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REPORT OF OPERATIONAL DAY

*MISSION NO. 108
12TH. JULY, 1944*

*94TH. COMBAT BOMB WING
401ST. BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)*

OFFICE OF THE INTELLIGENCE OFFICER
STATION 128 - APO 867
U. S. ARMY

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12 July 1944.

SUBJECT: Crew Comments and Suggestions.

TO : COMMANDING OFFICER, 401st Bomb Group (H), APO 867, Sta 128, US Army.
(Thru Lt. Col. A. C. Brooks and Lt. Col. W. T. Seawell.)

1. S/Sgt. Eugene B. Pironalli, DWO A/C 7009, requires longer oxygen hose and longer wires for headset in case of A/C with staggered waist guns.

2. Enlisted men of crew #9, A/C 7113, stated that after mission yesterday they were tired and had to fly again today but couldn't get any sleep because the non-operational men in the barracks made so much noise.

3. Lt. William J. Mann, pilot A/C 7092, reported that T/Sgt. Busher after flying long mission yesterday which made him 35 missions was put on guard duty 10 minutes after he reached Squadron area.

4. Lt. Joseph R. Chartier, copilot A/C 2398, states that formation as a division was good today.

5. Crew of A/C 7511 want to see pictures of movies taken of incendiary flak at target area.

6. Crew of A/C 1983, pilot Lt. Harry E. Baskett, reports that some A/C of our Group kicked out bombs through lower elements.

7. Complaints on poor transportation were registered by crews of the following A/C: A/C 1005 - Lt. Russell B. Lockhart, pilot
A/C 7084 - Lt. Robert L. Pisette, pilot
A/C 7395 - Lt. Paul R. Koons, pilot

W. B. FRY,
Major, A. C.,
Group S-2 Officer.

Target No. BAYERISCHE MOTORENWERKE A.G. (B.M.W.), — ALLACH near MÜNCHEN Illustration No.
3 (f) 18a Etc. or MUNICH (GERMANY) 3 (f) 18a/8

Illustration No.
3 (f) 18a/8

0 500 1000 1500 2000 YARDS
0 1/2 1 MILE

Photographed 1942/1943

(1 : 32,000) approx

Issued January 1944

A. BAYERISCHE MOTORENWERKE A.G.
B. TRANSFORMER AND SWITCHING STATION



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BY TSJ NARA DATE 12/27/11

DECLASSIFIED PER MALD 745405
BY 157 NARA DATE 11/29/11



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613th BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
 OFFICE OF THE OPERATIONS OFFICER
 AAF STATION 128, APO # 557

12 JULY 1944

DUTY	RANK	L-O-A-D-I-N-G LAST NAME	L-I-S-T FIRST NAME	MI
<u>PLANE NO. 42-107009</u>				
P	2nd Lt.	LEMONS	CLEATUS	C.
CP	2nd Lt.	COTTRILL	RONALD	M.
N	2nd Lt.	KOMAROFF	STUART	J.
B	2nd Lt.	HEISER	CARL	H.
RO	T/SGT.	MIZENER	HARRY	R.
TT	T/SGT.	LESSER	STANLEY	(NMI)
BT	S/SGT.	FEDYNICH	DANIEL	(NMI)
TG	S/SGT.	WEBSTER	WILLIAM	E.
WG	S/SGT.	PIROMALLI	EUGENE	B.
<u>PLANE NO. 42-102398 42-102398</u>				
P	2nd Lt.	KUTA	CHESTER	(NMI)
CP	2nd Lt.	CHARTIER	JOSEPH	R.
N	2nd Lt.	FRENCH	VERNON	H.
B	S/SGT.	SNODGRASS	GEORGE	W.
RO	T/SGT.	MINGS	CLYDE	L.
TT	T/SGT.	GREENLEAF	ROBERT	L.
BT	S/SGT.	NICHOLSON	ROBERT	G.
TG	S/SGT.	HUNT	CECIL	S.
WG	SGT.	FEAR	JOHN	H.
<u>PLANE NO. 42-31591 42-31591</u>				
P	1st Lt.	IRWIN	JAMES	R.
CP	2nd Lt.	PENNOYER	JAMES	E.
N	1st Lt.	BRYANT	CHARLES	W.
B	1st Lt.	SANCHEZ	LOUIS	T.
RO	T/SGT.	FAHNESTOCK	JAMES	E.
TT	T/SGT.	HARP	MORRIS	O.
BT	S/SGT.	GREGORY	DAYLIA	C.
TG	S/SGT.	STREET	VICTOR	P.
WG	S/SGT.	KLOIBER	STEPHEN	N.
<u>PLANE NO. 43-37510 43-37510</u>				
P	2nd Lt.	HANSON	ALBERT	L.
CP	2nd Lt.	CRAYTOR	FREDERICK	A.
N	2nd Lt.	WATSON	HARRY	T.
B	S/SGT.	GREEN	JOHN	C. JR.
RO	T/SGT.	SEARS	DONALD	L.
TT	T/SGT.	MURRAY	HOMER	G.
BT	S/SGT.	KOONS	DONALD	L.
TG	S/SGT.	MARTZ	DALE	C.
WG	S/SGT.	LYALL	LESTER	D.

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PLANE NO. 43-37736

P	2nd Lt.	McKEON	WILLIAM	J.
CP	2nd Lt.	GRAY	ROBERT	P.
N	2nd Lt.	ZUKUNFT	WERNER	P.
B	S/SGT.	FLETCHER	FRED	L.
RO	SGT.	MAY	CHARLIE	E.
TT	T/SGT.	HARMAN	RAYMOND	E.
BT	S/SGT.	SHARP	JACK	T.
TG	S/SGT.	HILL	EDWARD	H.
WG	SGT.	MISZKO	HENRY	M.

PLANE NO. 44-6113

P	2nd Lt.	THOMASON	WALTER	H.
CP	P/O	DOBENATZ	HERMAN	A.
N	1st Lt.	WRIGHT	RICHARD	(NMI)
B	1st Lt.	GRATE (GRATE)	LOUIS	B.
RO	S/SGT.	RAPEZ	ISAAC	C.
TT	S/SGT.	LYMBURN	WALLACE	R.
BT	SGT.	GUMBELT	HERBERT	L.
TG	SGT.	GODFREY	HAROLD	T.
WG	SGT.	MICHAEL	HOWARD	E.

