

HEADQUARTERS 40TH BOMB GROUP
March Field, Riverside, California.

GENERAL ORDERS)
NUMBER 2)

14 February 1946

1. The undersigned hereby assumes command of the 40th Bomb Grp during the temporary absence of COL WILLIAM K. SKARR, O-21091.

Oscar R. SchAAF
OSCAR R. SCHAAF
Lt. Col. Air Corps
Commanding

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HEADQUARTERS 40TH BOMB GROUP
March Field, Riverside, California.

SPECIAL ORDERS)

7 February 1946

NUMBER 11)

1. So much of par 4 SO 10 as reads "Capt BOLLENEAU, DONALD A. O 662 775" is amended to read "CAPT BOULINEAU, DONALD H. O 682 778."

2. Par 3 SO 10, 6 February 46, is amended to DELETE the fol EM:

Sgt 612 Stelma, Gerald 420 386 31.

3. The fol named EM, 40th Bomb Gp, will proceed on DS to Regular Army Officers Screening Center, Ft. MacArthur, San Pedro, Calif., rptg thereat prior to 13 hours, dates indicated, for the purpose of undergoing examinations for determining eligibility for a commission in the Regular Army in compliance with provisions of WD Cir 392, 1945 and upon completion of this DS will return to his proper station. Auth VOOO 58th Bomb Wing.

M Sgt Bunch, Marion D. 6 579 447 1300 13 Feb 46

The TO will furnish the necessary T.
TFA ZON 601-34 F 432-02 A 212160125 s 99 999.
Auth: Ltr. ASF, NSC Ft. Mac Arthur, San Pedro, California.
Sub: Examination for Commission in Regular Army.

4. VOOO authorizing following named EM to ration seperately, effective dates as indicated, is hereby confirmed:

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|--------------------|---------|-------------|-----------|
| Eanson, Gordon F. | T Sgt | 6 577 801 | 24 Jan 46 |
| Brouillet, Paul V. | M Sgt | 6 803 688 | 2 Feb 46 |
| Hilbert, Edward F. | M Sgt | 6 698 139 | 29 Jan 46 |
| Yates, Sylvan E. | S Sgt | 6 797 676 | 31 Jan 46 |
| Bersch, Edward J. | M Sgt | 6 878 970 | 4 Feb 46 |
| Rebel, Robert G. | M Sgt | 6 142 022 | 28 Jan 46 |
| Zuber, Paul M. | 1ST Sgt | 2 075 736.6 | 29 Jan 46 |

5. The fol EM are trfd in gr fr Nos 40th Bomb Gp to 25th Bomb Sq; No tvl involved. EDCMR 7 Feb 46,

M Sgt 750 Velasquez, Tony J. 150 153 66 T Sgt 750 Baum, Dale W. 391 663 74

6. CAPT STAPLES, GEORGE M., O 431 803, is wld fr asgmt 25th Bomb Sq and trfd to 44th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved, EDCMR 6 Feb 46.

7. CAPT DECESARE, ANACLETUS F. O 431 803, is appointed Gp Recruiting O., vice 1ST LT MILLER, ALVIN V. O 651 122, relieved.

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8. The fol named EM, having reported to this Hqs per SO 36 Par 30, Hq March Fld, Calif, 5 Feb 46, are trfd in gr 44th Bomb Sq, and will report to the CO for further assignment. No tvl involved. EDCMR 7 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

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| M Sgt 542 Roland, James P. | 6 489 584 | M Sgt 750 Brouillet, Paul V. | 6 803 688 |
| M Sgt 750 Purchell, William D. | 6 966 488 | M Sgt 750 Chassoit, Carsten | 6 571 111 |
| M Sgt 925 Cheney, Clyde R. | 1 508 4504 | M Sgt 770 Crow, David W. | 35 158 908 |
| M Sgt 750 Davidson, Elzia | 6 447 453 | M Sgt 750 Kertrick, Charles J. | R 214 916 |
| M Sgt 750 Jack, David L. | 6 228 4072 | M Sgt 750 Kirkham, Marshal M. | 6 353 803 |
| M Sgt 911 Limbean, Isidor | 6 026 052 | M Sgt 747 Melberg, Elroy A. | 6 298 011 |
| M Sgt 750 Koller, Robert R. | 6 571 884 | M Sgt 750 Ray, Gene C. | 6 570 723 |
| M Sgt 750 Smith, Everett M. | 6 249 002 | M Sgt 542 Taylor, John V. | 6 047 218 |
| M Sgt 750 Wood, Homer L. | 6 223 012 | M Sgt 757 Cooper, Charles V. | 6 546 020 |
| T Sgt 750 Hanson, Gordon F. | 6 577 801 | T Sgt 750 Higginson, Thomas E. | 6 581 055 |
| T Sgt 612 Langyel, Peter | 6 633 009 | T Sgt 542 McGraugh, Frank J. | 6 914 147 |
| S Sgt 611 Clayton, Millie M. | 18 078 148 | S Sgt 612 Crist, Edward A. | 35 575 807 |
| S Sgt 612 Eiler, Henry J. | 6 287 369 | S Sgt 747 Howard, Sebastian G. | 6 259 326 |
| S Sgt 757 Yates, Sylvan E. | 6 797 676 | Cpl 311 Gregson, James E Jr. | 19 078 685 |
| Pfc 060 Dunn, D. D. | 39 214 270 | Pfc 060 Neilly, Charles E Jr. | 39 727 040 |
| Pvt 745 Daugherty, Jack R. | 14 323 821 | Pvt 541 Preston, William E. | 46 056 413 |
| M Sgt 757 Rebel, Robert G. | 6 142 022 | | |

