

455<sup>th</sup> Bomb Group, Field Orders, FO #237, Porto Gardena/Goito, Italy, 04/11/45

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130 FORCE

Charlie Box

743 Able Box  
 Lt. SHANDEN  
 JOHNSON 75 | 1033  
 66 | 425  
 STARRER 78 | 889  
 69 | 583  
 BLACKWELL 68 | 543

740 Baker Box  
 RICHARDSON  
 2 | 508  
 MRS. NIVERS  
 7 | 468  
 ANDERSON  
 8 | 402  
 SZEKLIP 11 | 414  
 KRATT 10 | 573

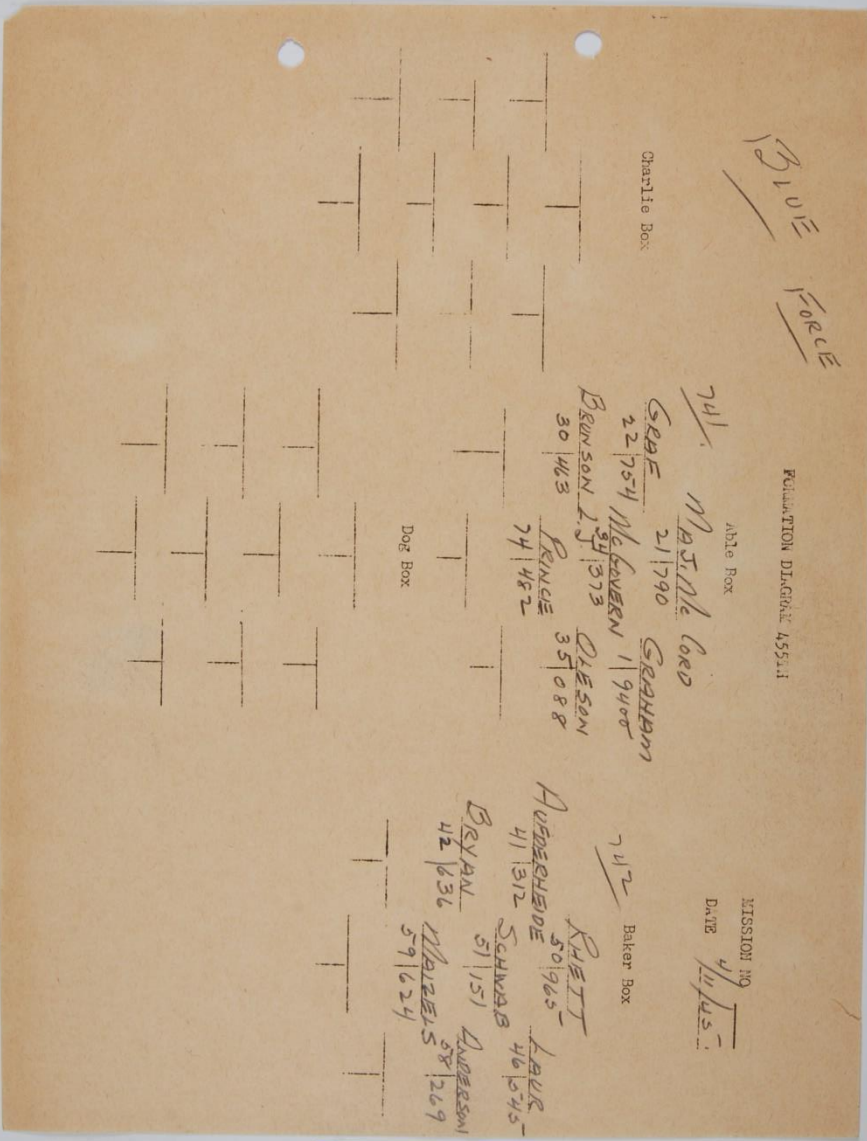
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 PFF-SPARE  
 47-728

