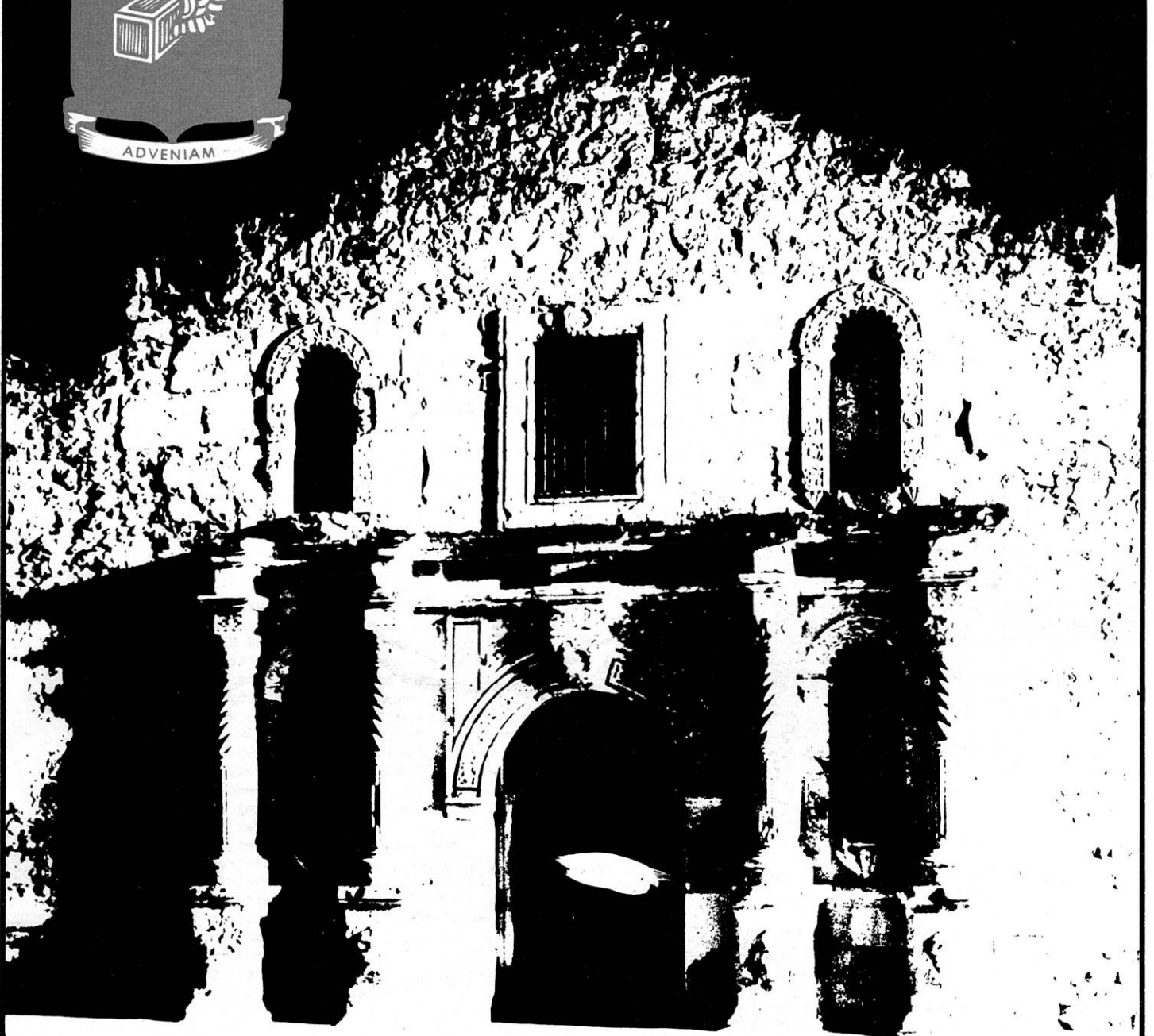




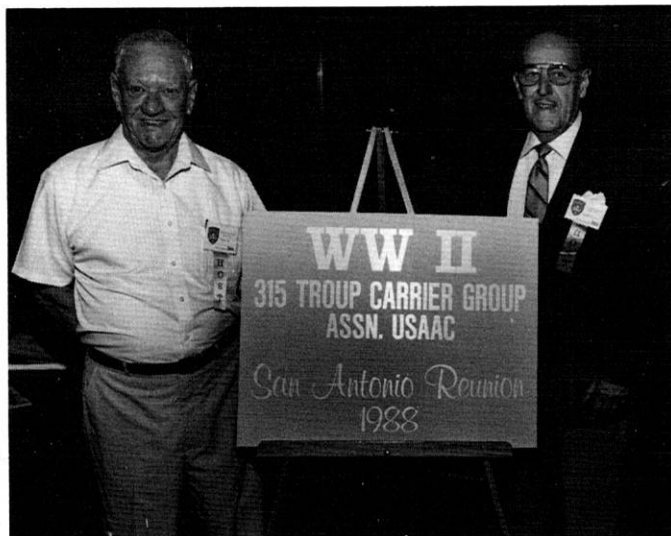
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1988 REUNION at SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS
October 13, 14, & 15

1988 SAN ANTONIO REUNION WAS A RESOUNDING SUCCESS



The two men standing beside this welcoming sign in the Menger Hotel lobby are Charlie Cox and Gordon Tull, the guys who worked so hard to make the 1988 reunion such a great success. Great credit and much appreciation go to Gordon and Charlie for the great job they did in planning and carrying out the many details involved in putting on a reunion of the 315th Association.

From the moment we checked in at the 315th Registration desk, each of us got a warm Texas welcome which set the tone for the following days.

Thursday was given over to greeting and registering our attending members. Friday morning, three red double-deck busses arrived in front of the hotel to take us on a military base tour which brought back a lot of memories to many of us. The busses returned us to the hotel around noon after a very enjoyable morning.

DIRECTORS MEETING FRIDAY AFTERNOON

President Ed Papp convened the Directors meeting at 14:05. Present were Brinson, Cloer, Conine, Davis, Dean, Drummey, Guthrie, Pleasant and Walsh. Gordon Tull, Chairman of the 1988 Reunion was present also. Bob Davis gave the Treasurer's Report (see February NEWSLETTER) after which the President explained how the Association funds were used--mainly to produce and distribute our mailings and the reunion pictorial review. Various other matters were brought up and discussed including an update on Spanhoe Memorial, the number of names on the roster and the current mailing list (815 names on the former, 520 on the latter), the need for more individual squadron news input for the NEWSLETTER, possible uses for Association funds beyond those required for our mailings, the need to promote "mini-reunions". The 1990 Reunion site was discussed and Portland, ME was selected. NOTE: Subsequent developments ruled out Portland and **NORFOLK, VIRGINIA** will be the place we meet on **SEPTEMBER 27, 28 AND 29, 1990. SEE SEPARATE INFORMATION SHEET INCLUDED WITH THIS BOOK.**

Bill Brinson, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, reported that Jack D. Alexander will be proposed to the membership as the Vice President to succeed Bernie Pleasant who moves to the President's office at the conclusion of the election of Association officers and Directors at the bi-ennial Business Meeting on Saturday. Brinson also announced that the names of current officers and directors would be proposed for re-election. In addition, Allen Saunders and Jack Mancinelli will be proposed to join the Board of Directors for 6-year terms; Lloyd Talich will be named to fill the unexpired term of O.G. King.

Bob Cloer, our Recording Secretary, introduced a number of subjects among them, a drawing of four 315th aircraft--one from each squadron--each carrying the tail number of a ship that was shot down over Holland. Bob had commissioned the drawings. The Directors ordered the drawing to be reproduced and included in the 1988 Reunion Pictorial Review. NOTE: A complete report of the Directors meeting is available to anyone who wishes to read it. Apply to Bob Cloer for a copy.

VISIT TO LONE STAR BREWERY...GENUINE TEXAS BARBECUE

The big event on Friday evening was a trip to San Antonio's famous Lone Star Brewery where a hearty Texas barbecue was served. Many of us visited the brewery's famous Lone Star Museum and the Buckhorn Saloon--a faithful reproduction of an old-time Texas watering hole. Beer--Lone Star, naturally, was freely dispensed during the evening. A lively musical combo called The Texas Top Hands furnished the dinner music and played for dancing into the evening. Busses returned us to the hotel before midnight so we could get some sleep before a busy day Saturday.

On Saturday morning, the busses took the ladies to the "El Mercado" shopping center while the men attended the bi-ennial Business Meeting held in one of the hotel ballrooms.

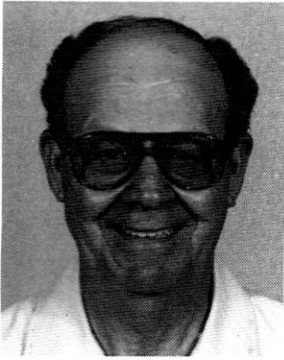
1988 BUSINESS MEETING

Approximately 115 men attended the Saturday morning Business Meeting. An excerpted report of the meeting was included in the February, 1989 NEWSLETTER and copies of the issue are available. For the record, the complete slate recommended by the nominating committee was presented to the members and it was unanimously approved and accepted by acclamation. Officers and Directors elected:

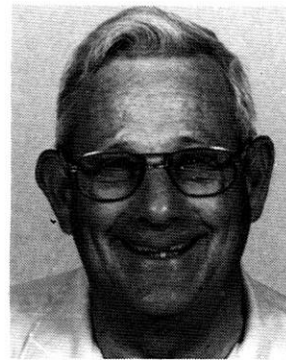
Bernie E. Pleasant.....President
Jack D. Alexander.....Vice President
Wm. L. Brinson.....Corresponding Secretary
Robert L. Cloer.....Recording Secretary
Robert M. Davis.....Treasurer
Marty F. Dean.....Assistant Treasurer
***Allen Saunders.....Term expires 1994**
***Jack Mancinelli.....Term expires 1994**
***Wm. C. Conine.....Term expires 1992**
***Fleetwood Guthrie.....Term Expires 1992**
***William N. Walsh.....Term expires 1990**
***Lloyd E. Talich.....Term expires 1990**
***Edward M. Papp.....Ex Officio Director**

After the business meeting was adjourned at 10:30 AM, pictures were taken of each individual for the pictorial review book.

