

HEADQUARTERS 320TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (M)  
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Intelligence Narrative No. 248, Day Operation, 12 June 1944

Flight Commander: Captain Shupe.

A. 320th Bombardment Group (M).

B. At 09:25 hours, 19 B-26's of the 320th Bombardment Group (M) took off to bomb the Road Bridge East of Perugia (M/R: N-734922, sheet 122). Italy. 1 spare returned early. 18 B-26's were over the target and dropped 72 x 1,000# demolition bombs (1/10 & .01 second delay fuses) on the target at 11:37 hours from 11,000' to 10,500' on an axis of 115°T. 18 B-26's returned to base at 13:10 hours.

C. Results: The bridge was covered with an excellent pattern of bombs scoring probable direct hits.

D. Observations:

1. Air:

a. Air Activity:

- (1) 1 S/E silver colored a/e with pontoons, flying slowly east toward Elba at 11:14 hours.
- (2) 1 Ju-190 to right and low followed formation from L. Bolsena to the targets.

b. Situation:

Perugia A/D empty, but appeared serviceable; Grosseto appeared serviceable, but empty.

2. Ground:

a. General:

- (1) Red light flashes at B-4474 and B-8280.
- (2) Hospital at A-0272.
- (3) Road bridge cut at N-3983.

b. Communications:

- (1) 100 RR cars at B-6076 to B-6552.
- (2) 40 RR cars at B-7885.
- (3) 140 RR cars at R-3509 to A-3482.
- (4) At Perugia, 60 RR cars.
- (5) 1 train of 20 RR cars moving south-east at N-6623, at 11:37 hours.
- (6) 6 horse-drawn vehicles at N-1165 at 11:45 hours.
- (7) 10/20 W/T moving North at A-1521 at 11:34 hours.
- (8) Minor roads North of Lake Trasimano, 40 W/T moving South at 11:43 hours.

c. Flak: None encountered but shooting at other formations, the following was seen:

From Cortona at 12 P-26's of another Group about 200 bursts of heavy flak.  
From South of Orvieto, scant heavy flak.  
Along road from Arezzo to Siena, moderate heavy flak.

- d. Shipping:  
2 barges off mouth of Ombrone river.
3. Losses: None. Damaged: None.
4. Weather:  
a. Enroute: Generally clear over water.  
b. Target: Open; 6/10ths cumulus, 5-8,000' in area.  
c. Return: As Enroute.
5. Routes and Altitudes: From 2,500' at base, to landfall at mouth of Ombrone river; to I.P., Castiglion del Lago climbing to 12,000'; to target still,000'; to Castiglion del Lago; to base.
6. Comments: None.

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MISSION #267 C.I.G.Y. 24.4.44. 12:15 P.M.  
SUNRAY LINE UP

12 June 1944

No. 70

25	25 <u>ALLEN</u> Jacobson	32 <u>EDWARD E. COOKE</u> Lynn TOME "B"	28 <u>HAROMAKI</u> Hendrik
31	38 <u>CASNER</u> Friend	30 <u>CHAMBERS</u> John - "C"	34 <u>BAKER, J. J.</u> Chamberlin
28	29 <u>HENSELL</u> McGray	45 <u>BAKER, J. J.</u> McGREGOR "D"	26 <u>THORNTON</u> Fuller
38	65 <u>HEWELL</u> Straka	62 <u>ACKERMAN</u> MC CARTNEY "E"	64 <u>MAC KINNON</u> WAGAN
30	63 <u>LYDAY</u> Dickey	55 <u>MARKS</u> Henry - "F"	59 <u>HABEL</u> Sherman
32	56 <u>LAWB</u> Seafir	50 <u>LONG</u> Carroll - "G"	61 <u>HABIB</u> Spider
29		98 <u>JOHNSON</u> EUGAN - "H"	85 <u>MATTISON</u> DELOSIER
45		79 <u>MCNAUL</u> H. PHILIP - "I"	91 <u>SINGER</u> Gleason
26		77 <u>MCNAUL</u> Keyenburg	
65		86 <u>MCNAUL</u> L. strum	
62		76 <u>MCNAUL</u> Kucher	
64		19 <u>HUBBARD</u> MC FADLAN	
63		22 <u>HUMES</u> Chelucci	
55		1 <u>TRUNK</u> MacIlvane	
59		SPARES: 51 <u>VALY</u> Box	
56		66 <u>STRACHAN</u> HOBEL	
50		80 <u>TUJAS</u> Benzene I	
61			
85	168		
98	8 X 500'		
27			
91			
79			
86			
93			
87			
76			
4			
14			
19			
17	*****		
11	AMBUS:		
22	320th TURWITCH		
8	escort TURWITCH		
9	Fillets		
1			
51			
66			
81			
80			

