

HEADQUARTERS  
STATION 123 APO 558  
OFFICE OF THE INTELLIGENCE OFFICER

25 MAY 1944

SUBJECT: S-2 REPORT, MISSION 24 MAY 44 (MELUM & VILLAROCHE)  
TO : COMMANDING OFFICER, AAF 123, APO 558/

ENEMY AIRCRAFT OPPOSITION

1. NO E/A ENCOUNTERED.

ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE

2. NO FLAK IN TARGET AREA. MEAGER TO MODERATE FLAK ENCOUNTERED AT CHATEAUDUN AND NEUFCHATEL.

OBSERVATIONS

3. NO OBSERVATIONS REPORTED.

JOHN H. DAVIS,  
CAPT. AC,  
GROUP S-2 OFFICER.

24 May 1944

ORDER OF T. P. : RUNWAY 05

Ship	EAST Disp	T.O.	WEST Ship	Disp
		1	059E	26
		2	433B	24
		3	315N	20
		4	163S	5
		5	159P	18
		6	005H	2
314L	30	7		
		8	357P	16
		9	719Q	13
097T	Hg 3	10		
		11	108H	4
163K	44	12		
		13	366B	10
117M	31	14		
110P	33	15		
179Q	33	16		
219W	29	17		
		18	682I	3
		19	455 0	22
		20		
		21	050T	19
352K	28	22	120M	14
489I	34	23		

Spares: 407A Disp 22 500 G.P.  
 516K Disp 18 500 G.P.  
 457Q Disp 31 487's I.D.

WATSON-CRAIG  
 K21 : 059 E

Simes  
 K21 : 669 A

Watson n  
 K21 : 163 K

Robeson  
 K22 : 108 M

Wells  
 K20 : 316 N

Glenn-Ollum-Craig  
 K21 : 433 B

Vogel  
 : 159 P

Gentry  
 : 097 T

Melton  
 K20 : 719 Q

Stillson  
 K20 : 165 S

Olney  
 K21 : 359 J

Schaaf  
 : 314 J

Woodward-Swartz-Cain  
 K21 : 366 B

Zimmerman  
 K20 : 110 P

Umphrey  
 K21 : 117 M

Nyman  
 : 219 W

McNa nra  
 K21 : 120M

Stout  
 K21 : 050J

Taylor  
 K20 : 179 X

Hayden  
 K21 : 352K

Hathaway  
 K21 : 455 0

Alvestad  
 : 489 T

Spare Ships:  
 407;516;457

*ABSENT*

## FORMATION OVER ENGLISH COAST

24 MAY 1944

OVER TARGET  
ADD  
Watson n  
K21 : 163 KRobeson  
K22: 108 MC  
Wells  
K20 : 316 N  
Glenn-Ollum-Craig  
K21 : 433 BVogel  
: 159 PGentry  
: 097 T  
Melton  
K20 : 719 QStillson  
K20 : 165 S  
Olney  
K21 : 359 J  
Schaaf  
: 314 JD  
Brauer  
K20 : 682 I  
McNa nna  
K21 : 120M  
Stout  
K21 : 050JC  
Woodward-Swartz-Cain  
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## 458th Pilots and Aircraft as listed on Formation Plans

DATE	TARGET	PILOT	458th Msn #	Pilot Msn#	Cmd Pilot	LD	Serial	RCL	Sqdn	A/C Msn #	A/C Name	MIA	Notes
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	ALVESTAD	46	15			41-29489	T	7V	7	UNKNOWN 014		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	BRAUER	46	21			41-28682	I	Z5	28	UNKNOWN 003		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	GENTRY	46	14			42-51097	T	J3	7	UNKNOWN 022		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	GLENN	46	20	OLLUM	D1	42-100433	B	J3	22	BIG DICK HARD TO HIT		CRAIG LEAD NAVIGATOR
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	HATHAWAY	46	3			42-52455	O	7V	29	PLUTOCRAT		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	HAYDON	46	4			41-29352	K	7V	21	WOLVE'S LAIR		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	McNAMARA	46	14			42-95120	M	J3	7	HOOKEM COW / BETTY		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	MELTON	46	24			41-28719	Q	J3	28	PADDLEFOOT		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	NYMAN	46	19			42-95219	W	7V	5	PATCHIE		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	OLNEY	46	17			41-29359	J	J3	31	TAIL WIND		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	ROBESON	46	28			42-95108	M	Z5	3	ENVY OF 'EM ALL II		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	SCHAAF	46	25			42-50314	J	7V	12	ETO PLAYHOUSE		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	SIMES	46	ABT			42-95005	H	Z5	--	UNKNOWN 034		ABORT
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	SPARE	46	--			42-52457	O	7V	--	FINAL APPROACH		SPARE AIRCRAFT
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	SPARE	46	--			42-7516	K	J3	--	GATOR		SPARE AIRCRAFT
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	SPARE	46	--			42-100407	A	J3	--	LITTLE LAMBSY DIVEY		SPARE AIRCRAFT
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	STILSON	46	17			42-95165	S	Z5	7	COOKIE		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	STOUT	46	11			42-95050	J	7V	11	GAS HOUSE MOUSE		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	TAYLOR	46	29			42-95179	X	7V	1	HERE I GO AGAIN		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	UMPHREY	46	27			42-95117	M	7V	8	YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	VOGEL	46	25			42-95159	P	J3	6	ROUGH RIDERS II		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	WATSON	46	25			42-95163	K	Z5	14	DIXIE BELLE		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	WELLS	46	26			42-95316	N	J3	3	PRINCESS PAT		
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	WHITLOW	46	18	FEILING	L1	42-110059	E	J3	14	PAPPY YOKUM		KING LEAD NAVIGATOR
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	WOODWARD	46	19	SWARTZ	L2	42-100366	B	Z5	20	MIZPAH		CAIN LEAD NAVIGATOR
24-May-1944	VILLEROUCHE, near MELUN	ZIMMERMAN	46	20			42-51110	P	7V	3	TOP O' THE MARK		