

ABBOTT, LOUIS H.
1842 418BG 100BG 20JUL44 *rv AV*
9SEP44

Mme. Claire Ruscart, Belgium

Abbott (then known as Abramowitz) was shot down in Holland, near the Belgian border. Waited for Allied Lines to reach him, when he was liberated by the British 2nd Army. 1st Lt. Abramowitz, 0814034, went down at Breda, Holland. SEE THE REPORT OF CAPT. NANCE, EE # 1844.

CRASHED *AT CHAAM - hit by flak* → *MACR 74 14 7/20/44 EVD.*
Capt.

ABBOTT, PRESTON S.

XXXX 501BS 376BG 23MAR44

HELPED BY PARTISANS B-24'S 15TH AIR FORCE

TECHNICAL SERGEANT PRESTON S. SCOTT WAS SHOT DOWN IN YUGOSLAVIA AND AIDED BY PARTISANS.

BAILED OUT

TECH SERGEANT

ACKER, JOSEPH P.

DECEASED 2/1/51

EVADER

1424 615BS 401BG 19JUN44

S/Sgt., 6966455, Down between Lesparre and Naujac. SEE 1420, LEMKE
S/SGT

EVADERS

*TO BE PROOFED
BEFORE
PROUTE*

ACKERMAN, HARRY

AFEEs

2155 HQ 34BG 7AUG44

NOV 44

Capt. Ackerman, 0434658, went down at 1032 near Polleur, Belgium. Woman who sang "its a long, long way to Tipperary" -->-- Spa. 1 month with Mme. Lulu Derchain, 7 Ave. Peltzer, Veiviers was of exceptional help. M. Roger or Robert gave food (Mort depuis). Edmond Germeau gave food. Maurice Petel was the contact man. 7days with M. and Mme. N. Hanotte-Sereyhe, 7 Rue Libon, Verviers.

ACKERMAN'S STORY: FLYING AS GROUP NAVIGATION OFFICER IN LEAD A/C LEADING 3RD AIR DIVISION ON DIVERSIONARY MISSION. MAIN EFFORT WAS GOING TO GERMAN TARGETS. ENCOUNTERED FLAK IN VICINITY OF AACHEN GERMANY. BAILED OUT AND CAME DOWN NEAR VERVIERS IN BELGIUM. BELGIUM UNDERGROUND HID ME IN VERVIERS UNTIL TOWN WAS LIBERATED BY 3RD ARMORED DIVISION IN NOVEMBER 1944. RETURNED TO 34TH BG UNTIL MAR. 1945

BAILED OUT

CAPT/NAV/8AF B-24

ACKERMAN, JAMES M.

1443 577BS 392BG 23JUN44

2nd Lt. Ackerman, 0703005. Down Reims with facial burns, given to the Germans to have wounds treated, gentlemanly treatment by the Germans -->-- Hospital at Reims -->-- 9 weeks and 4 days. Funeral by the Germans for dead Capt. Melcin H. Craper, 0793760, 392 BG in July. Evacuated at last by US.

ADAMS, RICHARD D.

DECEASED 71

EVADER

xxxx 369BS 306BG 8NOV42

Capt. Adams was pilot and went down on a mission to Lille.

ADAMS, WILLARD J.
1869 835BS 486BG 1JUL44
2SEP44

S/Sgt. Adams, 39198309, went down 2 1/2 miles NE of Zeedelghem, NE of Diksmuide -->-- John Romelier, Steel Merchant at Diksmuide, clothes and I.D., for 5 days -->-- 4 days at the home of the Resistance Chief, Harold Vanderwooder, 28 N. WallerSt., Meenen -->-- crossed border with Edward Devos, 43 Rue De Lille, Hallium Nord, who was very active and spoke English -->-- Ferdinand 29 JULY stayed at the home of M. Jules Saclens-Marcel, 4 Rue de Hallium Neuville en Ferrain Nord(Smuggler). Liberated by the British troops 2 SEPT 44.

ADAMS, WILLIAM E.
1182 630BS 5RAF 25JUL44

Adams was a F/O, 10601540, on detached service to 630 Squadron, 5 Group RAF. Down at Fraumont. M. and Mme. Postman and the teacher (Pierre Fievre, 28 yrs) ofCouriells. The mayor of Oilleville, merchant of bicycles. Maquis of Maconcourt, Chief Jean Marie Richards

ADAMSON, DONALD C.
1796 xxxxx 788BG 6AUG44
9SEP44

M/Sgt. Adamson, 3739701. Was hidden by a policeman, Louis Huey, 23 Rue JeanVolders, Wiherier, Belgium.

ADANES, RICHARD D.
26 369BS 306BG 25-4-43

Capt., ??????? Wambrechie(?) near (north) Lille Nov 42 Willemain-spoke of employment in Massey-Harris Ployart Lille 1 week 12-11-42 -- Paris Levecque39 Ave d'Orleans Paris with Lt. Thor Waerne, Norwegian with RAF Dijon- Ramon(?) Chalis(?) S/S Neucril(?) Marseille Docteur ??? Can?? guide= Albertet Felie (?) Marseille -- Meet O'Leary Rue Saisson Nice Bergerac Toulon(Toulouse?) ??? Lt. Frost
ADCOCK, CHARLES E.

449 332BS 94BG 5JAN44
2nd Lt. Adcock was downed at Peyre???? From the 94 BG History we have a report that his "crew bailed out safely. Adcock himself evaded and returned through the underground. He had landed near a town, so he discarded all the military garb he could and walked into the village and bought some food. German soldiers were everywhere, but Adcock traveled about the town at will. One night while walking the street a German soldier spoke to Adcock, but of course he couldn't understand the language. So in his Kansas drawl he answered, "Oui Oui", and the German proceeded on his way without suspicion. Eventually Adcock contacted the Underground, who directed and assisted him in crossing the Pyrenees Mountains into Spain."

ADDY, CLAYTON O.
2103 705BS 446BG 25MAY44
11SEP44

2nd Lt. Addy, 0764866, went down at Sinaai, Belgium. He was at St. Nikolas until 5 JUNE -->-- Overmere, Gustaaf Osselaere, 6 Dorpstraat from 5 JUNE to 11 SEPT.44

ADOLFSON, CARL A.
986 ??BS 457BG 11-8-44
Sgt., 37554345 6 miles of Pontrieux -->-- Guingamp 16-8-44

AGUIAR, WILLIAM
82 ????? ???? ??-??-??
S/Sgt., 3103651 assume same as previous entry

ALAIMO, ANTHONY A.
2956 450BS 332BG 17MAY43
13APR45

2nd Lt. Alaimo, 0664487, crashed in the North Sea. Prisoner until 13 MARCH 45, when he escaped from Stalag 7 A, Moosburg. Got to the Allied Control at Geneveon 13 APRIL 1945. Helped by Collard, of Reims, 3 Rue Voltaire, food, shelter, directions while escaping. Henri Francois of St. Denis, Paris, food, shelter, directions while escaping. Vincent Demarco, # 8 Via Conchetta, Milano, Italy provided I.D., money, clothes, shelter 22 MAR. to 9 APR.45 and made many trips to Como, Italy to arrange passage across the border (owned a pastry shop in Milan).

DITCHED

LT./PILOT/B-26/9AF

ALDRIDGE, ELTON ROYCE
418 337BS 96BG 5-1-43

Sgt., 38395449 down Bordeaux -->-- Larrau -->-- 13-1-44

ALEXANIAN, J.
2137 525BS 379BG 7JUL44

Sgt. Alexanian, 34030547, on a mission to Halberstadt, Germany with incendiaries, went down at 1230 hours NE. of Palor, Holland. -->-- Doorn -->-- Venlo -->-- crossed the Belgian border with 10 others on 4 JULY -->-- Liege. Spent 1 month with Harry Otten, Erp, Holland and 2 months with M. Broenen and Brailrat, Liege. -->-- U.S.

ALFORD, DAVID G.
1942 xxxxx 91BG 4FEB44

Jan Goedkopp, Amsterdam; Policeman, Amsterdam; Vemec Everts, Amsterdam; Dr. Vanderley, Maastricht; Gaston de Lairese, Liege; Roger ????, Liege; Armee Blanche; M. Quentin; M. and Mme. J. Ransonnet; G. VOSELMAN (deceased) a gamekeeper on land owned by BARON VAN DEN HEIJDEN VON DOORNENBURG-- ALEXANDRIA van der HEIJDEN (deceased) fed Alford, brought him books and befriended him.--ODA van der HEIJEDN, she knew the American was on their property but didn't openly assist in his care. HENK AND JO GOSSELINK-Prins Clauslaan 19 7251 AS Vorden, Holland, brought Alford to their barn for safety, WILLEM SPANHAAK (deceased) Helped Alford in the forest where he was an assistant game keeper. After the war he organized a Boy Scout Troop. -- CHRIS HUIBERTS (BOS) deceased., LANDPHILIPPI-KRANENBORG. -- HAN HOLLANDER, a 16 year old courier in the Vorden area. --

Lt.Col. Alford went down in the vicinity of Winerswyk, Holland on 4 FEB44. Hidden in the woods at Onstein Castle for 7 weeks and fed by civilians. Met 2nd. Lt. Stegall and the Dutch Underground took them from Edam to Vollandam and on to Purmend, spending 2 months at the home of Klaus deBoir. He was at the home of Jan Goedkopp in Amsterdam from 28 MAR until 25 MAY except for 1 week at the home of a policeman. On 25 MAY the brother of Mrs. Goedkopp, Vemec Everts, took them to Maastricht where they stayed at the home of Dr. Vandeley (later arrested) until 8 JUNE then at various houses in Maastricht until 15 JUNE. They were then taken to Liege, Belgium by truck to the house of Gaston de Lairese for a week until 22 JUNE. They went to another house from which they were taken to the home of an Underground Belgian, Roger, who wanted them ????? Menaced with death they left on 29 JUNE from Liege to Bervaux - Condor - Armee Blanche to Somme - Lonze for 2 weeks. They then stayed in the woods at Petite Enneille where they were fed and helped by M. Quentin (Mayor of the village) and M. and Mme. J. Ransonnet of Collignon until 9 SEP 44.

ALHEIM, RICHARD F.
AFEES

1222 551BS 385BG 2JUN44

James Lagneaux, 23 Rue Stephenson, Paris; Rene Plaubert, Noisy le Sec; M. and Mme. Germain Grosjeau, 7 Rue de Byontiers, St. Maus des Fons.

F/O Alheim went down in the vicinity of Janviers ???

DECEASED 3 NOVEMBER 1978

ALLAIN, LEROY J.
DECEASED EVADER
1638 xxxxx 56FG 12AUG44
DECEASED 6/13/66
7SEP44

2nd Lt. Allain, 0665155. Down North of Roiville. In Belominial or Belomil, M. and Mme. Ganton Datney.
In Roiville, the family Le Fras ?
LIEUTENANT

ALLEN, EACOTT G.
DECEASED EVADER
998 334FS 4FG 8-6-44
DECEASED 4/14/89
???, 0756433 Connery(Le mans)

ALLEN, ERVILLE E.
DECEASED EVADER
1706 xxxxx 491BG 4AUG44
DECEASED 1/8/87
3SEP44

Sgt. Allen, 19102628. James Bain, Mazerelles, 247 Ave. de la Reine, Brussels, food + SEE ALSO 1705

ALLEN, IRA R.
AFEES
721 713BS 448BG 1APR44
BAILED OUT

They were flying over Belgium and were low on fuel when they were hit in the right wing by flak, losing more gas. The pilot headed South and they started bailing out at about 13:00 hours. Allen landed in the Compeigne Forest. It took him about 4 hours to get out of the forest where there was a house. He got a woman's attention and she went and got him something to eat and drink. A few minutes later a man came in a cart going west. When he left Allen took off to the South. He came to a walled-in farm house. He climbed over and into the farm compound. They hid him for three days, then he was moved down the street to another place where Francis Marx and Walter Bressler were in hiding. Next day they moved Francis out. The following day Walter and Ira left. They knew that Mike Little had been there and Warren had been killed. EE REPORT: Sgt. Allen, 39908551, B-24 Waist Gunner, went down in the vicinity of Bethiny St. Rene, Oise. Report mentions # 722 Dallas Young CREW: # 720 WALTER BRESSLER, # 719 MIKE LITTLE, # 812 NELSON BRANCH, # 813 FRANCIS MARX, MARTIN?, # 1100 CLAY MILLER, AMES?, # 999 MARVIN GOFF, # 811 FRANK JACOBSON; IRA R. ALLEN; WILLIAM WARREN (KILLED WHEN CHUTE FAILED)
BAILED OUT

ALLEN, JARVIS
DECEASED AFEES
266 322BS 91BG 17AUG43
DECEASED 26 FEBRUARY 1990

T/Sgt. Allen was downed at Ath, Belgium. He went to the Bordeaux area where he joined Thomas C. Shaver (EE # 277).

ALLISON, WILLIAM R.
AFEES
2254 833BS 486BG 9SEP44
HELPERS: MR & MRS J.A. MARIS - KESSIE MARIS-HAAK

S/Sgt. Allison, 1906787, went down in Holland. See # 2251, Yohn. ALLISON'S STORY: ON SEPTEMBER 19TH, 1944 WHILE ON OUR WAY TO DUSSELDORF, OUR 7TH MISSION, WE BEGAN TO HAVE ENGINE PROBLEMS. THE PROP GOVERNOR ON THE RIGHT INBOARD ENGINE WAS VENTING OIL ON THE ENGINE OVER SCUTTARD. THE PILOT LT. LAWRENCE DOCKELAMER DECIDED TO KEEP UP WITH THE FORMATION AND CONTINUE WITH THE MISSION. AS WE CROSSED OVER THE DUTCH COAST, THE LEFT INBOARD ENGINE'S PROP BEGAN TO HAVE THE SAME PROBLEM BUT WOULD NOT FEATHER. THE ENGINE STARTED TO RUN AWAY. AT 5,000' OVER HOLLAND WE KEPT TRYING TO REACH THE LINES IN FRANCE BUT IT WAS APPARENT THE ENGINE WOULD EITHER THROW THE PROP OR START A FIRE. THE PILOT ORDERED THE CREW TO BAIL OUT.
BAILED OUT
STAFF SERGEANT/GUNNER

ALSTON, JAMES M.
1408 USNAVY 1 HELLCAT

Lt. Alston, 112062. Maquis of Paraile, Lizere ?, for 10 days then to Toulouse. Both Hulland and Alston to Foix then Toulouse (the Mad Major) -->-- Garlin BP

ALT, ALBERT C.
AFEES

xxxx 67FS 347FG 16DEC44
20DEC44

HELPERS: MINDANAO CIVILIANS AND GUERRILLAS

1st Lt. Alt was pilot of P-38 in two flights totalling 7 aircraft out of Middleberg, Netherlands East Indies, assigned strafing missions Silay A/D, Negros Island, Philippines 16 DEC 44. Alt's flight consisted Lt. Rose with Lt. Alt left wing, Lt. Isenhower right wing... following from Lt. Alt's combat report of 24 DEC 44. "flying number 3 position Caution White flight strafing mission... trip to Moritai uneventful.. took off Moratai 0845I, reached Silay A/D approx. 1145/1200Y. My wingman took Lt. Rose's wingman's place en route. Lt. Rose, Lt. Isenhower and myself went in that order.." "strafed approximately north to south. Sightings on strip numerous a/c beaten up! didn't see any serviceable a/c.. sighted 50-75 head cattle (possibly Jersey) one man on horseback riding herd." "Lt. Isenhower drew fire light A/A positions.. had right engine shot out. He headed for coast..dropped belly tanks.. Lt. Rose and I joined him. Rose flew formation and I flew top cover over them.. flew to Cat orbit point.. intention of Lt. Isenhower ditching by Cat. I flew to the orbit point calling and looking for Cat.. we learned Cat was going home while we were still en route target.. rejoined Rose and Isenhower to take Snafu plane to Leyte.. weather about Baker with Charlie to Dogin spots" "flew down west coast Negros around southern tip of it and Cebu. While heading for Bohol I went ahead to check weather....CONTINUED IN SYNOPSIS
Finding it bad called in and rejoined when Rose called Isenhower and told him to orbit outside weather while he tried to find hole. Isenhower "rogered" but..followed Rose inside.. I called him several times but no answers." "Rose then came out.. About this time 'Friendship' base (convoy) called and asked if he could help.. He suggested we ditch near him.. Lt. Rose and I decided to try to make Dipolog." " We buzzed strip several times, went back, told 'Friendship' we were going down.. send message back.. landed okay.. field was bit muddy and soft in spots but alright.. was 1530I, 16 DEC 44.. taxied into clump trees and parked and were immediately surrounded by villagers and guerrilla officers and men.. covered our planes while natives camouflaged them.. were taken into town to the main HQ and met 'boss man'.. Later we went to cafe, had few drinks, met local USO.. were invited to dance. There were 5 P-47 pilots there besides Rose and myself. Sunday Rescue C-47 from Moratai came in with gas for P-47's and said would send some gas for us. C-47 and 5 P-47's took off and we returned to town and spent the day talking and sightseeing." "Tuesday C-47 from Leyte with 15 drums gas and C-47 from Moratai with 6 drums gas came in. We procured two gas pumps and some 10 in 1 rations for Americans running island, gassed up and prepared to depart. Rose's battery dead so we got one from Guerrillas and postponed departure till next morning. Spending one last night in town we left Wednesday, 20 DEC 44, 0900 Ihours. Take off effected with plenty runway to spare using 43" mercury, 3,RPM.. returned Moratai, gassed up, arrived back Middleberg about 1625I." RECOMMENDATIONS:1. The Strip at Dipolog affords plenty of room... Call "CHARITY"

2. ...improper Cat scheduling.. need for closer coordination.... 3.Ä ..Glossary of Tagalog and/or Spanish would help... 4. It is further suggested that "pro"kit" be included ... for pilots flying over Philippines.

LANDED

Lt.Col.(Retd 1966)

ALUKONIS, STANLEY

EVADER

321 366BS 305BG 14-10-43

2nd Lt., 0679013 down Puth, Holland -->-- Bayonne

ALVERSON, DWIGHT F.

AFEES

1939 xxxxx 405FG 8AUG44

11SEP44

M. and Mme. Albert Riviere-Gillard

1st. Lt. Alverson, 0810284, went down 3 miles NW of Vendome, France. He hid 3 days, wounded. He was helped by M. and Mme. Albert Riviere-Gillard at Villiers-Sur-Loire the 11 and 12 AUG. He stayed with a young girl then went to Vendome to get transportation. He went by auto to Le Mans.

AMERY, JOHN T.

AFEES

469 351BS 100BG 29DEC43

18MAR44

T/Sgt. Amery was downed in the vicinity of Montfancon. He was helped by Jacques Le Port, 31 Rue Charlotte, Paris. Apparently reached St. Brieuc and returned by boat to Dartmouth (?).

ANDERSON, ANDY W.

AFEES

2076 322BS 91BG 5SEP44

14SEP44

M. Roland and Mme. Jeanne Jacob, 2 rue de la Foret, A Baslieux, par Pierrepont 54620 France; M. and Mme. Jean Ney, 6 Rue Albert Lebrun, Baslieux par Pierrepont 54620 France

Bombing Ludwigshafen, hit by flak then German fighters. 2nd Lt. Anderson, 0820930, bailed out at 0655 hours at Bazaille near Pierrepont (N. Luxembourg) with Lt's. Kelley, Karoli, Lancaster. Lt. George Rains, 0802607, MIA 26 FEB. is buried at Pierrepont (wife is Betty Rains, Pleasant Hill, La.). Lt. Robert Armstrong's chute failed to open. Helped by M. and Mme. Jacob Roland, Baslieux par Pierrepont, France provided food and shelter and Mlle. Jeanne Ney of Baslieux also helped.

SEE STORY OF ERNEST ROBERT KELLEY

PILOT B-17

ANDERSON, EUGENE C.

1451 xxxxx 489BG 2JUN44

12AUG44

Sgt. Anderson, 36815885. Ball turret gunner B-24. Bailed out near Orly. Down at Creil -- a Frenchman saved him. -->-- Paris -->-- V?????? (Papa Mario) 1 week. Met Nicole Vires -->-- Georges Remy, 72 or 73 Rue du Chateau, Barlogne sur S?? # 1006 Edward Reedy 1 week -->-- M. Dicimer, Paris -->-- Cloyes (Forest de Freteval) 5 JULY. Liberated by U.S. 12 AUG 44

ANDERSON, F. EARL

AFEES

412 510BS 351BG 31DEC43

19JAN45

Robert & Odile Navailles, 70 Ave. de la Chesnaie, Saint Pierre du Mont 40000 Montde Marsan, France;
Pedebosseg and Alice Auguste, Lanneplaa, 64300 Orthez, France; Mrs. Simone Vaillet, 1 Rue J-M
Trichaud, 13200 Arles, France.

From EE Report: S/Sgt. Anderson was downed in the vicinity of Saujon(?) -->--St. Cricy -->-- St. Jean
de Luz -->-- Spain

Shot down near Cognac, France, 3 Evaded, 7 POW's. He walked about 200 miles in 8 days alone. About
40 miles on train with helper. Then with helpers by bicycle and on foot over the Pyrenees. The 352nd
German Division was in this area of France.

ANDERSON, FRANCIS W.

EVADER

309 559BS 387BG ??????

S/Sgt., 11072028 Down Beauvais -->-- Perpignan 9-12-43

ANDERSON, LEE W.

DECEASED EVADER

2006 55FS 20FG 10AUG44

DECEASED 7/18/80

12SEP44

2nd Lt. Anderson, 0756436, went down at Florenville, Belgium. Walked 10 days without help -- 10 days in
the woods, helped by the Barnett family, 5 K. from LeMans -->-- Hotel de M. Hubert Hamert at
Lacuisine -- given ID by his daughter.

ANDERSON, LESTER E.

AFEES

XXXX 765BS 461BG 04OCT44

FEB45

SHOT DOWN OVER MUNICH, GERMANY OCT. 4, 1944 - ESCAPED BACK TO ITALY. CRASH
LANDED IN YUGOSLAVIA IN DEC. 1944 - ESCAPED BACK TO ITALY. PARACHUTED OVER
YUGOSLAVIA IN FEB. 1945 - ESCAPED BACK TO ITALY

15TH A.F.

TECH/SGT

ROBERT O. ANDERSON

AFEES

605 410BS 94BG 5JAN44

27APR44

M. Alexandre Manzano, Bordeaux; Mlle. Alice Perreux, Samadet, Landes; M. Andre Larmarque, Geaune,
Landes; Mme. Marie Hontang, Samadet, Landes; All in France.

2nd Lt. Anderson's B-17 (on which he was Navigator) was shot down by ME-109's and he and the
Bombardier (Lt. Shields) bailed out over St. Laurent de Medoc about 50 miles N. of Bordeaux, France. The
No. 2 Engine quit before they were attacked by the ME's. The rest of the crew went down with the plane
which exploded on impact--all were killed--they were initially buried at the Hourtin cemetery but were
later moved to a US Military Cemetery in France. They landed about 5 kilometers apart and took entirely
separate routes to evade with Shields making a very fast trip to Spain. Anderson walked a substantial
portion of the entire distance to the Pyrenees. Initially he relied on 'one night help' from frightened but
helpful people with no underground connections. For the last two weeks before crossing the Pyrenees he
was in the hands of the Underground. He crossed the Pyrenees into Spain and was interned in Pamplona.
He suffered from a serious ear infection which developed into Mastoiditis. He required major surgery from
which the surgeon did not expect him to recover. He arrived in the U.K. on 27 APR 44. He has since
returned twice, once to Pamplona and once to the Bordeaux area. He was able to locate the small village
cemetery where the remainder of the crew had been originally buried.

CREW: ERNEST A. TRUMMEL; THOMAS H. HUDSON; GOBLE MIRACLE; W. D. GEIST; ALTON
M. BROWN; DELMAN C. BROYLES; ALLAN POWELL; CHERMAN B. FREW ALL OF THESE

WERE KIA); HUGH C. SHIELDS (BOMBARDIER) AND ROBERT O. ANDERSON (NAVIGATOR) EVADED SUCCESSFULLY OVER THE PYRENEES TO SPAIN.

BAILED OUT

1st. Lt.

ANDERSON, ROSS C.

