

HEADQUARTERS 320TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (M)
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Intelligence Narrative No. 247, Day Operation, 10 June 1944.

A. Flight Commander: Lt. Deatly.

A. 320th Bombardment Group (M).

B. At 1550 hours, 20 B-26's of the 320th Bombardment Group (M) took off to bomb Bucine Viaduct N (M/N R059375, sheet 114). 2 B-26's returned early, 1 spare and 1 ill crew member. 18 B-26's were over the target at 1750 hours and 10,000' but no bombs were dropped due to cloud cover. All bombs were returned to base. 18 B-26's returned to base at 1937 hours.

C. RESULTS: None.

D. OBSERVATIONS:

1. Air:

a. Air Activity: None.

b. Situation: 6-7 S/B A/C and 1 transport on Siena Malignano; runway appeared in repair.

2. Ground:

a. General: None

b. Communications:

1. 90 RR cars between E5088 and E6078.

2. 40 RR cars in Siena M/Y.

3. 1 locomotive at R0735.

4. 100 RR cars at R1036.

5. 30/50 M/T moving south at R2848 at 1738 hours.

6. Scattered minor M/T movement, mostly north, target to coast.

7. 50 M/T moving south at R2038 at 1738 hours.

c. Flak: None.

d. Hipping: None.

3. Losses: None. Damaged: None.

4. Weather: a. Enroute: 6/10 stratocumulus in several thin layers up to 8,000'.
b. Target: 7-8/10 cumulus, tops 9,000'; rain along coast south of Leghorn.
c. Return: As enroute.

E. ROUTES AND ALTITUDES: From 2,500' at base to landfall at Castiglion d. Pescina to south of Siena; to south of Arezzo; to Pieve S. Stefano; to Bassina; to target; to Pomarance; to Castiglione de' Pescina; to base.

F. COMMENTS: None.

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MISSION #265

FLIGHT COMMANDER:

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AUXILIARY LINE UP

10		4 <u>A.C. CONNELL</u>	"A"
4	22 <u>ASHER</u>	BARDEN	10 <u>HELD</u>
22	- Bardays	-	POLAKOV
17		"B"	
11		11 <u>DIMIDIE</u>	
14	14 <u>WILLIAMS</u>	Chevalis	17 <u>MEYER</u>
8	- Chalucci	-	Stone
9		"C"	
12		9 <u>BORDEN</u>	
28	19 <u>WIGGINTON</u>	Johnson	8 <u>DILLON</u>
85	- Mac_Goldrick	-	Mac_Farland
78		"D"	
91		85 <u>FOWLER</u>	
81	78 <u>SCHNEIDER</u>	Ruggins	98 <u>TOWNS</u>
95	- Leonard	-	BARNANDI
94		"E"	
87		81 <u>GASSER</u>	
83	95 <u>CONNOR</u>	Rinden	91 <u>MILSON</u>
23	- Shehan	-	Betenjeny
86		"F"	
*****	87 <u>SINN</u>		

RADIO:

320th TOPNOTCH Sparks: 23 WILHELM 86 BUSSLIER
 Escort TOPNOTCH - Streamy - Dravals -
 FIGHTERS - - - - - COLOR OF THE DAY

Flame COLORS

GROUND SPACES	0200-0800	Red & Green
-7-	0800-1400	Red & Yellow
-86-	1400-2000	Green & Green
	2000-0200	Yellow & Yellow

ALDIS Lamp SIGNALS

<u>CHALLENGE</u>	<u>REPLY</u>
0200-0800	C
0800-1400	N
1400-2000	P
2000-0200	J

THE FOLLOWING CREWS PARTICIPATED IN THE RAID ON

CREW SQUADRON

MC CONNELL, PILOT, 1st Lt. 441st

PAULANTIS, CO PILOT, 1st Lt.

BARDEN, BOMB. 1st Lt.

G PERFETTO, NAV. 2nd Lt.

HARRISON, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.

STEIGENHOFER, RADIO, S/Sgt.

CLARK, GUNNER, S/Sgt.

DEATLBY, FLIGHT COMMANDER, 1st Lt.

*Posted
R.S.
1937*

PLANE NO. 04
took off 1550
landed 1937

G

HELD, PILOT, 1st Lt. 441st

WEST, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.

F THAYNOR, BOMB. 2nd Lt.

POLAKOV, NAV. 2nd Lt.

O'DELL, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.

TIPTON, RADIO, Cpl.

KIRKLAND, GUNNER, S/Sgt.

JOHNSON, PHOTO, Sgt.

10
took off 1550
landed 1937

W

ASHER, PILOT, 2nd Lt. 441st

BODIE, CO PILOT, 1st Lt.

BERDAUS, BOMB. T/Sgt.

MILLER, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.

WESTBROOK, RADIO, T/Sgt.

MEDINA, GUNNER, S/Sgt.

*Early Return
No credit*

22
took off 1550
landed 1643

F

DINWIDDIE, PILOT, 2nd Lt. 441st

WIGINTON, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.

