

455<sup>th</sup> Bomb Group Field Orders, FO#156, Blechhammer, Germany 11/17/44

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741ST BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)  
437TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H) A-24  
A.P.O. No. 520 U. S. Army

Red Force contd.

17 November 1944  
(DATE)

LOADING LIST

A/C NUMBER 580 DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

PILOT	Lt. Schaffer ✓	TOP TUR GNR	Sgt. Pilcher
CO-PILOT	Lt. Pinkley ✓	WAIST RIGHT	Sgt. Adams
NAVIGATOR	Lt. McKniff ✓	WAIST LEFT	Sgt. Schramer
BOMBARDIER	F/O. Pelosi ✓	BALL TUR GNR	Sgt. Davis
RADIO	Sgt. Herendeen	TAIL TUR GNR	Sgt. Hamer

A/C NUMBER 917 DESTINATION \_\_\_\_\_ T/O \_\_\_\_\_

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

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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A/C NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
257		
PILOT	Lt. Graham ✓	TOP TUR GNR Sgt. Raths
CO-PILOT	Lt. Ringwald ✓	WAIST RIGHT Sgt. Minor
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Hatchelder ✓	WAIST LEFT Sgt. Witzberger
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Hanson ✓	BALL TUR GNR Sgt. Robinson
RADIO	Sgt. Maranda ✓	TAIL TUR GNR Sgt. Bristow
199		
PILOT	Lt. Asa ✓	TOP TUR GNR Sgt. Teeter
CO-PILOT	Lt. McGovern ✓	WAIST RIGHT Sgt. Farrow
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Vince ✓	WAIST LEFT Sgt. Crowe
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Culver ✓	BALL TUR GNR Sgt. Jensen
RADIO	Sgt. Rowden ✓	TAIL TUR GNR Sgt. Bruce
088		
PILOT	Lt. Armellino ✓	TOP TUR GNR Sgt. Hammond
CO-PILOT	Lt. Graf ✓	WAIST RIGHT Sgt. Lyons
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Blount ✓	WAIST LEFT Sgt. March
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Stewart ✓	BALL TUR GNR Sgt. Zegeer
RADIO	Sgt. Haas ✓	TAIL TUR GNR Sgt. Powell
447		
PILOT	Lt. Soderstrom ✓	TOP TUR GNR Sgt. Probst
CO-PILOT	Lt. Foernsler ✓	WAIST RIGHT Sgt. Prescott
NAVIGATOR	P/O. Goetz ✓	WAIST LEFT Sgt. Lonergan
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Kerr ✓	BALL TUR GNR Sgt. Laska
RADIO	Sgt. Demarco ✓	TAIL TUR GNR Sgt. Tessier
397		
PILOT	Lt. Redding ✓	TOP TUR GNR Sgt. Henderson
CO-PILOT	Lt. Huffman ✓	WAIST RIGHT Sgt. Frase
NAVIGATOR	P/O. Irby ✓	WAIST LEFT Sgt. Parker
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Chaplin ✓	BALL TUR GNR Sgt. Hemming
RADIO	Sgt. Mallory ✓	TAIL TUR GNR Sgt. Anderson
974		
PILOT	Lt. Rosimer ✓	TOP TUR GNR Sgt. Fisher
CO-PILOT	Lt. Root ✓	WAIST RIGHT Sgt. Peters
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Vogelfang ✓	WAIST LEFT Sgt. Hewett
BOMBARDIER	Lt. McGahan ✓	BALL TUR GNR Sgt. Despain
RADIO	Sgt. Kuhn ✓	TAIL TUR GNR Sgt. Gales

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

17 NOVEMBER 1944

SUBJECT: CREWS COMPLETING MISSION ON 17 NOV 1944 (RED FORCE)

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

SHIP 033

P CAPT GRIFFIN ✓  
CP CAPT MC CORD  
N LT LYNAM ✓  
B LT HOAGLAND ✓  
LOPETRONE  
SCHWANKE  
DAVIS  
DERRYBERRY  
CALANDRINO  
LT CROTZER (N) ✓  
LT BASLER (PFF) ✓

