

LANCASTER Mk X's LOST IN ACTION

[by Tom Palmer]

419 Sqdrn

KB700Z - Cr .ltd. from Nurenburg at M.St G n/c	3.1.45	(P)/F/L A.G.R. Warner	no casualties
KB701B - Flew into high ground Wombleton,	16/17.5.44	(N)/P/O Ernest M Parsons,	(P)WO H.G.Grice
KB706A - Raid to Aachen no survivors	24/25.5.44	(N)/P/O P.S.Smith,	(P)/F/O D.M.Robson
KB707W - cr.ltd. Middleton S.G., no casualties	19/20.9.44	(WAG)/F/L J.J.Flood,	(P)/F/L R.Curtis
KB708E - Raid to Russelheim Three survivors	25/26.8.44	(B)/F/O I.J.Kirschner,	(P)/F/O W.A.Milner
KB710W - Raid on Louvain,crash nr. Sent-Genesius	11/12.5.44	(P)/P/O H.I.Smith	no survivors
KB711C - Raid on St-Ghislain, cr.nr. Ghent	1/2.5.44	(P)/P/O J.C.McNary &	J.L.Chartland killed
KB712L - Raid on Cologne, no survivors	28.10.44	(AG)/FS E.R.Smith,	(P)/F/O A.N.Nelligan
KB713X - Attack on Louvain, no survivors	11/12.5.44	(WAG)WO R.S..Smith,	(P)P/O B.F.Edwards
KB714Y - Raid on Cambrai,cr.nr. 'Vause-lette'	13.6.44	(N)/F/O R.N.Pole,	(P)/F/O/ F.N.Wilson
KB715J - Airfield attack on Lohaussen, 5 sur.	24.12.44	(WAG)/F/O R.W.Hale exec.	(P)/F/O T.H.Cowtan
KB717E - Dortmund raid, all perished	22/23.5.44	(P)/P/O C.E.G.Patterson	no survivors
KB718J - Raid on Villeneuve-,crew bailed	4/5.7.44	(P)/F/O L.W.A.Frame	3 POW's,4 evd
KB719T - Night raid on Stuttgart,three survivors	25.7.44	(AG)/P/O J.E.Searson,	(P)FS J.Phillip,(B)P/O D.Morrison
KB722A - Crash ldd.nr. St.Quentin,Fr., all safe	5/6.1.45	(P)/F/O N.D.Mallen	4 sent to Hospital
KB723U - Day raid on Villeuve-,three survived	4/5.7.44	(N)/P/O A.E.Roe,	(P)/F/O G.R.Hodgson
KB724K - cr lnd.after T/Oall survived	27.8.44	(P)WO L.I.L.McDonald	
KB726A - Night on Cambrai, three survivors	13.6.44	(AG)/P/O A.C.Mynarski VC.	(P)/F/O A.DeBrayne
KB727H - Raid on Villeneuve- all survived	4/5/7.44	(P)/F/O J.M.Stevenson	
KB728V - In sea after Sterkrade, 4 Can,3 RAF	17.6.44	(B)P/O G.E.Qwinn,	(P)P/O D.Morrison
KB731S - Raid on Cambrai, missing 6,one Ev.	13.6.44	(AG)/P/O C.W.Carruthers,	(P)/F/O W.M.Lacey
KB734F - cr.nr Zeist after Sterkrade,1 POW,1Ev	17.6.44	(P)/F/L E.S.Smith	* 5 pers, 1 POW, 1 evd
KB735O - cr. 1m S of Caen, no survivors	18.9.44	crew unknown	
KB736M - Missing on Cambrai raid,	13.6.44	crew unknown	
KB738V- Raid on Opladen, F.W.How / crew	28.12.44	(AG)/P/O N.R.Springstein,	(P)/F/O F.W.How
KB745V - Flew into high ground, all killed	4.10.44	(N)/F/O W.G.Layng,,	(P)/F/O G.R.Duncan
KB750N - cr.lnd. in France, one survivor	2/3.2.45	(N)/F/O R.W.Hodgson,	(P)P/O B.W.Martin
KB753L - Raid on Scholven, blew up	29/30/12.44	(B)P/O H.C.Tarzwel,	(P)R.F.Adams
KB754C - Missing on Bochum, one survivor	10.10.44	(WAG)/FS L.F.O'Hara,	(P)P/O A.I.Cohen
KB755F - Battle area Caen, cr.nr. Mare de Magne	7/8.8.44	(P)/F/O B.D.Walker,	no survivor's(n/s)
KB761H - Day raid on Hamburg, no survivors	31.3.45	(FE)P/O W.M.Sommerville,	(P)/F/L H.A.Metivier
KB762J -U/C collapsed on taxi MStG DBR	23.3.45	(P)S/L C.M.Black	(B)FS B.L.McKinnon wounded
KB765O - Raid on Scholven, two survivors	29/30.12.44	(N)/F/O V.A.Sorrenti,	(P)/F/O R.A.McVicar
KB769J - Attack on Merserburg, one survivor	14/15.1.45	(P)/F/O N.R.Vatne,	
KB775Y - Raid on Russellheim, one survivor	26.8.44	(AG)/P/O V.Stear,	(P)H.D.Witwer (surv)
KB776F - Raid on Essen, missing	24.10.44	(P)S/L W.C.McGuffin DFC,	n/s
KB779B - Raid on Osnabruck, missing	6/7.12.44	(B)P/O G.Ed.Smith,	(P)/F/O B.Hyndman, n/s
KB786P - Raid to Hemmingstead, one survivor	23.3.45	(N)/F/L H.B.Rubin,	(P)/F/L R.W.Miller
KB787M - cr.nr Vielsolm Lux., one survivor	4/5.2.45	(B)/F/L D.J.Buchanan,(AG)/F/L J.P.Barlow	
KB797K - Target city Dessau, 1 POW,1Evade	7/8.3.45	(N)/F/O W.E.Short,(AG)/F/O R.L.Mitchell,	(P)/F/O B.MacNeill
KB799W - over Schweinfurt, six POW's	14/15.1.45	(B)P/O G.D.M.Spencer,	(P)/F/L G.O.Tedford
KB800C - Duisburg raid, one survivor	14.10.44	(N)P/O H.Sigal,	(P)/F/O A.M.Roy(surv)
KB804E - Dortmund raid, all parachuted,one killed	21.2.45	(P)/F/O L.A.Blaney,	D.Hanna both killed
KB814N - missing to Hagen,,cr.nr.Fishlin,Ger.	15/16.3.45	(WAG)P/O C.H.Vickery,	(P)P/O H.R.Hennesey
KB845L - cr. nr. Chemnitz., no survivors	5/6/3.45	(AG)P/O F.R.Leet,	(P)/F/O C.L.Reitlo
KB866M - Raid on Kiel, last crew of 7 killed	13/14.4.45	(AG)Sgt G.A.Livingston,	(P)/F/O D.W.Wincott
KB869Q - day raid on Harburg, three POW's	31.3.45	(B)FS B.MacLennan,	(P)/F/O D.S.Bowes
KB870K - raid to Hagen, 4 parachuted to safety	16.3.45	(WAG)/F/O E.B.Carleton,	(P)/F/L M.W.McLaughlin
KB874 - Lost after Hanover,cr.ltd. Manston	25.3.45	no casualties	(P)/F/O G.E.Heaven, see #431 Sqn
KB875Y - cross ctry, cr.nr Bradbury, all Killed	24.11.44	(P)/F/O R.G.Mansfield,	(AG)B.Jigursky,b/out(6.8.44)

