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Group 53

824th Bombardment Squadron (H)
Office of the Operations Officer
APO 520 US Army

22 March 1945

OPERATIONS ORDER)
NUMBER 40)

1. The following crews will fly a mission tomorrow, 23 March 1945:

ABLE 21 SHIP #641 NOSE #25

P 2nd Lt Truman Wright
CP 2nd Lt Harry A Gump
N F/O Melvin G Oxsen
E S/Sgt Antonio Jarvis
RO S/Sgt Maurice K Heaton
AG Cpl Edward H Arnold
NG Cpl Gordon R Jesse
UG Cpl James F Brown
TG Cpl Robert C Baker

ABLE 22 SHIP #388 NOSE #16

P 2nd Lt Earl C Downey
CP 2nd Lt William L Pietzsch
N F/O William G Meeder
E Cpl Gabriel Fede
RO Cpl Homer E Lecklitner
AG Cpl Franklin S Wigg
NG Cpl Howard R Cisna
UG Cpl Orton S Linderman
TG Cpl Albert F Kline III
F Callahan

BAKER 11 SHIP #401 NOSE #14

P Captain Merle P Yanney
CP 1st Lt Donald R Dreger
N 1st Lt Herbert G Larson
B 1st Lt David A Nickerson
E T/Sgt Orville A Orstead
RO Cpl George E Hunter
AG S/Sgt Robert R Martin
NG S/Sgt Chester Haciasz
UG S/Sgt Alfred J Mills
TG S/Sgt Allan Tewes

BAKER 12 SHIP #403 NOSE #28

P 1st Lt Robert W Kime
CP 1st Lt Richard S Brown
N 2nd Lt George Bouras
B 2nd Lt Paul H Stewart Jr.
E T/Sgt William A Moncrief
RO T/Sgt Robert L Hughes
AG Cpl Francis J Noon
NG S/Sgt Adolph Marcus
UG S/Sgt Arnold W Reiff
TG S/Sgt John B O'Neill

BAKER 13 SHIP #988 NOSE #15

P Captain Charles W Ryan
CP 1st Lt William S Weaver
N 1st Lt Howard M Segal
B 1st Lt John W Watkins
E T/Sgt John D Lombardi
RO T/Sgt Thomas D D'Ambrosia
AG S/Sgt William A Utton
NG S/Sgt Michael Dubos
WG Sgt James Fortugno
TG S/Sgt Walter Bratus
F Pvt Roy E Thomas

BAKER 21 SHIP #708 NOSE #10

P 1st Lt Milton W Goodwyn Jr.
CP 2nd Lt Virgil K Vaughan
N 1st Lt Victor J Seely
E T/Sgt Felix F Desisto
RO T/Sgt Glen L Moss
AG S/Sgt Richard D King
NG S/Sgt Bennie J Kirsch
UG S/Sgt Morris B Burk Jr.
TG S/Sgt George R Johnson

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BAKER 22 SHIP #724 NOSE #20

P 2nd Lt ✓ Arthur C Wiggins
CP Capt ✓ Robert L Sellers
N 2nd Lt ✓ Howard C Streblov
E T/Sgt ✓ Frederick A Baldinger
RO T/Sgt ✓ John S Lopinsky
AG Cpl ✓ Francis C Mathis
NG Cpl ✓ Robert H Haacke
UG Cpl ✓ Leroy H Yereance
TG Cpl ✓ Edwin W Whitmore
F S/Sgt ✓ Matthew J Idzik

BAKER 23 SHIP #534 NOSE #26

P 2nd Lt ✓ John F Konop
CP 2nd Lt ✓ Arthur R Sullivan
B 2nd Lt ✓ Leonard P Waterman
E S/Sgt ✓ Richard E Dobrats
RO T/Sgt ✓ Archie E Olson
AG Pfc ✓ Rudolph A Tempesta
NG Cpl ✓ William G Mangle
UG Pfc ✓ Jerama Regenhogen
TG Sgt ✓ Carl L Tooley

Baker 31 Ship No. 116 Nose No. 21

P 1st Lt ✓ James H Meyer
CP 2nd Lt ✓ Winston W Hickman
N F/O ✓ Richard B Bourie
B 2nd Lt ✓ William H Ellis
E Cpl ✓ George Verenes
RO Cpl ✓ James R Nix
AG Cpl ✓ Robert R Brooks
NG S/Sgt ✓ Marion C Tarpley
UG Cpl ✓ Charles T Driscoll
TG Cpl ✓ William C Fest Jr