WE MEET AGAIN IN 1990 IN NORFOLK, VIRGINIA



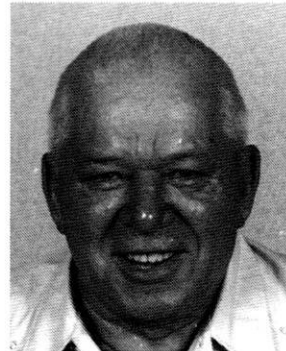
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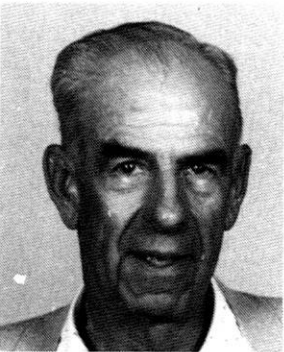
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Primary job: Welder
Wife's name: Edna
Residence: 2626 Lincoln Avenue
LaCrosse WI 54601
Telephone: 608 788-3684



JACK ALEXANDER
Squadron: 43
Primary job: Navigator
Wife's name: Betty
Residence: P.O. Box 516
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Telephone: 403 964-6237



JOHN ANDRACHEK, JR.
Squadron: 34
Primary job: Crew Chief
Wife's name: Helen
Residence: 107 Lee Drive
Belle Vernon PA 15012
Telephone: 412 929-8374



GENE ALLEN
Squadron: 309
Primary job: Pilot
Wife's name: Jackie
Residence: Rt.#1 Box 321
Rupert IDAHO 83350
Telephone: 208 436-4428



JOHN F. ANDREWS
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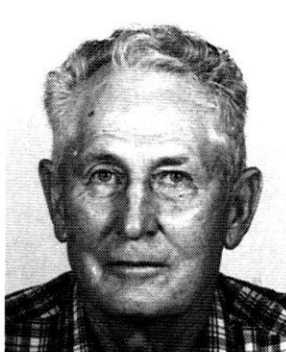
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Wife's name: Inez
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Freeport OHIO 43973
Telephone: 614 968-4881



JAMES W. ALWOOD
Squadron: 34
Primary job: Pilot
Wife's name: Eileen
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Telephone: 206 532-6470



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Squadron: 309
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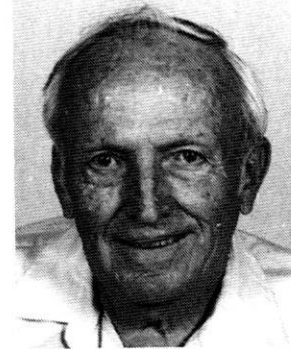
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ALVA L. BIGGS
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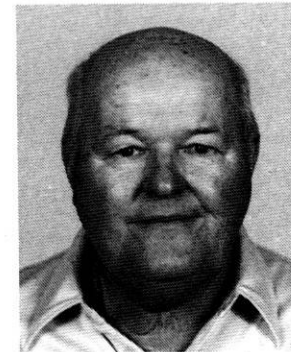
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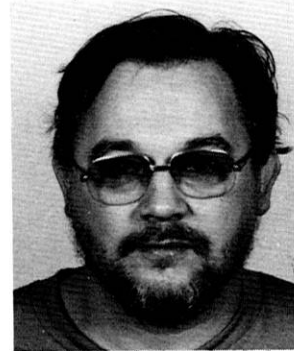
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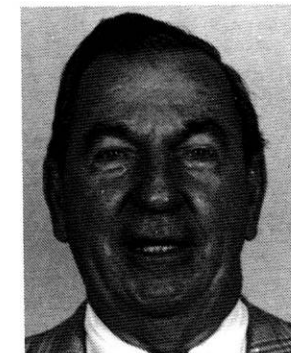
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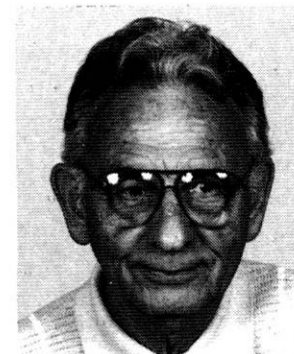
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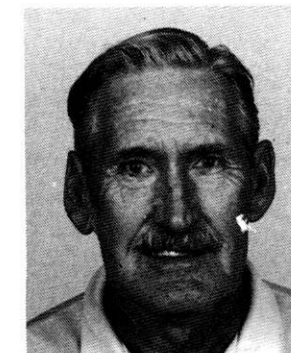
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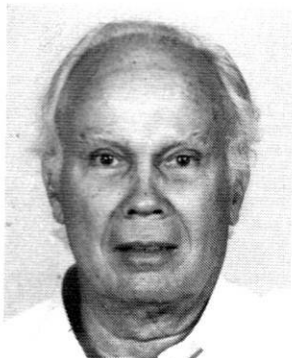
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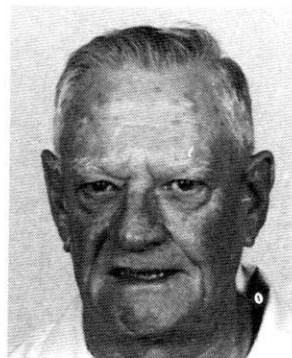
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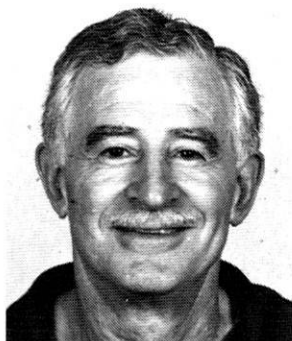
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WILLIAM E. BRUCE
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 Wife's name: Jewel
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CHARLES COX
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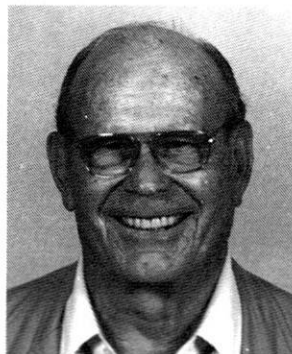
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ROBERT E. CRONE
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 Primary job: Pilot
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ROBERT L. "DOC" CLOER
 Squadron: 34
 Primary job: Pilot
 Wife's name: Peggy
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 Telephone: 916 674-3681