TOTAL - 50 Lancaster MkX's lost;45 on Ops

#428 Sqdrn

KB709G - cr,in sea off Falkenberg,Swed.no Surv.	29/30.8.44	(B)/F/O L.H.C.Gardiner,	(P)/F/O L.S.Plunkett
KB725L - cr, on overshoot Elton,Eng. 2 killed	3.2.45	(AG)P/O J.A.Keating,	(P)/F/L R.E.Curtiss
KB737R - Raid to Essen,cr at Buckhotz,2 POW's	28.12.44	(FE)P/O L.E.Toneri,	(P)/F/O H.A.Armstrong
KB740 - Mid-air coll,cr lld Woodbridge all survived	25.7.44	crew unknown	
KB742 - Damaged over Bocham,	7.11.44	crew unknown	

KB743I - Missing midair Coll. 1 Killed,6 POW	19.8.44	(AG)P/O R.E.Good, P/O A.R.McNaught, (P)F/O C.Corbett
KB749A- Raid Soesterborg, night-fighter base	15.8.44	(AG)P/O P.C.Revell, (P)F/O D.W.Brown
KB751Q - Lost on Stettin, 6 killed, 1 POW	16/17.8.44	(N)F/O H.Slater, (P)P/O W.C.Fairgrieve
KB756Q - Night raid on Villeneuve-,2 POW's	5/6.7.44	(P)F/O W.C.Gay
KB758Z - Raid on Brunswick, Five killed	13.8.44	(AG)FS M.Sawry, (P)F/O J.A.McGregor
KB759K - Raid to Hamburg, blew up on T/O	29.7.44	(N)P/O J.A.Urquhart, (P)F/O R.Parsons'surv'
KB763S - Day, into ground at Elton Hall	28.1.45	(AG)Sgt J.W.Ross, (P)P/O H.L.Clark
KB766D - Raid to Hagen, 5 safe after F/Land	2.12.44	(N)F/O M.S.Sucharov, (P) ? + one RAF crew
KB768E - Midair Coll, #426(B),crew killed	5/6.12.44	(P)F/L H.A.Shewfelt
KB770D - Raid on Stuttgart, two POW's	28/29.1.45	(P)S/L H.L.Kay
KB777V - S/D by Ju88 nr.Hildeheim, 4 Evade	22.3.45	(P)F/L J.F.Hadley
KB778Y - Flew into Hill Baraque Ardennes	5/6.3.45	(B)F/O D.A.Wade, (P)F/O Mytruck
KB780T - Raid onCologne(Duisburg),all died	14.10.44	(AG)P/O F.A.Harrison, (P)F/L W.H.Janney
KB782H - Missing from Dusseldorf, all killed	3.11.44	(B)P/O A.G.Samuel, (P)F/O J.Holtz
KB784K - Ditched off Ger.N Sea,5 Safe	13/14.4.45	(AG)P/O E.A.Vardy, (P)F/O D.M.Payne
KB792I - exploded over Wiesbaden,5 died,2 safe	2/3.2.45	(P)F/L D.E.Berry,
KB793E - cr lnd Darlington,Durham,one died	13.1.45	(P)P/O W.S.McMullin (WAG)P/O J.J.Flood,killed 12.9.44
KB798G - S/D 7m N.Cologne,all crew killed	28.12.44	(AG)F/O A.T.Lebland, (P)F/O E.W.Page
KB816E - Overshot landing at Church Broughton	14.4.45	no fatality's
KB846I - see #434 Squadron	15/16.3.45	(AG)F/O E.A.Evans, (P)F/L Craton
KB855F- Raid to Dortmund, cr lnd MStG, DBR	20.2.45	no fatality's
KB879Y - cr.nr.Sandon,Staff. all killed	30.4.45	(WAG)WO T.D.Lawley, (P)F/L W.G.Campbell
TOTAL Lancaster MkX's lost - 26; 21 on Ops.		

