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21 January 1945

SUBJECT: Crews on Mission for 21 January 1945.

| 44-8354 P "LEAD LBN SQUADRON" |         |      |           |
|-------------------------------|---------|------|-----------|
| Offhaus, Floyd W., Jr.        | 1st Lt. | P    | 0-824339  |
| Chapman, Lloyd D.             | Major   | AC   | 0-417183  |
| Salba, Lawrence E.            | 1st Lt. | N    | 0-722968  |
| Plummer, Vernon G.            | 1st Lt. | B    | 0-707433  |
| Reefe, Thomas M. III          | T/Sgt.  | R    | 17157635  |
| McKey, William B.             | T/Sgt.  | R    | 38013386  |
| Griffing, Lawrence            | W/Sgt.  | XXXX | 15126624  |
| Rosero, Eli D.                | S/Sgt.  | TC   | 37704870  |
| Pulliam, Jim D.               | S/Sgt.  | WG   | 38231491  |
| Jurist, Bernard F.            | P/O     | AN   | T-3204    |
| 45-83440 S "DEPUTY LEAD"      |         |      |           |
| Whiting, James H.             | 1st Lt. | P    | 0-771185  |
| Creedy, Thomas H.             | 2nd Lt. | CP   | 0-828333  |
| Chew, Donald H.               | 1st Lt. | B    | 0-2058412 |
| McDowen, Donald E.            | 2nd Lt. | N    | 0-2063067 |
| Metzger, Edward L.            | 1st Lt. | B    | 0-712297  |
| Ralston, Weston D.            | S/Sgt.  | R    | 37662164  |
| Nivison, Ted E.               | S/Sgt.  | R    | 18044552  |
| Wolfe, Clarence J.            | Sgt.    | BTG  | 37671806  |
| Nivison, Joe E.               | Sgt.    | TC   | 38868291  |
| Freshwater, Ralph D.          | Sgt.    | AG   | 35759300  |
| 45-83449 Z                    |         |      |           |
| Wagner, David C.              | 1st Lt. | P    | 0-822560  |
| Dittenber, Merlin R.          | 2nd Lt. | CP   | 0-835187  |
| Saker, Ernest R.              | 2nd Lt. | N    | 0-2068297 |
| Fuehey, Melvin A.             | T/Sgt.  | (NI) | 35031940  |
| Yeager, Charles W.            | T/Sgt.  | R    | 17119029  |
| Coppola, Vincent L.           | T/Sgt.  | B    | 31276829  |
| Herrell, Frank (HMI) Jr.      | S/Sgt.  | BTG  | 37601402  |
| Eckert, Frank E.              | S/Sgt.  | TC   | 31337281  |
| Camilucci, Claude (HMI)       | S/Sgt.  | WG   | 33597479  |
| 42-32054 R                    |         |      |           |
| Deutscher, Ainsley (HMI)      | 1st Lt. | P    | 0-735134  |
| Gehmeyer, Richard H.          | 2nd Lt. | CP   | 0-829599  |
| Clack, James H.               | 2nd Lt. | N    | 0-2064376 |
| Asinaki, Roman                | Sgt.    | (NG) | 11073130  |
| Bishop, Herschel H.           | Pvt.    | R    | 18139037  |
| Barnum, Robert E.             | T/Sgt.  | B    | 37556411  |
| White, Kent D.                | S/Sgt.  | BTG  | 19171070  |
| Morgan, Ellis C.              | S/Sgt.  | TC   | 38231971  |
| Caravallo, Jack J.            | Sgt.    | WG   | 13080087  |

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## 43-38446 G

|                      |         |      |           |
|----------------------|---------|------|-----------|
| Dunford, Michael J.  | 1st Lt. | P    | 0-705011  |
| McKiernan, John A.   | 2nd Lt. | CP   | 0-717556  |
| Mickelson, Martin O. | 1st Lt. | N    | 0-2058480 |
| Brown, Louis J.      | Sgt.    | (NG) | 14040680  |
| Van Buren, Fred O.   | T/Sgt.  | R    | 37478376  |
| Brace, James B.      | T/Sgt.  | R    | 34651363  |
| Makloski, Edward V.  | S/Sgt.  | BTG  | 19124601  |
| Boggs, John W.       | S/Sgt.  | TG   | 35773269  |
| Labonte, Leo A.      | Sgt.    | NG   | 31288202  |

