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of (Unit or Formation) No. 424 (R.C.A.F.) SUMPRON.

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References Summary of Events SECRET. Appendices Place Weather: Generally fine with snow flurries in early evening. Good visibility. Ident westerly winds. The Squadron was ordered to detail 10 VC for operations. All preparations were completed but due to adverse weather and toing conditions the tank had be cancelled, a approximately 2200 hours. The Squadron Bonbing Leader, F/L. H. Gardiner-Medwin has been posted to No. 25 O.T.U. Fershore. One air test was carried out today. Flying time 45 mins. SKIPTON-ON-SWALE. 1.3.44 WEATHER: Pine with good visibility. Light moderate westerly winds. The Squadron was stood down today. In the accrains the sections held lectures and discussions. In the aftermeon some training flights and X countrys were flown. Flying time Non-operational, Day 4, hours 55 mins, Night, 14 hours 55 mins. 2.3.44 DO. WRATHER: Fine with good visibility. Light north westerly winds. The Squadron had 10 A/C on Bulls Eye tonight. All were successful except one A/C which had to abundon the tank due to technical failure. A bombing practice flight was also carried out with 2 A/C taking part this afternoon. A/C. J.D. BLANS. the C.O. of this Squadron was ammitted to Station Siok this afternoon. A/C. J.D. BLANS. the C.O. of this Squadron was ammitted to Station Siok this afternoon. A/C. J.D. BLANS. the C.O. of this Squadron was ammitted to Station Siok. Flying time Non-Operational. Day: 3 hours 15 mins. Hight: 3. 3. 44. WEATHER: Fine becoming cloudy. Feriod of snow in evening. Good visibility. Light north westerly winds. The Squadron was stood down today. Lectures were delivered by section leaders to their respective groups in the morning and discussions were held in the afternoon. Some to their respective groups in the morning and discussions were held in the afternoon. Some to their respective groups in the afternoon. Flying time, Non-Operational. Day: 1 hour 5 mins. Right, Nil. 24-3-24-DO. WEATHER: Choudy with good visibility. Light north westerly winds. The Squadron was stood down to-day. A church service was beld at 1050 hours in the crew room for personnel of the Squadron by S/L PHOVINCE the protestant chaplin of the Station. The section leaders held discussion groups concerning their respective phases of the work during the efformion and two crews were detailed and carried out some flying training exercises. Flying time Kon-Operations Day: 4 hours 50 mins. Night: Nil. 5. 3. 44. DO. WEATHER: Cloudy with visibility moderate. Slight rain in early afternoon. Light to moderate A.34 - A.42 westerly winds. The Squaren was ordered to detail 10 x/0 for operations today. All preparations were completed and 9 x/0 took off for the target which was TRAFESS. 8 x/0 were preparations were completed and 9 x/0 took off for the target which was TRAFESS. 10 x/0 were successful in bambing the target. 1 x/0 has to absand the task due to engine trouble. The starboard outer engine oil pressure dropped and temperature rose dangerously. Flying control starboard outer engine oil pressure dropped and return which was carried out. If he P.F.F. was ordered this x/0 to jettion some weight and return which was carried out. The P.F.F. was nonurate this raid was highly successful. All 8 successful x/0 had no encounters with enemy fighters and sustained no damage through flak. Total operational flying time 44 hours 34 mins. WEATHER: Cloudy with a period of rain becoming fair to fire. Visibility moderate becoming Agood. Light north westerly winds. The Squadron was ordered to detail 10 4/2 for operations good. Light north westerly winds. The Squadron was ordered to detail 10 1/2 for operations with tenight. All preparations were completed and all ten 4/2 took off for the target which was LE MANS. Some difficulty was experienced when reaching the target are due to 10/10th cloud with tops from 5 to 8000 ft which obscured the view of the target and prevented seeing the red flares dropped by F.F.F. Some orews returned with their bombs to base while others released them on the red glow seen on the clouds where the F.F.F. markers were dropped. All 4/2 returned them on the red glow seen on the clouds where the F.F.F. markers were dropped. All 4/2 returned them on the red glow seen on the clouds where the F.F.F. markers were dropped. All 4/2 returned them on the red glow seen on the clouds where the F.F.F. markers were dropped. All 4/2 returned them on the red glow seen on the clouds where the F.F.F. markers were dropped. All 4/2 returned the present the first of the first 7-3-44

8.3.44.	WEATHER: Fine in early morning and evening. Cloudy during daylight hours. Visibility moderate to poor with fog late at night. Light north westerly winds. The Squadron was	Appendices
	The Spirit of the second secon	
	ordered to detail four A/C for operations tonight. All preparations were completed but at the last moment this operation was cancelled. W/C. J.D. BLANK the C.O. of the Suparron was	
	discharged from Station Sick counters this morning. There was a confession but a	
	Station Commander this morning which W/C BLANK attended. There was no flying carried out	
	today.	
