

Log Book No. 1
NIGHT FIGHTER
NOT ABOVE OVERCAST
1944

Certificates of Qualification.

(to be filled in as appropriate)

Instructions.

1. This log book is an official document and the property of H.M. Government.
2. Observers and air gunners will maintain an accurate and detailed record of all flights undertaken on service aircraft.
3. Results of ab initio courses will be recorded on either pages 2, 3, 4 or 5, for which purpose a rubber stamp is available.
4. Proficiency assessments will be recorded on the appropriate page at the back of the book annually on 31st December, on posting or on attachment to another unit for flying duties.
5. Bombing and Air Gunnery records will be entered in the appropriate pages at the back of the book annually on 31st December.
6. Monthly totals will be entered on a single line in red ink and initialled by the Commanding Officer or his deputy.

D.F.E.
1380623. WILLIAMS SGT
has qualified as WING COMMANDER, MARCH 1944
with effect from 7.11.41. Sgd. J. A. G. BREY
Date 7.11.41. Unit N.Z. Signals School
Gallionbury.

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Airmen u/t Wireless Operator (Air Crew) Duties.
Record of Signals & A.C.W. Training.

RESULTS OF AB INITIO COURSES AND REMARKS

PART II. (to be inserted in Flying
Form.....
Log Book (F.1757)).

No. 1380623, Rank. A/C. Name. Williams D.

4. Air Crew Wing Training. No. 2. Signals School.
Date entry 18 JUN 1942 Date completed course 24 JUL 1942

SIGNALS SUBJECTS.

Technical Assessment (theory) AA. Morse W.P.L. 20
Technical Assessment (practical) AA. W/T AA.
procedure assessment AA.

Total Hours 20

Total	W/T at set	Assess-
Hours	in the Air.	ment.
Initial Boxes <u>24-02</u>		<u>AA</u>
Report. <u>24-02</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>A</u>
Correct. <u>24-02</u>	<u>7.55</u>	<u>AA</u>

Signature J. A. Williams Jr.

NON-SIGNALS SUBJECTS.

Assessment.

Browning Gun.
Rockers Gas Operated Gun.
Revolver.
Bay Pigcon Shooting.
Meteorology.
Aircraft Recognition.
Law & Administration.
Leadership.
Intelligence.
Bearing & Discipline.
Final Non-Signals Assessment & Remarks : -

NOTE: All assessments on this form are to be
given Exceptional, Above the average, average,
or Below the average.

Signature.....

Time carried forward :— 16 · 45

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)		Day	Night	Flying Times
19.42.	1750.	6900.	Sgt WHEATLEY. K.9.1.		1 EXERCISE OF 25 FT.		40.		
19.42.	1025.	6251.	Sgt MUNAY, Q.M.	FR. BEAM.	Q.M. 1/2.		100.		
19.42.	1515.	9466.	P/Sgt PASZEWICZ, P/Sgt POSZKOWSKI.	FR. BEAM.	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS.	Score N/A.	55.		
19.42.	1725.	9466.	P/Sgt POSZKOWSKI.	FR. BEAM.	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS.	1 1/4 TRACER. Score 7% AD.	55.		
19.42.	1300.	9190.	P/Sgt CARRON, Sgt PRASZKOWSKI.	FR. BEAM.	Q.M. 1/2.		105.		
19.42.	1545.	6259.	1/4 TRACER. D.C.M.	200 RDS.	1 1/4 TRACER.		45.		
19.42.	1025.	6951.	FR. U.T.	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS.	1 1/4 TRACER.	Score 19.5% AD.	100.		
19.42.	1400.	9466.	P/Sgt HART.	WEATHER 1/2.			20.		
19.42.	1800.	4933.	FR. U.T.	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS.	1 1/4 TRACER.	Score 8% AD.	100.		
19.42.	1400.	5804	Sgt ELLISON, FR. GROVER.	Q.M. 1/2.			45.		
19.42.	1745.	6961.	Sgt WHEELER, P/Sgt NIECHY.	2 EXERCISES OF 100 RDS.	1 1/4 TRACER.	Score 5% S. 145.	45.		
									TOTAL FLYING TIME FOR CO. 5 = 9.10
									<u>Westbound 9/2</u>
									NO. 1 A.G.S.. PEMBREY
									21-8. 42
									Total Time ... 25.55

