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CISTERNA

Mission No. 5

March 2, 1944

FIELD ORDER NO. 10

(Annex #2, Field Order No. 10, 2 March 1944)

BRIEFING OUTLINE.

1. Numer of Aircraft on Mission-----39 B-24's.
2. Group leader-----Lt. Col. K.A. COOL
3. Deputy Group leader-----Major H.R. GRAFF
4. Second section leader-----Major D.S. THAYER
5. Second deputy leader-----Lt. R. HOWSAM.
6. Other groups on mission-----454, 456 & 459 BG's.
7. Escort-----P-37, P-38 Area cover
8. Bombs-----20 clusters of frags, inst, fusing.
9. Ammunition-----5200 rounds.
10. Fuel load-----2300 gals gas, full oil service.
11. Stations-----07:00
12. Taxi & T.O. Instructions-----Taxi to South End of field in following order for T.O. to N-W at 08:35.

ORDER OF TAKE-OFF

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|---|-----|----|-----|----|-----|----|-----|
| 1 | 500 | 10 | 294 | 19 | 257 | 29 | 216 |
| 2 | 204 | 11 | 267 | 20 | 260 | 30 | 241 |
| 3 | 271 | 12 | 278 | 21 | 749 | 31 | 247 |
| 4 | 235 | 13 | 239 | 22 | 290 | 32 | 266 |
| 5 | 264 | 14 | 219 | 23 | 249 | 33 | 230 |
| 6 | 289 | 15 | 221 | 24 | 456 | 34 | 282 |
| 7 | 224 | 16 | 282 | 25 | 280 | 35 | 261 |
| 8 | 665 | 17 | 198 | 26 | 476 | 36 | 658 |
| 9 | 283 | 18 | 223 | 27 | 481 | 37 | 259 |
| | | | | 28 | 271 | 38 | 494 |
| | | | | | | 39 | 640 |

13. Assembly-----Over field 16,000' Depart field 10:00A
14. Course-----Base to Capri 240° climb.
 Capri to Ponza 290° 22,500'
 Ponza to I.P. 259° 22,500'
 I.P. to target 340° 22,500'
15. Time at I.P. -----11:00 time over target 11:07
16. Target to Base-----Let down 131°
17. I.P.-----8 miles East of Nettuno.
18. Axis of attack-----340°
19. Bombing formation-----Two waves of 18 ships each.
20. Aiming point for each wave,-----South edge of CISTERNA TOWN;
 intervalometer setting 200'
21. Rally-----Right turn one third needle width,
 losing altitude 400' per minute.

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

740 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 41-29282 BOMB LOAD _____ TIME OF T/O 09:00

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

| | | | |
|------------|--------|--------------|-----------|
| PILOT | Hynson | TOP TUR GUN | Watermond |
| CO-PILOT | Jones | WAIST RIGHT | Daniel |
| NAVIGATOR | Keller | WAIST LEFT | Strange |
| BOMBARDIER | Banks | BALL TUR GUN | Harpster |
| RADIO | McTall | TAIL GUN | Limberger |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

740 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 42-52239 BOMB LOAD _____ TIME OF T/O 09:00

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

| | | | |
|------------|---------|--------------|-----------|
| PILOT | Smith | TOP TUR GUN | Cassidy |
| CO-PILOT | Griffin | WAIST RIGHT | Conlin |
| NAVIGATOR | Draghi | WAIST LEFT | Nyquist |
| BOMBARDIER | Clowery | BALL TUR GUN | Good |
| RADIO | Wolf | TAIL GUN | Carringer |
| | | Nose T | Childers |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

740 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 42-52223 BOMB LOAD _____ TIME OF T/O 09:00

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

| | | | |
|------------|------------|--------------|--------|
| PILOT | Wallick | TOP TUR GUN | Collum |
| CO-PILOT | Mc Inturff | WAIST RIGHT | Lisi |
| NAVIGATOR | Whidden | WAIST LEFT | Gaynor |
| BOMBARDIER | Hager | BALL TUR GUN | Abbink |
| RADIO | Mooré | TAIL GUN | Cranco |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

