pitts S2. Crashed after t/o fm Sywell.

1977
September
23. G-ASJR. Cessna 182. Crashed and caught fire Brafield-on-the-Green NR.

October
09. G-ASZH. Jodel 117. DBR on t/o from Ashbourne.

1978
June
30. G-BBJD. Cessna 172. Crashed on t/o fm Sywell.

1979
May
05. G-BFWJ. Slingsby Vega. Crashed Camphill nr Great Hucklow DE.

October
07. BGA1498. Schleicher ASK13. Spun in fm launch Ashbourne.

December
28. G-BDGX. Super Falke. Crashed Husbands Bosworth LE.

1980
January
17. G-AXUW. Aerobat. Crashed Leicester East.

April
03. G-AZWU. Cessna 150. DBR Husbands Bosworth.

May
30. G-ARDJ. Auster D6/180. F/L 1.5m SE of Leicester East.

June 1980
07. G-BDBB. Cessna 150. Crashed East Haddon NR. 1k.

September
09. G-BENG. Bell 47. F/L Northfield Farm, Barnby Moor NT.

October
04. G-BFZN. Aerobat. F/L and hit hedge at Croft LE.

1981
August
26. G-BTCD. Falke. Collided with Capstan T49B over Camphill N of Great Hucklow DE.

September
19. G-AZDZ. Cessna 172. F/L Delapre Golf Course Northampton.

November
08. G-BAHR. Cherokee. Crashed nr Melton Mowbray LE.

1982
May
28. G-BBSO. Cherokee. Crashed on t/o Leicester East.

1983
March

1. G-BAGE. Turbo-Centurion. Engine fire on start-up at Gamston.

May
19. G-ASPL. HS 748 of Dan-Air. Fuselage door detached, caught on tailplane, dived in on approach to East Midlands, Nailstone LE. 3k.
June
04. G-BGAI. Bell 47. Crashed crop-spraying Wappenham NR.

October
G-BFRP. Cessna 150. Caught in down draught, hit ground Bradlee bank Tor nr Barber Booth DE.
December
04. G-SHIP. Aztec. Crash-ldg at Keystone NT.
10. G-BIZP. Turbo-Porter. F/L on playing fields at Yarwell NR.

## 1984

May
13. G-NORM. Jet Ranger. Crashed on t/o Brook Close Farm, Parwich DE. 1k.

June 1984
19. G-AZRU. Jet Ranger. EF, F/L crop-spraying Sutton-in-Ashfield NT.
28. BGA2439. Schleicher Ka2. Crashed Camphill N of Great Hucklow DE.

July
29. BGA2503. Schleicher Ka6. Cable wrapped round glider on launch Saltby. 1k.

August
24. XE798. Cadet TX3 of ACGGS Syerston. Crashed at base.

September
28. G-BHHJ. Cessna 152. Stalled on t/o fm Leicester East and o/t.

## 1985

May
n/k BGA2832. Schleicher K7. Crashed on launch Camphill N of Grreat Hucklow DE.
28. G-AXEX. Pup. Hit tree and crashed 1m W of Donington Hall nr Castle Donington LE.

August
09. G-BHHO. Archer. Dived in 1 m NW of Welford NR - suspected pilot ill. 1k.
17. G-MNDN. Southdown Puma. Crashed Chaddeston DE. Fatal.

October

1. G-BHDC. Commander 112. Hit HT cables and crashed nr Little Stretton LE. 1k.
2. G-NOEI. Ecuriel. Crashed at Silverstone.

## 1987

January
18. G-BMAU. Friendship of BMA. Probably iced up, crashed Donington Park race track nr Isley Walton LE.
September
22. G-BDID. Chipmunk 22. Spun in on approach in bad visibility to Husbands Bosworth, crashed North Kilworth. 2k.

## 1988

| January |  |
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| 25. | G-BNAT. Kingair 90 of National AW. Crashed on o/s fm East Midlands. 1k. |
| March |  |
| 28. | G-AZXE. Paris-Nice. Crashed Cotgrave NT. 1k. |
| April |  |
| 09. | RAFGSA R87. Ventus. Broke-up in flight Muston LE. 1k |
| May |  |
| 06. | G-BOGE. Cessna 152. F/L Smockington Hollow LE. |
| 29. | BGA2035. Schleicher ASW 15. Crashed nr Hinckley LE. |
| September  <br> 10. G-BBXT. Cessna 172. Crashed Darley Dale DE. <br> November  <br> 16. G-BOXS. Hughes 269. Landed in ditch 1m E of Sywell. |  |

8. G-OBME. Boeing 737-300 British Midland Airlines. EF, crashed on M1 on approach to East Midlands nr Kegworth LE after EF. 47k.
April
9. G-BCCP. Club. Swung ldg and o/t Hall Fm, Sywell.

May
05. G-BHJW. Cessna 152. F/L nr Gaulby LE after t/o fm Leicester East.

June
02. G-AYMT. Ambassadeur. Hit HT cables during thunderstorm, crashed old Melton Mowbray a/f, Great Dalby LE.
August
07. G-BFHM. Skybolt. Rudder jammed during aeros, crashed Scofton NT. 1k.

## END OF THE COLD WAR

The RAF now paid a 'peace dividend' and was further reduced in size, a process continuing to the present day . RAF stations closed but eastern England did not suffer as much as other parts of the UK and Cottesmore remained a major RAF station until 2011 when it too closed, the last RAF station in the area. However, military aircraft crashes are now rare events so the number is very much reduced; light aircraft are now the subject of most crashes.

## 1990

August

1. G-AVHF. Musketeer. Wind gust ldg at Spanhoe, hit windsock.

October
20. G-BMCB. Partenavia P68 of Air Kilroe. Instrument failure on night approach, crashed on A453 at East Midlands. 1k.
24. BGA1908. Bocian. Spun in Mill Fm, North Kilworth LE.

1991
June

1. G-ATAD. Mooney 20. Crashed on t/o Coal Aston.

July
14. G-BBKL. Emeraude. Crashed at Ketton RU.

1992
June
12. BGA3652. Schleicher ASW 15. Crashed Hinton-in-the-Hedges.
26. G-BAWI. Enstrom 28. Crashed on t/o fm Bosworth Hall, Mkt Bosworth LE.

August
20. G-BGSM. Rallye. Hit combine-harvester ldg Overseal DE.

October
19. G-BOOK. Pitts S 1. Caught fire after ldg Spanhoe.

1993
January
29. G-BSRG. Robinson 22. Heavy ldg at Leicester East, DBR.

June 1993
13. G-BTYL/XL595. Hunter T 7. Dived in during thunderstorm nr Lady Bower reservoir nr Ashopton 3m N of Bamford, DE. 1k.

## August

13. BGA3948. Puchazc. Spun in Camphill N of Great Hucklow DE. 2k.
14. G-TOGA. Saratoga. EF in bad weather, flew into high ground Winter Hill nr F/L Belmont DE.

November
12. G-BAEW. Cessna 172.EF, F/L 2m SE of Sywell.

## 1994

July
10. G-HSAA. Hughes 369. F/L and rotor cut off tail boom, Old Stratford NR.
17. BGA3591. Cirrus. O/s field ldg nr Husbands Bosworth.

August
15. G-BGBX. Tomahawk. Lost power on t/o and hit hedge, Tollerton.
31. G-KAYT. Robinson 22. Overturned F/L at Keyham LE.

## September 1994

17. G-REVS. Jet Ranger. Tail rotor hit a tree on t/o, Hambledon Hall RU.

## December

5. G-TCSL. Commander 112. Windsheer, crashed on t/o fm Spanhoe.

## 1995

April
15.
19. G-OEMH. Bell 47. Lost control in hover Leicester East.

May
05. BGA3735. Puchazc. Spun in fm launch Husbands Bosworth.

June 1995
30. [G-ATIC. Ambassadeur. Ran off runway at Leicester East and hit below.
[G-ATLW. Cherokee. Hit by above.
July
09. G-PULS. Pulsar. Crashed nr Deenethorpe NR. 2k.
12. G-BUUH. Firefly of EFTS Barkston Heath, Lincs. Control lost, abandoned in spin, Bakers Fm, Markham Moor NT

## August

30. G-BOPW. Aerobat. Crashed ldg at Sywell.

September

1. G-AZKN. Robin HR100/200. F/L Long Whatton LE.

November
06. G-BISB. Cessna 152. F/L whilst lost and hit ditch, Glebe Farm, Gotham NT.
18. G-AIJR. Auster Archer. Crashed ldg at Spanhoe. 0k.

## December

18. F-GGGG. Cessna 310. Landed with u/c up at East Midlands.

## 1996

March
29. G-BWHK. Coyote II. Crashed on t/o fm Sywell.

April
26. G-BNMC. Cessna 152. Crashed ldg at Egginton.

June
15. G-CRAN. Aiglon. EF, spun in Staden trading estate Buxton DE. 4k.
20. G-AWFK. Arrow. Hit HT cables on approach to Hinton-in-the-Hedges.

August
11. G-BXUK. Robinson 44. Hit tree ldg Cliff Park Hall, Rushden NR.

October
02. G-BETC. Auster AOP 9. Crashed Widmerpool NT.

1997
March
21. G-SACF. Cessna 152. Ran out of fuel and F/L Egginton.

July
05. G-BCHM. Gazelle. Heavy ldg at Springfield Farm Melton Mowbray LE.
23. G-BIZN. Slingsby T67A. Canopy came open after t/o fm Leicester East, F/L and DBR.
28. G-HAVA. Gazelle. Hit hangar door at Gamston.

October
24. G-ODIL. JetRanger Crashed at William Clough, Kinder Scout nr Farlands Booth DE

November
22. G-BKOV. Jodel 220 2+2. Crashed on t/o Hucknall fm wake turbulence of AN-2.

## 1998

April
19. G-POWE. Robinson 44. Crashed in bad weather nr Gumley LE. 4k.

June
19. G-BHIN. Cessna 152. Heavy ldg at Egginton.
20. G-BPJF. Tomahawk. Hit hedge during slow t/o and wings came off, Egginton DE.

July
14. G-IBRO. Cessna 152. Nose-wheel collapsed ldg at Leicester East.
15. G-BXRL. Scout. Tail rotor hit trees ldg Hambledon Hall RU.

July 1998 cont
16. G-BSPF. Crusader. Low flying, engine problem, hit telegraph pole on Bridle road Burton Joyce NT.

## September

6. G-AXDZ. Cassut. Lost control during air race, Leicester East.

October
10. G-EMAU. Twin Squirrel. EM Police Unit. Lost control in fog just after t/o fm Husbands Bosworth airfield, crashed Sulby nr Welford NR. 1k.
G-JODL. Excellence. Overshot ldg Wharf Farm Mkt Bosworth LE.

## 1999

January
21. [G-BPZX. Cessna 152. Collided with below Mattersey NT. 2k.
[ZA330. Tornado GR1 of TTTE Cottesmore RU. Collided with above. 2k
February
04. G-AZLL. Aerobat. Stalled in circuit Turweston.

May 1999
02. G-MYDF. Team Minimax microlight. Stalled on approach to Oxton strip NT.
18. XZ199. Lynx AH7 of 656 Sqn AAC Dishforth Yorks. Smoke in cockpit, hit ground at Tilton on the Hill LE. 3k.

## August

29. G-BDCC. Chipmunk. EF, u/s ldg at Husbands Bosworth

December
19. G-BRRB. Silvaire. Crashed on overshoot fm farm strip Lambley NT.

2000
February
26. G-BYOP. Robinson 22. Skid hit ground in hover, tail hit ground at Sywell.

March
12. G-KWIP. Europa. EF after t/o from Ashbourne, crashed Hollymeadow Fm, Bradley DE.
22. G-AZYM. Cessna 310Q. Landed with u/c up at Gamston.

April
16. BGA1015. Skylark 3. Crashed on field ldg Melton Mowbray LE.

August
27. G-THUG. McDonnell-Douglas MD600N. Rotor hit ground Wollaston NR.

December
16. G-GEGE. Robinson 22. Rolled over during t/o fm Apple Barn, Gamston.

2001
January
14. G-BXRK. Robinson 22. Rolled over manoeuvring at Sywell.

March
12. G-KWIP. Europa. Crashed on $\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$, Bradley DE.

May 2001
12. G-BYEG. Cessna 182. Stalled after t/o fm Leicester East. 2k.

G-EEMV/WH588. Sea Fury FB 11, privately owned. Crashed and turned over ldg at Sywell. 1k.
August
26. $n / k$. Rolladen-Schneider L58. Crashed Flintham NT.

2002
May
22. N7348P. Comanche. Ran out of fuel on approach to Gamston.

June

1. BGA3319. Schleichner KA8b glider. Hit by free-fall parachutist over Hinton-in-the-Hedges. 1+1k.
2. G-MYTA. Team Minimax microlight. Canopy opened on $t / \mathrm{fm}$ Headon NT, lost control.
3. G-BZIB. Kitfox. EF, F/L Smeeton Westerby LE.
4. BGA1796. Kestrel T59. Crashed nr Elkington NR.

November
19. G-BWFD. Katana. Nose-wheel collapsed ldg at Gamston.

2003
January
05. G-YAKW. Yak 52. Dived in during aeros 2 m NE of Towcester NR, canopy jammed. 2 k .

January 2003 cont
18. G-TFYN. Lance 2. Aborted ldg at Leicester East and crashed.

February
21. BGA3947. Puchazc. Hit cable on launch Camphill N of Great Hucklow DE. 1k.

June
11. BGA2360. Schleicher ASW 19. Crashed on launch Camphill N of Great Hucklow DE. 1k.
13. G-BZIB. Kitfox. EF, F/L in field and overturned, Gumley Rd, Smeeton Westerby LE.

July
09. G-KAZZ. Robinson 44. Test flight to investigate tail-rotor problem Sywell, tail-rotor failed, crashlanded.

## September

16. BGA1245. Dart T51. Crashed Lyveden E of Brigstock NR.

2004
January
18. HCD. SZD SO-3 Puchacz glider. Spinning practice but didn't pull out, 700m NW of Husbands Bosworth village. 2 k .
27. G-MNDW. Midland Ultralights Sirocco. Stuctural failure, crashed 1 m NE of Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Leics. 1k.
March
03. G-EFIR. Piper Archer. Engine started accidentally and hit hangar door, Leicester East.

July 2004

1. BGA3324. T21. Crashed Camphill N of Great Hucklow DE.

August
26. BGA3949. Puchazc. Crashed Camphill N of Great Hucklow DE.

October 2004
13. G-BYTD. Robinson 22. Lost control, F/L between Brafield-on-the-Green \& Hackleton NR.

November
18. N33514. Hiller 12. Ran out of fuel on hover approach at Sywell.

December
11. G-MBLN. Pterodactyl Ptraveller. OOC, dived in, Prospect Fm, Wollaston NR.

2005
March
03. G-IBRO. Cessna 152. EF, F/L 1 km fm Leicester East and overturned.

May
25 G-FORS. Slingsby T67C. Spun in during spinning practice and crashed Potterspury NR. 2k.
July
23. G-OFLG. Tobago. Lost power, hit hedge on t/o from Egginton.

August
09. BGA4665. Rolladen-Schneider LS1F glider. Finishing race at Husbands Bosworth, hit photographer standing on vehicle Husbands Bosworth. Photographer killed.
November
17. G-BDLS. Yankee Traveller. Spun in nr Bugbrooke NR. 2k.
27. BGA5051. Puchazc. Spun in on approach Camphill N of Great Hucklow DE.

December

1. G-ODHG. Robinson 44. Yawed in hover, rolled on side at Sywell.

2006
January
02. G-LINC. Hughes 269. DBR at Sywell.

July
19. G-MZKO. Manair Blade. Heavy ldg, bounced and wing hit ground, Headon strip NT.

2007
January
13. G-UNYT. Robinson 22. Skids hit ground on approach, nosed in and overturned, Hollis Fm, Tupton DE.
26. G-BBEX. Cessna 185. Hit fire vehicle on ground at Turweston

March
28. G-BOHN. Rand Robinson KR2. F/L at Horse Leys Fm, Burton-on-the-Wolds LE. DBR.

June
09. BGA2982. Schleicher K7. Crashed on heavy ldg Camphill N of GreatnHucklow DE.
12. G-BBPN. G-BBPN. Enstrom 28. Hit trees on overshoot fm ldg Ormonde Fields Golf Club, Codnor DE.

## August 2007

17. G-ASVP. Pawnee. Crashed ldg and overturned Hinton-in-the-Hedges.

September
02. BGA2751. Nimbus. Crashed Brigstock NR.
06. BGA4041. Schleicher ASW 20. Crashed nr Welford NR.
08. G-ATIA. Comanche. T/o fm Leicester East, landed again with problem but bounced and went round again; engine lost power, crashed 0.5 m E of airfield.
26. G-BZJF. Pegasus Quantum. Broke-up in flight and crashed Knotting Wood nr A6 2m SE of Rushden NR. 2k.
28. G-MVVU. Chaser. Hit by gust of wind ldg Burton-on-the-Wolds LE, landed short and airframe collapsed.
October
23. G-TEDS. Tobago. Ran off runway whilst taxying and overturned at Bruntingthorpe LE.