Time carried forward

O. Y. W. Tinningley

Time carried forward:—

25.35

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times Day Night
10th	1730	WTON. 9168.	W.O. DAWSON.	W/O/P.	N.F.T.	.30.
11th ..	1415.	" 868	P/O. WALTERS.	"	C/HGOS.	1.30.
21 ..	1230	" 988	P/O. EAGLES.	"	C/H & overhauls.	1.30
21 ..	1435.	OXFORD. 0035	P/O THREE.	"	Shots.	2. —
22 ..	1500	WTEN. 801	W/O. DAWSON.	"	C/H dgo	1.30
23 ..	1330	OXFORD. 008	F/LT. CANNINGS	"	S.B.A.	3. —
23 ..	1000	WTEN. 801	P/O. EAGLES	"	C/HGOS overhauls.	1.30
23 ..	1700	" 545	"	"	N.F.T.	1. —
25 ..	1045	" 820	"	"	Observations.	1.30
26 ..	1500.	" 623	W.O. DAWSON.	"	C/HGOS	1.7
Total flying time for September 1942 at 25 p.t.u. — 15 hours.					<u>15.75</u>	
S/KDR						
5th Oct.	1330	OXFORD. 0035	F/LT. CANNINGS	W/O/P.	Op. "B" FLIGHT.	3.0.0
15 Oct.	0830	WTEN. 623	F/LT. HALL	"	C/HGOS	1.30.
20 ..	1230	" "	S/C. ARMSTRONG	"	"	1.30.
3rd ..	1200	" 835	" BROWN	"	"	1.30
4th ..	1430	" "	" ARMSTRONG	"	"	1.30
6th ..	1630	" 640	" BARRIER	"	N.F.T.	.30
.. ..	1900	" 601	W/O WELCH	"	C/HGOS	1.35.
TOTAL TIME ...						1.35.

Time carried forward:-

50.25 1.35.

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times Day Night
19/10/22	2030	W10N 801	W/C WELCH	W/O P.	Chagos.	9.30 1.35.
6.10 Oct.	1630 ..	640 SGT. BARKER	"	N.F.T.		35
.. ..	1230 ..	641 "	ARMSTRONG	C.C.S.		2.30
.. ..	1530 ..	252 SGT. POWELL	"			2.30
.. ..	0959 ..	623 P/C ORMONDROY	C.C.S.			1.30
9/10 ..	1055 ..	835 W/C BUSBY	A/F			1.35
.. ..	1630 ..	623 SGT. ARMSTRONG	W/T	N.F.T.		.30
.. ..	1900 ..	635 " BURGESS	"	Schools.		1.30
.. ..	2020 ..	" P/C HARRIS	"			1.30.
.. ..	2235 ..	" "	"			1.35
10/10 ..	1355 ..	623 P/C ORMONDROY	"	A.F.		1.55
12/10 ..	1425 ..	481 "	"			3.00
.. ..	1830 ..	801 W/C WELCH	"	Chagos		1.30.
.. ..	2000 ..	" "	"			1.30.
13/10 ..	1555 ..	252 SGT. POWELL	A.F.			1.35
.. ..	1000 ..	641 W/C BUSBY.	A.F.			3.00
.. ..	1600 ..	" P/C ORMONDROY	W/T			2.00
.. ..	1830 ..	623 SGT. CLETON	"	Chagos		1.30
.. ..	2020 ..	" " PARK	"			1.35.
16/10 ..	1425 ..	641 " ORMONDROY	"	A.F.		1.40
16/10 ..	0945 ..	641 P/C BURN	"	ARMY CO-OP.		1.50.
				TOTAL TIME ...	84.03	25-13.50.
					94.35	

Time carried forward: 19.35 13.50.

