

HEADQUARTERS
401ST BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
Office of the Armament Officer
AAF Station 128

F-C-1

APO 557
23 June 1944

SUBJECT: Armament Malfunction Mission Report.

TO : Commanding General, 1st Bombardment Division, APO 557.
ATTN: Division Armament Officer.

1. Date of Mission: 23 June 1944.
2. The following turret malfunctions were reported:
 - a. A/C #42-31091 - Solenoid burned out in Ball Turret. Solenoid replaced.
3. The following bombing equipment malfunctions were reported:
 - a. A/C #42-102468 - Returned with nine bombs. Pilot and Bombardier hit salvo switch at same time. Racks checked satisfactory on ground.
4. No gun malfunctions occurred.
5. There were nine (9) aircraft equipped with the all-electric bomb release system participating in the mission.

SAM P. BROOMHALL, JR.,
1st Lt., Air Corps,
Group Armament Officer.

LEAD BOX

Combat Flight Leader: MAJOR SILVER Date: 25 JUNE 1944

Deputy Flight Leader: LT. IRWIN

18-2506P 1/10 - 1/100

612th SC JAB.OCK
613th IL MACRO
614th IW GOLFCLUB
615th IY BUZZARD

*Call
313/2
Fu B ARM.
615 ARM.*

~~614~~ SQUAD

~~SILVER~~

GRIG 7125 ✓

~~LEWIS~~

~~IRWIN~~

IW H 7809 ✓

IW L 2911 ✓

~~DAVIS~~

IW G 1498 ✓

~~ROBE~~

~~BOVACH~~

IW R 7780 ✓

IW E 7822 ✓

~~612~~ SQUAD

~~615~~ SQUAD

~~FOURMAYNE~~

~~GILLESPIE~~

SC O 7487 ✓

IY B 1730 ✓

~~IRVING~~

~~ERST~~

~~BENJAM~~

~~SC HEATH~~

SC M 7059 ✓

SC R 2893 ✓

IY R 6146 ✓

IY M 2674 ✓

~~IRVING~~

7628

~~IRWIN~~

SC A 7882 ✓

IY W 7953 ✓

~~LINDBERG~~

~~RETTING~~

~~HELL~~

~~ROBE~~

SC S 7938 ✓

SC B 1662 ✓

IY C 2466 ✓

IY O 1091 ✓

SPARES

~~HARRISON~~

IN M 2005 ✓

~~NO BROW~~

~~JESTER~~

IN S 2947 ✓

IN B 6132 ✓

Return

SPARE LEAD SC P 1891
GRD. SPARE IW Q 7478

*Break
brief (6:30
7:30)*

14A 1077 Weather Ship ✓

0900

LEAD SQ COMPOSITE BOX *how Box*

Combat Flight Leader LT OWENS

Date 23 June 1944

Deputy Flight Leader LT FITCHETT

12-5006P 1/10 - 1/100

SQD:

- 612th SC JABOCK
- 613th II. MACRO
- 614th LW GOLFCLUB
- 615th IY BUZZARD

GH (OWENS)

GH 4 7824 ✓

About
THOMASON
Mechanical
IN P 1037 ✓

FITCHETT

IN G 7511 ✓

Runaway Prop

MURGATROYD

Could not find formation
IN A 6129 ✓

LIPPERT

IN N 6104 ✓

HANSON

in t 7736 ✓

SQD:

SQD:

SPARES

Sp Lead 1Y X 1485
2nd Sp 1W D 2394

612TH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
401ST BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
OFFICE OF THE ENGINEERING OFFICER
STATION 128
APO 557

23 June 1944

SUBJECT: Battle Damage Report

TO: Engineering Officer, 401st Bombardment Group (H),
Station 128, APO 557, U. S. Army

1. The following is the battle damage report for the airplanes operated by this Squadron on the combat mission completed this date.