9. The fol named EM, having reported to this Hqs per SO 36 Par 38, Hq March Fld, Calif, 5 Feb 46, are trfd in gr to 44th Bomb Sq, and will report to the CO for further assignment. No tvl involved. EDCMR 7 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

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| M Sgt 509 Bergh, Edward J. | 6 878 970 | M Sgt 756 Cullen, Carl J. | 36 222 594 |
| M Sgt 770 Lindsay, Elro C. | 19 115 799 | M Sgt 911 Soogoff, Walter | 6 255 612 |
| T Sgt 750 Babington, James M. | 6 981 023 | T Sgt 2756 Timstein, Morton | 6 910 342 |
| T Sgt 684 Eaters, Charles E. | 17 027 163 | T Sgt 737 Warren, Ernest S. | 18 019 315 |
| S Sgt 1685 Garner, James E. | 19 055 045 | Sgt 757 Snow, Harvey L. | 17088 852 |
| Pfc 685 Lariden, Cyril J. | 36 834 235 | Cpl 055 Sec, Fawshen G. | 6 298 086 |

10. CAPT BOULINEAU, DONALD H. O 682 778 is appointed Gp Stat Control O.

11. 1LT COL JOSEPH D. WHITE, O 398 590, AG, having been assigned this Hqs per letter orders, Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, is asgd 45th Bomb Sq. EDCMR 6 Feb 46.

12. So much of par 5 SO 10, 6 Feb 46, as reads "MAJOR RILEY, LEWIS R., AG, O 407 092, is hereby aptd Unit Ground Safety O, in add to his other duties" is amended to read "MAJOR RILEY, LEWIS R., AG, O 407 092, is hereby aptd with primary duty as Unit Aircraft Accident Prevention O, and add dty as Unit Ground Safety Officer."

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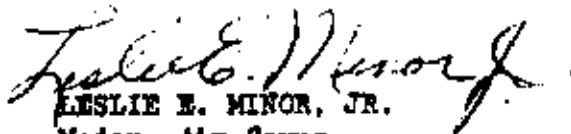
13. The fol named O, 40th Bomb Gp, are assigned additional duties as indicated:

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| 2ND LT CANNON, ROBERT T. JR., | O 746 215 | Asst Gp Ord O. |
| 1ST LT EBERSOLE, KENNETH E. | O 128 871 | Asst Gp Arm & Ord O. |
| 1ST LT BARNES, WM. C. | O 668 882 | Asst Gp Arm & Ord O. |
| 1ST LT PARADIS, JAMES L. | O 751 027 | Asst Gp Personnel O. |
| CAPT ADAMSON, NORMAN W. | O 731 915 | Gp Historian |
| CAPT ALMY, DONALD C. | O 571 597 | Gp Historian and Asst Intelligence O. |
| 1ST LT DAHLIN, DONALD C. | O 746 565 | Decorations & Awards Committee |
| 1ST LT JOHNSON, LAWRENCE M. | O 743 655 | Decorations & Awards Committee |
| 2ND LT SMART, BILLIE E. | O 787 558 | Decorations & Awards Committee |
| 1ST LT MASON, JOHN T. | O 673 608 | Asst Gp Stat O. |
| 1ST LT MILLER, ALWIN V. | O 651 122 | Asst Gp Stat O. |

BY ORDER OF COLONEL SKAFF:

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March Field, Riverside, California

SPECIAL ORDERS)

8 February 1946

NUMBER 12)

1. The fol EM, (WM), ARE TRFD in gr fm Hqs 40th Bomb Gp to 44th Bomb Sqn.
No tvl involved. EDCMR 8 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

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|----------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------|------------|
| M Sgt 750 Avey, Ralph E. | 13 021 459 | M Sgt 750 Cicle, Edward R. | 6 581 253 |
| S Sgt 748 Wiedewer, Herman F. | 38 471 765 | M Sgt 750 Nealy, Woodrow L. | 6 392 501 |
| M Sgt 750 Shaddick, Frederick E. | 7021579 | M Sgt 750 Thill, Raymond L. | 20 942 435 |
| T Sgt 750 Buzen, John E. | 8 830 224 | S Sgt 750 VanAntwerp, Harris J. | 16013474 |
| M Sgt 2750 Greening, Glenn F. | 6 581 105 | S Sgt 611 Kingland, James D. | 16 024 924 |
| O Sgt 683 Terry, Dal W. | 16 041 888 | | |

2. The fol EM, (WM), are trfd in gr fm Hqs 40th Bomb Gp to 45th Bomb Sqn.
No tvl involved. EDCMR 8 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

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| M Sgt 750 Keyser, Nelson E. | 6 878 964 | M Sgt 750 Randolph, Edward A. | 6 672 809 |
| T Sgt 750 Harkey, Jack V. | 6 953 556 | T Sgt 750 Sperber, Milton M. | 6 903 271 |
| S Sgt 750 Roussele, Leo P. | 6 143 465 | M Sgt 911 Creighton, Charles V. | 6 901 792 |
| T Sgt 750 Phaup, Leon W. | 6 295 950 | M Sgt 770 Bunch, Marion D. | 6 579 447 |
| M Sgt 757 Covey, Russell D. | 19 011 214 | M Sgt 542 Cunningham, George P. | 6 426 486 |
| T Sgt 2750 Anderson, Bill G. | 10 032 66 | S Sgt 612 Carpenter, Robert L. | 6 296 513 |

