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MISSION SUMMARY REPORT

- A. 20TH FIGHTER GROUP, LT. COL. RAU LEADING.
- B. 51 P-38'S (17-55TH) (18-77TH) (16-79TH) UP 1302, DOWN 1810.
- C. 2.
- D. VIII F.C.F.O. 338 WITHDRAWAL BOMBER ESCORT.
- E. 1 NYR.
- F. 2 P-38'S, CAT. "A" (FALH)
- G. 1 NYR
1 ST LT. H.W. EVERETT, 77TH SQ. (BAILED OUT OVER LECK A/A).
- H. GROUND TARGETS DAMAGED
2 BARRACKS BUILDINGS, 1 FACTORY, 1 HANGER, 1 GUN EMPLACEMENT,
1 TUG AND BARGE, 1 FISHING BOAT.
- I. L/F, 1441 NUSUM, 14,000 FEET, R/V, 2 EEXXXX CW'S 1ST DIVISION
B-17'S FLYING EXCELLENT FORMATION, 1520 MEXXXX MON, 20,000 FKXMXXX
FEET. W/D 1610-1630, ROMO ISLAND, 20,000 FEET, 2 SWXXXXXX SQDNS. LEAVING
INDEPENDENTLY TO STRAFE, ONE STRIKING LECK A/HEMXX A/D. OUT,
VICINITY ROMO ISLAND, 1630, 12,000-16,000 FEET. NO E/A SEEN, AIR
OR GROUND, NO FRIENDLY A/C, R/V OR W/D. B-24'S AND P-38'S SEEN WITH-
DRAWING AS GROUP ENTERED, FLENSBURG. INTENSE, ACCURATE FLAK LECK A/D.
R/T GOOD.

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MISSION SUMMARY REPORT

A. 55TH FIGHTER SQUADRON, COL. RAU LEADING.

B. 17 P-38S UP 1302, 16 DOWN 1810

C. ONE

D. BOMBER ESCORT - F.O. 338

E. THRU H. NIL

I. L/F IN 1440 HOURS, HOSUM, 13,000 FEET. R/V 1523, MONS CLIFF, 20,000 FEET. B-17'S TRIANGLE, GOOD FORMATION. W/D 1610 HOURS BRONS, 16,000 FEET. L/F OUT SAME TIME AND PLACE. WHITE AND RED FLIGHT TURNED BACK TO STRAFE A/D BELIEVED TO BE NEAR TONDER. FOLLOWING CLAIMS RESULTED. 3 FISHING BOATS STRAFED WEST OF SYLT. 25+ CONVOY M/V SEEN WEST OF HELIGOLAND, HEADED N.W. CONVOYED BY ONE CRUISER. ONE P-38 FROM WHITE FLIGHT BURST INTO FLAMES OVER A/D AT TONDER. PILOT BAILED OUT.

- J. 1 - FISHING BOAT - DAMAGED - LT. ANDERSON
1 - FISHING BOAT - DAMAGED - CAPT. SCRUTCHFIELD
1 - BARRACKS - DAMAGED - LT. WELLS
1 - FACTORY BUILDING - DAMAGED - LT. WELLS
1 - ONE HANGER - DAMAGED - LT. SMELTZ

13 MAY, 1944
BOMBER ESCORT - F.O. 338
TARGET - POLITZ AND STETTIN

THOSE FLYING IN TODAY'S MISSION WERE:

RAU	SERROS	WILSON	TAYLOR	SPARES:
ANDERSON	MARTIN	WELLS	BURFORD	FORD
SCRUTCHFIELD	BUIE	LOEHNERT (E.R.)	KLINK	LARRABEE
KELLY	PIERSON	SMELTZ	SPENCER	

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MISSION SUMMARY REPORT May 13, 1944

- A. 77th Fighter Squadron, 20th Fighter Group, Major Gustke leading.
- B. 18 up at 1302. Down at 1810.
- C. One
- D. Bomber Escort, withdrawal support, Field Order No. 338.
- E. One NYR 1 Lt. Hal W. Everett.
- F. 1 Cat A. (Flak)
- G. One- 1 Lt Hal W. Everett.
- H. Ground targets:
 - I. In at 1441 at St. Peter at 13,000 ft. R/V with 2 cw's of B-17s of 1st Div at 1525, 8 miles west of Kloster 32 miles south of R/V point on course. LF out N of Romo Island at 1615 at 23000 ft. Here ~~flight~~ ~~obitted~~ and headed S. Strafed airdrome believed to be Eggebek, with claims of 2 bldgs. and 2 gun positions. These planes then proceeded west past England Island. Our other 2 ~~flight~~ flights continued with the bombers until 1630 and passed out B-24s on way back as late as 1700. Saw plane crash near Leck airfield. Believe it was Lt. Everett. Saw no chute but heard over radio that there was a chute. Heavy accurate flak over Eckernforde. Flak also seen NE of Kiel, Helligoland, southern tip of Romo Island, Boats SE of Heligoland. Very heavy flak at Eggebek. B-24s with P-38 escort seen N of Langeland Island. 3 P-51s seen vicinity Darsser Point. P-47s not seen until land fall out. Saw straggler B-17 turn N in vicinity of Haderslev and straggler B-24 turn N 40 miles W of Sylt Island. No bombers in trouble. Our B-17s in good formation.
- J. One (1) Bldg and one gun emplacement damaged by Major Gustke.
One (1) Bldg and one gun emplacement damaged by Lt. Perris.