AFEES

15AF 859BS 2641SG 15APR45

IN DEC OF 1944 GROUP WAS TRANSFERRED FROM THE 492nd BG OF THE 8TH AF TO BRENDISI ITALY, LATER MOVED TO A BASE OUTSIDE OF LEGHORN. SHOT DOWN OVER CZECHOSLOVAKIA WHILE FLYING A SUPPLY MISSION TO THE CZECHS- CREW OF 8 ALL LANDED SAFELY INTO THE HANDS OF THE UNDERGROUND. THREE OF THE CREW WERE IN ONE LOCATION AND FIVE WERE SEVERAL MILES AWAY. GOT BACK TO THE AMERICAN LINES THRU THE HELP OF THE CZECHS AND RETURNING PRESIDENT EDWARD BENES, BEFORE THE RUSSIANS COULD SHOOT THEM AS SPIES. CREW: ROERT BEACH, ARMAND OCARLINO, CHARLES JONES, CO-PILOT B-24

THOMAS E. ANDERSON

USA

EVADER

2983 720BS 450BG 29DEC44

25APR45

2nd Lt. Anderson, 0780200, crash-landed in Italy, was captured on 16 MARCH 45 at Tolmezzo, Italy and was sent to Germany. During his evasion he was helped by the Dal Nacri family, San Antonio, Tortol, Pelluno who provided food, shelter and various items for 10 days. They were a family of 8, the man was 56 yrs. old, with 6 children. The Zanin family of 4, son Guiseppe was 27 and a farmer, helped for 8 days from 21 to 28 JAN. 45. Anderson was liberated on 25 APRIL 45 at Eichstatt, Germany (in a column of prisoners).

ANDRESEN, JOHN W.

15AF 302BG 9MAR45 25MAR5

SHOT DOWN, PARACHUTED, 9 MAR, 45, RETURNED TO BARI, ITALY ON 25 MAR 45 NEAR KAMMIK YUGOSLAVIA, CAPTURED BY TITO' PARTISANS BUT RELEASED 7 DAYS LATER. BRITISH & SOVIET AGENTS HELPED US TO EVADE. A C-47 COVERED BY BRITISH SPITFIRES FLEW US BACK TO BARI, ITALY.

DR. ANDRESEN IS A VOLUNTEER ASSIGNED TO THE U.S. AIR FORCE BASE DISPOSAL AGENCY TO HELP DISMEMBER FORMER CHANUTE AFB. WORKING ON ESTABLISHING AN AIR MUSEUM AT THE FORMER CHANUTE AFB.

FLIGHT OFF. PILOT

ANDREWS, ROBERT BASIL

DECEASED

EVADER

2102 795BS 446BG 25MAY44

DECEASED 2/8/54

12SEP44

2nd Lt. Andrews, 0813127, went down at 1300 hours at Sinaai, Belgium. Sokeran. Helped by 3 brothers, Gerard, Morris, and Jules Oosterlinck, 42 Loereveldstraat, Overmere, Belgium, were most helpful. Gustaf Ossalaere, 6 Doepstraat, Overmere from 4 JUNE to 12 SEPT. -- he was a poor man but refused to accept money -- he had a German billeted upstairs.

ANGELUCCI, JAMES A.

AFEES

15th 736BS 454BG 22NOV44
13FEB45

S/Sgt. Angelucci, Tail Gunner on a B-24, went down near the village of Sauris N. Italy. He and Robert R. Brown ("Brownie"), W/G and Anglucci evaded capture.

ANSLOW, JAMES R.
AFEES

1838 788BS 467BG 29APR44

Major R.L. Salzarulo shot down on mission to Berlin. Same mission?

CREW: PILOT- 1st Lt. BILL F. MOORE (of Stone Mountain, GA., Evaded 5 months, caught, shot as spy, buried in Holland); CO-PILOT- MAJ. ROBT. L. SALZARULO (of Richmond, IN.)

SQD. COMMANDER, Captured, Stalag Luft 3); TAIL GUNNER- 2nd Lt. EDGAR J. POWELL (of Coraopolis, Pa., Actually normally Co-Pilot, captured, Stalag Luft 3); BOMBARDIER- 2nd Lt. EDWARD VERBOSKY (of Smithfield, PA., captured, Stalag Luft 3); GROUP BOMBARDIER- 1st Lt. JOHN L. LOW, JR. (of Laurel, Miss., evaded capture, EE # 2900, DECEASED 1978); NAVIGATOR- 1st Lt. FRANK D. COSLETT (of Wilkes Barre, PA., evaded capture, EE # 2968, SEE COSLETT); FLIGHT ENGINEER- T/Sgt. CLINTON L. WATTS (of Sallisaw, OK., Injured, captured); FLIGHT ENGINEER/GUNNER- S/Sgt. WALTER KILGORE (Bailed out, evaded capture); GUNNER- S/Sgt. HENRY H. ALLEN (of Vicksburg, Miss., captured, Stalag Luft 3); GUNNER- S/Sgt. WERNER G. BRAUN (of Coldwater, OH., bailed out, evaded capture).

S/Sgt. Anslow was shot down over Holland on the 1000 plane Berlin mission. He landed in backyard of a house at Harderwijk. People surrounded him and asked if he wanted to give up or escape since Germans had already been notified. He said he preferred to escape, so they told him to hide in the woods until nightfall. He ran for the woods, dug a hole, covered himself with leaves and waited. Could hear dogs barking as Germans searched. At midnight started to walk South using Escape kit compass. Continued all night in soaking rain. He hid at daybreak in a haystack that had a low hanging roof on it. He put his flying suit coveralls on top of the haystack to dry and had only long johns on. He waited till dark, then started walking again. Next morning he holed up in a barn at Appeldorn before daybreak. The lady of the house discovered him, he was given civilian clothes and contacted with the local doctor who helped him to contact the Jansens in Deventer. Cornelius Dirk Jansen was a school teacher with a wife and two children living at Handelskaade 14. He was with them for about 2 weeks (8 days, EERep.). Jansen took him into Deventer to have photos taken for ID papers. His dog tags were sewn into the lining of his trousers. The UG had him travel by train to Zwolle where he stayed with George Bruggemeijer who lived near the Railway Station. Train travel was accomplished by prearranged signals from a guide at a distance. He was then taken to a wooded area where he was with seven young Dutch who were hiding from the Germans. They were also active with Jansen's UG group. They placed Anslow with a French escapee from a POW camp (Albert Bevouzet) so that he would be able to help Anslow get through France. He travelled with part of the group to near Enschede (Lanneke, woolen Mill) using a stolen Gestapo car and passing the largest German airfield in Holland and many German Troops. Anslow had a small pistol which he didn't have to use. They were lodged in a Garage loft for a few days and then were taken to the Blydenstein home for several weeks. Mrs. B. was a well known concert pianist. Their home in the city had been confiscated and Mr. B. had spent time in a German Conc. Camp because they thought he was Jewish because of his name. He was released only when he convinced them that he wasn't Jewish. The monotony was also tempered by the night time air raids on the Airfield. The 9 yr. old son taught Anslow how to play chess to pass the time. The UG found another (French) escapee (Herve Clerc, a school teacher) who was from Toulouse and it was likely that Anslow could travel that far with his help. Herve and Anslow (Tilburg, Poppel) travelled by train to the Belgian/Dutch border and got off to walk to Turnhout, Belgium. They passed a German guard when passing a garrison lodged at a school. The guard was suspicious and followed them. They turned into a house where people were sitting on the porch, walked right through the house and out the back door. They then went to another house nearby and asked for help. They were permitted to hide in the air raid shelter for three days fed on hard-boiled eggs. They were then taken into Turnhout staying overnight at a house where Anslow got his first haircut in a month. They got a truck ride toward the Belgian/French border. They got off the truck at Antwerp and walked through the pedestrian passage of a tunnel. The Germans were checking all trucks and passengers. They had been given bicycles in Turnhout and got off

the truck at the border near Lille and Roubaix and crossed over passing a French guard who turned his back after Herve spoke to him. They travelled toward Paris, passing through Guise. One Sunday afternoon they encountered a group of cyclists who reported a German road block ahead. They took to alternate routes and small roads using a Michelin map. They passed numerous batteries. About the end of May they arrived in Soissons and stayed there with a farmer, his wife and small baby at a village (Billy) for 3 weeks. They were at the farm on D-Day. The farmer went to town to celebrate with his friends and was picked up and shipped to Germany as slave labor. They thought they were putting the lady and child in jeopardy and headed south again. They passed through Montmirail, E. of Paris. On occasions they would stop at a cafe for some wine and if German soldiers entered and stood at the bar they would slowly saunter out and go on their way. They spent 2 weeks with the Maquis of Villefranche d'Allier near Montlucon (N. of Clermont-Ferrand) who gave them brand-new bicycles stolen from the Germans. They stayed at a farm with a group who had a collaborator they planned to shoot but he escaped and they set up defenses and Anslow was given a British Enfield rifle. No attack occurred. One of the group was Guy Bourdeause, 53 Rue Victor Hugo, Montlucon. Further South they encountered the Maquis de Meynac with whom Anslow participated in receiving parachute drops by Black-painted B-24 Carpetbaggers (possibly his own squadron). Anslow rode in the lead car with a Bren Machine-gun ready. Two "Joes" were dropped on one occasion and one broke his leg. They got some British cigarettes on that drop. He met a British Jedburgh team and the South African Radio Op. gave Jim a pair of shoes and a shirt. Anslow assisted the Radio Op. at several of their operations points, located at "LaCorreze", "Saint-Pardoux", and "La Croissele". Anslow assisted in setting up and dismantling the gear whenever messages had to be sent to London. Herve continued on his way South but got involved in a Maquis attack on the garrison in Ussel and was wounded. Anslow was taken to see him in the hospital at Ussel. About ten Allied fliers were there by this time and the group travelled to Chalbec and on to Limoges, which had been taken by the Maquis, where he was issued a Maquis uniform. From there they were taken by air to London, 9 SEP 44. One of the group was an Eddie Curry (who said he used to sing with the Eddie Spivak Orchestra). After the war the Dutch returned a small New Testament which Anslow had carried with him when flying and which they had taken since it was in English. Anslow attributes his good fortune to his faith in God.

EE REPORT: S/Sgt. Anslow, 15354506, went down at Harderwijk, near the Zuider Zee. Helped by farmers and a doctor at Appeldorn -->-- 8 days with C.D. Janson, a teacher, at Deventer -->-- Enschede (Woolen Mill) -->--near Lanneke for 2 weeks at the Blyderstein home -->-- Tilburg -->--Poppel -->-- Turnhout -->-- Guise - a farmer South of Soissons near Billy for 3 weeks -->-- Montmirail -->-- 2 weeks with the Maquis of Villefranche de Allier -->-- Maquis of Meynac -->-- met U.K. troops at Chalbec -->-- Limoges, flew by plane to U.K.

S\SGT. ASN 15354506

ANTANOVICH, ALEX

AFEES

2927 18BS 34BG 30MAY44

1APR45

Mrs. E. Montagne-Andres, Reeestraat 49, 1216 CP Hilversum, Holland;

Sgt. Antanovich (Ball Turret Gunner, B-24 out of Mendlesham, U.K.) was shot down over Germany. He walked into Holland, stayed with about 18 different families, in 4 or 5 different towns, and at a couple of farms. He was there for 10 months. All other crew were captured.

EE REPORT: Helped by 2 girls named Gildermann at Oldenzall, contacted the U.G. arranged shelter and food. Lowhouse (Phonetic), a teacher, Rossum, lived at Oldenzaal from 31 MAY to 24 NOV. A farmer Brumelhouse at Weerselo, real shelter 31 MAY to 4 JUN and 14 OCT. to 24 OCT. John Cleyndert, mining engineer, Rossum (Wife Meg, with children) from 4 JUN to 13 OCT. 4 days more families near Borne. John Chruz, 393 Oldenzaal Straat, Hengelo from 29 OCT. 44 to 1 APR. 45, who was paid to lodge him. Theo Van't Rood, Kusters Weg Straat, Hengelo (wife Rickie, 3 children) from 6 DEC. 44 to 18 FEB. 45. Returned to Allied Control near Hengelo, Holland on 1 APRIL 45.

BAILED OUT

S/Sgt.

APPEL, EDWARD W.
EVADER
2705 564BS 389BG 5SEP44
28NOV44

Capt. Appel, 0745854, went down 1200 between Surborg and Soultz, Alsace-Lorraine. He hid in a swamp, got help from French people at Hochfelden, an old woman and a man riding in a wagon -->-- to a home on the North side of the village and stayed until 24 NOV. when they were Liberated. The helpers were: Ludwig Wencker, 23 Montee Stel'Ail, Hochfelden, Bas-Rhin; Mme. Alfred Haag, Les Sapins, same village, supplied books; Joseph Grasser, 32 Rue Haute, same village, supplied books and food; and L'Abbe Victor Firm, Cure of Doyen-H, same village, tried to obtain information on others in the crew.

APPLEWHITE, THOMAS B.
AFEES

324 548BS 385BG 11-11-43
AMANDA MOUCHKA DESIR-STASSARD, CODE NAME "DIANE" OF COMETE LINE.
CREW: JAMES BUFKIN, LUCEDALE, MISS; JOHN MCGOWAN ; NELLO MALAVASI, GUNNER,
MILFORD, CONN.; BILL BLOESER, WAIST GUNNER.; DICK SHORB, NAVIGATOR; 1ST LT.
JOHN P.MCGOWAN, PILOT; 2ND LT. JAMES BUFKIN, CO-PILOT; & ROBERT DEFORREST, TAIL
GUNNER.

2nd Lt., 0679171 down Heusden, Holland -->-- Dax -->-- St. Sebastian.
ADDRESS IN 1948 -- 936 NEWELL ST., MEMPHIS, TN. APPLEWHITE'S STORY: OUR B-17 WAS
THE ONLY BOMBER LOST ON ARMISTICE DAY, 1943. We ACHIEVED COMPLETE SURPRISE
FOR OUR PREVIOUS TRIP TO MUNSTER HAD BEEN A ROUGH ONE WITH THE LUFTWAFFE
MAKING HEAD ON ATTACKS THROUGH THEIR OWN FLAK. ONE ENGINE WAS SHOT OUT
AND HAD A RUNNING BATTLE UNTIL SHOT DOWN 12 MILES INSIDE HOLLAND NEAR
HUESDEN ON THE BANK OF THE MAAS RIVER & EAST OF HERTOGENBOSCH (BOIS'S
WOOD) SHOT DOWN 2 OF 5 ME-109S. WHEN WE LEVELED OFF AT 18,000 FEET, THE PILOT
RANG THE BAIL OUT BELL. THE NAVIGATOR DICK SHORB AND I WENT OUT THE NOSE
ESCAPE HATCH. I AVOIDED CAPTURE BY MAKING A DELAYED JUMP THROUGH THE
CLOUDS. I BLEW AN EARDRUM FROM THE FALL. I WAS THE ONLY ONE WHO EVADED
CAPTURE. JIM FRENCH, RADIO OPERATOR DIED. I WAS SLIGHTLY WOUNDED AND HAD A
BROKEN BONE IN MY HAND. I STAYED 5 DAYS WITH PETER DE NOO A FARMER. THEN I
WENT INTO THE WOODS AND STAYED WITH YOUNG HOLLANDERS EVADING NAZI LABOR
CAMPS. I WAS THEN ESCORTED TO ANTWERP WHERE I STAYED AT THE AMERICAN SODA
FOUNTAIN CO. A WOMAN IN THE APARTMENTS THREATENED TO TURN ME IN. I WENT TO
THE HOME OF A CHIEF NURSE AT BRUSSELS'S HOSPITAL WHERE I JOINED A CREWMAN
SHOT DOWN ON THE SCHWEINFURT RAID WITH HIS HEEL SHOT UP. WE WERE BOTH
ESCORTED BY "DIANE" OF THE COMET LINE TO HER MOTHER'S HOME IN PARIS. LATER
WE WENT TO WITHIN 60 MILES OF THE SPANISH BORDER. "FRANCO" ESCORTED US OVER
THE PYRENEES MOUNTAINS THEN FROM GIBRALTAR BACK TO ENGLAND.

BAILED OUT
1ST LT/BOMBARDIER B17 8AF

AQUINO, JOSEPH M.
227 335BS 95BG 17-8-43
CHILD AT WAR, MARK BLES
S/Sgt., 33284596 down Zoersel/Antwerp -->-- Dax -->-- Irun

ARCHER, LAWRENCE V.
3028 379BG

ARLIN, LEO
DECEASED 85
AFEES

1761 xxxxx 467BG xxxxxxx
7SEP44

DECEASED 1985

1st Lt. Arlin, 0.6911678, was with M. and Mme. Edmond Abrassart-Joca, 29 Rue Mouligneau, Petit Dur, Haimant, Belgium for 3 weeks.

ARMOUR, CHARLES B.

DECEASED

2024 754BS 458BG 29JUN44

DECEASED 2/22/91

2nd Lt. Armour, 0691465, on a mission to the Ju 88 assembly plant at Eisleben, Germany, went down at Hulst, Belgium with # 2025, Blodgett. He had immediate help. See the record of # 2025, Blodgett.
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ARMSTRONG, JAMES E.

AFEES

339 546BS 384BG 6SEP43

23JAN44

Mme. Eileen Le Bihan; M. Yves Vourch; Dr. Alec Prochiantz; Mme. Marie Mourlet, all of France
2nd Lt. Armstrong bailed out near Gisor, France. EE Report says he landed at Berthenonville(?). He escaped aboard the 'Brez Izel' from Douarnenez, Brittany, France bound for U.K.

BAILED OUT

ARMSTRONG, WILLIAM A

DECEASED EVADER

1429 615BS 401BG 19JUN44

DECEASED 6/16/79

S/Sgt., 37333339, Down between Lesparre and Naujac. SEE 1420, LEMKE

ARNESON, KENNETH L.

DECEASED

2095 573BS 391BG 6JUL44

DECEASED 7/7/86

19AUG44

2nd Lt. Arneson, 0690884, B-26, went down at Dreux. Captured, Chartres Hospital-->>-- Paris to Hospital (Beaujon and du Pitre). Liberated 19 AUG. 44

ARNOLD, GEORGE T.

EVADER

2611 96TCS 440TCG 17SEP44

2nd Lt. Arnold, 0887903, went down 2 miles NNE. of Oudenbosch, Holland. A young boy and a policeman in uniform from Oudenbosch (Pete) -->>-- to a police station where he met # 2610 Broga -->>-- Postmaster's house, Van Hassel until 21 SEPT. On 21 SEPT. dressed as Dutch Policemen to Breda, a house opposite the RR station.-->>-- Department Store, N.V. Vroom and Dreesman, proprietor was J.H. Witte. There they met Quick, 5 British, Krebs, Cannon in Witte's house. Well treated by the cook of Witte's house-Victor Reij, the Secretary-Tryntge Vermeer, the Manager-A.Feijen. The general house man, Hoy Dounk, was very good, watching the movement of the Germans and a policeman, Marcel. They were there until 3 OCTOBER. Led by Mr. Millener to the house of Klaas Buys, Vredenburgsinkel 41, Breda where they stayed until liberated. Helped by Miss Steintge Buys, very active member of the U.G.

ARP, ELWOOD D.

604 401BS 91BG 6-5-44

1st Lt., 0731788 down North of France at Mons en Pevelle -->>-- Spain -->>-- UK 27-4-44

ARRINGTON, RICHARD
DECEASED

1723 xxxxx 303BG 29JAN44

S/Sgt. Arrington, 18044165. Down Soles St. Grey. Helped in Beaumont-France by Dr. Verstrat, Dr. Breneaux, Mlle. Pittie, Mme. Lequeux. -- Max Laminden, John Pittie of Solay -- Mme. Dreux, Franchy, A. Royland and all of the police.

ASHCROFT, JOHN T.

DECEASED 9MAY94

305 549BS 385BG 10-10-43

T/Sgt., 38200176 down Nijverdal, Holland -->-- Bayonne

ASHMAN, HAROLD

DECEASED 85

AFEES

1697 xxxxx 384BG 13APR44

7SEP44

Dr. Midlivinch, Hurres; Anne Brusselmans, Brussels; Emile Roiseux Family; Alexis Henry Family; 'Robinson'

2nd Lt. Ashman went down in the vicinity of Mons, Belgium on 13 APR 44. He was helped by Dr. Midlivinch at Hurres and stayed there for 2 weeks. He was helped by Anne Brusselmans. He went to Namur and on to Beffe where he met Hank Gladys. From Beffe he went to the camp at Porcheresse where he was helped by Emile Roiseux together with many other evaders -- Millar (RCAF), Koch (USAAF), Cochran (USAAF), Gladys (USAAF), Griesel (USAAF), Morgan (RCAF), Flather (RAF), Evans (RAF), Vogle (USAAF), Shawn (USAAF), Blakely (USAAF), etc. From Porcheresse he went on to a camp outside Bohan-sur-Semois. There the Helpers were the Alexis Henry Family, 'Robinson', and a number of others. A U.S. Army patrol picked them up at Bohan, together with a number of the Underground including 'Monique' (Yvonne Bienfait) on the 5 SEP 44 and took them to the Hotel Maurice on the Rue du Rivoli in Paris, France, arriving 6 SEP 44.

Major Deceased 1985

ASTON, JAMES M. (USN)

DECEASED EVADER

DECEASED 3/19/69

ASVESTOS, NICK

633 359BS 303BG 28-2-44

S/Sgt., 12181065 down Pas de Calais -->-- Paris -->-- Spain

JOHN ATHERTON

AFEES

2874 863BS 493BG 2NOV44

18MAR45

A.M. Doeswijk, Havenstraat 36, Noordwijkerhout, Holland

(8th AF) Sgt. Atherton was waist gunner in a B-17 when shot up over Mersberg. They made it as far as Holland before crashing. The UG helped them escape to Belgium. He was with # 2875. 4, 5 NOV in Hillegom with childless old couple near a factory. 5 NOV to 2 DEC in Hillegom with Jan Lammersee, 1 Nieuweg (w/ Pogue and Ivey). 4 DEC to 3 JAN in Noordwijk- Binnen at the home of Vandermuis, Notary and home of the Mayor. 3 JAN to 8 JAN in Lisse at the home of the controller of the central kitchen, 36 yrs old, center of the village. 8 JAN to 10 JAN in Noordwijkerhout at the home of the son of a Doctor. 10 JAN to 20 JAN in Rijnsburg with a working couple, he was 29 yrs old, a son was 1 yr. old. 21 JAN to 12 FEB in Noordwijkerhout, low level city official, 27 yrs old, red hair, near church. 12 FEB to 15 MAR in

Rotterdam with Garret Vanderhoven, Delfganunstraat, 60 yrs old, who worked 20 yrs in Allen Factory opposite the house. The rest is the same as # 2873 -->-- 18 MAR 45 Lage Zwaluwe
CREW: NAVIGATOR--ASHLEY IVEY, 5072 WOMACK AVE. N.W., ACWORTH, GA 30101;
RADIOMAN-ALBERT M. COBB, 65 WHITE MOT. RD., WYNESVILLE, NC 28786; WAIST
GUNNER--JOHN L.ATHERTON, 401 N. COMSTOCK, SPACE #11, SUTHERLIN, OR 97479; BALL
TURRET GUNNER-RICHARD W. STONES, 707 E. MONTEREY, PALATINE, IL 60067
SEE ALSO ASHLEY IVEY
SEE IVEY, COBB, STONES, POGUE STORIES.
CRASHED

ROBERT ATKINS

AFEES

2059 731BS 452BG 12MAY44

BELGIUM AND FRENCH UNDERGROUND - NO NAMES GIVEN

T/Sgt. Atkins, 32792318, went down at Sprimont, Belgium. He was 9 days with Carlos Verlinden, Avenue de Oimes 23, Cointe Ougree. M. and Mme. Ruwet, Saive, P. of Liege, gave clothes and food. Mathew Diefer, Saive, Black market supplied food for them. Mlle. Suzanne Foulon, 38 Josef Lambert, Bressouse, Liege gave food, tobacco, clothes.

ATKIN'S STORY: WITH 8TH AIR FORCE, BOMBED BRUX CHECKOSLOVAKIA AND WERE HIT BY FLAK. MADE IT BACK TO BELGIUM WHEN THEY HAD TO BAIL OUT. TAIL GUNNER LEON DAVIES AND WAIST GUNNERS GEORGE BUSH AND VERNON MOODY WERE CAPTURED IMMEDIATELY. NAVIGATOR RICHARD LAULE, BOMBARDIER BRUCE CLOGO, BALL GUNNER RALPH MUNN, FLIGHT ENGINEER LLOYD MARTIN AND MYSELF WERE PROTECTED BY THE BELGIUM UNDERGROUND FOR SEVERAL WEEKS UNTIL THEY NEEDED A RADIO OPERATOR AND TOOK ME TO ANOTHER CELL OF THE UNDERGROUND. THAT SAME AFTERNOON, LAULE, CLAGO, MUNN AND MARTIN WERE CAPTURED BY THE GERMANS. NOBLE AND VIAFORE, PILOT AND COPILOT WERE PROTECTED BY THE BELGIAN UNDERGROUND FOR SEVERAL MONTHS AND EVENTUALLY MADE THEIR WAY TO FRANCE AND WERE PROTECTED BY THE FRENCH UNDERGROUND. THE FIRST WEEK IN AUGUST PILOT NOBEL LEFT THE COVER OF THE FRENCH UNDERGROUND TO TRY AND MAKE IT BACK TO ENGLAND. HE HAS NEVER BEEN HEARD OF SINCE AND IS LISTED AS KIA 8/8/44, COPILOT VIAFORE AND MYSELF WERE LIBERATED BY THE AMERICAN FORCES IN FRANCE AND BELGIUM.