3. The fol named EM, (WM), having reported to this Hqs per SO 37 par 2,
Hq March Fld, Calif, 6 Feb 46, are trfd in gr to Sqs indicated. No tvl
involved. EDCMR 8 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

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| M Sgt 750 Ellison, Noble G. | 6 984 265 | M Sgt 750 Hilbert, Edward F. | 6 698 139 |
| M Sgt 750 Kramer, Bernard G. | 6 915 598 | M Sgt 750 McCann, Francis L. | 6 818 731 |
| T Sgt 750 Knell, Verden L. | 6 899 612 | S Sgt 750 Alexander, Lewis O. | 19 038 358 |
| M Sgt 750 Fenton, Louis G. | 19 016 964 | M Sgt 750 Jackson, Herbert L. | 6 850 148 |
| M Sgt 750 Lavchuck, Peter | 6 885 548 | M Sgt 770 Sneed, William E. | 18 046 200 |
| T Sgt 750 Noonan, Edwin M. | 6 569 954 | | |

44th BOMB SQUADRON

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| M Sgt 737 Sullivan, John P. | 6 687 387 | S Sgt 747 Roney, William R. Jr. | 12054201 |
| Sgt 611 Gastongnay, James A. | 17084514 | Cpl 611 Gruzen, Harry S. | 31 463 60 |
| 1 Sgt 502 Zuber, Paul M. | 20 757 366 | T Sgt 746 Draffin, Luke L. | 20 448 118 |
| S Sgt 612 Bergman, Kenneth J. | 6 832 825 | S Sgt 747 Walker, Dale W. | 6 629 60 |
| Cpl 611 Follansbee, Raymond A. | 4-31432036 | Cpl 611 Wright, James A. | 39 927 056 |

4. Having reported to this Hqs per SO 37 Par 3, Hq March Fld Calif, 6 Feb
46, Pfc 612 DeMartino, John Sal. 42 103 868, (WM) is trfd in gr 45th Bomb Sq.
No tvl involved. EDCMR 8 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

5. Having reported to this Hqs per SO 37 Par 14, Hq March Fld Calif, 6 Feb
46, Pvt 060 McMurdy, Dorrance E. 6 539 585, (WM) is trfd in gr 25th Bomb Sq.
No tvl involved. EDCMR 8 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

6. The fol named EM. (WM), having reported to this Hqs per SO 37 Par 28, Hq March Fld, Calif, 6 Feb 46, are trfd in gr to Sqc ind. No tvl involved. EDCMR 8 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

44th BOMB SQUADRON

T Sgt 612 Leonard, Davis B. 191 476 88

45th BOMB SQUADRON

Pfc 911 Harmon, Richard M. 190 103 47

7. Having reported to this Hqs per SO 31 Par 19, Ft MacArthur, Calif, 6 Feb 46, T Sgt Haskins, Elvey J. 6 296 898, (WM), is trfd in gr 44th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 8 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

8. Having reported to this Hqs per SO 10, par 2, Office of the Commanding General, March Fld, Calif., 6 Feb 46, M Sgt 750 Henderson, Buford M. 6 272 535, (WM), is trfd in gr 45th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 8 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

9. Having reported to this Hqs per SO 33 Par 6, Hq March Fld Calif., 6 Feb 46, M Sgt 824 Wilson, Earl 6 706 780, is trfd in gr 45th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 8 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

10. Having reported to this Hqs per SO 38 Par 6, Hq March Fld Calif., 6 Feb 46, T Sgt 612 Chesney, Michael 6 715 001 (WM), is trfd in gr 44th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 8 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

11. The fol named EM. (WM), having reported to this Hqs per SO 38 Par 7, Hq March Fld, Calif, 7 Feb 46, are trfd in gr to Sqcnd indicated. No tvl involved. EDCMR 8 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

45th Bomb Squadron

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| M Sgt 750 Barker, Johnnie W. | 6 569 960 | M Sgt 750 Bauch, Thomas H. | 6 265 004 |
| M Sgt 750 Barley, Joseph E. | 6 753 551 | M Sgt 750 Borden, Bernard B. | 6752202 |
| M Sgt 750 Jones, Otis | 6 357 656 | Cpl 911 Odom, Thomas G. | 6380702 |
| M Sgt 826 Ross, James | 6 630 320 | | |

44th BOMB SQUADRON

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| T Sgt 748 Yingst, Luther G. | 13 092 200 | Sgt 612 Gorman, John T | 1813407 |
| Cpl 580 Brackenbrough, Gerald E. | 19202345 | | |
| S Sgt 2756 Cleavelin, William H. | 16070300 | Sgt 748 Smith, John J. | 35915574 |

12. Paragraph 2 SO 10 as this Hqs is hereby revoked

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SPECIAL ORDERS)

12 February 1946

NUMBER 14)