November

1. G-ATMW. Cherokee. Landed at night by vehicle lights, hit fuel bowser and nose-wheel collapsed, Hinton-in-the-Hedges.
December
2. N7348P. Comanche. Landed at Gamston with u/c retracted.

2008
February
13. G-BKFZ. Arrow. Hit tree in fog, crashed on Rutland Water shore nr Empingham RU. 1k.

April
21. G-CENA. MCR-01. Hit by gust ldg Caunton NT, went into ditch.

May
06. G-EGGI. Ikarus C42. Overshot into hedge ldg at Bitteswell strip.

June
16. ZD408. Harrier GR9 of Naval Strike Wing Cottesmore. Engine fire, ejected, crashed nr Ashwell RU.

2009
January
17. G-CHDC. Schleicher ASK-13. Crashed at Camphill nr Great Hucklow DE.

April
16. G-ODJB. Robinson R22. Lost control in hover and hit ground at Tollerton.
29. G-CEKM. Jabiru UL450. EF, F/L and hit hedge, Headon NT.

May
29. G-BYFG. Europa XS. EF, F/L in Carsington Water nr Ashbourne DE.

June
21. BGA763. Skylark 3. O/s ldg Camphill N of Great Hucklow DE.

July
04. G-PHXS. Europa XS. Crashed at Weldon Fm nr Corby NR.

August
02. G-BBVO. Isaacs Fury. Pilot's goggles obscured vision on t/o, swung into corn, Battle Flats, Ellistown LE.
22. N540BW. Edge 540. Spun in during aeros competition at Silverstone circuit. 1k.

2010
May
18. G-MZKM. Manair Blade. Lost power and F/L nr Lambley NT and caught fire.

August
18. G-CHGH. Schleicher ASW-19B. Crashed nr Welford road, Husbands Bosworth.

September
03. G-MVVN. Pegasus XL. Caught in down draught, hit hedge ldg at Watnall strip NT.

## 2011

May
19. G-LEIC. Aerobat. F/L at Fleckney LE and DBR.

June
02. G-BPWD. Cessna 120. EF on t/o, C/L at Watnall Rd, Hucknall.
04. G-CHOV. PZL Juniot. Stalled and crashed at Husbands Bosworth LE.

September
03. G-BDDD. Chipmunk. Ran into stationary RV-4 G-IIGI (survived) taxying Sywell
29. G-BWBY. Schleicher ASH 26. Crashed Husbands Bosworth.

October 2011
29. G-MWKY. Pegasus Quik. Lost control in wind, F/L and o/t Charley Hill Fm, Markfield LE. November
13. G-BTLM. Tri-Pacer. EF on o/s at Leicester East, F/L and wing hit tree. Substantial damage.

December
18. [G-BVXS. Taylorcraft BC-12. Collided with below and crashed at Gartree Rd, Little Stretton LE. 1k. [G-IICI. Pitts S2. Collided with above, C/L DBR.

## 2012

January
11. G-DDNJ. Schleicher ASK-18. Stalled and hit tree nr Abney DE.

May
29. G-TEAS. Tanarg/Xess. Stalled and spun in at Calton Moor strip DE.

August 2012
14. G-BTHI. Robinson R22. Engine problem on approach to Leicester East, made heavy ldg and o/t. 26. G-CFZP. PZL Junior. Crashed nr Barnack NR.

2013
June
27.

July
14. G-BYMV. Coyote II. Stalled and spun in approach to Stoke Golding and crashed at Fenn Lane, Fenny Drayton LE. 2k.

## August

3. G-JESI. Ecuriel. Caught fire in flight, F/L Lindley Hall, Fenny Drayton LE, DBF.
4. G-ASZS. Horizon. Landed Leicester wheels up in error.
5. G-GBXS. Europa XS. Crashed in turn after t/o fm Common Fm, Wymeswold LE. 2k.

## 2014

March
21. G-BFKF. Aerobat. Blown over by helicopter wash Conington.

May
17. G-MZAZ. Manair Blade ML. Heavy ldg at Headon strip NT. Extensive damage.

June
14. G-YIII. Cessna 150. Lost power after t/o fm Hucknall, stalled and spun in . 2k.

September
21. G-MZIY. Coyote II. Stalled ldg at strip nr Derby.

2015
June
30. G-BCCR. Emeraude. U/c collapsed ldg Leicester AP. DBR.

July
06. G-DCFE. Schleicher ASK 13. Crashed ldg Saltby
16. G-CDXX. Robinson R44. Rolled over on t/o Leicester AP.
18. G-BAHD. Cessna 182. Bounced ldg at Jericho Fm, Lambley NT, nosewheel collapsed.

September
04. G-ATKF. Cessna 150. Stalled on t/o Hinton-in-the-Hedges and spun in. 1k.
13. G-OLAS. Vierwerk Aerolite 120. Stalled on t/o fm Darley Moor.

October
19. G-CIYA. Alisport Silent 2 Electro. Crashed on t/o Husbands Bosworth.

2016
January
14. G-MAPP. Cessna 402. U/c collapsed ldg East Midlands.

March
24. G-BTWX. Tampico. Crashed avoiding van on t/o Jericho Fm, Lambley NT.

July
22. G-CBUR. Zodiac. Swung on t/o hit hedge Headon NT.
28. G-MEPU. Rotorsport MT3. Crashed Turweston.

August
05. G-RUFN. Robinson 44. Rolled on ldgthe Paper Mill, Woodhead Pass nr Crowden DE.

## December 2016

4. [G-CLJK. Junior SZD-51. Collided with below over Laughton road Lubenham LE. 1k [G-CSFC. Cessna 150. As above but landed OK.

## 2017

March
25. G-MGCB. Pegasus XL. Heavy ldg, o/t Headon NT.

May
14. G-BHNA. Cessna 152. Crashed on ldg Gamston.
28. G-NDOL. Europa. EF on t/o fm Coal Aston stalled fm turn. 1k.

June 2017
18. G-BXON. Auster AOP9. Turned after t/o and dived in Spanhoe. 1k.
19. G-BTFK. Taylorcraft BC12D. Crashed and Willow Farm, Carr Rd, Gringley-on-the-Hill NT

November
24. G-CIXX. Titan Mustang. Swung on t/o and hit hedge, Shacklewell nr Empingham Rut.

## 2018.

## January

30. G-CTRL. Robinson 22. Rolled on side on t/o Tollerton.

July
12. G-KAZI. Pegasus Quantum. Bounced ldg, swung and hit hedge Headon NT.

September
15. G-KEVK. CTSW. EF, F/L and o/t 4.5 m N of Sywell. NFD.

October
27. G-VSKP. Leonardo 169. Tail rotor failed after t/o King Power Stadium, Leicester. 5k.

2019
January
30. G-BEZH. Traveller. EF after t/o Nottingham/Tollerton, C/L.

July
13. G-CDFL. Zodiac. Spun in in circuit Caunton Nt.
21. G-AWIR. Midget Mustang. Crashed on approach Spanhoe.

October
22. G-DDAY. Cherokee. Lost control on t/o Nottingham AP.

## Appendix 1. Aircraft types.

Aerobat. Cessna. American two-seat single-engined sports. 3 crashes from 1/80+1, 95-1, 99-1, 11-1 total 5. Aiglon. Robin. Single-engined 4-seat tourer. 6/96 total 1.
Albatross D V. German WW 1 single-seat single-engined fighter. 12/1917 total 1.
Albemarle. Armstrong-Whitworth. Twin-engined 14 -seat glider tug and paratroop transport. 2/44+11 total 12 .
Ambassadeur. Jodel. French single-engined 4-seat tourer. 6/89, 95-1 total 2.
Anson I. Avro. Twin engined 3-crew coastal patrol type but used in Lincolnshire for multi-engine pilot training;
also used as a transport. 9/39+1, 40-5, 41-7, 42-4, 43-1, 44-3, 45-3, 46-1, 49-1 total 27.
Anson C11. As the above but used as a transport. 11/45 total 1.
Anson C20. Modified light transport. 12/53 total 1.
Anson T22. As the above but used for navigation training and transport duties. 1/53 total 1.
Total Ansons = 30 .
Apache. Piper. American twin-engined 4-seat tourer. 10/74 total 1.
Archer Auster. Single-engined 2-seat tourer. 11/49, 51-1, 56-1, 72-1, 95-1 total 5.
Archer. Piper. American single-engined 4-seat tourer. 8/85, 13-1 total 2.
Arrow. Auster. Single-engined 2-seat tourer. 3/47 total 1.
Arrow. Piper. American single-engined 4-seat tourer. 6/96, 08-1 total 2.
Audax I. Hawker. Two-seat single-engined army co-operation biplane used for advanced pilot training. 10/36, 37-3, 38-3, 39-4, 40-4, 41-1 total 16.
Auster AOP III. Single-engine 2-seat artillery spotter. 2/44, 45-1 total 2.
Auster AOP4. Single-engined 2-seat artillery spotter. 5/44 total 1.
Auster AOP 9. Auster. Developed version of the above with three seats. 9/64, 96-1, 17-1 total 3.
Auster J5. Refined version of the above. 8/48, 49-1 total 2.
Auster D6/180. Auster. Developed version of the above - single-engined 3-seat tourer. 5/80 total 1.
Autocar. Auster. Four-seat single-engined tourer. 9/50 total 1.
Autocrat. Auster. Single-engined 2-seat tourer. 6/47, 48-1, 51-1, 52-1 total 4.
Avian III. Avro. Single-engined 2-seat touring biplane. 5/34 total 1.
Avis. Auster. Single-engined 2-seat tourer. 8/50 total 1.

Avro 504J. Single-engined 2-seat basic trainer biplane. 11/1917, 1918-2 total 3 minimum.
Avro 504K. Re-engined version. 9/1918+2, 1919-1, 20-1, 22-2, 26-1 total 8 minimum.
Avro 505N. Re-engined yet again. 11/26, 27-3, 29-1, 32-3 total 8 .

## Total 504s $=19$ minimum

Aztec. Piper. American twin-engined 5-seat tourer. 12/83 total 1.
Balliol T2. Boulton-Paul. Single-engined 2-seat advanced trainer. 1/53+1, 54-1, 57-1 total 4.
Barracuda II. Fairey. Single-engined 3-crew carrier-borne torpedo-bomber. 8/43+1, 44-1 total 3.
Battle I. Fairey. Single-engined 3-crew light bomber later used for training. 11/38, 39-5, 40-6, 41-3 total 15.
BE2c. Royal Aircraft Factory. Single-engined 2-seat biplane trainer. 2/1917 total 1
BE2e. Royal Aircraft Factory. Improved version of the above. 2/1918+2, 20-1 total 4.
Total BE2s 5
BE12. Royal Aircraft Factory. Single-engined single-seat fighter biplane. 8/1916, 1917-1 total 2.
Beaufighter If. Bristol. Twin engined 2-seat night fighter. 3/41+10, 42-2, 43-2, 44-2 total 17.
Beaufighter IIF. Re-engined version of the above. 9/40 total 1.
Beaufighter VIf. Developed version of the above. 9/42+1, 43-6, 44-2, 45-1 total 12.
Beaufighter X. Refined version of the VI used for shipping attacks. 4/44, 45-2 total 3.
Total Beaufighters = 33 .
Beaufort I. Bristol. Twin-engined 4-crew torpedo bomber. $6 / 40$ total 1.
Beaufort II. Re-engined version later used for training. 4/45 total 1
Total Beauforts $=2$.
Beaver L-20A. de Havilland Canada. Single-engined 6 -seat light transport. $12 / 56$ total $1 .$.
Bell 47. American single-engined 3-seat utility helicopter used for crop-spraying. 9/80, 83-1, 95-1 total 3.
Beta. UK by Rollason. American single-engined single-seat racer. $9 / 73$ total 1.
Blenheim I. Bristol. Twin-engined 3-crew light bomber, later used for multi-engined pilot training.
12/37, 39-1, 41-6, 42-5, 43-2, 44-2 total 17.
Blenheim If. Night-fighter version of the above, 2 -seats. 1/39+4, 40-7, 41-2 total 13.
Blenheim IV. Refined version of the Mk I with an extended nose. 10/39, 40-6, 41-9, 42-7, 43-5, 44-1 total 29.
Blenheim IVf. Long-range fighter version of the above. $7 / 41$ total 1.
Blenheim V. Refined re-engined version of the above for multi-engined pilot training. 4/43+2, 44-1 total 4.
Total Blenheims $=\mathbf{5 4}$
3.

Bluebird IV. Blackburn. Single-engined 2xseat biplane tourer. $8 / 32$ total 1.
Bocian. Polish 2-seat glider. 10/90 total 1.
Boeing 737-300. American twin jet, 150 -seat airliner. 1/89 total 1.
Boston. Douglas. American twin-engined 3-crew light bomber, also used by RAF. 6/42, 43-5, 44-3, 45-1 total 10.

Botha I. Blackburn. Twin-engined 4-crew torpedo-bomber and trainer. 12/41 total 1.
Brantly B2. American single-engined 2 -seat light helicopter. 4/76 total 1.
Bulldog IIa. Bristol. Single-engined single-seat biplane fighter. 8/34, 36-1 total 2.
Cadet. Slingsby. Two-seat glider. $8 / 84$ total 1 .
Calidus. Rotorsport. German single-engined 2 -seat autogyro. $1 / 18$ tot 1 .
Cambridge glider. NFD. 6/52 total 1.
Camel. Sopwith. Single-engined single-seat fighter biplane used for training. 12/1917, 1918-6 total 7.
Canberra B 2/B6. English Electric. Twin-jet 3-crew light bomber. 6/51, 54-2, 58-1 total 4.
Canberra T4. Two seat trainer version of the above. 1/71 total 1.
Canberra T17. Radome-nosed electronics warfare training version. 1/71 total 1
Total Canberras $=6$.
Capstan T49. Slingsby. 2xseat glider. 9/66, 69-1 total 2.
Cassut. American single-engine single-seat racer. 9/98 total 1.
Centurion. Cessna. American single-engined 4 -seat tourer. 12/67 total 1.
Cessna 120. American single-engined 2 -seat tourer. 6/11 total 1.
Cessna 150. American single-engined 2 -seat trainer. 4/80+1, 14-1, 15-1 total 4.
Cessna 152. Refined version of the above. 9/84, 88-1, 89-1, 95-1, 96-1, 97-1, 98-2, 99-1, 05-1, 17-1 total 11.
Cessna 172. American single-engined 4 -seat tourer. 1/76, 78-1, 81-1, 88-1, 93-1 total 5 .
Cessna 182. American single-engined 6 -seat tourer. 10/75, 77-1, 01-1, 15-1 total 4.
Cessna 185. Development of the above. $1 / 07$ total 1.
Cessna 310. American twin-engined 4 -seat tourer. 12/95, 00-1 total 2.
Cessna 402. American twin-engined 9 -seat light transport. 1/16 total 1 .
Chaser ML.. Cosmic. Single-seat single-engine ML. 8/07 total 1.
Cherokee. Piper. Americam single-engined 2-4 seat trainer and tourer. 8/70, 81-1, 82-1, 95-1, 07-, 19-1 total 6.
Chipmunk T10. De Havilland Canada. Single-engined 2-seat basic trainer, service and civilian. 7/51, 52-3, 53-1,