PLANE NO. 43-37511

P	2nd Lt.	LIPPERT	JACK	R.
CP	2nd Lt.	YOUMANS	THOMAS	Y.
N	2nd Lt.	KRON	HORACE	E.
B	S/SGT.	WILLIAMSON	ROBERT	S.
RO	T/SGT.	MAYER	JACK	P.
TT	T/SGT.	PETTIT	GEORGE	L.
BT	S/SGT.	SELESKY	ISADORE	(NMI)
TG	S/SGT.	LA GRASTA	JOSEPH	J.
WG	S/SGT.	ELLIS	LAMAR	A.

PLANE NO. 42-31005

P	2nd Lt.	LOCKHART	RUSSELL	R.
CP	2nd Lt.	HAM	PORTER	R.
N	2nd Lt.	GRILLEY	ROBERT	L.
RE	2nd Lt.	JARDINE	JOHN	H.
RO	S/SGT.	SCHLAEGEL	OTTO	M.
TT	S/SGT.	PYLES	CLARENCE	E.
BT	SGT.	NULL	LLOYD	J.
TG	SGT.	MILLION	LAWRENCE	C.
WG	SGT.	KARPER	JAY	E.

PLANE NO. 44-6132

P	2nd Lt.	JETTER	ARTHUR	C.
CP	2nd Lt.	CAIN	ROBERT	W.
N	P/O	HIRSH	HARRY	(NMI)
B	S/SGT.	FETTERS	WILLIAM	J.
RO	T/SGT.	SHEPMAN	LEE	(NMI)
TT	T/SGT.	NELSON	RICHARD	D.
BT	S/SGT.	KNAPP	MARIA	F.
TG	S/SGT.	BAIER	JOHN	J.
WG	S/SGT.	OHANIAN	NISHAM	(NMI)

PLANE NO. 601 PTF SHIP

P	1st Lt.	CONNOLLY	JOHN	J.
CP	2nd Lt.	BOGGS	JAMES	B.
N	2nd Lt.	KRISE	THOMAS	H.
N	1st Lt.	HEWARD	ROBERT	W.
B	1st Lt.	BOLLER	EDWARD	H.
RO	T/SGT.	HURLEY	BARCLAY	J.
TT	T/SGT.	MILLS	CARL	W.
TG	S/SGT.	Mac GOWAN	BATES	R.
WG	S/SGT.	FRIEDMAN	MAURICE	(NMI)

PLANE NO. A2-102947

P	1st Lt.	HAMMOND	WARDLAW	H.
CP	2nd Lt.	FRAZIER	DONALD	F.
N	2nd Lt.	WOLIVER	IRVING	(NMI)
B	2nd Lt.	LEWIS	GEORGE	R.
RO	S/SGT.	CHARNES	HUGH	W.
TT	T/SGT.	GREER	CECIL	B.
BT	S/SGT.	PICO	WILLIAM	J.
TG	S/SGT.	PARKHURST	IRA	A.
WG	S/SGT.	MALICY	FRANCIS	T.

FLYING WITH 615th Sq.

N	2nd Lt.	JORGENSEN	OWEN	H.
N	2nd Lt.	FINE	STANLEY	(NMI)

SIX HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
 FOUR HUNDRED AND FIRST BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
 Office of the Operations Officer

AAF Station # 128
 12 July 1944.

SUBJECT: Loading List.

TO : Operations Officer, 401st Bomb Gp (H), AAF Station # 128, APO # 557.

1. Following is the list of Combat Personnel participating in today's mission.

*Plane	<u>42-97602</u>		614th
P	1st Lt.	LA FEVOR, GEORGE L.	"
CP	1st Lt.	HELM, WESLEY H.	"
N & B	1st Lt.	HOWELL, JAMES R.	"
CTG	S/Sgt.	Bilyeu, Russell E.	"
RO	T/Sgt.	Fidler, Charles K.	"
TT	S/Sgt.	Berg, Bernard B.	"
BT	S/Sgt.	Stanford, Leland	"
TG	S/Sgt.	Carpenter, William L.	"
WG	Cpl.	Hayden Elliott, Ralph D.	"
*Plane	<u>42-97372</u>		
P	1st Lt.	ROZZELL, WOODVILLE G.	"
CP	2nd Lt.	LUCKETTI, HUMBERT	"
N & B	1st Lt.	MORIN, BERTRAND J.	"
CTG	S/Sgt.	Bralley, Brown A.	"
RO	S/Sgt.	Burnett, Major A.	"
TT	T/Sgt.	Smeallie, Donnan R.	"
BT	Cpl.	Riep, Herman R.	"
TG	S/Sgt.	Ivey, George W.	"
WG	Sgt.	Smith, William M.	"
*Plane	<u>42-97780</u>		
P	1st Lt.	KENNEY, JOSEPH R.	"
CP	1st Lt.	HEARN, ROBERT F.	"
N & B	2nd Lt.	FOWLER, EUGENE K.	"
CTG	S/Sgt.	Feschon, Raymond J.	"
RO	Sgt.	Cohen, Roy V.	"
TT	Sgt.	Dixon, William E.	"
BT	S/Sgt.	Hambright, Richard P.	"
TG	S/Sgt.	Higbee, Mark	"
WG	S/Sgt.	Pearlman, Herman	"

Leading List Cont'd.