1. S Sgt (12 Schlechty, Everett E., (M)), is trfd in grade fr Hq 40th Bomb Gp to 25th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 12 Feb 46, AUTH: AR 615-200.
2. Lv of absence for nineteen (19) days, effective o/a 12 Feb 46, is granted 1ST LT BILLINGSLEY, FRED E. O 746 790, AC, Leave address: 259 East Condit St., Decatur, Illinois.
3. So much of par 7 SO 11, cs, this Hq as reads "CAPT DECESARE, ANACLETHE P., O 431 803," is amended to read "CAPT DecESARE, ANACLETHE P., O 660 972."
4. So much of par 13, SO 11, cs, this Hq as reads "1ST LT BARNES, WM. O. O 668 882 Asst Gp Arm & Ord O." is amended to read "1ST LT BARNES, WILLIAM O. O 668 882 Gp Ord O."
5. CAPT DecESARE, ANACLETHE P., O 660 972, is appointed Gp I and E O, in add to his other duties.
6. The fol O are trfd fr the 40th Bomb Gp to Sq as indicated. No tvl involved. EDCMR 12 Feb 46.

25TH BOMB SQUADRON

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| 1ST LT 1093 FARRIS, RANDALL L. O 515 823 | 1ST LT 1091 ALDRIGHT, LELAND D O 808016 |
| 1ST LT 1035 GRIFTARD, ROBERT M. O 206 5274 | 1ST LT 1035 JONAITIS, IGNATIUS J. O 734704 |
| CAPT 1093 MAXEY, ARTHUR E. Jr. O 434 133 | 1ST LT 1093 DEUTSCHENDORF, HENRY J. O 748375 |

40TH BOMB SQUADRON

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| 1ST LT 1093 FENDER, GUY D. O 738 127 | 1ST LT 1035 HAMONEY, JOSEPH P. O 782929 |
| 1ST LT 1034 MURTHA, MANUS F. Jr. O 752 536 | 1ST LT 0142 WITTERS, HARRISON J. O 2068513 |
| WO/JG 4822 JEZEK, RAYMOND F. W 213 3124 | CAPT 1036 DecESARE, ANACLETHE P. O 660972 |
| CAPT 4823 DEFENDING, FLOYD M. O 923144 | |
| 1ST LT 1034 AUFBACH, GERALD L. O 709247 | 1ST LT 1034 DUGAN, JOHN J. O 2068630 |
| MAJOR 1093 BUTTS, CLYDE I. O 407 033 | |

45TH BOMB SQUADRON

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| CAPT 1093 ARNOLD, RICHARD T. O 442 344 | CAPT 1093 COOK, EDWIN J. O 724387 |
| CAPT 1093 GREGG, CHARLES R. O 725 148 | CAPT 1093 JOHNSON, LESTER V. O 426566 |
| 1ST LT 1093 ASHCRAFT, JAMES A. O 748 143 | 1ST LT 1093 FERGUSON, JAMES F. O 748391 |
| 1ST LT 1093 KANTOR, ALBERT J. O 805 485 | 1ST LT 1093 FLAUS, WILLIAM O 738182 |
| 1ST LT 1093 LEWIS, JACK M. O 735 48 | 1ST LT 1093 NICHOLS, OWEN H. JR. O 725776 |
| 1ST LT 1093 NELSON, EUGENE A. O 737 456 | 1ST LT 1093 TERNIE, DAVID O 726469 |
| 1ST LT 0142 SCHMIDT, WILLIAM G. JR. O 206 806 5 | |

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45TH BOMB SQUADRON

1ST LT 0142 SIEVEL, ALBERT R. O 206 913 8 1ST LT 1035 SNODGRASS, WILBUR E. O 375 185
1ST LT 1093 WILSON, HOWARD S. JR. O 827 113
WO/JG 4825 CURRIE, WILSON P. W 212 637 2

7. So much of Par 13, SO 11, cs. this Hq as reads "2ND LT CANNON, ROBERT T. JR., O 764 215 Asst Gp Ord O" is amended to read "1ST LT CANNON, ROBERT T. JR., O 764 215 Asst Gp Ord O."

8. So much of Par 13, SO 11, cs. this Hq as reads "1ST LT MILLER, ALVIN V. O 651 122 Asst Gp Stat O." is amended to read "1ST LT MILLER, ALVIN V. O 651 122, Asst Gp Stat O. (Primary Dty)."

9. Sgt Claypool, Milton D., 33 421 637, is hereby reduced to gr of PRIVATE for cause, effective 12 Feb 46. AUTH: Par 15, AR 615-5.

10. M Sgt Gardner, Dudley O., 14 053 971 awarded add MOS 737SSK. EM has performed the duties of 737 for 6 months.

11. Having reported to this Hq per SO 39, Par 29, 7 Feb 46, March Fld, Calif., M Sgt 750 McEown, Ralph 14 010 872, (WM), is trfd in gr 45th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 7 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

12. Sgt Kirby, Mahlon E., 6 238 128, awarded primary MOS 405, Clerk Typist SK. EM has performed the duties of 405 for 8 months.