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times
19.4.2 24.4. Oct.	1645	S.H.G. R.	Sgt. Armstrong	N.F.T.		33.40 33.60
"	1940	"	W.J. Dunlop.	W/T opn.	Scud.	5.0 1.25-
"	2250	"	Sgt. Barber	"	Codogs	1.10
"	2330	"	W.J. Dunlop.	"	Scud.	1.20
"	0100	"	E/S. Grawes	"	6 hours	2.25
"	0250	"	"	"	"	1.35
						34.30 34.45 34.30 2.0
						19.45.
TOTAL FLYING TIME FOR OCTOBER.						
25.0.4. u. FINNENNAKERY.						
DAY:- 34' 30 hours.						
NIGHT:- 210. 45 "						
<u>Spurrier H.M. for S/LDR.</u>						
% B FLIGHT.						
29.10.42. 1350	091 wton	R.O. Morris	W/T opn.		00.10	0.30.5
31.10.42. 1110	211	"	Sgt. Armstrong	Check dual.		
31.10.42. 1820	988	"	P.O. Ashby.	Raid 1.		
28.11.42. 1140	991	"	Sgt. Armstrong	Bullseye.		
22.11.42. 1240	597	"	"	Raid 2.		
22.11.42. 1450	597	"	"	Oxygen & bomb load.		
9.12.42. 1330	611	"	P.O. Steward	Air firing		
				Raid 2. & bombing:		
					TOTAL TIME ...	88.35 22.55

25 O.Y.U. Bincotes.

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times
Nov. 20	1015	991 Wilson	Sgt Armstrong	W/op.	6th B.A. Exercise	Day 1320 0.310 Night 1.35
"	1210	" "	J. Allcroft	"	Raid 4.	1.10
" 27	1125	199	" Armstrong	"	S.L. Bombing	4.50
" 28	1100	"	" "	"	Raid 25/13	8.50
" 29	1935	"	" "	"	B to Hemswell	5.30
" 30	1200	"	" "	"	C. Dual.	.30
" "	2205	"	" "	"	Raid 25/09.	.30
" "	2350	612	"	"	Raid 25/09.	2.25.
Dec. 1.	0240	963	"	"	"	4.30
" 5	1450	211	"	"	N.F.T.	.40
" "	0010	211	"	"	Homewards Raid (Ops. 1.)	4.20
" 7	1120	612	"	"	Bombing	2.00
" 8	1555	199	"	"	"	1.00
" 9	1955	211	"	"	"	2.30
						2535 20.15.

Time carried forward:— 22.55 24.25

Time carried forward:— \$8.55 24.25

*Total Flying time for
"E" Flight: Bincotes. DAY.
NIGHT.*

O/C = E. FLIGHT.

TOTAL TIME ... 101.00 43.10.

1661 Conversion Unit

Winkthorpe

Time carried forward :-

101.00. 43.10.

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	Flying Times
					Day Night
REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)					
14.1.43	14.30.	M'star 7296	W/O Sable.	Stop.	1.40.
28.1.43	14.15	7453	W/O Straight	"	0.20.
"	14.35	7458	Sgt. Armstrong	"	2.40.
3.2.43	11.35	7425	"	"	3.25
5.2.43	12.55	7281	"	"	2.40
7.2.43	14.20	7461	"	"	2.55
9.2.43	11.10	7461	"	"	0.20
9.2.43	15.30	7425	"	"	2.30
10.2.43	14.15	7461	"	"	1.00
12.2.43	10.05	7481	W/O Sable.	"	1.00
20.2.43	1520	Lancast 4122	W/O Blackburn	"	1.20
25.2.43	1515	4132	W/O Hunter	"	2.00
"	1715	"	Sgt. Armstrong	"	0.30
26.2.43	1320	5549	"	"	"
2.3.43	1200	7576	"	"	"
14.3.43	0140.	5624	W.H. Mackenzie	"	1.40.
15.3.43	2220.	7258.	W.O Brown	"	0.30.
TOTAL TIME ... 128.30 445.20					

Time carried forward :—

128.30 145.20.

