

455<sup>th</sup> Bomb Group, Field Orders, FO#178, Kolin, Czech, 12/28/44

742ND BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)  
APO 520 U.S. ARMY

28 DECEMBER 1944

SUBJECT: CREWS COMPLETING MISSION ON 28 DEC 1944

TO : OPERATIONS OFFICER, 455TH BOMB GB (H)

SHIP 935  
P LT GROOMS ✓  
CP LT SHERIDAN ✓  
N LT DE PIANO ✓  
B LT MUISE ✓  
HAMMER  
ALFINO  
SINK  
WEST, M.  
SILES  
STINE  
WALLO (F)

SHIP 990  
LT RHETT ✓  
LT EDELSTEIN ✓  
LT SOKOLOW ✓  
LT LITTLE ✓  
KRENZKE  
SISTERMAN  
HINES  
WATSON  
ATWELL  
HANLEY

SHIP 624  
LT REYNOLDS ✓  
LT PHILLIPS ✓  
LT KIEFFER ✓  
LT ARTHUR ✓  
LOPETRONE  
KINCAID  
FRANK, G.  
TOMME  
HUNZIKER  
CALANDRINO  
RUSSOMANO (F)

SHIP 201  
P LT KELLER ✓  
CP LT OZENGAR ✓  
N LT SCHEPS ✓  
B LT FILARSKY ✓  
DAVIES  
DELANEY  
MARSHALL  
FREEMAN  
FOX  
HOSTETTER  
LT DONELAN (N) ✓

SHIP 151  
LT STUART ✓  
LT HALL ✓  
LT EBER ✓  
LT PERRILL ✓  
FRAGALE  
MALCOLM  
WEST, G.  
TAYLOR  
BORSTAD  
HOLEMAN

TIME \_\_\_\_\_

TARGET \_\_\_\_\_

WILLIAM R. HOGAN,  
1ST LT, AIR CORPS,  
OPERATIONS OFFICER.

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7<sup>TH</sup> BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (P) AAF  
 455TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H) AAF  
 A.P.O. No. 520 U. S. Army

28 December 1944  
 (DATE)

LOADING LIST

A/C NUMBER 366 DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

PILOT	Maj. Welsh ✓	TOP TUR GNR	Sgt. Kent
CO-PILOT	Lt. Jirschelle ✓	WAIST RIGHT	Sgt. Francis
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Clark ✓	WAIST LEFT	Sgt. Hofer
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Kroplin ✓	BALL TUR GNR	Sgt. Holloway
RADIO	Sgt. Marcotrigiano	TAIL TUR GNR	Sgt. Siegel

A/C NUMBER 790 DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

PILOT	Lt. Fainter ✓	TOP TUR GNR	Sgt. Wright
CO-PILOT	Lt. Hammond ✓	WAIST RIGHT	Sgt. Confer
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Peters ✓	WAIST LEFT	Sgt. McBryde
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Walsh, J.F. ✓	BALL TUR GNR	Sgt. Welfley
RADIO	Sgt. Ossa	TAIL TUR GNR	Sgt. Hargadine

A/C NUMBER 663 DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

PILOT	Lt. Pinkley ✓	TOP TUR GNR	Sgt. Frisby
CO-PILOT	Lt. Root ✓	WAIST RIGHT	Sgt. Glaeser
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Vince ✓	WAIST LEFT	Sgt. Armstrong
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Bach ✓	BALL TUR GNR	Sgt. Skroback
RADIO	Sgt. Littman	TAIL TUR GNR	Sgt. Blackman

A/C NUMBER 754 DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

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PILOT	Lt. Grosser ✓	TOP TUR GNR	Sgt. Golden
CO-PILOT	Lt. Deppe	WAIST RIGHT	Sgt. Corkins
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Bonyng	WAIST LEFT	Sgt. Gagola
BOMBARDIER	Lt. McGahran	BALL TUR GNR	Sgt. Mennell
RADIO	Sgt. Gross	TAIL TUR GNR	Sgt. Langley

A/C NUMBER 199 DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

PILOT	Lt. Morgan ✓	TOP TUR GNR	Sgt. <del>Excell</del> Boyce
CO-PILOT	Lt. Brunson, L.E. ✓	WAIST RIGHT	Sgt. Clark, R. Evans
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Kent ✓	WAIST LEFT	Sgt. <del>Gretzinger</del> Johnson
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Hassen ✓	BALL TUR GNR	Sgt. <del>Egger</del> Hotmanek
RADIO	Sgt. Brennan	TAIL TUR GNR	Sgt. <del>Mazur</del> Baker, A.S.

