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DAILY OPERATIONS REPORT
 FORM 8084 34

CORRECTED COPY:

DESIGNATION OF UNIT: 451ST BOMB GP (H) Group (or separate Squadron)

SQUADRONS INCLUDED IN THIS REPORT: 724th, 725th, 726th, 727th

1. a. 24-Hr. Period Ending 2000 Hrs 12 April 1944 b. Mission No. 25
2. a. Number and Type of A/C 35 b. Time of Take-Off 0855
 Time of Landing 1415 c. Time over Target 1312
 For XII AC { b. No. A/C not reaching camp lines (indicate reason) 2
 and XII ASC { 1 - Lost engine 1 - Empty prop.
 only { c. No. A/C crossing camp lines but failing to attack (indicate reason) 1 turned back at 43° 30'N, 17° 20'W
cause unknown. MIA
 For XII Ftr { d. No. A/C not completing mission (indicate reason) _____
 Command { _____
3. TARGET: a. Name and Location Sagreb Airbase and W/T
 b. Pinpoint or Precise Aiming Point Aircraft Assembly Plant
4. MISSION: a. Type Heavy Bombardment
 b. Escorted by None c. Escorting _____
 (Unit, No. & Type A/C) (Unit, No. & Type A/C)
 d. (For Fighter intercept only)
 No. of A/C carrying bombs _____ No. of A/C carrying no bombs _____
5. ENEMY RESISTANCE: TYPE None INTENSITY None ACCURACY None
 a. A/C Over Target Heavy Slight Inaccurate
 b. A/C Enroute None
 c. No. & Type I/A Encountered (indicate where) None
6. WEATHER: (Over Target) 3/10ths (Enroute) 3/10ths
7. ALTITUDE AND RANGE OF ATTACK 20,000 to 23,000 ft.
8. TOTAL FLYING HOURS: (to nearest five minutes) 161:25
9. AMMUNITION:

	ounds	ounds	ounds	ounds
	Carried	Expended	Retained	Lost or Missing and Destroyed A/C
<u>Collar</u>				
<u>50</u>	<u>280,000</u>	<u>3,500</u>		<u>2,000</u>
10. LOSSES, DAMAGE, DEPTH CHANGES AND REPAIRS:

Type	Number	Number	Number	Number	Lost on Mission and Destroyed A/C
Being	Carried	Expended	Retained	Retained	
<u>500G.P.</u>	<u>1 Nose</u>	<u>420</u>	<u>380</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>12</u>
	<u>.625 Tail</u>	<u>Returned 12</u>		<u>(12 - Engine Out)</u>	
				<u>(4 - Rack malfunction)</u>	

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U.S. AIRCRAFT LOSS REPORT (FORM 42-100)

11. VICTORIES (indicate gun-position credited with victory, not individual's name):

a. Destroyed - Credit b. Probable - Credit c. Reported
 None None None

12. OWN AIRCRAFT LOSSES: Destroyed Missing Downed
 (on Combat mission) Cat. 1 Cat. 2

f. By enemy action: None ~~None~~ None
 (indicate cause) 1 (Cause unknown)

g. Not by enemy action: None None None
 (indicate cause)

h. Returned from mission: None Reported Missing on Mission: _____
 (date)

13. CREW CASUALTIES: Status
 a. Speciality Crew Position (M, MA, SA, CP, etc.) Cause
 P, CP, N, B P, CP, N, B MIA Unknown
 300, 1 ROG, 2 ASG 80, 80, 180, 800, 10, 10 MIA Unknown

b. Returned, previously reported Missing:
 Speciality Crew Position Reported Missing on Mission to a Date Canceled? (S or N)
 None

14. Short Narrative, including results, sightings, and facts of interest.

Target attacked in column of attack units. 32 sorties over target. Target well covered, with many direct hits on aircraft assembly plant. 8 hits on control tower. Center of marshalling yard and west choke point well hit. 2 aircraft on field known to be destroyed. Mission complete success.

15. any other Aircraft Losses (destroyed on the ground, on training flights, etc. Explain)

None

16. Has Weekly Letter of "Summary and Recommendations", Form 42-100, been forwarded through channels? No longer required.

17. CONSUMPTION TABLE, week ending _____
 (To be submitted only each Saturday of 2000 hours. include expenditures for all purposes.)

a. Total Hours Flown _____ b. Total Hours Consumed _____

c. No. & Type of Long Range Tanks Jettisoned, Lost or Destroyed

d. IGBES, TAMP, L. C., etc. e. MAGNETIC
 Type Number Caliber rounds

(Signature of Commanding Officer)
 MAJOR E. L. HAYES,
 Colonel, Air Corps.

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