*Plane 42-97478

P	1st Lt.	LIPKA, JOHN F.	614th
CP	1st Lt.	FAULKNER, JAMES H.	"
N & B	1st Lt.	PERCIVAL, RAYMOND L.	"
CTG	S/Sgt.	Modling, Odem W.	"
RO	T/Sgt.	LeFleur, Delmore H.	"
TT	T/Sgt.	Gilbert, John W.	"
BT	S/Sgt.	Spatilson, Brune J.	"
TG	S/Sgt.	Jennings, Fred Jr.	"
WG	S/Sgt.	Rwoley, Charles M.	"

*Plane 42-51569

P	2nd Lt.	KOVACH, JOHN W.	"
CP	2nd Lt.	KELLAM, JAMES W.	"
N & B	2nd Lt.	COSELLI, FRANK J. JR.	"
CTG	Sgt.	Horbatuck, Stepan J.	"
RO	S/Sgt.	Pollard, Omer S.	"
TT	S/Sgt.	Rouhselang, Willard J.	"
BT	Sgt.	Guest, Hollis D.	"
TG	Sgt.	Langford, Allie G.	"
WG	Sgt.	Maki, Arthur W.	"

*Plane 42-97145

P	2nd Lt.	LERWICK, HOWARD P.	"
CP	2nd Lt.	JAEGER, ALBERT J.	"
N & B	2nd Lt.	NORTON, WILLIAM	"
CTG	Sgt.	Schwiederek, John J.	"
RO	S/Sgt.	Volz, Bernard Jr.	"
TT	Sgt.	Findlay, Matthew R.	"
BT	Sgt.	James, Harold L. Jr.	"
TG	Sgt.	Kosiba, Frank T.	"
WG	S/Sgt.	Healy, John L.	"

*Plane 42-59012

P	Capt.	KAUFMAN, RICHARD H.	"
CP	1st Lt.	BRIGHT, WILBUR C.	"
N	1st Lt.	HARDING, JAMES B.	"
B	1st Lt.	BRIARTON, HENRY B.	"
RO	S/Sgt.	Russell, James R.	"
TT	T/Sgt.	Tweed, Stanley A.	"
BT	S/Sgt.	Berg, Edgar M.	"
TG	S/Sgt.	Garan, Alex Jr.	"
WG	S/Sgt.	Jones, Scott D.	"

Loading List Cont'd.

*Plane 42-107084

P	1st Lt.	FISSETTE, ROBERT L.	614th
CP	1st Lt.	THOMPSON, CHARLES F.	"
N & B	2nd Lt.	KLEFISCH, THEODORE J.	"
CTG	S/Sgt.	Tollefson, Lauren M.	"
RO	T/Sgt.	Crites, Emory	"
TT	T/Sgt.	Garlin, Harry C. Jr.	"
BT	S/Sgt.	Mack, Allen W.	"
TG	S/Sgt.	Long, Albert D.	"
WG	S/Sgt.	Wright, Dale L.	"

*Plane 42-97395

P	2nd Lt.	KOONS, PAUL R.	"
CP	2nd Lt.	KAHAN, DANIEL	"
N & B	2nd Lt.	DOBROWOLSKI, EDWARD L.	"
CTG	Sgt.	Tutwiler, David M.	"
RO	S/Sgt.	McMinn, Thomas G.	"
TT	S/Sgt.	Shane, Charles E.	"
BT	Sgt.	Edwards, Rodney W.	"
TG	Sgt.	Huerta, Octavio	"
WG	Sgt.	Eckenrode, Robert T.	"

For the Squadron Commander:

WILLIAM C. GARIAND
 Major, Air Corps,
 Operations Officer.

SIX HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
 FOUR HUNDRED AND FIRST BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)

Office of the Operations Officer
 AAF - Sta - 128 - APO - 557

12 July 1944

SUBJECT: Loading List.

TO: Operations Officer, 401st Bomb Gp (H), Sta - 128, APO - 557.

1. Following is the list of Combat Crews participating in today's mission.

PLANE # 42-95953

DUTY	RANK	LAST (NAME)	FIRST	(MI)	SQUADRON
P	2nd Lt.	Ossiander	Jay	B.	615th
GP	2nd Lt.	Cooper	Roy	B.	615th
N	2nd Lt.	Jorgensen	Olen	H.	615th
B	S/Sgt.	Seaton	Clarence	H. G.	615th
RO	T/Sgt.	Casner	Charles	F.	615th
TL	Sgt.	Reagan	Penrose	W.	615th
BT	S/Sgt.	Howell	James	J.	615th
TC	Sgt.	Higdon	Thomas	B.	615th
LWG	Sgt.	Rouse	Donald	B.	615th
RWG	-----	-----	-----	---	-----

PLANE # 44-6148

P	2nd Lt.	Heenan	William	(M) H.	615th
GP	2nd Lt.	Johnson	Elvis	B.	615th
N	2nd Lt.	Kane	James	H.	615th
B	2nd Lt.	Brock	Russell	H.	615th
RO	T/Sgt.	Spiglanin	John	V.	615th
TL	S/Sgt.	Loper	Cloyd	B.	615th
BT	S/Sgt.	La Belle	Joseph	B.	615th
TC	Sgt.	Bragalene	Samuel	H.	615th
LWG	S/Sgt.	Ollila	Raymond	J.	615th
RWG	-----	-----	-----	---	-----

PLANE # 42-107113

P	2nd Lt.	McIlraith	William	H.	615th
GP	2nd Lt.	Cornelius	Stanley	R.	615th
N	2nd Lt.	Hughes	Frank	F.	615th
B	Sgt.	Davis, Jr.	Thomas	(NMI)	615th
RO	T/Sgt.	Martin	Don	H.	615th
TL	T/Sgt.	Anthony	Francis	(NMI) H.	615th
BT	S/Sgt.	Greer	Frank	(NMI) H.	615th
TC	S/Sgt.	Bartman	Anton	(NMI) J.	615th
LWG	Sgt.	Lerner	Morris	(NMI)	615th
RWG	-----	-----	-----	---	-----

DOLA HVNK IVGL (SVNR) KINGL (NY) BONDORH

PLANE # 43-21007

PLANE # 42-31091

DUTY	RANK	LAST (NAME)	FIRST	(MI)	SQUADRON
P	2nd Lt.	Gillespie	Elmer	G.	615th
CP	2nd Lt.	Chapman	Theodore	(NMI)	615th
N	2nd Lt.	Mason	Hodge	E.	615th
B	S/Sgt.	McLenna	Arthur	(NMI)	615th
RO	T/Sgt.	McFall	Charlie	A.	615th
TT	T/Sgt.	Zirbel	Don	D.	615th
BT	S/Sgt.	Browning	Elmer	E.	615th
TG	Sgt.	Dickson, Jr.	Jefferson	D.	615th
LWG	S/Sgt.	Bush	Robert	J.	615th
RWG					