BAILED OUT

T/SGT RADIO/GUNNER

ATKINSON, BERNARD

15AF 776SQ 464BG 29MAY44 12JUNE44

PARACHUTED INTO YUGOSLAVIA, PICKED UP BY PARTISANS AND FLOWN BACK TO ITALY BY C-47

S/SGT GUNNER B-24

ATKINSON, CHARLES E.

DECEASED 11MAR93

651 527BS 379BG 8-2-44

S/Sgt., 15084516 down St. Quentin -->-- Spain -->-- UK 18-5-44

ATKINSON, JOSEPH

1367 xxxxx 358FG 18AUG44

Atkinson was a 1st Lt., 0687223. Down Les Thelliers en Vexin, Eure. Mme. the widow Raymond Verdereau, Najers par Daugn, Eure (hidden in the Mayor's office). Liberated by U.S. Forces.

AUDA, ROBERT F.

DECEASED

1915 406BS 801BG 28MAY44

9SEP44

1st Lt. Auda, 0806936, went down near Ninove, Belgium. Helped by Francois Hennebert, 48 Rue au Lait, Aubchies, Belgium. M. Diserai, their friend, gave food and doctor.

AUGARTEN, RUDOLPH

AFEES

1031 406FS 371FG 10JUN44 14aug44????

4AUG44

LOUIS SOUTY, A MONTEILLE PAR MESNIL-MANGAR, CALVADOS, FRANCE
MR. LEPORTIER, COURTEILLES-PUTANGE, DEPARTMENT ORNE-FRANCE
MR RUDOLPH AUGARTEN (0675813) FLEW THUNDERBOLT, P-47 FIGHTER PLANE FROM HIS AIRFIELD IN RINGWOOD, ENGLAND. ON JUNE 10, 1944 HE WAS HIT BY FLAK OVER CAME, FRANCE AND BAILED OUT. HE HID ON A FARM FOR THREE WEEKS THEN LEFT AND JOINED UP WITH SOME BRITISH PARATROOPERS WHO HAD BEEN DROPPED OFF COURSE DURING THE INVASION. THEY WERE HIDING IN THE WOODS ABOUT 5-6 MILES BEHIND THE FRONT LINES IN NORMANDY. AS THE FRONT GOT CLOSER WE SPLIT UP INTO PAIRS AND LEFT OUR DITCH HIDEOUT. ANOTHER MAN AND I TRIED TO SNEAK THROUGH THE LINES BUT WERE INTERCEPTED AND CAPTURED. AFTER A COUPLE OF DAYS, I ENDED UP IN A CAMP (HOSE FARM) WITH ABOUT 400 OTHERS. A FEW DAYS LATER, 6 OF US ESCAPED IN PARIS. GERALD GORDON, AN ENGLISH PARATROOPER AND I FOUND OUR WAY TO ANOTHER FARM AND STAYED THERE FOR ABOUT 3 WEEKS. MORE GERMAN SOLDIERS CAME INTO THE AREA AND WE HAD TO LEAVE. WE GOT THROUGH TO AN ADVANCING INFANTRY COLUMN OF AMERICANS AND A FEW DAYS LATER, (AUGUST 14TH, 1944) I RETURNED TO COMBAT SERVICE WITH MY SQUADRON AND FLEW UNTIL APRIL, 1945 WHEN I RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES AS A CAPTAIN.
CAPTAIN

AUGUSTUS, ROBERT C.

AFEES

2068 703BS 445BG 12APR44

OCT44

M. Bollen, Burgomeister of Sart-les-Spa; Mme. Pagnoule and son Paul, 18 Rue Albert 1st., Theux, Belgium; M. and Mme. La Guest; Burgomeister of Grandnil (East of Marche); March, Vireux, France; Charles, Chief of Armee Blanche, Theux, Belgium; Francois Robert, a Belgian Gendarme; M. and Mme. Charles Bivort, Tiege Spa, Belgium; Mme. Panquer, Theux; Francois, Robert, Marceau, and Pierie of the FFI in France.

S/Sgt. Augustus bailed out of his B-24 in the vicinity of Malmedy, SE of Liege, Belgium. He landed on a hill in a herd of cows. He hid in the woods during the first day. At night he started walking westward on a road. A farmer gave him food and clothes. He had a broken ankle and burns for which the farmer tried to give first aid. He crossed into France near Givet and made contact with the FFI through a girl cow-herder. They took his picture and confirmed his identity. He moved into the woods with the Maquis whom he left after a fire fight with the Germans. He headed back into Belgium and contacted the Belgian UG at a farmhouse where he received medical treatment for trench foot and scabies. The Belgian UG moved him through a number of safe houses until he finally arrived at Theux which is halfway between Liege and Malmedy. There he stayed with Mme. Pagnoule who had a son, Paul. After a tank battle and attack by P-47's the town was liberated by the tank forces.

EE REPORT: S/Sgt. Augustus, 15096570, went down at Liege, Belgium. Helped by M. Bollen, the Burgomaster of Sart les Spa, Belgium, and by the Burgomaster of Chevron. M. Pagnoule Vancan, 18 Rue Albert 1st., Theux, Belgium. M. and Mme. La Guest. The Burgomaster of Grandnil (E. of Marche), Marche Vieux, France. Charles, l'Armee Blanche Chief of Theux, Belgium.

BAILED OUT

T/Sgt.

AUSTIN, HORACE W.
DECEASED EVADER
185 506BS 44BG 16-8-43
DECEASED 11/2/70
1st Lt., 0793711 of 10th Street, Virginia Beach, VA
down 50 miles N. of Potenza, Italy
UK 5-11-43

AUSTIN, JAMES C.
DECEASED EVADER
2231 xxxxx 474FG 25AUG44
DECEASED 11/2/70
Capt. Austin, 0740133, went down at Evieux, wounded, captured -->>-- sent to Hospital in Remis.
Liberated 30 AUG. by U.S.

AUSTIN, ROYCE F.
AFEES
15th xxxxx 460BG xxxxxxx

AVDEK, GEORGE M.
AFEES
2737 701BS 445BG 09AUG44
5DEC44
S/Sgt. Avdek, 16088997, escaped from a truck with help from a Frenchman. He stayed with M. and
Mme. Alfred Filliung, Hellering les Hamburg, Haut-Mozelle for three months. They operated a cafe in
Hellering.
BAILED OUT
S/SGT TAIL GUNNER B-24

AVERY, CHARLES E.
1289 xxxxx 401BG 14JUN44
Avery was a S/Sgt., 38200254. Same as # 1275, Mountain

AVERY, JOHN B.
711 ??? 351BG 24-2-44
1st Lt., 0739008 down Ailly 20 K South Amiens -- Edouard Robin, Gendarme, S'Sanfler?-- Balfe -->>--
Pau -->>-- Pamplona 8-5-44

AVERY, LESLIE M.
AFEES
XXXX 773RD 463RD 08AUG44
PARTISANS IN YUGOSLAVIA
TARGET WAS ODERTAL IN GERMANY. CRASH LANDED NEAR VOCIN, YUGOSLAVIA AND
RESCUED BY PARTISANS. PICKED UP AT NIGHT IN YUGOSLAVIA BY A TROOP CARRIER
C-47 FROM BARI, ITALY. WAS AIDED IN EVASION BY OSS AND A BRITISH MAJOR
WORKING IN UNDERGROUND WITH PARTISANS. OTHER CREW MEMBER: JAMES J. MC
KITTRICK, 500 EMERSON AVE. LAURELDALE, PA 19605.
CRASHED
SECOND LIEUTENANT

AXTON, JOHN T.
DECEASED
2311 xxxxx 367FG 12AUG44
27AUG44

2nd Lt. Axton, 0763027, went down between Domfront and Argentan. He was wandering around, captured -->-- Paris, La Pitre (Burned) - English flattened -->-- U.S.

AYCOCK, JOSEPH M.

2257 833BS 486BG 9SEP44

DECEASED 2/2/87

S/Sgt. Aycock, 34651938, went down at Walsoorden, Leeland, Holland. See # 2251, Yohn.

BABCOCK, FORD W.

AFEES EVADER

1891 426BS 92BG 4JAN44

9SEP44

Kees Poli, Policeman, Vosselveldt, Holland; M. Lilevelt, Lichtenwoorde, Holland; E. Moens, Rue President Evile, Brussels; Lt. Victor, 26 Rue Fontaine d'Amores; Gilbert Telesco (captured by Gestapo; Victor Nagels, 130 Marklebeck, Scharbeek, Brussels.

2nd Lt. Babcock, 0750268, went down at Vosselveldt, Holland. Aided in his escape by Dutch Policeman, Kees Poli -->-- departed toward Spain on 17 FEB., crossing the Meuse by boat -->-- convent at Lanklaar for 1 week -->-- Hasselt -->-- Brussels for 1 month.....captured at the home of/with the family Telesco (byGestapo) -->-- 10 weeks in St. Gilles -->-- escaped -->-- Scharbeek

BABCOCK, LAWRENCE

AFEES

1956 xxxxx 34BG 7AUG44

10SEP44

M. and Mme. Robert Lambin, 151 Rue Ninang, Chaud, Fontaines
S/Sgt. Babcock, 37507630, was downed in the area of Heive, Belgium.

BABIN, ALLEN L.

AFEES

xxxx 369BS 306BG 10APR45

1st Lt. Babin was Pilot on a mission to Oranienberg.

BACHMAN, MELVIN L.

1897 xxxxx 391BG 8MAY44

10 SEP44

S/Sgt. Bachman, 36058330, went down at Fortel en Artois, Pas de Calais. He was immediately helped -->-- Fillievres, home of Maurice Doulon until 26 JUNE -->--Raymond Marchez of the same village. # 1912, J.L. Cooper was with him.

BACHMANN, CARL E.

631 544BS 384BG 6-9-43

S/Sgt., 32462898 down Pontoise -->-- UK 11-5-44

BADGETT, HOMER H.

AFEES

1957 564BS 389BG 11JUL44

11SEP44

2nd Lt. Badgett, 0760762, went down 8 kilometers N. of Lille. He was first helped by a farmer near a fort held by the Germans, 8 k. N. of Lille for 5 days while the Germans searched, Then by M. and Mme. Wicquaet-Montrevil and their child at Fermede Pietre, Aubers, Nord.

BADGETT'S STORY: EUROPEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS, 8TH AIR FORCE, 453RD BOMB GROUP 735TH BOMB SQUADRON, BASED AT OLD BUCKENHAM ENGLAND, CO-PILOT ON A B-24 BOMBER.COMPLETED 15 MISSIONS WITH THE 453RD, TRANSFERRED TO 389TH BOMB GROUP, 564TH SQUADRON AND FLEW 2 MISSIONS ONLY THEN SHOT DOWN ON MY 17TH

MISSION. BASED IN HETHEL, NORFOLK ENGLAND. POSITION ON 17TH MISSION WAS "FORMATION CONTROL OFFICER" "I WAS HIT BY ANTI AIRCRAFT FLAK OVER MUNICH, GERMANY, REMAINED WITH THE CRIPPLED AIRCRAFT BACK TO LILLE, FRANCE. BAILED OUT WHEN THE ENGINES CUT OUT. PLANE CRASHED NEAR LILLE. UPON LANDING, BURIED PARACHUTE AND HID IN A WHEAT FIELD. LATER GIVEN HELP BY FRENCH PATRIOTS, WORKED MY WAY TO FRENCH UNDERGROUND. IT TOOK ME 63 DAYS TO GET BACK TO ENGLAND.

CREW: CHARLES "PAT" CRAWFORD, BOMBARDIER, 520 MANN DRIVE, MOBILE, ALABAMA 36608, TEL (707) 342-4064; #959 RONALD "RON" SMITH, GUNNER, 391 MONO DRIVE, VACAVILLE, CA 925687, TEL. (707) 448-4592; #763 DONALD C. CARTER ASN 12158636, ENGINEER AND GUNNER, ADDRESS UNKNOWN; #732 DONALD V. DONOVAN, ASN 0697827 RADAR BOMBARDIER, ADDRESS UNKNOWN; A MAJOR, PATHFINDER COMMAND PILOT-NONE OF US CAN REMEMBER HIS NAME. THIS WAS THE ONLY FLIGHT WE MADE WITH HIM.

LT./COPILOT/B-24/8AF

BAGLIO, JOSEPH P.

AFEES

14th 26FS 51FG 10JUN44

SEP44

Dr. Frey ; Tser Tsun Fao ; General Neah Rhin Gin

Baglio came down near Taiyuan, China. He received help from Dr. Frey and from the Chinese 8th Route Army (Chinese Communist). -- Tser Tsun Fao and General Neah Rhin Gin. The escape was accomplished by walking and horseback.

BAILED OUT

Lt.Col.

BAILEY, CHARLES K.

DECEASED

384 350BS 100BG 19-8-43

S/Sgt., 38152388 down Diepenbek, Prov. Limbourg, Belgium -->-- Sophie Germani -->-- Perpignan

BAILEY, F. M.

AFEES

S/Sgt. Bailey reports being shot down four (4) times.

Once in the water near Malta.

Once on a raid on Benghazi when he got food and water from Arabs and after 4 or 5 days was picked up by British Long Range Desert Patrol, returning to base after 19 days.

A third time was in 1943, when he got out with a dark headed, medium height guy from Texas, believed to be the Engineer.

The fourth time was on a raid to Wiesbaden, Germany, when the plane exploded after he made his jump. He had no help of any kind until he was picked up about 75 days later by Australian troops in the Eastern Part of France (believed to be somewhere outside Rouen. He reports having lost 52 lbs. during his evasion, finally weighing 147 lbs. (he stands 6'-3").

BAILED OUT

CAPT.

BAILLEY, WILLIAM J.

873 713BS 391BG 12-6-44

2nd Lt., 01165469 down Bonnemain -- Mauris Iris near Pont d'Atelle; Jean Pierre David, 20 yrs old of St. Briac; Lambert, epicier of Combours; M. Molontoni? of Bonnemain -->-- 2-8-44

BAIRSTOW, EDMUND N.

DECEASED EVADER

727 339BS 96BG 25--2-44
DECEASED 5/19/84
2nd Lt., 0681997 down Mouzon Vonsiers Monthois -- Dr Michel Poirier, 18 rue Pierre Leroux, Reims
-->>-- Oay -->>-- 7-5-44 Isaba

BAJENSKI, JEROME J.
DECEASED EVADER
715 364BS 305BG 25-2-44
DECEASED 12/27/89
T/Sgt., 15011179 down Stonne Vouziers #712

BAKER, ARTHUR C.
2909 785BS 453BG 27SEP44
27SEP44
S/Sgt. Baker, 36566397, went down at St. Vith, Belgium. He rejoined U.S. forces the same day.

BAKER, JAMES L.
AFEEES

JAMES L. BAKER, AN AERIAL GUNNER (BALL TURRET) LAST ASSIGNMENT;
U.S. NAVY; EUROPEAN/MEDITERRANEAN; AT THAT TIME WAS SEAMAN 1ST CLASS,
ASSIGNED TO AIR- CRAFT CARRIER USS LAKE CHAMPLAIN (CV-39); TDY'D TO "SPECIAL
MISSION" COVERT MISSIONS OF A U.S. ARMY AIR FORCE SQUADRON. VOLUNTEERED FOR
MISSION. WAS TOLD ONLY THAT MY AIRCRAFT WOULD UNDERTAKE A "HAZARDOUS
RESCUE MISSION IN A DENIED AREA" IN 1945; TRANSFERRED FROM MY SQUADRON TO A
SPECIAL OPERATIONS SQUADRON; FLEW INTO SLOVENIA (INFORMED LATER) TO PICK-UP
VIP & ASSOCIATE(S) IDENTITIES UNKNOWN. DURING TIME ONGROUND, WAS FIRED UPON
BY UNKNOWN PARTIES (INFORMED LATER THEY WERE COMMUNISTS FROM TITO'S
GROUP). WE FLEW OVER THE ISLAND OF RAB, WHERE FORMER POW CAMP WAS LOCATED
AND WHERE ONE OF THE RESCUED VIPS WAS A PRISONER AND NOW ON TITO'S
BLACKLIST. HEARD OSS HANDLED CASE. LT. JOHNSON FROM VIRGINIA, PILOT. I DON'T
KNOW IF HE IS DEAD OR ALIVE NOW; RADIOMAN 3RD CLASS LOHR OF NORTH CAROLINA
(SAME-UNKNOWN ADDRESS); OSS MAJOR, NAME UNKNOWN - WAS A FORMER
INTELLIGENCE AGENT AND A SCIENTIST. I WAS KEPT ON A "NEED TO KNOW"
INFORMATION BASIS AND REALLY DIDN'T KNOW MUCH ABOUT IT AT ALL. THE FORMER
"INTELLIGENCE AGENT/SCIENTIST" WAS A "MONARCHIST THEY SAID! HE WAS SUPPOSED
TO HAVE WORKED THROUGH DRAJA MIKHAILOVICH, THE EXECUTED PARTISAN CHIEF
WHILE HE WAS ACTIVE IN YUGOSLAVIA. THAT ALL I KNOW AND LEARNED ABOUT THE
WHOLE MISSION. INCIDENTALLY, I SPENT MY ENTIRE CAREER IN INTELLIGENCE AND
RETIRED IN 1982. FOURTEEN YEARS WITH THE CIA, 10 YEARS AS AN INTELLIGENCE
OFFICER WITH THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, AND AS A U.S. ARMY MILITARY
INTELLIGENCE OFFICER, OVER A TWENTY-TWO YEAR PERIOD. BOTH IN THE RESERVE
AND WHILE ON ACTIVE DUTY, MOST OF WHICH TIME I WAS A SPECIAL FORCES
UNCONVENTIONAL WELFARE OFFICER.

WAR PIRE

BAKER, JOSEPH C.
AFEEES
1260 729BS 452BG xxxxxxxx
2nd Lt. Baker was helped by the Russian Partisans and escaped by way of Teheran, Algeria, Casablanca, to
the UK on 12 AUG 44.
SEE STORY UNDER ALFRED LEA

BAKER, MILFORD R.
AFEEES
1547 572BS 391BG xxxxxxxx

T/Sgt. Baker, 31987350. See # 1542 Erickson

BAKER, WILLIAM F.

2529 72TCS 434TCG 17SEP44

DECEASED 9/4/74

2nd Lt. Baker, 02059885, C-47, went down E. of Oirchot (N.Brabant), Holland. A woman farmer, Father Meyer in a Monastery at Straten for 4 days (lived in style?)-->>-- farmhouse of Hohann Huple with #'s 2597, 2596, hut in the woods for 10 days at Delogt. For 3 weeks with Huple, Louis Tiemier and a farmer took them to another place near Tilburg -->>-- Moegestel, impossible to cross the canal Wilhelmine -->>-- farm at Mogestel, Oisterwijk guided by Jan Kliberg and a girl to 100 Allied in the woods.

BAKER, WILLIAM M.

AFEES

2745 562BS 388BG 5SEP44

4DEC44

Mlle. M. Bailly, Le Rudlin par Plainfaing, Vosges, France (Decorated by U.S. and France for helping); Mlle. Leonie Hecktsweiler, c/o Chez Madame L. Raul, 12 Ruede la Bretagne, Mulhouse, Alsace, France; M. Seraphim Bertrand, Friland H'Rhin,?; M. Alphonse Haxaire, Le Rudlin par Plainfaing, Vosges, France; M. and Mme. Henri George, Rue D'Alsace, Plainfaing, Vosges.

S/Sgt. Baker, 14101126, Engineer/Gunner, Top Turret, B-17, out of Knettishall, U.K., went down on return from bombing Stuttgart, Germany. He bailed out, landing in Vosges mountains near "Le Rudlin, Alsace-Lorraine Region, France, about 150 miles behind the German lines. Evaded capture living in the mountains with the FFI. Came out on 16 DEC. 44. THEY WERE IN THE LT. PAASKES CREW OF "MOONLIGHT SERENADE" WHICH HAD BEEN CHRISTENED BY MAJOR GLENN MILLER, THE ORCHESTRA LEADER. SEE # 2741, SYDLOWSKI AND # 2742, HAYGOOD, and # 2639, JOHN S. WELLS. BAKER WAS ENGINEER.

BAILED OUT

BALCUNAS, JOHN

801 ??FBS 36FBG 21-5-44

DECEASED 5/6/81

1st Lt., 0791175 down St. Germain de Conlamer 26 K SW of Alencon -->>--occasional helpers -->>-- Spain

BALDWIN, VERNON L., JR.

AFEES

15AF 416BD 99BG 2APR44

CRASH LANDED IN YUGOSLAVIA, SOUTH OF ZAGREB. WALKED BY DAY AND NIGHT UNTIL CONTACTED PARTISANS. FLOWN BACK TO BARI, ITALY BY C 47 WHICH LANDED AT NIGHT ON A GRASS FIELD WITH BONFIRES FOR LIGHT. PICKED UP AT DVAR WHERE BRITISH MISSION WAS LOCATED. PILOT-JOSEPH MOFFIT, NAV. JOHN GOLDEN, ENG, T/SGT KRAMER, GUNNERS SGT BARKER, SGT DALEY, SGT MALONE, SGT FAST. RADIO ROBT MORI.

OT

2ND LT B-17 CO-PILOT

BALK, VILAS D.

1261 355FS 354FG 26JUL44

Balk was a 2nd Lt., 0674274. Down e Miles West of Damville. Pilau, teacher, Albert Pelletier. # 2118

BALLARD, LEON "BUD"

AFEES

xxxx 775BS 463BG 6APR44

T/Sgt. Ballard (Engineer/Tail Gunner, B-17G "BANSHEE") went down at 16:20 hours over N. Yugoslavia at 40-10 North 16-5 East. After 6 days alone he made contact with the Partisans and stayed with them for 45 days. He was MIA for 51 days.

CREW: PILOT--MICHAEL WISTOCK, 1520 STONEHAMWAY, LA HABRA, CA 90631;
BOMBARDIER--JACKSON D. KIEFER, OSCEOLA COMMUNITY CHURCH, OSCEOLA, MO.
64776; GUNNER--ROY P. COLE, 436 THOMAS SW #A, BURLESON, TX 76028;
GUNNER--BERNARD CUMMINGS, 3239 JOSIE AVE., LONG BEACH, CA 90808; GUNNER--JACK
ROBINSON, 803 AZTEC ST., BURK BURNETT, TX 76354; RADIO--CHESTER MAJEWSKI, 88 4th
AVE., PORT READING, NJ 07064; GUNNER--ROBERT APPLEBEE, GUILFORD, ME 04443. ALL
OTHERS WERE POW'S
BAILED OUT

BALLINGER, OLAF M.
248 533BS 381BG 4-7-43
DECEASED 9/10/55
1st Lt., 0736459 down La Coulanche ? -->-- to Spain alone

BANIAS, BILL B.
2328 735BS 453BG xxxxxxx
2nd Lt. Bantias, 0760532, went down at Boron (Belfort). -- Switzerland ?

BANKS, WILLIAM H.
917 ??FS 474FG 27-7-44
1st Lt., 0748874 St. Suzanne, 28 Miles W. of Sable sur Sarthe, Dr. LeNormand, 25 yrs old; Mlle. Riviere,
Sable sur Sarthe; Gelot and Mme. Vian, Lahaye descartes -->-- C-47 10-8-44

BARANOFSKY, STANLEY
1142 712FS 448FG 1APR44
DECEASED 2/23/66
2ND.LT., 0687922 Down Avesnes le Comte, Pas de Calais. Helped by Gaston Lecoq, Estree Wamin.
Ernestine Sainsolieux, Monchel and M. Soall, the mayor of Fontaine Bellenger and Maurice Ferrrand,
Vernon, Eure

BARBER, CHARLES S.
2123 418BS 100BG 4AUG44
DECEASED 8/28/56
2nd Lt. Barber, 01552839?, went down at Beaujon, wounded, taken prisoner. Dr. Chicot and Dr. Dupree,
Hapt, Beaujon. Mme. Bigard, Director of Administration, collaborated with the Germans.