9.3.44.	WEATHER: Foggy in the morning becoming fine with poor visibility. Light variable winds.	
	The Squadr n was ordered to detail four A/C for operations for tonight. All preparations	
	were completed but due to adverse weather this operation was cancelled at the last mement.	
	recelled shortly after the off and the control of the training flights but these A/C were	
	Section tractised skeet shooting and turnet monitulation to the benefit of	
	Flying time non-operational Day: 20 mins. Night: Nil.	
10.3.44.	WEATHER: Oloudy becoming fair with veried of rain in early morning. Visibility and not to	
	good, light north westerly winds. The Squaron was ordered to detail ten A/C for possessions	
	for tonight. All preparations were completed. The Squadron was tiriad warm from	
	that operations were cancelled. During the afternoon there were a me creas detailed for	
	X country training flights. W/C J.D. BLANE reassumed active command of the Squadron this	
	Night: Nil.	
11.3.44	WEATHER: Fair to cloudy with good visibility. Light westerly winds. The Squadron was	
	ordered to detail 4 A/C for one ations tonight and prevarations were undersoy when the review	
	dame through cancelling this task. A new crew reported to the Squadron to-day from 1659	
	Conversion Unit. GAFT. F/O MILIKAN, T.R. There were training flights carried out during	
	operational. Day: 14 hours. Might Mil.	
12-3-44		
	The Squadron was stood down today. Lectures were given in some milients this marriage by	
	Section Leaders. Several crews were detailed for training flights this aftermoon which were	
	successfully carried out. The Gunnery Leader had the convers practicing both skeet shooting	
	and turret manipulation. The A.T.C. boys who were visiting here today were given a lecture	
	and a practice on both skeet shooting and turnet manipulation. S/L Province held a church	
	service in the crew room this morning. Non-operational flying time: Day: 21 hours 25 mins.	
	Washing. Mainles Cing with - Con 14 h	
200044	8 A/C detailed for operations tomight. All preparations were completed and all successfully	······································
	took off for the target which was LE MANS. One A/C had to abandon trip due to one engine	
	failure. The seven successful A/C arrived over the target where there was good visibility.	
	All A/C succeeded in dropping the full weight of bombs carried on the target area and all	
***************************************	were state at mas a most successful raid. W/C. J.D. BLAIR the C.O. of the Squadron was	
	grantone to Seatton Sick Quarters to-might. Skeet shooting and threet manipulation were	
	wolunteered as Blood Donner at the townell in a line aline half to the Squadren	***************************************
	Might 42 hours 06 mins. Dev. Mil. Won-corrections! Thorag them: Though The Temperature 1	
	Night: Nil.	