COL. JOEL E. CROUCH
 Squadron: H.Q.
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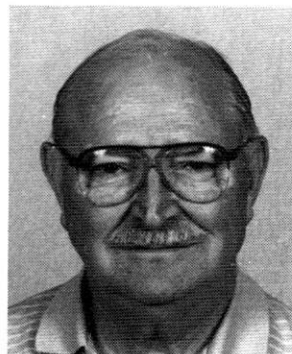
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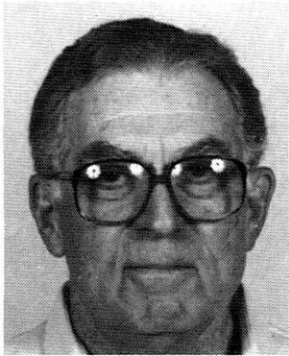
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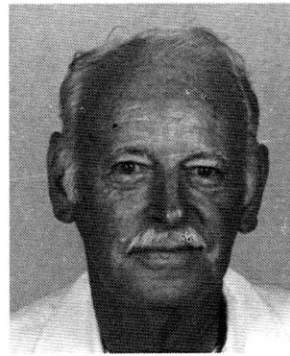
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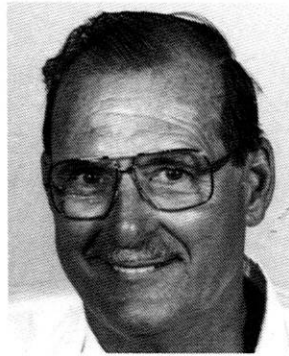
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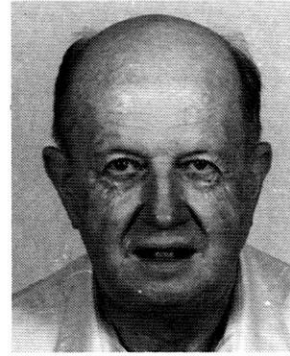
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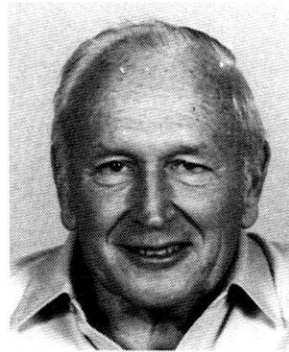
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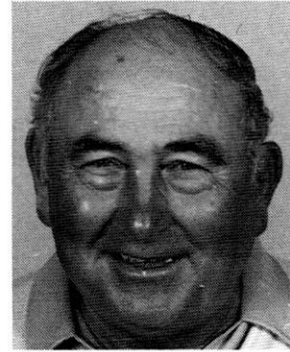
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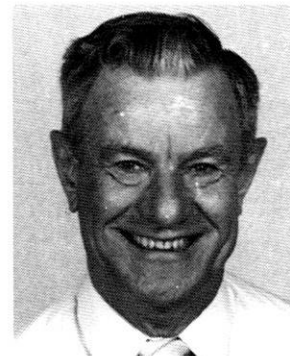
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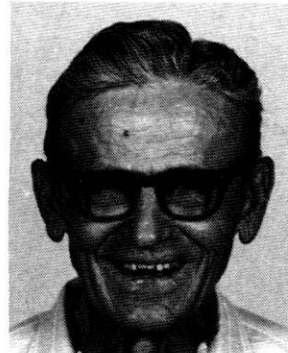
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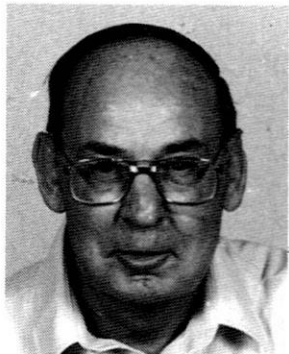
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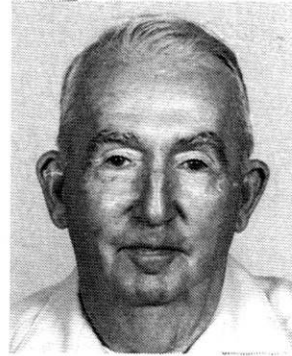
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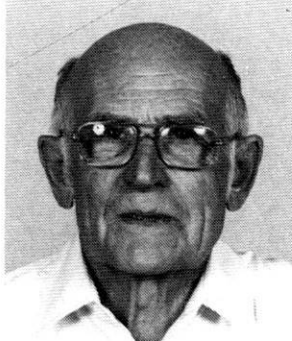
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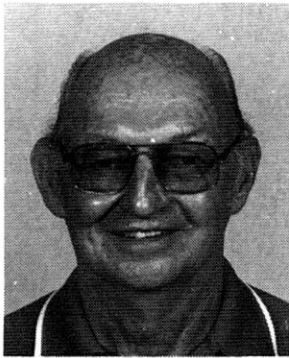
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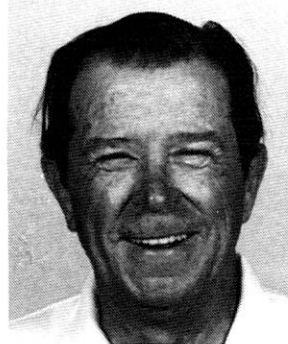
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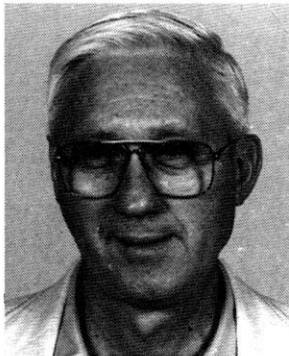
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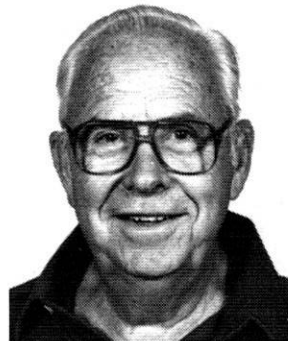
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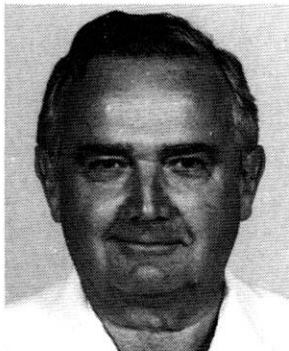
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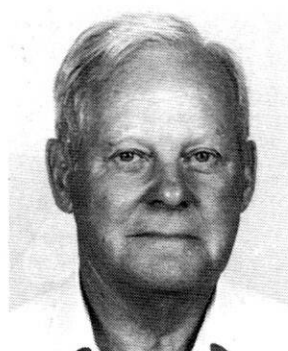
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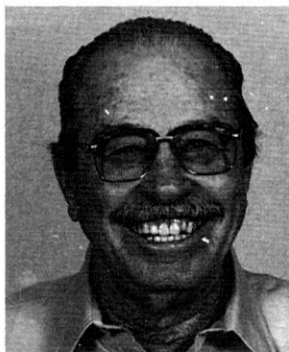
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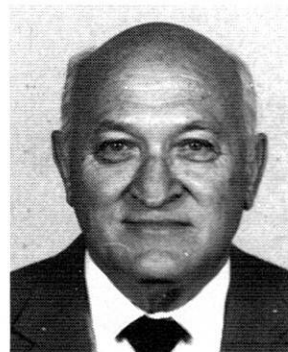
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 Wife's name: Margaret
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 Telephone: 415 924-3950



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 Squadron: 309
 Primary job: Pilot
 Residence: 5845 Joanne Dr. #101
 Racine WI 53406
 Telephone: 414 633-3088



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 Squadron: 310
 Primary job: Flight Chief
 Wife's name: Viola
 Residence: 6075 Ricki Lane
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 Telephone: 409 892-0181



FRANK S. KENNEDY, Jr.
 Squadron: 310
 Primary job: Control Tower Operator
 Wife's name: Judy
 Residence: 1501 48th Court
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 Telephone: 601 483-4143



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 Primary job: Crew Chief
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 Louisville KY 40206
 Telephone: 502 895-8404



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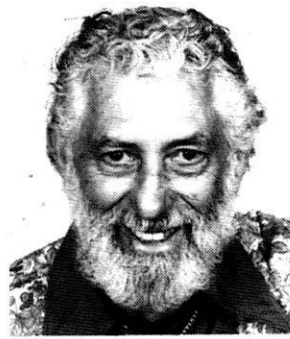
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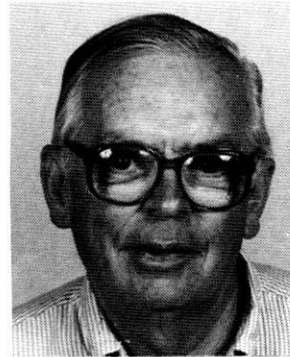
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 Wife's name: Geneva
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RAYMOND L. McMANUS
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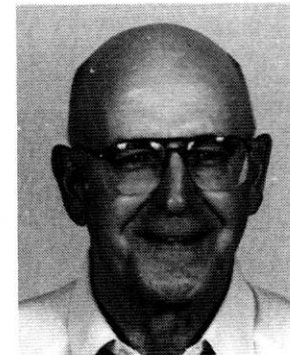
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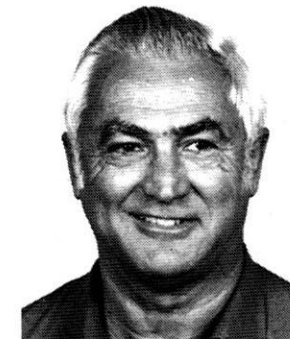
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 Primary job: Communications
 Wife's name: Josephine (Judy)
 Residence: 270 Westchester Ave.
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 Squadron: 34
 Primary job: Pilot
 Wife's name: Betty
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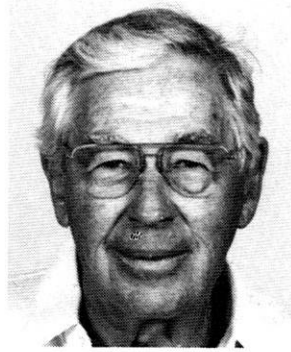
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 Wife's name: Harriett
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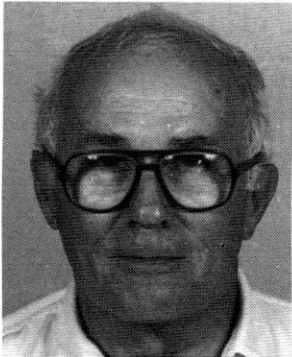
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 Primary job: Pilot
 Wife's name: Esther
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JACK B. OLDS
Squadron: 34
Primary job: Pilot
Residence: 5501 Stonewall St.
Greenville TX 75401
Telephone: 214 455-8915



WILLIAM S. PERKINS Jr.
Squadron: 34
Primary job: Pilot
Wife's name: Zelma
Residence: 4775 Cove Circle #802
St. Petersburg FL 33708



EDWARD M. PAPP
Squadron: 43
Primary job: Crew Chief
Wife's name: Barbara
Residence: 200 Bryant Avenue
Glen Ellyn IL 60137
Telephone: 312 469-1808



JULIUS H. PETERSEN
Squadron: HQ
Primary job: Air Inspector
Wife's name: Joan
Residence: 221 E. Hewitt Street
Marquette MI 49855
Telephone: 906 225-0028



GEORGE L. PEAVEY
Squadron: 34
Primary job: Glider Pilot
Wife's name: Sarah
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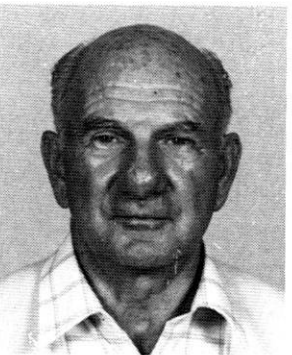
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Residence: 601 Woodland Hills
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R.M. "BUD" PENCE
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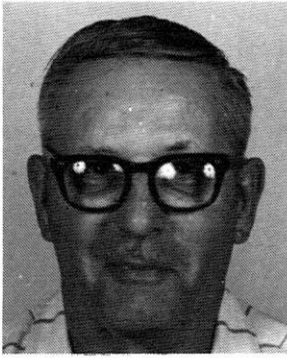
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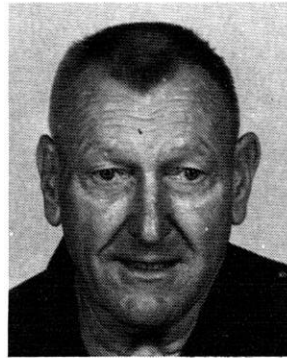
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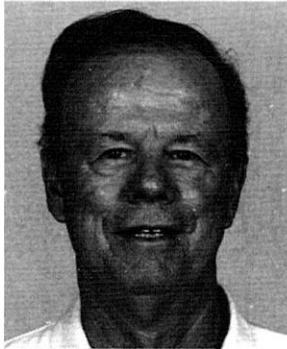
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Primary job: Pilot
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JOHN M. READING
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 Primary job: Line Chief/Crew Chief
 Wife's name: Gwen
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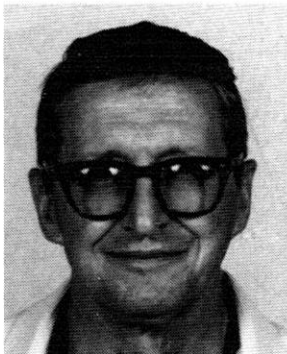
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 Squadron: 34
 Primary job: Glider Pilot
 Wife's name: Ruth
 Residence: 7145 Plover Cir.
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 Telephone: 817 237-6133



