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KU 14 12 Aug. 1943

1302 Dougherty, John Aloysius T/Sgt.
Fortress
Born 5 Sept. 1919
Ident. Tag 13 048 148
Taken prisoner.

Knudsen, Elmer Thorolf S/Sgt.
Born 12 Oct. 1922
Ident. Tag 10 600 698
Taken prisoner.

Howard, George Zebulon, S/Sgt.
Born 16 Jan. 1909.
Ident. Tag 34 307 919
Taken prisoner.

Horvath, Robert Joseph, S/Sgt., born 17 Aug.
(HORVATH) 1920. Ident. Tag. 15 104 33
Taken prisoner.

Edwards, Hurd L., S/Sgt. Born 7 May 1919
Ident. Tag 11 020 423
Taken prisoner.

KU 14 (Cont)

Mulligan, Thomas Edmund Jr. 2nd Lt.
Ident. Tag. 0-735 434
Taken prisoner.

KU 14 (Cont)

Pentz, Arthur H. 1st Lt. Ident. Tag 0-791 488
Taken prisoner.

Murray, Robert Lindsay, T/Sgt.
Born 20 Mar. 1920
Ident. Tag 34 266 551
Taken prisoner.

Philpitt, Russel O., 2nd Lt. Born 29 June
1916. Ident. Tag 0-731 416
Taken prisoner, wounded
Location: In a field
hospital.

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HEADQUARTERS EIGHTH AIR FORCE, APO 633, U.S. ARMY. AUG 18 1943

TO: Commanding General, Headquarters SOS, ETOUSA, APO 871, U.S. Army.

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FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL

E. A. Mobley
E. A. MOBLEY,
Major, A.C.D.,
Asst. Adj. Gen.

2 Incls:
Incl: 1 Missing Air Crew Report (dup)
2 Map.

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AG 360.33 2nd W/Ind
Hq, SOS, ETOUSA, APO 871, 24 August 1943.

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To: Commanding General, Army Air Forces, Washington, D.C.
Attention: Statistical Control Division.

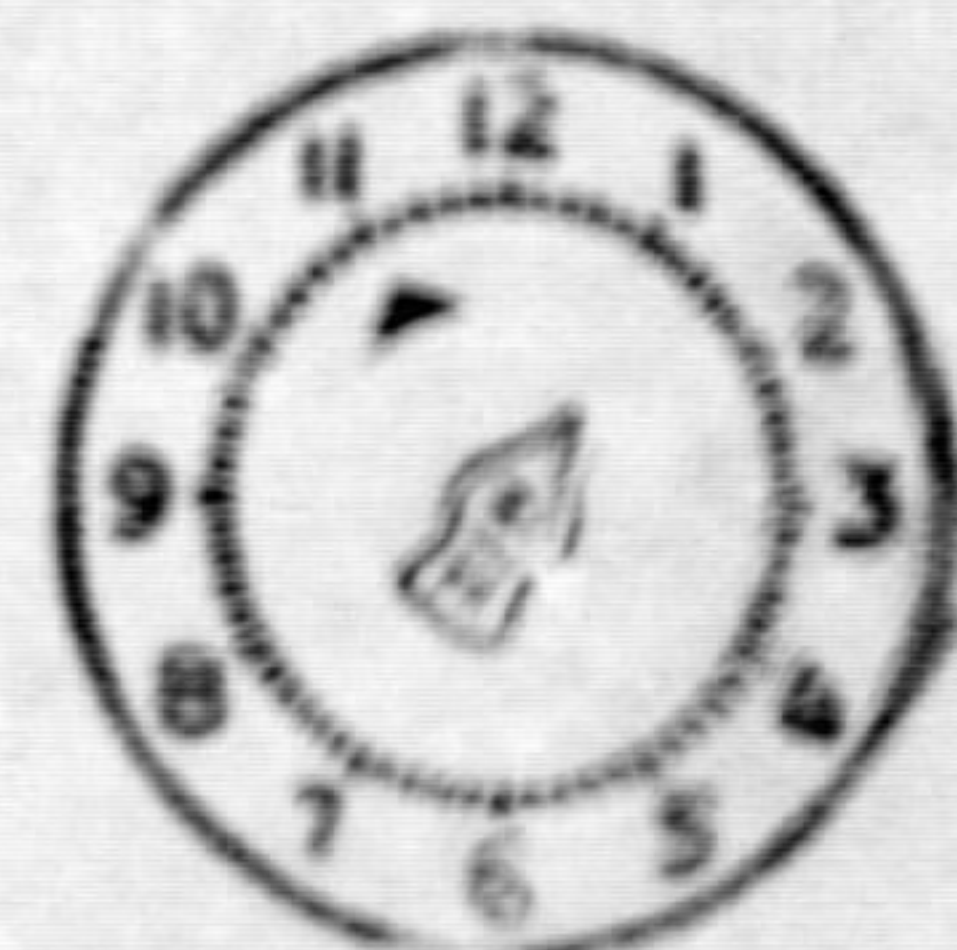
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R. W. BRUSKE,
2nd Lt, AGD,
Asst Adj Gen.