58-1, 64-1, 75-1, 87-1, 99-2, 11-1 total 12.
Cierva C30. British single-engined 2-seat autogiro. 7/49 total 1.
Cirrus. Schempp-Hirth. German single-seat glider. 7/94, , total 1.
Club. Robin. French single-engined 2-seat trainer. 3/76, 89-1 total 2.
Comanche. Piper. American single-engined 4 -seat tourer. 5/02, 07-2 total 3.
Commander 112. Aero. Single-engine 4-seat tourer. 10/85, 94-1 total 2.
Coyote II. Rans. American single-engined 2-seat ML. 3/96, 13-1, 14-1 total 3.
Crusader. Cessna. American twin-engined 6-seat tourer. 7/98 total 1.
CTSW. Flight Design. German single-engine 2xseat light a/c. 9/18 total 1.
Cub L-4. Piper. Single-engined 2-seat American artillery spotter. 8/43+1, 44-2 total 4.
Cub Coupe. Piper. Two seat side-by-side tourer development of the above. 8/39 total 1.
Dakota C-47. Douglas. American twin-engined 32-seat troop transport and freighter. 3/44+6, 45-1 total 7.
Dakota. RAF and civil version of the above. 9/44, 45-4, 46-3, 48-2, 49-2 total 12.
Total Dakotas $=19$
Dart T51. Slingsby. Single-seat glider. 03-1 total 1.
Dauntless. Douglas. American single-engine, two-seat dive bomber used by the FAA for communications. 7/44 total 1.
Defiant I. Boulton Paul. Single-engined 2-seat night fighter. 8/40, 41-6, 42-2, 43-2 -7/43 total 11.
Demon I. Hawker. Single-engined 2-seat fighter biplane. 8/38+1 total 2 ..
Destroyer RB 66. Douglas. American twin-jet 3-crew reconnaissance bomber. 12/59, 60-1, 62-1, 64-1 total 4.
DH4. Airco. Single-engined 2-seat light bomber biplane. 10/18 total 1.
DH6. Airco. Single-engined 2-seat biplane basic trainer biplane. 12/17, 18-6 total 7 minimum.
DH9. Airco. Single-engined two-seat light bomber biplane also used for training. 7/18+1, 19-3 total 5.
DH9a. Re-engined version of the above used for bombing and training. 11/18, 19-1, 28-1 total 3.
Dickson. Single-seat glider. NFD. 8/30 total 1.
Dominie C1. Built by de Havilland. Eight-seat twin-engined biplane transport-military version of Dragon Rapide. 6/46 total 1.
Dornier Do17. German twin-engined 3-crew bomber. 11/40, 41-1 total 2.
Dornier Do217. Refined version of the above used as a bomber and night fighter. 8/42 total 1.
Dove. de Havilland. Twin-engined 8 -seat light airliner. $1 / 65$ total 1.
Dragon. de Havilland. Twin-engined 7-seat biplane airliner and RAF communications. 10/40 total 1.
Dragon Rapide. de Havilland. Twin-engined 8-seat biplane airliner and military communications. 5/43, 63-1 total 2.
Dragonfly. de Havilland. Twin-engined 5-seat light tourer biplane. 5/41 total 1.
Drone. BAC. Single-engined single-seat light aircraft. 1/39 total 1.
Eagle II. BA. Single-engined 3-seat tourer. 10/37 total 1.
Ecuriel. Aerospatiale. French single-turboprop 5-seat light helicopter. 10/85, 13-1 total 2.
Edge 540. Zivko. American single-seat single-engined aerobatic mono. 8/09 total 1.
Emeraude. Scintex. French single-engined 2-seat tourer. 7/91, 15-1 total 2.
Enstrom 28/Shark. Three-seat US light helicopter. 7/92, 07-1 total 2.
EoN 460. Elliots. Single-seat glider.
Europa. Shaw. Single-engined 2-seat light aircraft. 3/00, 01-1, 09-2, 13-1, 17-1 total 6...
Excellence. Robin. French single-engined 3-seat tourer. 10/98 total 1.
F2b. Bristol. Single-engined 2-seat fighter/general purpose biplane. 9/1917, 1918-1, 28-1, 29-1 total 4 minimum.
Fairey IIIF. Two-seat single-engined general-purpose biplane. 5/31 total 1.
Falke. Scheibe. German single-engined single-seat motor-glider. 8/81 total 1.
FE2. Royal Aircraft Factory. Single-engined 1/2-seat home defence fighter. 2/1914, 1917-1, 1918-7 total 9
minimum.
Firefly. Fairey. Naval single-engined 2-seat fighter-bomber. 3/44, 45+2, 54-1 total 4.
Firefly. Slingsby. Single-engined 2-seat trainer. 7/95 total 1.
FK 3. Armstrong-Whitworth. Single-engined 2-seat trainer biplane. 8/16 total 1 minimum.
FK 8. Armstrong-Whitworth. Single-engined 2-seat reconnaissance and trainer. 6/18+1 total 2 minimum.
Focke-Wulfe 190. German single-engined single-seat fighter. 10/44 total 1.
Fortress I. Boeing. RAF four-engined 7-crew bomber, forerunner of below. 7/41+1 total 2.
Fortress B-17F. Built by Boeing. USAAF four-engined 10-crew heavy bomber. 8/42, 43-29, 44-5 total 35.
Fortress B-17G. Development of the above. 8/43+4, 44-74, 45-27 total 106.
Total Fortresses $=143$.
Forwarder UC-61. Fairchild. American single-engined 4-seat communications. 6/44, 45-1 total 2.
Friendship. Fokker. Dutch twin-turboprop 62-seat airliner. 1/87 total 1.
Fury I. Hawker. Single-seat single-engined fighter biplane. 3/37 total 1

Fury II. Re-engined and refined version of the above. 2/37, 39-1 total 2.
Total Furies = 3 .
Gamecock Special. Gloster. Version of the single-engine single seat fighter. 5/36 total 1
Gauntlet II. Gloster. Single-engined single-seat biplane fighter and advanced trainer. 8/38+3 total 4.
Gazelle. Westland. Single-turboprop 4-seat helicopter. 7/97+1 total 2.
Genet-Moth. de Havilland. Single-engined 2-seat trainer biplane. 6/30 total 1.
Gipsy Moth. de Havilland. Single-engined 2-seat trainer and tourer biplane. 4/30, 38-1 total 2
Hadrian CG-4.. USAAF 16-seat assault glider. 7/44+2 total 3.
Halifax I.. Four-engined 7-crew heavy bomber. 12/41 total 1.
Halifax II. Developed version of the above. 5/42+1, 43-6, 44-6 total 14.
Halifax III. Developed and re-engined version, also a 15-seat transport. 2/44+5, 45-7 total 13.
Halifax V. Developed version of the Mk II. 3/44+4, 45-1 total 6.
Halifax VI. Developed Mk III. 7/46 total 1.
Halifax 7. Bomber and airborne forces 13-seat-transport version. 12/44, 46-1, 47-1 total 3.
Halifax A 9. 21-seat airborne forces transport. 9/47 total 1.
Total Halifax = 38.
Hampden I.. Twin-engined 4-seat medium bomber and conversion trainer. 1/39+1, 40-28, 41-50, 42-42, 44-2
total 126.
Harrier GR9. BAe. RAF/FAA single-seat single-jet ground attack. 6/08 total 1.
Hart I. Hawker. Single-engined 2-seat light bomber biplane and trainer. 3/38+3, 39-2 total 6.
Hart Special. Development of the above for reconnaissance and training. 9/36, 40-4 total 5.
Hart Trainer. Advanced trainer version of the above. 4/36, 37-2, 38-1, 39-4, 40-14 total 23.
Total Harts $=34$
Harvard I. North American. American single-engined 2-seat advanced trainer. 11/39, 40-2, 41-3 total 6.
Harvard T2b. Development of the above. 9/44, 45-3, 46-1, 47-2, 49-2, 50-1, 51-1, 52-4, 53-4, 54-5 total 24.
Total Harvards = 30 .
Havoc 1. Douglas. American 2-seat night fighter version of the Boston. 4/42 total 1.
Havoc A-20. USAAF light bomber version with 3-crew. 6/44 total 1.
Total Havocs $=2$.
Hawk. Miles. Single-engine 2-seat tourer. 6/36 total 1.
Hawk Trainer. Miles. Single-engine 2-seat trainer, civil version of the Magister. 8/50, 57-2 total 3.
Hawker-Siddely 748. Twin turboprop 60 -seat airliner. $5 / 83$ total 1.
Heinkel III. German twin-engined 4 -crew bomber. $4 / 41+3$ total 4 .
Henley III. Hawker. Two-seat single-engined target tower. 1/40 total 1.
Hereford I. Handley-Page. Twin engined 4-crew medium bomber, a re-engined Hampden (qv). 9/39+1, 40-2, 41-1 total -5.
Heyford. Handley-Page. Four-crew twin-engined night bomber biplane. 7/37 total 1.
Hiller 360/UH-12. American single-engined 2/3- seat helicopter used for crop-spraying. 12/68, 72-1, 75-1, 04-1 total 4.
Hind I. Hawker. Two-crew single-engined light bomber and trainer biplane. 4/37+5, 38-1, 39-3, 40-2 total 12.
Horizon. Socata. French single-engine 4xseat tourer. 8/18 total 1.
Horsa I. Airspeed. 28 seat assault glider. 3/44+3, 45-4 total 8
Hotspur II. General Aircraft Co. Eight-seat training glider. 6/42+2, 45-3, 46-3 total 9.
Hughes 269/369. American single-engined 2-seat helicopter. 1/75, 88-1, 94-1, 06-1 total 4.
Hunter F 1. Hawker. Single-jet single-seat fighter. 5/56. Total 1.
Hunter F 2. Re-engined version of the above. 8/54 total 1
Hunter F 6. Improved version. 5/60 total 1.
Hunter T7. Two-seat trainer version. 6/93 total 1
Hunter FGA 9. Ground-attack version. 6/74 total 1.
Total Hunters =5
Hurricane I. Hawker. Single-engined single-seat fighter also used for second-line duties. 3/39+4, 40-4, 41-5, 421, 44-2 total 17.
Hurricane II. Improved version of the above. 5/41+3, 44-3, 45-9, 46-1 total 17.
Total Hurricanes $=34$.
Ikarus 42. German single-engined 2-seat trainer. 5/08 total 1.
Isaacs Fury. Single-engined single-seat scale replica fighter. 8/09 total 1
Jabiru 450. Australian single-engined 4-seat light. 4/09 total 1.
Jet Provost T 3. Hunting. Single-set 2- seat basic trainer. 2/60+2, 61-1, 63-2, 65-1, 66-1, 67-1 total 9.
Jet Provost T 4. More powerful version. 4/63, 66-2 total 3.

Jet Provost T 5. Improved version. 9/72 total 1.
Total Jet Provosts = 13
Jet Ranger. Bell. American four-seat single-engine helicopter. 7/69, 84-2, 94-1, 97-1 or -10/07 total 5.
JN3. Curtiss. American single-engined 2-seat biplane trainer. 12/1917 total 1.
JN4. Improved version of the above. $1 / 18+1$ total 2.
Total JN = 3
Jodel 117. French single-engine 2-seat tourer. 10/77total 1.
Jodel 220 2+2. French single-engined 4-seat tourer. 11/97 total 1.
Junior. PZL. Polish single-seat glider. 6/11, 12-1, 16-1 total 3.
Junkers 88. German 3-crew twin-engined bomber and fighter. 4/41, 44-1 total 2.
Katana. HOEC. Austrian single-engine 2-seat tourer. 6/02 total 1.
Kestrel T59. Slingsby. Single-seat glider. 02-1 total 1.
Kingair 90. Beech. American twin-engined 8 -seat light transport. 1/88 total 1.
Kitfox. Denney. American single-engined 2-seat ultra light. 6/02, 03-1 total 2.
Lancaster I. Avro. Four-engined seven-crew heavy bomber. 4/42+14, 43-26, 44-16, 45-16, 46-2, 48-1 total 76.
Lancaster II. Re-engined version. 7/44, 45-2, 50-1 total 3.
Lancaster III. Further re-engining. 3/43, 44-2, 45-19, 46-3 total 25.
Lancaster X. Canadian built Mk III. 12/44, 45-2 total 3.
Total Lancasters = 114
Lancastrian C2. Avro. 14-seat transport version of the Lancaster used for engine-test. 3/55 total 1.
Lance II. Piper. American single-engined 6-seat tourer. 1/03 total 1.
Leonardo 169. Italian 10/18 total 1.
Leopard Moth. de Havilland. Three-seat single-engined tourer. 8/41 total 1.
Liberator II. Consolidated. American RAF four-engined 10-crew heavy bomber. 4/42 total 1.
Liberator B-24D. USAAF version of the above with glass nose. 5/44+6, 45-2 total 9.
Liberator B-24H-M. Developed version of the above with nose turret. 10/44, 45-7 total 8.
Total Liberators $=18$.
Lightning F1A. English Electric. Twin-jet single-seat fighter. 7/63 total 1.
Lightning F2. Refined F1A. 3/64 total 1.

## Total RAF Lightnings $=2$

Lightning P-38H/J/. USAAF twin-engined single-seat fighter. 9/43+6, 44-22 total 29.
Lightning F-5. Photo-teconnaisance version. 2/44+1 total 2.
Total Ligtning P-38s $=\mathbf{3 1}$
Lincoln. RAF heavy four-engined bomber with crew of 7. 2/46, 48-1, 49-2, 53-1, 54-1 total 5.
LS1F. Rolladen Schneider. German single-seat glider. 8/05 total 1.
Lynx AH7. Westland. Twin-engined 8-seat Army helicopter. 5/99 total 1.
Lysander. Westland. Two-seat single-engined army co-operation and target towing type. 11/40+1, 41-1, 42-2, 43-1 total 6.

Magister I. Miles. Single-engined 2-seat basic trainer. 2/38+3, 39-3, 40-9, 41-13, 42-12, 43-1, 44-2, 45-1 total 45.

Manair Blade. Single-engined 2-seat WML. 7/06, 10-1, 14-1 total 3.
Manchester I. Avro. Twin-engined seven-crew heavy bomber. 3/41+2, 42-5, 43-6 total 14.
Martinet I. Miles. Single-engined 2-seat target tower. 4/43+3, 44-3, 45-1 total 8.
Master I. Miles. Single-engined 2-seat advanced trainer. 10/40, 41-3, 42-3, 43-7 total 14.
Master II. Re-engined version of the above. 10/42+1, 43-8, 44-26, 45-7, 46-1 total 44.
Master III. Re-engined version of the above. 8/41, 42-16, 43-26 total 43.
Total Masters $=101$.
MCR-01. Dyn-Aero. French single-engine single-seat tourer. 4/08 total 1.
MD 600N. McDonnel-Douglas. American single-turboprop four seat helicopter. 8/00 total 1.
Mentor I. Miles. Three-seat single-engined communications. 6/40 total 1.
Messerschmitt Bf109. German single-seat, single-engine fighter. 11/44 total 1.
Messerscmitt Me163. German rocket powered single-seat fighter. 11/47 total 1
Meteor F3. Gloster. Twin-jet single-seat fighter. 7/45+1 total 2.
Meteor F4. Development of the above. 4/50+2, 51-2, 52-1 total 6.
Meteor T7. Two-seat advanced trainer version of the above. 12/52, 53-1, 54-3, 58-2 total 7.
Meteor F8. Re-engined and refined version of the F4. 4/51+1, 52-1, 53-4, 54-5, 56-2 total 14
Meteor NF 12. Two-seat night-fighter version of the above. 9/55+1, 56-1 total 3.
Total Meteors = 32 .
Midget Mustang. Bushby. American single-engined single-seat racer. 7/19 total 1..
Mitchell II. Nth American. American twin-engined five crew light bomber used by RAF. 7/44, 45-1 total 2.

Mooney 20. American single-engined 4-seat tourer. 6/91 tot 1.
Mosquito II. de Havilland. Twin-engined 2-seat night fighter. 9/42+1, 43-5, 44-1 total 8.
Mosquito III. Unarmed trainer version of the above. 3/46+4, 47-2, 48-1, 51-4 total 12.
Mosquito IV. Light bomber version. 8/44 total 1.
Mosquito FBVI. Fighter-bomber version also used for conversion training. 10/43+1, 44-5, 45-2, 47-1, 48-5, 50-1, 51-2, 52-1 total 19.
Mosquito B16. Light bomber version. 10/45, 46-7 total 8.
Mosquito NFXVII. Night-fighter version. 7/44 total 1.
Mosquito NF 19. Night-fighter version. 7/46 total 1.
Mosquito BXXV. Canadian-built light bomber. 8/45 total 1.
Mosquito NF30. Refined night-fighter version. 11/44, 46-1, 48-1, 51-1 total 4.
Mosquito PR34. Refined photo-recce version. 9/46, 48-1 total 2.
Mosquito NF36. Night fighter version, the last Mosquito in RAF service. 10/46, 47-1 total 2.
Total Mosquitos = 59
Moth. de Havilland. Single-engined 2-seat tourer/trainer biplane. 2/28+1, 30-1, 32-1, 34-2 total 6 .
Moth Major. de Havilland. Single-engine 2-seat biplane tourer and trainer. 8/37 total 1.
Moth Minor. de Havilland. Single-engined 2-seat tourer. 9/42 total 1.
Musketeer. Beech. Single-engine 4-seat tourer. 8/90 total 1.
Mustang P-51B/C. North American. Single-seat single-engined American fighter. 12/43, 44-4, 45-5 total 10.
Mustang P-51D/K. Developed version of the above. 7/44+6, 45-7 total 14.
Total Mustangs $=24$.
Nimbus. Schempp-Hirth. German single-seat glider. 8/07 total 1
Norseman UC-64. Noorduyn Canada. Single-engined 8-seat USAAF light transport. 9/44 total 1
North Star. Canadair. Canadian 69 seat 4xengine transport. 5/54 total 1.
Olympia. Elliots. Single-seat sailplane. 4/49, 53-1, 13-1 total 3.
Oxford. Airspeed. Twin-engined 3-crew advanced trainer and light transport. 3/39+1, 40-9, 41-18, 42-20, 43-19, 44-23, 45-17, 46-2 total 110.

