

49TH BOMBARDMENT WING (H)

OPERATIONS REPORT

	461st Gp	451st Gp	484th Gp
<u>DATE:</u>	25 July 1944	25 July 1944	25 July 1944
<u>EFFORT:</u>	Normal	Normal	Normal
<u>LOAD:</u>	1000# GP .1 sec nose .025 tail	Same	Same
<u>RENDEZVOUS:</u>	Rendezvous Rectangle	Same	Same
<u>TARGET:</u>	Hermann Goering Tank Works	Same	Same
<u>TAKE OFF:</u> No. of A/C	26	24	40
Time	0714	0736	0645
<u>ABORTIVES:</u>	0	0	0
<u>EARLY RETURNS:</u>	5	2	4
<u>PRIOR RETURNS:</u>	0	0	0
<u>TARGET:</u> No. of A/C	21	22	36
Time	1110	1114	1109
<u>MISSING:</u>	12	0	0
<u>RETURNING:</u> No. of A/C	9	22	36
Time	1404	1355	1426
<u>REMARKS:</u>	#371 - Lt Jenkins crash landed Foggia #850 Lt Hesser and Maj Burke #451 Lt Kane #257 Lt Olson #836 Lt Fisher #732 Lt Boyer #693 Lt Freeman		#765 Capt Riddle landed at Pantenella

#383 Lt Mitchell #457 Lt Stitch #368 Lt Fulks #867 Lt Githens #529 Lt Warner #486 Lt Wester (believed to be at Vis) crew bailed out over Vis - ship lost 1 crew member missing (Smith) believed safe		
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Add'l A/C Involved: 52 P-38s

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