MISSION DATE 4/11/45

740 3-295 - THORNE  
 741 53-517 - HUTTON  
 742 49-310 - CHAPMAN  
 743

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740	808	4/11/45	Lt Richards Lt Dixon Lt Riley Bomb. Lt Harris, H.S., & Lt Hawke T/Sgt Montes	T/Sgt Mancel Sgt Minker Sgt Ringvelski Sgt Bojarski Sgt Riddanour
740	827	4/11/45	Lt Peterson Major Luttrell Lt Antone <i>no credit</i> Lt La Gratta T/Sgt Brennan	T/Sgt Stevens S/Sgt Goll S/Sgt Donaldson S/Sgt Jones S/Sgt Wojcik
740	468	4/11/45	Major May IV Lt Dagonkolb Lt Lewis <i>no credit</i> T/Sgt Goldarcis	T/Sgt Maiorana S/Sgt Bergquist S/Sgt Barbieri Sgt Helms Sgt Bondy
740	873	4/11/45	Lt Pratt Lt Blackwell Lt Sween Lt Butler T/Sgt Mashell	T/Sgt Campbell, G.W. Cpl Connel I Cpl Wehelta Cpl Greenfield Cpl Varsias Cpl Spradling
740	446	RGM 4/11/45	Lt Tank Lt Cardinal Lt Mondo T/Sgt Pyle	T/Sgt Dubowicz S/Sgt Martinech S/Sgt Cherry S/Sgt DeZee S/Sgt Boucher S/Sgt Van Allen
740	414	F 4/11/45	Lt Snerlip Lt Hagen Lt Backman T/Sgt EGEE Valaska	T/Sgt Potash S/Sgt Machuga S/Sgt Jacobson S/Sgt Benschung S/Sgt Hardison
740	402	4/11/45	Lt Anderson Lt Blazer Lt Meats Cpl Corbin	Cpl Hawkins Cpl Sturges Cpl Terton Cpl Gless Cpl Yost

Lt Heinneman flew in ship 790.

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 APO 520 U.S. ARMY.

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 11 ~~MARCH~~ 1945  
 (DATE)

LOADING LIST

AC NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
790		
PILOT	MAJ. MC CORD ✓	TOP TUR GNR SGT. FRISBY
CO-PILOT	LT. POLANDO ✓	WAIST RIGHT MAJ. HARRIS
NAVIGATOR	LTS. OXLER ✓ PETERS ✓	WAIST LEFT SGT. SMITH (GROUP) X
BOMBARDIER	LT. LUDDEN ✓	<del>XXXXXXXXXX</del> LT. HEINEMAN
RADIO	SGT. OSSA	TAIL TUR GNR LT. SMITH, T.G. ✓
9100		
PILOT	CAPT. GRAHAM ✓	TOP TUR GNR SGT. MINOR
CO-PILOT	LT. RINGWALD ✓	WAIST RIGHT SGT. HEMMING
NAVIGATOR	LTS. COOPER ✓ VUKOTICH ✓	WAIST LEFT SGT. WITZBERGER
BOMBARDIER	LT. BECKER ✓	<del>XXXXXXXXXX</del> LT. WILSON ✓
RADIO	SGT. BRENNAN	TAIL TUR GNR SGT. BRISTOW
754		
PILOT	LT. GRAF ✓	TOP TUR GNR SGT. HAMMOND
CO-PILOT	LT. CARPENTER ✓	WAIST RIGHT SGT. LYONS
NAVIGATOR		WAIST LEFT SGT. MARCH
BOMBARDIER	LT. DUNCAN ✓	BALL TUR GNR SGT. ZEGERER
RADIO	SGT. HAAS	TAIL TUR GNR SGT. POWELL
373		
PILOT	LT. MC GOVERN ✓	TOP TUR GNR SGT. VALKO
CO-PILOT	LT. ROUNDS ✓	WAIST RIGHT SGT. ASHLOCK
NAVIGATOR	LT. DOSENBACH ✓	WAIST LEFT SGT. O'CONNELL
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR SGT. MC AFE
RADIO	SGT. HIGGINS	TAIL TUR GNR SGT. MILLS
		SPOT JAMMER SGT. CLARK, J.P.
088		
PILOT	LT. OLESON ✓	TOP TUR GNR SGT. SUTTON
CO-PILOT	LT. KNUPP ✓	WAIST RIGHT SGT. VINE
NAVIGATOR	LT. FELDMAN ✓	WAIST LEFT SGT. JONKERS
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR SGT. KAERCHER
RADIO	SGT. RAMSAY	TAIL TUR GNR SGT. BROTHERS
		PHOTO SGT. MINER
463		
PILOT	LT. BRUNSON, L.J. ✓	TOP TUR GNR SGT. EXCELL
CO-PILOT	LT. MILLER ✓	WAIST RIGHT SGT. KAVANAUGH
NAVIGATOR	LT. MC BAIN ✓	WAIST LEFT SGT. EGGER
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR SGT. GRETZINGER
RADIO	SGT. BROWN	TAIL TUR GNR SGT. HANKINS
		PHOTO SGT. ELDRIDGE

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PERSONNEL LIST

AC NUMBER 651 DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

PILOT	MAJ. DORING ✓	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. POMALES
CO-PILOT	LT. REYNOLDS ✓	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. SUMWALT
NAVIGATOR	LTS. BASALA-GOETZ ✓	WAIST LEFT	SGT. KIRBY
BOMBARDIER	LT. BURKHOLDER ✓	<del>XXXXXXXXXX</del>	LT. ROHLER ✓
RADIO	SGT. BERNDT	TAIL TUR GNR	LT. WHITTAKER ✓

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

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11 APRIL 1945

SUBJECT: CREWS COMPLETING MISSION ON 11 APRIL 1945 "B" BOX BLUE FORCE  
TO : OPERATIONS OFFICER, 455TH BOMB GP (H)

SHIP 965 1.