BARKER, GRANT
1725 554BS 386BG 11AUG44
DECEASED 11/8/67
Sgt. Barker, 39078496. Down Gourney. Stayed with H. Burny, farmer at Villerssur Auchy par Senantes,
Oise.

BARKER, MABRY D.
AFEEs
2967 3223BS 91BG 26NOV44
14APR45

T/Sgt. Barker, 39705634, went down at Veenhuizen, Holland. Bill Woering, Veenhuizen 11, 23 yrs. old,
contacted him as soon as he landed, provided a German Uniform and bike, took him to a house to hide.
Mr. Mayering, 55 yrs. old, Veenhuizen, boss of the prison farm, sheltered him from 26 NOV. to 13 DEC.
H.L. DeVries, and wife, Oudehorne 169, 67 and 69 yrs. old, from 19 DEC.44 to 1 APR.45. J. Krol,
Lippenhuizen, Police Commissioner, 6th District, 45 yrs. old, from 1 APR. to 14 APR.45.

TECH/SGT. TAIL GUNNER

BARLOW, ARCHIE R.

AFEES

687 68BS 44BG 21-1-44

T/Sgt., 14151313 down Somme -->>-- UK 30-5-44

BARNACLE, JOHN F.

AFEES

xxxx 720BS 450BG 17MAR44

7APR44

TITO'S PARTISANS

S/Sgt. Barnacle (Gunner, B-24 "TRUE LOVE") out of Manduria, Italy, went down over Yugoslavia. Bailed out and landed 8 miles NE of Luski-Palanka (near Sanski Most). Was rescued, aided and assisted by Tito's Partisans who fed them, gave them shelter, hid them from the Germans [(one was named Geo (Duro) Novakovic)]. Walked from Sanski Most to Petrovac over snowy mountain, guided by a young Yugoslav Captain named Daniel (first name). Flown out by C-47 on 7 APR 44.

BAILED OUT

BARNES, HARRY H.

DECEASED

1345 xxxxx 352FG 13AUG44

1SEP44

Barnes was a 1st Lt., 0812731. Down Braquetuit (SI). Leopold Loyel Family of Braquetuit near St. Vivtor l'Ablaye. Liberated 1 SEPT. 44 by the Canadians.

BARNES, JAMES C.

2243 325BS 92BG 2MAR44

DECEASED 12/22/76

S/Sgt. Barnes, 34386317, went down N. of Lunderziel, Belgium. He spent 10 days with M. Luckyx, Willebroek, Belgium. Also helped by Mme. Lea Bande, 51 Quai deBrabant, Charleroi. Put together a plan to try for Paris with Barnes in woman's clothing. They got as far as the frontier and returned. M. Bande had already been betrayed by a UK imposter and was cautious. Other helpers: M. and Mme. Lucien Massart-Piron, 12 Rue de l'Ecluse, Charleroi (food and tobacco); Andre Orsene, 14 rue de l'Eglise, Dampremy (provided money to Mme. Bande); M. and Mme. Marcel Gervais, Ave. Eng. Mascaux 19, Charleroi (furnished hiding places); Alfred Longue-Jacob, Rue del'Eglise Bouffioulse, Charleroi was a frequent visitor.

BARNES, W. H.

1638 xxxxx 56FG 12AUG44

7SEP44

2nd Lt. Barnes, 0744576. Down North of France in the Bismark Forest. In Marcilles helped by Gaston Melot on 13 August. M. and Mme. and Mlle. Jean deSoblin.

BARR, HARVEY B.

DECEASED 12FEB93

569 332BS 94BG 31DEC43

LOCATED BY 94 BG IN 1975

2nd Lt., 0682130 down Saints --Jean Dulac 96 Rue de Villandraut, Langon Gironde# 560 -->>-- Spain

BARR, STUART K.

AFEES

1061 xxxxx 448BG 20MAR44

Le Fayel, cafe/garage; M. George Valois, Roreville; Philippe Lake; Lemonnier; 2R. E. Renau(?); Maquis de Lucien

FROM EE REPORT:

ÄF/O, T061270 down North of Arques le Bataille, Foret Fontaine near Dourden

Le Fayel, Cafe/Garage, M. Georges Valois, Roreville

M. Lemonier 2 K. E. Renan -->-- Maquis de Lucien

Lake

EE report info. gives 306 BG and MIA Date of 10MAR44 ???

BARRETT, CHARLES L.

EVADER

1530 xxxxx xxxxx xxxxxxxx

Sgt. Barrett, 33437240. Down East Sonne

BARRETT, HARRY S.

319 ???? 2BG ??-8-43

S/Sgt., 33252009 down Eygaliers near Carpentros -->-- Narbonne -->-- guide was Anton to Figueras

BARRITT, BLAINE H.

VADER

DECEASED 2/1/77

905 705BS 446BG 30-6-44

2nd Lt., 0703422 Leon Bushnell, Leon Brassier, of Meziere; the Mayor of L'Huede and his daughter Michelle; Mme. Samsin, Plouasse; Rene Pinault, Mme. Petit of ??Soleil near St. Theral; Homo, ex-Mayor of St. Theral; Henriette and Pierre Bory, of Lainernais near Plouasne

BARRON, WILLIAM S.

1679 853BS 491BG 17AUG44

7SEP44

2nd Lt. Barron, 0754618. Down Nantua, France. 1 week, Maquis at Giron, Ain. 2 weeks with Mme. Brousette at Champdor, fed at a Hotel nearby.

BARSUK, CLARENCE S.

1287 614BS 401BG 29APR44

Barsuk was a 2nd Lt., 0755286. Down somewhere in Germany. Robert Etienn at Fougieruer -->-- La Garenne la Folie: the mayor, Andre Lafaulere, Saresnes, 1week -->-- M. A. Verdier, 129 Rue de Saresnes, Nanterre

BARTHOLEMEW, GABRIEL P.

1775 389FS 366FG 13JUL44

2nd Lt. Bartholemew, 0817875, down Vallee de Cerisse, 15 miles NE of Tours. Maurice Jamin, a baker, of that town for 9 days. -->-- Raymond Simonneau, owner of Cafe Pigeon -->-- 1 week home of a maker of clogs -->-- La Breuvenue 5 k. East of Betz le Chateau with Marcel Gonault, 51 Blvd. St. Jacques, Paris 14 for 3 weeks. #'s 1708, 1709. helped by Mme. de la Verteville, Chateau de la BelleChapelle, near Briared and by Prof. Maurice, owner of Chateau-Chartreux. Same as 1708.

BARTLETT, PAUL E.

AFEES

1241 847BS 489BG 2JUN44

Bartlett was a Sgt. (No. is that of F/O), T-61958. Down Cretz. Marcello Martin, 13 yrs old, Villeneuve St. Denis. Georges Plaquet, 8 Rue Notre Dame, Corbeil. Jean Mehuet, 190 Rue de la Convention, Paris. Guilbert Bourbrier, 20 Rue Paul Morin, Nanterre. Michel Place, Domfront. Robert David Libraire, Lagny. George Gillard, 26 Grande Rue Linas, Mont Chery. Berton Crune, Lagny

Note: George Gillard shows up regularly in these reports.

BARTON, LEONARD L.

AFEES

2295 511BS 351BG 9AUG44

Edmond De Bacts, Vereecke Dorptstraat 96; Winkel, St. Kruis, Belgium

T/Sgt., 18162469, on the return from a raid to Munich, went down at Beveland, Holland. Trapped at Selzate, Belgium by the Germans; escaped by the window. F/Lt.Dennis, RAF, taken.

BASKETTE, THEODORE R.

1355 xxxxx 457BG 14JUN44

29AUG44

Baskette was a 2nd Lt., 0755624. Down Fleury la Foret, Eure. M. Andre Schyel of Fayel, Eure; M. Touraine, notary, of Fleury la Foret. Chief of the Maquis, Jacques Deselands; Farm of Joseph Vermoulin for 8 days. -->-- Touraine (met US Dr. Bridgman?) -->-- M. Hugnette-Lambert to Abbe le Mortemer par Mouesqueville, Eure(5 US) until 29 AUG 44.

W. F. BAUMBACK

DECEASED

2033 862BS 493BG 15AUG44

DECEASED 2/26/81

T/Sgt. Baumback, 33548652, went down at Ruysselede, Belgium. See record of # 2031 Pease.

BAYLE, DAVID FINCH

783 401FBS 370FBG ??????

DECEASED DATE UNK.

Capt., 0441822 -->-- 23-6-44

BEACH, ARTHUR R.

AFEES

286 3BS 92BG 6-9-43

MARIE ROSD GILBERT; TRULEY MARCELL DERE; ABBY JETON BONARD

Check spelling on all of these!

T/Sgt., 39827027 down Troyes, N/W Paris-->-- Perpignan -->-- Figueras

CREW: WAYNE BOGARD; ROBERT LARSON; MCGREW; CLARENCE CRUTCHFIELD GIBBS;

FLOYD CARL FRAUTLUSIE; HERSHEL RICHARDSON

BAILED OUT

BEAMAN, NORMAN V.

1213 xxxxx 365FG

Beaman was a Capt., 0680837. # 894

BEAR, JOHN Y.

1667 xxxxx 801BG 7AUG44

T/Sgt. Bear, 33231308. Down at 0230 hours near Mons, Belgium. Mme. Claisse, Neuville (near Maubeuge). M. Albert Vaillant, Valle Mulatre, 5 kilometers North, a farmer. Wamgny -->-- US

BEARD, CHARLES D.

AFEES

1976 339BS 96BG 4MAR44

Petters; Camille LaPage, Namur, Belgium; others

F/O Beard, T.120531, was Co-Pilot of a B-17 and was shot down over Germany on 2nd Berlin attempt. It was his 15th mission. He went down 9 miles from Nivelles, Belgium. was Co-Pilot of a B-17 and was shot down over Germany on 2nd Berlin attempt. He was liberated by the 1st Army.

The Pilot was Paul Herring, 1439 Coconut Drive, Ft. Myers, FL 33902

BEAUCHEMIN, ALBERT E.

AFEES

xxxx 740BS 455BG 14OCT44

10NOV44

Yugoslavian Partisans

B-24 Armorer/gunner S/Sgt. Beauchemin's plane was hit on a raid on the Blechhammer Oil Refinery in S. Poland. He bailed out and was picked up by the Partisans near Banja Luka and taken to Sanski Most which was the assembly point for downed airmen. He was brought out by a 15th AF rescue plane on 10 NOV 44. CREW MEMBERS: PILOT--RICHARD J. VON SCHRILTZ, 0705892, 43-577 ACACIA DR., PALM DESERT, CA 92260; CO-PILOT--STANLEY M. IVERSON, 0709148, 6203 MAGNOLIA LANE, MAPLE GROVE, MN 55369; NAVIGATOR--CHARLES BRAZELTON, 02058404 (DECEASED); BOMBARDIER--JEROME WEINBERG, (SUBSTITUTE CREW MEMBER); ENGINEER--WILLIAM H. TAYLOR, 14161828 (DECEASED); RADIO--WALTER W. LIPPS, 14119813 (DECEASED); ARMORER--ALBERT E. BEACHEMIN, 11106402, 3 CEDAR LANE, ADAMS, MASS 01220; GUNNER--CRAIG KING, 33413360 (LAST CONTACT 1955); GUNNER--ARTHUR S. COLTON, JR., 36641501 (DECEASED); TAIL-GUNNER--FRANK LASHINSKY. ON RETURN THEY BECAME THE LEAD CREW AND ON LASHINSKY'S 25th MISSION TO FLORISDORF OIL REFINERY, VIENNA, AUSTRIA THEY HAD TO GO MAKE AN EMERGENCY LANDING IN HUNGARY 12 MAR 1945. 7 OF THE CREW WERE CAPTURED BY THE GERMANS. BAILED OUT

BEAULIEU, JOSEPH F.

AFEES

XXXX 718BS 449BG 23APR44 XXXXXXXX

CRASH LANDED IN YUGOSLAVIA AFTER FLAK AND FIGHTER ATTACK. PLANE WAS "QUEEN BEE". HELPED BY YUGOSLAVIAN PARTISANS AND WALKED OUT WITH THEIR ESCORT. TOOK 21 DAYS ALSO WITH 4 MEMBERS OF A B-17 CREW, TWO WERE; THOMAS CARROLL (AFEES) AL WILLING (AFEES). - CREW, M.S. ROUSE, PILOT; R.M. MILLER (AFEES); R.B. BICHER; B.F. ERWIN; N.S. THOMAS; C.L. MEZO; J.F. BEAULIEU; J.S. WALTERS; T.N. NILSON.

CRASHED

GUNNER B-24h 15AF

BECHTEL, ROBERT W.

DECEASED 5-13-95

844 ??BS 384BG 13-4-44

S/Sgt., 13096713 down Rambricourt 16 K ESE St. Michiel, Meuse -- Dr. Schwartz of Sansey and Cr. Schmidt, M. Verot, chief of the Maquis, Baron Buraliste at Toril, Robert Forin-Champs Elysees, Paris. Story on application. "Crash landed April 13, 44 at Rambricourt France (near Nancy) took a truck Epernay to Paris, Paris to Toulouse by train. Help from M/M Claude Durif 87 rue du Serent Blandan 5400 Nancy & Jimmy Cyriaque 55300 St. Mihiel. From Toulouse we stayed on a farm and then walked across the Pyrenees Mtns into Spain. Went from a restaurant to Saragosa and then to an Air Force base and then to Alhambra to a hotel. Then to Gibraltar and back to England. Was with the 384th BG for about two weeks and this was his first mission with them. He was with the 384th BG for a year. His original crew went on a mission when he was off flying status and were all killed.

T/SGT BALL TURRET GUNNER

JENNINGS B. BECK

AFEES

649 334BS 95BG 29-1-44

MME JABRA DEL PORTE; M/M DEL PORTER; HILDA PEEL; ELSA CALLENS AND A NUMBER OF PEOPLE WITH ELSA WHOSE NAMES I DON'T REMEMBER.

2nd Lt., 0673453 down Belgium -->-- France -->-- Spain

CREW: OMAR PATTERSON (DECEASED); ANDREW ROSANTINSKY; PHIL WARNER; FRANCIS WITT, YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO WHOM I MET IN THE PYRENESE; MET GENERAL CHUCK YEAGER IN THE PYRENESE. ~~7th, 8th, 9th~~
BAILED OUT
1ST LT-NAVIGATOR-8THAF

BECKER, JAMES K. D.

AFEES

2206 331BS 94BG 14OCT43

Farmer, Florey; Andre Joseph Audrist, Florey; Mme. Mary Francois

2nd Lt. Becker was downed in the vicinity of Verdun. He was helped by a farmer at Florey, about 30 kilometers NW of Nancy. He then spent 5 days with Andre Joseph Audrist at Florey. Met M.... -->-- to Nancy. He was stopped, taken to the FFI, then taken to Mme. Mary Francois ... Guided by Phillip -->-- Belfort .. Delle .. Porrentruy .. Switzerland.

BEEBE, WILLIAM H.

2005 508PAR 82ABD 6JUN44

12SEP44

Pvt. Beebe, 38468478, Captured D-Day -->-- 1 week monastery of St. Lo., marched to Barefoot to Cherbourg then same to Rennes without food, changed to train -- one loaf of bread for 3 days -- Saved from the train with Lt. Fredenberg, a pilot -->-- helped in the Chateau de St. Martin -->-- Maquis, Chateau Renault -->--US.

BEHN, CLAUD W.

DECEASED

214-475-3791

15th 782BS 465BG 16DEC44

Nose Gunner (B-24) Behn bailed out on a raid on Brux, Yugoslavia. He bailed out over the area of Kappellan Alpo, Yugoslavia on 16 DEC 44.

** Other crew members were Alex O. Swanson, Jr., Pittsburgh, PA.; Mack J. Kirby of Cincinnati, OH. area; Arnold J. Roth, Appleton, WI **

BAILED OUT

BEHRENS, R. O.

EVADER

770 754BS 458BG ??????

T/Sgt., 364335582 down Sermaise St. Vrain - Jean Vidal, a teacher - Annette Collet -->-- Dax # 764 2-6-44

BEILSTEIN, JOHN N.

52802

DECEASED 29OCT96

557 524BS 379BG 16-9-43

1st Lt., 0733514 down Bain de Bretagne -- Leon Gravier -- Lareau 11-4-44 Obriceta

BELL, CECIL EARL

EVADER

85 1TCC 453TCG 14-7-43

Sgt., 38200338 Pleuvan Quimper (Jean Barriere)

23/8 --> Boat

BELL, GLYDON D.

EVADER

298 ???? ???? ??-10-43

1st Lt., ?????? down Varde, Denmark -->-- Stockholm 17-10-43

BELL, NORMAN L.

DECEASED

1948 xxxxx 386BG 22FEB44

11SEP44

S/Sgt. Bell, 15101442, went down at Utrecht, Holland. He was helped by M. and Mme. Julian Jacobs, Rue Mullebrard Van Derck 114, Evere, Brussels; Mme. HenriBerri, Rue de Moerkerke 25, Schaerbeek; M. Maneguet, 33 Rue Maes, Brussels; M. John Castermanne, 52 Ave. Sleenckx, Brussels; M. C. Walschap, 17 Rue Henri Drape, Strombeek; Capt. Intendent J. Perpette, 19 Rue Alexandre de Cagna, Brussels; M. Bouchat, 22 Rue Eeckelaers, Brussels; Mlle. Lucienne Michoel, 16 Rue de Liedekerke, Brussels; Louis Debot, 83 Ave. Jean Linden, Brussels; Mme. A. Matison, 31a Rue Raeymaechers, Brussels; Mme. Marie Cortuelenot, 130 Rue Van der Linden, Schaerbeek.

BELLUOMINI, WILLIAM E.

EVADER

1582 333BS 94BG 9MAY44

KNOWN TO HAVE PAID HIS DUES TO 94 BOMB GROUP IN 1994.

BELTON, CECIL K.

EVADER

2847 xxxxS xxxxG 20JAN45

6MAR45

2nd Lt. Belton, 0778379, Pilot, went down at Midhoud, Holland. Chicken house with 16 U.G. Klaas and Billy gave clothes -->-- Spanboek -->-- Zaardam -->-- Amsterdam, guided by Janish and from 2 to 14 FEB. in the HQ of the U.G. (central telephone relay and long distance radio transmitters) directed by Hans, formerly of Britain, disguised in Medicine. 4 girls transmitted and decoded (Loli, Geraldina, Josephine, and one American) -->-- Alphen with Radcliffe for 1 night. On 15 FEB. to Rotterdam with 2 guides, Black Bill and White Bill -->-- Zwijndrecht, guided by Pierre until 19 FEB. Tried to cross the Maas R., tried to contact Capt. Heep, a Canadian, who Commands a Patrol Boat. Many houses in Slidrecht. On 6 MARCH at house near the river, point of departure for the operations by boat, home of a 26 yr. old woman = HANS. Crossing to Tilburg -- French Canadians.

BENDT, WILLIAM E.

AFEES

2166 838BS 487BG 12SEP44

2nd Lt. Bendt, 0823265, went down 5 miles NE. of St. Vith, Belgium. He walked 64 K. SW. and met the U.S. troops. FLEW OUT OF LAVENHAM, ENGLAND 1993 BAILED OUT
1ST LT. PILOT B-17

GLEN E. BENEDA

AFEES

14thAF 76FS 23FG 6MAY44

20JUN44

CHINESE COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS

(14th AF) Capt. Beneda bailed out of his P-51 over China, near Hankow, and walked to freedom, helped by the Chinese Communist Guerrillas.

BAILED OUT

BENNETT, CHARLES A.

EVADER

223 323BS 91BG 17-8-43

1st Lt., 0729796 down Aerschot, Belgium -->-- Dax

BENNETT, EUGENE E.

AFEES

894 62FS 56FG 7JUN44

4SEP44

(AGNES)

Jean Buffon; Dick Chadburn (UK); Jeanne Buffon and Family; Madeleine LePortier and Family.

2nd Lt. Bennett went down on D-Day + One near Argentan, France. He was helped by two farm families and the Underground. He worked with the resistance and waited for Patton's forces. Flew back in a C-47 from a 9th AF base in France.

FROM EE REPORT: 2nd Lt., 08816034 down Habboville, Orne - Dick (UK) - Leportie Family, Courtville, Orne - Georges and Jeannette Buffon, Rennes, Orne - Henri Tournet, 48 Rue Inkerman, Neuilly; Mayor of Lenhelan arranged burial of Kenneth Zierdt, radio operator of the plane; Georges Allin for 13 days; Curtin, baker of Le Tranchet; Lambert at Combouy?, Malorqui? at Bonnemain; M. and Mlle. Bressen
BAILED OUT

BENNETT, GEORGE F.

AFEES

650 527BS 379BG 8FEB44

S/Sgt. Bennett went down in the vicinity of St. Quentin

BENSON, NORMAN C.

1439 xxxxx 448BG 5MAR44

DECEASED 3/5/91

S/Sgt. Benson, 37178337. Down 15 miles from Niort -->-- the Mayor of Benet, Das, discovered Ross 803, Grant 1436, Restaurant Chauvand -- Bertrand -- Glaviere family at Villefagnan -- Farmer Lafond, Bobin, Mororir ? (dead of natural causes)-- Mme. Mesnard at Longre, Charente -->-- # 1438 Garrett

BENTZ, HAROLD E.

1716 xxxxx 305BG 29MAY44

6JUL44

2nd Lt. Bentz, 0733590. Down near Mur (North of Pontivy). 1 Gendarme took him to an English-speaking Countess who gave him a ticket and the names of Lady Lucas and Suzanne Legrand (Lady Lucas' daughter) in Paris. -->-- to Paris, 3 girls, Alice, Simone and ??? Keller in front of Renault sheltered him. -->-- Switzerland, Glion.

BERARD, FRANCIS J.

1427 612BS 401BG 19JUN44

3SEP44

S/Sgt., 11042453, Same details as 1426, Stelljes

BERGERON, LEONARD F.

DECEASED

488 423BS 306BG ??????

S/Sgt., 11083443 down Wavignies ???? -->-- St. Brieuc 20-3-44

BERGERON, WOODROW J.

AFEES

7th xxxxx 12TFW xxxxx69

BERGLIND, ELMO

773 xxxxx 363FG xxxxxxx

5JUN44

DECEASED JULY 24, 92

2nd Lt. Berglind went down in the vicinity of Le Mesnil sur Oger, France. Went to Metz and Nancy then to Pau, where he was helped by Rose Marie ???. He made his way through Spain to freedom.

BERGMAN, WILLIAM E.

DECEASED 88

1724 xxxxx 305BG 24APR44

Sgt. Bergman, 20306784. Down Auberton, France near the Belgian Frontier. Mlle. Genevieve Tavernier, 25 Rue Paul Doumer, Chauny, Aisne.

BERNIER, JOHN F.

AFEES

537 xxxxx 379BG xxxxxxxx

24MAR44

S/Sgt. Bernier went down near Compiègne Fleury Clermont -->-- Margot DiGiacomo, Yvonne Latrace, 5 Rue Beaudin, Levallois-Perret, a Northern suburb of Paris -->-- Plouha -->-- 24-3-44

BERNOSKE, ROBERT

1537 xxxxx 355FG xxxxxxxx

4SEP44

1st Lt. Bernoske, 0525128

BERRY, FRANKLIN S.

2186 xxxxx 381BG 3SEP44

DECEASED 4/29/87

Sgt. Berry, 3754192, went down at St. Marcel near Dijon. See # 2184, Harrington.

BERRY, JAMES L.

238 327BS 92BG 17-8-43

S/Sgt., 3238203 down Betha, 20 K from Trugren, Belgium -->-- Irun

BERRY, SHIRLEY D.

456 ??BS 389BG 7JAN44 18mar44

Co-Pilot on the crew with Mannuel Rogoff and Russell Pacquin. 2nd Lt., 0806783 down St. Louis du Vin, Egry, Loriet -- Chateau Landreuc #'s 455, 457, 462, 471 -->-- 18-3-44 Plouha via MGB 503

BERTHOLDT, GEORGE MILTON

511 332BS 94BG ??????

DECEASED 12/22/79

Sgt., 13069341 Down 30 Miles NW Bordeaux -- Jacques Alepre, Rolland Pigem, Allaine Mesplet -->-- Tarbe same as 505 -->-- Spain MIA 25-3-44 ?

BESBRIS, COL. DAVID C.

DECEASED 2APRIL93

AFEES

453 407BS 92BG 16NOV43

Norwegian Underground

Miss Tone Pytten, Norway (then 17 years old).