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 Squadron: 43
 Primary job: Pilot
 Wife's name: Billye
 Residence: 28315 Alava
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 Telephone: 714 458-9765



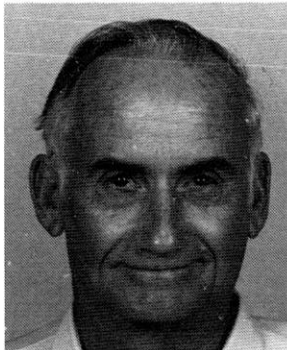
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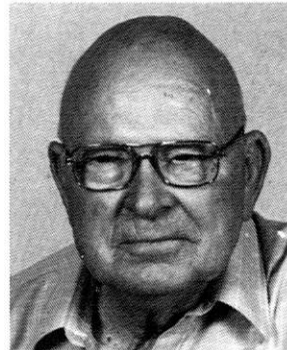
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 Primary job: Glider Maint. Officer
 Wife's name: Effie
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 Squadron: 43
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 St. Joseph MO 64506
 Telephone: 816 233-1247



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 Squadron: 43
 Primary job: Radio Operator
 Wife's name: Anne
 Residence: 105 Deerwood Trail
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 Telephone: 404 253-2968



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 Primary job: Mechanic
 Wife's name: Jessie
 Residence: Box 161
 Winnie TX 77665
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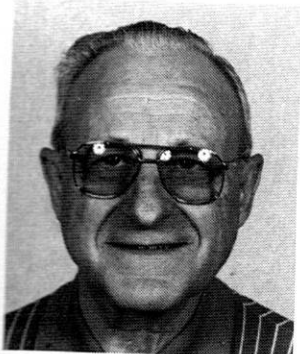
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 Primary job: Pilot
 Wife's name: Nadine
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 Squadron: 43
 Primary job: Squadron Surgeon
 Wife's name: Ruth
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 Telephone: 313 662-1669



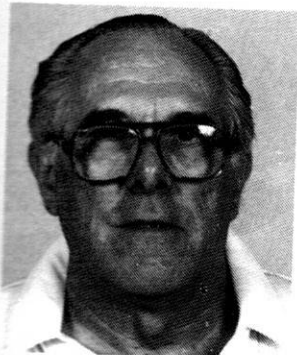
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 Telephone: 201 697-4255



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 Wife's name: Ilse
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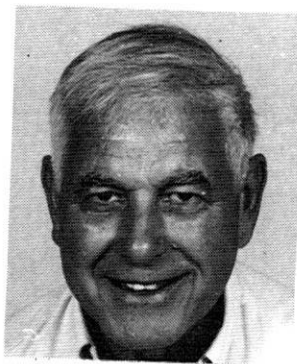
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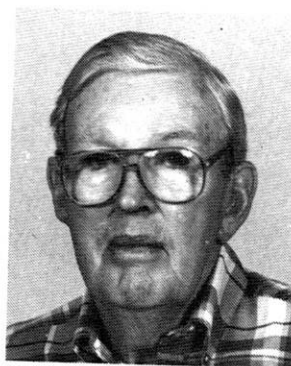
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 Primary job: Inst. Specialist
 Wife's name: Esther
 Residence: 6526 Tanglewood Lane
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 Telephone: 216 524-7330



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 Wife's name: Helena
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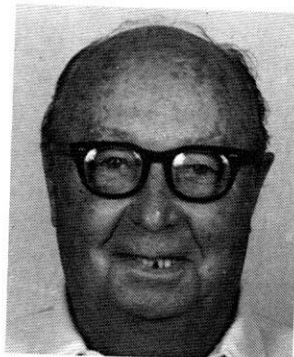
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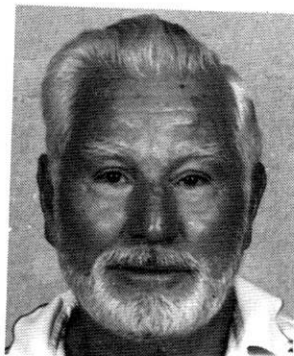
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 Primary job: Crew Chief
 Wife's name: Ebby
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 Squadron: 309
 Primary job: Pilot
 Wife's name: Minnie
 Residence: 2813 122nd Pl. N.E.
 Bellevue WA 98005
 Telephone: 206 885-0482



THEODORE W. STEWART
 Squadron: 310
 Primary job: Pilot
 Wife's name: Mary Emma
 Residence: 4313 Foxglove Lane
 Tampa FL 33624



ARTHUR P. STONE
 Squadron: 43
 Primary job: Ass't. Sq. Sup./Glider Maint.
 Wife's name: Peg
 Residence: 238 Oakleaf Drive
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 Morehead City NC 28557
 Telephone: 919 247-0777



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 Squadron: 34
 Primary job: Operations
 Wife's name: Geraldine
 Residence: Box 114 RR #1
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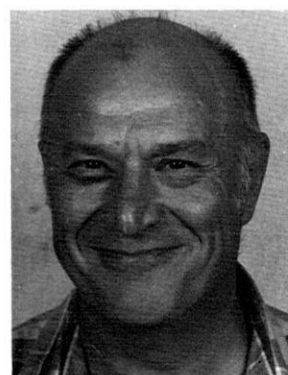
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 Squadron: 34
 Primary job: Radio Operator
 Wife's name: Ruby
 Residence: P.O. Box 91
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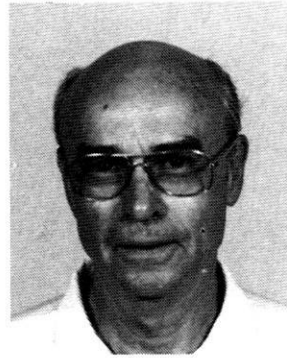
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 Wife's name: Pat
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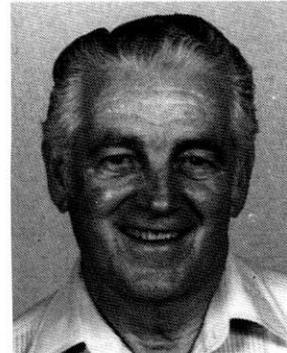
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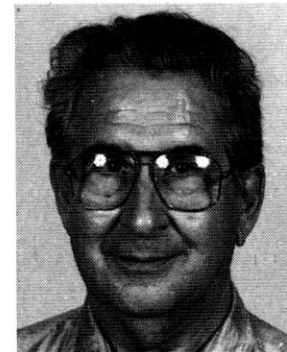
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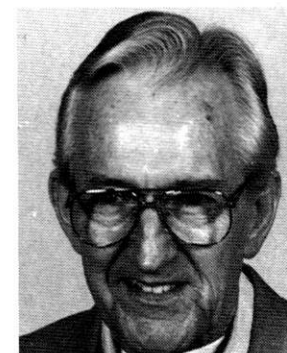
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 Wife's name: Shelagh
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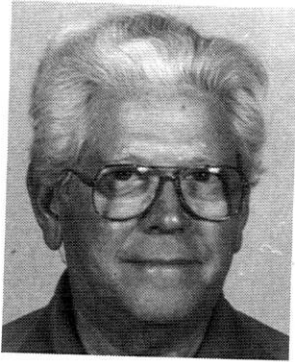
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 San Antonio TX 78233
 Telephone: 512 656-7532



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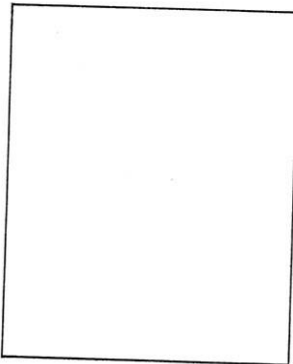
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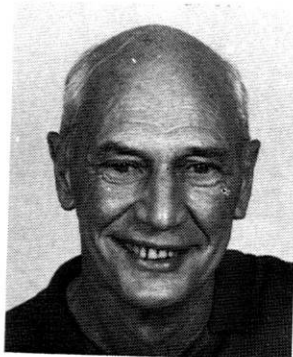
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Squadron: 43
Primary job: Flight Chief
Wife's name: Elizabeth
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Telephone: 804 282-6947



JACK E. (JAKE) WILSON
Squadron: 309
Primary job: Pilot
Residence: Box 316
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Telephone: 907 822-3319



JOSEPH J. YUHASZ
Squadron: 15 TCS, 61st TCG.
Wife's name: Rosemary
Residence: 3329 Lincoln Street
Highland IN 46322
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MONROE D. ZARTMAN
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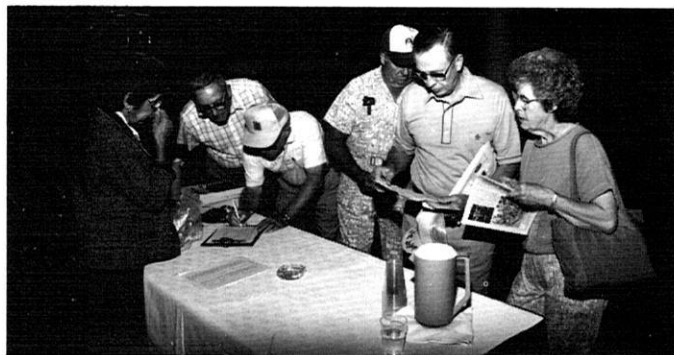
LEONARD ZURAKOV
Squadron: 309
Primary job: Radio Operator
Wife's name: Eleanor
Residence: 45 Sokolov Apt. 15
Natanya, Israel 42255

REGISTRATION DESK WAS BUSY

The Reunion committee arranged to have our registration desk placed right in the middle of the Menger Hotel lobby and it was the focal point of much visiting and renewing of old friendships. As we registered, we were handed a large envelope which contained our name badges, reunion agenda, schedule of events plus information on San Antonio which we found most interesting.