P LT RHETT —  
CP LT TINZMANN —  
N LT SOKOLOV —  
B LT RODRIGUEZ —  
KRENZKE  
SISTERMAN  
ATWELL  
HINES  
WATSON  
HANLEY  
LT BAUMBAUER —

SHIP 545 2.

LT BAUR —  
LT HAGAN —  
LT GLASE —  
LT LITTLE —  
FISHER  
GERTIG  
GYSAN  
BROWN, J.  
BRICKER  
SHEEHAN

SHIP 312 3.

LT AUFDERHEIDE —  
LT MANBECK —  
LT MITTON —  
LT HAGUE —  
POWELL  
WOLINSKY  
WEEKS  
MATTINGLY  
BOWERS  
BROWN, R.  
RAINS (SJ)

SHIP 151 4.

P LT SCHWAB —  
CP LT PERLMUTTER —  
N LT  
B LT THOMPSON —  
MARTINEZ  
WAYNE  
MARRS  
FERGUSON  
CELESTIN  
MIXSON  
HEPLER (F)

SHIP 269 5.

CAPT ANDERSON —  
LT CHESSHER —  
LT GROH —  
LITTLETON  
SALAK  
MAJESKIE  
FRAISER  
TEACLE  
ZABOVNICK

SHIP 636 6.

LT BRYAN, W. —  
LT YOUNG —  
LT JONES —  
LT TOWNSEINB —  
FROST  
CHAPMAN  
BLAND  
HALLQUIST  
WILLIAMSON  
LAPINSKAS

SHIP 624 7.

P LT MAIZELS —  
CP LT PETERSON —  
N LT MALEY —  
B  
ANDERSON, W.  
MULLEN  
WASSERMAN  
SLY  
ADAMS  
REDMON  
MORRIS (F)

TIME \_\_\_\_\_

TARGET \_\_\_\_\_

WILLIAM R. HOGAN,  
CAPTAIN, AIR CORPS,  
OPERATIONS OFFICER.

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Office of the Operations Officer  
APO 520

11 April 1945

COMBAT LOADING LIST

MISSION NO. 231

SHIP NO. 543

P	BLACKWELL, GE	LT
CP	SCRUGGS, TW	LT
N	RILEY, WJ	LT
B	BORGHOLTHAUS, D	LT
E	WEATHERLY, JT	SGT
R	WESE, HL	SGT
AE	WEST,	SGT
AR	GRAHAM, ET	SGT
AG	EUNICE, WJ	SGT
AG	MURILLO, AE	SGT
SJ		

SHIP NO. 625

JOHNSON, ED	LT
HESELBARTH, F	LT
BANKS, R	LT
MULLER, D	SGT
TARTAGLIA, W	SGT
KILBASHIAN, S	SGT
SCOTT, J	SGT
LYON, L	SGT
WHITE, A	SGT
HALL, H	SGT

SHIP NO. 033

SNOWDEN	COL
HOSS	MAJ
PIERCE	CAPT
CARENS	MAJ
DARLANG	LT
OVEN, AM	SGT
AZIZ, A	SGT
PARIS, HC	PFC
MYRON	LT
AMUNDSON	SGT

SHIP NO. 889

P	GROZIER, R	LT
CP	CHARTIER, HD	LT
N	SCHAACK, AJ	LT
B	WOJTCOWICZ, F	SGT
E	RISCH, RH	SGT
R	MILES, RB	SGT
AE	CLOUD, RD	SGT
AR	METSKER, HA	SGT
AG	MUNNERLYN, VP	SGT
AG	SCHENCK, ME	SGT
F	PLACE, J	SGT

SHIP NO. 561

GILL, DB	LT
FINN, RM	LT
HEIDMOUS, WN	LT
CAINE, TC	LT
MOENK, LM	SGT
ASHTON, RJ	SGT
HOOK, LG	SGT
GREFKOWICZ, LS	SGT
MACKINNON, JT	SGT
MARTIN, HL	SGT
FOLK, GW	SGT

SHIP NO. 583

STALKER	CAPT
PAYANT	LT
ANDERSON, CC	LT
PATRICK	LT
HERVEY, C	SGT
LUHTA, EJ	SGT
NAJJAR, C	SGT
SILVERSTEIN, A	SGT
BLAIR, EB	SGT
JONES, RB	SGT

SHIP NO. 482

P	PRINCE	LT
CP	HUGHES	LT
N	DOUGLAS	LT
B		
E	PAPIA	SGT
R	WIEDERKEHR	SGT
AE	CZERWIONKA	SGT
AR	D'ANDRIA, W	SGT
AG	CRAMER	SGT
AG	LAHIERE, BG	SGT
AG	SLOMSKI, H	SGT
SJ	VAN AMBERG	SGT

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