PLANE # 42-39873

P	2nd Lt.	Johnson	Willie	E.	615th
CP	2nd Lt.	Powell	Kenneth	R.	615th
N	2nd Lt.	Malloy	Raymond	E.	615th
B	2nd Lt.	Loverro	Joseph	J.	615th
RO	T/Sgt.	Murtha	John	T.	615th
TT	S/Sgt.	Haire	James	B.	615th
BT	Sgt.	Gore	Clair	G.	615th
TG	Sgt.	Nolan	Cleatus	D.	615th
LWG	Sgt.	Rapoport	Leonard	(NMI)	615th
RWG					

PLANE # 42-31983

P	2nd Lt.	Haskett	Harry	E.	615th
CP	2nd Lt.	Davis	Thomas	A.	615th
N	2nd Lt.	Howze, Jr.	Stuart	A.	615th
B	2nd Lt.	Buyinghausen	Kenneth	D.	615th
RO	S/Sgt.	Lynch	Brenden	J.	615th
TT	S/Sgt.	Urban	Michael	P.	615th
BT	Sgt.	Hutchinson	William	D.	615th
TG	Sgt.	Page	Edward	L.	615th
LWG	Sgt.	Jones	Hinson	G.	615th
RWG					

PLANE # 42-107092

P	2nd Lt.	Mann	William	J.	615th
CP	2nd Lt.	Root	John	A.	615th
N	2nd Lt.	Rosenquist	Alfred	A.	615th
B	S/Sgt.	Read	Robert	R.	615th
RO	S/Sgt.	Amsen	William	P.	615th
TT	T/Sgt.	Mercurio	Michael	J.	615th
BT	Sgt.	Smith	Charles	E.	615th
TG	S/Sgt.	De Muro	Alfonso	A.	615th
LWG	S/Sgt.	Breggia	Frank	A.	615th
RWG					

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 SIX HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINE BOUNDING GROUP (N)

SIX HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
FOUR HUNDRED AND FIRST BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
Office of the Operations Officer
AAF - Sta - 128 - APO - 557

12 July 1944

SUBJECT: Loading List, (continued)

TO : Operations Officer, 401st Bomb Gp (H), Sta - 128, APO - 557.

1. Following is the list of Combat Crews participating in today's mission.

PLANE # 42- 7600 (PFF Ship)

DUTY	RANK	LAST (NAME)	FIRST	(MI)	SQUADRON
P -	1st Lt.	Parr	Clinton	J.	615th
CP -	Major	Silver	Delwyn	E.	Gp
N -	2nd Lt.	Hansen	Gerald	E.	615th
N -	2nd Lt.	Russell	Edwin	F.	615th
B -	2nd Lt.	Ridley	John	U.	615th
RO -	T/Sgt.	Allen	Allen	L.	615th
TT -	T/Sgt.	Bessley	Emerson	E.	615th
BT -	-----	-----	-----	-	-----
TG -	2nd Lt.	Blevins	Charles	H.	615th
LNG-	S/Sgt.	Peres	Louis	A.	615th
RNG-	-----	-----	-----	--	-----

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612TH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
 401ST BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
 Office of the Operations Officer

July 12, 1944

FMG
 JC
 SUBJECT: Loading List
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 TO: Oppr. Officer, 401 Bomb Gp (H), AAF Station #128, APO # 557.

1. The following is a list of men that flew the mission of July 12th, 1944

V/C 42-97762
 A/C 42-97762

FMG	Toussaint, Fernand (NMI)	2nd Lt.	612th.
CP	Becker, Walter H. (NMI)	1st Lt.	"
PLG	Smith, James W., Jr.	2nd Lt.	"
BLG	Haber, Robert B.	S/Sgt.	"
RO	Milne, Robert A. (NMI)	T/Sgt.	"
TTG	Greene, William C.	T/Sgt.	"
BTG	Minor, Wallace G.	S/Sgt.	"
CG	Lockenour, Charles W.	S/Sgt.	"
LWG	McNicholas, Joseph D.	S/Sgt.	"

V/C 42-97762
 A/C 42-97762

FMG	Loughlin, David (NMI)	2nd Lt.	"
CP	Meredith, Charles F.	2nd Lt.	"
PLG	Bernard, Roger L.	2nd Lt.	"
BLG	Sadler, Edwin F.	2nd Lt.	"
RO	Sommers, James H.	T/Sgt.	"
TTG	Livingston, Oliver E.	T/Sgt.	"
BTG	Nalbach, Paul H.	S/Sgt.	"
CG	Bailey, Albert M.	S/Sgt.	"
LWG	Dralle, Arlo W.	S/Sgt.	"

V/C 42-97762
 A/C 42-97762

FMG	Reising, Carl (NMI)	2nd Lt.	"
CP	Burge, Isakson (NMI)	2nd Lt.	"
PLG	Shewey, James E.	2nd Lt.	"
BLG	Bennett, Boyd P.	S/Sgt.	"
RO	Pendergast, Joseph P.	T/Sgt.	"
TTG	Sankenski, Eugene P.	T/Sgt.	"
BTG	Gradesman, Richard J.	S/Sgt.	"
CG	McConnell, Daniel E.	S/Sgt.	"
LWG	Hansen, George H.	S/Sgt.	"

V/C 42-97762
 A/C 42-97762

FMG	Breibe, Donald M.	Sgt.	"
LG	Kline, Eugene E.	Sgt.	"
BLG	Hochstetler, Robert A.	Sgt.	"
LLG	Wittmann, Joseph E.	Sgt.	"
RO	Hartmann, Carl H.	Sgt.	"
B	Kentel, Algen G.	Sgt.	"
M	Blum, George C.	Sgt.	"
CB	Kabejka, Eberle (NMI)	Sgt.	"
B	Girson, Robert C.	Sgt.	"