	10×3×44×  12×3×44  15×3×44	9.3.44.  WEATHER: Poggy in the morning becoming fine with poor visibility. Light variable winds. The Squadran was ordered to detail four N/C for operations for tonight. All preparations were completed but due to adverse weather this operation was cancelled at the last mement. Three drews were also detailed for same cross country training. Thights but these N/C were recalled shortly after take off due to weather conditions. During the afternoon the Cannery Section practised skeet shooting and turret manipulation to the benefit of all concerned. Plying time non-operational Day: 20 mins. Night Hil.  10.3.44.  WEATHER: Cloudy becoming fair with period of rain in early morning. Visibility moderate to good. Light north weaterly winds. The Squadron was ordered to detail ten A/C for operations for tonight. All preparations were completed. The Squadron was intified shartly after limit that operations were cancelled. During the afternoon there were some cross detailed for X country training flights. W/C J.D. State reassumed active comband of the Squadron this morning after his recent sickness. Flying time non-operational 7 hours 35 mins by day. Night: Nil.  WEATHER: Fair to cloudy with good visibility. Light westerly winds. The Squadron was ordered to detail 4 N/C for ope ations tonight and preparations were unforway when the order came through cancelling this task. A new over reported to the Justice of 10.59 Conversion Unit. CAPT. F/C MILEAS, T.R. There were training Flights carried out during the afternoon. Dingly drill was also carried out in the afternoon. Flying time non-operational pay the hours. Night Nil.  12.3.44.  WEATHER: Cloudy with light rain in All. Visibility moderate to good. Winds: Inght westerly. The Squadron was stood down bodgy. Lectures ever given in score subjects this morning by Section leaders. Several crows were detailed for training flights this afternoon which were all appractice on the crows ones detailed for training flight this aformed which were all pays the nearth weaterly. A/C after the l



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of (Unit or Formation) 424 (R. C. A.F.) SQUADRON

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Place	Date	Time	Summary of Events SECRET.	References to Appendices
The Squadron was Group Fullseye.			WEATER: Pair to cloudy. Good visibility. Winds - Fresh Weaterly becoming light Mortherly. The Synadron was operationally stood down to-day, but was asked for I 4/2 to take part in a Group Eullage. All preparations were completed. 7 4/2 were originally planned for but one was concelled as the Filot had been on Ope. last night. a bag, drop on earther 4/2 resulted.	
			in only 5 AC tearing AL. 168 A. 168 M. and all came back to base. A new Grow reported to the Sympton massion which the transport of the Sympton to-day - CAPL J.16121 F/O F.F. Hamilton DFE, NAY R.120559 M/C Burns, J., AZ EAR J.20514 F/O R.V. Mayth, WEF/AR R.130635 F/S Thompson, J. N. 182405 SEP Kellpine, W. M/O M. 21,6600 Sept bylomress, W. M. M. F.C. R.1377A5 Sept Fourn, J.M. They will be allocated to "A" Plichte.	*
			For-Operational Flying Time - Day, 3 hrs. 10 mins. Night 21 hrs. 51 mins.	
DO	15,,3,44		Whather sine becoming cloudy during day. Good visibility. Winds - Light variable at first becoming mainly westerly.	A-61 - A-
			becoming mainly westerly.  The Squaron was ordered to detail 14 4/3 for operations temight. All properations were completed, all 14 4/3 took off for the target which was STUTTAKT. One 4/3 had to abandon	
			completes. All 14 AC took of 1 for the target went the bask due to engine trouble. The the target went the port inverted and the target. The 13 successful A/C arrived over the target between 23.18 hrs. and 23.29 hrs. flying between 13 successful A/C arrived over the target between 23.18 hrs. and 23.29 hrs. flying between 13.5 successful A/C arrived over the target between 23.18 hrs. and 23.29 hrs. flying between 13.5 successful A/C arrived over the target between 23.18 hrs. and 23.29 hrs. flying between 13.5 successful A/C arrived over the target between 23.18 hrs. and 23.29 hrs. flying between 13.5 successful A/C arrived over the target between 23.18 hrs. and 23.29 hrs. flying between 13.5 successful A/C arrived over the target between 23.18 hrs. and 23.29 hrs. flying between 13.5 successful A/C arrived over the target between 23.18 hrs. and 23.29 hrs. flying between 23.18 hrs. and 23	
			21,000 and 23,000 ft. Visibility over target area varied from a third with the larget target.	
			indicators were quite scattered and to successful a raid, seight of bends dropped 5d, 600 lbs. Gunnery Leader held a 2 hrs. turret manipulation exercise this afternoon. Two photo-	
			write-ups. Operational Flying Time - Day - Mil. Night 105 krs. 21 mins.	
DO	16.3.44		WEATHER: Cloudy becoming fair. Visibility moderate. Winds - Light variable.	