AIRPLANE NO.	BATTLE DAMAGE
42-102393	1. Flak hole in fuselage behind front hatch. 2. Flak hole in plexiglass nose.
42-97487	1. Flak hole in left wing panel at station 29.5. 2. Flak hole in left wing between stations 23 & 24.
42-107039	1. # 1 push rod shroud tube # 3 engine cut with flack.
43-37628	1. Negative.
42-31662	1. Negative.
42-97938	1. Negative.

HERBERT O. KIMMEL
1st Lt, Air Corps
Engineering Officer.

SECRET
Classification changed to

RESTRICTED by auth of

AAF Sta 128 by

JACKSON M. PHIPPS,

Captain, Air Corps,

Adjutant.

REPORT OF OPERATIONAL DAY

*MISSION NO. 98
23RD. JUNE, 1944*

*94TH. COMBAT BOMB WING
401ST. BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)*

YOUR TARGET IS A RETURN ENGAGEMENT TO A FAMILIAR PLACE.

THE "A" FORCE (94⁺) WILL ATTACK A "SITE" WHILE THE COMPOSITE FORCE WILL ATTACK A SUPPLY "SITE" ^{TO OTHER SITES} WHICH IS A "LARGER" TARGET BUT EXCEEDINGLY MORE DIFFICULT DUE TO CAMOUFLAGUE. IT IS RAIL SERVED.

IF VISIBILITY IS GOOD, ACCURATE PIN POINTING MUST BE DONE TO ACCOMPLISH LOCATION ETC.

AREA SUPPORT OF 4 GP J's WILL GIVE FIGHTER COVER.

SECONDARY AND WAST RESORT TARGETS - A/D'S NOT ADJACENT TO ABANDONED AREA, RR JUNCTIONS, ETC NOT ADJACENT TO POPULATED AREA ETC. TROOP MOVEMENTS ETC.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS P/W.

1. Civilians are probably scarce.
2. No civilians will probably be allowed to travel by train. HENCE YOUR BEST BET IS TO REMAIN IN UNIFORM, AND MAKE YOUR WAY BACK TO OUR LINES BY TRAVELING FROM FARM TO FARM.

AVOID ROADS IN RETURNING TO ALLIED LINES.

IF YOU MEET FRIENDLY PARTISANS - TELL THEM WHO YOU ARE AND THAT YOU MUST RETURN TO YOUR UNIT.

IF YOU DISGUISE OR CHANGE YOUR UNIFORM, YOU MUST NOT BE CAUGHT WITH WEAPONS.