13. Having reported to this Hq Per SO 41, Par 21, Hq March Fld, Calif., 10 Feb 46, M Sgt 747 Seeber, Maurice G., 6 825 015, (RA), (WM), is trfd in gr 44th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 12 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

14. The fol O are trfd fr Hq 40th Bomb Gp to Sq as indicated. No tvl involved. EDCMR 12 Feb 46.

343RD BOMB SQUADRON

MAJOR 2161 SIMONS, WILLIAM J. O 421 339 CAPT 1093 SWEJKAR, JOSEPH O 1699 669
1ST LT1093 FERRAT, DONALD J. O 733 972 1ST LT1093 MORRIS, KENNETH G. O 761160
1ST LT1093 SAVILLE, WESLEY T. O 809 049 1ST LT1093 WALKER, LYLE E. O 733752

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SPECIAL ORDERS)

13 February 1946

NUMBER 15)

1. WOCO authorizing the fol EM to rat sep. eff dates ind. is confirmed:
M Sgt Collins, Shelton L. 6 295 892 Effective 4 Feb 1946
M Sgt Keyser, Nelson E. 6 878 964 Effective 26 Jan 1946
2. Personnel atchd 25th Bomb Sq for dy and adm per Par 5, SO 6, cs. this Hq are hereby relieved fr such attachment.
3. So much of Par 9, SO 14, as reads "Sgt Claypool, Alton D., 33 421 637" is amended to read "Col. Claypool, Alton D., 33 421 637."
4. So much of Par 10, SO 13, cs. this Hq as reads "MAJOR 1093 EIGENMAN, JOHN C. O 420 378" and so much of Par 6, SO 14, cs. this Hq as reads "1ST LT 1093 ASHCRAFT, JAMES A. O 748 143" is amended.
5. WOCO 11 Feb 46, relieving MAJOR 1093 EIGENMAN, JOHN C. O 420 378 fr assignment to 29th Bomb Sq and assigning O to 25th Bomb Sq is confirmed.
6. WOCO 12 Feb 46, relieving 1ST LT 1093 ASHCRAFT, JAMES A. O 748 143 fr assignment to 25th Bomb Sq and assigning O to 45th Bomb Sq is confirmed.
7. So much of Par 6, SO 14, cs. this Hq as reads "1ST LT 1035 HAMONEY, JOSEPH P. O 782 929" is amended to read "1ST LT 1035 MARONEY, JOSEPH P., O 782 929."
8. Pfc Anderson, William H. having re-enlisted in the RA, 3 Dec 1945, as Pvt., is hereby promoted to the grade of STAFF SERGEANT with date of rank fr date of original appointment. AUTH: Par 10b WD-Cir 310, 1945, as amended.
9. HR this Hq per SO 14, Par 2 and 7, Hq 58th Bomb Wing, 11 Feb 46, fol EM are assigned Sq as indicated below: EDCMR 13 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

45th BOMB SQUADRON

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| M Sgt 750 Denton, Clem E. | 18 010 326 | M Sgt/Bernhar dt, Morris | 6 981 513 |
| T Sgt 750 Jones, Arthur E. | 17 015 880 | T Sgt 748 Williams, Donald N. | 19060238 |
| T Sgt 542 Teague, Donald L. | 6 398 666 | | |

44th BOMB SQUADRON

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| T Sgt 611 Riggle, William | 38 447 425 | T Sgt 2750 Green, Benny V. | 17000007 |
| S Sgt 747 McQuitty, Jack | 18 054 930 | Sgt 970 Kinney, Albert | 160e6587 |
| M Sgt 509 Bollman, William J. | 19 071 986 | S Sgt 612 Romberger, Ray C. | 13028183 |

Hq Sq 40TH BOMB GROUP

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| M Sgt 502 Taylor, Morris E. | 6 950 938 | Pfc 152 Gestner, Broady W. | 33552534 |
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10. HR this Hq per SO 14, Par 1 and 9, Hq 58th Bomb Wing, 11 Feb 46, fol 0 are assigned Sq as indicated below: EDCMR 13 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 605-145.

44TH BOMB SQUADRON

1ST LT 1028 ORILLION, ARTHUR J. JR. 0 548 363
1ST LT 1028 RENEGAR, CHARLES Z. 0 862 894

Hq 40TH BOMB GROUP

LT COL 1093 THOMPSON, JAMES H. 0 388 892

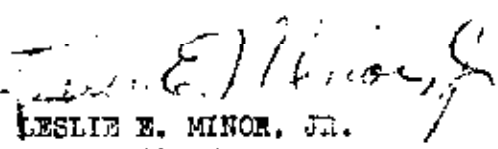
11. HR this Hq per SO 13, Par 4, Hq 58 Bomb Wing, 9 Feb 46, fol EM are assigned 44th Bomb Sq. EDCMR 11 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

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M Sgt/Negley, Howard H. 6 570 049 T Sgt 826 Bevers, Clyde 18 016 843

12. T Sgt 750 Hunter, Roy L., (WM) 18 110 322, is tr in gr fr Hq Sq 40th Bomb Gp to 45th Bomb Sq. EDCMR 14 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

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HEADQUARTERS 40TH BOMB GROUP
March Field, Riverside, California.

SPECIAL ORDER)

14 February 1946

NUMBER 16)

1. VOCC granting fol O lv as ind is confirmed:

| <u>RANK</u> | <u>NAME</u> | <u>ASN</u> | <u>ARM</u> <u>or Sev</u> | <u>DAYS LV</u> | <u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u> |
|-------------|-------------------|------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| MAJOR | WILLIAM J. SIMONS | O 421339 | AC | Twenty-one (21) | 25 Jan 46 |
| CAPT | EDWIN J. COOK | O 724387 | AC | Five (5) | 25 Jan 46 |
| 1ST LT | DONALD J. PERUY | O 733970 | AC | Ten (10) | 23 Jan 46 |

2. So much of Par 9, SO 15, as reads "M Sgt 502 Taylor, Morris E. 6 950938, Hq Sq 40th Bomb Gp." is amended to read "M Sgt 502 Taylor, Morris E. 6950938, 44th Bomb Sq."