SHIP 360

P LT SIMS ✓  
CP LT YODER ✓  
N LT BUZZANCA ✓  
B LT SAMANIEGO ✓  
FREDERICK  
GREGERSON  
ARMSTRONG  
JORDAN  
MOLEK  
LAZENBY  
RUSSOMANO (F)

SHIP 624

P LT ALDER ✓  
CP LT SHERIDAN ✓  
N LT KLOTZ ✓  
B LT HEIGHTON ✓  
JOHNSON, V.  
TOMME  
MITCHELL, D.  
HUNZIKER  
VARNELL  
KRISTEL

SHIP 057

LT DE SAUSSURE ✓  
LT NILES ✓  
LT HULL ✓  
LT REINHART ✓  
PAULEY  
PIERCE  
KING  
BAJDA  
BOSWELL  
BEEKMAN

SHIP 010

CAPT KELLY ✓  
LT ZDUNCZYK ✓  
LT WORSTER ✓  
LT HEAD ✓  
SHRADER  
RUMBAUGH  
CADENBACH  
LUTY  
ROBERTSON ✓  
LT KOTZ ✓  
LT COMMINGS (PFF) ✓

SHIP 201

LT GROOMS ✓  
LT CONNOLLY ✓  
LT HILL ✓  
LT MUISE ✓  
ALFINO  
SINK  
HAMMER  
WEST, M.  
STINE  
SILES  
SMETANA (INT)

SHIP 332

LT THATCHER ✓  
LT CASE ✓  
LT KRUEGER ✓  
LT RODRIGUEZ ✓  
GIANGARRA  
KRAFT  
SHEFFIELD  
DILLON  
POPOVICH  
LILIE

TIME \_\_\_\_\_

TARGET \_\_\_\_\_

LLOYD M. GRIFFIN,  
CAPTAIN, AIR CORPS,  
OPERATIONS OFFICER.

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POPULATION DIAGRAM 455TH

Red Force

Able Box

McCard-Guffin

75 | 033

Fromm  
46 | 201

De Saussure  
57 | 057

Ellis  
1071

Hubback  
597

Schwartz  
951

Gunn  
1943

Fane  
1151

ER | 400

ER

Griff  
088

McRedding  
19 | 397

Abner  
914

Stallis  
1586

Graham  
257

Dea  
199

Anderson  
1447

Faulstich  
917

MISSION NO 151  
DATE 17 Nov.

Baker Box

Shumard  
419

Nickols  
1395

Long  
1453

Rushford  
1331

Hines  
267

Mutt  
146

Labring  
879

267

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11/17/44

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11/17/44

✓ Lt Dolan  
✓ Lt von Serritz  
✓ Lt DeArment  
✓ Lt Jernazian  
✓ S/Sgt Wills  
✓ Lt Haroutunian

740

944

11/17/44

S/Sgt He rt  
S/Sgt Wy roedie  
S/ gt Ci econd  
S/Sgt Ri tchner  
S/Sgt C ommunfello

✓ Lt Ellis  
✓ Lt Degenkolb  
✓ Lt Bunch  
NONE  
S/Sgt Madell

S/Sgt Mazur  
S/ gt Lewis  
S/Sgt patterson  
S/Sgt Moore  
S/Sgt McCarthy

740

115

11/17/44

✓ Lt Crosby  
✓ Lt Carr  
✓ Lt Miller  
✓ Lt O'Malley  
✓ S/Sgt palunek

S/Sgt Bathie  
S/Sgt Parks  
S/Sgt Golberg  
S/Sgt Eldridge  
S/Sgt Daron

740

597

11/17/44

✓ Lt Hollrock  
✓ Lt Stokman  
✓ Lt Hosterman  
✓ Lt Riley  
S/Sgt Caufield

Sgt Lucas  
Sgt Cleveland  
Sgt Engle  
Sgt Burkholder  
Sgt post

740

400

11/17/44

Lt Jane  
Lt Zerlip  
Lt Beckman  
Lt Polasky  
Sgt Valuska

ER

Sgt Potash  
Sgt Machuga  
Sgt Jacobson  
Sgt Hardison  
Sgt Valuska  
Sgt Jersin

