

742ND BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)  
APO# 520 US ARMY

4 October 1944.

SUBJECT: Crews Completing Mission on 4 October 1944, A Force.  
TO : Operations Officer, 455th Bombardment Gp (H)

SHIP #310

P LT HOGAN  
CP LT FAHEY  
N LT AGATHON  
B LT TOLIMAN  
DAVIES  
DELANEY  
FIELDS  
FREEMAN  
FOX  
HOSTETTER  
WALLO (Photo)

SHIP #990

LT LEONHARD  
LT GROOMS  
LT DEPIANO  
LT MUISE  
HAMMER  
SINK  
HEMPHILL  
MARSHALL  
STINE  
SILES

SHIP #609

LT SHOUP  
F/O SIMS  
LT RUBINS  
LT HEAD  
DAVIS  
SCHWANKE  
LOPETRONE  
DERRYBERRY  
OTTS  
CALANDRINO  
RUSSOMANO (Photo)

SHIP #105

P LT WRIGHTSON  
CP LT EDELSTEIN  
N LT EBER  
B LT SIEGEL  
CROSBY  
GRAY  
LARRICK  
CURIO  
NEELEY  
SEPIN

SHIP #624

LT ALDER  
LT SHERDAN  
LT BUZZANCA  
LT WACHS  
MITCHELL, D.  
JOHNSON, V.  
TOMME  
VARNELL  
HUNZIKER  
KRISTEL

SHIP #201

LT KELLER, R.  
LT OZENGHAR  
LT SCHEPS  
LT FILARSKY  
PHELAN  
E. KELLER  
POR  
STURNIOLO  
JOBLONSKI  
MASON, R.  
SMETANA (Int)

SHIP #332

P LT GROSHART  
CP LT LICHTMAN  
N LT WORSTER  
B LT ARTHUR  
WILSON, F.  
CUNNINGHAM, W  
JOHNS  
NELSON, I  
OLSZEWSKI  
CHAPMAN

TARGET \_\_\_\_\_

COMBAT TIME \_\_\_\_\_

RICHARD A. GOSLINE  
Captain, Air Corps  
Operations Officer

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Munich West M/Y

Mission No. 124

4 October 1944

FIELD ORDER NO. 129

BRIEFING OUTLINE

1. No. of aircraft on mission -----28 B-24's
2. Group leader -----Lt. Col. HARP
3. Deputy Gp. leader -----Captain PRESTON
4. Baker Box leader -----Lt. STUART
5. Charlie Box leader -----Lt. GROSHART
6. Dog Box leader -----Lt. ZANE
7. Fighter escort -----31st FG.
8. Bomb load and fuzing -----500# RDX .1 sec N, & .01 Sec T.
9. Ammunition carried -----4200 rds. .50 Cal.
10. Gas & oil load -----2700 gals. full oil service
11. Time at stations -----0730A.
12. Take-off instructions -----Taxi to South end of runway at 0810A.  
 for take-off to North at 0820A.

TAKE-OFF ORDER

<u>"A" BOX</u>	<u>"B" BOX</u>	<u>"C" BOX</u>	<u>"D" BOX</u>
131	088	332	330
402	359	609	762
414	447	105	419
492	644	201	982
620	435	990	655
938	663	310	605
866	279	624	395

13. Bomber rendezvous -----1st G. Wg. (459 - 454) at GIULIA at 0912A  
 at 5,000 ft. 2nd G. Wg. (455 - 456) at STORNARA at  
 0912A. at 6,000 feet.
14. Route out -----Base to TP - (41 50N, 16 20E) to TP - BISEVO  
 (42 59N, 16 00E) to TP - (44 40N, 13 40E) to KP -  
 CAORLE - (45 36N, 12 53E) to TP - PORDENONE (45 57N,  
 12 39E) to IP to target. KP time 1124A. at 20,000 ft.
15. Initail Point -----FENZBERG (47 46N, 11 23E)
16. Axis of attack -----17 deg. M.
17. Target time -----1220A.
18. Direction of rally -----Rally right to rally point UBERSEE (47 49N,  
 12 29E).
19. Bombardier data -----Bombing altitude 24,000 feet., intervalometer  
 setting 100 feet; target elevation 1722 feet.
20. Route back -----Rally point to IDRIA (46 00N, 14 02E) to TP -  
 (44 30N, 14 10E) to base.
21. E.T.R. -----1455A.

