

**HEADQUARTERS
NINETY FIFTH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
Office of the Operations Officer**

AP0 559.
12 June 1944.

SUBJECT: Report of Operations Officer, Mission of 11 June 1944.
TO : Commanding Officer, 95th Bomb Group (H), APO 559.

1. GENERAL NARRATIVE: The 95th group formation took off at 0430 - 0448 hours and by 0612 had assembled over the base at 20,000'. Wing rendezvous was made at splasher # 8 at 0656 at 24,000'. The 95th group fell into trail behind the 100th group at a three minute interval, but was unable to maintain contact due to heavy persistent contrails.

The 95th group dropped down to an altitude below the high cirrus level, (22,000'), making a 360° turn in order to cross Dungeness at bombing altitude. Dungeness was crossed at 0714 at 22,000'. The primary was bombed using overcast bombing technique. Bombs were away at 0723.

The briefed route was followed back to the base, the English coast being crossed on the return route at 0747 at Beachy Head. The home base was reached at 0829 and landing effected at 0830 - 0845.

2. AIRCRAFT NOT ATTACKING: Twenty aircraft, including one PFF and two spares left the base in the formation shown in the attached diagram "A".

Of these twenty A/C, all bombed the primary and all are credited with sorties. The formation over the target is shown in attached diagram "B".

3. LOST AIRCRAFT: None.

HARRY G. MUMFORD,
Lt. Col., Air Corps,
Operations Officer.

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APO 559

E-I-15

11 June 1944

AIRCRAFT NOT ATTACKING

95th Group Formation

Mission of 11 June 1944

- A. Number of A/C Scheduled..... 17, 1 PFF and 2 Spares
- B. Number of A/C Taking Off..... 17, 1 PFF and 2 Spares
- C. A/C Taking Off less unused spares..... 19 and 1 PFF
- D. Number of A/C Attacking..... 19 and 1 PFF
- E. Number of A/C Not Attacking..... 0
- F. Number of Sorties..... 19 and 1 PFF
- G. Reasons for A/C Not Attacking:

None

(Note: 2 PFF A/C credited with sorties attacked the target with the 100 Bomb Gp)

For the Commanding Officer:

HARRY G. MIMBROD,
Lt. Col., Air Corps,
Operations Officer.

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95th Group
 Assembly
 Diagram "A"

NINETY FIFTH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
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GROUP FORMATION FORM

DATE 11 June 1944

LEAD

P.F.F.
 75 | 83

DOHERTY
 71 | 94

BULLARD
 69 | 93

LOW

HIGH

DELUCA
 72 | 15

GILBERT
 71 | 20

SASSER
 29 | 37

ROMANCHEK
 78 | 79

GREENWALD
 70 | 50

SLUSSER
 19 | 89

STREETON
 60 | 98

SALVIA
 80 | 54

HOFSAES
 72 | 32

FORD
 70 | 47

RIBNIKAR
 16 | 75

GRIFFIN
 19 | 92

WYRICK
 81 | 23

KINNEY
 18 | 87

WELLS
 16 | 81

HOUSER
 1867

ROSSETTI
 1514

- BRIEFING _____
- READINESS _____
- STATIONS _____
- TAXI _____
- TAKE-OFF _____
- RENDEZVOUS _____

- EXTRA SHIPS
- 334 _____
 - 335 _____
 - 336 _____
 - 412 _____

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HEADQUARTERS
NINETY FIFTH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
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E-F-26

12 June 1944

SUBJECT: Lead Bombardier's Narrative, Ninety Fifth Bombardment Group,
Mission of 11 June 1944, French Coast.

TO : Commanding Officer, 95th Bombardment Group (H), A. A. F.

1. Bombing approach and run - At the I. P. we made a left turn of about 60° and opened bomb bay doors. Because of undercast the run had to be made by use of H2X equipment and units of tangency grid. Bombs were away on a heading of 148° at 0723. There was no enemy resistance affecting the bomb run.

2. Disposition of Bombs - 19 A/C from the 95th "A" Group dropped 304 X 250 lbs ANM57 bombs on primary target. One PFF A/C dropped 3 X 500 lbs ANM64. All Bombs were fused 1/10 nose 1/40 tail.

3. Types of release - 19 A/C from the 95th "A" Group salvoed armed 304 X 250 lbs ANM57 bombs on primary target. The PFF six 500 lbs bombs were also salvoed armed.

4. Tabular Summary - Aircraft

Main Bombfall	Over Target	Bombing	No.	Bomb Size	Type	Fuzing Nose	Fuzing Tail
Tactical	20	20	304	250	ANM57	1/10	1/40
(5026 0134)							
Total Bombs on Target			304	250	ANM57	1/10	1/40
Other Expenditures			0	0	0		
Bombs returned			0	0	0		
Total (loaded on A/C taking off)			304	250	ANM57	1/10	1/40

* Remarks
The six 500 lbs ANM64 bombs with fuzing 1/10 1/40 carried by the PFF were also dropped on the target and are not included in the disposition of bombs.

JESSE B. EDGAR,
1st Lt., Air Corps,
Lead Bombardier.