740 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 42-52221 BOMB LOAD _____ TIME OF T/O 09:00

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

| | | | |
|------------|------------|--------------|-----------|
| PILOT | Houser | TOP TUR GUN | Kempf |
| CO-PILOT | Mc Narmara | WAIST RIGHT | Lielinski |
| NAVIGATOR | Deppisch | WAIST LEFT | Havers |
| BOMBARDIER | Levin | BALL TUR GUN | Furfaro |
| RADIO | O'Brien | TAIL GUN | Robinson |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

740 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 42-52270 BOMB LOAD _____ TIME OF T/O 0:900

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

| | | | |
|------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| PILOT | Prosser H. J. | TOP TUR GUN | Austins |
| CO-PILOT | Kelly J. A. | WAIST RIGHT | King M W |
| NAVIGATOR | Erantz r. P | WAIST LEFT | Collins F S |
| BOMBARDIER | Kratz R P | BALL TUR GUN | Alt, Albert |
| RADIO | Marlenke L. B | TAIL GUN | Hubsck Alfred |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

740 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 42-52219 BOMB LOAD _____ TIME OF T/O 0:900

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

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|------------|---------------|--------------|------------------------|
| PILOT | Pidcock j. D. | TOP TUR GUN | Rockstad P |
| CO-PILOT | Markham W. F. | WAIST RIGHT | Backstrom B. L. |
| NAVIGATOR | Stanley J. F. | WAIST LEFT | Cronin J. P. |
| BOMBARDIER | Coman W. B | BALL TUR GUN | Kellog G. D. |
| RADIO | Abraham A. | TAIL GUN | Kilian j. |
| | | | Crum L. A. 1st Lt. A/C |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

740 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 42-52198 BOMB LOAD _____ TIME OF T/O 0:900

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

| | | | |
|------------|------------|--------------|--------------|
| PILOT | Calabretta | TOP TUR GUN | Wert |
| CO-PILOT | Powers | WAIST RIGHT | Kruse |
| NAVIGATOR | Gustafson | WAIST LEFT | Franceschini |
| BOMBARDIER | Butler | BALL TUR GUN | Bischoff |
| RADIO | Logan | TAIL GUN | Balough |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

740 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 41-29264 BOMB LOAD _____ TIME OF T/O 0:900

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

| | | | |
|------------|------------|--------------|-----------|
| PILOT | Riggs 8 | TOP TUR GUN | Mc Knight |
| CO-PILOT | Burke | WAIST RIGHT | Rushmore |
| NAVIGATOR | Popejoy | WAIST LEFT | Windsand |
| BOMBARDIER | Bercik | BALL TUR GUN | Kolbe |
| RADIO | Strohmeier | TAIL GUN | Johnston |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

741 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 257 BOMB LOAD Free TIME OF T/O 08:35

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

| | | | |
|------------|-----------------------|--------------|------------------------------|
| PILOT | Cool, E. A. Lt. Col. | TOP TUR GUN | Hudson, Irlen, D. T/Sgt. |
| CO-PILOT | Reed, J. D. Capt. | WAIST RIGHT | Libby, D. E. S/Sgt. |
| NAVIGATOR | Koeller, James. Capt. | WAIST LEFT | Bossi, John F. S/Sgt. |
| BOMBARDIER | Korner, J. Capt. | BALL TUR GUN | Koran, T. D. S/Sgt. |
| RADIO | Sweles, E. S/Sgt. | TAIL GUN | Kennington, Robert H. S/Sgt. |
| | Navigator Cross, F. | | |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

741 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 456 BOMB LOAD Free TIME OF T/O 08:35