V/C 42-97762

A/C 42-102917

P	Gibson, Roger C.	2nd Lt.	612th.
CP	Kapelas, Spero (NMI)	2nd Lt.	"
N	Brand, George C.	2nd Lt.	"
B	Kemler, Arden G.	2nd Lt.	"
RO	Heikkinen, Carl R.	S/Sgt.	"
TTG	Williamson, Joseph R.	S/Sgt.	"
BTG	Roethler, Roland V.	Sgt.	"
TG	King, Francis E. Jr.	Sgt.	"
LWG	Phelps, Durwood W.	Sgt.	"

A/C 42-37632

P/MSG	Hocking, George E.	2nd Lt.	"
CP	Merritt, William R. E.	2nd Lt.	"
N/BLG	Gray, Arthur (NMI)	2nd Lt.	"
BLG	Chaykov, William J. B.	2nd Lt.	"
RO	Moore, Donald Jacob B.	S/Sgt.	"
TTG	Cannon, James W.	Sgt.	"
BTG	McGrath, Joseph A.	Sgt.	"
TG	Thomas, Ernest (NMI)	Sgt.	"
LWG	Dolan, Harry (NMI)	Sgt.	"

A/C 42-97938

P/MSG	Linford, Grant H.	2nd Lt.	"
CP	MacDonagle, George A.	F/O	"
N/LLG	Sungyi, John P.	1st Lt.	"
EO	Schiermann, Urban H. E.	2nd Lt.	"
RO	Whitman, William H.	T/Sgt.	"
TTG	Griffiths, Harris E.	T/Sgt.	"
BTG	Kimball, Tom E.	S/Sgt.	"
TG	McNally, Robert G. (NMI)	S/Sgt.	"
LWG	Dietrich, Arthur R.	S/Sgt.	"

A/C 42-102393

P/MSG	Krist, James A. (NMI)	1st Lt.	"
CP	Renley, Jack (NMI)	2nd Lt.	"
N/LLG	Gabel, Fred V. G.	2nd Lt.	"
BLG	Lignere, James C.	S/Sgt.	"
RO	Dutton, Russell C.	T/Sgt.	"
TTG	Wilson, James B.	T/Sgt.	"
BTG	Dege, DeWayne H.	S/Sgt.	"
TG	McCabe, A. (NMI)	S/Sgt.	"
LWG	Jedzinski, John (NMI)	S/Sgt.	"

A/C 42-106992

P	Burns, Estel G.	2nd Lt.	"
CP	Tompkins, David F.	2nd Lt.	"
N	Harris, Elliott S.	2nd Lt.	"
B	Pinkston, John S.	T/Sgt.	"
RO:	Will, Adam E.	T/Sgt.	"
TTG	Klingbiel, Eugene P.	S/Sgt.	"
BTG	Sweeny, Donald M.	S/Sgt.	"
TG	Henry, Hilmer E.	S/Sgt.	"
LWG	Gruchawa, John (NMI)	S/Sgt.	"

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 401st BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
 401st BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)

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613th BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
OFFICE OF THE OPERATIONS OFFICER
AAF STATION 128, APO # 557

12 JULY 1944

Captain

		L-O-A-D-I-N-G	L-I-S-T	
JOBY	RANK	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI
<u>PLANE NO. 42-197009</u>				
P	2nd Lt.	LEMONS	CLEATUS	C.
CP	2nd Lt.	COTTHILL	RONALD	M.
N	2nd Lt.	KOMAROFF	STUART	J.
B	2nd Lt.	HEISEN	CARL	H.
RO	T/SGT.	MIZENHR	HARRY	R.
TY	T/SGT.	LEBBER	STANLEY	(NMI)
BT	S/SGT.	FRYRNICH	DANIEL	(NMI)
TG	S/SGT.	WEBSTER	WILLIAM	E.
WG	S/SGT.	PIROMALLI	EUGENE	B.

<u>PLANE NO. 42-9992</u> 47-607398				
P	2nd Lt.	KITA	CHESTER	(NMI)
CP	2nd Lt.	CHAFFIER	JOSEPH	R.
N	2nd Lt.	FRITCH	VERNON	H.
B	S/SGT.	SMODGRASS	GEORGE	W.
RO	T/SGT.	MINGS	CLYDE	L.
TY	T/SGT.	GREENLEAF	ROBERT	L.
BT	S/SGT.	NICHOLSON	ROBERT	G.
TG	S/SGT.	HERT	CECIL	S.
WG	SGT.	PEAR	JOHN	H.

<u>PLANE NO. 42-9171</u> 37628				
P	1st Lt.	IRWIN	JAMES	R.
CP	2nd Lt.	FERNOYER	JAMES	E.
N	1st Lt.	BRYANT	CHARLES	W.
B	1st Lt.	SANCHEZ	LOUIS	T.
RO	T/SGT.	FAIRBROOK	JAMES	E.
TY	T/SGT.	HARP	MORRIS	O.
BT	S/SGT.	GREGORY	DAYLIA	C.
TG	S/SGT.	SIGGET	VICTOR	F.
WG	S/SGT.	KLOIBER	STEPHEN	H.

<u>PLANE NO. 42-9992</u> 43-37510				
P	2nd Lt.	HANSON	ALBERT	L.
CP	2nd Lt.	GRAYTON	FREDERICK	A.
N	2nd Lt.	WATSON	HARRY	T.
B	S/SGT.	GREEN	JOHN	C. JR.
RO	T/SGT.	BEARS	DONALD	L.
TY	T/SGT.	MURRAY	HOMER	G.
BT	S/SGT.	KOONS	DONALD	L.
TG	S/SGT.	MARTZ	DALE	C.
WG	S/SGT.	LYALL	LESTER	D.

