

HEADQUARTERS 320TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (M)
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Intelligence Narrative No. 361. Day Operations, 30 Sept., 1944.

Flight Commander: Captain Rowan.

A. 320th Bombardment Group (M).

B. At 11:15 hours, 19 B-26's of the 320th Bombardment Group (M) took off to bomb the Fuel Dump 2½ miles South-West of Cremona (M/R: (Q) K-855226, GGS 4164. Sheet 61). Italy. 1 B-26 returned early: spare. 18 B-26's were over the target and 18 B-26's dropped 142 x 500# Demolition bombs (1/10 & .02, second delay fuses) on the target at 12:48 hours from 9,000' to 9,300' on an Axis of 40°T. 2 x 500# Demolition bombs were returned to base, having hung up over the target. 18 B-26's returned to base at 14:05 hours.

C. Results: The Northern half of the target area was covered by an excellent bomb pattern, which scored several direct hits on the storage tanks. Bombs of the second Squadron started just short and to the South of the target and walked into the area.

D. Observations:

1. Air:

- Air Activity: None.
- Situation: None.

2. Ground:

- General: See Narrative No. 360.
- Communications: See Narrative No. 360.
- Flak: None.
- Shipping: See Narrative No. 360.

3. Losses: None. Damaged: None.

4. Weather: See Narrative No. 360.

E. Routing: Base to join up at Pianosa Island; to landfall at Lavagna; to Garpaneto; to I.P., Cadeo; bomb run, 40°T to target; breakaway right to lake South-West of Vernasca; to Moniglia; to base.

F. Comments:

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<u>RUNWAY LINE UP</u>	<u>SCHWARTZ</u> <u>14 Clever</u>	<u>WILHELM</u> <u>11 Polkow</u>	<u>HERRILL</u> <u>02 Garvey</u>
11			
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12		<u>DIMMIDIE</u> <u>07 Tamm</u>	<u>BOWLES</u> <u>06 Anderson</u>
07	<u>DOIKE</u> <u>10 Martinsen</u>		
10		<u>CAHAN</u> <u>20 Rojas</u>	<u>MAC GREGOR</u>
06	<u>GRAJA</u> <u>15 Dover</u>		<u>01 Sacco</u>
20		<u>PLACKTER</u> <u>30 FROELICH</u>	<u>RAMAGE</u> <u>91 DRAKE</u>
15	<u>ARMSTRONG</u> <u>75 Heyenberg</u>		
01		<u>DRISCOLL</u> <u>83 Cairns</u>	<u>JONES, E.W.</u> <u>94 Schmidt</u>
80	<u>77 Beebe</u>		
75		<u>CHUNIS</u> <u>90 Bernard</u>	<u>NAIME</u> <u>91 Sheehan</u>
91			
83	<u>POLING</u> <u>97 Goldman</u>		
77		<u>95 KREUZER</u> <u>Ryan</u>	
94			
90	<u>SPARES: 07 BEDFORD</u> <u>Vicha</u>		
97			
87			
99	<i>early</i>		
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0200-0800	RED & RED	J	F
0800-1400	RED & RED	S	W
1400-2000	GREEN & GREEN	G	Y
2000-0200	YELLOW & YELLOW	C	I

RADIO:
320th TOPNOTCH 1
Escort TOPNOTCH FIGHTERS

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