#431 Sqdrn

KB741Y - Missing on raid Chemnitz,6 killed	14/15.2.45	(AG)P/O G.E.Robertson, (P)P/O B.Granka
KB806X - Raid to Merseburg, expl. 1 POW	15.1.45	(AG)WO O.J.Rau, (P)F/O M.A.MacLeod
KB808U - Day raid on Hildesheim,8 died	22.3.45	(P)F/L J.P.Duggan
KB809Q - missing raid to Dortmund.3 POW's	20/21.2.45	(WAG) P/O L.E.Hoffman, (P)P/O J.W.Kopp
KB813S - Train flt.cr.nr. Tingrith,Bed.all dead	25.10.44	(B)P/O J.E.Schwerdfager, (P)P/O G.P.Wrigley
KB815K - cr.nr Perwez,Bel. .no survivors	15/16.3.45	(AG)P/O P.P.Repsys, (P)F/L R.R.Haw
KB817P - Lost on raid Homberg, all crew lost	1.11.44	(P) F/O D.D.Connor
KB818G - Cr lnd at Ford, crew all safe & uninjured	7.2.45	(P)F/O D.Lamont all safe
KB821P - Missing raid to Hanover,all killed	6/7.1.45	(AG)F/O A.W.Staves, (P)F/L B.M.Adilman
KB822W - Midair Coll. over N Sea,all lost	25.4.45	(AG)FS J.J.Roy, (P)F/O D.G.Baker
KB831E - Mid air with 822, no survivors	25.4.45	(P)F/L R.J.Stingle
KB853A - over Essen, CO killed + 6 crew	11.3.45	(AG)P/O H.G.Bishop, (P)W/C R.F.Davenport
KB858 - on raid to Chemnitz, killing seven	6.3.45	(P) F/O S.A.Reid, n/s
KB859U - raid on Harhurg/Hamburg, 1 POW	31.3.45	(N) F/O M.Hartog, (P)F/L Hurley POW
KB874 - cr.ldd.at Manston, all safe DBR	25.3.45	(P)F/O G.E.Heaven, no casualties
TOTAL - Lancaster MkX's lost - 15; 13 on Ops.		

#434 Sqdrn

KB832F - Raid to Hildesheim,on T/O,no Sur.	22.3.45	(P)P/O R.E.Purnell, n/s crew #149
KB834Y - Raid to Essen,lost, one POW	11.3.45	(N)F/L A.G.Rowe, (P)F/L R.J.Fern, crew#151
KB835J - S/D by Ju88 /Landon, one POW	15.3.45	(P)F/O Jack O.Stewart DFC, crew#159
KB842L - Raid on Chemnitz,Midair,cr.ldd.`	5/6.3.45	(P)P/O J.C.Kitchen, all survived, crew#144
KB846P - S/D by Ju88 /cr.nr. Margrath,Holl.	15/16.3.45	(AG) F/O E.A.Evans, (N)F/L R.W.Newton, (#428)
KB850O - Night raid on Zietz,crew killed	16/17.1.45	(FE)P/O D.Turner, (P)F/L A.Kiehlbauch,.n/s crew#128
KB911U - Target Hamburg, rocket,4 POW's	31.3.45	(P)F/O G.P.Haliburton crew #155
TOTAL - Lancaster MkX's lost- 7 all on Ops.		

#408 Sqdrn

KB993U Training flight, all crew lost	18.5.45	(AG) FS C.J.Halvorson, (P)F/O A.A.Clifford
TOTAL - Lancaster MkX's lost- 1		