By order of Major DERBY:

WILSON B WILKES
Major, Air Corps
Operations Officer

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825TH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
Office of the Operations Officer
APO 520 U S Army

23 March 1945

OPERATIONS ORDER)

NUMBER 42)

1. The following Aircraft and Crews will participate in
Aerial Flights, 23 March 1945

POSITION-Easy 11 A/C 44-50437 Sq#44

P Helms, R.C., 2nd Lt.
CP Blackburn, W.G., 2nd Lt.
N Burrell, H.M., F/O
B Johnson, G.H., 2nd Lt.
E Shipes, A.O., T/Sgt.
R Stern, S.A., T/Sgt.
NG Nagelhout, A.B., S/Sgt.
TG Miller, F.F., S/Sgt.
EG Winkler, H.D., S/Sgt.
TTG McComick, R.M., S/Sgt.
F Harris, W.F., Sgt.

POSITION-Easy 12 A/C 44-49396 Sq#40

P Johnson, B.E., 2nd Lt.
CP Graff, A.J., 2nd Lt.
N Bullock, J.F., F/O
B Horton, G.B., 2nd Lt.
E Zytke, R.I., T/Sgt.
R Grant, R.M., Sgt.
NG Weidich, R.T., S/Sgt.
TG Moynihan, H.E., Sgt.
EG Bondarchuk, W., S/Sgt.
TTG Rowe, C.D., S/Sgt.

POSITION-Easy 13 A/C 42-52690 Sq#32

P Costick, J., 2nd Lt.
CP Riben, M.G., 2nd Lt.
B Bert, R.F., 2nd Lt.
E Wojtkowski, E.A., Sgt.
R Malitalo, H., Sgt.
NG Johnson, J.A., Sgt.
TG Zowandovsky, T., Sgt.
EG Young, C.M., Pvt.
TTG Zomick, J.J., Sgt.

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POSITION- Able 23 A/C 42-52648 Sq/76

P Swanson, R.J., 1st Lt.	Early return.
CP Jones, C.L., 2nd Lt.	#3 Engine out & oxygen leak
N Maluch, E.W., P/O	in nose. Bombs dropped at
E Laidler, E.J., T/Sgt.	St Ver
RO Siplivy, J., S/Sgt.	
NG Crytzer, L.E., S/Sgt.	
TG Frigo, A., S/Sgt.	
EG Whetstone, L.J., S/Sgt.	
TTG/Knapp, H.H., S/Sgt.	

By order of Major MOE

OFFICIAL:

WILLIAM E. MCCOY
Captain, Air Corps
Operations Officer

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826th BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (PATHFINDER)
OFFICE OF THE OPERATIONS OFFICER
APO 520 c/OPM New York, N.Y.

23 March 1945

OPERATIONS ORDER)
NUMBER 267)

The following aircraft and crews participated in the mission
flown 23 March 1945:

Position D-11	P	✓Grose, Charles B.	1st Lt.
Ship No. 44-50569	CP	✓Browne, Blair P.	2D Lt.
Sq. No. 501	N	✓Schwartz, William T.	1st Lt.
	NV	✓Mordquest, Carl E.	2D Lt.
	B	✓Lindsey, Charles W.	1st Lt.
	(RW) E	✓Patrick, Leonard T.	T/Sgt.
	XXX R	✓Evans, Robert L.	T/Sgt.
	IN	✓Valdez, Frank J.	S/Sgt.
	UT	✓Marschalk, Roy J.	S/Sgt.
	TT	✓Evans, Chester R.	S/Sgt.
	NT	✓Segarra, Adrian P.	S/Sgt.
Position D-12	P	✓Batimer, Roy C.	1st Lt.
Ship No. 44-10484	CP	✓Brady, Norman	2D Lt.
Sq. No. 63 N	N	✓Adams, Carl R.	1st Lt.
	B	✓May, John K.	1st Lt.
	(UT) E	✓Moore, Howard G.	T/Sgt.
	(RW) R	✓Fretto, Joseph	T/Sgt.
	LT	✓Suovich, Matthew	S/Sgt.
	NT	✓Bellatori, Stanley	S/Sgt.
	TT	✓Wolfe, Harry G.	S/Sgt.
	LN	✓Orth, Joseph L.	Sgt.
	F	✓Menn, Walter A.	Sgt.
Position D-13	P	✓Forster, Stanley L.	1st Lt.
Ship No. 44-49890	CP	✓Lechtanski, Edward J.	2D Lt.
Sq. No. 56 G	N	✓Bodoh, Robert B.	2D Lt.
	B	✓Hanson, Lloyd G.	2D Lt.
	(RW) E	✓Domenico, Edward C.	S/Sgt.
	PR	✓Pringle, George C.	S/Sgt.
	UT	✓Marshall, Harry L.	S/Sgt.
	NT	✓Humrighouse, Roy C.	Sgt.
	LT	✓Humrighouse, Harry F.	S/Sgt.
	TT	✓Wiggins, Edward R.	Sgt.
	F	✓Zydiak, Edward W.	S/Sgt.
Position D-21	P	✓Weaver, Leonard J.	1st Lt.
Ship No. 42-52833	CP	✓Vale, John H.	2D Lt.
Sq. No. 53 D	N	✓Rosenzweig, Irving	2D Lt.
	B	✓Clements, William G.	1st Lt.
	(UT) E	✓Kurtz, Harrison D. Jr.	T/Sgt.
	(RW) R	✓Lloyd, Harold V.	T/Sgt.
	LN	✓Martin, Raymond E.	S/Sgt.
	NT	✓Novitski, Andrew J.	S/Sgt.
	TT	✓Ricks, Keith L.	S/Sgt.
	LT	✓Kovacs, Steve P.	S/Sgt.