613TH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
 OFFICE OF THE OPERATIONS OFFICER
 AAF STATION 128, APO # 557

23 June 44

LOADING LIST

<u>DUTY</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>LAST NAME</u>	<u>FIRST NAME</u>	<u>MI</u>
<u>SHIP NO. 37511</u>				
P	2nd Lt.	FITCHETT	LAWRENCE	E.
CP	2nd Lt.	CAMPBELL	BRUCE	N.
N	1st Lt.	PFLEIFFER	LAWRENCE	W.
B	1st Lt.	SANCHEZ	LOUIS	T.
RO	T/Sgt.	BERGENER	MAX	H
TT	T/Sgt.	PANSLOR	BERTRAM	(NMI)
BT TG	S/Sgt.	HADSELL	DAVID	N.
XXE LNG	S/Sgt.	HANNABURY	RALPH	A.
XXE BT	S/Sgt.	SASSI	LOUIS	N.
RWG	S/Sgt.	KELSEN	HAROLD	J.
<u>SHIP NO. 44-6104</u>				
P	2nd Lt.	LIPPERT	JACK	R.
CP	2nd Lt.	YOUNG	THOMAS	Y.
N	2nd Lt.	KRON	EDRAGE	E.
B	T/Sgt.	BESSELLIEAU	BERT	B.
RO	S/Sgt.	MAYER	JACK	P.
TT	S/Sgt.	PETTIT	GEORGE	L.
BT	S/Sgt.	SELESKY SELESKY	ISADORE	(NMI)
TG	S/Sgt.	LA GRATA	JOSEPH	J.
LNG	S/Sgt.	ELLIS	LAMAR	S.
RWG	S/Sgt.	WILLIAMSON	ROBERT	S.
<u>SHIP NO. 42-102911</u>				
P	2nd Lt.	IRWIN	JAMES	R.
CP	2nd Lt.	FRAZIER	DONALD	F.
N	1st Lt.	BRYANT	CHARLES	W.
B	1st Lt.	ANDERSON	DONALD	H. <u>612th</u>
RO	T/Sgt.	FARNESTOCK	JAMES	E.
TT	T/Sgt.	HARP	MORRIS	O.
BT	S/Sgt.	GREGORY	DYLIN	C.
TG	S/Sgt.	STREET	VICTOR	P.
LNG	S/Sgt.	KLOIBER	STEPHENS	F.
RWG	S/Sgt.	CARPENTER	ARNOLD	H.
<u>SHIP NO. 44-6152</u>				
P	2nd Lt.	JETTER	ARTHUR	C.
CP	2nd Lt.	CAIN	ROBERT	W.
N	F/O	HIRSH	HARRY	(NMI)
B	CPL.	HOPE	WILLIAM	JR.
RO	SGT.	SHERMAN	LEE	(NMI)
TT	SGT.	NELSON	RICHARD	D.
BT	SGT.	KNAPP	MARIA	F.
TG	SGT.	BAIER	JOHN	J.
LNG	SGT.	PETERS	WILLIAM	J.
RWG	SGT.	ROBERSON	ROBERT	E.
<u>SHIP NO. 43-97736</u>				
P	2nd Lt.	HANSON	ALBERT	L.
CP	2nd Lt.	CRAYTOR	FREDERICK	A.
N	2nd Lt.	WATSON	HARRY	T.
B	CPL.	HOLLEY	MILTON	R.
RO	S/Sgt.	SEARS	DONALD	L.
TT	S/SGT.	MURRAY	HOMER	G.
BT	SGT.	KOONS	DONALD	L.
TG	SGT.	MARTZ	DALE	C.
LNG	SGT.	GREEN	BERNARD	K.
RWG	SGT.	LYALL	LESTER	D.

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SHIP NO. 42-31037

P	2nd Lt.	THOMASON	WALTER	H. JR.
CP	F/O	DOBRATZ	HERMAN	A.
N	1st Lt.	WRIGHT	RICHARD	(NMI)
B	1st Lt.	GRATE	LOUIS	B.
RO	S/Sgt.	RAPEZ	ISAAC	C.
TT	S/Sgt.	LYMBURN	WALLACE	B.
BT	S/Sgt.	GUMBELT	HERBERT	L.
TG	Sgt.	GODFREY	HAROLD	T.
LNG	Sgt.	MICHAEL	HOWARD	E.
RWG	Sgt.	MISZKO	HENRY	M.

SHIP NO. 42-31005

P	2nd Lt.	HAMMOND	WARDLAW	M.
CP	2nd Lt.	LIVINGSTONE	ALEXANDER	R.
N	2nd Lt.	WHITING	MYRICH	J.
B	1st Lt.	GOBER	DENE	C.
RO	T/Sgt.	MUNCH	ELMER	C.
TT	T/Sgt.	GREER	CECIL	B.
BT	Sgt.	PICO	WILLIAM	J.
BT TG	S/Sgt.	FETZER	ELMER	M.
LNG	Sgt.	GUESS	WILLIAM	J.
RWG	Sgt.	PARKHURST	IRA	A.

SHIP NO. 44-6129

P	2nd Lt.	MERGATROYD	KENNETH	R.
CP	2nd Lt.	PENNOYER	JAMES	E.
N	2nd Lt.	JORGENSEN	OWEN	H.
B	2nd Lt.	ELDERKIN	JAMES	K.
RO	S/Sgt.	SPIRODEK	JOHN	S.
TT	S/Sgt.	LESSER	STANLEY	(NMI)
BT	Sgt.	ROBERTSON	JEROME	P.
TG	Sgt.	SCHMITLI	DONALD	H.
LNG	Sgt.	ROSEN	HAROLD	G. JR.
RWG	Sgt.	MAGNUSON	HOWARD	N.