A/C NUMBER 419 DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

PILOT	Lt. Feurriegel ✓	TOP TUR GNR	Sgt. Excell
CO-PILOT	Lt. Brunson, L.J. ✓	WAIST RIGHT	Sgt. Clark, R.
NAVIGATOR	Lt. McBain ✓	WAIST LEFT	Sgt. Gretzinger
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Goodman ✓	BALL TUR GNR	Sgt. Egger
RADIO	Sgt. Brown	TAIL TUR GNR	Sgt. Mazur

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 55TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H) AAF  
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A/C NUMBER 974 DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

PILOT	Lt. Brown ✓	TOP TUR GNR	Sgt. Dunham
CO-PILOT	Lt. Howarth ✓	WAIST RIGHT	Sgt. DuFree
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Oxler ✓	WAIST LEFT	Sgt. Cole
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Pelosi ✓	BALL TUR GNR	Sgt. Maggio
RADIO	Sgt. Woodward	TAIL TUR GNR	Sgt. Burkhardt

A/C NUMBER 359 DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

PILOT	Lt. Barnhill ✓	TOP TUR GNR	Sgt. Deen
CO-PILOT	Lt. Hayslett ✓	WAIST RIGHT	Sgt. Crawford
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Pepin ✓	WAIST LEFT	Sgt. Dougherty
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Duncan ✓	BALL TUR GNR	Sgt. Law
RADIO	Sgt. Chambers	TAIL TUR GNR	Sgt. Morello

A/C NUMBER 373 DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

PILOT	Lt. Arendt ✓	TOP TUR GNR	Sgt. Ponton
CO-PILOT	Lt. Hanna ✓	WAIST RIGHT	Sgt. Dorn
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Park ✓	WAIST LEFT	Sgt. Collins
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Birdsell ✓	BALL TUR GNR	Sgt. Kochanek
RADIO	Sgt. Crump	TAIL TUR GNR	Sgt. Cober
Radio	Sgt. Clark, J.P.		

A/C NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

PILOT		TOP TUR GNR	
CO-PILOT		WAIST RIGHT	
NAVIGATOR		WAIST LEFT	
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	
RADIO		TAIL TUR GNR	

A/C NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

PILOT		TOP TUR GNR	
CO-PILOT		WAIST RIGHT	
NAVIGATOR		WAIST LEFT	
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	
RADIO		TAIL TUR GNR	

A/C NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

PILOT		TOP TUR GNR	
CO-PILOT		WAIST RIGHT	
NAVIGATOR		WAIST LEFT	
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	
RADIO		TAIL TUR GNR	

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FORMATION DIAGRAM

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1ST ATTACK UNIT

A BOX

SNOWDEN-TAYLOR  
75 | 033

GILL  
72 | 146

KEEFE-HOUSER  
2 | 266

HELRIG  
76 | 331

KAHLEY  
78 | 889

DURKEE  
77 | 395

ANDERTON  
65 | 419

B BOX

ELIAS  
17 | 115

KIRKLAND  
7 | 938

JENSON  
13 | 597

SCHWEIGER  
16 | 376

HIMES  
71 | 232

KENT  
14 | 400

JOHNSON  
68 | 543

2ND ATTACK UNIT

C BOX

JIRSHELLE  
30 | 366

PINKLEY  
23 | 663

PAINTER  
21 | 790

DEPPE  
~~34 | 773~~

BRUNSON J.  
37 | 419

BRUNSON L.E.  
31 | 199

BROWN  
26 | 774

D BOX

Keller  
46 | 201

REYNOLDS  
59 | 624

STUART  
51 | 151

GROOMS  
44 | 936

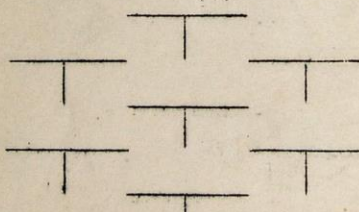
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BARNHILL  
25 | 859

