

JULY 29, 1944

38-100LB. ANTI PER.

No. 28 St. No.

17,000'

MISSION TODAY WAS TO BE IN DIRECT SUPPORT WITH GROUND TROOPS. BOMBING WAS TO ^{BE} 1500 YARDS IN FRONT OF OWN TROOPS AND EXTEND ABOUT 2 MILES THRU ENEMY LINES - PROBABLY 4-5 MILES IN WIDTH.

ALMOST SOLID, UNDERCAST AT ENEMY COAST PREVENTED BOMBING, SO WE RETURNED WITH THE LOAD. HAD TO LAND ON SHORT RUNWAY. THINK THAT TWO GROUPS DID BOMB.

SAW TWO B17'S COLLIDE IN MIDAIR & BLOW UP. NO CHUTES. LITTLE FLAK; NOT ACCURATE. TIME, 5:40 HRS.