It was great to see Ed and Lucille Fulmer at the reunion. This was Ed's first and from all appearances, he had a great time.



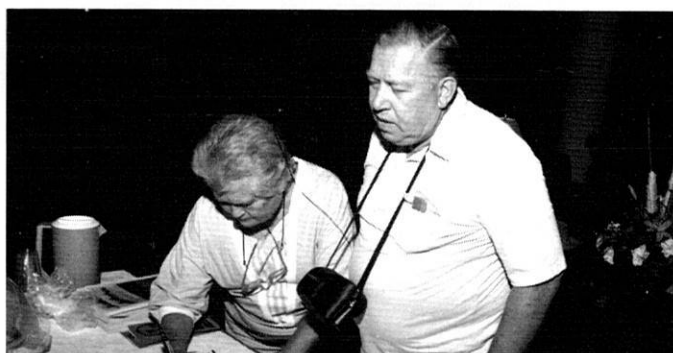
Registration table was a busy place. Jim and Eileen Alwood have just checked in. "Cog" and John Reading ready to help registrants.



Dick Kuklick, Newman Reichman, Bob Cloer and Gordon Tull look like they're having a good time.



Joe and Ruby Terebessey and John and Helen Andrachek hold still for a picture.



Roger and Vesta Matzdorff checking in.



Jack and Miriam Hodges and Casper Riste give us radiant smiles.



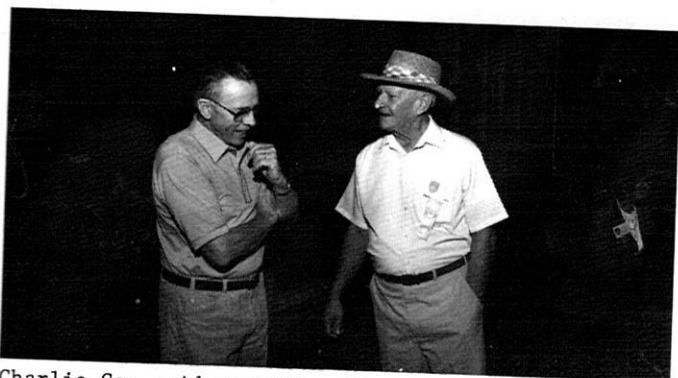
A happy group. Sandy Friedman, Eileen and Jim Alwood and Irv and Sternoff.



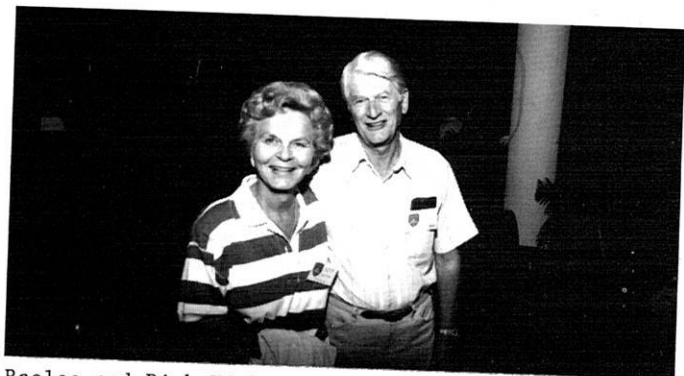
Bernie and Dee Pleasant with Norm Greene.



"Cog", Mildred and Joe Hardin and Allen and Ruth Saunders had a lot of visiting to do.



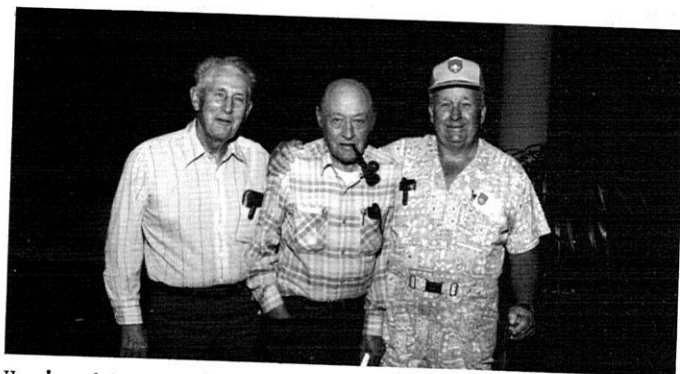
Charlie Cox said something that caused Jim Alwood to think about it.



Raelee and Dick Kithcart.



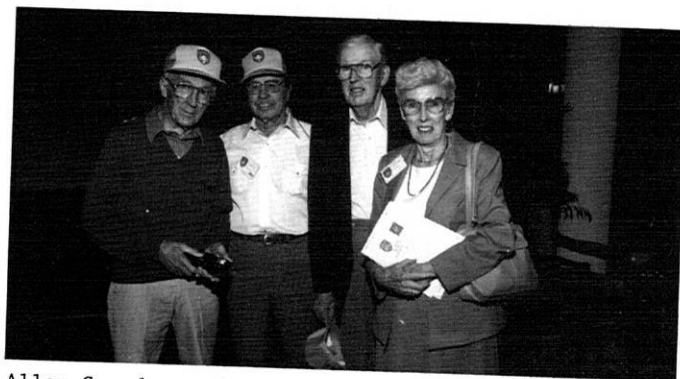
Marty and Shirley Dean enjoyed the reunion.



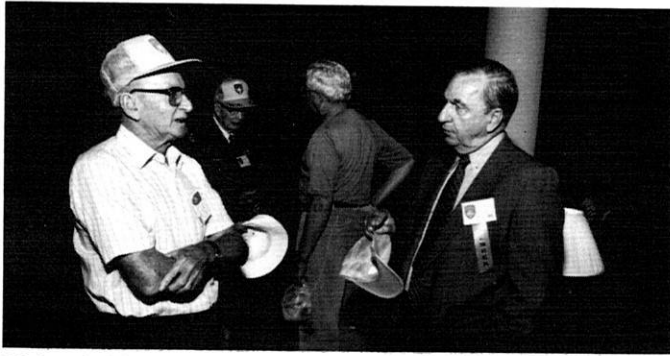
How's this for a trio? Bob Barker, Jake Wilson and "Cog" smiled for the camera.



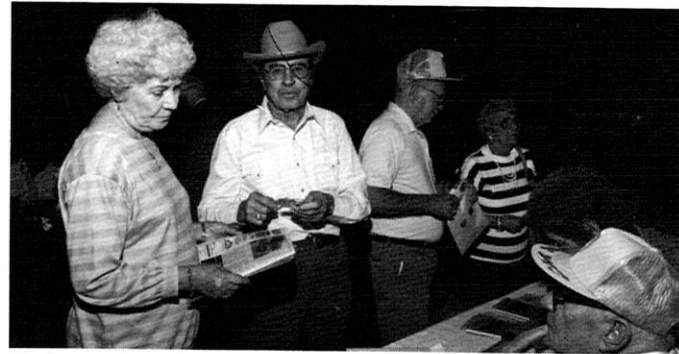
Barbara and Ed Papp thought the San Antonio reunion was absolutely great.



Allen Saunders, Jasper Hunt and Ebbly and Allan Speer.



Richard Adams and Bill Brinson in deep conversation.



Viola and Jasper Hunt registering. That's Ray and Inez Baker in the background.



Charles and Betty Terhune step up to the registration table. Suzanne Davis at right.



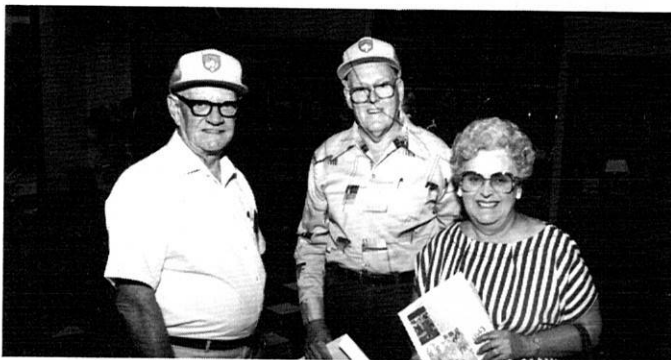
Allan and Ebby Speer with Barbara Papp.



Whatever was said, Bill Brinson seems to be enjoying it. Gordon Tull is thinking it over.



The Guskys---Joe and Margaret always seem to enjoy every reunion they attend. It's always good to see them having so much fun.



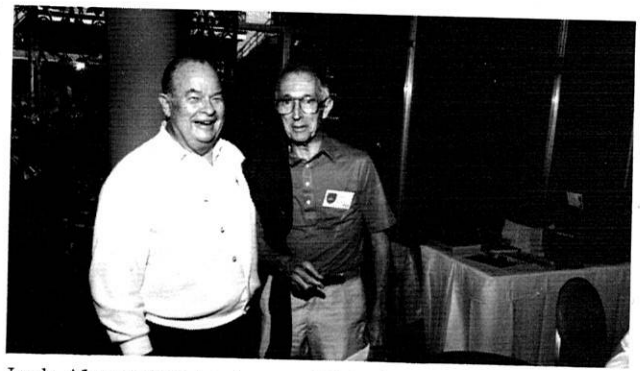
Charlie Cox and Ray and Marie McManus.