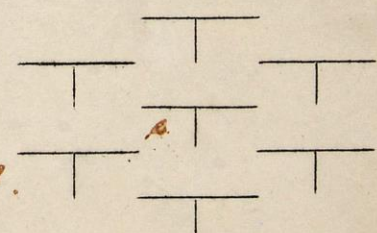
34 | 373

3RD ATTACK UNIT

E BOX



F BOX



SPARES - PFF #381

SNOOK 583-69 } 743  
TAYLOR 453 60 }

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LOADING LIST *92 8-3*

740th	115	12/28/44	
Lt Ellis ✓			T/Sgt Mazur
Lt Hollrock ✓			T/Sgt Moore
Lt Mastman ✓			M/Sgt Adams
F/O Riley ✓			S/Sgt Lewis
S/Sgt Confield		(7)	S/Sgt Patterson
			S/Sgt McCarthy
740th	597	12/28/44	
Lt Jensen ✓			T/Sgt Edgar
Lt Pratt ✓			S/Sgt Blackdeer
Lt Mondo ✓			Sgt Levison
Lt Thibert ✓			Sgt Kurey
T/Sgt Abbott			M/Sgt Cooper
740th	376	12/28/44	
Lt Schweiger ✓			T/Sgt Brown
Lt Caffee ✓			S/Sgt Dax
Lt Livingood ✓			S/Sgt Lloyd, J S
Lt Meyers ✓			S/Sgt Carter
T/Sgt Martin			Sgt Martineck
R 1st Lt Bailey			
740th	400	12/28/44	
Lt Kent ✓			Sgt Mennier
Lt Harlow ✓			Sgt Waugh
F/O Hawke ✓			Sgt Quigley
Lt Reynolds ✓			Sgt Small
Sgt Olvey			Sgt Watson

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MISSION NO. 173

COMBAT LOADING LIST

28 December 1944

SHIP NO. 543

P JOHNSON, EF ✓  
CP DREHER ✓  
N ROFSTAD, J ✓  
B HALL ✓  
E MULLER, DC  
R TARTAGLIA, W  
AE KILBASHIAN, S  
AR SCOTT, JF  
AG LYON, LH  
AG WHITE, AJ

LT  
LT  
LT  
LT  
SGT  
SGT  
SGT  
SGT  
SGT  
SGT

SHIP NO. 829

KAHLEY, DE ✓  
LOFTIN, UC ✓  
ARMERUSTER, E ✓  
DOUGLAS, CL ✓  
HERVEY, C  
LUHTA, FJ  
SILVERSTEIN, ABC  
NAJJAR, C  
BLAIR, E  
JONES, RB

LT  
LT  
LT  
LT  
SGT  
SGT  
SGT  
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SGT

SHIP NO. 419

ANDERTON, DJ ✓  
SYVERSON ✓  
ROHLER  
GUSTAFSON, E  
SHORES, D  
FROUSSARD, J  
BURIE, J  
SIMS  
LAHIERE, G  
SIMON, A

LT  
LT  
LT  
LT  
SGT  
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SGT

SHIP NO. 453

P TAYLOR, CP ✓  
CP DAVID, SH ✓  
N SUMMERFIELD, WI ✓  
B BELTRAMI, AP ✓  
E BEENE, DW  
R BLACK, WE  
AE SHALA, LE  
AR CALWELL, G  
AG ERICKSON, WB  
AG BRUNOW, CP

LT  
LT  
LT  
LT  
SGT  
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SHIP NO. 583

SNOOK, DG ✓  
BRYANT, RS ✓  
REDDY, JE ✓  
BERMAN, H ✓  
CARLAND, W  
BETTI, LJ  
MCROBERTS, BF  
ALLEN, JT  
DEL GALLO  
BOUDOUSQUIE, IE

LT  
LT  
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SHIP NO. 331

HELBIG, ✓  
WARHAFTIG ✓  
DUDEMAN  
WHITE  
MAGEE  
CZARNATOWICZ  
PULVER  
W OLEY  
KUNZ  
HEITKAMP  
BLOOM  
SHIP NO. 395

LT  
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SHIP NO. 232

P HIMES, RC ✓  
CP JENSON, MH ✓  
N CARBER, CD ✓  
B MOFFETT ✓  
E ELLIS, G  
R O'CONNOR, RL  
AE DOUGHER, FP  
AR HELMERS, RR  
AG NAZARCHYK  
AG GERBER, HL

LT  
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SHIP NO. 146

GILL, DB ✓  
BROWN, JN ✓  
ROVIE, RJ ✓  
TRUNKER, WJ ✓  
MOENK, LM  
ASHTON, RJ  
GREFKOWICZ, LS  
HOOK, LG  
MACKINNON, JT  
MARTIN, HL  
F GOULD, JD

LT  
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LT  
LT  
SGT  
SGT  
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SGT

SHIP NO. 033

P SNOWDEN, WL ✓  
CP THAYER, DS ✓  
N PEDERSON, RL ✓  
B CARENS, ✓  
E WALKER, WL  
R COOK, AM  
AE SPORS, AA  
AR ROBERTS, EV  
AG DENITT, RJ  
NV CUMMINGS ✓  
N WHITE

LT COL  
LT COL  
LT  
LT  
SGT  
SGT  
SGT  
SGT  
SGT  
LT  
CAPT.

SHIP NO. 266  
KEEPER, ✓  
HOUSER, A ✓  
BENNER, CB ✓  
CORBETT ✓  
KERMES, RJ ✓  
GIBBS, O  
HERNANDEZ, RM  
OLSON, WE  
NORTON, RK  
EVERHART, H  
MONTGOMERY, AC  
ARMANDO, W ✓

LT COL.  
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