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PLANE NO. A3-37736

P	2nd Lt.	MAXSON	WILLIAM	J.
CP	2nd Lt.	GRAY	ROBERT	P.
N	2nd Lt.	ZUKUMPT	WERNER	P.
B	S/SGT.	FLETCHER	FRED	L.
NO	SGT.	MAY	CHARLIE	E.
TT	T/SGT.	HANNAN	HAYMOND	E.
BT	S/SGT.	SHARP	JACK	T.
TG	S/SGT.	HILL	HOWARD	H.
WG	SGT.	MISSED	HENRY	M.

PLANE NO. 44-6119

P	2nd Lt.	THOMSON	WALTER	H.
CP	F/O	DOBRATE	HERMAN	A.
N	1st Lt.	WRIGHT	RICHARD	(NMI)
B	1st Lt.	GRATE (GRATE)	LOUIS	B.
NO	S/SGT.	PAPEZ	ISAAC	C.
TT	S/SGT.	LYMPURN	WALLACE	R.
BT	SGT.	GUMBELT	HERBERT	L.
TG	SGT.	COURFREY	HAROLD	T.
WG	SGT.	MICHAEL	HOWARD	E.

PLANE NO. A3-37511

P	2nd Lt.	LIPPERT	JACK	R.
CP	2nd Lt.	YOUNGERS	THOMAS	Y.
N	2nd Lt.	KRON	HERACE	E.
B	S/SGT.	WILLIAMSON	ROBERT	S.
NO	S/SGT.	MAYER	JACK	P.
TT	T/SGT.	PETTIT	GEORGE	L.
BT	S/SGT.	SELESKY	ISADORE	(NMI)
TG	S/SGT.	LA GRASTA	JOSEPH	J.
WG	S/SGT.	ELLIS	LAMAN	A.

PLANE NO. 42-91005

P	2nd Lt.	LOCKHART	HUBBELL	R.
CP	2nd Lt.	HAM	POPIEN	H.
N	2nd Lt.	GUILLEY	ROBERT	L.
BE	2nd Lt.	JARDINE	JOHN	H.
NO	S/SGT.	SCHLARGEL	OTTO	M.
TT	S/SGT.	RYLES	CLARENCE	E.
BT	SGT.	NULL	LLOYD	J.
TG	SGT.	MILLION	LAWRENCE	C.
WG	SGT.	KARPER	JAY	R.

PLANE NO. 44-6132

P	2nd Lt.	JETTER	ARTHUR	C.
CP	2nd Lt.	CAIN	ROBERT	W.
N	F/O	HINSH	HARRY	(NMI)
B	S/SGT.	FETTING	WILLIAM	J.
NO	T/SGT.	SHEWAN	LEE	(NMI)
TT	T/SGT.	NELSON	RICHARD	D.
BT	S/SGT.	KRAPP	MARIA	F.
TG	S/SGT.	BAIER	JOHN	J.
WG	S/SGT.	GRANLAN	RISHAM	(NMI)

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PLANE NO. 601 PFF SHIP

P	1st Lt.	CORHOLLY	JOHN	J.
CP	2nd Lt.	BOGGS	JAMES	B.
N	2nd Lt.	KRISE	THOMAS	H.
N	1st Lt.	HOWARD	ROBERT	W.
B	1st Lt.	BOLLER	HOWARD	H.
RO	T/SGT.	HURLEY	BARCLAY	J.
TT	T/SGT.	MILLS	CARL	W.
TG	S/SGT.	Mac COWAN	BATES	R.
WG	S/SGT.	FRIEDMAN	MAURICE	(NMI)

PLANE NO. A2-102947

P	1st Lt.	HANCOCK	WARDLAW	M.
CP	2nd Lt.	FRAZIER	DONALD	F.
N	2nd Lt.	WOLIVER	IRVING	(NMI)
B	2nd Lt.	LEWIS	GEORGE	R.
RO	S/SGT.	CHAPMAN	HUGH	W.
TT	T/SGT.	GREEN	CECIL	B.
BT	S/SGT.	PICO	VILLAIN	J.
TG	S/SGT.	PARSHOTT	IRA	A.
WG	S/SGT.	MALLOY	FRANCIS	T.

FLYING WITH 615th SQ.

N	2nd Lt.	JORGENSEN	OWEN	H.
N	2nd Lt.	FINE	STANLEY	(NMI)

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101STATION WEATHER OFFICE
AAF STATION 128
APO 557 - U.S. ARMY

12 July 1944

WEATHER INTERROGATION SUMMARY FOR MISSION OF 12 JULY 1944.

BASE AT TAKE OFF: (0850) 10/10 layered stratocumulus base 2-3000 ft tops 5000 ft. Visibility 5 miles.

ROUTE OUT: 10/10 layered stratocumulus base 2-3000 ft tops 5-6000 ft. with a break at mid-channel becoming 9-10/10 cumulus and stratocumulus tops 6-8000 ft. at the Continental Coast building gradually to 17-19,000 ft with occasional tops to 20-22,000 ft. Nil middle cloud. 0-1/10 high cloud. Visibility unrestricted.

TARGET: (1323) 9/10 building cumulus tops 19,000 ft. occasionally to 20-22,000 ft. Nil high cloud. Visibility unrestricted.

ROUTE BACK: 9-10/10 building cumulus tops 17-19,000 ft occasionally 20-22000 ft. tops decreasing and a break in the clouds at 08 deg E 19 deg N to 8/10 with tops at 13-15,000 ft.; tops further decreasing to 6-7000 ft and clouds becoming 9-10/10 cumulus and stratocumulus over English Coast breaking to 6-8/10 cumulus and stratocumulus tops 4-5000 ft base 3000 ft in the Base area. Nil middle cloud becoming 1-3/10 altocumulus at 10,000 ft over England. Nil to 1/10 cirrus over the Continent becoming 1-3/10 cirrus at 23-24,000 ft over England. Visibility unrestricted.

BASE ON RETURN: (1747) 7/10 cumulus and stratocumulus base 3000 ft. 3/10 altocumulus at 10,000 ft. Visibility 7 miles.

REMARKS: Light non-persistent contrails on route in at 24-25,000 ft. at 19 degrees 15 minutes North, 08 degrees 22 minutes East, and also at the I.F. Temperatures were 5-6 degrees warmer than forecast. Wind forecast good, both in direction and velocity.

