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41.2.117-120 TESTING 226: Paul R. Hare – Aeroplane Inspection Department report on BE2a, had reached 100 hours flying time for testing and evaluation (6ph1drw)

41.2.121-133 ATLAS OF GERMAN AND FOREIGN SEAPLANES: Sibaltin Floatplanes: Paul Leaman – Sibaltin Floatplanes, first in the series. (22ph1bl7drw)

41.2.009-016 GAZETTEER OF FLYING SITES: A-Bea (pull-out supplement) Part 2: Dick Davis – Details of REINHOLD PLATZ & The Fokker Aircraft Company: (1ph)

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41.3.161-164 IN THE SHADOW OF HERCULE: The war service of Archibald Christie: Peter Wright – Service of Archibald Christie and his famous wife Agatha. (12ph)

41.3.165-184 CLAYTON KNIGHT: A Yank in the RFC/RAF: The Inaugural Leaman Lecture: Peter Kilduff – Clayton Knight USAF. Conversations and correspondences with him and some of his comrades, as he relayed them to Peter. (24ph5pat1map)

41.3.185-191 THE ROYAL AIRCRAFT FACTORY B.S.1/5/E.2: Paul R. Hare – The high speed aeroplane experimental BS1 to new fast 'Scout' SE2, at the Royal Aircraft Factory 1913
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42.1.026-036 GERMAN CONTACT PATROLS: Michael Meech – Major developments in the procedures of German Contact Patrols. See 41.019 for the British Contact Patrols (9ph)

42.1.037-044 A 1917 COURT OF ENQUIRY, 3 WING RNAS: LUXEUIL-les-BAINS, FRANCE: Stuart Taylor – FINDINGS OF THE COURT: the accident was due to the bomb jamming after being released by the releasing gear, 2 men died (9ph2drw)

42.1.045-048 THE LOW FLYING BOMB: Paul R. Hare – Dr A.M. Low's 'Aerial Target' was his wireless system to control a flying bomb, six examples were constructed at Farnborough (4ph)


42.1.061-065 FROM THE ALBUMS: 2Lt L.H. Curtis: Mick Davis – 2Lt L.H. Curtis's album, a number of interesting photographs (15ph)

42.1.066-070 GFS-035-040 GAZETTEER OF FLYING SITES: Cat-Cram (pull-out supplement) Part 5: Mick Davis & Bill Morgan – – GAZETTEER OF FLYING SITES Part 5

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42.2.075-096 CAPT J.H.T. LETTS MC: 27 & 48 Squadron, Instructor & Test Pilot: Alan Smith – From Letts (Instructor & Test Pilot) log books 02-12-1916 to 10-11-1918. There are many aeroplanes, people and places that Letts noted in his log book. Verry interesting (30ph5pro)


42.2.107-127 14 SQUADRON: A First War History Part 2: Action At Rafah, 1st, 2nd, 3rd Battles of Gaza. Mike O'Connor & Mike Napier – 14 Sqn flights were the Desert Column's eyes and operations was twofold: Continuous artillery patrols over the troops, and carried out bombing raids (27ph2map4pro)

42.2.128-132 ROYAL AIRCRAFT FACTORY RE2 & RE3: Paul R. Hare – The short story of the Royal Aircraft Factory's Reconnaissance Experimental series RE2 & RE3 (7ph)

42.2.041-048 GAZETTEER OF FLYING SITES: Cran-Dov (pull-out supplement) Part 6: Mick Davis & Bill Morgan – – GAZETTEER OF FLYING SITES Part 6


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42.3.143-155 THE AIR BATTALION, ROYAL ENGINEERS: Michael J. Dunn – The early life of the Air Battalion, as it changes into the RFC. It was the British Army's first unit specifically tasked with operating and deploying aeroplanes (16ph)

42.3.156-164 ALMOST A VICTIM: 2Lt James Murdo Macdonald, 19 Squadron RAF: S.K. Taylor – James Murdo 'Jimmie' Macdonald, to help guide his memory concerned his flying service in WWI, brought out a tired looking three-ring school binder filled with stories (14ph)

42.3.165-169 19 SQUADRON: Some of the less familiar names: S.K. Taylor – The profiles of the careers of 5 of 19 Sqn fliers. WJ Nesbitt, JS Hewson, WH Hendershot, NA Weir and RC Davies (6ph)

42.3.170-176 THE PULPIT: The Royal Aircraft Factory BE9: Paul R. Hare – The Strange BE9 had the observer housed in a plywood nacelle mounted on the front of the propeller shaft. This is the short story of its experimental life (6ph2drw)

42.3.177-189 14 SQUADRON: A First War History Pt 3: Mike O'Connor & Mike Napier – Covers 14 Sqn in the Middle East in Palestine and Jordon valley fighting the Turks (16ph1drw)

42.3.190-193 14 SQUADRON: Machines on Unit Charge in the Middle East: Mike O'Connor & Mike Napier – A list of all the aircraft used by 14 Sqn. There are some notes and dates included in the list (5ph)
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Jiri Rajlich — Documents the RAF and Czech pilots fighting, covering aerial operations in the Italian theatre(4ph2map1dw5dc)

43.1.027-028 THE HAND & THUNDERBOLT BADGE:
Jeff Jefford — This short article has been adapted from one which first appeared during May 2011, in the RAF Historical Society’s Journal No 50(2ph2dw)

43.1.029-036 DOWNED BY A FOLK SINGER! Lt F.W. Kantel:
S.K. Taylor — The career of Lt Frederick William ‘Fred’ Kantel, 54 Sqn and his downing by the ‘Folk Singer’ of Jasta 6((K)Carl Holler)(13ph)

43.1.037-039 B1721 WITH JASTA 6:
— Shortly after downing & capture, Lt ‘Fred’ Kantel was photographed surrounded by his German captors(6ph)

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43.1.049-055 HM AIRSHIP NS11 & the World Endurance Record:
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43.1.56-060 THE ROYAL AIRCRAFT FACTORY SE4:
Paul Hare — The experimental SE4 by Royal Aircraft Factory, built to be the fastest aeroplane possible at that moment in time(7ph3dw)

43.1.61-065 FROM THE ALBUMS: an album assembled by N. Dundas Bryce — courtesy of Michael Rushen:
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43.1.066-067 LOGBOOK: RFC Bristol Scouts, Pt 1:
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THE X FACTOR: Special Duty Flight, 14 Sqn:
Peter Wright – This account covers the unit, X Sqn, left behind at Akaba to work with TE Lawrence against the Turks(13ph1map)

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Elimor Makevet & Dieter Gröschel – Recounts two WWI fighters that keep in touch after their dogfight, both shot down, with accounts of there combats of WWI.(29ph1map)

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DUAL-CONTROL CAMELS: A Photographic Study
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Mick Davis – First-hand recollections of the Sopwith Camel Dual-Control from the diary and logbook extracts(1ph)

THE CLOSEST OF FRIENDS: Captain W.G. ‘Dozey’ Claxton & Captain F.R.G. ‘Freddy’ McCall
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