Lt. Besbris started his Air Force career with the Royal Canadian Air Force and transferred to the U.S.A.A.F. in 1942. He was Navigator of a B-17 when he was shot down (12th mission) and they ditched in the English Channel, when he survived for 13 hours before rescue. On his 15th mission, to the heavy water plant in Norway, he was shot down again. This time he bailed out and was picked up by the Norwegian Underground. Using foot, skis, sleighs, and train he made his way to freedom in Sweden. On one occasion, on a train with German troops, he bit his lip to make it bleed so that he would have an excuse for not answering questions. The rest of the crew landed near a village and were captured and spent the rest of the war as POW's.

BAILED OUT

BETHE, KENNETH E.
DECEASED 80
586 96FG

BETOLATTI, JOHN
709 545BS 384BG ??????
2nd Lt., 0682568 down Commercy -- St. Gaudens # 724 -->-- Spain

BEVINS, ERWIN J.
2946 702BS 445BG 22DEC43
DECEASED 3/2/85
9APR45

2nd Lt. Bevins, 0807665, went down at Bakhuizen, Holland. Helped by Rense Talsma, home in Baarn, transported him to Berius, wounded, had him treated, etc. "The Boss", Leeuwarden, from 27 DEC.43 to the beginning of FEB. 44, Chief of U.G., 29yrs. old, medical care, contacts with the Hospital, well known by Evenhuis, Englisstraat, Leeuwarden. Peter Sijetma, Warge, from APR. to MAY 44, an electrician with daughters Siki (8) and Janni (5). Bob (50 yrs. old), Leeuwarden, took Bevins from Warge to Meppel in MAY 44 under dangerous conditions, was shot at and pursued but escaped. He was a gunsmith. Photographer, opposite the station in Meppel, for 1 night in MAY, afraid always of the Germans, daughter of 24 and boy of 18. Tayo, S. of town, E. of large Barracks area, Amersfoort, JUNE 44, wife and 5 girls between 3 and 11 yrs. old. Alberts, next door to the butcher called Hildsberdgen, at Nijverdal from SEPT. to DEC. 44, they had 2 children. Jan Jildsberdgen, Nijverdal. Van der Graff, Nijverdal, from DEC.44 to FEB.45 (barber, son 16, daughters Hettie 18 and Hennie 22). Dr. Bakker, Dr. Smit, Dr. Boda, provided medical treatment. Gerritdiria Piksen, U.G. leader, Raort, etc, girl of 24. Bonije, Hellendoornweg, from 25 MAR.45 to 9 APR. 45 with 4 children who were all afraid during the fighting. On 9 APRIL 45, Bevins, Ted Weaver, and 30 Dutch took 22 German prisoners and moved to a castle east of Haarle where they met the Canadians.

BICKLEY, GORDON H.
2163 729BS 452BG 8JUL44

S/Sgt. Bickley, 16113300, went down at Preaux with Steinkamp, and Dobrinsky. He was 2 days with M. and Mme. Paul Doutreleau, Preaux, then 3 weeks with Paul Verdure of Preaux until 3 AUG. He then spent 3 days at the Chateau de Preaux, the home of the Count of Boisgelin. He saw # 2161 and 2162 at the Des Buisson's home.

BICKLEY, J. M.
AFEES
404 xxxxx 93BG xxxxxxxx
2nd Lt., 0745039

BIDWELL, THEODORE
AFEES
XXXX 759BS 459BG 20JAN45
PARACHUTED OUT - 20 JAN 45 - SOUTH OF UDINE, ITALY AROUND BELGRADE
YUGOSLAVIA TO SPLIT YUGO-PARTISANS HELPED AND GUIDED US
CREW: ULAKY, SALEM, NEW HAMPSHIRE
FORREST HAYNES, KANSAS
BAILED OUT
2ND LT./COPILOT B-24

BIEGER, JOHN WILLIAM
133 331BS 94BG 14JUL43
24OCT43

2nd Lt., 0739890 of 279 Rodney Ave., Buffalo, NY
\ crew 92, 100, 101
Down 20K. NE Paris Mitry(?) Mory(?) ---> Camaret(?) ---> UK 24-10-43
BAILED OUT

BIES, WALTER E.
2277 328BS 93BG 24JUN44
DECEASED 6/9/51
13AUG44
S/Sgt. Bies, 36533066, went down at Treon, E et L, France with 1005, 1157, 2 other U.S. and one other.
-->-- Chateaudun -->-- Maquis of Cloye -->-- 13 AUG. to U.S. troops.

BIGGS, ROBERT E.
41 367BS 306BG 5MAR43
1st Lt. Biggs was Co-Pilot with the Tunnel crew when they went down on a mission to Lorient.
FROM EE REPORT: 1st Lt., 0726184, 23 yrs. old, of Gordon, Texas (just West of Ft. Worth) Down 5
March 43 Plumeliau S/E Lorient Antoine et Ernest Leroi Andre Cadon 2 days, 1 night Chief of
Police Pontivy--->Monaster Pontivy
Monlie(?) de Lebecque with Lt. Kylius (45) 5-6-43 Spain 29-6-43 UK

BIGLER, CHARLES R.
558 525BS 379BG 16-8-43
MR & MRS MARMIESSE
2nd Lt., 0736081 down Valmondoise -- M. Yusautoy -->-- 22-2-44 Isaba

BIRDWELL, JOSEPH A.
DECEASED 86
AFEES
471 569BS 390BG 15AUG43
17MAR44
2nd Lt. Birdwell went down in the Pas de Calais at St. Marie de Kerques. He made his way to St. Brieuc.
He apparently was returned to Dartmouth by sea.
Major

BIRKMAN, ROGER W.
AFEES
2088 748BS 457BG 27MAY44
1st Lt. Birkman, 0804591, went down on the return trip from Ludwigshaven, Germany at Moerbeke,
Belgium. He was 3 days at Moerbeke -->-- 3 days at 20 Stationstraat, Moerbeke -->-- 2 days Likeran
-->-- Georges Smet, 74 Elizabeth St., St. Nikolas until liberation. Also helped by M. Van Nock, St.
Nicholas and Harry de St. Ekene who le protege?

BISEK, MICHAEL
15AF 762BS 460BG 19JUL44
LISTED IN THE OFFICIAL RECORDS AS MICHAEL F. BISCZEK. WAS PHOTOGRAPHER ON
THE KENNON B. SORGENFREI CREW FLYING OUT OF SPINZZOLA, ITALY. CRASHED AT
PRUNIERES (HAUTES-ALPES, FRANCE. FIFTEENTH AIR FORCE - B-24. DID NOT REGULARLY
FLY WITH THE SORGENFREI CREW, WAS WITH THEM FOR SPECIAL PHOTOGRAPHIC
PURPOSES. SEE STORY OF RAYMOND J. SWEDZINSKI.
CRASHED

BISHER, HARRY E.
AFEES
745 55FS 20FG 4MAR44

15MAY44

Helped by M. Jean Lefebvre (Deceased); M. and Mme. Hector Windels (Deceased).

* BISHOP HAS CORRESPONDED WITH GERMAN PILOT (Gerd Wiegand) WHO SHOT HIM DOWN
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THE FOLLOWING IS EXCERPTED FROM HARRY'S STORY AS TOLD IN "KING'S CLIFFE REMEMBERED", A PUBLICATION OF THE 20th FIGHTER GROUP ASSOCIATION.

After bailing out of his P-38 over St. Leger in the Courtrai area of Belgium Lt. Bishop was helped by Jean Lefebvre, M. and Mme. Hector Windels. He had no contact with any other Americans until he arrived at a house in the outskirts of Paris, France. There he arrived to find Lt. Col. Robert P. Montgomery (HQ, 20th FG, bailed out 11 FEB 44), a slightly built P-47 Pilot (rank F/O), a B-17 Navigator, and a Canadian bomber crewman. The sole other occupant of the house was a French lady in her early thirties whose husband had been killed by the Germans some months previously. As a result she hated the Germans with a passion. The others had been in numerous other hide-outs. They recounted the story of one occasion when they were hiding in an attic when a German patrol burst in two floors below. In accordance with prearranged plan they left through a skylight and crouched on the tiled roof while the Germans searched the entire house, including their attic hide-out. While they were there, numerous proposals for possible return to the U.K. were considered -- return by air from a deserted airstrip, rendezvous with a submarine off the French coast, etc. Finally it was announced that they would be escorted by train to Toulouse by the lady. They headed out on the trip in single file at spaced intervals led by the lady with each far enough behind the other to just keep the two ahead in sight. They made it to the RR terminal and aboard the train. When the train left the terminal they saw that the entire RR yard was completely destroyed and their train was running on temporary rails winding through the devastation left by the bombing. The trip was relatively uneventful except for the scene of a small town in a valley which had apparently been an important RR terminal with large switching and storage yards. The yards had been completely devastated by Allied Bombing but, remarkably, none of the houses were damaged although some were within 50 yards of the bombing. When they arrived in Limoges they found that they had to disembark and wait for another train for the second half of the trip to Toulouse. While they were waiting in the very crowded station, Harry was approached by a very stylish and beautiful woman who inquired regarding train times. It was an awkward moment for Harry since he was supposed to be deaf and dumb. However, he said something which he hoped meant "I don't know" in French and she simply said "Merci" and walked off. Finally they boarded the train for Toulouse and arrived in Toulouse in mid-afternoon. The lady then turned over each evader to an individual guide who was to see to the lodging for the night and return each one to the rendezvous point early next morning. Harry's guide was one who would take them on over the Pyrenees. Apparently the guide was rather careless and lacking in caution since he led Harry all over Toulouse and finally curfew time and darkness came and they were still abroad. On one dark street were startled by a command in German to 'HALT' with the accompanying sound of a rifle bolt ramming a bullet home. They broke and ran to the accompaniment of rifle bullets whining close to them. However, they escaped and made it to their lodging for the night.

CONTINUED IN SYNOPSIS

Next morning they all arrived at the rendezvous and after saying goodbye to the lady they boarded a truck with two guides bound for the foothills of the Pyrenees. That night they were joined by a Jewish father, mother and two year old child. They proceeded over the Pyrenees mountains taking turns carrying the child. Bob Montgomery had a difficult time since he had bailed out low and made a hard landing. As a result he had banged up his legs in landing. After a few days of rough going with little food it was getting very difficult. At one point when the guide called a rest halt, the P-47 pilot was in such a daze he just kept on going and had to be chased and stopped by Harry. Harry supposed that the poor guy had been giving his share of food to the Jewish family and was feeling the effects of short rations and exhaustion. Finally it became evident that the Jewish family could not continue and it was decided that one guide should take them to a nearby village where they had a doctor while the other guide took the airmen on toward Spain. They finally were reduced to eating berries for food. One day, about noon, the guide pointed to a ridge ahead and announced that the Spanish Border was just over it and that there was a town there. He then turned back toward France. It turned out that the Border was still three days away. They finally reached it and entered the first Spanish town on 15 MAY 44, where they were promptly arrested by the police and thrown in the one room, dirt-floored jail. Late the next day a representative of the American Embassy

arrived and took custody of them. They were taken to Merida by car, on to Gibraltar and were flown back to the U.K. by C-47. (The F/O P-47 Pilot was Millin H. Ramsey, 58 FG; The B-17 Navigator was Walter E. Meldrich, 358 BS 303 BG)

BAILED OUT

BISHOP, H. L.

1792 562BS 388BG 8JUL44

6SEP44

1st Lt. Bishop, 0697332, went down at Freche Mesnil. Helped by Andre Vittecocq, Montreuil, close to St. Victor L'Abbaye, SI.; by L'Abbe Petit of St. Victor L'Abbaye; M. and Mme. Andre Cosse, Mme. Leclerc, home of Mme Calot (all of same place).

BISTLINE, ROY M.

2961 525BS 379BG 7MAY44

14APR45

2nd Lt. Bistline, 0794314, Navigator, went down at Heereveen, Holland. He was helped by Yapp ??, # 2962; L. Koopman; Hoekstra; Peereboom, Den Heer, G.M.; "Dick". Returned to Allied Control at Heereveen.

BLACKBURN, GLENN F.

AFEES

15th 776BS 464BG xxxxxxx

Names Unknown, Chetnick Guerrillas

T/Sgt. Blackburn's ~~B-26~~ went down on a raid to Ploesti, his 41st mission. They lost an engine over the I.P., another quit over the Danube river. They bailed out over Yugoslavia, were picked up by the Underground. After moving for 26 days they were picked in a group of 300 airmen from a leveled off hillside by C-46's and C-47's landing two at a time. There was a fighter escort of 100 P-51's.

BAILED OUT

BLACKBURN, L/C. ROBERT B.

AFEES

xxxx 338BS 96BG xxxxxxx

Blackburn went down in Holland and evaded many months in Roermond.

BLACKWELL, CHARLES R.

1143 750BS 457BG 14JUN44

1ST.LT., 0747374 Down Lyons La Foret (25 miles SE of Rouen). 1013 (Lynch) & 1136 (Powers) with M. Vaillant a Blanorlle?

BLACKWELL, GEORGE F.

97 544BS 95BG 14JUL43

Sgt., 33212942 __ 104-105-108

Rambouillet

Idem 91

BLACKWELL, JACK E.

2440 367BS 306BG 17JUN44

S/Sgt. Blackwell was Ball Turret Gunner in the Pederson crew on a mission to Noyen. S/Sgt. Blackwell, 39898014, went down at St. Pierre sur Bois, Sarthe. Same as Lt. Leon Blood, # 2439.

BLAIR, CLARK A.

AFEES

1008 853BS 491BG 02JUN44

Sgt., 14320739 Beaumont -->>-- Freteval

SORRY - WRITING IS A COMPLETE BLOB - WILL WRITE TO MR. BLAIR FOR SOMETHING ILLEGIBLE.

S/SGT WAIST GUNNER

BLAIR, HARRY J.

1849 xxxxx 401BG 29APR44

Sgt. Blair went down at Leers, France. Helped by Ludovic Anceau, 85 Ave. Alfred Motte, apt. 7, Roubriex. Gaston Ponzeles, Vegetable? Merchant, 183 Rue Ingres, Roubriex for 1 week -(anceau anote?) -->-- then Gestapo, the three others --Edmond de Wolf 3 weeks -->-- Templeuve from 26 MAY to 1 AUG - auto climque? -Gestapo -->-- St. Gilles -->-- escaped from train on 3 SEPT and hid at the home of Fernand Dewerpe, 415 Ave. Van Volxem.

BLAIS, CAMILLE H.

982 ??BS 457BG 11-8-44

T/Sgt., 11026102 6 miles of Pontrieux -->-- Guingamp 16-8-44

BLAKE, JULIUS O.

DECEASED

1972 332BS 94BG 4MAR44

10SEP44

2nd Lt. Blake, 0749191, went down at Baselare, Belgium. He was helped by M. Martin, school teacher at Baselare for 3 days with Sgt. Hiller of the same crew. Given I.D. Cards by l'Armee Blanche (White Army) -->-- To Menin, 17 days at the home of Boudwyn Wennasche with members of his crew, Sgt. Latham, Lt. Calmes, Sgt. Hiller, Sgt. Finstad -->-- On 25 MAR. with Finstad and Hiller to Liege -->-- to Brussels, the organization took their money -->-- Finstad and Blake with Mme. Lubeck in Liege until 8 APR. -->-- Mme. Alfred Dumont, 122 Rue Croix Rouge, Presseux-Liege until the Big Bombing -->-- departed for Switzerland -->-- returned to the Dumont home with RCAF McCoy -->-- Dumont took them to Termagne where they stayed from 17 MAY until 13 AUG. (1 week at the Levoir home) -- McCoy was evacuated by the Armee Blanche -->-- Dumont smelled danger from the Mayor of the town -->-- Exit Termagne -->-- To Petit Enneille where they met Lt. Col. Alford (EE # 1942) and Lt. Stegall (EE # 1937) -- stayed in the woods where they were fed by the Burgomaster Quentin and M. and Mme. Reussonnet-Collignon, caretakers for Albert Englehart, the owner of a large chateau. It was noted that the greatest possible assistance was given by Mme. Dumont, also the school teacher at Baselare, and by the Belgian Police force, very well organized.

CREW: PILOT -- JULIUS O. BLAKE (EVADED); COPILOT -- GEORGE G. WEDD; NAVIGATOR -- JAMES W. BRANAGAN (KIA); BOMBARDIER -- WILLIAM P. CALMES; RADIO OPERATOR -- EDGAR C. FINSTEAD (EVADED); ENGINEER -- JAMES M. HILLER (EVADED); GUNNERS -- FLOYD A. FRANCHINI; DAVID G. CHANG; EDWARD F. LATHAM (EVADED); LUTHER E. LeFEVER

BLAKE, ROGER J.

AFEES

1601 325BS 92BG 23MAR44

7SEP44

Anne Brusselmans; Johnnie Williams; Albert Stein; The Godefroid Family (Gabrielle); 2nd Lt. Roger Blake bailed out over Breda, Holland. He spent 2 weeks at the home of Johnnie Williams, 57 Gerdegenwaart Straat, Malines. He spent 2 months with Albert Stein, Brasserie Albert, 1 Rue de la Conciliation, and at 17 Rue de Justice, Brussels. Then 2 weeks Suisse(?), Rue de Vondel. There was a Gestapo raid which required an exit. Then more than two weeks with the Godefroids (wife was Gabrielle) at 93 Rue de l'Opale with EE # 1798 who had been aided by M. Stocker of 93 Rue Emile Marx et Family De Wals, who had a Patisserie at 170 Chaussee de M???. Chief of the Underground Joe Parks, 102 Ave. Ed. Speeckaert ??? him without orders of Mme. Anne (Brusselmans). SEE ALSO O'BOYLE (EE # 1798)

BAILED OUT

Lt. Col.

BLAKELY, EDWIN H.
2222 513FS 406FG 20JUL44
DECEASED 5/31/78
2SEP44

1st Lt. Blakely, 0810298, went down at 2000 near Le Meage, Somme. Helped by M.Veyes who took him to Bettencourt with Lt. K.A. Brown to the home of Auguste Legry, Bettencourt St. Ouens, Somme and her sister at St. Ouens until 2 SEPT.

BLAKELY, MILO E.
AFEES
1655 XXXXX 92BG 05FEB44
06SEP44

LOUISE BEFFE; RAYMOND AND EMILE (ROISEUX); PORCHERESSE; BOHAN; ROBINSON, PIERRE, LOUIS, ALEXIS HENRI AND GASTON (CHIEF) BOHAN-SUR-SEMOIS SHAWN (USAAF), GEORGE FLATHER (RAF), ETC. THEIR CROSSING OF THE SEMOIS WAS DELAYED BY A TIGER TANK IN THE TOWN SQUARE. WHEN IT LEFT THEY CROSSED THE NARROW FLOATING BRIDGE. THEY WERE PICKED UP ACROSS THE SEMOIS FROM THE TOWN SQUARE BY A US ARMY PATROL CONSISTING OF ONE JEEP WITH MOUNTED MACHINE GUN AND A TRUCK ON SEPTEMBER 5, 1944 AND DROVE ALL NIGHT TO REACH THE HOTEL MAURICE ON THE RUE DE RIVOLI, PARIS THE NEXT DAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1944. SEE ALSO: MILLAR, GLADYS, VOGLE, COCHRAN, KOCH, SHAWN, ASHMAN, ROISEUX, BIENFAIT. REFERENCES 6SEPT44.
S/SGT

BLAKENEY, ROBERT W.
AFEES
149 67BS 44BG 16AUG43
28OCT43

S/Sgt., 11088344 of 447 Brookline St., Newton Center, Mass.
He was on Detached Service from the 8th in Benghazi, North Africa, flying as Right Waist Gunner/ Radio Operator on B-24's, when he was shot down on a raid on Foggia, Italy. He was taken prisoner and was a POW at the German Prison Camp at Sulmona, Italy. Late in September he escaped and headed South from the Camp. He met the Canadian Army back at Foggia. and arrived in UK 28 OCT 43.
SEE JOHN HESS.

BLAKLEY, CHARLES W.
AFEES
551 68BS 44BG 21JAN44
31MAR44

Sgt., 39831745, (ASS'T. ENGR., B-24), down Meigneux -->-- Paris Marie Odile #544 ... Left Paris 1 MAR 44 -->-- Walked over the Pyrenees from South of Toulouse through Andorra (21-3-44) to Spain -->-- Left Gibraltar 31 MAR 44 -->-- London to New York 14 APR 44.
POTENTIAL MEMBERS: ARCHIE R. BARLOW (# 687), 310 42ND ST. GULFPORT, MS 39507; ALVIN A. ROSS (# 549), 27 ELINORE AVE., ELBERON, NJ 07740.

BLALOCK, CONRAD M.
546 ???BS 381BG 30-12-44
2nd Lt., 0809511. down Villers Cotterel -- Hotel Richelieu -- Marie Odile -->-- # 543 Andorra

BLIGHT, CHARLES W.
1555 451BS 322BG 8JUL44
DECEASED

1st Lt. Blights, 0672929. Down near Abbeville. Gibert near Doullens. Bourbier, Colincamp, Leek B. Beaumont Hamel. J. Penet, Colincamp, Johnson, Roman court near Arras.

BLINE, THORNTON

AFEES

932 8thAF 100BG 25JUN44

12AUG44??

Dr. Gerand; Roger Bellinger of Le Grie de la Chame; Nogent le Rotion, son of Chief of Police of Noce. FROM EE REPORT: 2nd Lt., 08815813 Renee Moreau, 200 rue Championnet, Paris, 18(sister of Henri Janvies); Mme. Odette Tessier, 142 Ave. de Batiguolle, St. Omer; a lady who had a chateau near St. Cosme -- same as 933

BLODGETT, DONALD E.

2025 754BS 458BG 29JUN44

2nd Lt. Blodgett, 0701868, on a mission to the Ju 88 assembly plant at Eisleben, Germany, went down near the Holland/German border with # 2024, Armour. He was helped by 2 policemen -->-- home of Marie Wesemael, Zeelands, Holland, near Hulst until 9 JULY -->-- from 9 JULY to 12 JULY at the home of George Smet, St. Nicolas. The chief was M. Van Noek. -->-- with Octaaf de Boueuer, Langvelde 26, Sele, Belgium until Liberated. See also # 2024, Armour.

BLOOD, ARLIE J.

AFEES

2228 510FS 405BG 24MAY44

02OCT44

CODE NAMES FROM MAQUIS - CHURCHILL AND BARNABY

FIRST LT. BLOOD, 0736086, HIT BY ACK ACK WHILE STRAFING A TRAIN NEAR VANNES, FRANCE. HE PARACHUTED AND LANDED SAFELY IB 23 MAY, 1944 Q AND JOINED UP WITH FRENCH MAQUIS. WHILE ON A MISSION HE WAS CAPTURED BY GESTAPO ON 21 JUNE, 1944 HELPED AT VANNES - LEMANS - LAVAL - RENNES - SIXTEEN DAYS ON TRAIN AND ESCAPED 16 JULY, 1944 AT AT 0200 HOURS NEAR TOURS, FRANCE. JOINED THE MAQUIS AGAIN IN THE CHATEAROUX AREA. HELPED BY CHRISTIAN DOMEET, FER- NAND BENOIST, MAURICE BRION AT ST. HIPPOLYTE PAR LOCHE. OTHERS ALSO ESCAPED. THE MAQUIS ALSO INVOLVED. MADE WAY BACK TO ALLIED CONTROLLED LAND ON 2 OCTOBER, 1944

BAILED OUT

FIRST LIEUTENANT

BLOOD, LEON J.

NI EVADER

2439 367BS 306BG 17JUN44

2nd Lt. Blood was Co-Pilot in the Pedersen crew on a mission to Noyen. 2nd Lt. Blood, 0818819, went down at St. Pierre des Bois, Sarthe with # 2440, Blackwell. Helped at a farm near Vion - clothes, shelter for 1 day. -->-- walked for 4 days -->-- St. Mathurin, M. et L. -->-- a boatman took them across the Loire to St. Remy, M. et L. on 24 JUNE. At St. Remy, a teacher, M. Forgeron -->-- Chenelliers, Paul Geanne, a teacher and secretary to the mayor -->-- 5 days with an old couple at Alligny -->-- 2 nights at the Hotel du Faisan, M. Landi on Landys -->-- Remy Roblin, sector chief of FFI, took them to Forges, M. et L. where they stayed at a farm until 24 AUG. and met Lousi Fontaineau and family -->-- left on 24 AUG., met M. Louis Lemaitre at Le Champ (W. of Thoriance) ??? -->-- St. Christine, a man took them by bikes into Chapelle St. Florent -- no papers -- captured by the Germans. -- On 8 SEPT., escaped from a train during a strafing near Belfort. A RR worker hid them in a gas works until 29 SEPT., taken care of by M. and Mme. Boudvillain, the director of the works -->-- Mr. Henri Joye, former teacher in Belfort took them to his home in Boron and they made the crossing on 30 SEPT. by way of Boncourt to Porrentruy.

