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Eastern Air Command (cont'd)

18 Convoys escorted - 422 ships in convoy
3 Ice Patrol Flights - 18 hours 54 minutes
1 Aerial Photography Flight - 2 hours 10 minutes
3 Ships escorted - U.S.S. Balkis, U.S.S. Chatham, U.S.S. George
Washington

Western Air Command

163 Reconnaissance Flights

- 643 hours 04 minutes

BRITISH COMMONWEALTH AIR TRAINING PLAN

Aircrew Training Situation (as at March 31st)

	Under	Accumulation			
	Training	Intake	Output	Wastage	
INITIAL TRAINING Aircrew under training	2910	25791	21038	1843	
ELEMENTARY FLYING TRAINING Pilots under training	1819	17038	11456	3763	
SERVICE FLYING TRAINING Pilots under training	2339	13250	9765	1146	
FLYING INSTRUCTORS Elementary Service Refresher	184	648 2220 1008	585 1664 952	63 372 56	
AIR OBSERVERS At Air Observer Schools At B. & G. Schools At A.N. Schools	1734 729 419	7079 4628 3870	4628 3870 3427	717 29 24	
WIRELESS OPERATORS (A.G.) At Wireless Schools At B. & G. Schools	2848 418	95 38 5284	5284 4766	1406	
AIR GUNNERS At B, & G, Schools	165	1270	1060	45	

Specialized Training Situation (as at March 27th)

	Under		Accumulation			
	Training		Intake	Output	Wastage	
Bomber Reconnaissance			29	25	4	
Short Navigation	23		249	196	30	
Spec. Nav. (Pilots)	•	2.10	37	35	2	
Nav. Instructors (Non-Pilots)	1		262	227	34	
Air Observers Instructors	**		60	60	-	
Armament Officers			158	140	18	
Pilot Armament Officers	16		24	8	-	
Senior Armament Instructors			287	270	17	
Armourers			1357	1253	104	
Armourers (Bomb)	73		360	283	4	
Armourers (Gun)	152		397	237	8	
Gunnery Instructors	17		153	1.34	7	
Bombing Instructors	17		54	36	1	
Anti-Gas			151	151		
Boulton-Faul Turret			29	29		
Fraser-Nash Turret			29	29		

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