3. So much of Par 10, SO 14, as reads "M Sgt Gardner, Dudley O. 14 053 971 awarded add MOS 737 SSK." amended to read "M Sgt Gardner, Dudley O. 14 053 971 awarded add MOS 2750."

4. Having Reported this Hq per SO 35, Par 1, 9th Sev. Command, Ft. MacArthur Calif., 11 Feb 46, T Sgt Hugh L. McGuire, 647, 6520077, (WM), is tr 44th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 13 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

5. Having Reported this Hq per SO 35 Par 5, 9th Sev Command, Ft MacArthur, Calif., 11 Feb 46, S Sgt 612 Robert M. Schrum 17086798, (WM), is tr 45th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 13 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

6. VOCC 12 Feb 46 appointing fol named EM to temp grades indicated is hereby confirmed and made a matter of record. AUTH: AR 615-5 and AAF Reg 35-45.

TO BE CORPORAL (TEMPORARY)

Pfc 611 Cecil D. Glover 19168183

TO BE SERGEANT (TEMPORARY)

Cpl 623 Robert S. Hughes 37730944

7. Having Reported this Hq per SO 36 Par 1, 9th Sev Command, Ft MacArthur, Calif., 12 Feb 46, fol named EM are assigned sq as indicated: EDCMR 14 Feb 46 AUTH: AR 615-200.

45TH BOMB SQUADRON

*M Sgt 612 Ellis L. Akin 19177429 M Sgt 750 William R. Quinzel 6580780



8. The fol NM are tr in gr fr Hq 40th Bomb Gp to 44th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 14 Feb 46.

Pvt 611 Samuel G. Erwin 44123755 M Sgt 911 Lewis H. Shaw 19016800
T Sgt 683 Charles E. Taylor 6578582

9. T Sgt 045 Jones A. Boyd 20349405, (WM), is assigned to Hq 40th Bomb Gr. No tvl involved. EDCMR 14 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL SKAER:

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HEADQUARTERS 40th BOMB GROUP
March Field, Riverside, California.

SPECIAL ORDERS)

15 February 1946

NUMBER 17)

1. Pfc 750 Alfred Erkoska, 19233543. (WM). is trfd in gr from Hq 40th Bomb Gp to 44th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 15 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.
2. Par 9, SO 16, ca, this Hq is hereby revoked.
3. Having reported this Hq Per SO 15, Par 8, Hq 58th Bomb Wing, 13 Feb 46, fol EM are asgd So as indicated. No tvl involved, EDCMR 15 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

25th BOMB SQUADRON

S Sgt 747 Gordon T. Murray 6730428 Sgt 747 Anthony J. Fernichella 13030350

44th BOMB SQUADRON

S Sgt 611 Joe E. Buckner 18019419

HQ SQUADRON

M Sgt 770 Jay G. Downs Jr. 36836252

4. The fol named O, 40th Bomb Gp, will proceed on DS to Regular Army Officers Screening Center, Ft. MacArthur, San Pedro, Calif., reporting thereat on date indicated for the purpose of undergoing examination for determining eligibility for a commission in the Regular Army in compliance with provisions of WD Cir 392, 1945 and upon completion of this DS will return to his proper station. AUTH: 58th Wing Reg 35-1.

1ST LT ALBERT R. SIEGEL O-2069138 1100 18 Feb 46

The TO will furnish the necessary T.
EPA TDM 601-34 P 432-02 A 212/60425 S99-999.
Auth: Ltr. Asf, NSC Ft. Mac Arthur, San Pedro, California.
Sub: Examination for Commission in Regular Army.

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HEADQUARTERS 40TH BOMB GROUP
March Field, Riverside, California.

SPECIAL ORDERS)

15 February 1946

NUMBER 18)

1. So much of Par 2, SO 8, cs, this Hq as reads "MAJOR SIMERAL, GEORGE A., O 436012, 40th Bomb Gp, is hereby apptd Gp Air Inspector" is amended to read "MAJOR GEORGE A SIMERAL, O 436012, on TDY this Hq is appointed Gp Air Inspector."

2. Having Reported this Hq per SO 38, Par 9, 9th Sev Command, Ft MacArthur, Calif., 14 Feb 46, M Sgt Haldor D. Hanson, 14103020, (WM), is trfd 45th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 16 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

3. Cpl 750 Lee J. Russell, 15334660, is relieved from asgmt 35th Engineer Sq, 25th sv Gp and trfd in grade to 44th Bomb Sq, 40th Bomb Group. No tvl involved. EDCMR 19 Feb 46. AUTH: 58th Wing Reg 35-1. VOCC 25th Sv Gp.

4. The fol O are rel'd from asgmt, Hq 40th Bomb Gp and asgd Sq as indicated. No tvl involved. EDCMR 19 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 605-145.