Walter A. Huntley
WALTER A. HUNTLEY,
Captain, Air Corps,
Station Weather Officer.

OPERATIONAL ROUTE FORECAST

ISS - 101

2 July 1944
0800 - 1800 hrs
BR HQ SOS 122929

CORRECTION ADDED TO OPERATIONAL ROUTE FORECAST:

	A Base
WEATHER	1 Cloudy Base.
	2 Variable cumulus only 10,000 ft base 2-7-9/10 over sea patches 12,000 ft base 5-7/10 above.
CLOUDS	
	3 9000ft
ICING	
	4 3-5 miles becoming 5-6 miles restricted aloft.
VISIBILITY	

WINDS:

07 deg East to Target. Target Winds

500	300	15	270	10
5000	300	20	200	20
10000	310	30	290	20
15000	320	40	300	25
20000	320	55	300	30
25000	330	65	110	30
30000	330	75	110	30

Column B 2: Between 00 deg and Target tops of building cumulus to 20,000 ft and over target itself occasional tops to 25,000 ft.

NOTE
Persistent Contrails below Cirrus level route and also above Cumulus Tops.

Cirrostratus 10,000 and above patchy overcast.

as 25,000ft and east of 00 Deg

HEIGHT	DIRECTION	VELOCITY	DIRECTION	VELOCITY	DIRECTION	VELOCITY	DIRECTION	VELOCITY
SURFACE	07 deg East	320 20	07 deg East to Target	250 15	Target Winds	250 10	Target 10 ps. Plus 17	
1000 FT		320 30		290 20		270 20	Plus .06	
10000 FT		320 35		250 25		270 25	-01	
15000 FT		330 40		200 35		270 35	-09	
20000 FT		340 55		280 45		270 45	-19	
25000 FT		340 65		280 55		270 55	-31	
30000 FT		340 70		280 65		270 65	-43	

BASE ALTIMETER SETTING 30.07 in 21,000 FT. Plus 17 TARGET MEAN TEMP. 22.0 Plus
 TARGET SURFACE TEMP. 30.07 in 21,000 FT. -29 TARGET SURFACE (PRESSURE-ALT) 120 ft. Plus
 TARGET SEA LEVEL PRESSURE 30.07 inches 25,000 ft -31 ADD TARGET ELEVATION TO (MINI (-1000.))

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OPERATIONAL ROUTE FORECAST

DATE 2 July 1944
 PERIOD 0000 - 1200 hrs
 AG P BR HQ SOS 122929

	A Base to 05 Deg East	B 05 Deg East to Target to 05 Deg East.	C 05 Deg East to Bases.	D
WEATHER	Cloudy to Overcast with haze.	Cloudy to Overcast with light or moderate snow showers and occasional Thunderstorms with Rain or snow.	Cloudy to Overcast becoming Cloudy	NOTE Dense Persistent Cumulus 1000ft below Cirrus level entire route and also 1000ft above Cumulus Tops.
CLOUDS	Variable layered Strato-cumulus 3-7/10 occasionally 10/10 base 2000ft tops 5-1000ft. becoming 10/10 over Channel and 7-9/10 Swelling Cumulus base 2-3000 tops 4-10,000 over continent. 3-5/10 Altopumilus in isolated patches base 1000ft tops 12,000ft. 5-7/10 Cirrostratus base xxxx 22,000ft and above.	7-9/10 Swelling Cumulus base 2-3000ft tops 5-10,000ft with tops building to 15-18,000ft over Target and occasionally to 20,000ft on return to 05 Deg East. 3-5/10 Altopumilus in isolated patches base 10,000ft tops 12,000ft becoming 3-5/10 Altopumilus associated with Cumulus tops. 5-7/10 Cirrostratus base 22,000 and above becoming 3-5/10	7-9/10 Swelling Cumulus base 2-3000ft tops 16-18,000ft. decreasing sharply to 7-9/10 Strato-cumulus base 2-3000 tops 6-1000ft. and breaking to 3-5/10 Cumulus base 3000ft tops 6000ft over England. 3-5/10 Altopumilus off Cumulus tops decreasing rapidly to 0-3/10 Altopumilus in isolated patches over Bases.	5-7/10 Cirrostratus base 22,000 and above becoming patchy over Bases. Cirrus 25,000ft and above East of 05 Deg East.
ICING	9000ft light rime in Medium Cloud	9000ft light rime becoming Heavy Clear in CU Tops.	10,000ft Heavy Clear in Cumulus Tops becoming NIL.	
VISIBILITY	3-5 miles becoming 5+ restricted Aloft.	restricted Aloft Vertical Visibility 15-20 miles	5+ restricted Aloft becoming 6 miles plus at Surface on Return.	NOTE Navigational and Target Temperatures are the SAME
HEIGHT	DIRECTION VELOCITY	DIRECTION VELOCITY	DIRECTION VELOCITY	DIRECTION VELOCITY
SURFACE	Base to 07 23 Deg East 320 20	07 Deg East to Target 20 15	Target Bases 280 10	Target 18 ps. Plus 17
500 FT	320 30	290 20	270 20	Plus 06
1000 FT	320 35	250 25	270 25	-01
1500 FT	330 40	260 25	270 35	-09
2000 FT	340 55	280 45	270 45	-19
2500 FT	340 65	280 55	270 55	-31
3000 FT	340 70	280 65	270 65	-43

BASE ALTIMETER SETTING 30.07 in TARGET SURFACE TEMP. Plus 17 TARGET MEAN TEMP. Plus 17
 TEMP. AT 45,000 FT. -27 TARGET SURFACE (PRESSURE-ALT) -120 ft.
 TARGET SEA LEVEL PRESSURE: 30.07 inches → 29,000ft -31 ADD TARGET ELEVATION TO 45,000 (→ 45,120 ft.)