2 Incls:
Incl 1 - Missing Air Crew Report (AP 42-29640)(Dup copy W/D)
Incl 2 - Map of route taken.

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2 Map.

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HEADQUARTERS AAF STATION 107
303RD BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
APO 634, U.S. ARMY

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By Authority
Of the Air Force
Date.....
Initial.....

MISSING AIR CREW REPORT

IMPORTANT: This report will be compiled in triplicate by each Army Air Forces organization within 48 hours of the time an aircraft is officially reported missing.

- ORGANIZATION: Location Molesworth; Command or Air Force 8th
Group 303rd Bom. Gr. (H); Squadron 350th; Detachment ---
- SPECIFY: Point of Departure Molesworth; Course See diagram
Intended Destination Galaxitroben; Type of Mission Bombardment
- WEATHER CONDITIONS AND VISIBILITY AT TIME OF CRASH OR WHEN LAST REPORTED: 6/10ths
Cumulus base about 2,000 ft., Tops 6 - 8,000 ft.
- GIVE: (a) Date 12/8/43 Time 0930; and Location 51° 18' N. 07° 20' E
of last known whereabouts of missing aircraft.
(b) Specify whether (X) Last Sighted; () Last contacted by Radio;
() Forced Down; () Seen to Crash; or () Information not Available.
- AIRCRAFT WAS LOST, OR IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN LOST, AS A RESULT OF: (Check only one (X) Enemy Aircraft; () Enemy Anti-Aircraft; () Other Circumstances as follows _____)
- AIRCRAFT: Type, Model and Series B-17 A.A.F. Serial Number 42-29640
- ENGINES: Type, Model and Series R-1820-97 A.A.F. Serial Number (a) 41-54920
(b) 41-54923; (c) 41-56615; (d) 41-55167
- INSTALLED WEAPONS (Furnish below Make, Type and Serial Number) 143247, 130314(KHW)50 cl.
Celt (a) 1256512 S.A.; (b) 120779 S.A.; (c) 125326 S.A.; (d) 120749 S.A., 112917 S.A.
291884 (e) 125164 S.A.; (f) 125224 S.A.; (g) 127350 S.A.; (h) 125907 S.A., 120906 S.A.
- THE PERSONS LISTED BELOW WERE REPORTED AS: (a) Battle Casualty X
or (b) Non-Battle Casualty _____
- NUMBER OF PERSONS ABOARD AIRCRAFT: Crew 10; Passengers 0; Total 10

NOTE: In Paragraph #8, "Installed Weapons".
KHW - Kelsey-Hayes Wheel
S.A.- Savage Arms

Rank	Position	Name	Serial Number	Remarks
EUS2.	Copilot	Mulligan, Thomas E.	0-755434	
KIA 3.	Navigator	Street, Benjamin B.	0-662108	Identified
EUS4.	Bombardier	Philpit, Russell O.	0-751416	
EUS5.	Engineer-TT Gunner	Doucherty, John A.	13048148	
EUS6.	A/Bomb.-L.H. Gunner	Hervath, Robert A.	15104326	
EUS7.	Radio Operator-Rad. Gun.	Murray, Robert L.	34266551	
EUS8.	Ball Turret Gunner	Edwards, Burd L.	11020423	
EUS9.	R.H. Gunner	Howard, George Z.	34307919	
EUS10.	Tail Gunner	Knudsen, Elmer T.	10600698	

11. IDENTIFY BELOW THOSE PERSONS WHO ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE LAST KNOWLEDGE OF AIRCRAFT, AND CHECK APPROPRIATE COLUMN TO INDICATE BASIS FOR SAME:

Name in Full (Last Name First)	Rank	Serial Number	Check Only One Column			
			Contacted By Radio	Last Sighted	Saw Crash	Saw Forced Landing
1.						
2.						
3.						

- IF PERSONNEL ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE SURVIVED, ANSWER YES TO ONE OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS: (a) Parachutes were used ___; (b) Persons were seen walking away from scene of crash ___; or (c) Any other reason (Specify) ___
- ATTACH SERIAL PHOTOGRAPH, MAP, CHART, OR SKETCH, SHOWING APPROXIMATE LOCATION WHERE AIRCRAFT WAS LAST SEEN.
- ATTACH EYEWITNESS DESCRIPTION OF CRASH, FORCED LANDING, OR OTHER CIRCUMSTANCES PERTAINING TO MISSING AIRCRAFT. NONE
- ATTACH A DESCRIPTION OF THE EXTENT OF SEARCH, IF ANY, AND GIVE NAME, RANK AND SERIAL NUMBER OF OFFICER IN CHARGE HERE Not Applicable

Classification changed
to RESTRICTED
by E. A. BRADUNAS, Lt. Col., AG
by F. M. MUECH, Capt., AG

Date of Report 13 August 1943

(Signature of Preparing Officer)

JESSE M. BARRETT,
Capt., AC,
Intelligence Officer.

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BOMB. GROUP (A)

TARGET

Date 12, AUG., 1944

Primary GELSENKIRCHEN, GERMANY

Secondary _____

Last Resort _____

Route followed by

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