BLUMBERG, EUGENE M.

DECEASED 2JAN78
2677 437TCG
ASN 0-876078

BLYE, KENNETH O.
AFEES

424 331BS 94BG 5JAN44
27FEB44

PAR LES NUITS LES PLUS LONGUES

DECEASED APRIL 1988

T/Sgt. Blye went down in the Gourin Area (?). He was in the group at the home of Simon Le Bras at Gourin. There were Milton Church, Harold Gilley, Robert Schwartzburg, and Robert Southers. -See Schwartzburg-
BAILED OUT

LEON W. BLYTHE

AFEES

547 xxxxx 94BG 7JAN44

DECEASED 12/19/79

Major Blythe went down in the vicinity of ?? Renty.

FROM EE REPORT: Major, 0431019. down Bourthes # 548 -->-- M. Gavel?, and M.Ancil, Renty -- Guide, Marud Meritz -->-- Foix (Nicole) -->-- Andorra

BOBST, ROBERT L.

DECEASED 21JAN87

622 448BG

BODWELL, RUSSELL S.

AFEES

XXXX 326BS 92BG 26FEB45

15MAR45

PETER LAUSON, ERIK LARSEN, JOHN KOZDEBA, AAGE JENSEN, and MR. AND MRS FOGED. SHOT DOWN NEAR GRAM, DENMARK. DANISH UNDERGROUND ESCORTED US TO SWEDEN. AMERICAN B-24 FROM STOCKHOLM TO LONDON ABOUT 15 MARCH, 45. EVADED CAPTURE FOR TWO WEEKS.

BAILED OUT

LT/NAVIGATOR B-17 8AF

BOGARD, WAYNE C.

AFEES

xxxx 327BS 92BG 6SEP43

MAY45

Mme. J. Bizot, 17 Ave. Mirabeau, 06000 Nice, France; Mme. G. Moet, 77 Rue Levis, 75017 Paris, France; M. Jean Marie Moet, 21 Chemin de L'Aubepine, 93160 Noisy LeGrand, France; Michele Agniel (Moet), Limbre Par Migne Auxances, 86440 France; Mlle. Francoise Mottay, L'Abbaye Rothencuf, CN Parame, Ille et Vilaine

1st Lt. Bogard went down in the vicinity of Troyes, France while returning from a raid on Stuttgart. The Co-Pilot managed to escape into Switzerland. Bogard made contact with the underground after a few days and was taken by way of Paris to Rennes area then back to Paris then to Toulouse in an effort to reach Spain. He spent 6 months with the French Resistance then was captured in the Toulouse RR station 4 FEB as he was trying to enter Spain. He spent 4 months in civilian jails in France and Germany then was sent to Dulag in Frankfort then on to Stalag Luft 1 on the Baltic. He returned from POW camp by plane.

BAILED OUT

COL.

BOGGAN, THOMAS L.
1090 328BS 93BG 1AUG44
DECEASED 3/1/80
2ND.LT., 0691612 La Sauvageu , Paris N. -->>-- Cloyes

BOHENKO, WALTER E.
1302 xxxxx 44BG 8AUG44
Bohenko was a Sgt., 13108425. See report 1296.

BOLES, BATES
AFEES
XXXX 765BS 461BG 20NOV44
YUGOSLAVIA - PARACHUTED - ESCAPED THROUGH HUNGARY & ROMANIA.
JOE BRYANT'S CREW.
BAILED OUT
1ST LT./BOMBARDIER B-24 15AF

BOLIN, HAROLD W.
987 ??? ????
2nd Lt., 0816217 Plumaugat -->>-- Crespel, coiffeur -->>-- M. R.Gardon -->>--Henry and Andre Janet,
Chapelle Benin -->>-- 17-8-44

BOLKEN, MAGNUS G.
AFEES
1292 366BS 305BG 11MAY44
THERE IS A BOOK WRITTEN BY SYBIL HEPBURN "WINGLESS VICTORY"
Bolken was a Capt., 0728817. Down Charleville. -->>-- Montereau. Mrs. Hepburn, Melun i/c Seminaire de la Brosse. -->>-- Mme. Gouley, Melun, who established contact with Mme. Raymond Monier-Vinard, 14 Rue Vital, Paris 16. The husband of Madame was ????? and worked with Mlle. Odette Ernes, 37 Rue de la Tirer, Paris 16. Miss Ernest kept him supplied with food.
When he first went to Paris he stayed with Mlle. Fresne, 31 Rue Desbords Valmore for 2 weeks. The Minister of War for France, a Major General was also hiding there. Mlle. Fresne was buying food and making up Red Cross parcels for French POW's. She was also furnishing evaders and escapees with food, money and anything else they needed badly. She apparently bought these things with her own money. On 10 JULY he was moved to the home of Mme. Nohan, 24 Henri Heine 16 where he stayed until US arrived. The Gestapo visited the house of Mlle. Fresne
BOLKEN'S STORY: BAILED OUT AT CHARLEVILLE, FRANCE. WALKED TO EPERNAY WAS HELPED BY A FAMILY OF BOUILLARD. WENT BY TRUCK TO CATHOLIC SEMINARY OF THE ORDER OF "LES OBLATES NEAR LA BROUSSE MONCEAU. TWO WEEKS LATER BY TRAIN TO MELUN AND HELPED BY SYBIL HEPBURN & GOULY FAMILY. A MONTH LATER BY TRAIN TO PARIS AND HELPED BY ODETTE TO Mlle. FRAIN (RED CROSS STATION). LATER ODETTE TOOK ME TO JEAN AND GUY NAHON. STAYED WITH THEM TILL PAIRS WAS LIBERATED. MANY OF THE CATHOLIC PRIESTS WERE KILLED IN A RAID ON THE SEMINARY. ODETTE, SYBIL HEPBURN (ENGLISH WOMAN), JEANNE NAHON ARE DECEASED . SHOT DOWN WHILE FLYING AS WING COMMANDER WITH THE CREW OF CAPTAIN THOMAS OF THE 366TH BOMB SQUADRON.
BAILED OUT
WING COMMANDER 8TH AF

BOLLAC, MARIEL
840 ??? ????
S/Sgt., 32190158

BOLLINGER, ARDELL H.

AFEES

335 546BS 384BG 23SEP43

LOUIE BOULVAIS, 2 RUE CASABLANCA, 56600 LANESTER, FRANCE

Sgt., 13097189 Plougenast -->-- Langast -->-- Rennes -->-- Douardenez Boat 21-1-44 SHOT DOWN BY FW-190'S

BAILED OUT

T/SGT RADIO/GUNNER B-17 8AF

BOLSEGA, STANLEY F.

2911 735BS 453BG 27SEP44

27SEP44

T/Sgt. Bolsega, 35585040, went down at St. Vith, Belgium. Helped by a guide to a village where he found Sgt. Tilo, and returned to U.S. forces the same day.

BOMAR, HUGH C.

DECEASED

1593 861BS 493BG 14JUN44

Sgt. Bomar, 19106983. Down Ogy (5 kilometers W of Lessines), Belgium. Helped Germans searched, a women on bicycle guided him to Jules Combier (22 yrs.), his father was Jules -->-- home of the mother-in-law of Combier, Mme. Lepoire. M. Avengle, daughter Nellie 14 yrs. near Everbecq, 6 kilometers NW of Lessines for 4 days -->-- Grocery store of Luc and Yvonne Evrhart at Lessines. Luc was Chief of the UG, wife was English (27 Grand Place, Lessines). -->-- Galuille and Jules Boucher, Isieres, Rue grand Marias, PVH. 2 sons, Rene and Robert were POW's in Germany; and opposite, # 1594 Smith at the home of Desire, the uncle of Kelderman, they visited. The aunt, Mme. Boucher, the 3 girls, Smith, Henri, Desire went to her home at Papignes, 4 kilometers from Lessines -- ID traveller and Swedish Passport.

THERE IS MORE IN THE EE REPORT NOTES, BUT I CAN NOT UNDERSTAND IT. EVENTUALLY THEY WERE BETRAYED AND WOUND UP IN ST. GILLES PRISON.

BONCZEK, JOSEPH P.

AFEES

xxxx 762BS 460BG 19JUL44

FLYING OUT OF SPINZZOLA, ITALY CRASHED AT PRUNIERES (HAUTES-ALPES) FRANCE.

BOMBARDIER ON KENNON B. SORGENFREI CREW. SEE STORY OF RAYMOND

J. SWEDZINSKI

CRASHED

15TH AF/B-24

BOND, WALLACE L.

1945 452BS 322BG 8JUL44

10SEP44

S/Sgt. Bond, 39856047, went down at 0300 hrs. near Abbeville. He spent 6 days in the woods alone -->-- then was helped by a teacher at Huchenneville and 2 young ladies took him to Martaineville where he spent until 3 AUG. in a bombed out RR station with 3 French Soldiers -->-- Rene Imbert, Baker, of Huppy (children Claude and Jacqueline and Jeanne Soyes were living with Imbert). The 1 SEPT the Germans attacked the house and killed Imbert -- Mme. Danils, 72 Chaussee du Bois, Abbeville, daughter of Dr. Lapent, who had already helped Bond at the Imbert home took him to her home to stay until the US took Abbeville.

BONE, EMMETT W.

1011 548BS 385BG 8-2-44

DECEASED 10/14/89

S/Sgt., 38240400 Surdersole- M. Morano ; Robert Le Blanc, Pont Ave??? -->--Freteval

BONEKAT, HAROLD W.

DECEASED

2976 338BS 96BG 21NOV44

18APR45

Lt. Bonekat, Bombardier, went down in Holland. Helped by Van E. E., near Stroe,(40), 2 sons (20 and 11), farmer, food and shelter 23 NOV. 44. Teus Roskamp, farm in area of Barneveld, (46), veterinarian, helped on 24 NOV. and gave money. "Dick", (25), Leader of U.G., Barneveld, clothes and arrangements. John Roskamp,(28), Barneveld, Bus driver, was Dick's right hand man. Ep, (27), who had been married to Lily for 11 months, U.G. Peter Van Harn, alias "Henny", (28), U.G. "Lou", of Nijkerk, (27), looked like Gary Cooper, U.G. "Willem", (30), was the principal supplier of meat. "X", small farm house off the road from Stroe to Harskamp (he had spent 10 months in a concentration camp for helping Jews), a former East Indies Planter, from 28 NOV. to 2 DEC. Farmer, J. Oosterbroek, Wencopperweg 14, Barneveld, (45), 2 sons (15 and 20), wife away, from 7 to 16DEC.44. Cornelius Vander Munt, Langezuideweg 38, Voorthuizen, Barneveld, (60,with 7 children from 12 to 29) from 19 DEC.44 to 9 FEB. 45. Wouter Van der Kemp,(36), Schoolstraat, Nijkerk, small farm, 2 cows, working for Volherding Millfactory in Nijkerk, 7 children, from 9 FEB. to 17 MAR. Dirk Vedder, Appel, (36)with Wife "Riet" and 2 daughters, small milk farm, from 23 MAR. to 18 APR. 45. Willig and Bonekat were together.

BONITZ, GEORGE E.

1843 351BS 100BG 20JUL44

9SEP44

1st Lt. Bonitz, 0694318, went down near Breda, Holland. Probably flying as 2nd Navigator with the Nance crew (EE 1844, Nance). Nance speaks of 'we' but the interrogator does not name his companion, although Lt. Abromowitz, # 1842, is cross-referenced to this report.

BONNIN, JOHN D.

1092 801BS 850BG 5JUL44

DECEASED 12/1/71

2ND.LT., 0698861 down Mereville

free 17 AUG 44 WITH 1093, MEADE

BOOHER, WILLIAM H.

AFEES

350 336BS 95BG 30DEC43

29JAN44

PAR LES NUITS LES PLUS LONGUES

2nd Lt. Booher went down in the vicinity of St. Just when his plane was hit after dropping its bombs while on a raid to Ludwigshaven. He returned by way of Plouha and operation Bonaparte.

BOOHER, WILLIAM H.

BOON, JACOB

2282 310TCS 315TCG 21SEP44

2nd Lt. Boon, 0816039, went down in Holland. Helped by Mr. and Mrs. Den Hartag(wife, Nelly) who were farmers. Dorpsstraat 22, Slyk Swijk, Holland, treated 3 wounds, stayed 1 night. A teacher and a policeman who hid 10 U.S.

BOORNAZIAN, JAMES G.

AFEES

15AF 451BG 25FEB44

SHOT DOWN IN YUGOSLAVIA

2ND LT NAV. B-24

BOOTH, HAROLD

2195 812BS 482BG 21FEB44

S/Sgt. Booth, 6578178, on a mission to Osnabruck, Germany, went down at Harderwyck, Holland. He was helped by Mlle. Fraipont, Liege, Belgium; Mme. Nahon, Brussels, Belgium.

BOOTH, WILLIAM H.

AFEES

272 349BS 100BG 3SEP43

Dr. Guyon, 50 Rue de Rome, Paris

2nd Lt. Booth returned through Biarritz - Ainho. Dr. Guyon, 50 Rue de Rome, Paris -->-- Biarritz -- Ainho

BOREN, WILLIAM T.

194 559BS 387BG 21-9-43

Major, 0406516 of Snyder, Texas

down at Beauvais

Spain 28-10-43

UK 8-11-43

BORESKE, ANDREW

1704 733BS 433BG 10JUL44

3sep44

Capt. Boreske, 0024999. Down Templehars, Nord. Until 3 SEPT at the home of Mme. Legrain, 94 Rue Jules Gesde, Templehars, Nord (food and shelter).

BORMUTH, JAMES G.

311 350BS 100BG 15-9-43

2nd Lt., 0676542 down Bourlbois Wavignis -->-- Perpignan

BORNSTEIN, MILTON C.

572 339BS 96BG 5-1-44

S/Sgt., 399029119 down Lacanau -->-- St. Jean de Luz -->-- 16--3-44 -->-- Irun

BOROWSKI, JOHN L.

906 705BS 446BG 12-6-44

Sgt., 36346674 Leon Bushnell, Leon Brassier, of Meziere; the Mayor of L'Huede and his daughter Michelle; Mme. Samsin, Plouasse; Rene Pinault, Mme. Petit of ??Soleil near St. Theral; Homo, ex-Mayor of St. Theral; Henriette and Pierre Bory, of Lainernais near Plouasne; Mr. Guillot

BORST, ROBERT G.

AFEES

xxxx 787BS 466BG 15AUG44

13APR45

Burt Mulder, Zwolle; Jan Tuut; Gjalt DeVries; Jaap Slager, Steenwijk, Holland

1st Lt. Borst bailed out near Steenwijk, Holland. He waited for the Allied Lines.

BAILED OUT

BORYCZKA, FRANK J.

1214 509FS 405FG 22JUN44

Boryczka was a 2nd Lt., 0696995. Down Breteuil. Georges Salmon of Breteuil LeChesne, Eure.

BOSSER, DAVID

269 407BS 92BG 3-9-43

F/O, T 1190708 down Mitry Maury -->-- same as 267

BOSSINGER, GEORGE A.

DECEASED

174 544BS 384BG 6-6-43

T/Sgt., 33365644 of 6421 Landview Street, Pittsburg, Pa

Down near Envermeu, walked 5 days

Spain 22-8-43

UK 30-10-43

BOST, GEORGE L.

1509 853BS 491BG 11AUG44

DECEASED 7/2/82

4SEP44

S/Sgt. Bost, 14165431 See Joseph F. Haney, # 1506

CRASHED

BOSTER, RICHARD R.

AFEES

xxxx 743BS 455BG 26AUG44

7OCT44

British Mission; Tito Partisans

T/Sgt. Boster, Radio/Gunner of B-24 flying out of Italy, went down in Bulgaria. Aided by Marshal Tito's Partisans and the British Mission he was flown back to Italy by the Russians in a C-47. He was the only evader in the crew -- four were captured by the Bulgarians, remainder KIA.

BOULEY, ALFRED R.

1533 xxxxx 365FG 16JUN44

5AUG44

2nd Lt. Bouley, 0812742. Down in the middle of a Panzer Division near Coutences. Burned on face and legs. Gave himself up. To hospital in Alencon -- Le Mans --Rennes Liberated 5 AUG 44

BOULEY, STUART E.

2937 336BS 95BG 29JUN44

5APR45

S/Sgt. Bouley, 16084687, down in the vicinity of Ommen, Holland. Helped by the DeBruin Family from 1 JUL 44 to 27 FEB 45; by Jan Lesker from 1 to 10 MAR 45; by G. Salomons, W2, C337B, Bergentheim, from 15 to 30 MAR 45; Dr. H. T. Post; Smeek Family on the road toward Klosterdike, Marienberg. Joined up with the Canadians with Cech near Bergentheim on 5 APR 45

BOWARD, EUGENE B.

AFEES

BOWMAN, CHARLES S.

Deceased 7/22/73

T/SGT

BOWMAN, G. S.

1987 703BS 445BG 12APR44

SEP44

T/Sgt. Bowman, 37432836, went down at Perwez, Belgium. He especially commended Looucy Langley for his help, also Adelin and Juliet Maudelais of Tourinnes St. Lambert, who provided shelter, food and clothing for 2 1/2 months. (Gendarmerie of Nils St. Vincent).

BOYD, RALPH H.

1172 574BS 391BG 13AUG44

Boyd was a 2nd Lt., # 0.691225. Down Dreaux. M. Mignon, 33 Rue Champlain, Corbeil(Selo), daughter Collette helped # 1188 (Long), 1189 (McKewin).

Family Rathaux de Pressoin gave prompt help at Corbeil. Son in Law Francois Berchem ?????????, 122 Rue Lamarle, Paris 18

BOYER, HAROLD EUGENE

1465 xxxxx 416BG xxxxxxx

S/Sgt. Boyer, 12100520. Mme. Vignon-Tellier, Amiens, food, shelter, kind treatment.

BOYLE, JOHN T.

138 ????? ????? 16-8-43

2nd Lt., ???????? Mery-sur-Oise
Spain

BRADLEY, JOHN J.

AFEES

1590 327BS 92BG 5NOV43

THE EVADERS, COSGROVE

1st. Lt. Bradley went down in the Forest of Vierlingsbeek, Holland near the German Frontier. He was helped along the way by Richard Van Pelt, Policeman, Stockeim(1 night); Leukler (4 days); 8 days in a convent; Albert, an engineer; Jean took him to Hasselt by train (there 3 weeks); Deloup(?), Avenue des Frairs(?), Brussels. In Onderlecht met M. Baltos (3 weeks). EE # 2143 at Julius Petyres (3weeks) at Cafe De Jacques in the Ukel section. The house of the Mother of Juliusin Wepion, between Namur and Profondville for 4 months. M. Colon, assistant to the Mayor and George, a Policeman, -- Provoste at the home of Julius -- Gestapo --Exit -- Home of Rene at Melenne -- returned to home of Mme. Petyres -- Chateau Robe, 1 Week at home of a lady. On 6 JULY crossing the Meuse he was taken by the Germans -->-- Brussels -->-- St. Gilles, where he was imprisoned with Stuart Leslie (Canada, RAFES) and Royce MacGillvray (now deceased) -- Terrible Ordeal --SEE REFERENCE "EVADERS", CHAPTER 'LAST TRAIN FROM BRUSSELS'

BRADSHAW, AUSTIN W.

1642 xxxxx 322BG 8JUL44

1SEP44

T/Sgt. Bradshaw, 13030350. Down at 0100 hours at Bettencourt Riviera. House of 6 FFI -->-- Jules took him to Waslies? 8 days with a farmer (his children were Andre, Rene, Christophe, Marcelle, Pierre). -->-- Charley, chief FFI (Atkinson) -->-- Muse Vallee -->-- 7 weeks with M. and Mme. Loris Leroy, Bellory st. Leonard -- Andre Panet, interpreter (Quesnoy, S/A) -->-- 6 days at St. Maulois, home of m. and Mme. Dassonville, Baker and Mayor of the town -->-- US

BRADSHAW, HORACE F.

2284 731BS 452BG 9AUG44

DECEASED 10/24/68

21SEP44

2nd Lt. Bradshaw, 0818572, went down at Wintorle, Eindhoven, Holland. He was helped by farmers, a teacher -->-- Eindhoven, teacher. 3 days at the home of the tax collector, Van Kampden who had 2 girls and a boy (8 U.S. had passed through their home). 1 night at a Brothel in the center of Eindhoven -->-- Forest -->-- battle with the Germans, Sgt. Doncette was killed -->-- 21 SEPT. - UK troops.

BRADY, WENDELL D.

2268 513BS 406BG 13SEP44

DECEASED 8/12/69

Capt. Brady, 0736091, went down 4 Miles E. of Domparie, France. Landed in the battle lines, got to U.S. next day.

BRANCH, NELSON A.

812 713BS 448BG 1-4-44

DECEASED 4/6/90

S/Sgt., 20702227 down Compiègne -->-- Paris -->-- Rene Dorlane (Annette 30000f. to guide) -->--

Bayonne -->-- Urdas

CREW: # 720 WALTER BRESSLER, # 719 MIKE LITTLE, #812 NELSON BRANCH, # 813 FRANCIS MARX, MARTIN?, # 1100 CLAY MILLER, AMES?, # 999 MARVIN GOFF, # 811 FRANK JACOBSON

BRAND, WAYNE E.

1080 ????? ????? ?????

DECEASED 5/19/64

T/SGT., 14077939

BRANSON, EMERSON

DECEASED 4NOV93

AFEES

1221 551BS 385BG 2JUN44

2nd Lt. Branson went down 5 kilometers NE of Vernon -->-- St.Pierre D'Autels-->-- M. and Mme. Mortier, 98 Rue de Paris, Paris -->-- M. Charie, Rormairle

BRANT, KARL E.

2244 12TRS 10TRG xxxxxxxx

6SEP44

2nd Lt. Brant, 0682608. No further information.

BRASHEAR, CHARLES F.

2296 534BS 381BG 15JUN44

DECEASED 9/6/57

S/Sgt/ Brashear, 39544259, went down at Bazas, Gironde, France. A wine-maker -^>-- Maquisard -->-- Lt. Maurice Adam of the FFI by car to M. Meric at Silas pa|Grignols, Gironde where he met #'s 2298, 1033, 1032, 1218, 1192, 1191, 1953 and on 17 JUNE # 2297. Moved on 20 JUNE to another house near Sillas. Visited by the Abbe Patrick Mahon of Bouglon, Lot et Gar. Left 12 JULY, attacked by the militia near Fargues, Lot et Gar. -->-- Maquis at Arx. Landes. Stayed with the Maquis until Liberation. S.S., Lot et Gar. Lt. Kelly? also 1953 ??? by OSS.

BRATLIE, JACK R.

AFEES

XXXX 816BS 483BG 21JAN45

13FEB45

SEE A.C.EARL SHEPHERD'S RECORD

CRASHED

BREITENBACH, LOUIS H.

AFEES

xxxx 360BS 303BG 22FEB44

12MAY45

HOLLAND ***Louis would like to have any available info. re family of Mrs. M.Teuwen Boonen (son Fred), 23 Godswaerdersingel, Roermond; Anna De Bruijn & Sister,Oeverstraat 1, Wijk Bij Duurstede; Marinus Gerard Van Bruggen(Executed), NicolasBeetstraat 41, Eindhoven; Leon Janssens van der Sand (deceased), Chief of OranjeBrigade, "Sunny Hill" Maasneil; Fr.J. Gerards (Deceased), St. Joseph

Church, Asenray; Franz J. Lintjens, Pastoor Ramakers Straat, 6042 KG, Roermond; Miss Truus Wijers, Bernhardlaan 20, 6042 HS, Roermond; Antoon W. Janssen, Lebron de Vexlastraat 8, 6042 AR, Roermond; Anthony & Ann Suntjens, Wilhelminlaan 92, 6042 EP, Maasniel- Roermond; Remko Roosjen, Kruis Herinstraat 221, 6041 HK, Roermond; George H. & Hannie Lemson, Bosscherweg 29B, Maastricht (present address unknown)

BELGIUM: Fernand Du Moulin (present whereabouts unknown), Rue Maghin 10, Liege, Belgium; Gaston de Lairesse (daughters, Lillian & Michelle), 7 Rue Joffre, Liege.

