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HEADQUARTERS 20th COMBAT BOMB WING (H)
Office of the Commanding General
AAF 104 - APO 558

I-4

9 February 1945

SUBJECT: Lead Crew Certificate of Commendation.

TO : Commanding Officer, 93d Bombardment Group (H), AAF 104, APO 558.

1. Under the provisions of Letter, this Headquarters, 29 November 1944, the 20th Combat Bomb Wing (H) Lead Crew Certificate of Commendation is presented herewith to the following named Officers and Enlisted Men:

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>A.S.N.</u>	<u>POSITION</u>
CAPT.	ROBERT E. OBERSCHMID	0700528	Pilot
1/LT.	EDWARD L. FAULHABER	0706309	Bombardier
1/LT.	ELLIS I. FULLWILER	0707428	Navigator
2/LT.	ARMANDO A. ANTONIO	0715681	Copilot
2/LT.	GERALD D. BAUGHMAN	0722788	Navigator
2/LT.	ELMER W. PEARSON	0709964	Navigator
T/Sgt.	Eugene H. Clement	32753106	Radio Operator
T/Sgt.	Frederick M. Johnson	33603351	Engineer
S/Sgt.	Nick Fluera	33722348	Gunner
S/Sgt.	Glenn D. Thompson	38565720	Gunner
S/Sgt.	James F. Duprey	32837234	Gunner
S/Sgt.	Allen H. Sorenson	39914608	Gunner

2. The above mentioned Officers and Enlisted Men, members of the B-24 Liberator crew which led the 93d Bombardment Group in the successful bombing attack on Harburg, Germany, on 17 January 1945, are highly commended for their achievement on that occasion and in token of their performance are presented with this certificate and strike photograph of their bombing. Their skillful and devoted execution of their duty reflects great credit upon themselves, their Squadron, and their Group, and is a source of pride at this Headquarters.

3. It is directed that this letter be made a part of the 201 File of the Officers and Enlisted Men concerned. In the event the personnel are no longer members of your organization, the Certificate of Commendation and letter will be promptly forwarded.

By Command of Brigadier General TIMBERLAKE:

Charles T. Merrill
CHARLES T. MERRILL,
Lt.-Col., Air Corps,
Chief of Staff.

1 Incl:
Incl 1 - Lead Crew Certificate of Commendation.

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HQ: NINETY-THIRD BOMB GROUP (H), AAF 104, APO 558, U.S. Army. 11 February, 1945.
TO: Commanding Officer, 329th Bomb Squadron (H), AAF 104, APO 558.

1. For compliance with par. 3, basic communication.
2. It gives me great pleasure and satisfaction to forward these Certificates of Commendation from General TIMBERLAKE for the Officers and Enlisted Men of your Organization concerned. I am pleased to commend Captain OBERSCHMID and his crew for the magnificent job they performed on the mission to Harburg, Germany on 17 January, 1945.
3. It is directed that Certificates of Commendation be read to all members of your Organization at your next Squadron formation.

W. R. Robertson
W. R. ROBERTSON,
Colonel, Air Corps,
Commanding.

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LEAD CREW CERTIFICATE OF COMMENDATION

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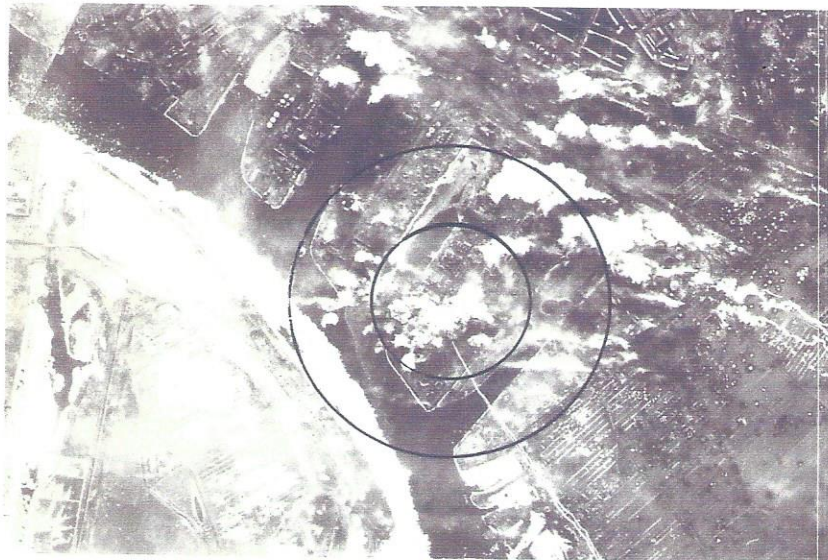
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MEMBERS OF THE B-24 LIBERATOR CREW WHICH LED THE
93d BOMBARDMENT GROUP

