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1.10.42.	SUNDERLAND L. 5798 B/204	P/O Lean(N) Every P/O Gough P/O	U-Boat search ALP-SOUTH and	0644	1635	Sighted 5 M/vs: MARQUESA, HOPE CASTLE and YOMACHIOHI escorted GANNA	G.159 G.85
1.10.42	DV.963 B/95	F/Lt Galea, P/O Corout, P/O Welton SGT. Beard (N)	ALP SOUTH & CF 5. Escort C/v	1007	1710	Escorted C/v OF 5 1217 to 1445	G.17, 21, 157 G.84
2.10.42.	DV.965 B/95	F/Lt Galea, P/O Corout, SGT. Wharton, SGT. Beard (N)	Escort C/v ST.37	0840	1734	C/v not met. 1 M/v and 1 D/r sighted. 2 M/v and 1 Cvt. seen off Marshall	G.181 G.85
5.10.42.	DV.965 B/95	F/Lt Galea, P/O Corout, SGT. Polatch, SGT. Beard (N)	ALP-SOUTH	0655	1745	1 C/v (4 M/vs, 1 Cvt, 1 AST & 2 M/ls), 1 M/v esc. FY.144, 1 M/v es. CROCUS, 1 independent M/v sighted	G.20 G.86
4.10.42.	DV.963 B/95	F/Lt Galea, P/O Corout, P/O Welton F/S Taylor(N) SGT Beard (N)	Escort SL.124 & ALP NORTH	0915	1645	Escorted SL.124 from 1055 to 0925. 1 pass-cargo liner sighted.	G.2 G.89
5.10.42.	L.5798 B/204	P/O Gough, P/O Every, P/O Lean(N)	ALP NORTH	1112	1635	1 M/v BULMOUTH & a Spanish M/v PIUS ULTRA sighted	G.2 G.89
6.10.42.	L.5798 B/204	P/O Gough, P/O Every, F/Lt McCutcheon(N) P/O Lean (N)	A/S PATROL	0720	1737	Sighted 8 M/vs, 1 D/r, 1 Cvt. also Dutch sub. K.15 esc. Corvette and YOMACHIOHI	G.25 G.89
7.10.42.	L.5798 B/204	P/O Gough, P/O Every, P/O Lean (N)	A/S PATROL	0735	1548	Put M/vs EMPIRE LIBERTY & CORABELLA in touch with CONSUL already escorting GLENIFFER and FORT DE TROYAN. Also sighted LAFONIA, GRIFFIN and WIVEN with 1 M/v.	G.27 G.90
14.10.42.	L.5900 J/204	F/O Inglis F/O Cooper P/O Shakes SGT Parkinson	COASTAL REG. Bath'st Jui	1355	1812	1 small C/v(2 M/vs., 2 E/vs., 2 M/ls.) sighted.	G.91