S/Sgt. Breitenbach crashed in Holland at 2 pm on 22 Feb. 44. It was extremely cold and he was freezing when picked up by the UG at 8 pm. With the help of the UG he evaded capture for over 4 months and was then captured in Liege, Belgium on 27 June 44. He spent the remainder of the War as a prisoner, being freed on 12 MAY 45.

CRASHED

BREMER, ADOLPH F.

AFEES

2314 579BS 392BG 18SEP44

23SEP44

A farmer, A. Neefs Van Steenberger (Verhautell & Kulenwehr) until 23 SEPT 44; Tony and Lazy Neefs (Van Steenberger), Middelveld, Gierle; Vervloet, Erand; Joseph Jacobs, Schoolstraat 2, Lichtaert Antwerp; Josph Durcks, Schoolstraat 8, Lichaert Antwerp

2nd Lt. Bremer, Bombardier, went down in the vicinity of Gierle, Belgium. He, 2316 Coogan, and 2317 Leich were helped by evacuees.

EE REPORT: 2nd Lt. Bremer, 0769092, went down at 1745 South of Gierk, Belgium with #'s 2316 Coogan and 2317 Leich. Helped by Evacuees, Joseph Jacobs, Schoolstraat 2, Lichtstraat, Antwerp and Joseph Durcks, Schoolstraat, Lichtstraat, Antwerp. They were helped by a farmer, A. Neefs Van Steenbergers (Verhaudel 8 Kulenweler), Middelveld 10, Gierle until Sunday 23 SEPT.

BRENDEN, ARDEN N.

749 407BS 92BG 16-3-44

Sgt., 17111008 down Ponthion 6 K NE of Vitry le F. -->-- ???tain -->-- St. Gaudens -->-- 11 or 12-5-44

BRENNAN, GEORGE F.

2736 305TCS 442TCG 19SEP44

CAPT-NEO
F/O BRENNAN, T. 122108, DOWN 130 AT SCHIJNDEL, HOLLAND. HE HID HIMSELF IN A DITCH, COVERED WITH STRAW. U.G. DOCTOR, MORPHINE. WITH SERGEANT OF THE AIRBORNE DIVISION. A QUISLING SOLD THEM OUT. A PATROL OF SS SHOT AT THEM AND THEY WERE CAPTURED. STAYED IN A CIVILIAN HOSPITAL, ST. LUDINAS LAZERETT NEAR SCHIJNDEL, OPERATION AT 2200 HOURS. CREW OF C-47 AND AB #2527, 2733, ANHD 2754. A GERMAN GUARD KILLED THE SS WITH A .45 COLT AUTOMATIC AND GAVE IT TO THE PILOT THEN SURRENDERED TO HIM. CHIEF OF THE U/G, PIERRE HOEKX, A PRIEST IN CONTACT WITH THE U.S. TROOPS. A PATROL OF U.S. COUNTERATTACKED THE GERMANS. THE NUNS HIS TWO U.S. (CREW OF C-47 IN THE ATTIC AND PUT A TB SIGN ON THE DOOR. HOEKX, DISGUISED AND WENT TO THE ST. AB AND OTHERS # 2601, 2600, AND ARMS. GRE KALTER, TERRIFIC SHELLING, HOSPITAL HIT THREE TIMES. DR. A.P.H. Cols, WHO WAS KILLED BY A STRAFING P-47, DR VAN OPPENROOY, SISTER MARY THERESA, MOTHER SUPERIOR WERE ALL OUTSTANDING. (BRENNAN'S REPORT:)

ON 9-19-44 DURING OPERATION MARKET-GARDEN, (BRIDGE TOO FAR) WE CRASH LANDED ON FIRE. WAS WOUNDED 7 TIMES AND CAPTURED AFTER A/B SERGEANT AND I STOOD OFF A KRAUT PATROL OF 12 TO 15 MEN. FINALLY THE SERGEANT AND I OVERPOWERED 2 GUARDS AT NIGHT AND WITH THE HELP OF THE DUTCH RESISTANCE ESCAPED AND WAS HIDDEN FOR 11 TO 12 WEEKS IN THE DUTCH CATHOLIC MALMTY HOSPITAL DISGUISED AS A PREGNANT WOMAN. THE A/B SERGEANT THOMPSON - HEARD HE WAS KILLED IN KOREA.

CRASHED
STAFF SERGEANT

BRENNEKE, GLENN E.
1681 xxxxx 96BG xxxxxxx
6SEP44

S/Sgt. Brenneke, 39311090. Down Luttre, Belgium. Gemappe -->-- Nivells -->-- Eccausines -->--
Braine Le Comte. 3 weeks with Henflinger, 20 kilometers South of Brussels. Brussels for 5 weeks at one
home, 4 weeks at another. -->-- at Beffe with 23 US -->-- Porcheresse (Emile Roiseux, Chef de Camp)
for 3 weeks -->-- Bohan -->-- US patrol to Paris on 6 SEPT 44. SEE ALSO ROISEUX,
MILLAR, GLADYS, COCHRAN, KOCH, MORGAN, SCHLEICHKORN (SHAWN), BIENFAIT
("MONIQUE"), VOGLE.

BRESSLER, WALTER T.
AFES

720 713BS 448BG 1APR44
S/Sgt. Bressler (Engineer/Gunner, B-24 out of Seething, UK) went down Bethiny St. Rene, Oise with #721
(Ira Allen). He was aided by the French UG to escape through France to Spain.
CREW: PILOT--CAPT. CLAY MILLER OF PHILADELPHIA; NAVIGATOR--LT. RICHARD AMES;
BOMBARDIER--LT. MARVIN GOFF, TEXAS; ENGINEER--WILLIAM WARREN (DECEASED
); ENGINEER--WALTER T. BRESSLER; RADIOMAN--FRANCIS MARK OF N.Y.; BALL
GUNNER--NELSON BRANCH, FROM MIDWEST; RIGHT WAIST--IRA ALLEN OF UTAH; TAIL
GUNNER--MIKE LITTLE OF WASHINGTON, DC.
BAILED OUT

BREVER, CHARLES J.
DECEASED 90
204 333BS 94BG 14-10-43
BREVER WAS LOCATED BY THE 94 BG IN 1978.
2nd Lt., 0673854 of 41-43 40th St., Sunnyside, LI, NY
down Marenil en Brie -->-- Chauny -->-- Avries
UK 17-11-43

BREWER, ALBERT
656 547BS 384BG 1-12-43
S/Sgt., 20434636 down Poperinge, Belgium

BRIDGES, CHARLES T.
2615 66BS 44BG 1AUG43
4NOV44
S/Sgt. Bridges. See Major Yeager's Report.

BRIDGES, RICHARD W.
855 66BS 44BG ??????
1st Lt., 0794067 down Budapest, Hungary -->-- Tito -->-- Italy 20-4-44

BRIDWELL, DONALD F.
1081 ?????? ?????? ??????
2ND.LT., 0552976

BRIEN, CLEVELAND J.
1272 xxxxx 355FG 18AUG44

Brien was a 1st Lt., 0758930. Down Attigny, Oise. Helped by Muller, a farmer, and by a priest and a Justice of the Peace at Betz (15 K. SW of Villers Cotteret). Gaston Passoux, 11 Ave. du Nord, Cote du Nord, Drancy.

BRIGMAN, CAMPBELL C.

AFEES

606 571BS 390BG 30DEC43

HELPED BY FRENCH AND BELGIAN PATRIOTS

???, 0802526 down Vimy in North of France -->-- UK 27-4-44 DEC 30, 1943 SHOTDOWN HIRSON FRANCE - CRASH LANDED - FRANCE - BELGIUM - FRANCE - TO SPAIN AND GIBRALTAR. CREW: THOMAS J. TERRIL, COPILOT; ERNEST L. STOCK NAVIGATOR; FRANK A. TANK BOMBARDIER; ERIK KOLE, ENGINEER; RUSSELL CV. GALLO RADIO OPERATER; WAISTGUNNER LEONARD CASSIDY; CHARLES C. VANDERWARF TAIL GUNNER; PAUL D. YOUNG WAISTGUNNER; HAROLD BOYCE BALL TURRET; NOTE: HAROLD BOYCE WAS TAKEN PRISONER BY THE GERMANS ON OUR FIRST ATTEMPT TO CROSS THE PYRENEES MOUNTAINS.

CRASHED

1ST LT./PILOT B-17 8AF

BRILL, HERBERT

AFEES

1371 xxxxx 92BG 31DEC43

SEP44

FRENCH ADDRESS 48 rue ANDRE PICAUD, 24300 NONTRON. PHONE O11 33 5356 6781 FAX 53 56 79 66 ATTN: HERB

FRENCH GROUP NAMED "SECTION SPECIALE DE SABOTAGE" (SSS).

REGION DE VOUZAN, CHARENTE.

Capt. Jacques Nancy (Parachutist, BCRA), commandant of the SSS(Chev. of the Legion D'Honneur).

1st Lt. Brill, pilot of a B-17. Down with # 1371, Weber, at Grassac, Charente. 1 week with Rene Rispart at Liajacques Rex.....Jean Louis, FFI-->-- Charras (Charente). Mme. Calandreau (cafe), who asked for too much money. Mme Lasret, Trelis Charente, Mme. Reyrier, Les Valads, 7 K. South of Cognac. With the Maquis of Augignac (Dordogne). Brill and Weber volunteered to fight in the Local Resistance Forces under Captain Jacques Nancy (BSRA) who had parachuted into France to organize resistance. They received air drops of arms and supplies, performed sabotage, etc. For this service Brill was awarded the "Medaille du Combattant Voluntaire de LaResistance Francaise" and "La Croix du Combattant".

BRILL, HERBERT

AFEES

1371 XXXXX 92BG 31DEC43 SEPT44

BRINN, JACOB W.

AFEES

926 401BS 91BG SEP44

JULIEN, ADELAIDI, ROBERT AND YVETTE MENARD.

BRINN'S STORY: OUR TARGET WAS ANGERS WHEN WE HAD TO BAIL OUT, I LANDED ON THE FARM OF THE MENARD FAMILY.

BAILED OUT

S/SGT - ARMORER GUNNER 8AF

BRITTON, JESS W.

AFEES

1350 322BS 91BG 19AUG44

Marcel Albinet, 377 Rue des Pyrenees, Paris

S/Sgt. Britton went down in the vicinity of St. Cyr Du Vaudreuil 5 Kilometers NNWLo??ers.

BRIXIUS, JOHN L.

AFEES

2098 755BS 458BG 9SEP44

BAILED OUT

2ND LT. BRIXUS, 0722790 - TARGET - MAINZ, GERMANY, BAILED OUT OVER GERMANY. EVADED CHEATER WITH HELP OF UNDERGROUND AND ESCORTED TO LUXEMBOURG TO TOWN OF SCHMIEDA AND HID UNTIL AMERICAN TROOPS LIBERATED MY COPILOT AND I JUST PRIOR TO THE BATTLE OF THE BULGE. Went down at Deyfredt, Belgium. He was helped by Felix Delvoux and family, Diekrich, Luxemmbourg, mostly fed. Camille Huart, Schmiede(Portulflingere) gave civilian clothes. Adolph Gerard, Deyfreedt, Belgium. Pierre Scheuren, Huldigan, Luxembourg, Liaison with the Underground and the U.S. CREW:PAUL W. STONEBURNER, PILOT; CHARLES A. LEWIS, COPILOT; SHELDON WEINER (2126),BOMBARDIER; JEROME JACOBS (2649) ENGINEER; LAWRENS SMITH (6284), GUNNER; BASIL R.OLNEY, TURRET GUNNER; JOSEPH AGLIATA, TURRET GUNNER. NO ADDRESSES AVAILABLE FOR ANY OF THESE MEN.
1ST LT. PILOT B-24 8thAF

BRODRICK, EARL C.

DECEASED 23SEPT90

1375 xxxxx 92BG 29APR44

S/Sgt. Brodrick, 31259456, down Temple la Fosse, Somme (landing) has same details as 1373, Rogers.
LANDED

BROGA, F. D.

2610 96TCS 440TCG 17SEP44

T/Sgt. Broga, 11098903. See # 2611, Arnold.

BROGLE, WILLIAM J.

1567 499BS 322BG 14JAN44

S/Sgt. Brogle, 35377490. Down East of St. Omer and West of Hazelbrouck. LaTulipe, Rene Pelletier's home -->-- from the 22nd to 30 Jan. at Reumancourt, home of Canivet, niece Renee Wiart (organizer) -->-- 1 Feb to 1 Sept, Mme.DeBrabant, teacher (at Hazelbrouck?).

BROHARD, MARIUS L.

132 563BS 388BG 6SEP43

BROHARD WAS WAIST GUNNER

S/Sgt., 33238852 1051 West 4th Street, Williamsport, PA

_met 128, 129, 131, 132, 295, 294, 246, 176

Troyes ----> Quimper ----> UK 25-10-43

BRONNER, CHARLES P.

292 337BS 96BG 14-10-43

2nd Lt., 0671236 down Domremy -->-- Guennoc

BROOKE, RUSSELL M.

241 ??? 305BG 6-9-43

DECEASED 4/12/44

1Dec43

This escape mission is well written up in "THE L'ABER-VRAC'H SAGA"BY DAVID BIRKIN, Navigation officer, 15th MGB Flotilla of theBritish Royal Navy.

2nd Lt., 0743310 down Neuchatel en Bray -->-- Quimper -- Boat

LIEUTENANT

BROOKS, GEORGE JOSEPH

AFEES

2694 382FS 363FG 13AUG44
13AUG44

Emile Sorel (Deceased); Roger Benace (Deceased); Dr. and Mme. Guy Picot; Michael Laine. Wrote a book in 1993, "Sunflower Wild" by Aegina Press, Huntington, W. VA 25704

2nd Lt. Brooks of the 9th AF went down while on Dawn Patrol over France, bailing out 3 kilometers East of Argentan. He was able to return by walking and automobile late at night

BAILED OUT

1st. Lt.

BROOKS, HAROLD C.

AFEES

1033 534BS 381BG 15JUN44

S/Sgt., 16088694 PARACHUTED NEAR BORDEAUX FRANCE. WALKED OUT OF FRANCE WITH THE AID OF FREE-FRENCH FORCES OVER PYRENEES MOUNTAINS. CAN NO LONGER RECALL THE NAMES OF MY HELPERS. CREW: CHAS. KELLY PILOT; DONALD DISBROW NAY COPILOT; CHARLES BRASEAR, ENGINEER; SIMON WILZAK WAIST GUNNER; ALFRED CAMPBELL WAIST GUNNER; RALPH WORKMAN, BALL TURRET; DONALD GRAHAM, TAIL GUNNER.

BAILED OUT

T/SGT RADIO GUNNER 8AF

BROSE, WILLIAM F.

1573 67BS 44BG 20MAY44

Sgt. Brose, 12203454. Down Erchy, 50 kilometers South of Cambrai. Beaumont en Beine, M. and Mme. Louis Zanni, Mme. Attila Rota. In Villeselve, M. Roger Duval.

BROTHERS, DALE W.

DECEASED

1553 450BS 322BG 8JUL44
6SEP44

Sgt. Brothers, 17062888. Down at Quesnoy, S/A. FFI Montague-Fayel 3 days with man, wife, and son (21 yrs) at a farm near the church -->>-- Oirains M. and Mme. Durier, Le Mole for 6 weeks (Canadians) -->>-- Durier was the original chief of the Resistance in the area.

BROTT, NELSON E.

AFEES

1301 506BS 44BG 8AUG44

S/SGT BROTT, 32855843. A MEMBER OF THE 8TH AIR FORCE STATIONED AT SHIPDHAM, ENGLAND, WHILE FLYING IN A B-24 LIBERATOR, WENT DOWN 1 MILE FROM VAUCHAMPS, MARNE. SAME AS #1297. STAYED WITH UNDERGROUND IN MONTMORT, FRANCE. MANY OF HIS CREW ARE ALREADY CREW MEMBERS
STAFF SERGEANT/RADIO

BROWER, COL. KENNETH A.

AFEES

2019 449BS 322BG 9JULY44
12SEP44

DR. JEAN CARTON 41 AVE. ST. LOUIS, 94210 LA VANENNE, ST. HILAIRE, FRANCE. MR. M. VEYS 31 RUE DOM BOUQUIT, 80000 AMIENS, FRANCE

Brower was a 1st Lt. when he went down. He spent 1 week with M. Martin at Betancourt, 1 week at St. Legare. On 21 JULY he returned to Betancourt to the home of Auguste Legey. He had additional help from M. Vey, Flipecourt, Somme and Dr. Jean Curtain, St. Orien -- The poor of St. Orien and Betancourt (le pietre de St. Orien et Bet....).

BROWN, ANDREW

2471 xxxxx xxxxx 10SEP44

12SEP44

1st Lt. Brown, 0708243, Arlon, Belgium with #'s 2472 Gilbert, 2473 Palmer. Helped by a farmer, son 18, daughter 15, FFI took them to Arlon to contact US.

BROWN, ARTHUR F.

2798 xxxxx xxxxx 12JUL44

DECEASED 12/26/82

Sgt. Brown, 35343610, was at Venhuizen, en-route to Horn, Holland. He spent 1 week at Venhuizen, helped by a schoolteacher. Then he spent 1 1/2 months with Willem Alkman?, Hoogkarspel. Uncle Theo was the U.G. leader in N. Holland. He made a trip from Den Helder to Zaandum (Police). On 10 OCT. there was a battle with the Germans, who killed the farmer, Koning. Sheltered at the Jansen home in Stompvoren for 1 week. For 1 week he went to Medem Bluk with Mr. Knibbe to give Bazooka instruction, etc. For another week at Cohorn for the same purpose where he stayed with Shanke in the property of Nieuwhuizen and Deleman (Department Store?), at Wieringermeer. On 26 DEC. with Piet C. Van Rijn of 318 Drieboomlaan, Horn, as guide he went to Amsterdam, the Amstel Canal, Ondewater, the Lek (at Langerak), Hardinxveld on the Waal, the Bies Bosch marshes, met B.W. Touw (Skipper) NZ HAVFN112, Bergen op Zoom, who took him across (5 1/2 hours) and came on the Canadians near Geertrusdenberg -- Tilburg
SGT

BROWN, LT COL. JOHNNY

AFEES

5th 9FS 49FG 19SEP44

Brown went down over the Philippines and landed in a tree. He was helped from the tree by a Philippine native.

NOTE: LT. COL. BROWN IS NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE CATERPILLAR ASSOCIATION
P-38 AND P51 PILOT

BAILED OUT

Lt.Col.

BROWN, DEWEY C.

AFEES

165 546BS 384BG SEP43

29OCT43

Brown was Pilot of B-17 "MERRIE HELL" out of Grafton-Underwood, U.K. on the 1st Schweinfurt raid and had to crash land in France. He was not aided by any organized group of resistance. He walked across France, receiving help from many French people and hiked across the Pyrenees to Spain.

FROM EE REP.: of Mathis, Texas.-->>-- down near Sedan -->>-- Spain 24-9-43

-->>-- UK 29-10-43

CRASHLANDED

BROWN, EARL MARION

2091 565BS 389BG 24FEB44

8SEP44

1st Lt. Brown, 081628, went down at Vielsalm, Belgium. He spent 1 day with M. Remy at Jouveval; 1 day with M. Laloux at Gonvy; 5 days with M. T. Serstevan at Stavelot; 10 days with M. Joseph Goffinet (Schmitz) at Rivage-Liege; 3 weeks with Jullien Gerard, Spa; 2 days with Mme. Vandeghen, Spa; 2 weeks with Charles Bivort, Lugi (or Tiege); 1 week with M. Simon, Moncevaux; 4 days with M. C. Hallet, Remonchamps; 2 weeks with M. Francois Mortgat, Aywaille. On 11 MAY 44 to Switzerland. Escaped with the aid of Werner Lier's organization to Geneva. On 8 SEPT 44 to Annecy.

BROWN, FRED D.

2182 xxxxx 379BG 29JAN44

2SEP44

S/Sgt. Brown, 13128461, down 8 K. NE. of Houffalize, E. of Gouvy, Belgium. Marcelat Gouvy -- Lt. Boomer -->-- Liege -->-- church, 15 Cloitre St. Croin, Liege where M. Hambert was the caretaker. Arnold in radio contact (Father 4234)(teacher of radio at the Univ. of Liege). Chief of Police of Liege. -->-- Dinant-->-- St. Hippolyte Doubs -- Switzerland, Porrentruy. Escaped 2 SEPT.

BROWN, JAMES T.

DECEASED 11/28/61

1963 xxxxx 448BG 9MAR44

11SEP44

M. and Mme. Vandaborne, 47 Rue Middlebourg, Boitsfor, Brussels; M. and Mme. HenriBarri, 25 Rue Moerkerke, Schaerbeek, Brussels; Mme. Anne Brusselmans, 127Chaussee d'Ixelles, Ixelles, Brussels; M. and Mme. A. de Keyser, 1714 Chaussee deWavre, Auderghem, Brussels (Mme's first name Marguerite); M. and Mme. Mattisson(deceased), 31A Rue George Rademaeker, Schaerbeek, Brussels; Mme. MarieCortorieud, 130 Rue Vanderlinden; Marc and Dinah Nelis, 25 Drive d'Leinfante, Waterloo; Dr. Vanderstein, Schaerbeek, Brussels; M. G. Manequet, 33 Rue Maes, Ixelles; Captain J. Perpette, 19 Rue Alex Andre de Caene, Brussels; M. JacquesBouty; M. and Mme. Antone Neefe (address unknown)

DECEASED

F/Sgt. Brown, 38116078, out of Seething, U.K. was shot down at Arondunet, Belgium in the area of Turnhout near the Dutch/Belgian border. He was able to evade capture and returned to Allied Control to complete his EE Report on 11 SEPT 1944. See reports of Herschler (EE # 1852) and Meredith (EE # 2021).

BAILED OUT

BROWN, JOHN R.

AFEES

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CRASHED

UNKNOWN

BROWN, JOHN W.

DECEASED

1841 349BS 100BG 4FEB44

SEE LISTED UNDER SYNOPSIS

DECEASED DURING THE KOREAN WAR WHEN HIS C-46 CRASHED IN HEAVY WEATHER INTO MT.FUJIYAMA, JAPAN.

1st Lt. Brown went down in the vicinity (NE) of Colen, Belgium. Immediate aid provided and was sheltered for one night. -->-- Next day he started walking towards Brussels. About 1000 hours a man on a bicycle asked if he was American. With Louis to Colen to someone who could speak English. He stayed a night and aday with 3 Louis's. He was given civilian clothing and 2 of the Louis's took himto Brussels to an Armee Blanche barracks, 85 Chaussee de Gand. he stayed there for 4 weeks with Phillip Vossels. He saw Zeien?, who spoke good English and talked about his brother in NY. A man who claimed to be head of the Belgian Red Cross gave him a tissue sheet on which to write casualty information. Pedro, whom the Gestapo caught about 10 MAY also gave him a tissue sheet. -- visited by the Countess Limburgstirum (35 years old with 5 children) whose husband was supposed to be head of the Belgian Embassy in London. With her was a Princess (blond, attractive, 28, five years in Washington, DC). Often they would be accompanied by the man who claimed to head of the Belgian Red Cross, 6 ft. 2 in., large. Countess and the Princess took him to an apartment over a shop with a woman and her husband, where he stayed 8 days to 2 weeks. A man picked him up here and took him to the apartment of M. Dam, short, stout, receding hair line, perfect English, crippled from a broken leg, used cane. M. Dam lived with his wife, an aged father, and a little girl from Sweden. Brown stayed six days to two weeks. He went to a cafe, stayed about seven hours, and was picked up by a strange guide from the center of the city. He was taken to 478

Chaussee Cesar Romane, Laeken and stayed for 4 weeks with Mme. Guyaux. Here he met Henri, one of the leaders of the Group, 23-26, and his sister Simone. Their father had been Chief of the organization until taken by the Gestapo. Henri had come to check on Brown's identity because they were suspicious of him. A P-47 pilot, EE # 1881, Bill Grosvenor, came along to double check. Grosvenor had previously stayed with Col. Hubbard. Henri declared that the line to Spain had been broken. Another Simone took Brown and Grosvenor to Marcel Van Buggerhout, 226 Blvd. Emile Bockstoul, Laeken and after about 3 hours to the home of Leon, his wife, and 16 yr. old daughter for 2 weeks (Grosvenor appears to have arrived 3 days after Brown). They met Leon's brother, Francois, who was reputed to be one of the heads of the Armee Blanche. Marcel took them for 4 weeks with Guinard-Legrain, 41 Rue Edgard Tivel, Auderlecht. Met Marcel Nee, 23 yrs (same as Brown), 23 Rue Edgard Tinel, who had been a POW in Germany, and a helper Gaston Warsquier, 45 Ave. d'Itterbeek who kept airmen. Another Simone, her husband Paul, and daughter Paulette, visited as did Leon's brother, Francois, and his father who owned a brewery. Mme. Lucienne Van Ewalle, 488 Chaussee de Grand, Audenbeck St. Jean, also visited -- she was keeping sergeants named Franky and Jimmy. Marcel took them to a place in Laeken where they stayed four to ten days with a woman and her daughter. There was no electricity, gas, radio and they were unhappy. Marcel moved them to Mme. Claes, 147 Rue du Cimitiere, where they stayed 4 weeks -->-- Angelo Stevenin, 137 Ave. du Cimitiere, et Yvonne de Backer, 138 of same street. M. and Mme. A. Cammaerts-Jacobs, 912 Chaussee De Louvain -- Cafe de George, same Street. They met a top turret gunner named Elmore Loveland, 3422 Adams Ave., San Diego at Georges' cafe where he was staying. Marcel then moved them to a cafe run by Jean and Midge (presumably Micheline). They stayed about 2 weeks and returned to Mme. Claes about 18 JUNE. They heard that the Gestapo had caught Henri, Simone, and a leader named Victor. On 19 JUNE Mme. Claes awakened them with the warning that the Gestapo were there and they must get out. They were arrested at home of Mme. Claes and sent with her Luftwaffe HQ's to St. Gilles prison. SEE THEODORE H. KLEINMAN STORY. After Liberation Brown saw Margaret Gruntaard-Legrain, Midge (cafe) the wife of Marcel- Van B. and Mme. Cloes.