P68. Partenavia. Italian twin-engined 6-seat light airliner. 10/90 total 1.
Paris-Nice. Jodel. French single-engined 2-seat tourer. 3/88 total 1.
Pawnee. Piper. American single-engine, single-seat cropsprayer also used for glider-towing. 6/07 total 1
Pegasus Quantum . Single-engined 2-seat WML. 8/07, 18-1 total 2.
Pegasus Quik. Single-engined 2-seat WML. 10/11 total 1.
Pegasus XL Single-engined single-seat WML. 9/10, 17-1 total 2.
Phantom RF-4. y McDonnel-Douglas. American two-jet 2-seat photo-reconnaissance. 5/70 total 1.
Pilcher Hawk. Glider built by aviation pioneer Percy Pilcher. 10/1899 total 1.
Pitts S1. American single-engined single-seat aerobatic biplane. 10/92 total 1.
Pitts S2. Two-seat version of the above. 4/76, 11-1 total 2.
Prefect. Slingsby. Two-seat glider. $6 / 59$ total 1.
Prentice T1. Percival. Single-engined 3-seat basic trainer. 12/50, 51-3, 52-2, 53-1, 54-1 total 8.
Proctor Percival. Single-engined 3/4-seat communications and tourer. 12/44, 45-2, 52-1, 61-1 total 5.
Provost T1 Percival. Single-engined 2-seat basic trainer. 5/54, 55-1, 56-2 total 4.
Pterodactyl Ptraveller. American single-engined, 2xseat WML.. 12/04 total 1
Puchacz. PZL. Polish 2-seat glider. 8/93, 95-1, 03-1, 04+2, 05-1 total 7.
Pulsar. American single-engine single-seat tourer. $7 / 95$ total 1.
Pup. Sopwith. Single-engined single-seat fighter biplane. 8/17, 18-1 total 2.
Pup. Beagle. Single-engine 2-seat tourer. 5/85 total 1.
Puss Moth. de Havilland. Single-engined 3-seat tourer. /1032, 40-1, 42-1 total 4.
Rallye Socata. French 2/4 seat light aircraft. 8/92 total 1.
Rand Robinson KR2. American single-engined single-seat light a/c. 3/07 total 1.
RE8. Royal Aircraft Factory. Single-engined 2-seat reconnaissance biplane used for training. 3/1917 +19 total 20 minimum.
Reliant. Stinson. American single-engine 4-seat communications. 4/41 total 1.
Robin 100/200. French single-engined 4-seat tourer. 9/95 total 1.
Robinson 22. American 2-seat single-engined light helicopter. 1/93, 94-1, 00-2, 01-1, 04-1, 07-1, 09-1, 12-1, 18-1
total 10.
Robinson 44. Four seat version of the above. 8/96, 98-1, 03-1, 05-1, 15-1, 16-1 total 6.
Rolladen-Schneider LS8. German single-seat glider. 8/01 total 1.
Rotorsport MT3. Autogyro. German single-seat single-engine gyrocopter. 7/16 total 1.

Sabre . North American and Canadair. American single-jet single-seat fighter. 8/52+1, 53-4, 54-5 total 11. Saratoga. Piper. American single-engined 6-seat tourer. 8/93 total 1.
Schleicher ASH 26. German 2xseat glider. 9/11 total 1.
Schleicher ASK. German two-seat glider. 10/79, 09-1, 12-1, 15-1 total 4.
Schleicher ASW. German single-seat glider. 6/92, 6/03, 07-1, 10-1 total 4.
Schleicher Ka2. German two-seat glider. 6/84 total 1.
Schleicher Ka6. German single-seat glider. 7/84 total 1.
Scheicher K7. German two-seat glider 5/85, 07-1 total 2.
Schleicher Ka8. German single-seat glider. 6/02 total 1.
Scout. Westland. Single-engined 4-seat Army Air Corps helicopter. 7/98 total 1.
Seafire FR 47. Supermarine. FAA single-engined single-seat fighter. 3/53 total 1.
Sea Fury FB 11. Hawker. FAA single-engined single-seat fighter-bomber. 5/01 total 1.
Sedbergh TX1. Slingsby. Two-seat ATC training glider. 8/66 total 1.
SE 5A. Royal Aircraft Factory. Single-engine single-seat fighter biplane. 5/18 total 1.
Sentinel L5. y Stinson. USAAF single-engine 2-seat communications . 2/44+1 total 2.
Shackleton MR 2. Avro. Four-engined ten-crew maritime patrol. 12/55 total 1.
Shackleton MR 3. Developed version of the above. 12/56 total 1.
Shark. Blackburn. Single-engined 3-seat naval torpedo bomber biplane. 3/37, 38-1 total 2.
Shorthorn. Farman. French single-pusher engine 2xseat biplane trainer/reconnaissance. 6/1917+1 total 2.
Silvaire. Luscombe. American single-engined 2-seat tourer. 12/99 total 1.
Sioux AH 1. Westland. Single-engined 3-seat Army helicopter. 2/72 total 1.
Sirocco . French single-engined 2-seat ML . 1/04 total 1
Siskin IIIa. Armstrong-Whitworth. Single-engined single-seat fighter biplane. 6/31 total 1.
Skybolt. Steen. American single-engined 2-seat aerobatic biplane. 8/89 total 1.
Skylark. Slingsby. Single-seat glider. 4/00, 09-1 total 2.
Slingsby T21. Two-seat glider. 3/63, 04-1 total 2.
Slingsby T67. Two-seat single-engine tourer and trainer. 7/97, 05-1 total 2.
Snipe. Sopwith. Single-engined single-seat fighter biplane. 6/27 total 1.
Southdown Puma. Single-engined 2-seat WML. 8/85 total 1.
Sparrowhawk. Miles. Two-seat single-engined tourer. 6/48 total 1.
Spitfire I. Supermarine. Single-engined single-seat fighter also used for conversion training. 12/39, 40-3, 41-1, 42-1, 43-1, 44-2 total 9.
Spitfire PR 1. Photo-recce version of the above. 11/42+1 total 2.
Spitfire II. Re-engined version of the above. 8/41+1, 43-2, 45-2 total 6.
Spitfire PR IV. Photo-reconnaissance version of the above. 5/43 total 1.
Spitfire V. Re-engined and refined version of the above . 1/42+8, 43-1, 44-2, 45-2 total 14.
Spitfire IX. Re-engined and refined version. 10/42+1, 44-1, 45-2 total 5.
Spitfire F21. Re-engined version. 4/46 total 1.
Spitfire F22. Re-engined and refined version. 6/49, 51-1 total 2.
Total Spitfires = 40
Stampe SV4C. Belgian single-engine 2-seat trainer biplane. 6/71 total 1.
Stirling I. Shorts. Four-engined 7-crew heavy bomber used for conversion training. 7/41, 42-2, 43-8, 44-1, 45-1
total 13.
Stirling III. Developed version of the above. $1 / 44+31,45-3$ total 34.
Stirling AIV. Glider tug and paratroop transport version of the above. 3/45+3 total 4.
Total Stirlings = 51
Strutter. Sopwith. Single-engine 2xseat fighter biplane. 4/1917+1 total 2.
Super Drone. y Kronfeld. Single-engine single-seat light aircraft. 4/55 total 1.
Superfortress RB-29. Boeing. Four-engined 10-seat American reconnaissance bomber. 11/48 total 1.
Super Sabre F-100. North American. USAF single-jet single/two seat fighter-bomber. 5/58, 65-1 total 2.
Swallow II. British Klemm. German single-engined 2-seat tourer. 9/34, 39-1 total 2.
Swift. Comper. Single-engined single-seat racer. 7/33 total 1.
Swift. Globe. American single-engined 2-seat tourer. 9/73 total 1.
Swordfish I. Fairey. FAA carrier borne single-engined 3-seat torpedo-bomber biplane. 1/40, 41-1 total 2.
Tampico. SOCATA. French single-engined 4-seat tourer. 3/16 total 1.
Tanarg Xess. French single-engi8ned 2-seat WML. 5/12 total 1
Taylorcraft BC-12. American single-engined 2-seat tourer. 12/11, 17-1 total 2
Taylorcraft Plus A/C/D. Single-engined 2-seat light aircraft. 11/39, 47-2, 48-1, 52-1 total 5.
Team Minimax. Single-engine single-seat micro light. 2 crashes from 5/99, 02-1 total 2.
Terrier. Beagle. Civil version of Auster 6, single-engine 2-seat. 5/64, 65-1, 73-1 total 3.
Thrust measuring rig. RR. Single engine single-seat rig to test VTOL. 11/57 total 1.
Thunderbolt P-47C. Republic. USAAF single-engined single-seat fighter bomber. 1/43+6, 44-3 total 10.

Thunderbolt P-47D. Developed version. 9/43+1, 44-2 total 4.
Total Thunderbolts $=\mathbf{1 4}$
Tiger Moth. de Havilland. Single-engined 2-seat basic trainer biplane. 3/37+2, 39-1, 40-12, 41-40, 42-19, 43-25, 44-31, 45-20, 46-6, 47-1, 48-7, 49-2, 50-3, 51-1, 53-1, 58-1, 63-1, 64-1, 65-1, 73-1 total 177.
Titan Mustang. American single-engined 1 -seat scale replica. 11/17 total 1.
Tobago. SOCATA. French 4-seat single-engine tourer. 7/05, 07-1 total 2.
Tomahawk. Curtiss. American single-engined single-seat fighter used for training. 11/42, 43-7, 44-5 total 13.
Tomahawk. Piper. S American single-engined 2-seat trainer. 8/94, 98-1, 02-1 total 3.
Tomtit. Hawker. Single-engined 2-seat biplane trainer. 7/39 total 1.
Tornado GR1. BAE. Twin-jet 2 -seat ground attack . 1/99 total 1.
Trainer. Avro. Single-engined 2-seat biplane trainer. $7 / 31$ total 1.
Traveller. American Aviation, American single-engined 4-seat tourer. 11/05, 19-1 total 2
Tri-Pacer. Piper. Single-engined 4-seat tourer. 7/64, 11-1 total 2.
Tri-Traveller. Champion. American single-engined 2-seat tourer. 3/70 total 1
Turbo-Centurion. Cessna. American single-engine 6 -seat tourer. $3 / 83$ total 1.
Turbo-Porter. Pilatus. Swiss single-turboprop 8 -seat light transport. 12/83 total 1.
Tutor I. Avro. Two-seat single-engine basic trainer biplane. 10/31, 38-2, 39-1, 40-2, 41-3 total 9.
Twin Squirrel. Aerospatiale. French twin-turboprop 6-seat helicopter. 10/98 total 1.
Typhoon I. Hawker. Single-engined single-seat fighter bomber. 4/42, 43-1 total 2.
V-1. German single-rocket flying bomb. $12 / 44+4,45-2$ total 7.
Valiant B1. Vickers. Four-jet 5-crew medium bomber. 7/55, 60-1 total 2.
Vampire FB5. de Havilland. Single-jet single-seat fighter bomber used for advanced training. 7/51, 57-1, 58-1, 59-1 total 4.
Vampire T11. Two-seat advanced trainer version of the FB5. 3/56, 57-5, 58-2 total 8.
Total Vampires = 12
Varsity T1. Vickers. Twin-engined crew trainer. 11/52, 54-3 total 4.
Vega. Slingsby. Single-seat glider. 5/79 total 1.
Vengeance IV. Vultee. American single-engined 2-seat target tower. 3/45+1 total 2.
Venom NF2. de Havilland. Single-jet 2-seat night fighter. 12/53 total 1.
Ventus. Schempp-Hirth. German single-seat glider. 5/89, 88-1 total 2.
Victor B1. Handley-page. Four-jet 5-crew medium bomber. 6/62 total 1.
Victor B2. Developed version. 3/63 total 1.
Vierwerk Aerolite. 9/15 total 1.
Total Victors $=2$
Viscount. Vickers. Four turboprop 70-seat airliner. 2/69 total 1.
Vulcan B1. Avro. Four-jet 5-crew medium bomber. 9/58 total 1.
Vulcan B2. Modified and re-engined version of the above. 1/68 total 1.
Total Vulcans $=2$
Wallace. Westland. Single-engined 2-seat day bomber biplane also used for advanced and gunnery training. 4/40 total 1.
Warrior. Piper. American single-engined 4-seat tourer. 9/97 total 1.
Wellington I. Vickers. Twin-engined 6-crew medium bomber. 10/40+3, 41-27, 42-28, 43-33, 44-17 total 109.
Wellington II. Re-engined version of the above. $2 / 41+3,42-1$ total 5 .
Wellington III. Re-engined and modified version. 7/42+9, 43-46, 44-30, 45-2 total 88.
Wellington IV. Re-engined version. 1/42+1, 43-1 total 3.
Wellington VI. High altitude version of the Mk II. 7/42 total 1.
Wellington X. Re-engined medium bomber also used for conversion training. 1/43+21, 44-75, 45-33, 46-1 total 131
Wellington T10. Refined crew trainer version. 6/52 total 1.
Wellington GRXIII. Anti-shipping version of the Mk X. 8/45, 46-1 total 2.
Wellington GRXIV. Anti-submarine version of the Mk X. 3/44 total 1.
Total Wellingtons $=340$.
Wessex HAS 1. Westland. FAA single-engined 3-seat anti-sub. helicopter. 5/65 total 1.
Whirlwind I. Westland. Twin-engined single-seat fighter. 4/41 total 1.
Whirlwind HC 10. Westland. Single-engined 8-seat transport helicopter. 6/69 total 1.
Whitley V. Armstrong-Whitworth. Twin-engined night bomber with crew of 7. 3/41+2, 42-1, 43-4, 44-7, 45-6 total 21.

Yak 52. Russian single-engined 2-seat aerobatic type. 1/03 total 1.
York C 1. Avro. Four-engined 29-seat transport version of the Lancaster. 8/48 total 1.

Zodiac, Zenith. Canadian single-engine 2-seat light. 7/16, 19-1 tot 2.
Thus, there was the following total of aircraft whose last destination was in the East Midlands -
$\mathbf{3 4 0}$ Wellington, 177 Tiger Moth, $\mathbf{1 4 3}$ Fortress B-17 $\mathbf{1 2 5}$ Hampden, 114 Lancaster, 110 Oxford, 101 Master, 59 Mosquito, 54 Blenheim, 51 Stirling, 45 Magister, 40 Spitfire, 38 Halifax, 34 Hart \& Hurricane, 33 Beaufighter \& Meteor, 31 Lightning P-38, 30 Anson \& Harvard, 24 Mustang P-51, 21 Whitley, 19 Avro 504, Dakota \& RE8,, 18 Liberator B-24, 16 Audax, 15 Battle, 14 Manchester \& Thunderbolt P-47, 13 Jet Provost, Tomahawk(Curtiss) 12 Albemarle, Chipmunk, Hind, \& Vampire, 11 Defiant \& Sabre, 10 Boston, Cessna 152, Robinson 22.
9 each of FE2, Hotspur, Tutor.,
8 each of Horsa, Martinet, Prentice,
7 each of Camel, DH6, Puchazc, V-1
6 each of Canberra, Cherokee, Europa, Lysander,Moth DH60,
5 each of Aerobat, Archer (Auster), BE2, Cessna 172, DH9, Hereford, Hiller 360, Hunter, Jet Ranger, Lincoln, , Proctor ,Taylorcraft.
4 each of Autocrat, Balliol, Cessna 150, Cessna 182, Cub, Destroyer, F2b,Firefly(Fairey), Gauntlet, He111, Hughes 269, , Provost, Puss Moth, Robinson 44, Schleicher ASH, ASW., Varsity, 3 each of Auster AOP 9, Barracuda, Bell 47, Comanche, Coyote II, DH9a, Fury, Hadrian GC-4, Hawk Trainer, JN, Junior, Manair Blade, Olympia, Terrier, Tomahawk(Piper),
2 each of Ambassadeur, Archer (Piper), Auster AOP III, Auster J5, Beaufort, BE12, Bulldog (Bristol), Capstan, Cessna 310, Club, Commander 112, Demon, Dornier 17, Dragon Rapide, Ecuriel,Enstrom 28, , FK8, Forwarder,Gazelle, Gipsy Moth, Havoc, Ju88, Lightning F1-2, Mitchell, Pegasus Quantum, Pegasus XL Pitts S2, Pup(Sopwith), Schleicher K7, Sentinel L-5, Shackleton, Shark, Shorthorn, Skylark, Slingsby T21, Strutter, Super Sabre F-100, Swallow II, Swordfish, T67, Taylorcraft BC12, Team Minimax, Tobago, Traveller,Tri-Pacer, Typhoon, Valiant, Vengeance IV, Ventus, Victor, Vulcan, Zodiac.
1 each of Aiglon, Albatross DV, Apache, Arrow (Auster), Arrow(Piper), Auster AOP IV, Auster D6, Autocar, Avian, Avis, Aztec, , Beaver, Beta, Bluebird, Bocian, Boeing 737, Botha, Brantly B2, Cadet, Calidus, Cambridge, Cassut, Centurion, Cessna 120, Cessna 185, Cessna 402, Chaser, Cierva C30, Cirrus, Crusader, CTSW, Cub Coupe, Dart T51, Dauntless, DH4, Dickson glider, Dominie, Dornier 217, Dove, Dragon, Dragonfly, Drone, Eagle II, Emeraude, EoN 460, Excellence, Fairey IIIF, Falke, Firefly(Slingsby), FK3, FockeWulf 190, Friendship, Gamecock Special, Genet-Moth, Harrier, Hawk(Miles), HS748, Henley, Heyford, Horizon, Ikarus 42, Isaacs Fury, Jabiru 450, Jodel 117, Jodel 220 2+2, Katana, Kestrel T59, Kingair 90, Kitfox, Lancastrian, Lance II, Leonardo 169, Leopard Moth, LSF1, Lynx, MCR-01, MD600, Mentor, Messerschmitt 109, Messerschmitt 163, Midget Mustang, Mooney 20, Moth Major, Moth Minor, Musketeer, Nimbus, Norseman, North Star, P68, Paris-Nice, Pawnee, Pegasus Quik, , Phantom, Pilcher Hawk, Pitts S1, Pterodactyl Ptraveller, Pulsar, Pup(Beagle), Rallye, Rand Robinson KR2, Reliant, Robin 100/200, Rolladen-Schneider LS8. Rotorsport MT3, Saratoga, Schleicher ASH 26, KA2, KA6, ,KA8, Scout, Seafire FR47, Sea Fury FB11, Sedbergh TX1, SE5a, Silvaire, Sioux AH1, Sirocco, Siskin, Skybolt, Snipe, Southdown Puma, Sparrowhawk, Stampe SV4b, Super Drone, Superfortress, Swift(Comper), Swift(Glode), Tampico, Tanarg Xess, Thrust measuring rig, Titan Mustang, Tomtit, Tornado GR1, Tri-Traveller, Turbo-Centurion, Turbo-Porter, Twin Squirrel, Vega, Venom NF2, Vierwerk Aerolite, Viscount, Wallace, Warrior, Wessex HAS1, Whirlwind 1, Whirlwind HC10, Yak 52, York C1,