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15.10.42	L.5798 B/204	P/O Gough, P/O Every P/O Lean (N)	Escort WS.25	0807	1847	With WS.25 1015 to 1502. Sighted (i) 2 M/vs & 1 Cvt(K249) (ii) Port. M/v JOAO BELO	G.57 0.95
15.10.42	L.5900 B/204	F/O Inglis P/O Cooper. P/O Shakes SGT. Parkinson	Search for Survivors	0815	1708	Dr. BRILLIANT contacted but no survivors sighted	G.192 0.95
15.10.42	DV.975 B/95	P/O Steer P/O Thewless P/S McIntosh	Transit Rec.	Bath't 1429	Jul 1743	Nothing sighted.	0.94
15.10.42	DV.975 B/95	F/Lt Davis P/O Coons (N) P/O Adams	Transit Rec.	Bath't 1410	Jul 1749	Nothing sighted.	0.95
15.10.42	L.5800 J/204.	F/O Inglis P/O Cooper P/O Shakes (N) SGT. Parkinson	Search for Survivors (ORONSAY)	0859	1825	Sighted BRILLIANT. Located 9 lifeboats and dropped kitbags etc. Signalled position to BRILLIANT.	G.184 0.96
15.10.42	DV.965 A/204.	F/O Wall P/S Wilson SGT Dujay	ALP NORTH	0749 Jul	1844 Bath't	Sighted Cable Ship and AST: 1 M/v CHATEAU ROUX 1 M/v SAUDADES	G.185 GAM.0.55
17-10-42	DV.975 J/95.	F/Lt Davis F/Lt Boocock F/Lt Burton P/O Adams P/O Coons (N)	Search for ORONSAY Survivors	0742	1749	Contacted BRILLIANT and BOKEAS, no survivors sighted.	G.41 0.97
18-10-42	L.5798 B/204	P/O Gough P/O Lean (N) Sgt Parkinson	Escort S.L.125	0645 JUL	1818 Bath't	Escorted S.L.125 from 1026 to 1332, met M/V.S TAMESL, SERANTOS, and AMELIA	G.42 O.GAM.1.
18-10-42	DV.975 J/95	F/Lt Davis F/Lt Burton P/O Adams P/O Coons (NAV)	Search for ORONSAY Survivors	0700	1747	No survivors sighted. Weal S.O.S. heard on 500 K/Sec at 0850 and 1130.	G.43 0.98
19-10-42	DV.975 J/95	F/Lt Davis F/Lt Burton P/O Adams P/O Coons (NAV)	Search for ORONSAY Survivors	0835	1702	No Survivors sighted.	G.190 0.99

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19-10-42	L.5800 J/204	F/O Inglis P/O Cooper P/O Shakes	Escort	0835	1832	With Seahellies, Carnarvon Castle and 2 DRS 0216	G.44

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18-10-42	DV. 973 J/95	F/Lt Davis F/Lt Burton P/O Adams P/O Coons (NAV)	Search for ORONSAY Survivors	0855	1702	No Survivors sighted.	G.190 O.99
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18-10-42	L. 5800 J/204	F/O Inglis F/O Gopper P/O Every P/O Shakes (N)	Escort NEAHELLAS	0855	1832	With Neahellas, Carnarvon Castle and 2 DRS 0916 to 1515. Sighted Cable Ship Kee AST.	G.44 GAM.O.46
20-10-42	DV. 975 H/93	F/O Steer P/O Leech Sgt Polatch P/S McIntosh	A/S Escort and Patrol	0830	1802	Sighted M/Vs Esao Manhattan, George Thatcher, Mirandella, (Port) Prince Albert Park, A.M.C. Corinthian, Evt Armenia.	G.46 O.100
21-10-42	DV. 975 H/95	F/O Steer P/O Leech Sgt Polatch P/S McIntosh	A/S Patrol	0845	1715	Sighted M/V FERNGLEN, Empty lifeboats and wreckage sighted but no survivors seen.	O.101
21-10-42	DV. 973 J/95	F/Lt Davis P/O Adams P/O Coons	A/S Patrol	1159	1815	Sighted M/V Masts of Bilbao.	O.102
22-10-42	T. 9078 A/95	F/Lt Marshall P/O Mack F/O Coons Sgt Crosby P/S Hopkinson	ALP NORTH	0902	1202	Bath't JULI Lifeboat raft and life jackets seen.	O103
22-10-42	DV. 975 H/95	F/O Steer P/O Leech Sgt Polatch P/S McIntosh	A/S Patrol	0855	1735	Sighted convoy of 6 M/Vs with escort also 2 M/Vs FERNGLEN BESHOLT & A.M.C. CORINTHIAN. Empty life- boat seen.	G.151 O104
23-10-42	DV. 975 H/95	F/O Steer P/O Leech Sgt Polatch P/S McIntosh	Escort S.T. 39	0825	1800	Sighted CABODELLA-LISBOA (port) & 2 DRS KEOPILDUILLE & BERGENSFORD.	G.52 O105
27-10-42	DV. 975 H/95	F/O Steer P/O Leech Sgt Polatch P/S McIntosh	Escort VOLENDHAM	0823	1745	Several M/Vs sighted.	G.58 O106
28-10-42	DV. 984	S/Lt Furlong F/Lt Burton P/O Rich P/O Sinclair	ALP NORTH to Bath't	1209	1617	Sighted 2 M/Vs approaching empty lifeboats JULI Bath't	O.3AM.69

