

HEADQUARTERS 321st BOMBARDMENT GROUP (M)
APO # 650
Office of the Operations Officer

18 April 1944

OPERATIONS ORDER)

NUMBER 303)

1. Mission # 302.
2. Target: Orvieto RR Bridge.
3. Number and type A/C completing mission: 27 B-25's.

4. Route Out:	Course	distance	time
	340	31	9
	300	25	7
	354	53	12 $\frac{1}{2}$
	314	37	9 $\frac{1}{2}$
	302	24	6
	330	26	6 $\frac{1}{2}$
	312	24	6 $\frac{1}{2}$
	254	17	4 $\frac{1}{2}$

Assembly: 0951

5. T.O.T.: 1115
6. Route Back:

Course	distance	time
244	31	8 $\frac{1}{2}$
213	23	6
142	105	26
96	79	19
120	25	6
160	31	8
7. Number and type escort: 12 Spits.
8. Bomb Load: None dropped.
9. Signals: Batholub (B), Beefy (F).
10. SMITH.

WILBURN ASBURY,
Major, Air Corps,
Operations Officer.

OFFICIAL:

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Major, Air Corps,
Operations Officer.

Annex to Operations Order 303

445th - A/C No. 41-13202

P. 1st Lt. Farrell, R.A.
 CP. 2d Lt. Hadsell, D.M.
 B. Sgt. Fitzgerald, D.J.
 E. S/Sgt. Knight, A.K.
 R. T/Sgt. Johnson, J.E.
 G. S/Sgt. Andrews, L.C.

445th - A/C No. 42-64659

P. 1st Lt. Dickerson, S.M.
 CP. 2d Lt. Hammer, R.Y.
 B. 2d Lt. Simpkins, E.L.
 E. Sgt. Malloy, F.J.
 R. Sgt. Wells, R.J.
 G. Sgt. Kramer, H.P.

445th - A/C No. 42-32333

P. 2d Lt. Schiff, F.
 CP. 2d Lt. Swanson, H.A.
 B. 1st Lt. Lopez, O.W.
 E. Sgt. You, H.
 R. T/Sgt. Boyd, B.V.
 G. Sgt. McGinley, J.B.

445th - A/C No. 42-32434

P. Capt. Neuman, R.H.
 CP. Capt. Casron, W.D.
 N. 1st Lt. Casaburi, R.R.
 B. 1st Lt. Kauric, W.J.
 E. S/Sgt. Tarr, C.F.
 R. T/Sgt. Bixby, J.H.
 G. S/Sgt. Cross, D.W.

446th - A/C No. 41-30293

P. 1st Lt. LeClair, E.R.
 CP. 2d Lt. Mickel, A.T.
 B. 2d Lt. Wotkowicz, F.J.
 N. 2d Lt. Minney, J.H.
 E. Sgt. Bober, J.J.
 R. T/Sgt. Leary, B.M.
 G. Sgt. Heery.

446th - A/C No. 42-64509

P. 1st Lt. Othick, R.R.
 CP. 2d Lt. Taylor, J.G.
 B. 2d Lt. Nicklaus, C.E.
 N. 2d Lt. Chapman, J.E.
 E. Pfc. McArdle, J.R.
 R. T/Sgt. Howe, F.M.
 G. S/Sgt. Ricke, R.O.

446th - A/C No. 41-30387

P. 2d Lt. Church, E.A.
 CP. 2d Lt. Goff, L.R.
 B. 2d Lt. Gitts, L.C.
 E. S/Sgt. Balamy, H.E.
 R. T/Sgt. Cohen, G.
 G. S/Sgt. Samsel, J.C.
 O. Capt. Durr, E.

445th - A/C No. 41-30354

P. 1st Lt. Termichael, A.J.
 CP. 2d Lt. Lyons, L.L.
 B. 2d Lt. Vanjohn, G.G.
 E. Sgt. Hickey, W.R.
 R. S/Sgt. Scott, A.M.
 G. S/Sgt. Imbustaro, A.J.
 F. Sgt. Schviak, W.M.