SHIP NO. 42-102947

P	2nd Lt.	MC KEON	WILLIAM	J.
CP	2nd Lt.	GRAY	ROBERT	P.
N	2nd Lt.	ZUKUNFT	WERNER	P.
B	2nd Lt.	KOZLOWSKI	JOSEPH	C.
RO	Sgt.	MAY	CHARLIE	E.
TT	T/Sgt.	HARMAN	RAYMOND	E.
BT	T/Sgt.	SHARP	JACK	T.
TG	Sgt.	HILL	EDWARD	H.
LNG	Sgt.	FLETCHER	FRED	L.
RWG	Sgt.	HALLMAN	HAROLD	J.

FLYING WITH OTHER SQUADRONS

SHIP NO. 125

BT	S/Sgt.	DEEKT FEDYNICH	DANIEL	(NMI)
TG	S/Sgt.	WEBSTER	WARREN	E.
LNG	S/Sgt.	PIROMALLI	EUGENE	B.
BT	<u>SHIP NO. 824</u>	NULL	LLOYD	J.
TG	SGT.	MILLION	LAWRENCE	C.
LNG	SGT.	MILLER	RAY	A. JR.

612th BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
401st BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
Office of the Operations Officer
APO 557

AAF Station 128
23 June 1944.

SUBJECT: Loading List.

TO : Operations Officer, 401st Bombardment Group (H), AAF
Station 128, APO 557.

Plane 42-97487

P	Toussaint, Francis J.	2nd Lt.	612th
CP	Beck, Walter H. Jr.	2nd Lt.	
N	Locklear, William O.	2nd Lt.	
BOLE:	Schmied, James W. Jr.	2nd Lt.	
RO	Likins, Robert W.	T Sgt.	
HTG	Greene, William R.	S Sgt.	
IBTG	Minor, Wallace G.	S Sgt.	
JG	Lockenour, Charles W.	S Sgt.	
LWG	Hamer, Robert E.	S Sgt.	
RWG	McNicholas, Joseph D.	S Sgt.	
HO			
Plane 42-31662			
M			
CP	Ritting, Carl G. 1L	2nd Lt.	
ICP	Burge, Leelon (NMI)	2nd Lt.	
N	Shewey, James E.	2nd Lt.	
HSUE 42-2094	Walke, Wallace W.	T Sgt.	
RO	Pendergest, Joseph P.	S Sgt.	
HTG	Sadzinski, Eugene P.	S Sgt.	
IBTG	Riesselman, Richard J.	Sgt.	
JG	O'Connell, Daniel E.	Sgt.	
LWG	Bennett, Boyd P.	Sgt.	
RWG	Olson, George H. B.	Sgt.	
HO			
Plane 42-37932			
M			
CP	Linford, Grant H.	2nd Lt.	
ICP	MacMonagle, George A.	2nd Lt.	
N	Schwartz, Joseph M.	F/O	
HSUE 42-10522	Schuermann, Urban H.	2nd Lt.	
RO	Whitman, William H.	T Sgt.	
HTG	Griffeths, Harris E.	S Sgt.	
IBTG	Kimba, Tom E. (NMI)	S Sgt.	
JG	Keller, Philip W. Jr.	S Sgt.	
LWG	Dietrich, Arthur R.	S Sgt.	
RWG	McNally, Robert G.	S Sgt.	
HO			
B			
M			
CB			
B			

