

HEADQUARTERS
416TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (L)
Office of the Commanding Officer

TO: *[Redacted]* Commanding General, 9th Bombardment Division (M), APO 140, U. S. Army.
Attention: Statistical Control.

From: 416th Bombardment Group (L), APO 140, U.S. Army.

Ref: Oprep & No. 345 for 24 hrs. ending midnight 14 March 1945
Mission or Operation No. 235 97th CBW FO# 204-791

A. Short Narrative of Operation:

Target Neider-Marsberg R/R Bridge
Place of take-off Station A-69
Place of landing Station A-69
Take-off time 1916 Landing time 1706
Time over target 1521-1532 Bombing Altitude 11000-12000
Nature of mission Bombing Other None
Weather Heavy ground haze, Visibility 2 miles.
Results NAO-EXC (AMPI) - NAO - EXC (AMPI)
Enemy opposition None

B. Type & model of aircraft:

- 28-28-28*
1. Dispatched 28 A-26's
 2. Attacking target (indicate target) or completing mission.

<u>19</u>	<u>Neider-Marsberg R/R Bridge</u>
<u>6</u>	<u>Casual bridge between Gierhagen and primary target</u>
<u>3</u>	<u>Window</u>
 3. Abortive due to:
 - (1) Weather: None
 - (2) Personnel: None
 - (3) Mechanical: None
 - (4) Other: None
 4. Missing (i.e. cause and place unknown) None
 5. Destroyed - before reaching target None
giving cause where known _____
 6. Destroyed - over or after leaving None
target giving cause where known _____
 7. Damaged (give category & cause) None
 8. Sorties 28

D. Total operational flying hours

a. Day (Sunrise to sunset) 108:35b. Night (Sunset to sunrise) None

E. Ammunition by calibre:

a. Total carried into air 52000 x .50 calibreb. Expended on operations 700 x .50 calibre (testing) ✓c. Lost on wrecked or missing a/c None

F. Bombs, Mines, etc. used:

a. Total carried into air: 100 x 1000 lb GP's 1/10W 1/10OT ✓b. Expended on operations: 100 x 1000 GP's (40.00) ✓
(List targets separately)c. Jettisoned Noned. Lost or wrecked on missing a/c Nonee. Total Returned None

G. Own Personnel Casualties:

Type of Casualty	Pilot	Co-pilot	Nav	Bomb	R.Gun	E.Gun	T.Gun
Killed in Action	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Missing in Action	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Seriously Wounded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slightly Wounded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

H. Enemy aircraft by type or description (tentative claims):-

a. Destroyed Noneb. Prob. Des Nonec. Damaged None

For the Commanding Officer:

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