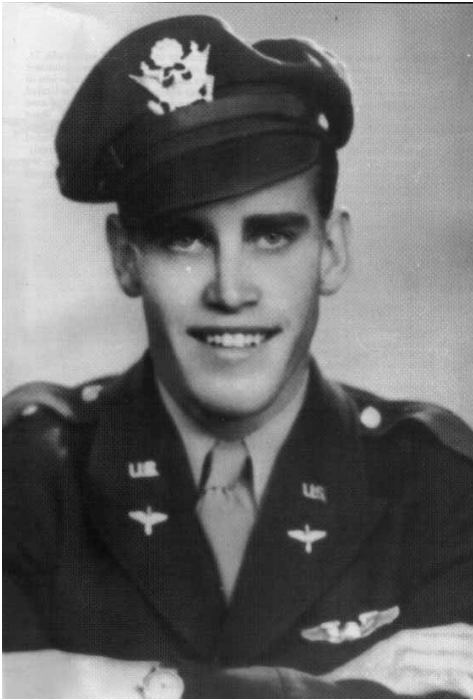


WILHOIT, Darnaby M.

“Don”

B: 22 December 1922 Versailles, KY

D: 29 May 1945 near Glossop, ENG



**Darnaby Wilhoit, 22,
Killed In Plane Crash**

VERSAILLES, Ky., June 15 (Special)—Flight Officer Darnaby Henton Wilhoit, 22, son of Hiram and the late Jessie Henton Wilhoit of Versailles, was killed May 29 in England, according to a message received Thursday from the War Department by his father.

Stationed at Debden Field, in England, he was flying a P-51 Mustang fighter on a routine flight and was en route to his station from Scotland when he was killed.

The Lexington Leader (Kentucky)
15 June 1945

Hometown: Versailles, Kentucky

Rank: Flight Officer

MOS: 1055 - Pilot, single engine fighter

Unit: 336th Fighter Squadron

Aircraft:

N/A

4th Service: 24 March 1945 – 29 May 1945

2 missions

29 MAY 45 While on a ferrying mission, crashed in the mountains south of Glossop in severe weather while attempting to reach Speke Air Depot.

KIFA.

Victories:

None

Decorations:

European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal