

49 BOMBARDMENT WING (H)

OPERATIONS ORDER # 6

OPERATIONS REPORT

	461st Gp	451st Gp	484th Gp
<u>DATE:</u>	4-16-44	4-16-44	
<u>EFFORT:</u>	Maximum	Maximum	
<u>LOAD:</u>	Fragmentation	Fragmentation	
<u>RENDEZVOUS:</u>	Castellucio	Castellucio	
<u>TARGET:</u>	Brasov A/C Attacked alt. target at Belgrade		
<u>TAKE OFF:</u> No. of A/C	34	32	
Time	0753	0750	
<u>ABORTIVES:</u>	0	0	
<u>EARLY RETURNS:</u>	19	13	
<u>PRIOR RETURNS:</u>	0	0	
<u>TARGET:</u> No. of A/C	14	19	
Time	1120	1120	
<u>MISSING:</u>	1	0	
<u>RETURNING:</u> No. of A/C	14	19	
Time	1345	1337	
<u>REMARKS:</u>	Lost, hit by flak in B/13 over target before release Early returns due to rough weather		

Add'l A/C Involved: 47th Wing - 4 Groups; 5th Wing - 6 Groups;  
304th Wing - 4 Groups; 306th Wing - 4 Groups - fighter escort.

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