IN THE SUCCESSFUL BOMBING ATTACK ON

HARBURG, GERMANY, on JANUARY 17th, 1945,

ARE HIGHLY COMMENDED FOR THEIR ACHIEVEMENT ON THAT OCCASION AND
IN TOKEN OF THEIR PERFORMANCE ARE PRESENTED WITH THIS CERTIFICATE
AND STRIKE PHOTOGRAPH OF THEIR BOMBING. THEIR SKILLFUL AND DEVOTED
EXECUTION OF THEIR DUTY REFLECTS GREAT CREDIT UPON THEMSELVES, THEIR
SQUADRON, AND THEIR GROUP, AND IS A SOURCE OF PRIDE AT THIS HEAD-
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E. J. Timberlake, Jr.
E. J. TIMBERLAKE, JR.
Brigadier General, U.S. Army,
Commanding.

R E S T R I C T E D

HEADQUARTERS 20th COMBAT BOMB WING (H)
Office of the Commanding General
AAF 104 APO 558

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30 April 1945

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TO : Commanding Officer, 93d Bombardment Group (H), AAF 104, APO 558.

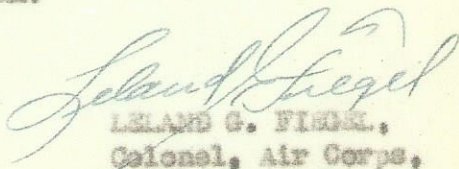
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<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>A.S.N.</u>	<u>POSITION</u>
MAJ.	ARTHUR P. HURR	0-25790	Commander
CAPT.	ROBERT E. OBERSCHEID	0-700528	Pilot
1/LT.	ARMANDO A. ANTONIO	0-715681	Copilot
1/LT.	GERALD D. BAUGHMAN	0-722788	Navigator
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2. The above mentioned Officers and Enlisted Men, members of the B-24 Liberator crew which led the 20th Combat Bomb Wing in the successful bombing attack on Greinsen, Germany, on 22 February 1945, are highly commended for their achievement on that occasion and in token of their performance are presented with this certificate and strike photograph of their bombing. Their skillful and devoted execution of their duty reflects great credit upon themselves, their Squadron, and their Group, and is a source of pride at this Headquarters.

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By command of Brigadier General FLEBERLAKE:


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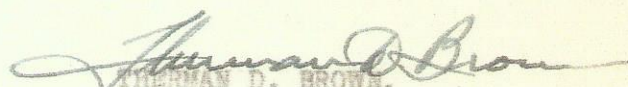
Incl 1 - Lead Crew Certificate of Commendation.

R E S T R I C T E D

HQ., 93d BOMB GROUP (H), AAF 104, APO 558, 4 May 1945.
TO: Commanding Officer, 329th Bomb Squad., AAF 104.

1. For compliance with Par 3 of basic communication.
2. It gives me great pleasure and satisfaction to forward these Certificates of Commendation from General TIMBERLAKE for the personnel of your Organization. I am pleased to commend Lt Col HURR and his crew for the magnificent job they performed on the mission to Kreinsen, Germany on 22 February 1945.
3. It is requested that Certificate of Commendation be read to all members of your Organization at your next squadron formation.

1 Incl: n/c


SHERMAN D. BROWN,
Lt. Colonel, AC,
Commanding.

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