			The Sundron was stood down to-day as most of the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas Night. It was noon before they all get book to base. Preparations were gone should night the think to be the second of the A/O on last night's operation which is the second of the A/O on last night's operation which is the second of the A/O on last night's operation which is the second of the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas to be a second of the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the second of the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at Thomas the A/O on last night's operation landed at the A/O on	
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***************************************			with to hold a squared party and an planned. One crew went on a cross-country training conditions will remark that it be held as planned. One crew went on a cross-country training flight in the afternoon after returning from operations. The various Sections held discussion for the training from operations.	
			are on the operations conducted last hight. Ion-operational rights in the operations conducted last hight.	
			15 mins, Right - Nil.	
DQ	17-3-44		The Squaren was stood down to-day. Four of our A/3 still at THORNY ISLAND where they landed the Squaren was stood down to-day. Four of our A/3 still at THORNY ISLAND where they landed	
***************************************			after operations on the night of the loyleth hards, one of the area and the new area back until about	***************************************
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			their $\lambda/3$ back to base during the day. Lectures and discussions were held in the Sections their $\lambda/3$ back to base during the day. Lectures and discussions were held in the Sections and the dumbery Deader hald Skeet also ting and there an inputation classes in the afternoon.	
			WC Blane is now able to get out of the hospital for exercise but is not yet assumed.	
			the hospital. Garatogal Tying Time - Day 18 hrs. 50 mins. Night 1 hr. 40 mins.	***************************************

Place	Date	Time	Summary of Events SECRET.	References to Appendices
SKIPTON-ON-SWALE	18.3.44		WEATHER: Pair becoming cloudy with rain in late evening. Good visibility Winds -Fresh S.W.	A-75 - A-90
		*************	The Squadron was ordered to detail 16 4/2 for operations tonight. All preparations were	
			completed and all 16 A/C took off for the target which was FRANKTRT. 13 of the A/C were	
			successful in BOLEIN the target between 22.03 hrs, and 22.18 hrs. Two of our 2/3 abundaned	
			the task due in the one case to navigational trouble and in the other case the air speed	
***************************************			indicator went U/S and also ran into loing conditions. The 13 successful A/C were diverted	
			and returned to base as soon as possible after checking and refueling. There is still one	
			to some back as it requires considerable work to be done before it will be serviceable. One	
			A/C is missing from this operation, "I" LW.460, CAPT CAMPR. 128072 W/O Delgleish, J. MAV.	
			CAN. R. 96849 W/C Barry, J.D., A/B CAN. R. 129930 W/O Dwyer, J. A., W/G RAF. 1127026 Sgt Addison, W.	E.,
***************************************			2/2 Res. 1821921 Set Clouston, M/G CALER. 220008 Set Dedard, J.R., N/G CALER. 116986 2/3 Turner,	R. A.
			Operational Flying Time - Night 83 hrs. 10 mins. Day Nil. Hon-Operational Time - Day 1 hr. 30	mins.
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DQ	19.3.44		WEATHER: Cloudy becoming fine. Good visibility: Winds/to atrong W. 11y minds.	
			The Squadron was stood down to-day. Nost of our a/C were diverted last night and they were	
		***************************************	coming back to base throughout the day. All but four had arrived back by 17,00 hrs. Olasses	
			and discussions were held in the various sections during the day. The loss of our Station	
			Commander, CALC. 127 Group Saptain L.E. Wray a.F.C. was deeply felt by the Whole Squadron as	
			also was the loss of W/C Dalgleigh and crew of 424 Squadron. Church service was held in the	
ARRICO ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) (			Drew Room for Squatron personnel by Fadre Frevince.	
			Non-operational Flying Time - Day 19 hrs. 45 mins.	
ne.	00 7 11			
			Middle Pine at first becoming aloudy with alight rain, fairing later. Winds W. H. W. 'ly.	
			The Squadron was ordered to detail 9 A/C for operations tonight. All preparations were made	
			but at an archimately 16.45 has, the order came through to cancel the job. The 1/3 are still	
			coming back to base from the aerodrame to which they were diverted. There are still two NC	
			not each to base yet. One of the A/C is U/S and the crew are being sent back by rail. The	
			Commanding Officer of the Squadron, W/C Bla ne started his leave to-day, the command of the Squadron being taken over by Carty 5,5656 5/b H. W. Metaler in his absence.	