FORMATION DIAGRAM 455TH

"A" Force

MISSION NO 124

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Charlie Box ✓

✓ GROSSHART  
43 322

✓ WRIGHTSON  
45 105

✓ KELLER  
46 201

✓ HOGAN  
49 310

✓ ADAMS  
59 224

✓ SHARP  
50 609

✓ LEONARD  
58 990

Able Box ✓

✓ GUNN  
4 131

✓ HARP  
4 131

✓ ANDERSON  
1 491

✓ GANNETT  
7 938

✓ CROSSBY  
5 866

✓ RESTON  
8 402

✓ BETKE  
13 620

Dog Box ✓

✓ HANEY  
65 419

✓ ZAHLE  
73 330

✓ ZIMMERMAN  
74 987

✓ SHUMARD  
64 605

✓ METZ  
77 395

✓ LOFFEL  
76 161

✓ HALL  
75 655

Baker Box ✓

✓ STUART  
35 081

✓ DANIEL  
34 447

✓ BOWE  
23 663

✓ LACKNER  
28 697

✓ STROTT  
24 279

✓ TEEB  
34 359

✓ HOSMER  
32 485

SPARES

742nd - 935 . 44

742nd - 583 - 49

743rd - 204 - 70

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740th  
402  
EIA  
Lt [unclear]  
Lt [unclear]  
Capt Preston  
Lt Allen  
Lt Grim & Lt Parkin  
Lt Mason  
T/Sgt McClure

10-4-44  
Sgt [unclear]  
T/Sgt [unclear]  
Sgt [unclear] T/Sgt Lutes  
Sgt [unclear] S/Sgt Huntley  
Sgt [unclear] S/Sgt Forbes  
S/Sgt [unclear] S/Sgt Peterman  
S/sgt [unclear] S/sgt Fullbright

740th  
131  
Lt [unclear]  
Lt [unclear]  
Lt [unclear]  
Col Harp  
Capt. Pendleton  
Lt Sutcliff Lt Bright  
Capt Ohmsayer  
T/Sgt Bosau  
NV Lt Cummings

10-4-44  
Lt [unclear]  
S/sgt [unclear]  
S/sgt [unclear]  
S/sgt [unclear]  
S/sgt [unclear]  
T/Sgt Febley  
S/Sgt Klepper  
S/Sgt [unclear]  
Sgt Diles