740

943

11/17/44

✓ Lt Gunn  
✓ Lt Herkranz  
✓ Lt Fregoe  
Lt Sgt Johnson  
Sgt Brown

Sgt Belcher  
Sgt Kelleher  
Sgt Scerbo  
Sgt Crowley  
Sgt Boubher

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Office of the Operations Officer  
APO 520

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COMBAT MISSION  
NO 151

<u>A/C NO. 419</u>		<u>A/C NO. 331</u>		<u>A/C NO. 453</u>	
P SHUMARD, J. W.	LT. ✓	RUSHFORD, J. J.	LT. ✓	LONG, W. B.	LT. ✓
CP TAYLOR, C. P.	LT. ✓	HUGHES, J. F.	LT. ✓	HESELBARTH, F. B.	LT. ✓
N PEDERSON, R. J.	LT. ✓	KALAJUAN, J.	LT. ✓	HULEN, W. I.	LT. ✓
B BROWN, J. F.	LT. ✓	COSTA, A. J.	LT. ✓	TRUNEK, W. J.	LT. ✓
E Bamburg, R. I.	Sgt.	Ryan, E. F.	Sgt.	Hill, W. C.	Sgt.
R LaPoint, E. S.	Sgt.	Fedewa, E. A.	Sgt.	Bailey, R. A.	Sgt.
AR Shoemaker, R. L.	Sgt.	Carey, J. J.	Sgt.	Rees, J. C.	Sgt.
AE Merritt, J. B.	Sgt.	Asnton, R. J.	Sgt.	Solek, J. A.	Sgt.
AG Mackinnin, J. T.	Sgt.	Harper, M. D.	Sgt.	Laird, D. E.	Sgt.
AG Vreatt, H. J.	Sgt.	Martin, H. L.	Sgt.	Greikowicz, I. D.	Sgt.
N KERMISS, R. J.	LT. ✓ (MJ)	Bloom, E.	Sgt.		

  

<u>A/C NO. 267</u>		<u>A/C NO. 146</u>		<u>A/C NO. 879</u>	
P HIMES, R. C.	LT. ✓	MERTL, W.	LT. ✓	LABOVITZ, J. O.	LT. ✓
CP PRINCE, W. A.	LT. ✓	KEIRNS, H.	LT. ✓	DELANEY, T. F.	LT. ✓
N McCORMACK, J. E.	LT. ✓	ROFSTAD, J.	LT. ✓	TILGHMAN, R. T.	LT. ✓
B BELTRAMI, A. P.	LT. ✓	WHITE, A.	LT. ✓	MILSTEIN, B.	LT. ✓
E Ellis, G.	Sgt.	Massey, B.	Sgt.	Silverman, E. L.	Sgt.
R Dougher, F. P.	Sgt.	Vercellone, D.	Sgt.	Tuttle, E. A.	Sgt.
AR Ferriss, S.	Sgt.	Gurdish, M.	Sgt.	Fedora, J.	Sgt.
AE O'Connor, R. I.	Sgt.	Lahiere, G.	Sgt.	Rockwell, F. X.	Sgt.
AG Helmers, R. R.	Sgt.	Hafner, B.	Sgt.	Harrigan, J. J.	Sgt.
AG Nazarchyk, T. W.	Sgt.	Shores, D.	Sgt.	McMahon, J. J.	Sgt.

A/C NO. 395

P NICHOLS, F. H.	LT. ✓
CP JUREKA, J. F.	LT. ✓
N ROVIE, R. J.	LT. ✓
B FREDRICKSON, E. H.	LT. ✓
E Lee, R. S. EW.	Sgt.
R Schwartz, S.	Sgt.
AE Craney, J. P.	Sgt.
AR Trasko, W.	Sgt.
AG Lyon, L.	Sgt.
AG White, A.	Sgt.

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