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Position D-22
Ship No. 42-51987
Sq. No. 65 P

*Early
Return*

P	Gannon, Elwood G.	1st Lt.
CP	Savage, William T.	2D Lt.
N	Paul, Edward J.	F/O
B	Myerchin, Vincent G.	F/O
(RW) E	Espinoza, Manuel A.	S/Sgt.
(LW) R	Galvin, John F.	Cpl.
LT	Ryan, Ernest M.	Cpl.
NT	Church, Samuel E.	Cpl.
UT	Jines, Charles E.	Cpl.
TT	McCarthy, Arthur F.	Cpl.

Position D-23
Ship No. 42-52675
Sq. No. 58 I

P	La Chance, Victor M.	2D Lt.
CP	Phillips, George F.	2D Lt.
N	Sanders, Samuel V.	F/O
(RW) E	Ramskogler, Herman R.	Sgt.
(LW) R	Adams, Walter T.	Sgt.
LT	Bierman, Milton C.	Sgt.
UT	Walenzi, Spartico	Sgt.
NT	Mussey, Frank R.	Sgt.
TT	Robbins, Larry D.	Sgt.

Position D-31
Ship No. 42-52705
Sq. No. 52 C

P	Loveall, Glenn R.	2D Lt.
CP	Ameriang, Albert	2D Lt.
N	Weible, Frank F.	F/O
B	XXXXXXXXXX Perkins, James W	F/O
(UT) E	Murgin, John E.	Cpl.
(RW) R	Siman, Ralph A.	Cpl.
LW	Barnes, Wayne E.	Cpl.
TT	Paradise, John	Cpl.
LT	Diaz, Sterling C.	Cpl.
NT	Boulden, Layton T.	Cpl.

Position C-31
Ship No. 44-49738
Sq. No. 62 M

Early Return

P	Branson, Lyle D.	2D Lt.
CP	Prentice, Bonnie G.	2D Lt.
N	Christenson, Emmert V.	2D Lt.
B	Yowler, Richard T.	2D Lt.
(UT) E	Bower, Herman F.	Cpl.
(RW) R	Henson, Kenneth	Sgt.
TT	Lucca, Anthony G.	Cpl.
LW	Karg, Joseph W.	Cpl.
LT	Smith, Ralph E.	Cpl.
NT	Todd, George F. Jr.	Cpl.
PR	Navy, Roy E.	Sgt.