			Non-operational Flying Time - Day 1 hr. 40 mins. Might - nil.	
			AND-OPERATIONAL PLYING THE TOWN AND THE TAXABLE TAXABLE	***************************************
DO	21. 3. 44		Windfight; Cloudy, clight rain in A.M. driszle in P.M. Vielbility moderate. Winds M. M. W. 'ly.	
	intrinsial and an interior		The Squadron was ordered to detail 10 A/C for operations to-night. All preparations were	***************************************
			completed and the areas were in the A/C ready to take off in a few accents when the order	
			came through cancelling the operation. Turnet manipulation and Skeet shooting was carried	
······································			out by Gunery Section. We flying to-day.	
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DO	22.3.44		WEATHER: Cloudy, moderate to good visibility. Winds - light variable.	A. 91 - A. 10
			The Squadron was ordered to detail 15 A/C for operations tonight. Two different targets were	
***************************************			assigned. 10 4/C were detailed for one target and 5 to the other target. All 15 4/C	
			took off for their respective targets. The 5 A/C BOMBED FRANKFURT and the other 10 were on a	
			MINING mission. One of the g/c had to abandon the task due to the air speed indicator	
			going W/S. CAN C. 3300 F/L L.R. Gingras received a signal to report to R.C. A.F. Overseas H.C.	
»···············			so he made preparations to leave the morning of March 23rd. The Cannery Leader held a class	
			for manners on Skeet shooting for two and a half hours.	
			Non-operational Time - Day - 35 mins. Operational Flying Time - Night - 91 hrs. 16 mins.	
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of (Unit or Formation) 424 (R.C.A.F.) SQUADRON

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Place	Date	Time	Summary of Events SECRET.	to Appendices
TPTON-ON-SWALE	23.3.44		WEATHER: Cloudy, moderate visibility with sacke haze, winds S.E. 'ly becoming S.W. 'ly.  The Squadron was stood down to-day. Three of our A/C on last night's operation had mishage a the Squadron was stood down to-day. Three of our A/C on last night's operation had mishage a three controls of the control o	
ar ros-os-assau	-34-34-44		The Squadron was stood down to day. The Latte Coler, 1/0 hart and drew. W. L.W.437	
			Capt. F/O Crosbie and crew. A Latter the required 7550 action. There were some gross-country training flights	
			detailed for the late atternoon and system to be detailed for the late atternoon and some Skeet shooting to	
			train their eyes and hands, room, are trained to	
			warrick: Cloudy becoming fair to fine. Rederate becoming good visibility. Winds - hight variations were on-	able. A. 106-A
DC	24.3.44		The Soundron was ordered at doubt in a successful A/U	
			- I non-successful and one syo is missing the to the Rear Gunner became U.S. The	
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			neen one of which lasted to to the war 3/L 3/4/C, and flak to contend with.	
	1		Pros 2 to 3 seconds were seen. Indie was 42 42 4 10 mins.	
DQ	25.5.44		Windlet: Fair becoming cloudy. Visibility poor improving to 20 miles. Windle - light variable	H
			which was cancelled about one new at our ordering to take "H" HX. 513. This A/C	
			thing is ready for this are r/C manifold and the Care, 1/0 r.r. Maril ton bit is on his	
			second tour of operations having completed 2; sorties on a sections during the afternoon.  These and round table dissussions were held in the various sections during the afternoon.  Non-operational flying time - Day - 2 brs. 50 mins. Operational flying time - Hight - Shrm. 53	mibs.
			Non-operational flying time - Day - 2 firs No many Vivia North Variable.	119 = A.
DQ	26. Jakle	4	The Squadron was ordered to detail it was an an an analysis and it was an an an analysis are no he	d
			completed and 10 No took of for the carge, one made a poor landing at base which necessitates the target and care safely back to base. One made a poor landing at base which necessitates of	
			modess of raid but the target area was definitely determined and a huge area of fire glow	
***************************************			was seen reflected on clouds Ass was in well donient at through one of our A/O in the often me	don.