MISSION REPORT

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May 13, 1944

- A. 79th Fighter Squadron Major D. E. Anderson, leading
B. 16 P-38's Up: 1305 Down: 1305
C. Nil
D. Ramrod - Withdrawal Support - 1st Div. F. O. 338
E. Nil
F. Nil One - Cat. A - flak
G. Nil
H. C-C-O
I. In: Tonning 1443 15,000
R/V: E. of Mons 1520 22,000
W/D: Bona Isl. 1605 20,000
Out: Same as W/D

Passed many B24s over Jutland Peninsula prior to R/V with 2 CWS of 1st Division B17s. B17s were in good formation. First box had one straggler that fired red-red flares but bombers said he was ok. Straggler was between first and second box.

No E/A seen. 55th and 77th sqs. strafed but 79th provided top cover.

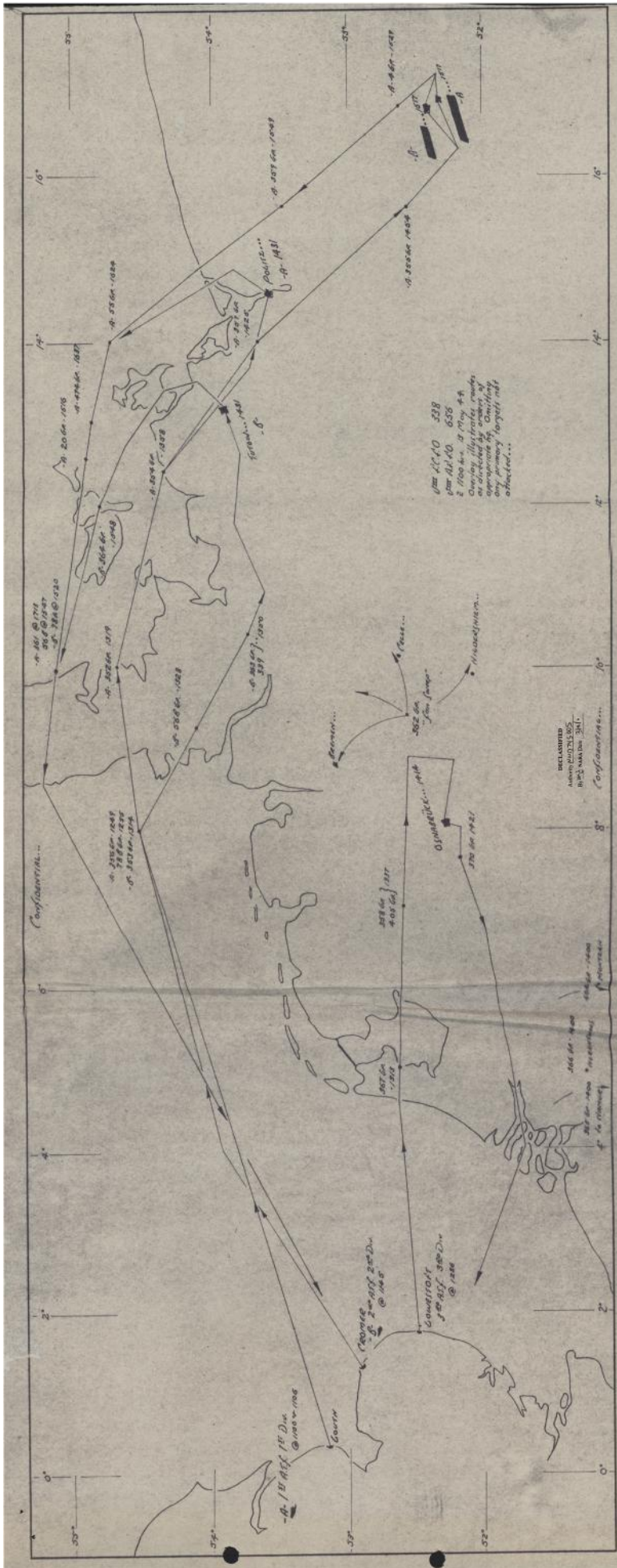
Flak: N. Frisian Islands and Sylt Island

A/Ds: Beautiful A/D and buildings seen on Helgoland Island.

R/T: Good.

Naval: 6 or 8 small vessels seen S. of Sylt Island.

EDWARD J. STEINER
Capt. A. C.
Intelligence Officer



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