## Appendix 2. Locations

Abthorpe NR. 8/9/42.
Ailsworth NR now Peterborough. 1944-19/8, 11/12.
Aldwinckle St Peters NR. 3/4/42.
Alsop en le Dale DE. 13/5/43.
Althorp nr Great Brington NR. 24/9/44.
Annesley NT. 13/2/42; 25/11/43; 1944-7/7, 25/11; 14/1/45.
Anstey LE. 4/3/44.
Arnesby LE. 23/7/43.
Arnfield DE. 3/7/51.
Arnold NT. 25/5/43; 15/1/45.
Arthingworth NR. 20/5/41; 27/1/44.
Ashbourne town and airfield DE. 27/4/39; 15/10/40; 17/8/41; 1942-6/1, 7/11; 1943-15/1, 25/4, 18/8; 1944 -
24/2, 30/3, 26/4, 11/6, 15/6, 24/7, 1/8, 7/8, 12/9, 26/9, 26/11, 18/12; 1945-6/1, 5/2, 7/2, 22/2; 18/10/75; 9/10/77;
7/10/79; 29/5/09.
Ashby-de-la-Zouch LE. 3/11/40; 29/5/41; 3/10/43; 21/1/04.
Ashby Magna LE. 26/6/43.
Ashby St Ledgers NR. 1944 -5/5, 22/11.
Ashgate DE. 15/11/40;

Ashley NR. 7/2/43.
Ashop Moor. 22/7/54.
Ashopton 3m N of Bamford DE. 7/12/50; 13/6/93.
Ashton NR. 13/11/43.
Ashwell RU. 13/7/31; 22/4/42; 1943-9/1, 2/7, 6/11; 16/6/08.
Aston le Walls NR. 22/9/41; 22/10/43.
Atlow DE. 5/12/41.
Aynho NR. 15/1/43; 6/11/45.
Babworth NT. 26/6/1918; 5/2/44; .
Badby NR. 20/7/46; 1/11/60.
Bakewell DE. 12/2/41.
Balderton village and airfield NT. 1941-19/6/, 18/7, 11/8, 16/8, 24/8, 29/8. 16/9, 28/9; 1942-3/6, 6/6, 29/7,
Bamford DE. 2/9; 8/9/43; , 7/3/45; 7/12/50; 8/8/57; 28/2/72.
Barber Booth DE. 22/7/37; 30/8/41; 1943-25/4, 10/12;
Barnack NR now Peterborough. 17/3/32; 31/1/38; 1941-14/6, 16/8; 16/8/54; 29/7/55; 20/3/63.
Barnby in the Willows NT. 23/5/39; 14/1/45; 25/10/54.
Barnby Moor NT. 16/6/42, 15/1/75, 9/9/80.
Barnstone NT. 20/2/45.
Barnwell NR. 26/3/42; 21/2/44; 1945-27/1, 6/3.
Barrow RU. 1941-15/1, 18/8; 1942-9/11, 6/12.
Barrow-upon-Soar LE. 10/1/45; 7/4/46.
Barrowden RU. 25/7/43.
Barsby LE. 17/1/40; 14/7/50.
Barton-in-the-Beans LE. 25/8/41.
Baslow DE. 11/6/43.
Beeby LE. 1/2/; 12/5/58.
Beeley DE. 30/1/43;
Beeston NT. 2/9/39; 11/4/42.
Beeston Rylands NT. 19/1/45.
Beighton Hill, Matlock DE. 24/12/44.
Belmont. 29/8/93.
Belton LE. 9/6/41.
Belvoir Castle LE. 18/7/43; 7/6/44.
Besthorpe NT. 12/12/43; 13/8/57.
Bevercotes NT. 12/10/43.
Billesdon LE. 2/5/42.
Bilstone LE. 30/7/41.
Bingham NT. 16/1/40; 21/12/42; 1945-25/4, 24/7, $26 / 9$.
Birchen Bank Moss. 30/1/43.
Bitteswell airfield LE. 1943-16/8, 6/9; 1944-11/7, 17/10; 1945-17/4, 11/5, 23/6, 7/7; 15/6/46; 2/2/50;
10/11/54; 6/5/08.
Blaby LE. 21/7/45.
Blackden Edge DE. 5/10/43.
Blatherwycke NR. 20/1/45; 27/8/54.
Bleaklow Moor DE. 30/1/39; 1941 -29/8, 10/12.
Bleasby NT. 6/2/41; 1/9/43.
Blidworth NT. 17/10/40; 1942-13/3, 16/4; 18/5/43.
Blisworth NR. 8/6/17; 22/11/39; 9/11/41; 25/8/43.
Blyth NT. 3/8/41; 1943 -7/3, 9/10; 2/8/44.
Bole NT. 19/5/43; 1944 -25/4, 29/4.
Bolsover DE. 2/8/53.
Botcheston LE. 14/11/42.
Bottesford LE. 1942-8/4, 6/8, 19/10; 1943-18/2, 13/7, 26/12; 1944-30/3, 13/4, 25/11; 1945-6/1, 7/2, 26/2, 18/5, 22/6, 13/7; 18/9/97.
Boylestone DE. 11/1/43.
Bozeat NR. 1940 -10/6, 17/10; 1944 -20/2, 16/12.
Brackley NR. 27/12/43; 17/3/44; 8/1/45. (Landing ground see Croughton)
Bradley DE. 18/11/38; 1944 -12/3, 22/11; 12/3/00.
Bramah Edge DE. 5/12/56.
Brassington DE. 15/4/41.
Braunston NR. 28/8/42.
Braunston RU. 5/8/43; 17/1/44.

Braunstone airfield LE. 1939-15/1, 13/7; 22/7/40; 1941-27/3, 24/7, 22/8, 19/9; 1944-20/2, 12/5; 9/10/45; 20/12/46.
Braybrooke NR. 24/1/44.
Brafield-on-the-Green NR. 23/9/77.
Breedon-on-the-Hill LE. 2/10/37; 2/8/43.
Brenston NT. 4/4/44.
Brentingby LE. 8/4/43.
Bretby DE. 2/10/41;
Brigstock NR. 27/8/54; 16/9/03; 21/8/07;
Brookhouse DE. 11/10/44;
Brough NT. 21/1/44.
Broughton NR. 22/7/69;
Broughton Astley LE. 28/9/43, 28/9/45
Brown Knoll DE. 28/12/45.
Bruntingthorpe LE. 1943-22/1, 4/7, 21/8, 22/11; 1944-28/1, 26/3, 11/4, 8/5, 28/5, 14/6, 15/10; 1945-19/2, 13/3, 21/3; 23/10/07.
Buckminster LE. 10/7/1917; 27/11/41.
Bugbrooke NR. 17/11/05.
Bulwell NT. 30/10/31; 6/6/45; 13/6/51
Bulwick NR. 17/2/42; 28/4/45.
Burbage DE. 12/5/43; 1944-12/3, 3/11; 14/4/45.
Burbage LE. 21/6/40; 10/1/43.
Burley RU. 3/10/45.
Burghley Park RU. $1918-2 / 1,21 / 1 ; 18 ; 8 / 3 / 40 ; 1941-3 / 4,20 / 4 ; 11 / 5 / 43$.
Burnaston DE. 20/5/39; 22/9/40; 1941-21/5, 15/8, 3/9, 14/10, 23/10; 1942-11/2, 31/3, 4/4, 5/4, 23/6, 28/6, 6/8, 28/10; 1943-3/3, 26/10; 1945 13/7, 31/7; 25/6/46; 23/8/50; 5/3/52; 21/7/57; 26/11/61.
Burrough-on-the- Hill LE. 4/5/45.
Burton Joyce NT. 16/7/98.
Burton Latimer NR. 4/9/40.
Burton Lazers LE. 8/4/43
Burton on the Wolds LE. 2007 -28/3, 28/8.
Butterley DE. 21/1/43.
Buxton DE. 11/10/34; 18/7/38; 30/9/40; 16/10/41; 15/10/42; 1944-29/9, 24/12; 5/5/45; 20/9/52; 15/6/96.
Byfield NR. 10/12/42; 22/9/43.
Cadeby LE. 25/7/64.
Caldecott NR. 14/1/52.
Calverton NT. 20/6/52.
Camphill DE see Great Hucklow DE.
Car Colston NT. 9/6/41.
Carburton NT. 19/5/53.
Carlton on Trent NT. 2/7/42; 22/4/43.
Castle Ashby NR. 25/2/43.
Castle Donington village and airfield LE. 22/6/38; 1943 7/8, 17/8; 1944 3/2, 5/2, 24/2, 16/3, 25/3, 1/4, 13/5, 22/9, 19/10; 1945 28/2, 14/8; 22/7/52; 28/5/85; 18/1/87. See also East Midlands Airport
Castle Gresley DE. 6/7/45.
Castor NR now Peterborough. 4/1/40.; 1/1/45;
Catesby (Upper/Lower) NR. 12/12/44.
Catthorpe LE. 9/5/18.
Caunton NT. 29/11/45; 21/4/08; 13/7/19;
Chaddesden DE. 17/8/85.
Chapel-en-le-Frith DE. 21/12/40; 1941 27/8, 2/9, 10/12; 24/12/44.
Charlton NR. 24/10/41.
Charwelton NR. 25/11/39; 26/7/42.
Cheese House on the Trent NT. 25/4/44.
Chellaston DE. 11/8/39; 3/9/41; 31/8/44.
Chelveston village and airfield NR. 23/10/41; 28/2/42; 1943-1/3, 15/5, 24/8, 26/8, 23/9, 27/12; 1944-8/1, 29/1, 29/2, 5/3, 10/3, 26/3, 18/4, 1/5, 2/5, 15/5, 23/5, 7/6, 13/7, 16/7, 11/8, 9/11, 18/11, 3/12; 1945-10/1, 15/2, 18/3, 6/5; 7/2/62.
Chilwell NT. 18/4/28; 3/11/34; 24/7/44.
Chipping Warden village and airfield NR. 14/4/30; 28/12/40; 1941-31/7, 5/9, 26/9, 27/9, 20/10, 24/10; 1942$17 / 1,18 / 1,14 / 2,2 / 6,1 / 12,20 / 12$; $1943-5 / 3,9 / 3,16 / 4,12 / 6,27 / 10,3 / 12 ; 1944-6 / 1,15 / 3,23 / 3,28 / 5,12 / 7,31 / 7$, 4/11, 18/12; 22/4/45.

Church Broughton village and airfield DE. 23/12/42; 1943-22/5, 27/6, 6/7, 4/9, 14/9; 1944-19/1, 17/3, 19/6, 7/9, 16/10, 8/11, 18/12; 1945 26/3, 14/4, 15/5; 21/9/55.
Church Langton LE. 1/8/44.
Church Warsop NT. 3/3/45.
Clay Cross D£E. 7/3/43.
Clifton-on-Trent NT. 6/7/40; 16/4/42.
Clipston NT. 21/10/40; 16/1/42; 7/10/43; 1944-26/2, 20/7; 12/11/65.
Clipston NR. 1/7/44.
Clopton NR. 20/1/45.
Clowne NT. 26/5/42.
Clumber Park nr Hardwick NT. 3/8/43.
Coal Aston DE. 1932-27/8, 25/10; 1/6/91;
Coalville LE. 17/11/39; 14/10/43.
Coddington NT. 1941-24/4, 24/8; 1/1/42; 27/10/44.
Codnor DE. 12/6/07.
Cold Overton LE. 19/4/42.
Coleorton LE.? 16/6/44.
Collingham NT. 4/11/44; 6/5/54.
Collyweston village and airfield NR. 21/5/18; 30/11/26; 5/11/37; 4/8/40; 31/8/41; 2/5/42; 1944-8/4, 11/4, 8/7, 13/10; 16/2/45; 18/7/63.
Colston Bassett NT. 1942 -4/3, 9/9.
Colwick NT. 16/1/58.
Conksbury nr Bakewell DE. 12/2/41.
Corby NR. 29/3/39; 1941-10/1, 16/11; 18/11/43; 24/12/44; 4/7/09.
Cosby LE. 27/7/43.
Cossington LE. 21/12/40.
Cotesbach LE. 15/5/44.
Cotgrave NT. 9/11/30; 16/2/39; 8/2/41; 30/5/43; 21/4/45; 28/3/88.
Coton NR. 12/10/44.
Cottesbrooke NR. 26/2/41.
Cottesmore village and airfield RU. 13/12/38; 1939-4/1, 5/5, 28/10; 1940 -24/2, 15/4, 21/4, 10/5, 29/5, 1/6, 8/6, 12/6, 13/6, 7/7, 3/8, 9/8, 16/10, 7/12; 1941-9/1, 15/1, 9/2, 23/2, 3/3, 28/3, 4/5, 17/5, 17/6, 18/6, 21/6, 15/7, $17 / 7,1 / 8,13 / 12,15 / 12,23 / 12$; 1942-4/3, 25/3, 27/3, 5/5, 15/5, 20/5, 18/6, 1/8, 13/8, 19/8, 15/9, 1/10, 4/12, 1943 $-31 / 3,19 / 5,27 / 5$; $1944-30 / 6,28 / 7,24 / 10,26 / 10$; $1945-3 / 3,6 / 3,3 / 10$; $1946-26 / 3,30 / 3,2 / 4,15 / 5,3 / 7,22 / 7$, 9/9, 7/10, 5/11, 22/11, 28/11; 1/12/47; 1948-19/1, 29/1, 9/2, 27/8; 27/2/50; 1952 10/9, 4/11; 8/5/53; 3/2/54; 14/6/62; 30/1/68; 2/8/73.
Cowdicote DE. 11/12/43.
Coxmoor or Cox Moor NT. 29/5/71.
Cranford NR. 23/3/39; 1942 -3/8, 23/12.
Creaton NR. 27/5/43;
Cresswell DE. 5/8/44.
Crick NR. 2/9/44.
Croft LE. 4/10/80.
Cromwell NT. 12/3/43; 1/3/65.
Cropwell Bishop NT. 25/7/42.
Cross-in-Hand LE. 11/6/40.
Cross o'the hands DE. 9/7/43.
Croughton village and airfield (also called Brackley LG) NR. 1940 -29/3, 4/6, 23/8, 1/10, 3/10; 1941-29/6, $22 / 7,20 / 8,31 / 8,13 / 9,1 / 10,14 / 10,9 / 11,11 / 11$; 1942-28/2, 25/3, 17/4, 24/7, 26/8, 14/9; 23/4/43; 1944-27/1,
10/5; 1945-17/1, 21/3, 16/4, 15/7; $1946-7 / 5,18 / 5,2 / 6 ;$
Crowden DE. 10/12/41; 30/1/43; 10/5/44; 12/4/51; 5/8/16;
Crowden Tower 2m N of Edale DE. 3/7/41.
Crowfield NR. 25/9/44.
Croxton Kerrial LE. 1/5/40; 8/3/42; 6/5/43; 25/3/45.
Culworth NR. 1943 -20/10, 27/11; 29/1/44 .
Dalbury Lees DE. 21/6/42.
Darley Dale DE. 31/7/40; 10/9/88;
Darley Moor airfield DE. 28/3/43; 1944-5/7, 1/10; 8/1/45; ?/10/11; 13/9/15;
Darlton NT. 8/5/42.
Daventry NR. 15/8/41; 15/12/44; 20/1/45.
Deene NR. 10/1/41.
Deenethorpe village and airfield NR. 5/12/43; 1944-28/1, 27/1, 4/3, 9/3, 26/3, 2/6, 12/6, 6/7, 24/8, 23/9, 28/10,