Plane 42-10522

Plane 42-102393

P	Knost, James A.	2nd Lt.	612th
CP	Remley, Jack A.	2nd Lt.	"
N	Gabriel, Fred V.	2nd Lt.	"
B	Majewski, Louis J.	1st Lt.	"
RO	Patterson, Russell C.	S Sgt.	"
TTC	Wilson, James L. G.	S Sgt.	"
BTG	Dodge, DeWayne H.	S Sgt.	"
TG	McCabe, Arden J. (NMI) 1L.	Sgt.	"
LWG	Jedziniak, John I. (NMI)	Sgt.	"
RWG	Lignore, James C.	Sgt.	"
BO			"

Plane 42-107039

H		Sug Lt.	"
PCB	Burns, Estell G.	2nd Lt.	"
CP	Hoyt, Richard H.	1st Lt.	"
N	Gray, Arthur (NMI) Jr.	2nd Lt.	"
BTG	McClendon, Marian E.	2nd Lt.	"
RO	Will, Adam E.	S Sgt.	"
TTC	Klingbiel, Eugene P.	Sgt.	"
BTG	Swope, Donald M.	Sgt.	"
TG	Henry, Hillmar E.	Sgt.	"
LWG	Gruchawka, John (NMI) 1.	S Sgt.	"
RWG	Pinkston, John S.	T Sgt.	"
BO			"

Plane 43-37629

H		Sug Lt.	"
PCB	Mattetia, John W. (NMI)	1st Lt.	"
CP	Davis, Charles O. Jr.	2nd Lt.	"
N	Elward, Thomas S.	2nd Lt.	"
BTG	Greer, Thyril J.	2nd Lt.	"
RO	Wyatt, Fred J.	S Sgt.	"
TTC	Paine, Malcolm W.	Sgt.	"
BTG	Brown, Clarence F.	Sgt.	"
TG	Brisbin, Robert L.	Sgt.	"
LWG	McClelland, George E.	S Sgt.	"
RWG	Brotherton, Douglas T.	Sgt.	"
BO			"

NOTE: Capt. Ronald Woodhouse and 1st Lt. Donald M. Anderson
are flying in Gee H. Ship.
2nd Lt. Marvin C. Abraham (N) is flying with 614th Sq.
ETS&P

Plane 43-31781

TO : Operations Office, Joint Bombardment Group (H), VAE

SUBJECT: Loss of Plane

23 June 1944
VAE Station 138

VLO 22A
Office of the Operations Officer
Joint Bombardment Group (H)
ETS&P Bombardment Squadron (H)

**SIX HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
 FOUR HUNDRED AND FIRST BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
 Office of the Operations Officer
 AAF - Sta - 128 - APO - 557**

23 June 1944

SUBJECT: **Leading List.**

TO : **Operations Officer, 401st Bomb Gp (H), AAF Sta - APO # 557**

1. **Following is the list of Combat Crews participating in today's mission.**

PLANE # 44-6146

DUTY	RANK	NAME (LAST)	FIRST	(MI)	SQUADRON
P	2nd Lt.	Heenan	William	M.	615th
CP	2nd Lt.	Johnsen	Elvis	E.	615th
N	2nd Lt.	Breck	Russell	E.	615th
B	S/Sgt.	Seaton	Clarence	H.C.	615th
RO	S/Sgt.	Spiglianin	John	V.	615th
TI	S/Sgt.	Loper	Cloyd	V.E.	615th
BT	Sgt.	Lebelle	Joseph	E.	615th
TC	Sgt.	Bragalone	Samuel	M.	615th
LWG	Sgt.	Kunk	Joseph	M.	615th
RWG	Sgt.	Glilla	Raymond	J.	615th

PLANE # 42-102674

CL	Sgt.	Kossach	Villeg	G.	615th
P	2nd Lt.	McIlraith	William	M.	615th
CP	2nd Lt.	Cornelius	Stanley	R.	615th
N	2nd Lt.	Hughes	Frank	T.	615th
B	2nd Lt.	Cushing	Leonard	H.	615th
RO	S/Sgt.	Martin	Don	(NMI)	615th
TI	S/Sgt.	Anthony	Francis	W.	615th
BT	Sgt.	Green	Frank	M.	615th
TC	Sgt.	Bartman	Anton	J.	615th
LWG	Sgt.	Lerner	Morris	(NMI)	615th
RWG	Sgt.	Wobb	Joseph	M.	615th