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27-10-42	SUNDERLAND T.9078 A/95	F/Lt Marshall P/O Corker P/O Coons Sgt Crosby P/S Hopkinson	Escort <del>Patrol</del>	0900	1900	Empty lifeboat sighted.	G.57 O.107
28-10-42	DV.975 H/95	F/O Steer P/O Leech Sgt Polatch P/S McIntosh	Convoy Escort	0622	1833	Submarine reported in area but nothing seen.	G.59 O.108 G.105
28-10-42	T.9078 A/95	F/Lt Marshall P/O Corker P/O Coons	Convoy Escort	1607	2200	JUI Bath't	O.109 O.110
29-10-42	T.9078 A/95	F/Lt Marshall P/O Corker P/O Coons	ALP NORTH	0826	1316	JUI Bath't	O.110
29-10-42	DV.975 H/95	F/O Steer P/O Leech P/O Coons	Convoy Escort	0800	1815	Sighted Italian repatriation ships SATURNIA & VULCANIA	G.61 O.111
24-10-42	DV.975 J/95	F/Lt Davis P/O Adams P/O Rowan	A/S Patrol	0651 JUI	1800 LAGOS	No incident	G.55
25-10-42	-ditto-	-ditto-	Convoy Escort	0545 JUI	1507 LAGOS	Convoy not met.	G.55
26-10-42	-ditto-	-ditto-	Convoy Escort	0557 POINT NOIRE	2123 POINT NOIRE	Dark object, possibly submarine, sighted.	G.55 O.3
27-10-42	-ditto-	-ditto-	Convoy Escort	0528 POINT NOIRE	0647 POINT NOIRE	No incident.	G.55 O.4
27-10-42	-ditto-	-ditto-	Convoy Escort	1325 POINT NOIRE	2000 POINT NOIRE	No incident.	G.55 O.7
29-10-42	-ditto-	-ditto-	A/S Patrol	0950 POINT NOIRE	1836 LAGOS	No incident.	G.55
30-10-42	-ditto-	-ditto-	A/S Patrol	0612 LAGOS	1552 JUI	1 M/V and trawler sighted. COTONU appeared to be empty except for possibly one M/V	G.55 O.112

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11-10-42	DV.963 R/95	F/Lt Reilly	Aircraft in transit to and from the U/K	0902	1258		

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29-10-42	-ditto-	-ditto-	A/S Patrol	0950 POINT NOIRE	1836 LAGOS	No incident.	G.55
30-10-42	-ditto-	-ditto-	A/S Patrol	0812 TAGOS	1552 JUI	1 M/V and trawler sighted. COTONU appeared to be empty except for possibly one M/V	G.55 O 112

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Aircraft in transit to and from the U/K							
11-10-42	Sunderland. DV.983 B/95	F/Lt Bailey	Transit to	0902 JUI.	1238 B'Hurst.		
12-10-42		F/Lt Galasa	U/K	0205 B'Hurst.	1505 GIB.		
15-10-42		P/O Welton P/O Tucker		0525 GIB.	1825 Mt. Batten.		
11-10-42	DV.973 J/95	F/Lt Davis	Transit from	0600 Mt. Batten.	1605 GIB.		
14-10-42		F/O Adams F/O Coons	U/K	0630 GIB.	1935 B'Hurst.		
15-10-42				1429 B'Hurst.	1749 JUI.		
12-10-42	DV.975	F/O Steer W/O Thewles F/S McIntosh	Transit from	0600 Mt. Batten.	1629 GIB.		
14-10-42			U/K	0833 GIB.	1933 B'Hurst.		
15-10-42				1410 B'Hurst.	1750 JUI.		
11-10-42	T.9079 A/95	F/Lt Marshall	Transit from	0709 Mt. Batten.	1829 GIB.		
20-10-42		F/O Mack Sgt Crosby	U/K	0615 GIB.	1900 B'Hurst.		
22-10-42				0802 B'Hurst.	1802 JUI.		
For combat with F.W. Kurier, see Appendix "A"							

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