COLORS OF THE DAY

Flight Colors

- RED & RED RED
- RED & RED
- GREEN & GREEN
- RED & RED

ALDIS LINE SIGNALS

CharLight - Early

- |           |   |   |
|-----------|---|---|
| 0200-0800 | Y | Z |
| 0800-1400 | J | I |
| 1400-2000 | P | N |
| 2000-0200 | L | V |

GROUND SPARES

- 70
- 89
- 12
- 1400-2000
- 2000-0200

THE FOLLOWING CREWS PARTICIPATED IN THE RAID ON

CREW	SQUADRON	PLANE NO.
PROBASCO, PILOT, Capt.	442nd	31
WELCH, CO PILOT, Lt.		took off 0925
FREESTONE, BOMB. Lt.		landed 1329
PINCOMB, NAV. Lt.		
SHUH, FLIGHT COMMANDER, Capt.		
BLY, ENGINEER, T/Sgt.		
ELLIS, RADIO, T/Sgt.		
ROSS, GUNNER, T/Sgt.		
JF		
BAKER, PILOT, Capt.	442nd	45
WILLIAMS, R.A. CO PILOT, Lt.		took off 0925
MADDIO, BOMB. Lt.		landed
E MUNAUGH, NAV. Lt.		1329
NARDINE, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		
UGGERUD, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
STEWART, GUNNER, T/Sgt.		
K.F.		
ROWAN, PILOT, Lt.	442nd	25
WILLIAMS, CO PILOT,		took off 0925
MANNING, BOMB. T/Sgt.		landed
W MANNING, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		1329
JOHNSON, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
BUTT, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
F		
GREGG, PILOT, Lt.	442nd	30
WALLS, CO PILOT, Lt.		took off 0926
SPANN, BOMB. Lt.		landed
BLISWORTH, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		1329+
COONEY, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
JOHNSON, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
W		
BAKER, J.J., PILOT, Lt.	442nd	32
MC DOUGAL, CO PILOT, Lt.		took off 0926
CHAMBERLIN, BOMB. T/Sgt.		landed
MC CULLY, ENGINEER, Sgt.		1329+
PASTOREK, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
WARD, GUNNER, Sgt.		
W 6		
CASTOR, PILOT, Lt.	442nd	38
BARRACLOUGH, CO PILOT, Lt.		took off 0926
FATEND, BOMB. S/Sgt.		landed
BELLINGER, ENGINEER, Sgt.		1329+
MOORE, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
RUDGEON, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
HEMSELL, PILOT, Lt.	442nd	29
ARMSTRONG, CO PILOT, Lt.		took off 0927
HARRINGTON, BOMB. S/Sgt.		landed
HUSTON, ENGINEER, Sgt.		1330
FURREST, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
FLYNN, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		

F	SIRACHAN, PILOT, 1st Lt.	443rd	66
	SPRANG, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 0927
	ROBEL, BOMB. st Lt.		landed
F	HOPKINS, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		1330
	MAI, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
	TROUTMAN, GUNNER, Sgt.		
W	AYRSY, PILOT, 2nd Lt.	443rd	51
q	HECKLER, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 0927
	VOA, BOMB. Sgt.		landed
	BARRY, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		1330
	MARSTILLAR, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
	CORFAY, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
F	ACKERMAN, PILOT, 1st Lt.	443rd	62
/3	PALMER, CO PILOT, 1st Lt.		took off 0928
	MC GARDNEY, BOMB. 2nd Lt.		landed
	CAFARELLA, NAV. Capt.		1331
	JUST, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		
	CALLAHAN, RADIO, T/Sgt.		
	KONSCH, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
V	MAC KINNON, PILOT, 1st Lt.	443rd	64
	GOODWIN, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 0928
	WAGAK, BOMB. 1st Lt.		landed
V	TARANTO, NAV. 2nd Lt.		1331
	JONES, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		
	TRAMEEK, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
	GUILLEMIS, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
V	WEEKLEY, PILOT,	443rd	65
	CARTER, CO PILOT		took off 0928
	WESTFALL, BOMB.		landed
/2	ROLFE, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		1331/T
	TURATTI, RADIO, T/Sgt.		
	GRILICHAK, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
	DRAPER,		
F	WEEKS, PILOT, st Lt.	443rd	55
/1	WEST, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 0927
	HENRY, BOMB. S/Sgt.		landed
	PARK, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		1331/T
	CALAFUT, RADIO, T/Sgt.		
	AVERY, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
W	HAMEL, PILOT, 2nd Lt.	443rd	59
	DUGAN, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 0929
14	SHERMAN, BOMB. S/Sgt.		landed
	ELLIS, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		1332
	PURTZ, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
	TEETERS, GUNNER, S/Sgt.		
V	LYDAY, PILOT, 1st Lt.	443rd	63
	NICLOUD, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 0929
	DICKEY, BOMB. S/Sgt.		landed
	VOLOSKY, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		1332
	LAFFERTY, RADIO, T/Sgt.		
	MELE, GUNNER, Sgt.		
	COLLINS, PFC.		