343rd BOMB SQUADRON

CAPT 1093 FRANK R. SANDER O 807059 CAPT 1093 RAYMOND J. SEALY O 665127
1ST LT 1093 DONALD E. SULLIVAN O 796449 1t COL 1093 WILLARD W. WILSON O 397621
MAJOR 1093 JACK J. POZZER O 487120

26TH BOMB SQUADRON

MAJOR 1093 GARTH F. DOYLE O 406718

5. Having reported this Hq per SO 37, Par 22, Hq March Fld, Calif., 6 Feb 46, CAPT 1034 GEORGE F. ROBERTS, O 427216, is asgd 44th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 19 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 605-145.

6. Having reported this Hq per SO 39, Par 14, Hq March Fld, Calif., 8 Feb 46, fol O are asgd Sq indicated. No tvl involved. EDCMR 9 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 605-145.

25TH BOMB SQUADRON

CAPT 1035 JOHN C. POSEY O 726072

44TH BOMB SQUADRON

1ST LT 1036 WALTER G. HAUT O 703847

143rd BOMB SQUADRON

CAPT 1093 LUTHER H. BURNETT O 734068

HQ SQ 40TH BOMB GROUP

CAPT 4823 JOHN M. GECKELER

O 514212

7. WOGO Authorizing fol EM to ration separately, effective dates as indicated, is hereby confirmed:

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|---------|--------------|-------|----------|-----------|
| Furgess | G. Cantrell | T Sgt | 6948240 | 15 Feb 46 |
| Holder | D. Hanson | M Sgt | 14103020 | 6 Feb 46 |
| Robert | L. Carpenter | S Sgt | 6296513 | 28 Jan 46 |

8. Having reported this Hq per SO 39, Par 20, 9th Sev. Command, Ft. Mac Arthur, Calif., 15 Feb 46, Pfc 677 Conrad R Mills 39748354, (WMA), is trfd 44th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 18 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

9. Having reported this Hq per SO 16, Par 10, Hq 53th Bomb Wing, March Fld, Calif., 17 Feb 46, fol EM are trfd Sq indicated. No tvl involved. EDCMR 21 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

HQ SQ 40TH BOMB GROUP

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| 1st Sgt 502 | Robert Lowe | 6296513 |
| M Sgt 502 | James R. Callison | 6820778 |
| 1st Sgt 502 | Walter M. Grines | 6979150 |

25TH BOMB SQUADRON

T Sgt 2750 Arnold W. Bartels 17031423

44TH BOMB SQUADRON

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|-----------|---------------------|----------|
| M Sgt 737 | James Carpenter | 18025498 |
| Cpl 824 | Charles H. Traannon | 38451537 |
| T Sgt 750 | Alfred I. Patton | 19061936 |
| M Sgt 750 | Robert E. Stewart | 6583041 |
| Col 514 | Charles K. Juengst | 35036390 |

45TH BOMB SQUADRON

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| S Sgt 577 | Harvin J. Beck | 20300507 |
| S Sgt 612 | Edward J. Schoonover | 38228954 |
| Pvt 612 | Horace L. Watkins, Jr. | 18220915 |

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HEADQUARTERS 40TH BOMB GROUP
March Field, Riverside, California.

SPECIAL ORDERS)

1 February 1946

NUMBER 19)

1. Lv of absence for fifteen (15) days, effective o/a 25 Feb 46, is granted MAJOR GARTH E. DOYLE, O 406718, AC, leave address: 1539 West Magnolia St., San Antonio, Texas.

40th Bomb Gp.

2. Pvt Billy J. Kilpatrick, 13233465, Hq / upon recommendation of his immediate CO is hereby promoted to TEMPORARY gr of Private First Class. AUTH: Par 6 AR 615-5.

3. The fol named O are hereby appointed as Classification Board, 40th Bomb Group, in accordance with 4AF Memo 35-6 Par 4c dated 3 Dec 45.

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|--------------------------|----------|-----------|
| MAJOR RALPH R. RAVENBURG | O 361807 | President |
| MAJOR WILLIAM J. HELDT | O 481757 | Member |
| CAPT KENNETH ALLEN | O 755493 | Recorder |

3. 2ND LT 1093 LLOYD W. HUTTON, O 772382, Hq 40th Bomb Gp, is hereby appointed Assistant Group Adjutant in addition to his other duties.

4. So much of Par 5 and 9, SO 18, Hq 40th Bomb Gp as pertains to assignment of EM to "Hq Sq 40th Bomb Group" is hereby revoked.

5. So much of Par 3, SO 17, Hq 40th Bomb Gp as pertains to assignment of EM to "Hq Squadron" is hereby revoked.

6. Having reported this Hq per SO 38 Par 4, Hq Ft Douglas, Utah, 15 Feb 46, M Sgt 750 Matt J. Sarich, 39385810, (WM), is trfd 45th Bomb Sq. No tvi involved. EDCMR 18 Feb 46. AUTH: 615-200.

7. So much of Par 7, SO 6, Hq 40th Bomb Gp, 23 Jan 46, as reads "Sgt 2756 Lee D. Cameron 1317492 and Sgt 2756 Melvin Strauss, 3142331" is hereby Deleted.