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	Flying Times	
					Day	Night
1.3.14.3.	21.45.	Hand. 4132.	H/C Chapman 5070		27.30	2.210.
"	"	"	Sgt. Armstrong "		1.00.	
1.3.14.3	10055	"	"		0.30.	
"	2120	"	"		1.35.	
25.3.14.3	1900	41647	Sgt. Allerton "		2.55	
"	2135	"	"		2.25	
26.3.14.3	2310	5624	"		2.20.	
Total Flying times 1661 hours					2.10.	
					27.30	15.05

version Unit.

Sneekerville S/C

W.H. Seal S/C
At 1000.

See. 1664 com. unit.

TOTAL TIME ... 128.30 59.25

99 Shait's Settlement

Sodw.

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times Day	Flying Times Night
1943 March		Lancaster		W/O Opt.			
17	1920	W. H249 Sgt. Armstrong	"	N.Y. T. Country.		3.30.	
18	1240	R. 5614	"	N.Y.Y. T. Country		2.00	
19	1155	R. H225	"	N.Y.Y.		0.30	
20	1935	R. 5490	"	X. Country.		1.055	
22	1535	R. 5490	"	N. Y. Y.		0.25	
23	1605	W. H200	"	Fighter affiliation		1.00	
23	1755	R. 5490	"	X. Country		4.30.	
27	2250	W. H249	"	T. Country.		3.50	
28 2000 F.D. 388 Sgt. Armstrong				Operations 2. St. Mayail			
				12000' 4000 ft. 12 SEC go + 4.		5.40	
				TOTAL MARCH. "A" FLIGHT.	3.55	19.25	
				97 SQUADRON.			

Time carried forward:-

128.30. 58.25

REMARKS
(including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)

TOTAL TIME ... 122.25 77.50

Time carried forward :—

1/35.40 419.30

Flying Times

REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times	
	Day	Night

SUMMARY

94. *Saurorus*.
1/6/43

O.C. 97% Scuadron.

Collage, the flt. o.c. 'A' flight.

Total Time ... 140' 38" 11/22/20

Time carried forward :— 140.35.112.20.

Time carried forward :- 141.05. 122:00.

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times Day	Flying Times Night
JUNE 1.6.43	1300	LANCASTER ED 107	S. ARMSTRONG	w/o OPERATOR	HIGH LEVEL BOMBING.	2:00	
12.6.43	11.30	"	P/o ARMSTRONG	N.F.T.		1.25	
13.6.43	13.30	"	"	"	H. L. B.	1.45	
14.6.43	11.30	"	"	"	AIR FIRING	1.15	
15.6.43	15.00	"	"	"	N.F.T	30	
16.6.43	12.45	"	"	"	OPERATIONS		4:15.
20.6.43	14.30	"	"	"	N.F.T.	30	
21.6.43	14.30	"	"	"	N.F.T.	30	
21.6.43	1340	"	"	"	OPERATIONS		3.55.
22.6.43	2250	"	"	"	OPERATIONS		MISSING.
					Summary for JUNE.		
					DAY 7:55 HRS.		
					NIGHT 8:10 HRS.		
					GRAND TOTAL FLYING HRS. 279:10 HRS.		
					TOTAL TIME ...	149:00	130:10

SLD.

Date	Hour	Aircraft Type and No.	Pilot	Duty	Time carried forward :—		REMARKS (including results of bombing, gunnery, exercises, etc.)	Flying Times		TOTAL TIME ...
					Day	Night		Day	Night	
O.C. 97. SQUADRON			<i>C. H. W. Smith Esq / G/CAPTAIN,</i>							

Month Crossword
23.6.1943