F	LONG, PILOT, Capt.	443rd	50
	STINSON, CO PILOT, 1st Lt.		took off 0930
	CARROLL, BOMB. 1st Lt.		landed
	FARBEROW, OBS. Capt.		1332
V	GORMAN, ENGINEER, Cpl.		
	BORGALO, RADIO, T/Sgt.		
	HANSEN, GUNNER, S Sgt.		
V	KRIBAL, PILOT, 1st Lt.	443rd	61
	BEAUDAU, CO PILOT, 1st Lt.		took off 0930
	SNIDER, NAV. S/Sgt.		landed
17	STONE, ENGINEER, T/Sgt.		1332
	PEAVEY, RADIO, 1/Sgt.		
	GUZZIOLI, GUNNER, S Sgt.		
	PAICE, X, S Sgt.		
	LAMB, PILOT, 1st Lt.	443rd	56
	TILM, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 0930
	SZAFIA, BOMB. S/Sgt.		landed 1332
18	LAOURDEAU, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		
	BONIG, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
	MC DONALD, GUNNER, Sgt.		
	HARDHOLM, GUNNER, Sgt.		
	JOHNSON, PILOT, 1st Lt.	444th	98
	ROUND, CO PILOT, 1st Lt.		took off 0933
	POCAN, BOMB. 1st Lt.		landed
	WARD SMITH, NAV. 1st Lt.		1337
11	JOHNSON, ENGINEER, 1/Sgt.		
	MC ELMURRAY, RADIO, S/Sgt.		
	ALEXANDER, GUNNER, S Sgt.		
	NUNNALLEE, FLIGHT COMMANDER, Capt.		
F	MATTESON, PILOT, 1st Lt.	444th	85
	RAMAGE, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 0933
	DELOSAGE, BOMB. 1st Lt.		landed
20	DAY, NAV. 2nd Lt.		1337
	GIUFFRE, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.		
	LAUTH, RADIO, S Sgt.		
	RUBINSON, GUNNER, S Sgt.		
	CLITES, PHOTO, S Sgt.		
	CHUMIS, PILOT, 2nd Lt.	444th	77
	DALSCOLL, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 0933
	WATENBERG, BOMB. PFC.		landed
W 21	LEMMERD, ENGINEER, Sgt.		1337
	WOOD, RADIO, S Sgt.		
	JOHNSON, GUNNER, Sgt.		
F	REEDER, PILOT, 1st Lt	444th	79
	SIMM, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.		took off 0934
	HOPFER, BOMB. 2nd Lt.		landed
	TUMIS, ENGINEER, T/Sgt.		1337
	FALINBERG, RADIO, S Sgt.		
	POLAND, GUNNER, Sgt.		

W	SINGER, PILOT, 1st Lt. HISSEY, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt. GLEASON, BOMB. Sgt. HENDRICK, ENGINEER, S/Sgt. ROSS, RADIO, S/Sgt. MUSKOWITZ, GUNNER, Sgt.	444th	89 took off 0934 landed <i>1310</i>
W 24	NOMAK, PILOT, 2nd Lt. WILSON, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt. LINDSTROM, BOMB. 2nd Lt. COOK, ENGINEER, S/Sgt. CAMPBELL, RADIO, Sgt. PAUL, GUNNER, Sgt.	444th	86 took off 0934 landed <i>1310</i>
W 25	BURKE, PILOT, 2nd Lt. WILSON, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt. GLAUBITZ, BOMB. 2nd Lt. FILTRANTIS, ENGINEER, S/Sgt. IVSY, RADIO, S/Sgt. KUCH, GUNNER, S/Sgt.	444th	87 took off 0935 landed <i>1329+</i>
W 26	PLACKTER, PILOT, 1st Lt. WALDROP, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt. JANCO, BOMB. S/Sgt. GULDIE, ENGINEER, T/Sgt. SPEARS, RADIO, S/Sgt. GEORGE, GUNNER, S/Sgt. XAVIEROSKY, T, S/t.	444th	93 took off 0935 landed <i>1311</i>
W 27	LUDGANSTEIN, PILOT, 1st Lt. TURNER, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt. HATTON, BOMB. S/Sgt. MONTGOMERY, ENGINEER, S/Sgt. SHAFER, RADIO, S/Sgt. FLEIJS, GUNNER, S/Sgt. BUSS, ENG. S/Sgt.	444th	76 took off 0935 landed <i>1338</i>
F 14	ROBBINS, PILOT, Capt. PAULANTIS, CO PILOT, 1st Lt. TAPP, BOMB. 1st Lt. CASSINO, NAV. 1st Lt. HUPPE, ENGINEER, S/Sgt. SPEERS, RADIO, S/Sgt. TOMPKING, GUNNER, S/Sgt.	441st	14 took off 0935 landed <i>1318</i>
29	SMITH, PILOT, 1st Lt. WIGGINTON, CO PILOT, F/O VISESELLS, BOMB. 1st Lt. PERETTO, NAV. 2nd Lt. GOODMAN, ENGINEER, Sgt. MC DONOUGH, RADIO, T/Sgt. STEEVES, GUNNER, S/Sgt. SAUTER, PHOTO, Sgt.	441st	4 took off 0935 landed <i>1310</i>
W 30	HUBBARD, PILOT, 1st Lt. ALUG, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt. GIGNAC, ENGINEER, S/Sgt.	441st MC FARLAND, BOMB. 2nd Lt. MARKUS, RADIO, S/Sgt. HAYS, PHOTO, S/Sgt.	19 took off 0954 landed <i>1341</i>