SPARE SHIP #502

By order of Major TROTTER:

WILLIAM H. DOWD
Major Air Corps
Operations Officer

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827TH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
484TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
Office of the Operations Officer

APO 520 U.S. Army
23 March 1945

OPERATIONS ORDER)
NO 76)

1. The following combat crews have flown combat mission
Friday, 23 March 1945.

Position Able 11 Ship No 557 Sqdn No 300-Z

P	✓ SEAMAN, ALBERTSON H.	Capt
CP	✓ BOLTON, RUSSELL K. JR	1st Lt
N	✓ BECK, CHARLES A. JR	1st Lt
B	✓ CATHER, ROBERT M.	Capt
MN	✓ McWHIRK, WILLIAM H.	1st Lt
N	✓ McLEOD, EDWARD A.	2d Lt (Nose Nav)
E	✓ Brodsky, Leonard	T/Sgt
RO	✓ Heidinger, Peter C. Jr	T/Sgt
WG	✓ Szemreyl, Stanley	S/Sgt
UG	✓ Shugrue, Joseph N.	S/Sgt
TG	✓ Knott, Richard C.	S/Sgt

Position Able 12 Ship No 42-52016 Sqdn No 702-X

(This Crew MIA)

P	✓ SCHARF, AARON	1st Lt
CP	✓ ROGERS, DONALD S.	1st Lt
N	✓ KUMMER, LESLIE H. JR	1st Lt
N	✓ CRESSITT, TILMAN J.	2d Lt (Nose Nav)
B	✓ YOUNG, CLARENCE C.	1st Lt
MN	✓ BRONOUSKI, T.	2d Lt
E	✓ Au, William A.	T/Sgt
RO	✓ Nicolai, John H.	T/Sgt
UG	✓ Jennings, John J.	S/Sgt
TG	✓ Hilley, Robert E.	S/Sgt
WG	✓ Meinhold, Robert L. Jr	S/Sgt

Position Able 13 Ship No 42-94738 Sqdn No 81-L

P JOHNSON, THOMAS J. 1st Lt
EARLY RETURN: Oxygen Leak
6:10 flying time

Position Charlie 11 Ship No 44-50476 Sqdn No 83-N

P	✓ BLACK, THOMAS J.	1st Lt
CP	✓ WALSH, JAMES F. JR	2d Lt
N	✓ SHAFFER, CHARLES G. JR	2d Lt
B	✓ SAVIN, WILLIAM G.	1st Lt
E	✓ Wilhelm, James M.	T/Sgt
RO	✓ Wieland, John J.	T/Sgt
N	✓ Collier, Robert E. Jr	S/Sgt
UG	✓ Shematek, Matt S.	S/Sgt
LG	✓ Pinkley, Herbert H.	S/Sgt
TG	✓ Anderson, James C.	S/Sgt
F	✓ Ellis, Thomas S.	T/Sgt

Position Charlie 12 Ship No 44-49939 Sqdn No 74-E

P MILLS, HENRY T. 2d Lt
EARLY RETURN: Engine Trouble
5:55 flying time

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Position Charlie 13 Ship No 42-52683 Sqdn No 70-A

P	FUQUA, CLEVELAND C. JR	2d Lt
CP	OWENS, BILLIE F. (No Navigator)	2d Lt
B	CLUM, ROBERT W.	2d Lt
E	Tanovitz, Joseph R.	T/Sgt
RO	Peters, Arthur H.	T/Sgt
NG	Ruleau, George H.	Sgt
UG	Underwood, Roy F.	Sgt
TG	Underwood, Sterling C.	Sgt
LG	Bresler, Jacob	Sgt

Position Charlie 21 Ship No 42-52072 Sqdn No 72-C

P	SCHNEIDER, WILLIAM L.	1st Lt
CP	MOORE, RAY L. (No Navigator)	2d Lt
B	BLACK, JEREMIAH W. JR	1st Lt
E	Clemons, James O.	T/Sgt
RO	Wilcox, Edwin F.	T/Sgt
NG	Agnost, George P.	S/Sgt
UG	Thompson, Burton H.	S/Sgt
LG	White, George K.	S/Sgt
TG	Wythe, Joseph H.	S/Sgt

Position Charlie 22 Ship No 44-10550 Sqdn No 73-D

P	WILLETT, GUSSIE L.	2d Lt
CP	NATOLI, JOSEPH (No Navigator)	2d Lt
B	COBURN, RICHARD K.	2d Lt
E	Wise, Alexander J. Jr	Sgt
RO	Brackett, Charles L.	Sgt
UG	Beckman, Hyman	Sgt
LG	Goodaker, Charles M. Jr	Sgt
TG	Williams, Gerald A.	S/Sgt
NG	Haase, Frederick T.	Sgt

Position Charlie 23 Ship No 42-51804 Sqdn No 86-Q

P	GUISBOND, MONROE B.	2d Lt
	<u>EARLY RETURN:</u> Oxygen Trouble	
		4:20 flying time

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