PLANE # 42-31730

CL	Sgt.	Hudson	Walter	H.	615th
P	2nd Lt.	Gillespie	Elmer	G.	615th
CP	2nd Lt.	Chapman	Theodore	(NMI)	615th
N	2nd Lt.	Mason	Hodge	E.	615th
B	S/Sgt.	Finchell	Sherwyn	(NMI)	615th
RO	S/Sgt.	McFall	Charlie	A.	615th
TI	S/Sgt.	Zirbel	Don	D.	615th
BT	Sgt.	Browning	Elmer	E.	615th
TC	Sgt.	Dickson	Jefferson	D. Jr.	615th
LWG	Sgt.	Bush	Robert	G.	615th
RWG	Sgt.	Lambert	Thomas	M.	615th
B	S/Sgt.	Keok	Harold	E.	615th
A	Sgt.	Konrad	Villeg	V.	615th
CL	Sgt.	Keok	John	V.	615th
B	Sgt.	Keok	William	V.	615th

PLANE # 42-31822

SIX HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
 FOUR HUNDRED AND FIRST BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
 Office of the Operations Officer

AAF Station # 128
 23 June 1948

SUBJECT: Leading List.

TO : Operations Officer, 401st Bomb Gp (H), AAF Station # 128, APO # 557.

1. Following is the list of Combat Personnel participating in today's mission.

*Plane 42-97869

P	2nd Lt.	LEWICK, HOWARD P.	614th
CP	2nd Lt.	JAEGER, ALBERT J.	"
N	2nd Lt.	NORTON, WILLIAM	"
B	2nd Lt.	HAGERTY, JAMES J.	"
RO	S/Sgt.	Vols, Bernard Jr.	"
TT	Sgt.	Findlay, Matthew R.	"
BT	S/Sgt.	Hurd, Robert O.	"
TG	Sgt.	Kesiba, Frank T.	"
LNG	Sgt.	Schwiederek, John J.	"
RWG	Sgt.	Healy, John L.	"

*Plane 42-31541 ⁷⁴⁷⁸

P	1st Lt.	TAYLOR, FRED M.	"
CP	2nd Lt.	ROESKE, WARREN A.	"
N & B	2nd Lt.	COYNE, VAUGHN B.	"
CTG	S/Sgt.	Donderville, Clem W.	"
RO	T/Sgt.	Stuebing, Ephraim G.	"
TT	T/Sgt.	Sullivan, Harry L.	"
BT	S/Sgt.	Ellsworth, Kenneth E.	"
TG	S/Sgt.	Leiferman, Gerald J.	"
LNG	Cpl.	DeHart, Harold E.	"
RWG	S/Sgt.	Hartwell, Dennis R.	"

*Plane 42-97322

P	2nd Lt.	KOVACH, JOHN W.	"
CP	2nd Lt.	KELLAM, JAMES W.	"
N	2nd Lt.	GOSELLI, FRANK J. JR.	"
B	2nd Lt.	KLEFISCH, THEODORE J.	"
RO	S/Sgt.	Pollard, Omer S.	"
TT	S/Sgt.	Rouhselang, Willard J.	"
BT	Sgt.	Guest, Hollis D.	"
TG	Sgt.	Lanford, Allie G.	"
LNG	Sgt.	Herbatuck, Stepan J.	"
RWG	Sgt.	Maki, Arthur W.	"

*Plane 42-103780

P	2nd Lt.	KOONS, PAUL R.	"
CP	2nd Lt.	KAHAN, DANIEL	"
N	2nd Lt.	DOEROWOLSKI, EDWARD L.	"
B	2nd Lt.	PETTY, ROBERT J.	"
RO	S/Sgt.	McMinn, Thomas G.	"
TT	S/Sgt.	Shane, Charles E.	"
BT	Sgt.	Edwards, Rodney W.	"
TG	Sgt.	Huerta, Octavio	"
LNG	Sgt.	Eckenrede, Robert T.	"
RWG	Sgt.	Tutwiler, David M.	"

Lt. OWENS, ERLE G. JR.