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

| | | | |
|------------|-------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|
| PILOT | Condra, E. T. 1st Lt. | TOP TUR GUN | Wesson, Verl D. T/Sgt. |
| CO-PILOT | Gorski, Harold, 2nd Lt. | WAIST RIGHT | Sandefur, Dexter L. S/Sgt. |
| NAVIGATOR | Jones, R. L. 2nd Lt. | WAIST LEFT | Woodard, Eugene, C. S/Sgt. |
| BOMBARDIER | Ackerman, E. 2nd Lt. | BALL TUR GUN | Magnuson, Dale F. S/Sgt. |
| RADIO | Pietruski, L. A. T/Sgt. | TAIL GUN | Von Achen, Louis, F. S/Sgt. |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

741 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 451 BOMB LOAD Free TIME OF T/O 08:35

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

| | | | |
|------------|------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|
| PILOT | Locatelli, Julio, C. 1st Lt. | TOP TUR GUN | Kerney, Charles, T/Sgt. |
| CO-PILOT | Rezin, D. S. 2nd Lt. | WAIST RIGHT | Kinnick, Waldon, T/Sgt. |
| NAVIGATOR | Cahill, Robert T. 2nd Lt. | WAIST LEFT | Dakin, Richard, S/Sgt. |
| BOMBARDIER | McMahon, William, 2nd Lt. | BALL TUR GUN | Anderson, James C. S/Sgt. |
| RADIO | Schultz, Frederick, /Sgt. | TAIL GUN | Heer, Warren C. S/Sgt. |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

741 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 247 BOMB LOAD Free TIME OF T/O 08:35

2/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

| | | | |
|------------|---------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|
| PILOT | Curtis, John F. 1st Lt. | TOP TUR GUN | Rickey, John, T/Sgt. |
| CO-PILOT | Petty, Kenneth D. 2nd Lt. | WAIST RIGHT | Pascavage, S. S/Sgt. |
| NAVIGATOR | Picken, D. J. 2nd Lt. | WAIST LEFT | Kowley, F. J. S/Sgt. |
| BOMBARDIER | Higgins, Richard, 2nd Lt. | BALL TUR GUN | Davis, Robert S/Sgt. |
| RADIO | Corridi, F. G. T/Sgt. | TAIL GUN | Connell, D. A. S/Sgt. |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

~~741~~ SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 249 BOMB LOAD Fraggs TIME OF T/O 08:35

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

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|------------|------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|
| PILOT | Liberty, Lawrence F. 1st Lt. | TOP TUR GUN | Hartman John T., T/Sgt. |
| CO-PILOT | Graff, H. Major, | WAIST RIGHT | Bergmann, A. S/Sgt. |
| NAVIGATOR | Slusser, Harris W. 2nd Lt. | WAIST LEFT | Jenkins, Harold, S/Sgt. |
| BOMBARDIER | Demas, William 2nd Lt. | BALL TUR GUN | Byrick, Troy, E. S/Sgt. |
| RADIO | Bantz, Clinton, D. T/Sgt. | TAIL GUN | Cratch, Albert. S/Sgt. |
| Navigator, | McWilliams, R.C. Jr 1st Lt | | |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

~~74~~ SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 260 BOMB LOAD Fraggs TIME OF T/O 08:35

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

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|------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|
| PILOT | Jordan, Leon 1st Lt. | TOP TUR GUN | Hitchell, Arnold T/Sgt. |
| CO-PILOT | Adair, Ar s, 2nd Lt. | WAIST RIGHT | Edwards, John, S/Sgt. |
| NAVIGATOR | Coore, Charles, 2nd Lt. | WAIST LEFT | Morris, Russell. S. |
| BOMBARDIER | Sherlock Koercher, 2nd Lt. | BALL TUR GUN | Sherlock, Russell S/Sgt. |
| RADIO | Friot, Maholon, T/sgt. | TAIL GUN | Loud, Robert, S/Sgt. |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

~~741~~ SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 240 BOMB LOAD Fraggs TIME OF T/O 08:35