740th  
620  
Lt Bethe  
Lt Binkley  
F/O Voss  
Lt Genmill  
Sgt Tracy

Sgt Jordall  
S/Sgt Rathjen  
S/Sgt Guminski  
Sgt Miller  
Sgt White

740th  
866  
Lt Crosby  
Lt Carr  
Lt Miller  
Lt O'Malley  
T/Sgt Eldridge

S/Sgt Bathie  
S/Sgt Eianuk  
S/Sgt Goldberg  
S/Sgt Parks  
S/Sgt Kardon

740th  
414  
Lt Gunn  
Lt Batton  
Lt Fregio  
Lt Johnson  
Sgt B Lecher

Sgt Boucher  
Sgt Crowley  
Sgt Seebro  
Sgt Kelleher  
Sgt Brown

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740th

938

10-4-44

Lt Gammell  
Lt Crawford  
Lt Jenkins  
Lt Imrisek  
Sgt Roscigno

Sgt Nickles  
Sgt Delimonte  
Sgt Spenser  
Sgt Nelson  
Sgt Hulwicz

740th

492

10-4-44

Lt Anderson  
Lt Stark  
Lt Ritkes  
Lt Douglas  
T/Sgt Lekan

S/Sgt Leonard  
S/Sgt Cardoux  
S/Sgt Booth  
S/Sgt Cadwalder  
S/Sgt Ekstrom

PILOT  
CO-PILOT  
NAVIGATOR  
BOMBARDIER  
RADIO

STUARY DESTINATION

PILOT  
CO-PILOT  
NAVIGATOR  
BOMBARDIER  
RADIO

LT. FISHER  
LT. HARRIS  
SGT. HUNT

TOP TWR CTR  
W/ST RIGHT  
W/ST LEFT  
BALL TWR CTR  
BALL TWR CTR

SGT. DALY  
SGT. WORMEYER  
SGT. MILLET  
SGT. LAFALIA  
SGT. MILLER

A/C NUMBER  
PILOT  
CO-PILOT  
NAVIGATOR  
BOMBARDIER  
RADIO

LT. BAILEY  
LT. DEARSON  
LT. FLYNN  
LT. FLESCHE  
SGT. PHILLIPS

TOP TWR CTR  
W/ST RIGHT  
W/ST LEFT  
BALL TWR CTR  
BALL TWR CTR

SGT. WELLS  
SGT. TROTT  
SGT. DAVIS  
SGT. WHEEL  
SGT. WALSH

A/C NUMBER  
PILOT  
CO-PILOT  
NAVIGATOR  
BOMBARDIER  
RADIO

LT. TELL  
LT. BEIDMAN  
LT. BOULDER  
LT. HOLISH  
SGT. SAGER

TOP TWR CTR  
W/ST RIGHT  
W/ST LEFT  
BALL TWR CTR  
BALL TWR CTR

SGT. GAYMAN  
SGT. WYATT  
SGT. MATTHEWS  
SGT. HARR  
SGT. HARR

A/C NUMBER  
PILOT  
CO-PILOT  
NAVIGATOR  
BOMBARDIER  
RADIO

LT. HOSIEN  
LT. FERRIS  
LT. VORLPAK  
LT. HOSIEN  
SGT. TOWN

TOP TWR CTR  
W/ST RIGHT  
W/ST LEFT  
BALL TWR CTR  
BALL TWR CTR

SGT. GALT  
SGT. WYATT  
SGT. WRETT  
SGT. DESPAIN  
SGT. WELLS

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*Force A*

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LOADING LIST

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A/C NUMBER	<del>LT. LACKNER</del> LT. POLANDO	DESTINATION	SGT. BUFFINGTON
PILOT	LT. VINCE	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. GOMROY
CO-PILOT	LT. WALSH	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. HUBER
NAVIGATOR	SGT. BAUER	WAIST LEFT	SGT. DIXON
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	SGT. STRICKLAND
RADIO	279	TAIL TUR GNR	
A/C NUMBER	<del>LT. STROT</del> LT. KELLEHER	DESTINATION	SGT. RHEA
PILOT	LT. LEIGH	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. TWINER
CO-PILOT	LT. <del>BULLVERX</del> CULVER	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. DAWE
NAVIGATOR	SGT. FISCHER	WAIST LEFT	SGT. MACKINTOSH
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	SGT. SASSI
RADIO	088	TAIL TUR GNR	
A/C NUMBER	<del>LT. STUART</del> LT. COLE	DESTINATION	SGT. DALEY
PILOT	LT. FISCHBEIN	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. TWINIDER
CO-PILOT	LT. HANSON	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. MILLETT
NAVIGATOR	SGT. HUNT	WAIST LEFT	SGT. LAFAZIA
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	SGTL MILLER
RADIO	447	TAIL TUR GNR	
A/C NUMBER	<del>LT. BAILEY</del> LT. PEARSON	DESTINATION	SGT. PELL
PILOT	LT. FLYNN	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. TORMAN
CO-PILOT	LT. FLESCHIG	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. EMMONS
NAVIGATOR	SGT. PHILLIPS	WAIST LEFT	SGT. HAMEL
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	SGT. WALSCAK
RADIO	359	TAIL TUR GNR	
A/C NUMBER	<del>LT. TEEL</del> LT. WEIDNER	DESTINATION	SGT. CAVANO
PILOT	LT. BOSLER	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. JONES
CO-PILOT	LT. NOLISH	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. KLEINMAUS
NAVIGATOR	SGT. BAKER	WAIST LEFT	SGT. CODY
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	SGT. HUYCK
RADIO	435	TAIL TUR GNR	
A/C NUMBER	<del>LT. HOSIMER</del> LT. FEUERFEL	DESTINATION	SGT. GOBLE
PILOT	LT. VOGELFANG	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. WICKS
CO-PILOT	LT. MCGARAHAN	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. HEWETT
NAVIGATOR	SGT. KUHN	WAIST LEFT	SGT. DESPAIN
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	SGT. GALES
RADIO		TAIL TUR GNR	

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

PILOT	LT. BONE	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. BISINELLA
CO-PILOT	LT. JOSEY	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. SKARZENSKI
NAVIGATOR	LT. BATCHELDOR	WAIST LEFT	SGT. STESLOW
BOMBARDIER	LT. KERR	BALL TUR GNR	SGT. KIERNAN
RADIO	SGT. MALLORN	TAIL TUR GNR	SGT. MONTGOMERY

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	

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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 (B Force 16:00)

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COMBAT LOADING LIST  
 MISSION NO. 124.

DATE 4 October 1944.