28/11, 4/12; 7/5/45; 9/7/95.
Deepclough DE. 5/12/56.
Denby DE. 25/9/41.
Denford NR. 3/6/42.
Denton village and airfield NR. $1941-4 / 7,21 / 10 ; 28 / 1 / 42 ; 1943-25 / 2,7 / 4,7 / 7 ; 1944-10 / 4,18 / 5 ; 21 / 6 / 45$.
Derby city. 10/10/39; 24/7/40; 25/3/42; 4/11/48; 21/3/97; 21/9/14..
Derby Egginton airfield- see Egginton.
Desborough village and airfield NR. 20/12/43; 1944-5/1, 10/2, $1 / 3,19 / 7,5 / 9,18 / 11$; $1945-12 / 4,4 / 5$; 7/5/46.
Desford LE. 1937-29/5, 8/6; 23/6/39; 1940-27/2, 27/9, 2/10; 1941-8/4, 8/7, 16/8, 1/10, 10/10; 1942-9/5, 7/8;
1943 -1/2, $9 / 3,23 / 4,17 / 7,10 / 10,12 / 10,17 / 11 ; 1944-1 / 9,8 / 9 ; 11 / 8 / 48 ; 23 / 4 / 50 ; 18 / 3 / 51 ; 29 / 7 / 52$.
Dethick DE. 16/8/43.
Didsbury Intake nr Tintwhistle DE. 22/2/45.
Dishley LE. 19/2/44.
Donington Park LE. 18/1/87.
Draughton NR. 26/1/42.
Duckmanton DE. 29/7/75.
Duddington NR. 9/1/42.
Duston NR. 7/7/43.
Eakring NT. 1/8/42; 23/5/44; 28/1/48.
Earl Sterndale De. 14/7/22;
Earl's Barton village and airfield NR. 19/12/40; 11/6/43; 1944 -26/1, $26 / 7$.
East Carlton NR. 28/6/42.
East Drayton NT. 30/12/66.
East Farndon NR. 13/7/44.
East Haddon NR. 7/6/80.
East Langton LE. 14/8/54.
East Leake NT. 2/11/41.
East Markham NT. 16/3/55.
East Midlands Airport LE. 20/2/69; 2/1/76; 25/1/88; 8/1/89; 20/10/90; 18/12/95; 14/1/16;
East Norton LE. 13/2/44.
East Retford NT see also Retford. 24/12/1917; 1918-17/3, 26/7, 25/9, 1/10, 16/10; ; 6/7/41.
East Stoke NT. 1942-15/1, 12/7; 6/9/43;
Eastmoor DE. 13/3/48.
Easton Maudit NR. 24/3/44.
Easton on the Hill airfield NR. 1918-25/1, $9 / 3,1 / 4,4 / 4,6 / 4,23 / 4,8 / 5,27 / 5,1 / 6,8 / 8,28 / 8,11 / 10,19 / 10,11 / 11$;
9/8/19; 30/5/27.
Eaton LE. 11/7/44.
Edale DE. 7/5/40; 1941-3/7, 31/7; 1943-26/1, 5/10; 11/12/44; 1945 4/3, 23/1; 11/1/46; 30/12/63; 29/8/93.
Edgcote Park NR. 14/2/42; 18/4/45.
Edith Weston RU. 4/3/45.
Edlaston DE. 26/7/43
Edmondthorpe LE. 24/2/45.
Edwinstowe NT. 20/4/41; 1/1/42; 26/2/44.
Egginton village and airfield DE. 26/4/96; 21/3/97; 1998 19/6, 20/6; 23/7/05.
Egmanton NT. 21/5/42; 14/8/44.
Elkington NR. 20/8/43; 23/6/02;
Ellistown LE. 19/6/41; 14/10/43; 2/8/09.
Elston NT. 1/10/40; 12/6/41; 9/11/42.
Empingham RU. 1941-7/9, 12/9; 13/9/42; 24/3/44; 10/4/76; 13/2/08; 24/11/;;..
Etwall DE. 1/9/42; 25/7/44.
Evenley NR. 23/9/37; 9/11/42.
Everton NT. 27/9/43; 21/8/44.
Exton RU. 1942 -22/1, 2/12.
Eyam DE. 2/6/43.
Eye NR now Peterborough. 7/1/45.
Farlands Booth DE. 21/1/42; 14/1/52; 22/7/54; 28/7/57; 24/10/97.
Farnsfield NT. 6/7/44; 4/5/53.
Farthinghoe NR. 6/2/42.
Fengate NR now Peterborough. 1941 -1/10, 7/10.
Finedon NR. 17/8/41; 30/9/51.

Fineshade NR. 1/2/43.
Fleckney LE. 7/6/69; 19/5/11.
Flintham NT. 15/4/41; 26/8/01;
Flore NR. 11/1/44; 3/2/45.
Foolow DE. 10/12/52; 7/12/56.
Foster's Booth NR. 12/2/44.
Fotheringhay NR. 23/3/44.
Foxton LE. 22/12/40; 4/5/44; 1945-9/4, 4/5.
Froggatt DE. 6/2/41.

Gaddesby LE. 13/5/44; 2/12/56.
Gamston village and airfield NT. 1944 -27/1, 4/2, 7/6, 13/11; 1945 19/4, 18/5; 1/4/55; 1/3/83; 28/7/97; 2000 -
22/3, 16/12; 2002-22/5, 19/6; 30/12/07; 14/5/17;
Gaulby LE. 5/5/89;
Gayton NR. 22/4/41.
Geddington NR. 1944 -21/1, 29/3; 22/5/45.
Gilmorton LE. 7/2/45; 15/3/53.
Girton NT. 18/7/44.
Glinton NR now Peterborough. 6/7/43.
Glossop DE. 3/12/; 1941 -29/8, 10/12; 1945-18/5, 29/5, 24/7; 3/11/48.
Goadby Marwood LE. 17/5/46.
Gonalston NT. 26/5/44.
Gotham NT. 29/5/48; 6/11/95.
Grafton Underwood village and airfield NR. 1941-15/6, 24/10; 1942-1/8, 23/12; 1943-21/5, 12/6, 17/8, 24/9, 9/10, 29/10, 26/11, 29/11, 13/12, 22/12; 1944-30/1, 31/3, 24/4, 25/4, 18/6, 30/6, 2/7, 30/7, 3/8, 9/8, 12/8, 15/8, $30 / 8,1 / 9,27 / 9,29 / 8,17 / 11,21 / 11,22 / 11,7 / 12$; 1945-10/1, 22/1, 19/2, 15/3, 19/3, 14/5, 16/5, $25 / 6$.
Granby NT. 5/7/40.
Great Bowden LE. 22/12/40.
Great Brington NR. 24/9/44.
Great Casterton RU. 24/4/42.
Great Cubley DE. 21/9/55.
Great Dalby LE. 2/1/39.
Great Glen LE. 2/9/28.
Great Hucklow DE. 24/4/49; 15/6/52; 28/6/59; 3/9/66; 6/4/69; 5/5/79; 26/8/81; 1984 -9/5, 28/6; 13/8/93; 2003 -
21/2, 11/06; 1/7/04; 27/11/05; 9/6/07; 2009-17/1, 21/6; 27/6/13;
Great Longstone DE. 25/7/51.
Great Oakley NR. 1944-10/1, 25/11.
Great Oxendon NR. 22/10/41; 20/3/44; 2/4/45.
Great Stretton LE. 18/12/11.
Great Weldon NR. 27/8/54.
Greens Norton NR. 7/2/44.
Greetham RU. 3/6/42.
Grendon NR. 5/1/44.
Gretton NR. 13/6/44.
Gringley-on-the-Hill NT. 25/1/40; 5/1/44; 19/6/17.
Groby LE. 27/5/44.
Grove NT. 1/4/55.
Gumley LE. 22/10/43; 19/4/98.
Gunthorpe NT. 13/8/1916; 1942-13/7, 1/10.

Hackleton NR. 13/10/04.
Haddon NR now Peterborough. 1943 -14/9, 25/9.
Halam NT. 10/4/43.
Hallaton LE. 12/4/44.
Halstead LE. 28/5/41.
Hambledon Hall RU. 17/9/93; 15/7/98; 1/6/02; 2007 -17/6, 1/11.
Harby NT. 9/1/57.
Hardingstone NR. 26/4/45.
Hardwick DE. 28/8/44.
Hardwick NR. 23/3/44.
Hardwick NT. 3/8/43; 30/8/44.
Hargatewall DE. 5/3/45;
Harlestone NR. 26/9/18.

Harpole NR. 29/1/43.
Harpur Hill DE. 22/11/41.
Harrington village and airfield NR. 1944 - $9 / 2,11 / 5,15 / 6,9 / 7,12 / 9,9 / 11,21 / 11,24 / 11,26 / 11,27 / 11$; 1945 -
27/2, 5/3, 10/3, 14/3, 27/5, 8/6, 10/6, 17/6.
Hartwell NR. 22/12/43.
Hasland DE. 1938-2/5, $19 / 9$.
Hathern LE. 23/9/37; 9/2/38.
Hathersage DE. 26/3/41.
Hatton DE. 15/4/40.
Haughton Chapel NT. 12/10/43.
Haughton Hall NT. 30/8/44.
Hawton NT. 10/10/41; 27/8/44; 9/12/57.
Hazelwood DE. 16/1/47.
Headon NT. 7/6/02; 19/7/06; 29/4/09, 12/7/13; 2016-25/3, 22/7; 25/3/17; 12/7/18;.
Heathcote DE. 11/10/44.
Helmdon NR. 30/11/43.
Helpston NR now Peterborough. 4/1/40.
Hemington NR. 11/5/43; 22/4/44.
Higham Ferrers NR. 9/4/45.
Hilton DE. 8/5/42.
Hinckley LE. 11/1/29; 3/12/37; 1942-14/6, 8/11; 29/5/88;
Hinton NR. 20/1/45.
Hinton-in-the-Hedges village and airfield NR. 1941 -15/7, 11/11; 1942-24/2, 17/6; 12/6/92; 20/6/96; 1/6/02;
2007-17/6, 1/11; 4/9/15;
Hockerton NT. 24/6/41; 21/9/42.
Holcot NR. 17/6/45.
Holdenby NR. 13/2/44.
Hollington DE. 21/9/39; 14/6/44.
Hollowell NR. 27/5/43.
Holme NT. 5/5/53.
Holme Moss nr Holme Sth Yorks.. 25/1/40, 14/12/54.
Holme Pierrepoint NT. 27/11/38.
Hope DE. 15/2/43.
Hose LE. 3/8/43.
Hoton LE. 1942 -28/11, 6/12; 3/2/44.
Houghton-on-the-Hill LE. 1/6/41; 9/6/42; 5/11/43; 5/5/44.
Hoveringham NT. 12/1/45.
Hucknall village and airfield NT. $1918-3 / 7,9 / 11 ; 1919-7 / 2,8 / 5 ; 22 / 8 / 28 ; 1937-9 / 4,15 / 6,25 / 6,2 / 7$; 1939 -
$3 / 1,10 / 2,19 / 8 ; 1940-23 / 9,27 / 9 ; 1941-2 / 2,5 / 5,28 / 10 ; 1942-15 / 3,15 / 5,1 / 9,15 / 9,15 / 10 ; 1943-13 / 4,7 / 5$, $11 / 6,14 / 6,22 / 10,10 / 11,29 / 12$; $1944-7 / 1,21 / 4,28 / 4,20 / 5,10 / 6,18 / 6,23 / 6,26 / 6,30 / 6,16 / 7,12 / 9,15 / 10,4 / 11$, $10 / 11,19457 / 3,8 / 3,11 / 3,17 / 3,3 / 4,19 / 6,11 / 7 ; 23 / 8 / 47 ; 25 / 7 / 48 ; 29 / 3 / 55 ; 28 / 11 / 57 ; 13 / 5 / 56 ; 28 / 11 / 57$; 8/4/72; 1/9/73; 22/11/97; 2/6/11.
Humberstone LE. 14/5/49.
Husband's Bosworth village and airfield LE. 23/6/41; 28/8/42; 3/5/43; 27/3/44; 28/12/78; 3/4/80; 17/7/94; 5/5/95; 10/10/98; 1999-3/6, 28/9; 18/1/04; 9/8/05; 18/8/10; 2011 -4/6, 29/9;
Huthwaite NT. 21/8/37;
Ibstock LE. 4/11/48
Ilkeston DE. 14/7/22; 29/7/44.
Illston-on-the-Hill LE. 1941 -12/9, 22/11.
Irthlingborough NR. 4/6/42; 22/2/44; 13/1/45;
Isham NR. 10/6/41.
Isley Walton LE. 18/1/87.
Islip NR. 30/5/60.
Kettering NR. 5/8/18; 25/3/39; 6/10/74.
Ketton RU. 24/6/31; 12/10/40; 1941-4/3, 16/8, 7/9; 19/6/44; 14/7/91
Keyham LE. 8/9/44; 25/3/64; 31/8/94.
Keystone Nottingham. 4/12/83.
Keyworth NT. 11/12/42.
Kilvington NT. 27/4/40.
Kimcote LE. 1945 -5/1, 2/4.
Kinder Low. 28/7/57.

Kinder Scout DE. 21/1/42; 11/12/44; 14/1/52; 22/7/54;
King's Cliffe village and airfield NR. 1942-15/3, 15/7, 14/12; 1943-21/1, 26/1, 2/3, 25/7, 31/7, 19/12, 31/12;
$1944-9 / 1,29 / 1,22 / 2,28 / 2,22 / 3,25 / 3,31 / 3,18 / 4,26 / 4,8 / 5,12 / 5,26 / 5,6 / 6,12 / 6,21 / 6,4 / 7,12 / 7,17 / 7,28 / 8$,
9/10, 6/11, 18/11; 1945 -3/2, 26/2, 20/3, 12/6, $13 / 6$.
Kings Sterndale DE. 12/10/42.
King's Sutton NR. 27/7/40.
Kingston on Soar NT. 25/2/49.
Kinoulton NT. 1945 -14/6, 6/9.
Kirby Bellars LE. 15/7/37; 1/5/44.
Kirby Hall NR. 8/1/41.
Kirby Muxloe LE. 1/2/43; 28/4/53.
Knapthorpe NT. 16/6/49;
Kneesall NT. 16/3/40; 1942 -4/5, 8/10; 5/3/56.
Kneeton NT. 13/3/54.
Knighton LE. 29/1/42.
Knipton LE. 22/12/41.
Knotting Wood NR nr Knotting Beds. 26/8/07.
Lambley NT. 19/12/99; 18/5/10; 18/7/15; 24/3/16;.
Laneham NT. 3/11/40; 23/3/42.
Langar village and airfield NT. 1942-16/5, 5/10; 1943 -26/1, 14/2, 5/3, 1/6, 12/8, 2/10, 21/10; 1944-24/11, 4/12, 16/12; 25/2/45; 18/12/55; 4/6/56.
Langford NT. 24/3/45.
Langham RU. 27/9/40; 9/4/41.
Launde LE. 5/8/43.
Laxton NT. 5/1/45
Leicester city. 24/9/17; 4/20; 7/8/38; 8/8/39; 1941-10/4, 25/6, 23/7, 17/9; 1942-29/1, 15/5; 25/4/43;
1944-15/5, 15/9; 14/5/49; 3/4/55; 27/10/18;
Leicester East airfield. $1944-6 / 3,11 / 3,27 / 9 ; 1945-6 / 5,18 / 6,2 / 10,22 / 10,29 / 11 ; 15 / 6 / 71 ; 1980-17 / 1,30 / 5$;
28/5/82; 28/9/84; 29/1/93; 19/4/95; 23/7/97, 1998-14/7, 6/9; 12/5/01; 2003-18/1; 3/3/04; 3/3/05; 8/8/07;
13/11/11; 14/8/13; 2015 -30/6, 16/7;
Leicester Forest East LE. 13/7/39;
Lilbourne airfield NR. /8/16; 1917-10/8, 8/11, 23/12; 1918-22/1, 25/1, 24/3, 25/4, 4/5, 11/5, 16/5, 30/6, 25/7.
Linby NT. 2/10/41.
Lindley LE. 4/12/39;
Litchborough NR. 17/8/43; 24/11/44.
Little Casterton RU. 2/9/44.
Little Eaton DE. 13/7/ 45
Little Oxenden nr Great Oxenden NR. 20/3/44.
Little Stretton LE. 1/6/41; 11/9/44; 1/10/85.
Loddington LE. 5/8/43; 2/3/44; 22/5/58.
Longford DE. 3/4/40.
Longthorpe NR now Peterborough. 20/4/41.
Long Whatton LE. 16/12/53; 1/9/95.
Loughborough town and airfield LE. 28/11/38; 17/11/39; 12/12/42; 1944-9/1, 19/2; 17/9/45; 4/7/46;
23/10/52.
Lound NT. 27/1/44; 4/12/52.
Lower Boddington NR. 25/6/43.
Lower Catesby NR. 12/12/44;
Lubenham LE. 4/12/16.
Lutterworth LE. 1940 -4/1, 5/12; 23/6/41; 29/6/43; 4/3/45; 2/10/65.
Lutton NR. 24/9/42; 15/9/43; 6/2/45.
Malcoff DE. 28/12/45.
Mansfield NT. 5/12/42; 29/10/44,
Maplebeck NT. 15/10/42; 6/5/53;.
Marholm NR now Peterborough. 30/9/40; 28/10/42.
Markeaton DE. 20/2/43.
Market Bosworth LE. 25/8/40; 15/8/41; 8/6/43; 26/6/92; 10/10/98.
Market Harborough town and airfield LE. 16/1/41; 1943-25/9, 21/12; 1944-4/2, 24/2, 17/8, 11/9, 31/12;
1945-3/2, $10 / 5$.
Market Overton RU. 30/9/42.
Markfield LE. 28/8/40; 21/3/45; 29/10/11..