445th - A/C No. 41-30560

P. 1st Lt. Shyshka, L.P.
 CP. 2d Lt. Groose, W.R.
 B. 1st Lt. Maughan, G.W.
 N. 2d Lt. Fisher, S.M.
 E. Cpl. Callister, J.R.
 R. S/Sgt. Plunk, C.B.
 O. Sgt. Zimmer, H.C.

445th - A/C No. 42-32458

P. 1st Lt. Waterman, L.R.
 C. 2d Lt. Groh, S.R.
 B. 1st Lt. O'Toole, P.X.
 E. Sgt. Marinucci, A.J.
 R. S/Sgt. Rossi, S.J.
 G. Sgt. McClary, L.E.

446th - A/C No. 42-32446

P. 2d Lt. Jordan, H.L.
 CP. 2d Lt. Gibbons, G.H.
 B. 1st Lt. Rice, S.W.
 E. Sgt. Kane, R.J.
 R. S/Sgt. Bufkin, P.P.
 G. Cpl. Burrows, I.P.
 F. 1st Lt. Crawford, R.W.

446th - A/C No. 42-32403

P. 2d Lt. Hawkes, L.R.
 CP. 2d Lt. Lee, R.N.
 B. 2d Lt. Meral, G.J.
 E. Sgt. Leonard, M.B.
 R. S/Sgt. Harrison, H.V.
 G. Sgt. Lenza, W.A.

446th - A/C No. 41-12963

P. 1st Lt. Herbert, J.J.
 CP. 2d Lt. Hollinsworth, G.K.
 B. 2d Lt. Johnson, H.W.
 E. Sgt. Clay, D.W.
 R. S/Sgt. Green, S.M.
 G. S/Sgt. Casper, H.G.
 O. Cpl. Nemeo, J.E.

446th - A/C No. 42-64547

P. 1st Lt. Bsharah, P.
 CP. 1st Lt. Sampson, A.T.
 B. 2d Lt. Kiernan, N.J.
 E. S/Sgt. Jupin, J.
 R. S/Sgt. Maddox, E.R.
 G. Sgt. Nemet, M.
 O. Capt. Bowen, G.R.

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448th - A/C No. 41-30548

P. 1st Lt. Doyle, E.J.
CP. 2d Lt. Lonsdorf, E.L.
B. 2d Lt. Malec, J.A.
N. 2d Lt. Olszewski, H.
E. S/Sgt. Keford, F.R.
R. Sgt. Kewen, F.J.
G. Cpl. Jeffrey, L.J.

448th - A/C No. 41-13050

P. 1st Lt. Hales, E.L.
CP. 2d Lt. Fury, E.M.
B. 2d Lt. Kurowski, A.A.
E. Pfc. Hinton, Z.R.
R. T/Sgt. Gilpatrick, J.H.
G. Pvt. Crow, R.J.

448th - A/C No. 41-30327

P. 2d Lt. Verkrusse, E.D.
CP. 2d Lt. McCabe, N.M.
B. 2d Lt. Beardon, J.E.
E. S/Sgt. Daniels, J.
R. S/Sgt. Riss, R.C.
G. Sgt. Holt, C.W.

448th - A/C No. 41-30005

P. 1st Lt. Armstrong, D.R.
CP. 2d Lt. Barbour, M.H.
B. 2d Lt. Bond, E.N.
N. 2d Lt. Hickey, W.O.
E. Pvt. Sullivan, J.G.
R. S/Sgt. Jacobson, F.
G. Cpl. Wilkeson, J.J.

447th - A/C No. 41-12930

P. 1st Lt. Stocking, E.F.
CP. 2d Lt. Metzger, J.E.
B. 2d Lt. Martin, W.R.
N. 2d Lt. Mathewson, M.K.
E. Cpl. Tollefson, W.F.
R. S/Sgt. Bilski, W.J.
G. S/Sgt. Mitchell, R.
O. Capt. Evans, J.G.

447th - A/C No. 42-64694

P. 2d Lt. Haynes, E.R.
CP. 2d Lt. Magne, H.J.
B. 2d Lt. James, R.M.
E. Sgt. Engels, R.W.
R. Cpl. Pierce, W.H.
G. Sgt. Farra, E.J.