For the Squadron Commander;

WILLIAM C. GARLAND
 Major, Air Corps,
 Operations Officer.

OPERATIONAL ROUTE FORECAST

DATE 13 JUNE 1944
 PERIOD 0930 - 1500 hrs
AG P BR HQ SOS 2-44/65M/22929

	A Base to Target	B Target To Base	C	D
WEATHER	Overcast with Haze and Occasional Intermittent Drizzle	Overcast with Haze and Occasional light intermittent Drizzle		
CLOUDS	10/10 Stratocumulus base 800-1200 tops 3000ft. 10/10 Alto cumulus and Altostratus base 8000ft tops 12-14000ft. 4-5/10 Cirrus base 23,000ft.	SIMILAR TO A-2 ON RETURN EXCEPT MIDDLE CLOUD BREAKING TO 6-8/10 Alto cumulus and Altostratus at BASES	*****NOTES** Moderate to Dense persistent Contrails Associated with High Clouds.	
ICING	10000ft Light to Moderate Haze in Middle Cloud	10000ft Light to Moderate Haze in Middle Cloud.		
VISIBILITY	Generally 2-4 miles, but 1-2 miles in Drizzle becoming 10-20 miles aloft.	10-20 miles aloft becoming 4-6 miles at Bases on RETURN.		
HEIGHT	DIRECTION VELOCITY	DIRECTION VELOCITY	DIRECTION VELOCITY	DIRECTION VELOCITY
SURFACE	Base to Target 020 15	Temperatures Plus 12		
5000 FT	010 20	Plus 04		
10000 FT	360 20	-01		
15000 FT	360 20	-06		
20000 FT	010 25	-15		
25000 FT	020 25	-25		
30000 FT	020 30	-37		

BASE ALTIMETER SETTING 30.03 in TARGET SURFACE TEMP. Plus 12 TARGET MEAN TEMP. -01.5
 TEMP. AT 20000 FT. -15.0 TARGET SURFACE (PRESSURE-ALT) -76.5%
TARGET SEA LEVEL PRESSURE 30.00 inches ADD ELEVATION OF TARGET TO = -76.5%

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 BY TS/ NARA DATE 11/27/11

STATION WEATHER OFFICE
AAF STATION 128
APO 557 - U.S. ARMY

23 June 1944

WEATHER INTERROGATION SUMMARY FOR MISSION OF 23 JUNE 1944.

BASE ON TAKE-OFF: 1030. 10/10 stratocumulus base 1600' tops 4000'.
HI 1 middle cloud. Trace of cirrus about 25000'. Visibility 7 miles.

ROUTE OUT: 9-10/10 stratocumulus tops 4-5000'. HI 1 middle cloud.
HI 1-2/10 cirrus at 25000'. Visibility unlimited above clouds.

TARGET: 1348 & 1351. 10/10 stratocumulus tops 4-5000'. HI 1 middle
cloud. 1/10 cirrus about 25000'. Visibility unrestricted.

RETURN ROUTE: 9-10/10 stratocumulus tops 4-5000' breaking to 7-10/10
over England. HI 1 middle cloud. HI 1-2/10 cirrus at 25000' increasing
to 1-3/10 over channel and England. Visibility unlimited.

BASE ON RETURN: 1521. 9/10 stratocumulus base 3000' tops 4-5000'.
HI 1 middle cloud. 1/10 cirrus about 25000'. Visibility 7 miles.

REMARKS: HI 1 contrails. Temperatures as briefed, e.g., 16000' -8,
20000' -15. Winds were more westerly than forecast, e.g., 20000'
330 24, 6000' 010 20.

Walter J. Saucier
WALTER J. SAUCIER
1st Lt., Air Corps
Weather Officer