Markham Moor NT. 12/7/95;
Marston Trussell NR. 16/10/44.
Matlock DE. 16/7/28; 17/12/41; 7/4/43; 24/12/44.
Mattersey NT. 21/1/99; ,
Mears Ashby NR. 9/6/40; 31/3/43.
Melton Mowbray town and airfield LE. 19/6/1918; 15/3/37; 11/6/41; 11/12/43; 1944-13/8, 30/11; 1945 $12 / 1,14 / 1,5 / 2,23 / 3,25 / 3,27 / 3,4 / 5,2 / 8,31 / 8 ; 1946-12 / 1,5 / 2 ; 26 / 4 / 51 ; 17 / 6 / 60 ; 17 / 6 / 74 ; 8 / 11 / 81 ; 2 / 6 / 89$; 5/2/97; 16/4/00;
Mickleover DE. 16/2/43.
Middleton NR. 2/1/44.
Middleton DE. 21/1/44.
Millthorpe DE. 12/5/55; 5/5/70;
Milton DE. 5/11/41.
Misson NT. 11/11/39; 1940-27/9; 1941 -13/6, 11/8.
Monyash DE. 9/4/58.
Moorgreen NT. 10/4/48.
Moorhouse NT. 29/6/42.
Morcott RU. 20/9/41; 16/1/45.
Morton NT. 31/3/41; 1/9/43.
Moscar Top nr Great Longstone DE. 25/7/51.
Moulton NR. 8/7/33.
Mugginton DE. 24/7/44.
Muston LE. 9/4/88;
Nailstone LE. 8/1/41; 27/9/44; 19/5/83.
Naseby NR. 14/7/39; 6/11/43.
Nassington NR. 2/3/40; 27/2/41; 8/4/44.
Netther Booth DE. 12/4/41.
New Ollerton NT. 14/12/37.
Newark NT. 15/10/1918; 1939-23/5, 23/6, 1942-12/7, 13/7; 1/2/43; 6/5/53; 9/12/57.
Newborough NR now Peterborough. 1943-28/9, 24/11; 3/6/45.
Newbottle NR. 6/2/41.
Newnham NR. 25/2/41.
Newhaven DE. 10/4/43.
Newstead Abbey NT. 20/5/44.
Newton village and airfield NT. $1940-24 / 2,18 / 5,27 / 7,13 / 11 ; 1941-21 / 3,31 / 3,20 / 8,23 / 8,10 / 9,25 / 11$;
$1942-17 / 3,4 / 6,27 / 6,29 / 6,21 / 7,24 / 7,22 / 9,2 / 10,10 / 11,17 / 11,13 / 12$; $1943-15 / 9,5 / 10,15 / 11$; 1944-25/3,
27/3, 10/6, 17/6, 2/7, 10/9; 1945-9/1, 22/1, 18/2, 16/3, 7/4, 9/7; 1946-22/6, 12/12; 8/2/48; 25/3/49; 11/10/52;
4/12/53; 19/8/66.
Newton Bromswold NR. 15/11/1943; 15/2/45.
Newtown Linford LE. 8/4/41.
Normanton LE. 1942-19/8, 14/11.
Normanton on Soar NT. 19/4/44.
Normanton on Trent. 14/11/42; 1944-19/7, 29/7.
Northampton. 18/4/40; 15/7/41; 1943-19/1, 27/5; 29/1/45; 19/9/81.
Northborough NR now Peterborough. 12/4/44.
North Kilworth LE. 14/10/40; 22/9/87; 24/10/90.
North Luffenham village and airfield RU. $9 / 11 / 41$; 1942 -25/1, 26/1, $9 / 3,1 / 5,5 / 7,28 / 8,23 / 10,25 / 10,16 / 11$;
$1943-27 / 2,5 / 5$; 1944-13/8, 7/10; $1945-18 / 9,25 / 10$; $1946-17 / 1,18 / 3,21 / 6,12 / 7,15 / 8 ; 17 / 5 / 47$; 26/5/48;
1949 20/4, 23/5, 29/8; 6/7/51; 1952-25/8, 11/10; 1953-21/2, 6/10, 2/12; 1954-21/2, 8/4, 8/5; 11/1/56;
29/4/57; 29/10/58.
North Wingfield DE. 12/10/40.
Norton NR. 15/12/44.
Norwell NT. 22/11/43; 14/12/50.
Nottingham. 1939-17/1, 6/8; 6/1/40; 2/1/43; 13/7, 1944 -9/6, 11/6, 12/8; 4/2/53; 16/1/58; 4/12/83.
Nuneaton airfield LE. $1944-14 / 1,19 / 8,13 / 10 ; 1945-6 / 3,25 / 6,29 / 6,2 / 8,17 / 8$.
Nuthall NT. 8/5/46.
Oakham RU. 1943 -2/7, 29/8.
Oaks in Charnwood LE. 18/5/52.
Odstone LE. 28/1/44; 15/3/46.
Old NR. 15/7/42; 20/1/65.
Old Stratford NR. 10/7/94.

Old Surrey NT? 6/4/49.
Ollerton NT. 9/9/38; 15/4/44; 19/5/53.
Ompton NT. 11/8/43.
Orston NT. 26/12/43; 1944-12/5, 11/7.
Orton NR. 30/11/43.
Orton-on-the-Hill LE. 15/1/43; 11/2/44.
Osleston DE. 3/2/43.
Osmaston DE. 1943-15/1, 30/12.
Ossington village and airfield NT. $1942-26 / 2,8 / 3,28 / 7,1 / 9,11 / 12 ; 1943-23 / 1,26 / 2,18 / 4,22 / 4,29 / 4,22 / 5$,
$3 / 8,14 / 8,21 / 8,24 / 8,10 / 11,13 / 12 ; 1944-17 / 2,1 / 4,24 / 6,3 / 8,1 / 9 ; 1948-8 / 11,4 / 12 ; 3 / 10 / 51$; 6/5/53.
Overseal DE. 20/8/92.
Owthorpe NT. 11/5/43, 11/6/44.
Oxton NT. 13/10/40; 15/4/45; 2/5/99.
Packington LE. 6/4/53.
Palterton NT. 22/3/44.
Papplewick village and airfield NT. 16/5/41; 20/7/43; 1944-28/4, 20/5, 29/10; 10/8/70.
Park Drain NT. 15/10/42;
Parwich DE. 25/6/49; 13/5/84.
Pattishall NR. 12/2/44;
Peakirk NR now Peterborough. 19/11/39; 8/5/44.
Pear Tree DE. 24/7/40.
Peterborough city and airfield. 1936-16/4, 3/9, 23/10; 21/4/38; 1939-10/3, 20/3, 7/10, 28/11; 1940-4/1, 11/1, $12 / 1,3 / 3,4 / 3,10 / 3,11 / 3,27 / 4,6 / 5,7 / 5,31 / 5,6 / 6,7 / 6,8 / 8,30 / 8 ; 1941-4 / 5,22 / 7,17 / 9,25 / 11,27 / 4 / 43,29 / 4$, 25/6, 26/7, 7/8, 11/8, 15/8, 19/8; 1942-20/12, 29/12; $1944-9 / 3,30 / 3,6 / 7,18 / 7,9 / 8,19 / 8,26 / 9,14 / 10,10 / 11$;
$1945-8 / 3,15 / 3,27 / 3,6 / 5,17 / 5$;
Pickworth RU. 10/3/43
Piddington NR. 5/12/41.
Pilsgate NR now Peterborough. 12/10/41; 19/9/46.
Pilsley DE. 5/3/45.
Pitsford NR. 19/2/46.
Pleasley DE. 19/1/39.
Plumtree NT. 12/10/44.
Plungar NT. 11/11/1917; 13/1/40.
Polebrook village and airfield NR. 1941 -5/3, $8 / 3,15 / 4,3 / 7$; 1942 -23/7, 24/9; 1943-18/2, 29/3, 7/5, 11/5, 14/7, $30 / 7,13 / 8,25 / 8,10 / 11,30 / 11 ; 1944-7 / 1,30 / 1,2 / 2,31 / 3,22 / 4,24 / 5,12 / 6,7 / 7,13 / 7,29 / 7,30 / 7,15 / 8,9 / 12,31 / 12$;
$1945-2 / 3,25 / 3,8 / 5,13 / 5,15 / 10$.
Potterspury NR. 25/5/05.
Preston Deanery NR. 20/9/41.
Prestwold LE. 15/11/40; 23/8/44.
Pytchley NR. 8/8/44.
Queniborough LE. 20/2/46; 2/8/50.
Radbourne DE. 4/4/43.
Radcliffe on Trent NT. 4/10/39; 1943 -7/7, 27/9; 12/3/46.
Ragdale LE. 17/7/44.
Rainworth NT. 20/8/43; 30/6/44;
Ratby LE. 26/6/40; 13/3/42; 17/11/50.
Ratcliffe on the Wreake LE village and airfield. 6/9/30; 25/10/41; 1943-30/3, 16/9; 7/8/44.
Ravenshead NT. 17/1/39.
Rearsby village and airfield LE ?//39, 27/11/40: 29/12/42; 15/8/43; 1947-16/3, 2/11; 1/2/48; 10/7/49;
18/9/50; 10/3/63; 1964-23/5, 22/8; 27/12/65.
Redhill NT. 22/6/42.
Repton DE. 12/10/41.
Retford NT see also East Retford. 6/9/34; 16/11/41; 26/1/43; 16/3/55; 12/7/97.
Ridlington RU. 12/4/42.
Roade NR. 1943-25/8, 4/10; 29/6/44.
Rolleston LE. 5/3/41.
Roston DE. 18/8/40.
Rothersthorpe NR. 1944 -30/3, 5/4; 6/12/67.
Rothwell NR. 10/4/41; 1944 -11/4, 17/5, 20/6.
Rowlee Pastures. 12/4/41.

Ruddington NT. 18/5/41;
Rufford nr Lidgett NT. 20/8/43; 30/6/44.
Rushden NR. 1944 -5/3, 28/4; 15/2/45; 11/8/96; 26/8/07;
Rush Up Edge see Edale.. 30/8/41, 25/4/43.
Ryhall RU. 11/11/40; 1943-10/3, 10/12.
Saltby village and airfield LE. 1941-12/2, 12/9, 8/12; 1942-10/2, 14/2, 27/3, 2/5, 16/6, 5/7, 14/9, 8/11; 11/1/43;
$1944-7 / 6,7 / 9,27 / 11,15 / 12 ; 1945-22 / 1,24 / 4,10 / 5,29 / 5,27 / 6,9 / 7,16 / 7 ; 18 / 8 / 73 ; 6 / 7 / 15 ;$.
Saxelbye LE. 15/3/37;
Scaftworth NT. 18/11/41.
Scaldwell NR. 3/11/41.
Scalford LE. 11/6/41; 13/8/44.
Scarcliffe DE. 9/5/34; 22/3/44.
Scofton NT. 3/2/44; 7/8/89;.
Scraptoft LE. 12/12/41; 8/4/45.
Screveton NT. 13/4/44;
Scrooby NT. 8/5/41.
Scropton DE. 13/10/42.
Seagrave LE. 29/7/63.
Seaton RU. 26/11/43.
Selston NT. 22/5/39.
Sewstern LE. 9/12/41; 19/8/44.
Shardlow DE. 19/11/49.
Shearsby LE. 1945-11/2, 4/3.
Shelford NT. 30/6/42, 21/2/43.
Shepshed LE. 16/11/41; 28/10/44; 18/5/52.
Shining Tor DE nr Edale DE. 12/3/44; 14/4/45.
Shirebrook DE. 5/10/56.
Shoale CT
Short Heath DE. 4/1/42.
Shottle DE. 25/4/1918; 3/1/46;
Shottlegate DE. 24/11/43.
Sibbertoft NR. 23/12/41.
Sileby LE. 10/1/45.
Silverstone NR. 1943-30/1, 27/6, 16/7, 3/10; 1944-31/3, 23/6, 7/9, 6/10; 19/3/46; 8/10/85; 22/8/09;
Skeffington LE. 12/12/59.
Skegby NT. 14/11/42.
Sketchley LE. 14/1/45.
Slidden Moss DE. 12/4/51.
Slipton NR. 27/8/44.
Smalley DE. 10/7/42.
Smeeton Westerby LE. 15/3/44; 13/6/02.
Smockington LE. 6/5/88.
South Collingham see Collingham NT.
South Kilworth LE. 21/6/1918;
South Leverton NT. 17/8/41; 15/3/51.
South Luffenham RU. 14/1/52.
South Muskham NT. 16/12/43.
South Wheatley NT. 23/9/43.
Southwell NT. 11/12/43; 4/2/53.
Southwick NR. 24/2/44.
Spanhoe airfield nr Laxton NR. 1944-4/3, 15/6, 4/11; 12/8/60; 1/8/90; 19/10/92; 5/12/94; 18/11/95;
18/6/17;
Sproxton LE. 17/2/43.
Stamford airfield NR now Wittering. 23/2/14; 1918, 18/2, 5/4, 20/4, 23/4, 20/5, 4/6, 23/6, 24/7, 28/7, 10/8,
$16 / 8,22 / 8,7 / 9,29 / 9,19 / 10,3 / 1 / 19$,
$1917-24 / 9,25 / 9,19 / 12,23 / 12$; $1918-? / 2,18 / 2,11 / 3,5 / 4,20 / 4,23 / 4,20 / 5,27 / 5,4 / 6,10 / 6,21 / 6,23 / 6,24 / 7,28 / 7$,
10/8, 16/8, 22/8, 7/9, 29/9, 19/10, 11/11; 3/1/19.
Stanage Edge DE. 8/8/57.
Stanford Hall nr Swinford LE. 2/10/1899.
Stanion NR. 26/11/40.
Stanley DE. 12/7/42.
Stanton-by-Dale. 31/8/44.