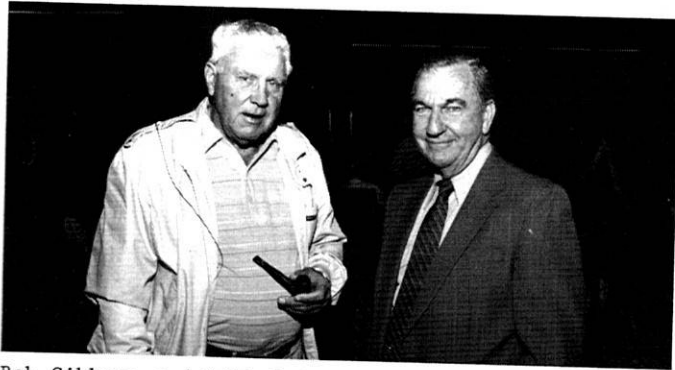
Bob and Gertrude Schwarz look happy.



Ray and Lucy Bauman registering on Thursday.



Jack Alexander looks as if he's just heard a funny story. Maybe Allen Saunders told it?

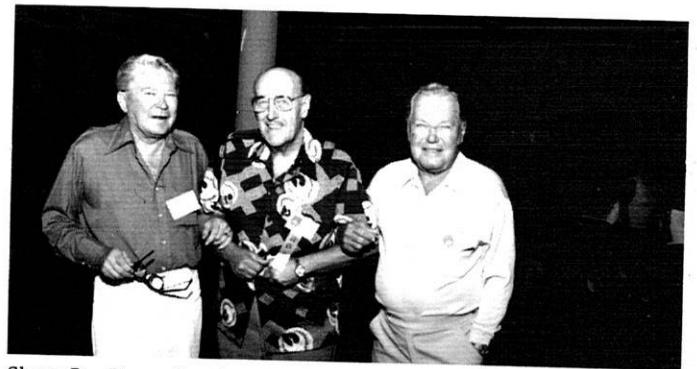


Bob Gibbons and Bill Brinson---a distinguished pair if we ever saw one.

The Menger lobby fairly hummed with conversation and it was a real delight to see and greet old friends and their ladies. Twenty-five 315th men attended their first reunion in San Antonio, a new record. We hope they will all join us at the next reunion in Norfolk, Virginia.



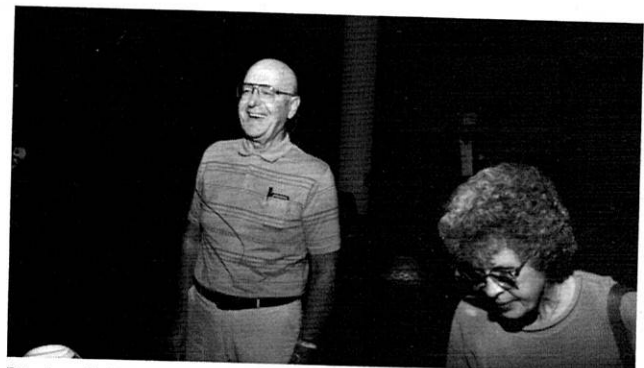
Bob and Margaret Hogg pause to let us take their picture in the hotel lobby.



Shaw D. Ray, Gordon Tull and Bernie Pleasant



Betty Alexander and Ruth Saunders got in a lot of visiting during the reunion.



Richard Mudge enjoying something he just heard. Eileen Alwood it right.



Ed and Lucille Fulmer, Bob Cloer and Louise and Russell Smith smile for the cameraman.



George and Peggy Hoffman are ready for a great reunion.



Bob Cloer waited a long time for the pleasure of shaking hands with Ed Fulmer who was attending his very first reunion.



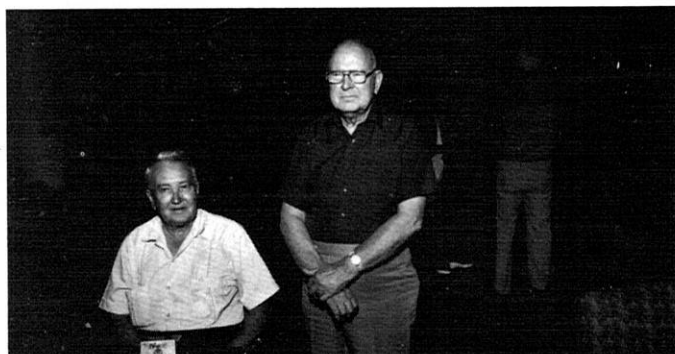
Jack and Sumiko Mancinelli and Julius and Joan Petersen seemed to be having a great time.



Jack Hodges with LaVon and George Doll. Having his arm in a cast didn't slow George down a bit.



Double-decker bus transportation to the airfields was a highlight of the reunion.



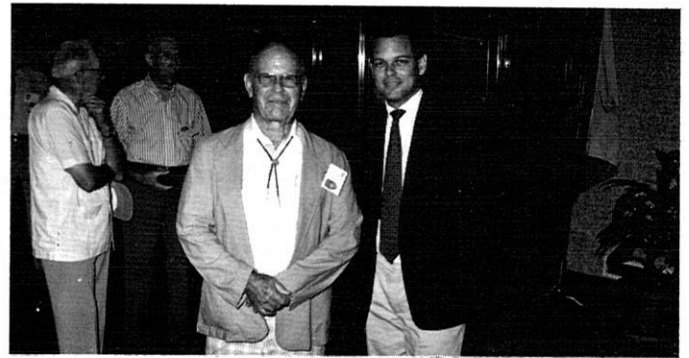
Two old buddies made their first reunion at San Antonio: Butch Lorange and Wendell Russell.



We caught pictures of the passengers before the bus pulled out of the square in front of the Menger Hotel.



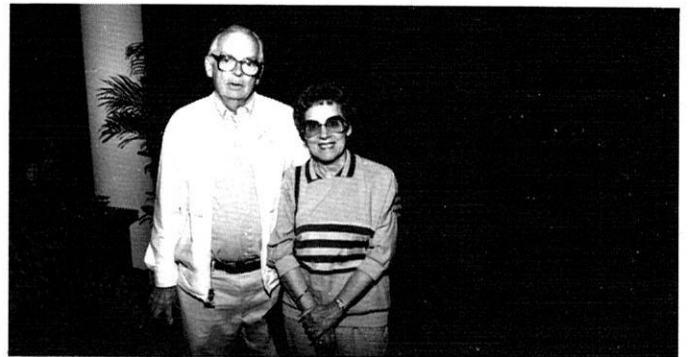
They look happy don't they?



Joel Crouch and his son smile for the camera.



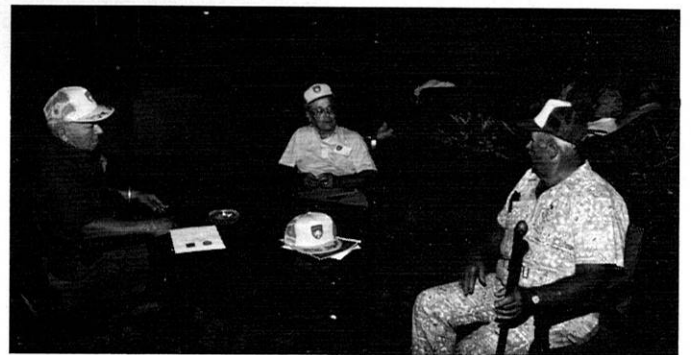
Gene and Jackie Allen stop for a picture.



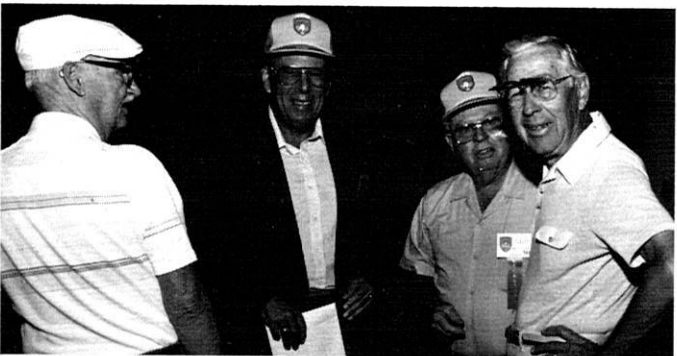
Andrew and Judy McNamara.



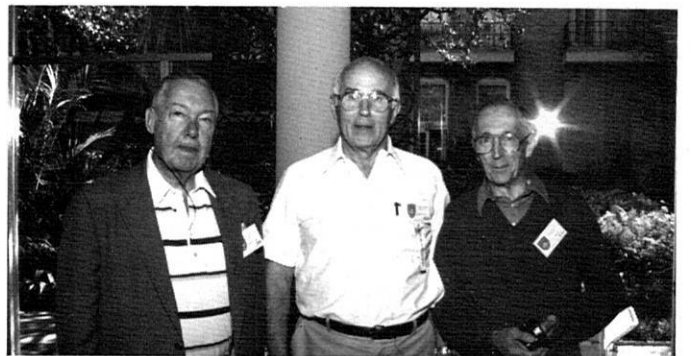
Shelagh and Ernie Tobin with Joe Gusky.



John Andrachek, Joe Terebessey and "Cog" visiting in the hotel lobby.



Ray Baker, Dick Kuklick, Bob Cloer and Bill Perkins stop talking long enough for us to get their picture.



Bob Crone, Ed Papp and Allen Saunders.

