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MELLOR, LYNDON,  
401134

AUSTRALIAN ARCHIVES  
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ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

The following biographical details are required for use at R.A.A.F. Overseas Headquarters, London.

SURNAME... MELLOR ..... NUMBER... D.4.01134 .....

CHRISTIAN NAMES... LYNDON STANLEY .....

AIR FORCE RANK AND MUSTERING... F/LT ..... PILOT .....

DEGREES ETC... D .....

DATE OF BIRTH... 9.11.1917 ..... PLACE... WESTMEAF. VIC. AUST. .....

EDUCATED... GEELEONG S. COLE. GARRAMBA. VIC. AUST. .....

DATE OF ENTERING SERVICE... ON RESERVE ..... 21.10.1940 .....

PREVIOUS SERVICE EXPERIENCE... SCHOOL CADETS .....

PLACES OF TRAINING... R.H.ODESIA .....

CIVILIAN CAREER AND ACTIVITIES... FARMER .....

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SPORT (TEAMS REPRESENTED) CLUBS ETC... SCHOOL TEAMS .....

..... FOOTBALL. TENNIS. ROWING. SQUASH .....

FATHER... STANLEY BELLIN MELLOR .....

WIFE... VERA MELLOR .....

HOME ADDRESS... 29 MOONAH RD. TOORAK. VIC. AUST. .....

SIGNATURE... L Mellor F/LT .....

DATE... 14-12-44 .....

DATE OF EMBARKATION... 14-11-43 .....

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AWARDS... D.F.C. .....

CATEGORY... .. INTERVIEWS... ..

RADIO... .. OTHER PREFERENCES... ..

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NAME (in full) MELLOR LYNDON STANLEY NUMBER 401134

RANK AND MUSTERING F/LT PILOT DECORATIONS DFC (39-43)

NUMBER I.T.S. COURSE 9 O.T.U. 5

DATE LEFT AUSTRALIA 19<sup>th</sup> April '41  
DATE LEFT SOUTH AMERICA 21<sup>st</sup> July '43 (FOR THE ME)  
DATE OF ARRIVAL U.K. 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec '44

SQUADRONS 680 SQN

AIRCRAFT FLOWN TIGER - HARVARD - KITTY - HURRI - SPIT - BLENHEIM - BALT - MOS.

COMMAND & TYPES OF ACTIVITY ME - INSTRUCTING & PHOTO RECC

OPERATIONS OR TRAINING WITH AMERICAN PERSONNEL, SQUADRONS, OR AIRCRAFT  
TRAINING HARV - BALT - KITTY

DETAILS OF OPERATIONS - with dates: to be given as fully as possible under the following applicable headings:-

- (a) Number Operational Hours
- (b) Number Operational Sorties, Day-night
- (c) Targets attacked
- (d) Attacks on enemy surface vessels - type, size, etc.
- (e) Attacks on enemy submarines
- (f) Combats with enemy aircraft
- (g) Outstanding sorties or incidents
- (h) Other Australians in crews
- (i) Personnel in Photographic Reconnaissance Unit, Transport Command, etc., should give a brief report of their work.

(A) 300:30

(B) 84 DAY

(C) RECCERN

(D) NIL

(E) NIL

(F) NIL

(G) NIL

(H) NIL

DATE 25-1-45 SIGNATURE L.S. Mellor

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Copy of Citation of Award of D.F.C.

*hon. Immediate Award, 2-1-1945,*

Flight Lieutenant Lyndon Stanley MELLOR (Aus.401134) No.680 Squadron.

This officer has completed his operational tour on Photographic Reconnaissance duties. He has always managed to complete his missions successfully, frequently in the face of enemy opposition and adverse weather. Flight Lieutenant Mellor has obtained much valuable information and fine photographs. For a period, he commanded a detachment, fulfilling his duties as flight commander in a most capable manner.