<u>A/C NO. 330</u>			<u>A/C NO. 655</u>			<u>A/C NO. 762</u>		
P	ZANE, W. M.	LT.	HALL, W.	LT.	LOFFER, B.	LT.		
CP	RASMUSSEN, R. E.	LT.	FROST, H. I.	LT.	FOSTER, K. S.	LT.		
N	SHAW, A. B.	LT.	SUMMERFIELD, W.	LT.	FERRIS, R. R.	LT.		
B	WOLFE, R. L.	LT.	HINES, R. J.	LT.	BROWN, J. G.	LT.		
E	Weiland, R. E.	Sgt.	Cichon, T. A.	Sgt.	Bemis, S. A.	Sgt.		
R	Sicilan, L. J.	Sgt.	Choate, J. V.	Sgt.	Murphy, M. J.	Sgt.		
AE	Smith, C. K.	Sgt.	Schrim, A.	Sgt.	Elsen, P. R.	Sgt.		
AR	Bathe, J. C.	Sgt.	Allen, J. G.	Sgt.	Riley, R. G.	Sgt.		
AG	Wilson, R. (NMI)	Sgt.	Galloway, W. D.	Sgt.	Hicks, R. A.	Sgt.		
AG	Wilson, W. W.	Sgt.	Disrude, W.	Sgt.	Connelly, J. W.	Sgt.		
F.	Shaw, T. G.	Cpl.						
N	WALKER, G. T.	LT.						
<u>A/C NO. 395</u>			<u>A/C NO. 982</u>			<u>A/C NO. 419</u>		
P.	MERTL, W.	LT.	ZIMMERMAN, W. H.	LT.	HANEY, R. J.	LT.		
CP	SWEARINGEN, T. M.	LT.	McHUGH, C. S.	LT.	RAWLS, J. W.	LT.		
N	PEDERSON, R.	LT.	SMITH, L. T.	LT.	BARR, G. A.	LT.		
B	MOFFITT, B.	LT.	BELTRAMI, A. P.	LT.	RANDALL, E. B.	LT.		
E	Massey, B.	Sgt.	Werfel, M.	Sgt.	Russell, W. M.	Sgt.		
R	Gill, J.	Sgt.	Garland, W. A.	Sgt.	Fuselehr, C. B.	Sgt.		
AE	Vercellone D.	Sgt.	Metzdorff, G. S.	Sgt.	Boone, J. E.	Sgt.		
AR	Gurdish, M.	Sgt.	Caldwell, G.	Sgt.	Del Gallo, A.	Sgt.		
AG	Messenger, F. J.	Sgt.	Skagenberg, R.	Sgt.	Adams, H. N.	Sgt.		
AG.	Vreath, H. J.	Sgt.	McLendon, W. D.	Sgt.	Rausch, C. C.	Sgt.		
F.			Gould, J. D.	Cpl.				
<u>A/C NO. 605</u>			<u>A/C NO. 146 (B Force)</u>			<u>A/C NO. 267 (B Force)</u>		
P	SHUMARD J. W.	LT.	SNOOK, D. G.	LT.	WOLTER, R. T.	LT.		
CP	DELANEY, T. F.	F/O	RIDGLEY, D. W.	LT.	TAYLOR, C. P.	LT.		
N	PHILLIPS, J. R.	LT.	REDDY, J. E.	LT.				
B			BERMAN, H.	LT.	BASSETT, E. M.	LT.		
E.	Hamburg, R. I.	Sgt.	Betti, L. J.	Sgt.	Black, W. E.	Sgt.		
R	Merritt, J. B.	Sgt.	Bloom, B. (NMI)	Sgt.	Reed, C. R.	Sgt.		
AE	Brunow, C. P.	Sgt.	Hilliard, R. M.	Sgt.	Shoemaker, R. L.	Sgt.		
AR	LaPointe, E. S.	Sgt.	Champney, G. R.	Sgt.	Domanski, J. J.	Sgt.		
AG	Grysczyuski, E.	Sgt.	Force, J.	Pvt.	Erickson, W. P.	Sgt.		
AG	Boudousquie, I. E.	Sgt.	Crottie, G. W.	Sgt.	Hafner, R. F.	Sgt.		
<u>A/C NO. 232 (B Force)</u>			<u>A/C NO. 184 (B Force) 741 Crew</u>					
P	HOUSER, A.	LT.	R. Montgomery, A. C.	Sgt.	P MOREMAN, H. G.	R Bales	R. J.	
CP	BROWN, J. N.	LT.	AE Hernandez, R. M.	Sgt.	CP BALOGH, C.	AE Nutter, I. F.		
N	BENNETT, C. E.	LT.	AR Gibbs, O.	Sgt.	N CORSELLO, A. M.	AR McPatlu, E. W.		
B	BELL, J. C.	LT.	AG Norton, R. K.	Sgt.	B. DIMATTIO, R. L.	AG Hutchings, H.		
E.	Olson, W. E.	Sgt.	AG Renner, D. L.	Sgt.	E. Alford, J. W.			

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