3-2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

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|------------|--------------------------|--------------|------------------------|
| PILOT | Brashear, John 1st Lt. | TOP TUR GUN | Portson, Dale, T/Sgt. |
| CO-PILOT | uth, Gordon, F/O. | WAIST RIGHT | Keen, Weston Sgt. |
| NAVIGATOR | Regnier, Robert 2nd Lt. | WAIST LEFT | Andrews, Terry, S/Sgt. |
| BOMBARDIER | alkerton, George 2nd Lt. | BALL TUR GUN | Kirby, Victor, S/Sgt. |
| RADIO | Korzewasewski, E T/SGT | TAIL GUN | Whitacre, Sgt. |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

~~741~~ SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 241 BOMB LOAD Fraggs TIME OF T/O 08:35

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

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|------------|-----------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|
| PILOT | BARBOUR, DAVID A. 1st Lt. | TOP TUR GUN | Stober, Carl T/Sgt. |
| CO-PILOT | Bodrill, Charles, 2nd Lt. | WAIST RIGHT | Moore, Hugh S/Sgt. |
| NAVIGATOR | Jackson, Thornton, 2nd Lt. | WAIST LEFT | Wisho, Micheal, S/Sgt. |
| BOMBARDIER | Hamilton, Robert. W. 2nd Lt | BALL TUR GUN | Kear Donald, S/Sgt. |
| RADIO | Shotwell, Edward, Sgt. | TAIL GUN | Benneth, Bennett S/Sgt. |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

741 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 749 BOMB LOAD Fraggs TIME OF T/O 08:35

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

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| PILOT Bowers, Winfield, Jr. 1st Lt. | TOP TUR GUN | Fox, Frank L. T/Sgt. |
| CO-PILOT Paige, Benjamin, 2nd Lt. | WAIST RIGHT | Townsend, Hubert L. S/Sgt. |
| NAVIGATOR Evanson, M. 2nd Lt. | WAIST LEFT | Demosh, Milton, Sgt. |
| BOMBARDIER Bailen, Nathan, 2nd Lt. | BALL TUR GUN | Loser, Clarence. T/Sgt. |
| RADIO Gamble, Ronald, A. T/Sgt. | TAIL GUN | Pendleton, Richard V. T/Sgt. |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

741 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 290 BOMB LOAD Fraggs TIME OF T/O 08:35

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

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| PILOT Callan, Richard A. 1st Lt. | TOP TUR GUN | Jesset, Leonard, T/Sgt. |
| CO-PILOT Emmons, Alexander S. 2nd Lt. | WAIST RIGHT | Heiskell, James S/Sgt. |
| NAVIGATOR Kuntz, G. T. 2nd Lt. | WAIST LEFT | Hale, Lucian S/Sgt. |
| BOMBARDIER Callan, Micheal 2nd Lt. | BALL TUR GUN | Jefferds, Alfred S/Sgt. |
| RADIO Matthews, William F. T/Sgt. | TAIL GUN | James, Daniel S/Sgt. |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

741 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 266 BOMB LOAD Fraggs TIME OF T/O 08:35

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

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| PILOT Glater, Jerome . Jr. 2nd Lt. | TOP TUR GUN | Chrisawn Olin O. T/Sgt. |
| CO-PILOT Snider, Marley, F/O | WAIST RIGHT | Chris am, R. S/Sgt. |
| NAVIGATOR Sobylak, Paul 2nd Lt. | WAIST LEFT | Brethall, S. S/Sgt. |
| BOMBARDIER Wiskerchen, C. 2nd Lt. | BALL TUR GUN | Barron, G. C. S/Sgt. |
| RADIO Harber John R. T/Sgt. | TAIL GUN | Fisher, Jose S/Sgt. |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

741 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 271 BOMB LOAD Fraggs TIME OF T/O 08:35