	******		Operational Flying Time - Signi - 20 103. 40 mine.	0.
DO	27.3.44	4	MANIEC: Cloudy, visibility poor, in rowing and deteriorating later. Winds - Light variable, the adjunction was stood down to day but show by after this order was reconstructly to an decided the adjunction was stood down to day but a thing of part in this carcine, It was	5
			by Group to put on Group Exercise and was somewhat of a Commined Operations effort. Classes and would tab.	bie
			discussions were conducted in the various sections and the received by this Squadron, Cal.O. ).	1300
			successfully completes. The mass of the back of the back of the afternoon.  Non-Operational Flying Sine - Day - 6 hrs. 40 minutes.	1 35
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SKTPTON-ON-SWALE	28.3.44		WEATHER: Foggy in morning and evening, hazy in afternoon. Winds - Light variable.	1	ca
			The Squadron was stood down to-day. Section leaders held discussions and round table con-		
			forences in the various sections. The human loader held a section with his personnel or	<u>*</u>	
	-		Turret Manipulation and had some Skeet shooting. The C.O. of the Squadron returned from and two over command from SAN, 3,5666 3/L E.W. Notation who has been acting in hits absence.	Leave	
			No flying to-day.		
DO	29.3.44		WEATHER: Gloudy in morning becoming fair. Visibility year becoming moderate. Winds - Ligh		**>***
territorio de la constitución de			Northerly,		
			The Squadron was ordered to detail every serviceable 4/2 and crew for operations to-might.		
			all preparations were completed and 11 A/C were gotten ready. At approximately 17.00 less	the	
***************************************			signal was received to concel the job. Preparations were furthered for the Soundard Dank		
			and Dance to be held on Saturday evening here on the Station and it is bound by all that t	t	
			will be possible to have it as it has had to be postwored once already.		
			No flying to-day.	***************************************	
DQ .	30.3.44		MANTHE: Fair to cloudy, showers in afternoon. Visibility moderate to good. Winds 4 N'ly	moderate.	
			The Squadron was ordered to detail 1/2 A/C for emerations to-might. All presumations were	4-129 -	-17
			Com Biled. One crew had to be cancelled due to sickness. One other 1/C 61d not at any bear	nerente	
	1		in checking over everything before take-off, the A/2 pressed the bonb release and the safe	ty	
***************************************			The was not in contain an incident of the contained of the contained on th	and the second	
			were open. Twelve AC successfully took off for the target which was MELTERS. Two AC	are	
	1 1		MISSING From this operation. The cross army dark table 2/0 J. Detry the care from 2/0 J.R. Hason, A/B Call R. 161229 W/O Greatend, A.E., WE/AS RAF. 1387543 Ser Stewart, D.	14	
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			Bouers, Tale and Mart. Called 5666 A/S/L Have Metaler, Nav. Called 967 F/L Raje Date		
			AB CAN. J. 22094 F/O F. W. F. Paquin, WOP/AG CAN. J. 19100 F/O N. A. Magaulay, P/E RAF. 2209135	087	
			557. bylon, h., M/G 301.R. 196449 557 Repry, J.L., R/G CALR. U/4019 R/S Allen, J.A.		
	-		CAN. C. 198 W/C J.D. Blane took over command of the Station effective to-day.		
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DQ	57. Jakob		MEATURE: Fair to fine. Snow shower in late afternoon. Good visibility. Winds - Light M. 1		
			or calm.	·	
			The Squadron was stood down to-day. Lectures and round table discussions were held by the		
			Section Leaders in the various sections. Training flights were carried out. Gurnery prac	tion	
			war given also Perrott Menipulation to the air Samera, A test flight after the installat	Lon	
			of special equipment was carried out and the results were quite satisfactory.  Non-operational flying time - Day - 10 hrs. 05 minutes.		
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			AIRCRAFT OF TRACES - 17 MAID AX III		******
			HEMT - General - fair. Immous cases of uper respiratory infeations, Nothing serious,		
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			Groundersw - Quite a large number of colds. Nothing serious. One case of V.D.		
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			CHERACTORIL AND MON-CHERACTORIAL HOURS FLORE DURING MOMES OF	MARCH, 1944.		
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