## 43-38446 F

|                        |         |      |          |
|------------------------|---------|------|----------|
| Devers, Lawrence E.    | 2nd Lt. | P    | 0-701909 |
| Correll, Morris L. Jr. | 2nd Lt. | CP   | 0-812346 |
| August, Alexander S.   | 2nd Lt. | N    | 0-769241 |
| Margreves, Eddie E.    | S/Sgt.  | (NG) | 36415533 |
| Detenker, Wilbert R.   | S/Sgt.  | R    | 8083502  |
| Bikeman, Holland B.    | T/Sgt.  | R    | 32845650 |
| McFarland, Ralph M.    | S/Sgt.  | BTG  | 35473929 |
| Miller, Robert G.      | Sgt.    | TG   | 3853109  |
| Brown, William E.      | Sgt.    | NG   | 14133317 |

## 44-8529 C

|                      |         |      |          |
|----------------------|---------|------|----------|
| Hard, Lawrence E.    | 1st Lt. | P    | 0-824301 |
| Michaels, Charles L. | 2nd Lt. | CP   | 0-778532 |
| Glazer, Frank (NMI)  | 1st Lt. | B-N  | 0-718096 |
| Reilly, LaVern O.    | S/Sgt.  | (NG) | 17118353 |
| Katanen, Ivan A.     | T/Sgt.  | R    | 12183052 |
| Turanaky, Rudolph J. | T/Sgt.  | R    | 32739869 |
| Dammhauser, Gus K.   | Sgt.    | BTG  | 13007222 |
| Culgin, Joseph D.    | S/Sgt.  | TG   | 31271765 |
| Perry, Andrew J. Jr. | S/Sgt.  | NG   | 33564336 |

## 43-38570 H

|                      |         |      |           |
|----------------------|---------|------|-----------|
| Field, Earle (NMI)   | 2nd Lt. | P    | 0-822402  |
| Sambalino, John C.   | 2nd Lt. | CP   | 0-823461  |
| Berry, George R.     | 1st Lt. | N    | 0-2067354 |
| Wincer, James R.     | S/Sgt.  | (NG) | 33227031  |
| Webb, Calvin A.      | T/Sgt.  | R    | 13091251  |
| Van Dyck, Vincent L. | T/Sgt.  | R    | 36817526  |
| Rogers, Herbert N.   | S/Sgt.  | BTG  | 38450672  |
| Mahony, John R.      | S/Sgt.  | TG   | 14128311  |
| Gillaspy, Loren B.   | S/Sgt.  | NG   | 37486797  |

## 42-107181 X

|                         |         |      |           |
|-------------------------|---------|------|-----------|
| Perzi, Ottavio V.       | 1st Lt. | P    | 0-824203  |
| Bennett, William J.     | 1st Lt. | CP   | 0-736950  |
| Redley, Thomas F.       | 2nd Lt. | N    | 0-1997878 |
| Hudson, John B. Jr.     | S/Sgt.  | (NG) | 17162726  |
| Cox, Harry F.           | T/Sgt.  | R    | 11071616  |
| Whitley, Loyce W.       | T/Sgt.  | R    | 38348107  |
| Fulton, R.C.            | S/Sgt.  | BTG  | 17136221  |
| Hansen, Fennell (NMI)   | S/Sgt.  | TG   | 39417064  |
| Sollenberger, Harold B. | S/Sgt.  | NG   | 33235701  |

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| 42-31765 L               | "SPARE" |      |           |
| Terrill, Lawrence E. Jr. | 2nd Lt. | P    | O-778613  |
| Prakes, Sherman F.       | P/O     | CP   | T-129371  |
| Eberle, Ralph F.         | 2nd Lt. | N    | O-2069978 |
| Hamill, Howard F.        | Sgt.    | (ND) | 14172198  |
| Cook, Jack E.            | Sgt.    | H    | 35876012  |
| Faber, Walter J.         | S/Sgt.  | E    | 12131812  |
| Milske, Albert L.        | Sgt.    | BTG  | 36695224  |
| Taylor, John V.          | Sgt.    | TJ   | 12226428  |
| Middleton, John C.       | Sgt.    | WG   | 13146838  |

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| 42-97600 X         | (Flying with 326th Squadron) |    |           |
| Paulsen, Robert D. | 2nd Lt.                      | RM | O-2062655 |

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