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

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| PILOT Deeble, Richard J. 1st Lt. | TOP TUR GUN | Patterson, Webb. E. T/Sgt. |
| CO-PILOT Hammond, Charles, 2nd Lt. | WAIST RIGHT | Squires, Frank S/Sgt. |
| NAVIGATOR Pokora, James 2nd Lt. | WAIST LEFT | Vanaman J. B. S/Sgt. |
| BOMBARDIER Efurd, James 2nd Lt. | BALL TUR GUN | Wise, Marvin S/Sgt. |
| RADIO Averill, Robert T. T/Sgt. | TAIL GUN | Pearson, E. C. S/Sgt. |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

741 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 216 BOMB LOAD Frag TIME OF T/O 08:35

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

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| PILOT <u>Wurtz, Nelson A. 1st Lt.</u> | TOP TUR GUN <u>Draper, William T/Sgt.</u> |
| CO-PILOT <u>Sutera, Allen E. 2nd Lt.</u> | WAIST RIGHT <u>Klein, Emanuel S/Sgt.</u> |
| NAVIGATOR <u>Slocum, Walter, 2nd Lt.</u> | WAIST LEFT <u>Newman, William S/Sgt.</u> |
| BOMBARDIER <u>Laws, Kels, P/O.</u> | BALL TUR GUN <u>Ashley, Frank, S/Sgt.</u> |
| RADIO <u>Gross, Hugo, T/Sgt.</u> | TAIL GUN <u>Kampa, Bernard S/Sgt.</u> |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

741 SQUADRON A/C NUMBER 476 BOMB LOAD Frag TIME OF T/O 0835

3/2/44 DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

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| PILOT <u>Benford, Horace Major</u> | TOP TUR GUN <u>Beeler, Francis T/Sgt.</u> |
| CO-PILOT <u>Hudson, E. L. 1st Lt.</u> | WAIST RIGHT <u>Hamilton, H. S/Sgt.</u> |
| NAVIGATOR <u>Hosmer, Humphrey, 2nd Lt.</u> | WAIST LEFT <u>Elliott, Wayne, S/Sgt.</u> |
| BOMBARDIER <u>Bakanauska, Sam 2nd Lt.</u> | BALL TUR GUN <u>Wolfe, Melvin, S/Sgt.</u> |
| RADIO <u>Ruse Karl, T/Sgt.</u> | TAIL GUN <u>Wolfe Marvin I. S/Sgt.</u> |
| Bomb. <u>Massey, Karl 1st Lt.</u> | |

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

_____ SQUADRON A/C NUMBER _____ BOMB LOAD _____ TIME OF T/O _____

_____ DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

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

RETURN TO GROUP S-2 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER TAKE-OFF

_____ SQUADRON A/C NUMBER _____ BOMB LOAD _____ TIME OF T/O _____

_____ DATE POSITION IN FORMATION _____ TARGET _____

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

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

2 March 1944

SUBJECT:: Combat Crews Completing Mission on 2 March 1944

TO :: Operations Officer, 455th Bomb Group (H)

Ship #230

Lt. B.M. KEOGH
Lt. J.W. NASH
Lt. W.B. BARNARD
Lt. W.J. GROSS
T/Sgt T.M. PELKEY
T/Sgt J.J. ROMANO
S/Sgt R.D. BENNETT
S/Sgt C.F. BROCK
S/Sgt W.F. HOFFMEISTER
S/Sgt D.J. FRAWLEY

Ship #282

Lt. W.K. KING
Lt. G.G. DAESCHNER
Lt. P.S. ADAMS
Lt. A.L. MACEDO
T/Sgt B.M. HARDY
T/Sgt E.M. SHOLLENBERGER
S/Sgt W.M. DOYLE
S/Sgt J.L. SUMNER
S/Sgt S.E. LOCKARD
S/Sgt J.A. KIMSEY

Ship #261

Lt. R.A. MONTGOMERY
Lt. E. SABO
Lt. G.J. GUIDO
Lt. V.J. SCHNEIDER
Sgt J.B. MASON
S/Sgt J.M. SUTTON
S/Sgt E.J. PRITCHARD
S/Sgt H.G. SMITH
S/Sgt E.L. KYLE
Sgt T.J. LEITHAUSER