CHAVALAS, BOMB. 2nd Lt.

GULLIVER, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.

FORBES, RADIO, S/Sgt.

BOOTH, GUNNER, S/Sgt.

11
took off 1550
landed 1938

W

MYERS, PILOT, 1st Lt. 441st

PASEK, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.

STONE, BOMB. Sgt.

CASEY, ENGINEER, Sgt.

PYSZ, RADIO, S/Sgt.

BRATTON, GUNNER, S/Sgt.

17
took off 1550
landed 1938

W

WILLIAMS, D.L., PILOT, 1st Lt. 441st

KLUG, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.

CHELUCCI, BOMB. Sgt.

SOLDATI, ENGINEER, Cpl.

MONEY, RADIO, S/Sgt.

GUST, GUNNER, S/Sgt.

14
took off 1550
landed 1938

F

BOARDEN, PILOT, 2nd Lt. 441st

MERRILL, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.

JOHNSON, BOMB. 2nd Lt.

MAUSER, ENGINEER, Sgt.

GAUNT, RADIO, T/Sgt.

LEUTHOLT, GUNNER, T/Sgt.

9
took off 1551
landed 1939

DILLON, PILOT, 1st Lt.	441st	8
HUNSBURGER, CO PILOT, 1st Lt.		took off 1551
MC FARLAND, BOMB. T/Sgt.		landed
TESSUM, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		1939
HULL, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
FRANK, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
MADDOCKS, PHOTO, Sgt.		
WIGGINTON, PILOT, F/S	441st	19
TRUNK, CO PILOT, 1st Lt.		took off 1551
MC GOLDRICK, BOMB. S/Sgt.		landed
TREBANDA, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		1939
THANNHAUSER, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
LAMMONTA, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
FOWLER, PILOT, 1st Lt.	444th	98
MC BRIDE, CO PILOT, 1st Lt.		took off 1552
F ROGERS, BOMB. 1st Lt.		landed
DEACY, NAV. 2nd Lt.		1940
MATTHESON, DFC, 1st Lt.		
BAUCK, ENGINEER, Sgt.		
WOOD, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
DEMOTT, GUNNER, Sgt.		
TOWNS, PILOT, 1st Lt.	444th	85
E JONES, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 1552
BERNARDI, BOMB. 2nd Lt.		landed
WEBB, NAV. 2nd Lt.		1940
STATON, ENGINEER, T/Sgt.		
STALCUP, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
MAGNAE, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
CLITES, PHOTO, S/Sgt.		
SCHNEIDER, PILOT, 2nd Lt.	444th	78
ASMITH, CO PILOT, 1st Lt.		took off 1552
LEONARD, BOMB. Sgt.		landed
COOK, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		1940
VISCOMI, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
HUMPHREY, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
GASSER, PILOT, 1st Lt.	444th	81
RICHARDS, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 1553
RINDEN, BOMB. Pvt.		landed
MONTARULI, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		1941
LAUGH, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
MALONE, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
WILSON, PILOT, 2nd Lt.	444th	91
NOWAK, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 1553
BETENJANY, BOMB. Sgt.		landed
HENDRICK, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		1941
FERGUSON, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
KABAL, GUNNER, Sgt.		
CONNOR, PILOT, 1st Lt.	444th	95
SINGER, CO PILOT, 1st Lt.		took off 1553
SHANAHAN, BOMB. Pvt.	CLARK, ENGINEER, Sgt.	landed 1941
FEINBERG, RADIO, S/Sgt.	BOSS, GUNNER, S/Sgt.	

SINN, PILOT, 2nd Lt.	444th	87
RAMAGE, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.	44	took off 1553
F BROWN, BOMB. S/Sgt.		landed
JOHNSON, ENGINEER, T/Sgt.		1942
CLARK, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
MOSKOWITZ, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
WALTER, PILOT, 2nd Lt.	444th	94
WALDRUP, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 1553
GLEASON, BOMB. Sgt.		landed
WILLIAMS, ENGINEER, T/Sgt.		1942
ROSS, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
FIELDS, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
YAVOROSKY, PHOTO PHOTO, Sgt.		
SHAFFER, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
DARISCOLL, PILOT, 2nd Lt.	444th	83
KREUZER, MAXX CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 1553
WEYENBERG, BOMB. REC.		landed
MONTGOMERY, ENGINEER, /Sgt.		1942
MC ALMURRY, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
PIGGOTT, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
CAMPBELL, RADIO, Sgt.		
SP. RES	SPARKS	SPARKS
BRESSETTE, PILOT, 2nd Lt.	444th	79
MURGENSTERN, CO PILOT, 1st Lt.		took off 1554
DREVAS, BOMB. sgt.		landed
W W KUZMA, ENGINEER, S gt.		1937
STEEN, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
ESTRADA, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
WILHELM, PILOT, 2nd Lt.	441st	23
LAZO, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 1554
STREANY, BOMB. Sgt.		landed
SMITH, ENGINEER, T/Sgt.		1812
CARLISLE, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
SNOW, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		

Mission Credit