Stanwick NR. 21/3/41.
Stapleford NT. 25/2/44.
Starkholmes DE. 3/3/43;
Starthwood Farm NT. 21/10/44.
Staythorpe NT. 10/1/42; 26/9/49.
Stocken Hall RU. 3/3/45.
Stoke Golding LE. 4/12/39. (See also Nuneaton airfield).
Stoney Stanton LE. 26/12/41.
Stonesby LE. 22/9/39; 5/5/42;
Stonton Wyville LE. 20/1/45.
Stoughton village LE. 27/5/40; 5/11/43. (See also Leicester East airfield).
Stretton RU. 30/3/41; 3/3/45.
Sturton le Steeple NT. 1944 -22/5, 24/12.
Sulby nr Welford NR. 1943-16/9, 26/9; 10/10/98.
Sulgrave NR. 20/10/43.
Sutton NT (nr Retford). 26/1/43.
Sutton Cheney LE. 17/2/43.
Sutton in Ashfield NT. 19/6/84.
Sutton on the Hill DE. 9/9/41.
Sutton on Trent NT. 29/10/40; 30/11/44.
Sutton Scarsdale DE. 25/11/40.
Swinford LE. 2/10/1988; 8/3/51.
Syerston village and airfield NT. $1942-8 / 12,21 / 12 ; 1943-18 / 11 / 8,3 / 12 ; 1944-13 / 3,14 / 4,17 / 4,19 / 5,27 / 5$,
1/10, 5/11; 1945-29/1, 4/2, 19/6, 9/8; 2/12/46; 1947-28/5, 11/9; 26/4/51; 1953-15/1, 15/9; 1954-14/1, 24/2,
13/3, 1/5, 14/5, 19/5; 29/11/56; 1958-30/3, 20/9; 20/1/59; 1960-4/2, 8/3; 29/6/61; 24/8/84;
Syresham NR. 8/7/43; 15/3/44.
Sywell NR. ?/5/36; 1938-2/7, 28/6; 1940-27/8, 4/12; 1941 -14/1, 31/3, 12/5, 12/9; 1942 -30/11, 20/12;
$1943-7 / 3,11 / 3,17 / 5,16 / 11$; 1944-23/3; 1945-22/5, 26/5, 31/8, 1946-11/3, 24/6; 28/6/47; 1948-13/6, 31/7;
24/5/51; 27/3/70; 1976-27/3, 19/4; 30/6/78; 16/11/88; 9/4/89; 12/11/93; 30/8/95; 29/3/96; 26/2/00;
$2001-14 / 1,12 / 5 ; 9 / 7 / 03 ; 18 / 11 / 04 ; 1 / 12 / 05 ; 2 / 1 / 06 ; 3 / 9 / 11$.
Theddingworth LE. 29/3/40; 21/9/44
Thistleton RU. 13/1/36; 6/5/40; 16/3/41; 1942-16/3, 28/8, 2/9; 28/11/46; 14/6/62.
Thoresby Park NT. 14/5/44.
Thorney Toll NR now Peterborough. 29/3/45.
Thornhaugh NR now Peterborough. 14/3/42.
Thornton LE. 2/8/41.
Thorpe NT. 16/3/44.
Thorpe Mandeville NR. 11/11/38.
Thorpe Satchville LE. 26/8/53.
Thorpe Waterville NR. 1/4/42.
Thrapston NR. 8/6/42.
Thrussington LE. 19/4/63.
Thurlaston LE. 25/4/45.
Thurning NR. 16/1/64.
Thurvaston DE. 3/2/43.
Tickencote RU. 25/11/40.
Tickhill DE. 10/5/44.
Tiffield NR. 8/6/43; $1944-7 / 7,13 / 10$.
Tilton-on-the-Hill LE. 8/10/40; 18/5/99.
Tintwhistle DE. 10/5/44; 22/2/45; 21/12/48.
Tinwell RU. 8/7/44.
Titchmarsh NR. 1/4/42.
Tollerton airfield NT. 23/3/32; 30/6/36; 6/7/39; 1942 -8/4, $8 / 8,15 / 9,18 / 11,11 / 12$; $1943-5 / 2,3 / 3,11 / 3,28 / 4$, $5 / 5,25 / 5,5 / 6,20 / 6,30 / 7,22 / 10,27 / 10,30 / 10 ; 1944-14 / 1,14 / 4,16 / 7,25 / 9,10 / 10 ; 1948-21 / 3,19 / 6,7 / 8 ;$
29/9/63; 16/8/64; 26/7/67; 16/12/68; 29/9/73; 15/8/94; 11/4/09; 30/1/18; 30/1/19;
Toton NT. 3/11/38.
Towcester NR. 5/6/40; 16/10/44; 5/1/03.
Tugby LE. 9/5/40; 2/5/42.
Tupton DE. 12/9/72; 31/1/07.
Tur Langton LE. 20/1/45.
Turnditch DE. 9/7/43.
Turweston NR. 11/12/42; 1943-9/2, 1/3, 16/4, 19/5, 23/8, 10/11, 27/12; 1944-11/1, 24/2, 21/4, 28/5, 25/9,

17/12; 4/2/99; 26/1/07; 28/7/16;.
Tuxford NT. 18/10/19; 1/4/40; 29/12/53.
Twycross LE. 25/3/44.
Ullesthorpe LE. 10/4/1917; 23/10/41.
Upper Benefield NR. 26/10/46.
Upper Boddington NR. 25/11/44.
Upper Heyford NR. 13/4/43.
Uppingham RU. 7/10/39; 20/9/41.
Upper Holme DE. 13/7/42.
Upton LE. 2/8/45.
Wakerley NR. 25/11/41; 1943-12/10, 14/10, 16/12; 12/6/44.
Walgrave NR. 1945 -6/4, 17/6.
Walkeringham NT. 7/5/31.
Waltham on the Wolds LE. 1940 -15/4, 16/12; 23/2/41.
Walton DE. 12/2/1917;
Walton LE. 23/2/41; 1943-22/1, 25/9; 17/1/45.
Walton NR. 30/9/40; 21/4/44.
Walton-on-Trent. 8/12/41; 25/7/44;
Waltham on the Wolds LE. 12/2/41.
Wansford NR now Peterborough. 3/9/41; 1942-13/4, 22/8; 1944 -4/8,14/8.
Wappenham NR. 29/9/43; 4/6/83.
Warkton NR. 1/2/44.
Warsop Vale NT. 17/12/40; 5/12/42; 1/9/44..
Watnall NT. 21/10/44; 9/8/45; 25/5/65; 3/9/10.
Weldon NR. 4/2/41; 1944-1/8, 17/8; 27/8/54.
Welford NR. 27/7/40; 16/9/43; 9/8/85; 6/8/07;
Welham LE. 30/8/44.
Wellingborough NR. 10/11/42.
Welton NR. 18/7/45.
Werrington NR now Peterborough. 24/6/20; 1944-9/3, 3/6, 2/8; 3/6/45, 9/3/46; 22/7/47..
West Burton nr Bole NT. 19/5/43; 29/4/44.
West Drayton NT. 29/12/53.
Weston NT. 26/2/56.
Weston by Welland NR. 2/3/44.
Weston Favell NR. 24/5/52.
Weston on Trent DE. 9/5/54.
Whetstone Gorse LE. 28/7/43
White Edge Moor. 6/2/41.
Whissendine RU. 5/5/47; 8/6/54.
Whitfield NR. 14/1/41; 16/2/43.
Whittlebury NR. 29/9/43; 6/5/44; 26/5/45..
Whitwick LE. 15/2/43.
Widmerpool NT. 2/10/96.
Wigsley village and airfield NR. 9/11/41; 1942-11/3, 12/3, 5/7, 23/7, 30/8, 1/9, 29/10, 11/12; 1943-25/2, 15/4, 17/5, 27/7, 17/9, 28/9, 22/12; 1944-11/5, 16/7, 19/7, 18/9, 20/9, 27/9; 1945-4/3, 4/5, 19/7; 10/8/50; 1951-3/7, 29/8, 10/10, 19/11, 22/11, 18/12; 1952-6/2, 4/11; 13/5/54.
Wigston Magna LE. 4/2/46.
Wilbarston NR. 28/7/41.
Wilby NR. 13/6/41; 1/6/44.
Wilford NT. 1943 -27/5, 28/5; 12/8/44; 15/1/45.
Winkburn NT. 23/6/41; 14/10/55.
Winthorpe village and airfield NT. $1943-11 / 1,18 / 1,26 / 1,28 / 1,19 / 2,5 / 5,19 / 5,9 / 7,23 / 8,24 / 8 ; 1944-1 / 3$, 21/3, 11/4, 26/5, 2/7, 24/7, 1/8, 3/8; 1945 -2/5, 25/5; 28/7/75.
Wiseton NT. 12/8/44;
Wistow Park LE. 6/9/41.
Withcote nr Loddington LE. 5/8/43.
Wittering see Stamford airfield to 1919 NR now Peterborough. 23/4/1918; 6/10/27; 13/6/30; 8/10/34; 1937$27 / 2,18 / 3,28 / 6,1 / 10$; $1938-24 / 2,18 / 3,28 / 6,5 / 8,7 / 8,11 / 8,19 / 11,1939-5 / 1,9 / 2,21 / 3,29 / 3,13 / 4,20 / 5,4 / 7$, $3 / 8,6 / 9,8 / 9,7 / 10,9 / 12,16 / 12$; 1940-3/5, $8 / 8,9 / 8,20 / 8,22 / 10,29 / 10,3 / 11,30 / 11$; $1941-12 / 2,2 / 3,14 / 3,22 / 3$, $8 / 5,10 / 5,17 / 5,18 / 5,8 / 7,18 / 8,25 / 8,3 / 9,12 / 11,9 / 12$; $1942-16 / 3,28 / 3,1 / 4,14 / 4,2 / 5,3 / 6,25 / 9,17 / 12$; 1943 $13 / 2,24 / 3,2 / 6,26 / 7,4 / 8,8 / 8,15 / 8,1 / 9,15 / 9,17 / 9,21 / 9,15 / 10,24 / 10,15 / 11 ; 1944-12 / 2,1 / 3,14 / 3,15 / 3,20 / 7$,
$30 / 7,31 / 7,23 / 11,12 / 12,31 / 12 ; 1945-23 / 3,6 / 9 ; 23 / 4 / 46 ; 1947-15 / 11,28 / 11 ; 1948-2 / 6,9 / 7,24 / 8 ; 5 / 9 / 53 ;$
17/2/54. Then to Hunts.
Wollaston NR. 22/6/41; 29/5/43; 23/6/44; 27/8/00; 11/12/04.
Woodbeck NT. 5/3/45.
Woodborough NT. 26/5/66.
Woodene NR. 11/10/44;
Woodford NR. 28/7/40; 1943-13/1, 5/5; 24/12/44; 23/1/45.
Woodford Halse NR. 3/1/45.
Woodhouse Eaves LE. 7/10/42; 17/9/45; 4/2/72.
Woolfox Lodge airfield nr Stretton RU . 31/3/41; 1942-19/8, 27/9; 1943 -23/2, 27/2, 10/3, 24/5, 26/6, 5/7, 24/7,
25/7, 29/7, 4/8, 5/9; 1944-9/5, 12/6, 13/6; 1945-7/2, 3/3, 24/3, 10/5; $6 / 2 / 48 ; ~ 7 / 1 / 53$.
Worksop town and airfield NT. 30/12/43; 1944-6/1, 20/1, 21/1, 28/1, 3/2, 21/4, 20/5, 12/8, 24/10; 1945-25/2,
3/3, 21/3; 14/5/50; 1953-9/6, 14/7, 2/9; 1954-26/6, 13/11, 2/12; 7/3/55; 5/10/56; 1957-25/4, 6/9;
1958-21/4, 6/5;
Wormhill DE. 15/4/95;
Wothorpe NR now Peterborough. 13/7/18; 16/6/27; 6/5/32; 8/3/41.
Wykin LE. 18/6/44.
Wymeswold village and airfield LE. 1942 -7/9, 13/9, 28/11, 12/12; 1943 -13/5, 22/5, 17/8, 2/9, 8/9, 23/9, 25/11;
$1944-26 / 3,23 / 4,13 / 8,18 / 9,20 / 9,27 / 9 ; 1945-14 / 1,1 / 10 ; 2 / 4 / 46 ; 28 / 11 / 49 ; 21 / 4 / 50 ; 7 / 7 / 51 ; 20 / 9 / 63 ; 28 / 6 / 67$.
Wymondham LE. 20/3/41.
Yardley Gobion NR. 20/3/44.
Yardley Hastings. NR 16/10/44.
Yarwell NT. 10/12/83;
Yeldersley DE. 30/12/43.
Yelvertof t NR. 6/12/44.

## Appendix 3- Abbreviations.

AA. Anti-aircraft.
AACFlt. Anti-aircraft Co-op Flt
AACU. Anti-aircraft Co-op Unit.
AAP - Aircraft Acceptance Park.
AAS. Air Armament School
A\&AEE. Aircraft \& Armament Exp. Est.
A/C. Aircraft.
Aeros. Aerobatics.
AFDU. Air Fighting Development Unit
AFEE. Airborne Forces Experimental Establishment
AFS. Advanced Flying School
AGS. Air Gunnery School
ANS. Air Navigation School
AONS. Air Observer's Navigation School
APC. Armament Practice Camp
APS. Armament Practice School
A-S. Armstrong-Siddeley
ASR. Air-Sea-Rescue
ATA. Air Transport Auxiliary
ATC. Armament Training Camp
ATG. Air Transport Group
AWA. Armstrong-Whitworth Aircraft
BATF. Beam Approach Training Flt.
BCCFlt. Bomber Command Communications Flt
BDTFlt. Bomber Defence Training Flight
BG. Bombardment Group
B(G)Flt. Bombing (Gunnery) Flt
CamoU. Camouflage Unit.
CBAS. Commando Brigade Air Sqn.
CBW. Combat Bombardment Wing
CFlt. Conversion Flt
CFE. Central Fighter Establishment
CFS. Central Flying School
CGS. Central Gunnery School
Comms Flt. Communications Flt

COTU. Coastal Operational Training Unit
Cr. Crashed
Csqn. Communications sqn
CTU. Crew Training Unit.
DBR. Damaged beyond repair
EAAS. Empire Air Armament School
EANS. Empire Air Navigation School
E\&RFTS. Elementary \& Reserve Flying Training School
E\&WS. Electrical \& Wireless School
EF. Engine failure
EFTS. Elementary Flying Training School
FAA. Fleet Air Arm
FG. Fighter Group
FIS. Flying Instructor's School
F/L. Forced landing
Flak. Anti-aircraft fire
Flt. Flight
Fm. From
FP. Ferry Pool
FPP. Ferry Pilot's Pool
FRS. Flying Refresher School
FS. Fighting School
FTG. Fighter Training Group
FTS. Flying Training School
FTU. Ferry Training Unit
Gp. Group
GS. Grading School
GSU. Group Support Unit
GTS. Glider Training School
GU. Grading Unit
HCU. Heavy Conversion Unit
HGCU. Heavy Glider Conversion Unit
HGMU. Heavy Glider Maintenance Unit
HGSU. Heavy Glider Servicing Unit
HMS. Her/His Majesty's Ship
HT. High tension.
Ldg. Landing
LFS. Lancaster Finishing School
LG. Landing ground
m. Miles

MCCS. Metropolitan Communications Squadron
Met. Meteorological
MU. Maintenance Unit
Navex. Navigational exercise
NFD. No further details
$\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{k}$. Not known
nr. Near
NTSqn. Night Training Squadron.
NTU. Navigation Training Unit
NZ. New Zealand
OAPU. Overseas Aircraft Preparation Unit
OCU. Operational Conversion Unit
ORTU. Operational Refresher Training Unit
OTU. Operational Training Unit.
PAFU. Pilot's Advanced Flying Unit
PE. Port engine
PEFTS. Polish Elementary Flying Training School
PFTS. Polish Flying Training School
PI. Port inner engine
PO. Port outer engine
RAFC. RAF College
RAFFC. RAF Flying College
RAFR. RAF Reserve

RCAF. Royal Canadian Air Force<br>RFC. Royal Flying Corps<br>RFS. Reserve Flying School<br>RH<br>RNAS. Royal Naval Air Service<br>RS. Reserve Squadron<br>R Sqn. Reserve Squadron<br>RTS. Recruit Training School<br>SF. Scouting Force.<br>SFTS. Service Flying Training School<br>SBI. Starboard inner engine<br>SBO. Starboard outer engine<br>SE. Starboard engine<br>SF. Station Flight<br>SoAF\&G. School of Aerial Fighting and Gunnery<br>Sqn. Squadron<br>SS. Signals School<br>TAD. Tactical Air Depot<br>TB. Torpedo bomber<br>TCC. Troop-Carrier Command<br>TCCFlt. Transport Command Communications Flt<br>TCG. Troop-Carrier Group<br>TCU. Transport Conversion Unit<br>TDS. Training Depot Station<br>TM. Training Machine<br>t/o. Take-off<br>Trng. Training<br>TSqn. Training Squadron<br>TSCU. Transport Support Conversion Unit.<br>TT. Target-towing<br>TT\&G. Target-towing \& Gunnery<br>TTF. Target-towing Flt<br>TTGS. Target-towing \& Gunnery Squadron<br>u/c. Undercarriage<br>USAAF. United States Army Air Force.<br>USAF. United States Air Force<br>Vis. Visibility<br>WT. Wireless telegraphy

