

455<sup>th</sup> Bomb Group, Field Orders, FO#217, Florisdorf/Bruck-Leitha, Austria,  
3/15/45

RED FORCE

POPULATION DISTRICT 457TH

75-1353

MISSION NO  
D.T. 3/15/45

Charlie Fox

Able Box

Col. SANDWICH

LAUR 51/151  
HOGAN 51/606

Baker Box

KIRLEY 67/260

McGEARY 11/111

FAY 4/116

SCHWAB 50/965

COMBS 54/645  
AUERBACH 41/512

PETERSON 7/168

KIRLAND 12/808

GULTON 6/113

JENSEN 8/102

PETERSON 13/597

HARRIS (M) 17/115

Doz Box

KENT 3/295

PETERSON 16/376

BERLINGUET 18/520

KIRLAND 12/808

HOOPE 48/668

CAITIE 10/873

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BLUE FORCE

POPULATION DI GRAL 457TH

Able Box

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~~BAKER~~ Box

STUART

GRAHAM

~~CHARLIE~~ Box

BRYANT

RICHARDS

SODERSTRAND

BEHLER

GRAY

BENSON

LE  
BRUNSON

BARNHILL

ROGERS

HUTTON

WYNN

GROZIER

27 279

SMITH

DAVEY

BRYNENSHIP

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3/15/45

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Red & Blue

Lt Peterson —  
Lt Pine —  
Lt Messina —  
Lt LaGrotta —  
S/Sgt Brennan

T/Sgt Stevens  
S/Sgt Goll  
S/Sgt Donaldson  
S/Sgt Wojcik  
S/Sgt Jones

740th

808

3/15/45

Lt Kirkland —  
Lt Pratt —  
Lt Lewis —  
Lt Backman —  
Sgt Mashel

Sgt Campbell  
Sgt Glidden  
Sgt Middleswarth  
Sgt Commiello  
Sgt Contella

740th

295

3/15/45

Lt Kent —  
Lt Harlow —  
Lt Reynolds —  
Sgt Olvey

Sgt Mounier  
Sgt Small  
Sgt Watson  
Sgt Waugh  
Sgt Scerbo

740th

376

3/15/45

Lt Hollrock —  
Lt Stockem —  
Lt Hosterman —

T/Sgt Lucas  
S/Sgt Engle  
S/Sgt Pest  
Sgt Burkholder  
Sgt Cleveland

740

T/Sgt Caulfield 873

3/15/45

Lt Caffee —  
Lt Harris, J.F. —  
Lt Livingood —  
S/Sgt Maddox

S/Sgt Guy  
Sgt Sachs  
Op 1 Walker  
Op 1 Bash  
Op 1 Cannata  
Sgt Van Allen

740

525

RCM  
3/15/45

Lt Berlinguet —  
Lt Deas —  
Lt Ryan —  
Sgt Ailer

SOT QUIGLEY  
Sgt Ramos  
Sgt Hanft  
Sgt Antis  
Sgt Hillan  
Sgt Somerfeld

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	760		3/15/45
740	Lt Kirtley Lt Hagen Lt Michel Lt Riley S/Sgt Foss PFF Lt. Cardea	446	S/Sgt Spencer, G.L. Jr. Sgt Kerley Sgt Kestner Sgt Caje wski Sgt Schultz
740	Lt Fay Lt Wotipka Lt Harris, R.E. Lt Kleiber Sgt Barber	414	S/Sgt Rupprecht Sgt Car ey Sgt Danaher Sgt Watson, G.F. Sgt Fin nie
740	Lt McGeary Lt Lane Lt Rolak T/Sgt Muro	597	T/Sgt Carter, W.E. S/Sgt Brockman S/Sgt Nelson S/Sgt Kellsher S/Sgt Dragich
740	Lt Peterson, B.A. Lt Anderson Lt Brown S/Sgt Hamilton	943	S/Sgt Wesowski Sgt Kaplan Sgt Green, M.G. Sgt Johnson, R.W. Sgt Guillory
740	Lt Guyton Lt Wells Lt King T/Sgt Nudell	115	T/Sgt Stehman Sgt Kessler Sgt Roche Sgt Wilson Sgt Smorschok Sgt Rife
740	Lt Harris, M.M. Lt Rister Lt Underwood Sgt Mynhier	115	Sgt Campbell, L.H. Sgt Garda Sgt Rainey Sgt Stiensma Sgt Coltri

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APO 520 U.S. ARMY.