Ship #259

F/OO E.W. TAYLOR
Lt. R.G. BOLDT
Lt. G.A. ROTHER
Lt. G.B. BOULWARE
S/Sgt D.E. WILSON
S/Sgt E.W. SPRADDLING
S/Sgt C.H. RUST
Sgt H.C. DAVID
S/Sgt R.E. JOHNSON
S/Sgt K.V. LEVERSON

Ship #658

Lt. J.B. BROWN
Lt. J. KAMINSKY
Lt. S.W. FORD
F/O B. LEVY
T/Sgt E.L. BENCH
Sgt L.J. HEITZMAN
Sgt M.J. GOLDMAN
S/Sgt R.W. PITTMAN
S/Sgt W.A. LIVINGSTON
Sgt J.O. GRAHAM

Ship #640

Lt. M. JONES
Lt. V.R. YTRI
Lt. R.K. BODWELL
Lt. V.M. BOFFA
T/Sgt L.C. SEMAN
S/Sgt W.H. BLANCHARD
S/Sgt R.W. JACKSON
S/Sgt J.P. PHILBIN
Sgt K. GRIFFITH
Sgt F.N. WOOLDRIDGE

Ship #494

Lt. G.A. TANNER
Lt. D.R. HAWLEY
Lt. P. HERMAN
Lt. C.W. BROWN
T/Sgt S.F. MIZELL
S/Sgt F. ENCHAUS
T/Sgt J.V. WAUGH
S/Sgt R.G. CHASE
Sgt H.W. DUVAL
Sgt J.R. HACHEY

Ship #289

Lt. W.H. SAMPSON
Lt. W. NEIL
Lt. E.L. HORSTMAN
Lt. R.S. HOLT
T/Sgt J.A. CARROLL
S/Sgt J.F. STEWART
T/Sgt R.D. HAMILTON
S/Sgt D.R. TEISINGER
S/Sgt J.W. GARDNER
S/Sgt F.J. FABRIZIO

Target _____

Combat Hours _____

BERNARD M. KEOGH
1st Lt. Air Corps
Operations Officer

743rd Bombardment Squadron (H), AAF

Loading List

2 March 1944.

Plane No. 267

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|--------------------|--------------------|----------|----------|
| P. RAWLS, DON M. | 1st Lt. | 0-802459 | |
| CP. EVANS, EARL E. | 2nd Lt. | 0-690068 | |
| N. MATHE, LEWIS L. | 2nd Lt. | 0-811698 | |
| B. ROSS, DEAN R. | 2nd Lt. | 0-747676 | |
| NOSE (RADIO) | Lohnes, Raymond W. | S/Sgt. | 11114158 |
| TOP TUR GUN | Kennedy, Isaac N. | T/Sgt. | 14085951 |
| WAIST RIGHT | Donahue, John J. | S/Sgt. | 33340184 |
| WAIST LEFT | Smith, Thomas F. | S/Sgt. | 13128363 |
| BALL TUR GUN | Laptewicz, John C. | S/Sgt. | 11057520 |
| TAIL GUN | Parris, Billy S. | S/Sgt. | 34644766 |

~~Plane No. 224~~

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| P. BELLEMEERE, CAVID G. | Capt. | 0-724879 | |
| CP. WILSON, FRANCIS M. | 2nd Lt. | 0-691336 | |
| N. GRECO, JOHN (NMI) | 2nd Lt. | 0-743587 | |
| B. BROGAN, CARL B. | 2nd Lt. | 0-688304 | |
| NOSE (RADIO) | Roth, Edward J. | S/Sgt. | 19124105 |
| TOP TUR GUN | Knapp, Jack M. | T/Sgt. | 18161439 |
| WAIST RIGHT | Lafollette, John H. | S/Sgt. | 35724961 |
| WAIST LEFT | ROTH, EDWARD J. | S/Sgt. | 19124105 |
| BALL TUR GUN | McVay, Elmer G. | S/Sgt. | 17021478 |
| TAIL GUN | Ramsay, Carlyle P. | S/Sgt. | 38458089 |

