

Date	25/26 April 1945	Service No.	Rank	Name	Duty	
Type of Aircraft	Stirling Mk. IV	1338874	Wt. Off.	Dax DFC, E.A.	Pilot	ESC
Serial No.	LK567	1489924	Flt. Sgt.	Jones, T.	Nav.	ESC
Squadron	No. 295	1396826	Flt. Sgt.	Ayers, J.	Air Bomber	Fredericia
Code Letters		1615863	Flt. Sgt.	Müller, F.W.	WOp	ESC
Base	Rivenhall	1614527	Flt. Sgt.	Tate, E.	AG	ESC
Mission	Special Duty	1894829	Flt. Sgt.	Day, R.F.	F/Eng.	ESC
Target ^{x)} DZ on Funen Is. presumed						
Special Remarks: Left at 2112 hrs. 25th						
4 aircraft detailed. 2 failed to return.						
The two returning aircraft crews						
reported small arms fire.						
^{x)} Mission called off as no signals were received from ground.						

Stirling LK567 hit by flak at Vandel airfield and forced landed at Almstok about 9 miles SE of Grindsted. Flt. Sgt. Ayers severely wounded and died on 30th April in German hospital at Fredericia. Other crew evaded capture. jh 3/69