15 March 1945

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L O A D I N G L I S T

AC NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
958		
PILOT	Capt. Stuart	TOP TUR GNR Sgt. Frisby
CO-PILOT	Lt. Polando	WAIST RIGHT Sgt. Francis
NAVIGATOR	Lts. Clark-Oxler	WAIST LEFT Sgt. Hofer
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Head	BALL TUR GNR Lt. Armando
RADIO	Sgt. Marcotrigiano	TAIL TUR GNR Sgt. Siegel
PFF	Lt. Armando	
AC NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
9400		
PILOT	Capt. Graham	TOP TUR GNR Sgt. Minor
CO-PILOT	Lt. Ringwald	WAIST RIGHT Sgt. Robinson
NAVIGATOR	Lts. Phillips-Peters	WAIST LEFT Sgt. Hemming
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Burkholder	BALL TUR GNR Lt. Darling
RADIO	Sgt. Maranda	TAIL TUR GNR Sgt. Bristow
PFF	Lt. Darling	
AC NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
088		
PILOT	Lt. Oleson	TOP TUR GNR Sgt. Sutton
CO-PILOT	Lt. Knupp	WAIST RIGHT Sgt. Keercher
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Feldman	WAIST LEFT Sgt. Brothers
BOMBARDIER	Sgt. Reed	BALL TUR GNR Sgt. Smith, G.W.
RADIO		TAIL TUR GNR Sgt. Burkot
	Photo	Sgt. Eldridge
AC NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
334		
PILOT	Lt. Graf	TOP TUR GNR Sgt. Hammond
CO-PILOT	Lt. Moore	WAIST RIGHT Sgt. Powell
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Duncan	WAIST LEFT Sgt. Lyons
BOMBARDIER	Sgt. Haas	BALL TUR GNR Sgt. March
RADIO		TAIL TUR GNR Sgt. Zegeer
AC NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
373		
PILOT	Lt. Ecklund	TOP TUR GNR Sgt. Rizzi
CO-PILOT	Lt. Flamm	WAIST RIGHT Sgt. Angell
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Vukotich-ZARA	WAIST LEFT Sgt. Zeisner
BOMBARDIER	Sgt. Sargent	BALL TUR GNR Sgt. Mitchell
RADIO		TAIL TUR GNR Sgt. Baker, D.
	Spot Janmer	Sgt. Gretzinger
AC NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
199		
PILOT	Lt. Soderstrom	TOP TUR GNR Sgt. Probst
CO-PILOT	Lt. Poernsler	WAIST RIGHT Sgt. Lonergan
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Goetz	WAIST LEFT Sgt. Cole
BOMBARDIER	Sgt. DeMarco	BALL TUR GNR Sgt. Latzka
RADIO		TAIL TUR GNR Sgt. Tessier

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AC NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
PILOT	Lt. Huffman	TOP TUR GNR
CO-PILOT	Lt. Beehler	WAIST RIGHT
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Dosenbach	WAIST LEFT
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Kelly	BALL TUR GNR
RADIO	Sgt. McDowell	TAIL TUR GNR
C-Box		
AC NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
PILOT	Lt. Benson	TOP TUR GNR
CO-PILOT	Lt. Hill	WAIST RIGHT
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Provan	WAIST LEFT
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Goodman	BALL TUR GNR
RADIO	Sgt. Yankovich	TAIL TUR GNR
FFF	Sgt. Karson	
AC NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
PILOT	Lt. Brunson, L.B.	TOP TUR GNR
CO-PILOT	Lt. Whittaker	WAIST RIGHT
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Kent	WAIST LEFT
BOMBARDIER	Lt. Becker	BALL TUR GNR
RADIO	Sgt. Brennan	TAIL TUR GNR
AC NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
PILOT	Lt. Barnhill	TOP TUR GNR
CO-PILOT	Lt. Hayslett	WAIST RIGHT
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Pepin	WAIST LEFT
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR
RADIO	Sgt. Chambers	TAIL TUR GNR
	Spot Jammer	
AC NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
PILOT	Lt. Douglas	TOP TUR GNR
CO-PILOT	Lt. Ekvall	WAIST RIGHT
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Winfield	WAIST LEFT
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR
RADIO	Sgt. Hurley	TAIL TUR GNR
AC NUMBER	DESTINATION	T/O
PILOT	Lt. Hutton	TOP TUR GNR
CO-PILOT	Lt. Haas	WAIST RIGHT
NAVIGATOR	Lt. Barnes	WAIST LEFT
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR
RADIO	Sgt. Erienen	TAIL TUR GNR