8. Having reported this Hq Per SO 17, Par 2, Hq 58th Bomb Wing, 18 Feb 46, fol named EM are assigned Sq as indicated. No tvi involved. EDCMR 22 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

44TH BOMB SQUADRON

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|---------------------------------|----------|------------------------------|----------|
| 1st Sgt 502 William E. Carberry | 6269532 | M Sgt 750 William J. Bloom | 6943138 |
| M Sgt 750 Harry Sopko | 6847142 | M Sgt 750 James J. Collier | 13004349 |
| T Sgt 757 Lloyd S. Habeck | 37545033 | T Sgt 750 Kirvine M. Durka | 38116970 |
| T Sgt 757 Michael Fleshko | 6257083 | S Sgt 750 William L. O'Brien | 6915166 |
| Pfc 611 William Eischeid | 18195492 | | |

45 BOMB SQUADRON

M Sgt 750 Thomas A. Peylock 13013882 M Sgt 612 Robert A. McCorkle 17178142
M Sgt 750 Thomas A. Godfrey R1485483

9. The fol named O, 40th Bomb Gp, will proceed on DS to Regular Army Officers Screening Center, Ft. MacArthur, San Pedro, Calif., reporting thereat on date indicated for the purpose of undergoing examination for determining eligibility for a commission in the Regular Army in compliance with provisions of WD Cir 392, 1945 and upon completion of this DS will return to his proper station. AUTH: 58th Wing Reg 35-1.

CAPT JOHN M. CROCKER, O 514212 1100 22 Feb 46.

The TO will furnish the necessary .
TPA TOM 601-34 P 432-02 A 212/60425 899-999.
Auth: Ltr. AST, NSC Ft MacArthur, San Pedro, California.
Sub: Examination for Commission in Regular Army.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL SKEET:

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HEADQUARTERS 40TH BOMB GROUP
March Field, Riverside, California.

SPECIAL ORDER)
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NUMBER (20)

20 February 1946

1. The fol EM are trfd in cr from 25th Bomb Sq to organizations indicated. No tvl involved. EDCMR: 21 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

HQ 40TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP

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|---------------------|----|-----------|----------|
| M Sgt 750 Laverne | D. | Barber | 6541993 |
| M Sgt 750 Edward | D. | Straussor | 6664633 |
| M Sgt 750 Alexander | | Shomp | 63155306 |

44TH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON

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| M Sgt 750 Tony | J. | Velasquez | 14018366 |
| T Sgt 750 Austin | P. | Hughes | 6336345 |

14TH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON

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| M Sgt 750 Eugene | P. | Leonard | 6430545 |
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2. M Sgt 750 Edward F. Hilbert, 6695139, (WM), is trfd in cr from 25th Bomb Sq to Hq 40th Bomb Gr. No tvl involved. EDCMR 21 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

3. So much of Par 6, SO 5, cs, this Hq as reads "CAPT MILLER, LLOYD W., 0354121, granted Lv of absence for twenty (20) days, effective o/a 26 Jan 46" is amended to read "CAPT LLOYD W. MILLER, 0354121, is granted Lv of absence for thirty (30) days, effective o/a 26 Jan 46.

4. T Sgt 824 Zackarin McElroy, 6361755, Hq 40th Bomb Gr, is trfd in cr to 44th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR: 21 Feb 46. AUTH: AR 615-200.

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~~HEADQUARTERS, 45TH BOMB SQUADRON~~
March Field, Riverside, California.

SPECIAL ORDERS)

23 February 1946

NUMBER 21)

1. WOCO 13 Feb 46 appointing fol named EM to Temp grades indicated is hereby confirmed and made a matter of record. AUTH: AR 615-5 and AAF Reg 35-45.

TO BE SERGEANT (TEMPORARY)

Col 611 Edward Firment 45129116

2. Having reported this Hq per SO 42, Par 15, 9th Service Command, Ft. MacArthur, Calif., 19 Feb 46, fol named EM are assigned Sq as indicated: EDCMR 21 Feb 46 AUTH: AR 615-200.

S Sgt 612 John Howe 45TH BOMB SQUADRON
15081503 M Sgt 750 William T. Olesby 6493288

3. M Sgt Robinett A. Potts 6532715, (WM), is trfd in or from 44th Bomb Sq to 25th Bomb Sq. No tvl involved. EDCMR 25 Feb 46 AUTH AR 615-200.

4. Having reported this Hq Per SO 51, Par 4, Hq March Field, Calif., 20 Feb 1946, CAPT 1093 JAMES R. COOPER, O-790631, AD (WM), is assigned 343rd Bomb Sq. EDCMR 22 Feb 46 AUTH: AR 605-145. No tvl involved.

5. Having reported this Hq Per SO 18, Par 4, Hq 50th Bomb Wing, 19 Feb 46, fol named EM are assigned Sq as indicated. No tvl involved. EDCMR 22 Feb 46 AUTH: AR 615-200.

45TH BOMB SQUADRON

M Sgt 750 Carl M. Faust 6444039 T Sgt 748 Melvin G. Davis 39021518

6. Pvt Tyrus H. Kehmsier, 6552828, 25th Bomb Sq, upon recommendation of his immediate CO is hereby promoted to TEMPORARY grade of Private First Class. AUTH: Par 6 AR 615-5.

7. So much of Par 1, SO 20, as, this Hq as reads "M Sgt Edward D. Sgrausser, 6584533" is amended to read "M Sgt 542 Edward D. Strausser, 674533.

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8. VOCO authorizing fol [REDACTED] to ration seperately, effective dates as indicated, is hereby confirmed:

James E. Callison

M Spt

6820778

11 February 1946

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