F 31	RAEVES, PILOT, 1st Lt. WIGINTON, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt. COKER, BOMB. Sgt. BOOTH, ENGINEER, S/Sgt. SNOW, RADIO, S/Sgt. GRIGGS, GUNNER, T/Sgt.	441st	11 took off 0936 landed /317
V 32	OLTMANN, PILOT, 1st Lt. MYERS, CO PILOT, 1st Lt. BERDAUS, BOMB. T/Sgt. CASEY, ENGINEER, Sgt. PYZ, RADIO, S/Sgt. LEUTHOLT, GUNNER, T/Sgt.	441st	17 took off 0936 landed /317
V 33	HUNSBARGER, PILOT, 1st Lt. LAZO, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt. CHELUCCI, BOMB. Sgt. LICKEY, ENGINEER, S/Sgt. GAUNT, RADIO, T/Sgt. GUST, GUNNER, S/Sgt. METCALF, PHOTO, Cpl.	441st	22 took off 0936 landed /317
F 34	WILHELM, PILOT, 2nd Lt. MERRILL, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt. STREANY, BOMB. Sgt. SMITH, ENGINEER, T/Sgt. CARLISLE, RADIO, S/Sgt. VICHA, GUNNER, Sgt.	441st	9 took off 0937 landed /318
V 35	ASHER, PILOT, 2nd Lt. BODIE, CO PILOT, 1st Lt. SUMMERS, BOMB. Sgt. TESSUM, ENGINEER, S/Sgt. HULL, RADIO, S/Sgt. FRANK, GUNNER, S/Sgt. MAUSER, X, Sgt. MADDOCKS, PHOTO, Sgt.	441st	12 took off 0937 landed /318
V 36	TRUNK, PILOT, 1st Lt. WIGGINS, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt. MC ILLVENNA, BOMB. S/Sgt. TREBENDA, ENGINEER, T/Sgt. THAMMHAUSER, RADIO, S/Sgt. BRATTON, GUNNER, S/Sgt. MOORE, X, S/Sgt.	441st	1 took off 0937 landed /319
	SPARES THORNTON, PILOT, Lt. TAYLOR, CO PILOT, Lt. FULLER, BOMB. S/Sgt. HOWARD, ENGINEER, T/Sgt. MILLIMAN, RADIO, S/Sgt. EARL, GUNNER, S/Sgt. COLTON, PHOTO, S/Sgt.	SPARES 44 Early no credit	SPARES book 44 took off 0931 landed /320

DEMETHRES, PILOT,  
SMITH, CO PILOT, 1st Lt.  
BETENJANY, BOMB. Sgt.  
DYRCZ, ENGINEER, Sgt.  
CLARK, RADIO, S/Sgt.  
RABAL, GUNNER, Sgt.

TOWNS, PILOT, 1st Lt.  
KREUZER, CO PILOT, 2nd Lt.  
BERNARDI, BOMB. 2nd Lt.  
KUCZMA, ENGINEER, Sgt.  
VISCOMI, RADIO, S/Sgt.  
ASTRADA, GUNNER, S/Sgt.

444th

early return  
no credit

81  
took off 0938  
landed

1108

444th

Early Return  
no credit

80  
took off 0938  
landed

1130