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917  
Wynne - P -

Lavigan - CP -  
Johnson - N -  
Ho. - B

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Loftis - P -  
Kotke - CP -  
Cary - N -  
Hi. - B

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APO 520 U.S. ARMY

15 MARCH 1945

SUBJECT: CREWS COMPLETING MISSION ON 15 MARCH 1945

TO : OPERATIONS OFFICER, 455TH BOMB GP (H)

SHIP 965

P LT SCHWAB —  
CP LT PERLMUTTER —  
N LT KEARNS —  
B LT THOMPSON —  
MARTINEZ  
~~WAYNE~~  
MIXSON  
MARRS  
TOLBERT  
CELESTIN

SHIP 668

LT SCRAMLIN —  
LT HOPE —  
LT ROBINSON —  
LT SLOMINSKI —  
STRONGOSKY  
HAFFNER  
BOSWELL  
LYON  
FRIEND  
LANTZ  
EPSTEIN

SHIP 151

LT LAUR —  
LT HAGAN —  
LT GLASE —  
CAPT ROSENTHAL —  
FISHER, H.  
GERTIG  
GYSAN  
BROWN, J.  
BRICKER  
SHEEHAN

SHIP 606

P LT HOGAN —  
CP LT RHETT —  
N LT KNOWLES —  
B LT HOAGLAND —  
KRENZKE  
SISTERMAN  
HINES  
WATSON  
HANLEY  
LT HELT (N) —  
LT BLOUNT (PFF) —

SHIP 312

LT AUFDERHEIDE —  
LT MANBECK —  
LT DAVIS —  
LT WERNICK —  
POWELL  
WOLINSKY  
WEEKS  
MATTINGLY  
BROWN  
ZABOVNICK  
TOWNSEND, J.(F)

SHIP 545

LT SOLLEY —  
LT ANSEL —  
LT KIERNAN —  
LT TARSHES —  
MAGIERA  
MCBRIDE  
EADS  
FREY  
MILLER  
FLYNN

SHIP 033

P COL SNOWDEN —  
CP LT STUART —  
B LT KOTZ —  
B MAJOR CARENS —  
FRAGALE  
MALCOLM  
BORSTAD  
TAYLOR  
HOLEMAN  
CAPT PIERCE —  
LT HAROUTUNIAN (PFF) —

TIME \_\_\_\_\_

TARGET \_\_\_\_\_

HENRY C. KELLY,  
CAPTAIN, AIR CORPS,  
OPERATIONS OFFICER.

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Office of the Operations Officer  
APO 520

15 March 1945

MISSION NO. 212

COMBAT LOADING LIST

SHIP NO. 889

P DEWEY, R — LT  
CP LOFTIN, UC — LT  
N CAINE, TC — LT  
B THOMPSON — LT  
E GAFFNEY, JD SGT  
R WEST, MS SGT  
AE ESPOSITO, A SGT  
AR CIGICH, CH SGT  
AG HEWIT, DE SGT  
AG BURIC, J SGT  
F PORKYWLNSKI SGT

SHIP NO. 453

KAHLEY, D — LT  
SCHWARTZ, L — LT  
JONES HW — LT  
MILSTEIN, B — LT  
LUHTA, EJ SGT  
SILVERSTEIN, ABE SGT  
HERVEY, C SGT  
NAJJAR, C SGT  
BLAIR, E SGT  
JONES, RB SGT

SHIP NO. 625

SMIDL, JM — LT  
PRINCE, W — LT  
RILEY, WJ — LT  
BELTRAMI, AP — LT  
COOK, AM SGT  
SPORS, AA SGT  
WALKER, WL SGT  
ROBERTS, EV SGT  
WALSH, JR SGT  
DEWITT, RJ SGT  
F FOLK, G SGT  
SJ HALL, HD SGT