Plane No. 665

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| P. LEE, ORVILLE I. | 1st Lt. | 0-745707 | |
| CP. DENTON, CHARLES A. | 2nd Lt. | 0-751991 | |
| N. HAGGERTY, JAMES J. | 2nd Lt. | 0-752993 | |
| B. HORAN, BERNARD D. | 2nd Lt. | 0-688354 | |
| NOSE (RADIO) | Kohnke, Earl B. | S/Sgt. | 36313336 |
| TOP TUR GUN | Collins, Joseph M. | S/Sgt. | 14141959 |
| WAIST RIGHT | Peeters, David | Sgt. | 32812940 |
| WAIST LEFT | Derrick, Charles E. | S/Sgt. | 18186727 |
| BALL TUR GUN | Dean, Millard H. | S/Sgt. | 13120545 |
| TAIL GUN | Pendleton, Phil C. | T/Sgt. | 14044629 |

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| P. ROBARDS, ROBERT A. | 1st Lt. | 0-678326 | |
| CP. ECKHOFF, ALBERT E. | 2nd Lt. | 0-750357 | |
| N. FIS, FREDERICK G. | 2nd Lt. | 0-755105 | |
| B. COTTER, JOHN G. | 2nd Lt. | 0-686411 | |
| WAIST LEFT GUN (RADIO) | Anderson, Rayburn L. | T/Sgt. | 34495132 |
| TOP TUR GUN | Schrader, Vernon D. | T/Sgt. | 14056917 |
| WAIST RIGHT | Crocker, Albert C. | S/Sgt. | 14124951 |
| BALL TUR GUN | Keene, Richard I. | S/Sgt. | 37493729 |
| TAIL GUN | Minyard, Luther D. | S/Sgt. | 16145102 |
| NOSE GUN | Spewock, Andrew | S/Sgt. | 33279588 |

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| P. HOWSAM, EARL R. | 1st Lt. | 0-745688 | |
| CP. STERLING, RAYMOND N. | 2nd Lt. | 0-687778 | |
| N. STOPA, LEO A. | 2nd Lt. | 0-753036 | |
| N. WOODLOCK, DAVID J. | 2nd Lt. | 0-690533 | |
| B. GUDMUNDSON, ROY E. | 2nd Lt. | 0-688750 | |
| NOSE (RADIO) | Todoro, Anthony | S/Sgt. | 12180701 |
| TOP TUR GUN | Cochrane, William P. | S/Sgt. | 34591279 |
| WAIST RIGHT B | Baird, Raymond M. | Pfc. | 37507245 |
| WAIST LEFT | Wiesler, Robert A. | S/Sgt. | 15374208 |
| BALL TUR GUN | Kapitzke, Lawrence E. | T/Sgt. | 36289798 |
| TAIL GUN | Dandenault, Ernest C. | Sgt. | 11107403 |

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| P. RAMEY, THOMAS A. | 2nd Lt. | 0-541608 | |
| CP. TAVERNIT, ANTHONY S. | F/O Lt. | T-122636 | |
| N. GENDRON, HAROLD E. | 2nd Lt. | 0-690699 | |
| B. CELOVSKY, ANDREW F. | 2nd Lt. | 0-688663 | |
| WAIST LEFT (RADIO) | Corley, Perry L. | T/Sgt. | 18019495 |
| TOP TUR GUN | Pastner, Harold J. | T/Sgt. | 13111919 |
| WAIST RIGHT | Franzela, Paul J. | S/Sgt. | 32713395 |
| BALL TUR GUN | Trinko, Wesley P. | S/Sgt. | 16024326 |
| TAIL GUN | Pine, Edgar R. | S/Sgt. | 18117916 |
| NOSE GUN | Magee, John G. | S/Sgt. | 38410805 |