DIRECTORS MEETING FRIDAY AFTERNOON

As mentioned earlier, Directors of the WWII 315th TCG Association met on Friday for their biennial meeting. One matter, not mentioned earlier in this book, was a decision taken after unanimous approval of Association officers and directors was obtained to proceed with procurement of a bronze plaque honoring 315th men who lost their lives in action during WWII. The plaque will be placed on a soon-to-be built memorial wall at the Air Force Academy cemetery. Leonard Thomas will head the committee in charge of the project and President Bernie Pleasant and Ed Papp will assist. Further news, as it develops, will be supplied in our NEWSLETTER.



SATURDAY MORNING BUSINESS MEETING

Our Business Meetings are always productive and entertaining affairs and the 1988 meeting was no exception. The meetings are valuable forums at which anyone can express himself on any subject and get the attention of the entire audience.

One of the serious matters considered by the membership was the site of our 1990 Reunion. As indicated in the report of the Directors' meeting held on Friday, Portland, Maine was recommended by the Directors and accepted by the membership on Saturday. A week or so after the reunion, it was learned that no hotel was available at the time we wished to meet, plus the room rates quoted were more than we wished to pay. This left us with two possible sites: Norfolk, Virginia and Albuquerque, New Mexico. After a telephone survey of all officers and directors was conducted by President Bernie Pleasant, the majority voted to have the reunion in Norfolk. Thanks should be offered to Harry Black who lives in Albuquerque and who volunteered to head a reunion committee should Albuquerque be chosen. Maybe 1992 Harry!

THE HOSPITALITY ROOM WAS A POPULAR MEETING PLACE

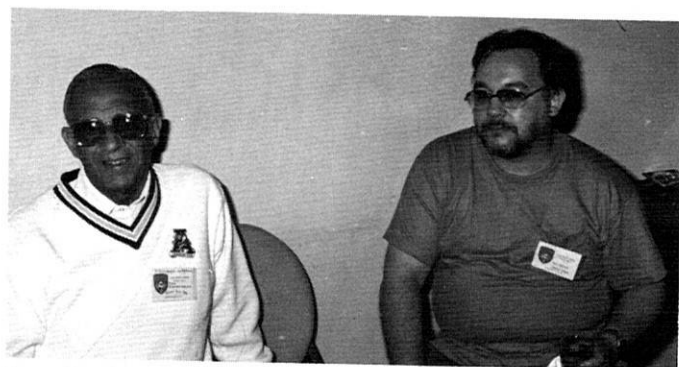
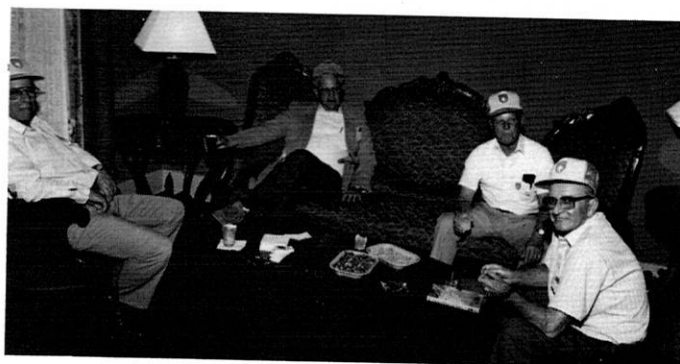
The Reunion committee arranged to have a pair of rooms set aside for our use as a general gathering place during the days and into the evening when no planned activity was taking place. In one room, a bar was set up and a variety of liquid refreshment was dispensed to all reunion attendees who were thirsty. Another large room adjacent to the hospitality room was given over to showing video tapes of airborne action during the war. One tape on "Market Garden" proved to be very popular and it was run and re-run many times during the reunion. In case you didn't see it in the February, 1989 NEWSLETTER, copies of the 50 minute VHS tape can be obtained from the Silent Wings Museum, P.O. Box 775, Terrell TX 75160. Cost of the tape is \$25.00 plus a dollar or two for postage and handling.



Shaw D. Ray, Bill Conine, Ken Van Dera and Jack Olds visiting the Hospitality Room which we all enjoyed very much.



Shirley Dean and Vesta Matzdorff with Bob Crone, Norm Greene and Marty Dean in the background.



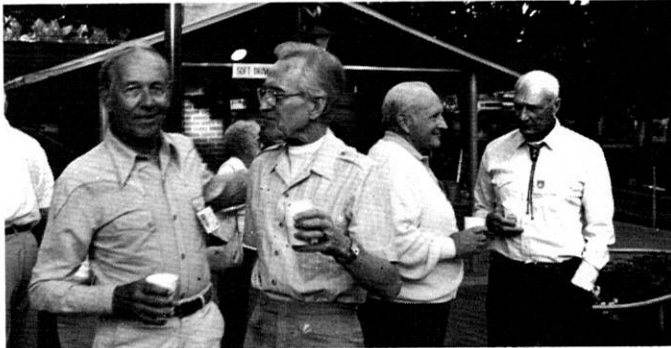
Dave Benfield and friend relax over a drink. Dave came from Britain especially to make the reunion.



Joe Terebessey and John and Helen Andrachek enjoyed the brewery visit as did all of us.

AN EVENING AT LONE STAR BREWERY

Texas weather was very kind to us because the Friday evening outing at the Lone Star Brewery was held in perfect conditions: mild, not too cool weather we really enjoyed. Though Gordon Tull and Charlie Cox didn't take credit for arranging such beautiful weather, they allowed that it was "just about right" for that time of year in San Antonio.



J.S. Smith and Ken Van Dera had a lot of catching up to do during the reunion.



Don and La Von Doll enjoyed the dance music.



Bill Brinson, Bob Crone, J.S. Smith, Ken Van Dera and Norm Greene.



Bill Conine, Richard Adams and Coggins hold still for a minute so we could get their picture.



Marty Dean looks as if he didn't believe what John McClain just told him.



Dave Benfield, Bill Brinson and John Diamanticos.

Below are pictures taken on Friday evening during our visit to the famous Lone Star Brewery. Tables were arranged around the area where we danced after dinner and they offered a convenient place for many of us to set and visit. To get our food, we stood in a line reminiscent of long-ago days in the service. The food was excellent and not a few of us went back for second helpings. Lone Star Beer---copious quantities---went just perfectly with the Texas barbecue. After we had eaten, the Texas Top Hands provided the music for dancing. About the time the buses arrived to return us to the hotel, most of us were ready for a rest.





Shirley Dean, Barbara Papp and Gwen Reading got in a little visiting during the evening.



Norm Greene looks as if he doesn't believe what Marty Dean is telling him.



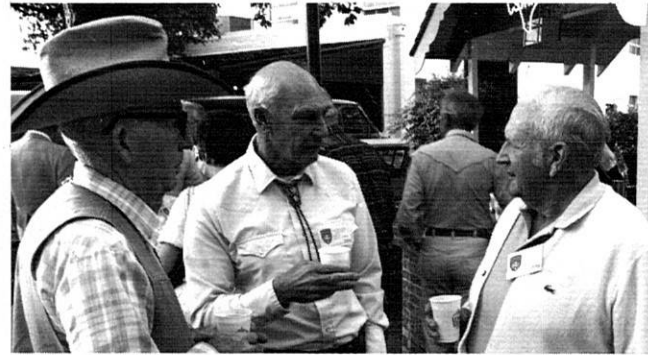
Bill Conine, J.S. Smith and John McClain.



Gordon Tull---the impresario who arranged the brewery visit we all enjoyed. Great work, Gordon!



Now, here's a pair that's having fun: Dick Adams and Bernie Pleasant.



Joe Hardin, Ziggy Zartman and Jim Drumme enjoying some Lone Star beer and conversation.



Bill S. Perkins, Jr., Shaw D. Ray and Jim Alwood are looking mighty happy.



Jake Wilson, glacier pilot, pipe smoker and author of a most interesting book about his experiences flying in Alaska.



Shirley Dean chats with Gwen Reading while Bob Davis visits with Barbara Papp.



George Doll did a little vocalizing with the band during the dancing.

SATURDAY EVENING COCKTAIL HOUR

Pictures on this and following pages were taken during the cocktail hour preceding the Saturday evening dinner. We hope we have correctly identified the people in the pictures. If not, please forgive us.



Gil and Joyce Daney are a handsome couple.



J.S. Smith, Dee Pleasant and Joe Hardin.



Margaret and Robert Hogg, Paul Tidwell and Glen and Della Ulrich.



Vesta and Roger Matzdorff and John Andrews.



Marty and Shirley Dean, Bob Crone, Bob Greite and Norm Greene.



Ray and Marie McManus and Lloyd and Geraldine Talich.



Bill Brinson, John McClain, Russell Smith and W.L. Johnson.



Here's a happy group enjoying the pre-dinner cocktail hour.



Joel and Jeannette Crouch.



Another of the handsome/beautiful groups at the cocktail party.



What a good-looking bunch of people!



Don McBride, Randy Daugherty, Wm.M. Perkins, Newman Riechman, Helen and Bob Barnes and Jeme McBride.



Sumiko and Jack Mancinelli with Ira Lazarus.



Melba and Ed Lorraine, Casper and Carrie Riste and Wendell and Jessie Russell.



Kayoko and Bill Conine, Cal Enderlin and Bob Davis looking happy.



La Von Doll, Harriet and Richard Mudge and Jack and Miriam Hodges.



Barbara Papp, Suzanne Davis, Allen Saunders, Elizabeth Walsh and Ruth Saunders.



Nadine Riechman and Joseph and Rosemary Yuhasz.



Wilbur and Mary Ely enjoying a quiet moment.



Minnie Sternoff, Bud Pence and Irv Sternoff.



Joe Redd, "Cog" and George Hoffman.



Eileen and Jim Alwood, Raelee and Dick Kithcart.

Following the cocktail hour, we moved into the hotel ballroom where we enjoyed a fine dinner. A choice of entrees with all the accompaniments made it a memorable meal. Pictures of each dinner table group are on the next and following pages.