SHIP NO. 331

P RICHARDS, WV — LT  
CP HUNTER, JB — LT  
N BITTERBUSCH, JK — LT  
B IRELAND, OV — LT  
E CZERWONIKA, FG SGT  
R PAPIA, GC SGT  
AE VAN AMBERG SGT  
AR HARPER SGT  
AG AMUNDSON, EG SGT  
AG CRAMER, JJ SGT  
SJ SLOMSKI, HF SGT F

SHIP NO. 146

GROZIER, REX — LT  
CHARTIER, HD — LT  
WEBSTER — LT  
MILES, RB SGT  
CLOUD, RD SGT  
METSKEK, HA SGT  
RISCH, RH SGT  
MUNNERLYN, VP SGT  
SCHENCK, ME SGT  
KYLE, JF SGT N

SHIP NO. 977

BRYANT, RS — LT  
HUGHES, JF — LT  
COURTMAN, SI — LT  
KETTLER — LT  
ECKLUND, EH SGT  
WIEDERKHEHR, VL SGT  
GERBER, HL SGT  
GARTON, CV SGT  
DYSTE, AC SGT  
CASINO, FC SGT  
ARMBRUSTER, EJ — LT

SHIP NO. 543

P BLANKENSHIP, *ODPK* LT  
CP WARHAFTIG LT  
N CORDEN, PS — ELT  
B WOJCIOWICZ, FJ SGT  
E ROBISON, WP SGT  
R KILBASHIAN, S SGT  
AE ERICKSON, WP SGT  
AR BRUNOW, CP SGT  
AG SHALA, LE SGT  
AG' BEENE, DW SGT

SHIP NO. 295

GILL, DB — LT  
FINN, RM — LT  
HAIRSTON — LT  
HEWIT LH — LT  
MOENK LM SGT  
ASHTON RJ SGT  
MACKINNON, TJ SGT  
GREFKOWICZ, LS SGT  
HOOK, LG SGT  
MARTIN, HL SGT

SHIP NO. 038

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~~SNOWDEN LT COL  
STUART, HL LT  
KOTZ, WE  
CARENS, R CAPT  
DOUGHER, FS SGT  
OVEN, AM SGT  
AZIZ, A SGT  
SCHOFIELD, CJ SGT  
PARIS, HC SGT  
PIERCE, J LT  
BAROUTUNIAN, V LT~~

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Group 5-3

15 MARCH 1945  
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L O A D I N G L I S T

AC NUMBER	<u>917</u>	DESTINATION	T/O
PILOT	LT. WYNNE	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. BUONO
CO-PILOT	LT. GAVIGAN	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. GRAY
NAVIGATOR	LT. JOHNSON	WAIST LEFT	SGT. VINE
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	SGT. OLIVERI
RADIO	SGT. SOMHORST	TAIL TUR GNR	SGT. BAKER, S.

AC NUMBER	<u>419</u>	DESTINATION	T/O
PILOT	LT. LOFTIS	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. SPARKS
CO-PILOT	LT. KOTKE	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. TETTEN
NAVIGATOR	LT. CRARY	WAIST LEFT	SGT. HERMESMEYER
BOMBARDIER	SGT. <del>XXXXX</del> SZUDAJSKI	BALL TUR GNR	SGT. LANDAU
RADIO	<del>XXXXX</del>	TAIL TUR GNR	SGT. HARDWICK

AC NUMBER	_____	DESTINATION	T/O
PILOT		TOP TUR GNR	
CO-PILOT		WAIST RIGHT	
NAVIGATOR		WAIST LEFT	
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	
RADIO		TAIL TUR GNR	

AC NUMBER	_____	DESTINATION	T/O
PILOT		TOP TUR GNR	
CO-PILOT		WAIST RIGHT	
NAVIGATOR		WAIST LEFT	
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	
RADIO		TAIL TUR GNR	

AC NUMBER	_____	DESTINATION	T/O
PILOT		TOP TUR GNR	
CO-PILOT		WAIST RIGHT	
NAVIGATOR		WAIST LEFT	
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	
RADIO		TAIL TUR GNR	

AC NUMBER	_____	DESTINATION	T/O
PILOT		TOP TUR GNR	
CO-PILOT		WAIST RIGHT	
NAVIGATOR		WAIST LEFT	
BOMBARDIER		BALL TUR GNR	
RADIO		TAIL TUR GNR	

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