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## OPERATIONS RECORD BOOK

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para. 2349, and War Manual, Pt. II., chapter XX., and  
notes in R.A.F. Pocket Book.

of (Unit or Formation) **No. 424 Squadron R.A.F. Topcliffe**  
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Place	Date	Time	Summary of Events	References to Appendices
Topcliffe.	15th. October 1942.		No. 424 Squadron formed.	
	17th. October		The following Officers reported on posting :- P/O's P.L.Parker, G.J.Cory, F.R.Taylor, A.K.Leitch, C.P.Amies and A.Gardiner-Medwin.	
	20th. October		The following Officers reported on posting:- Wing Commander H.Carswellen (to command) A/P/Lt. J.S.McRae (Gunnery Leader)	
	21st. October.		F/Lt. J.Comar reported on posting.	
	23rd. October.		F/Lt. MacMillan (Squadron Adjutant), P/O.L.N.Brown and P/O.J.K.Mundle reported on posting.	
			Two Mk.III Wellington aircraft arrived, Nos.D.F.618 & D.F. 621.	
	23rd. October		F/Lt. MacMillan (Squadron Adjutant), P/O.L.N.Brown and P/O.J.K.Mundle reported on posting.	
			Two Mk.III Wellington aircraft arrived Nos. D.F.618 & D.F.621.	
	24th. October		A/P/Lt.W.C.Klassen reported on posting.	
			One Wellington aircraft arrived No.X 3789.	
	25th. October		All Squadron personnel took part in a anti-invasion exercise. Wellington MK.III aircraft B.J.712 arrived.	
	26th. October.		do. do. do. X.3401 arrived.	
	29th. October		do. do. do. X.3426 arrived.	
	30th. October		A/P/Lt.W.E.Allison and P/O.K.C.Murphy reported on posting.	
	31st. October		Wellington aircraft Nos.Z 1691, BK.436 and X 3460 arrived.	

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			<u>NUMERICAL STRENGTH OF NO. 424 SQUADRON R.C.A.F. AS AT 1st. October 1942.</u>	
			R.C.A.F. ...., Officers ( Air Crew 12	
			( Ground. 2	
			R.C.A.F. ...., Airmen ( Air Crew 46	
			( Ground. 56	
			R.A.F. ...., Officers ( Air Crew 2	
			( Ground. 1	
			R.A.F. ...., Airmen ( Air Crew 12	
			( Ground Crew 164	
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