448th - A/C No. 42-87455

P. 2d Lt. Dossey, V.G.
CP. 2d Lt. Connor, J.C.
B. 2d Lt. Quartuccio,
E. Sgt. Gager, J.R.
R. S/Sgt. Wilkinson, R.M.
G. Sgt. Bowman, W.E.
F. S/Sgt. Edwards, C.C.

448th - A/C No. 41-12926

P. 1st Lt. Greene, W.A.
CP. 2d Lt. Rogers, H.
B. 2d Lt. Greene, L.P.
E. Sgt. Luton, H.W.
R. S/Sgt. Robertshaw, D.F.
G. Sgt. Groome, D.M.

448th - A/C No. 42-64519

P. 1st Lt. Cooper, J.W.
CP. 2d Lt. Howard, C.E.
B. 2d Lt. Zinkand, W.T.
E. Pfc. Jackson, J.D.
R. S/Sgt. Clark, G.E.
G. Sgt. Everhart, C.R.
F. Sgt. Sommer, R.F.
O. 1st Lt. Woolley, P.T.

447th - A/C No. 42-84553

P. Capt. Cloward, G.A.
CP. 2d Lt. Manz, W.A.
B. 2d Lt. McCaleb, H.G.
E. Sgt. Scalbally, H.W.
R. S/Sgt. Vineski, R.B.
G. Sgt. Burke, W.H.
O. Lt. Col., Skelley, F.H.

447th - A/C No. 42-64512

P. 2d Lt. Swanson, R.H.
CP. 2d Lt. Muzinich, A.L.
B. 2d Lt. Fisher, G.E.
E. S/Sgt. Fisher, T.M.
R. S/Sgt. Reynolds, F.J.
G. Sgt. Miller, D.G.
F. Cpl. Statham, A.F.

447th - A/C No. 42-32505

P. 1st Lt. Thomas, J.J.
CP. 2d Lt. Grimse, R.T.
B. 2d Lt. Rosenblett, J.M.
E. Sgt. Dawson, R.C.
R. Sgt. Free, P.L.
G. S/Sgt. Rose, F.C.

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Hatcher

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Schiff

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Staterman

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Shyska

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Tarminkel

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Dickerson

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Janel

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Freeland

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Hales

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Armstrong

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Verkuyser

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Cooper

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Greene

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Hijington

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Tompson

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Seavey

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Schnecken

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alger

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Cooper

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Oshib

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Hunley

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Hodges

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Shaleb

Mone de
Corsica

18/4/44

18 April 1944.

0809 Capt. Gilcrease to Robertson. "Capt. Cameron to contact him in regards to Pilots for ~~ferrying~~ job. He has 2 A/C and only one pilot".

Move to Corsica.

445th	6 plus 1.	Larson.
446th	6 plus 1.	Asbury.
447th	6 plus 1.	Haven.
448th	6 plus 1.	Stokel.

Full combat crews and crew chief.

Baggage to included: Escape kits, K and C rations, mess gear.

3 A/C are to be left at Gaudio:

445th, Cameron.
446th, Smith (CP & E). 587, racks in.
448th, Remington.

All A/C to have Bombay racks in.

Lt. Zinkins (448th) is to leave for Cairo (Bombsight School).

From 64th FG. "Asked if we were having mission".

1140 Duncan to Asbury. "General Knapp says we are to move to the 310th field today--carry bombs and operate from there tomorrow. We are to ~~wire~~ the 310th that we are coming".

1410 Duncan to Cameron. "Weather better at Corsica than ~~hce~~. Warn crews to be careful. If weather proves impossible, they are to leave first thing in the morning. If any change occurs, notify Col. Tokaz by radio".

Headphone to Larson. "Between the hours of 1500 and 1600 on 19 April 1944, 40 M/M practice firing will take place (16 rounds). Coordinates: T-0414, T-0212, T-0612, T-0513. Maximum altitude 3500 feet. At 0830 on 19 April 1944 2 rounds 90 M/M practice firing. at Y-4517 at 10,000 feet".

1430 A/C cleared for Sardinia.

2045 British Maj. from AA outfit called up in regards to a wounded Italian.

2335 Flying Control at Montecorvino to ODC. "Asked if we were using green flares. Checked tower, and received a negative reply".