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OFFICE OF THE INTELLIGENCE OFFICER
STATION 128 - APO 557
U. S. ARMY

2 July 1944

SUBJECT: Crew Comments and Suggestions

TO : Commanding Officer, 401st Bom Group (H), APO 557, Sta 128, U S Army

1. S/Sgt Eugene B Piromalli, LWG A/C 7009, requires longer oxygen hose and longer wires for headset in case of A/C with staggered waist guns.
2. Enlisted men of crew 9, A/C 7113, stated that after mission yesterday they were tired and had to fly again today but couldn't get any sleep because the non-operational men in the barracks made so much noise.
3. Lt William J Mann, pilot A/C 7092, reported that T/Sgt Busher after flying long mission yesterday which made him 25 missions was put on guard duty 10 minutes after he reached Squadron area.
4. Lt Joseph R Chartier, copilot A/C 2398 states that formation as a division was good today.
5. Crew of A/C 7511 wants to see pictures of movies taken of incendiary flak at target area.
6. Crew of A/C 1983, Pilot Lt Harry E Haskett, reports that some A/C of our group kicked out bombs through lower elements.
7. Complaints on poor transportation were registered by crews of the following A/CL
A/C 2005 - Lt Russell R Lockhart, Pilot
A/C 7084 - Lt Robert L Fisette, Pilot
A/C 7395 - Lt Paul R Koons, Pilot

W. B Fry
Major, AC
Group S-2

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HEADQUARTERS
401ST BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
Office of the Armament Officer
AAF Station 128

F-C-1

APD 557
12 July 1944

SUBJECT: Armament Malfunction Mission Report.

TO : Commanding General, 1st Bombardment Division, APO 557.
ATTN: Division Armament Officer.

1. Date of Mission: 12 July 1944.
2. No gun malfunctions were reported.
3. No turret malfunctions were reported.
4. The following bombing equipment malfunctions were reported:
 - a. 44-6113 - Could not drop bombs in train. RS2 Selector Switch found to be sticking. Switches have been replaced.
 - b. 42-97478 - One (1) bomb hung up on right inboard top station. Racks checked on ground and no malfunction found.
 - c. 43-37602 - Bomb Bay doors would not open electrically. Ground check revealed water in Bomb Bay Motor. Motor has been replaced.
 - d. 42-107084 - Intervalometer inoperative. Racks checked on ground and no malfunction found.
5. There were thirteen (13) aircraft equipped with the all-electric bomb release system participating in the mission.

SAM P. BROOMHALL, JR.,
1st Lt., Air Corps,
Group Armament Officer.

HEADQUARTERS
401ST BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
Office of the Engineering Officer
AAF Station 128

F-B-1

APO 557
13 July 1944

SUBJECT: Abortive Report.

**TO : Commanding Officer, AAF Station 128, APO 557.
ATTN: Air Statistical Officer.**

1. The following aircraft aborted from the mission of 12 July 1944 due to the reasons stated:

a. Aircraft 42-31091 returned early and Pilot reported gas fumes in cockpit. Ground check was made and no leaks were detected in the fuel system nor were there any fumes in the airplane at that time.

b. Aircraft 42-39873 returned early because of a drop in oxygen pressure in the system supplying the Pilot, Navigator and Upper Turret, which, upon return, registered 275, 225 and 300 pounds respectively. This system was then serviced to 400 pounds and allowed to stand for two hours. At the end of that time no leaks had been detected and all gauges still registered 400 pounds.

HENRY P. VANDERHOEF,
W.O. (jg), Air Corps,
Asst. Group Engineering Officer.

LEAD BOX 94th "A" Wing

Combat Flight Leader

MAJOR SILVER

Date

12 JULY 1944

Deputy Flight Leader

LT GRUMAN

615th SQUADRON

612th SC JABOCK

613th IL MACRO

614th LW GOLFCLUB

615th IY BUZZARD

SILVER (PARR)

PF

"Y" 7600 ✓

OSSIANDER

CONNALLY

IY E

7092 ✓

PF

"Z" 7601 ✓

HEENAN

IY R

6146 ✓

HASKETT

DOW

IY G

1983 ✓

IY H

7953 ✓

615th SQUADRON

614th SQUADRON

LOCKHART

LA FEVOR

IN M

2005 ✓

1w 0

7602 ✓

THOMASON

LEMONS

KENNEY

REZZELL

IN R

6113 ✓

IN E

7009 ✓

IW R

7780 ✓

IW A

7872 ✓

JETTER

LIPKA

IN B

6132 ✓

IW Q

7478 ✓

MC KEON

LIPPERT

LERNICK

KOVACK

IN T

7736 ✓

IN G

7511 ✓

IW S

6145 ✓

IW K

1369 ✓

(L.D.)

SPARES

4- 500 Gals 1/10 1/100
 6- M17 I.B.'s
 GAS LOAD MAX

LOW KIBBE BOX 94th A Wing

Combat Flight Leader XXXXXXXXXX LT KAUFMAN Date 12 JULY 1944
 Deputy Flight Leader LT IRWIN

6 SQDN
 KAUFMAN
 612th SC JABROCK
 613th II. MACRO
 614th IW GOLFCLUB
 615th IY BUZZARD

IW P 2012 ✓

HOCKING

IRWIN

SC L 7632 ✓

SC A 7628 ✓

KNOST

SC R 2393 ✓

LINFORD

GIBSON

SC S 7938 ✓

SC E 2917 ✓

SQDN

SQDN

TOUSSAINT

HAMMOND

SC O 7487 ✓

IN S 2947 ✓

RITTING

BURNS

MC ILRAITH

JOHNSON

SC B 1662 ✓

SC D 6992 ✓

IY J K 7113 ✓

IY Q 9873

KUTA

SC N 2398 ✓

OCHSENHIRT

IY O 1091 ✓

KOONS

HANSON

LOUGHLIN

FISETTE

IW P 7395 - LD
 SPARES

SC T 7510 ✓

SC G 7962 ✓
 Changing of Wing.

IW A 7084 ✓

Spare lead SC N 7510
 Grnd spares SC H ~~7113~~ 2398
~~SC N 7084~~
 Weather Ship IY K 1069

344 - R.P.M. - drop 350-400 R.P.M.
 931 - No Manifest fues.