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| P. KEAHEY, GEORGE O. | 1st Lt. | 0-742727 | |
| CP. REGAN, MARK | 2nd Lt. | 0-686275 | |
| N. SPICER, CHARLES B. | 2nd Lt. | 0-753115 | |
| B. MANNING, HENRY L. | 2nd Lt. | 0-688379 | |
| NOSE (RADIO) | Wallace, Edwin N. | Sgt. | 18052322 |
| TOP TUR GUN | Rees, Ray E. | Sgt. | 39833873 |
| WAIST RIGHT | Moore, Francis M. | Sgt. | 6576628 |
| WAIST LEFT | Balchunas, Anthony | Sgt. | 12180756 |
| BALL TUR GUN | Thiel, James J. | S/Sgt. | 15382723 |
| TAIL GUN | McNeil, Donald R. | S/Sgt. | 39458767 |

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

3 March 1944

SUBJECT :: List Of Combat Crews Completing Mission on 3 March 1944

TO :: Operations Officer, 455th Bomb Group (H)

Ship #250
LT. GOSLINE
MAJOR AMBROSEN
LT. TYKILA
LT. STRODE
T/Sgt WEDIN
Sgt GREISELL
T/Sgt HARKEY
S/Sgt WEBB
T/Sgt ANTONSON
S/Sgt ROBINSON
LT. MC GLASSON

Ship #259
LT. KNIGHT
LT. KELLY
LT. CROTZER
~~LT. COWDEN~~ *Downing*
T/Sgt MADZIK
S/Sgt DEARING
T/Sgt CLAPSADDLE
S/Sgt PAKNIK
T/Sgt RYAN
Sgt GRAHAM

Ship #658
LT. SELEEN
LT. HESPELER
LT. EZELL
LT. KNOX
T/Sgt EDGE
S/Sgt PETERSON
T/Sgt DRESSILL
Sgt WINGERT
S/Sgt BRIGGS
Sgt AMES

Ship #289
LT. BECK
LT. BUNATA
LT. GAENZLE
LT. BELL
S/Sgt CRUMMEY
T/Sgt CARSWELL
T/Sgt SEFCIK
S/Sgt SHELTON
S/Sgt KRAUS
S/Sgt MALCHOW

Ship #230
LT. GORECKI
F/O SWARTZ
LT. GIOVANNITTI
LT. BROTHERS
S/Sgt WANTUCK
S/Sgt LECOMTE
S/Sgt GRAVES
S/Sgt TALKINGTON
S/Sgt REESE
S/Sgt CROSSMAN

Ship #640
LT. MONTGOMERY
LT. SABO
LT. SCHNEIDER
LT. GUIDO
Sgt MASON
S/Sgt SUTTON
S/Sgt PRITCHARD
S/Sgt SMITH
S/Sgt KYLE
Sgt LEITHAUSER

Ship #494
LT. NELSON
LT. TUCK
LT. ARIFF
F/O BASTIN
T/Sgt CHANCE
S/Sgt L. LATHAM
Sgt SKELTON
S/Sgt V. LATHAM
S/Sgt MC COY
Sgt MILLER
Sgt PALOMBO

Ship #282
LT. PARDOE
LT. COSTELLO
LT. GOTTLIEB
LT. PATTERSON
T/Sgt WARREN
S/Sgt LEONHARD
T/Sgt ROBERTS
S/Sgt BLACK
S/Sgt MATTHEWS
S/Sgt KIMBERLY

Ship #261
LT. SENSENBRENNER
LT. JACKSON
LT. POWELL
LT. MC GRANE
T/Sgt NERREN
S/Sgt SELLARS
T/Sgt JASTRZEMBOWSKI
S/Sgt PLOWMAN
S/Sgt RENNER
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