Jessie and Ira Lazarus, Alice and Bill Braun, Joan and Julius Petersen and Sandy Friedman



Allen and Ruth Saunders, Joe and Mildred Hardin, Jack and Betty Alexander, John Andrews and Bill Brinson



Bob and Sue Davis, Bernie and Dee Pleasant, Helena and Stan Smith and Barbara Papp. (Ed took the picture)



G.T. and Doris Jones, Bernard and Bette Brown, Al and Evvy Speer, John and Helen Lyons



Jackie and Gene Allen, Stella and Bob Barker, Pat and Pete Teresi, Minnie and Irv Sternoff



Evelyn "Chappy" Kowalchuk, Joseph and Rosemary Yuhasz, Anne "Queenie" Altemose, John and Helen Andrachek, Joe and Ruby Terebessy



Jeme and Don McBride, Jewel and William Bruce, Ken Van Dera, Randy Daugherty and Nadine and "Arky" Reichman



Ray and Ilse Schwartz, Charles and Betty Terhune, Art and Eleanore Plough



Bill and Emily Schank, Ken and Esther Musshel, Ted and Tina Chose, Bill and Billye Redd



Viola and Jasper Hunt, Jack and Sue Mancinelli, Wilbur and Mary Ely



Ernie Anderson, Harold and Esther Slack, Steve and Fay Johnson, Paul Hahn and Russell Lane



Charles and Effie Rex, Art and Peg Stone, George and Sarah Peavey, Henry and Ruth Riggers



Raelee and Kit Kithcart, Kayoko and Bill Conine, Eileen and Jim Alwood, Mildred and Dick Adams



Wm. S. and Zelma Perkins, Betty and Dick Kucklick, Shaw D and Lil Ray, Bill Perkins and Bob Greite



Esther and Dick Ford, Wes and Millie Englund, M.A. and Eva Baroody, Jack and Miriam Hodges



Alva and Martha Biggs, Grant and Florence McNally, Peggy and George Hoffman, Joyce and Gil Daney



Dan and Trudi Foster, Bill and Nan Cavers.
Ed and Melba Lorraine and Wendell and
Jessie Russell



Mary Ann and "Bud" Pence, Vesta and
Roger Matzdorff, Art and Jean Ertel and
Ralph and Betty Morgan



Bill Katt, Shelagh and Ernest Tobin,
Richard Bauschelt, Ray and Lucy Bauman



Louise and Russell Smith, Lucille and
Ed Fulmer, Joel and Jeannette Crouch,
Ray and Marie McManus



Jim and Anne Drummey, R.W. Baysinger and
"Ziggy" Zartman



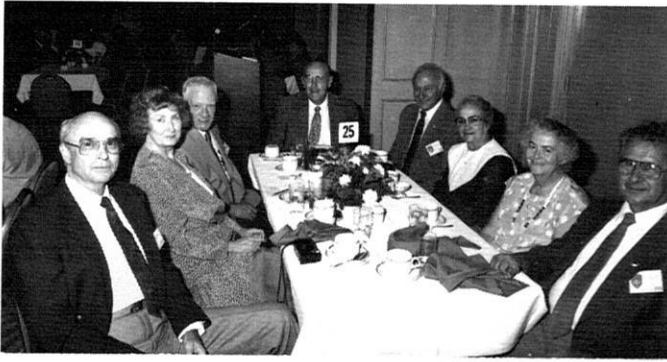
Patsy Dubel, John Saunders, Margaret and
"Spence" Hogg, Cal Enderlin, Jack B. Olds,
Frank Klucsarits and Bob Cloer



Len and Eleanor Zurakov and Elinore
Pollock



Andy and Judy McNamara, La Von and
George Doll, Harriet and Richard Mudge



Paul and Pat Tidwell, Charles Cox, Gordon Tull, Don and Angee Doll, Della and Glen Ulrich



Harry Berenfeld, Pat and W.L. Johnson, Ken and Grace Ehlenbach, Al Manemann, Leonard Rothstein, Russell Hayford



John and Geneva McClain, Robert and Helen Barnes, Geraldine and Lloyd Talich, Joe and Margaret Gusky



John and Gwen Reading, Robert and Gertrude Schwarz, Ben and Anne Reynolds and William and Lib Walsh



Casper and Carrie Riste, Inez and Ray Baker, Dave Benfield, Harry and Joan Black, John Diamantakos



Marty and Shirley Dean, Norm Greene, Bernard Coggins, Julius Kufka, Bob Crone and Judy and Frank Kennedy

LATEST NEWS ON NORFOLK, VIRGINIA REUNION IN 1990

DATE: September 27, 28, 29 (Thursday, Friday, Saturday)

HOTEL: Omni International Hotel/Norfolk

ROOM RATE: Single or Double: \$65.00 plus 8.5% city/state tax

Bob Cloer has volunteered to organize the 1990 Reunion in Norfolk and has supplied the above information. The hotel has agreed to offer the rate given above, so we can count on it. Bob reports that convenient, covered and secured automobile self-parking is available in a garage located adjacent to the hotel. The current charge (March, 1989) for self-parking is quoted at \$3.00 per car per day. As additional information about the Omni International Hotel/Norfolk and Reunion plans become available, we will pass it along in the NEWSLETTER.



310th SQUADRON Front row: Guthrie, Gusky, Hahn, Ford, Ulrich, Plough, Slack
 Second row: Tobin, Hardin, Anderson, Lane, Hunt, Terhune, Stewart
 Third row: Baroody, McNally, Kennedy, Tidwell, Ely, Daney
 Fourth row: Hogg, McNamara, Crone, Biggs, Greene, Englund, Zartman



43rd SQUADRON Front row: Davis, Redd, Chase, Andrews, Dean, Alexander, Lorange
 Second row: Kufta, Matzdorff, Saunders, Petersen, Johnson,
 Hayford, Berenfeld, Papp
 Third row: Fulmer, Speer, Hodges, Lyons, Schwarz, Coggins, Reynolds
 Fourth row: Smith, Russell, Rothstein, Reading
 Back row: Walsh, Hoffman, Manemann, Brown



34th SQUADRON: Front row: Perkins, W.M., Cloer, Bauman, Schank, Pleasant, Schwartz, Ertel, Terebessy
 Second row: Jones, Kuklick, Perkins W.S.Jr., McBride, Bruce, Cox, Klucsarits, Doll, Ehlenbach
 Third row: Ray, Conine, Smith, Tull, Van Dera, Riechman, Foster, Alexander, McClain
 Fourth row: Alwood, Pence, Mussel, Crone, Kithcart, Andrachek, Rex, Peavey
 Back row: Morgan, Adams, Brinson, Talich, McManus, Stone, Riggers



309th SQUADRON: Dean, Johnson, Teresi, Barker, Sternoff, Zurakov, Mancinelli
 Back row: Black, Braun, Riste, Petersen, Allen, Enderlin, Baker, Andrews, Reading, Katt, Wilson



HEADQUARTERS: Anne Altemose, Robert Barnes, Evelyn Kowalchuk, Richard Mudge,
Bob Crone, Don Doll, Bill Brinson

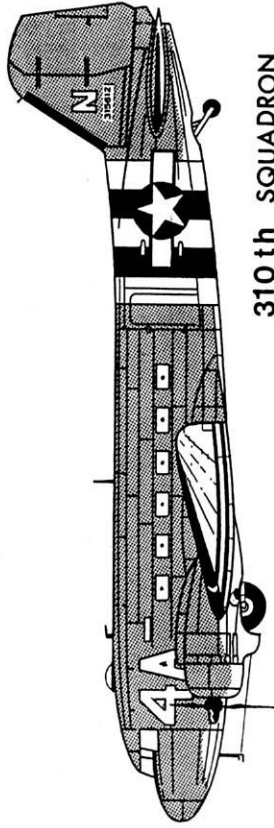
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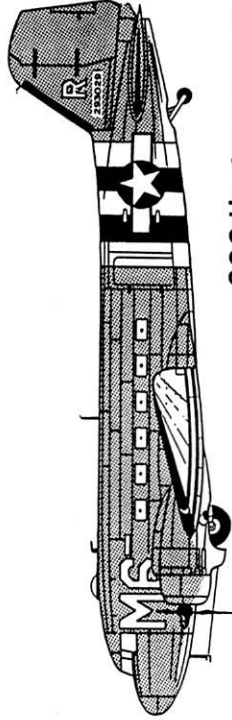
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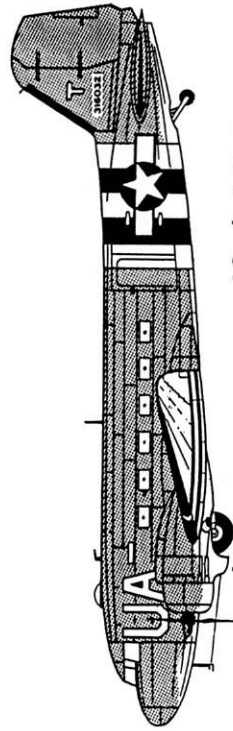
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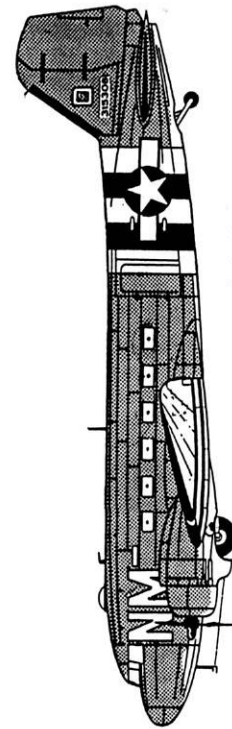
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CENTRAL EUROPE

9th TROOP CARRIER COMMAND



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