In Brown's notebook: Marcel Nee, 23 Rue Edgard Tivel; Mia and Yetty Vanderwaeren, 44 Ave. du Roi Soldat; Christaine Volbrecht, 37 Ave. d'Idderbeek Onderlecht; Ernest Frisnell, 10 Place Joseph Wanters; Paule de Coster, 58 Ave. Roi Soldat; Marcel Van Buggenhont, 226 Blvd. Emile Bockstoul Laeken; Gaston Wanquier, 45 Ave. d'Itterbeek; Angelo Sevenin, 137 Ave. du Cimitier; Mme. Cloes; Yvonne de Backer; Van de Walle; Lebrogue Marcel

ADDITIONAL PERSONAL NOTE: "Bud" Brown played left halfback for College of the Pacific under Alonzo Stagg and participated in the 1939 Rose Bowl game.

BROWN, LESTER

AFEES

52 546BS 384BG 26JUN43

07AUG43

S/Sgt., 20820476 Radio MIA 26-6-43

St. Cyr--Paris--Foix--Andore

54.55.180.52 53.71 56 ???? a???? 26-6-43. Foret Rambouillet

BROWN'S STORY: LANDED NEAR ST. CYR FRANCE WENT TO PARIS FRANCE THEN THROUGH TOULOUSE FRANCE TO FOIX FRANCE AND OVER THE PYRENEES MOUNTAINS THROUGH D'ANDURA TO BARCELONA SPAIN THEN TO MADRID AND GIBRALTAR AND ON TO ENGLAND. TOOK A TOTAL OF 42 DAYS. CREW: JOSEPH ROSIO, PILOT; GEORGE EVAN, COPILOT; LEONARD FINK #180, NAVIGATOR; SIDNEY CASDEN, BOMBARDIER; OTTO MASTERSON, ENGINEER GUNNER; ANTHONY CUCCINIDA, ASS'T RADIO OPR.; JOHN H. KURBUSK, ARMORER; JOHN H. HOUGHTON ASS'T ENGINEER & BALL TURRET GUNNER; LEE LEWIS, TAIL GUNNER.

BAILED OUT

S/SGT - RADIO GUNNER 8AF

BROWN, ROBERT F.

2917 385FS 364FG 28OCT44

DECEASED 4/29/64

2nd Lt. Brown, 0707598, P-51, went down at Borgulo, Holland. Captured, escaped, a Doctor in Borgulo treated him, a woods policeman helped from 5 to 20 NOV. He was then at the Sansen farm with # 2914, Davis.

LIEUTENANT

BROWN, THOMAS H.

AFEES

15AF 514BS 376BG 15FEB45

BAILED OUT NEAR LUZOS, RUMANIA. TO BUCHAREST. PETER J. MACARIE.

S/SGT B-24 R/O GUNNER

BROWNING, HERBERT M.

191 333BS 94BG 4OCT43

DECEASED 12/5/82

T/Sgt., 32452747, Radio Operator, of 33 Greenwood Rd., Wellesley Hills, Mass.

UK 8-11-43 by plane

T/SGT

BRUZEWSKI, OTTO

320 535BS 381BG ??-10-43

DECEASED 9/6/71

T/Sgt., 36171511 down Liege -->-- Perpignan 4-1-44

T/SGT

BRYANT, JOE R.

AFEES

XXXX 765BS 461BG 20NOV44

19JAN45

S/SGT BRYANT CONTACTED ME ON APRIL 26TH AND WAS A MEMBER OF THE 15TH AIR FORCE STATIONED IN ITALY. ROUTE TRAVELED WHILE DOWN: GARESNICA, CAZMA, DARUVAR, VIROVITICA, DRAVA RIVER, BARCS, SZIGETVAR, KAPOSVAR, DOM BOVAR, PECS, MOHACS, SZKSZARD, PAKS & BEYOND THEN BACK TO PAKS, DANUBE, BAJA, BACALMA, SUBOTICA, HORGOS, SZEGED, KISEIMBOR, LOURIN, TIMISOARA, RACAS, SIMIAN, BALINT-OR-BALOTA, LUGOJ, SACUI, CARANSEBES, TEREGOVA, MEHADICA, ORSOVA, VARCIOVA, TARNUL-SEVERIN, STREHAIA, CARAIOVA, COSTESTI, PITESTI, BUCHAREST, AND FINALLY, ITALY. CREW: ARTHUR L. HUGHES, PILOT. GEN DEL. WICKENSBURG, AZ 85358, PH 602/684-5953; LEONARD W. WAGER, CO-PILOT. 5007 IVANHOE PLACE, SEATTLE, WA 98015, PH 206/522-1237; BATES BOLES, BOMBARDIER. 5718 PINEWOOD SPRINGS, HOUSTON, TX 77066, PH 713/440-9817; WILLIAM C. HART, NAVIGATOR. 375 MARSHALL ST. P.O. BOX 2124, DUXBURY, MASS. 02331, PH 617/934-0765; WAYNE W. BOYCE, GUNNER, 230 MORRIS STREET, MONTE VISTA, CO 81144, PH 719/852-2369. ARTHUR W. BETTINGER, 453 PARDEE ROAD, ROCHESTER, NY 14609, DECEASED; DEWEY E. LARGE, GUNNER, 10807 FOX PARK ROAD, KNOXVILLE, TN 37931, PH 615/927-4026; DOUGLAS MEIFERT, GUNNER, ST. LOUIS IN 1945. CAN'T LOCATE; ROBERT L. SCANLON, GUNNER, 503 EMMONS BLVD., WYANDOTTE, MI 48192, PH 313/281-0288; DORANCE R. SHAFFER, GUNNER, CAN'T LOCATE. LAST ADDRESS: 115 N. PLAZA AVE, DAYTON OH 45417 OR 2135 RAVENWOOD, DAYTON OHIO 45406. AND OF COURSE, MYSELF. WE WERE CREW #90
BAILED OUT
STAFF/SGT-GUNNER

BRYANT, WILLIAM P.

1419 615BS 401BG 14JUN44

S/Sgt., 18137381, down Charly (Marne). Capt. Corre (FFI). M. Lehr at Lizy -->--Andre Cugnette, Crony. The home of Lehr was burned in reprisal.

BUBENZER, GUS E.

AFEES

1795 640BS 409BG 27MAY44

6SEP44

M. and Mme. Leleu (or Lelux), Mortemer Par Neufchatel en Bray; M. and Mme. Corroyer; M. Maurice Quillien and Michel Quillien; M. and Mme. Jean Quillien; M. and Mme. Adams; M. and Mme. Poteaux; M. and Mme. Roger Cressent; All of France

STORY: S/Sgt. Bubenzer (Engineer-Gunner, A-20J HAVOC, "Little Art") went down in the vicinity of Mortemer while on his 20th mission. The target was the marshalling yards at Amiens. Their plane was part of the first box and after about 15 minutes over enemy territory encountered intense AA fire. Their right engine was knocked out, electric and hydraulic systems were damaged, there was fire in the bomb bay and in the right engine. The pilot gave the bail out order. Capt. Huff and Lt. Lever exited late enough so that they landed in the channel and were picked up by British Air Sea Rescue but the others were over land. Gus landed in an apple orchard. He injured his ankle and was gathering up his chute when two Frenchmen approached. Using his French phrase book he asked about Germans. They indicated Germans all around and helped him with hiding the chute and gestured for him to hide in the hedgerow. Germans approached on motorcycles and talked to the Frenchmen. The Germans searched for about three hours. Finally the man approached him and asked for identification. About 6 pm a young man approached with a cart and Bubenzer got in and was covered with straw. After a short ride they arrived at another orchard and stopped beside a wood pile. The young man moved some wood aside to reveal a large trench. He was hidden in the trench and it was covered again. In a few hours a young girl came with a bucket of hot water to soak the injured ankle. Just before dark they came for him and with the help of two men he crossed the orchard and a road to a little farmhouse. Mme. Lelux helped him upstairs to the room where he was to spend the next two weeks. German vehicles, trucks and tanks passed the house continually.

When the ankle was well enough to walk on with the help of a cane, Mme. Lelux and another lady loaded him into her cart sitting in a chair in the bed of the cart while the ladies rode in the front seat. They were stopped and the ladies were questioned by German soldiers but they continued on to another farmhouse where they left him with the Corroyer Family. Here he was provided with I.D. papers and instructed to pretend to be a deaf mute. After a month at this farm the Gestapo got word that there was a parachutist hidden in the area. Maurice Quillien arrived at the farm and told Gus that he would come the next day to take him to his parent's home in Neufchatel. On Maurice's bike they set off. Approaching German guards Maurice let the air out of a tire and had Gus push the bike while he walked. He was with the Quillien Family consisting of Jean (the father), Leona (the mother), Maurice and his brother Michel for about a month. There was also an English Bomb-Aimer at the home. Next they moved to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adams at Menonval for two weeks followed by a time at an empty house belonging to M. Poteaux at La Broche-Menonval. On one occasion Germans arrived at the house to take the horses. They ordered everyone out of the house. There were six evaders and five French at the house. Gus was not seen and hid and the others had their papers examined and passed inspection. On 1 SEPT 44 the 7th Canadian Regiment liberated Neufchatel. Bubenzer was issued a British Uniform and given a Confidential Pass and departed for London by way of Dieppe. He was liberated on 1 SEP 44 and returned to make out his EE report on 6 SEP 44. 14aug.93. letter from Bubenzer: I am writing to report the names of 2 helpers who have not been recognized by our organization. While visiting my Helpers in France in 1981 the two men seeing a news article in the local paper realized it was I who they had aided my 1st day in France. Sadly, I failed to report these Helpers before their deaths. Roger Tellier, and Rene Canac.

BAILED OUT

BUCK, ROBERT E.

898 712BS 448BG ??????

Sgt., 19025011 same as 895

BUCKHOLZ, ROGER W.

AFEES

850BS 492BG 21JUL44 NOV.44

LANDED IN SWITZERLAND, BUT WALKED INTO FRANCE. EVADED TO REACH AMERICAN LINES. RETURNED TO LONDON NOV. 44

CREW. WM WESSON, PILOT, RICH NORTON - CO PILOT, TOM SCHNORR - BOMBARDIER
GEEN DOBBS,- ENG. ROGER ATEN, RADIO; GENE BOWMAN, NOSE GUNNER. GORDON
BUMP,- BALL TURRET. WARREN SHATTUCK,,,- TAILGUNNER. AL ZIEMZA, TOP TURRET.
NAV. B-24J

BUCKNER, GEORGE P.

AFEES

539 326BS 92BG 8FEB44

31MAR44

Andre Coucelle; Camille Orliac; Robert Eckart; Bertranne Auvert; All of France
S/Sgt. Buckner went down in the vicinity of Fontaine Boneleau. -->-- Margot Di Giacomo, Yvonne
Latrace, 5 Rue Beaudin, Levallois-Perret, Northern Suburb of Paris -->-- Guingamp -->--returned by
Operation Bonaparte
BAILED OUT

BUCKNER, JOHN R.

AFEES

xxxx 560BS 388BG 5NOV43

29APR45

Joke Folmer; Remko Roosjen, Roermond; Nan Mok, Rotterdam; Jeff Frantzen, Sittard
S/Sgt. Buckner crashed near Ijzendijke, Holland. He waited out the war in Holland until 29 April 1945.
CRASHED

BUDELMAN, CLEMENT C.

2352 527BS 379BG 29JAN44

DECEASED 7/9/89

S/Sgt. Budelman, 32455301, went down at Gouvy, Belgium with # 2349 Lawson, and #2350 St. John.
SEE LAWSON.
S/SGT

BUDGE, WILLIAM C.

2294 578BS 379BG 1AUG44

1st Lt. Budge, 0812939, went down at Augers, France. Wounded, captured, treated, left with the French
who took care of him.

BUGHAM, PERCY (BINGHAM)

1788 xxxxx 78FG 6SEP44

DECEASED 4/15/45

9SEP44

2nd Lt. Bugham, 0708638, out of Duxford, UK. Helped by Casimir Bervoetz, his brother and family,
Dykstraat, Huesden, Limburg, Belgium, and by Jendrik Byloos, Priest, Geenrigt 49, Huesden.
LT.

BUICE, JOHN FRANK

DECEASED

202 331BS 94BG 14-7-43

T/Sgt., 34267523 of 613 Church St., Decatur, Georgia. down at Le Bourget, Fontainebleau -->-- Bayonne
mentions 92, 133, 100, 101. Spain 14-10-43 UK 20*11-43

BUMBAK, JOSEPH S.

2853 xxxS xxxG 19OCT44

MAR45

1st Lt. Bumbak, 0702895, went down 1715 about 8 miles W. of Alba, Italy. 2 nights later he met 2 Partisans who took care of him for 3 days, Georges and William Bosis of Marene. On the night of 20 OCT. Bumbak and Sgt. Grace were at the home of John Costa, 60 yrs. old, farmer, married, no children, near Marene. He had been a butcher in the U.S. before the war. On 22 OCT. Sgt. Grace was captured by a German patrol, but Georges, William and Bumbak escaped. On 23 OCT. Bumbak joined the Partisans at Levaldigi for 2 days and was taken by Pepe to the Mountains. For 1 week they were 7 miles North West of Dronero, the Chief was Col. Stavey (200 men). For 1 month they were 3 miles North of Pradleves, the Chief was Lt. Reva. Captain Pierre took Bumbak and stayed with him almost all the time. From 20 NOV. to 16 DEC., 4 miles NE of Pradleves. On 29 NOV. there was a raid by 2000 fascists of 3 valleys, Valgrana, Valsara, Valmaira -- escaped -- crossed the mountains helped by Mattio and Genoa. On 16 DEC. with the Groups, "JUSTICE" AND "LIBERTY" near Valieri, Count "SANDRA" commanded 1500, well treated, Xmas gifts. Met 2 British. On 8 JAN. encountered Pietro Bianco who provided a guide, "Jack". On 25 JAN. a French soldier joined them, Charles Eckert, they were now 4 and they moved to Valmaria, where the Chief was Gino, 30 yrs. old, who gave them cigarettes, money and another guide, Pico who was 27 yrs. old and had been an Italian ski Champion. Finally they encountered Pietro Franco, 21 yrs. old, who worked with the U.S. in February. Pietro and the 4 evaders left to cross the mountains to Pradleves, SE to the region of Valdieri, South across the Mountains to Bellevue, France, 1 mile E. of Roquebilliers. Traveling at night reached Belvedere after 4 days, at 1800 hours, on 2 MARCH and telephoned to Lt. Henderson who came to find Bumbak and took him to Nice.

BUNCO, MICHAEL

2232 701BS 445BG 12APR44

T/Sgt. Bunco, 33253283, was shot down by ME-109 at Soree, Namur, Belgium. He spent 1 month with Ines Lampe, 9 Rue de la Trompette, bois d'Haine, Hainant. Transport was provided by Valere Durian, 86 Place Communale, Chapelle lez Herlaimont, Hainant and Henri Lefebvre, 106 Rue de Bascony, La Hestre, Belgium. He was 10 days with Raoul Clignet, Godarville and Jose Lamarche, 23 Rue Ferrer, Chapelle lez Herlaimont, Hainant helped a lot. He spent 20 days with Berthe Lamarche of the same address, and 12 days with Gustave Olivier of Cahpelle lez Herlaimont, Hainant.

BUNDGARD, CARL H.

DECEASED

835 505FBS 339FBG 4-7-44

2nd Lt., 0763483 down Buzancais Chateaux -->-- to Le Blanc airfield 28-7-44

BUNNELL, RICHARD F.

2429 562BS 388BG 8JUL44

20OCT44

S/Sgt. Bunnell, 19160013, went down at Amiens? Head wound, hemorrhaging, fractured spine -->-- Hospital in Amiens -- Liberated by U.S. at Chalons.

BURBANK, H. A.

2144 407BS 92BG 29JUL44

13SEP44

2nd Lt. Burbank, 0765605, went down at Exel, Belgium. "valable pour # 262, 263, 265".

He spent 1 week with Milles. Golly and Mary Smitts, Exel. -->-- Bourg-Leopold, Helpers unknown -->-- Hasselt, helpers unknown -->-- Warrenne, Helpers unknown -->-- 1 week in Liege with Mlle. Juliette Parent, G. Rue Bergerac, Liege and 3 weeks with M. and Mme. Jose Lambert, 344 Rue de Campine.

BURDETT, RICHARD J.

983 ??BS 457BG 11-8-44

Sgt., 33581949 6 miles of Pontrieux -->-- Guingamp 16-8-44

BURDICK, CLAYTON H.
240 554BS 386BG 22-8-43
DECEASED 7/5/66
T/Sgt., 36226581 down Rouen -->-- Boat from Brittany to UK 2-12-43
T/SGT

BURGESS, MERLIN K.
756 575S 391G 26-4-44
Capt., 00404086 down Dieppe # 757

BURGIN, JOHN W.
314 ???? 19-8-43
DECEASED 12/15/79
T/Sgt., 32457794 down Hasselt near Liege -->-- Dax
T/SGT

BURLEY, EDWARD R.
AFEES
307 331BS 94BG 14OCT43
2nd Lt. Burley went down in the vicinity of Crepy en Valois -- Foix

BURNETT, JAMES F.
2949 713BS 448BG 11SEP44
9APR45
Sgt. Burnett, 36698275, went down at Ommen, Holland. Helped by Jan (21), Gerritt(23), Herman (35) in the area just W. of Ommen, food and shelter 10 and 11 SEPT., they were well known to the U.G. leader, Gerry Piksen. Herman Frie, Wilhelmina Straat, Nijverdal, from 20 SEPT. to 10 OCT., a baker with 3 children. Chris, home was in Zwolle, helped in traveling, contacts, in SEPT. and OCT. G.J. Hegeman, Noetselberg 8, Nijverdal, from 15 to 29 OCT, (see # 2947). Mr. Van Jarten, GrootStraat 274, Nijverdal from 29 OCT. to 1 DEC. 44 and 7 DEC.44 to 6 MAR.45. Vander Wall, Hellendoornsweg, Nijverdal, from 1 to 7 DEC., mother (50), girl-Grietje(20), son-Bote (22) who was later captured. Teravest, a farmer, 3 K. South of Nijverdal, from 6 MAR. to 9 APR.45, mother (49), son-Gerritt (19), daughter-Dinka(24). Joined the Canadians at Rijssen.

BURNETT, ROBERT L.
DECEASED
1405 563BS 388BG 6SEP43
BURNETT WAS BOMBARDIER
LT.COL.

BURT, LAWRENCE F.
AFEES
12th xxxxx 319BG xxxxxxx
EVADED IN ITALY WITH GEORGE CREETH (TAIL GUNNER), HELPED BY MR. RUBERTELLI
GIACOMO

BURTNER, RENE L.
1337 xxxxx 359FG 18AUG44
30AUG44
Burtner was a 2nd Lt., 0822994. Down Humbrueville, 15 K. SW of Vitry le Francois. Farmer 1 mile away for 4 days and i/c Albert Paulin, Butcher of Vitry en Perthois

BUSBOOM, LLOYD C.
DECEASED

AFEES

603 326BS 92BG 31DEC43

French Resistance

Flight Officer Busboom was co-pilot of a B-17 out of Podington, U.K. when he went down SE of Paris. He and his Navigator, Edward Neu, made contact with the UG who sent them to a small resistance camp. There were three French Resistance, Two German Deserters, Ed Neu, Busboom and the Camp Chief was Paul Boe. The camp was located in Southern France near St. Gaudens. They crossed the Pyrenees about March of 1944 into Spain. Busboom stayed in contact with one of the Germans, even visiting him in Metz, until the German's death several years ago.

BUSKIRK, JOSEPH A.

1200 669BS 416BG 6AUG44

DECEASED 4/1/73

Buskirk was a Sgt., 12064124. Down at Carsix (7 K. NE of Bernay, Eure) with 1199(Hay). Same story as Hay.

SGT

BUSSE, HERMAN F.

1040 ??FS 367FG 11-8-44

2nd Lt., 0758151 5 Miles West Argentan -- not helped -- 15-8-44

BUSTON, JOHN M.

DECEASED 29JUN90

1121 ???? 358FG 26JUL44

1ST.LT., 067149 down near Falaise Andre Joseph helped US 17 AUG 44

BUTCHER, DAVID L.

AFEES

483 545BS 384BG 4JUL43

23FEB44

Alfred Auduc, France; Fiselle Baron; Mme. Gouin; Mme. Moneris (Deceased); Yvonne Rigat; M. and Mme. Hiessat; Alan Nicot; Victor David; Andre Dubois ("Hercules"). S/Sgt. Butcher (Tail Gunner, B-17 423235) went down while on a raid to LeMans in the vicinity of Poille Cherne(?). He was the sole survivor of the crew. The others are buried in St. Andre de L'Eure. Flying at 27000 ft. they were hit by the 190 Yellow Noses. The plane spun out and pulled out at about 3000 ft. and broke up. Butcher was unconscious and must have fallen through a hole in the fuselage. He was undoubtedly too close to the ground when he came to and pulled the ripcord. He landed very hard and was pretty well beat up in landing, especially his head and knees. Some young farmhands from Mme. Gouin's farm came along the road and picked him up. The plane crashed in a field next to Poille-sur-Vegre. He is now an Honorary Citizen of that town. In the town there is a monument with the names of the crew of the plane. After about 2 weeks for recuperation at Mme. Gouin's Farm, Butcher was picked up by a man from the Hercules (A. Dubois), Sacristan (F. Floege), Buckmaster Reseau. The man was Alfred Auduc who supplied clothes, money, a bicycle, and ID papers. Butcher's cover was as a deaf and dumb gardener named Louis David. He was put in contact with Andre Dubois ('HERCULES'). Andre was the organizer and a radio operator. Butcher and Andre carried the radio between Chenu at Chateau Du Loire and La Bougelier. From those locations messages were sent and drops of guns and ammo were received at La Bougelier. Butcher was with the group and in charge of air drops for nine months. Andre Dubois was finally caught and killed in a fight with the Gestapo but only after killing many of them. They were almost caught three times while Butcher was with them. All of his friends ended up at Buchenwald and Ravensbruck. Alfred Auduc wrote a book of which Butcher has a copy in his library. Butcher says he and 1st Lt. Dennis Carlson carried a Major (Major Eveland?) half way across the Pyrenees. There were the Major (Eveland?), Butcher, Carlson, Myrick, Kelley, 2 French, one English, 2 Polish, 2 Spanish guides in the party for a total of 12. They came through Carcassonne, France to Barcelona, Madrid, Gibraltar to the UK. During his evasion

Butcher was also associated with Gabriel Chartronde (Canadian who organized a Reseau in the Tourinne area).

CREW: PILOT--2ND LT. LAURENCE W. MYER, 0733702; COPILOT--NORMAN A. GAUNT, 0672793; NAVIGATOR--JAMES C. CROUCH, 0797275; BOMBARDIER--2ND LT. THOMAS H. BRZOZNOWSKI, 0735948; RADIO--T/SGT. JACK DAVIDSON, 35327696; TOP TURRET--T/SGT. JAMES L. LARUE, 39182309; BALL TURRET--SGT. JAMES T. CARTER, 6950609; REAR GUNNER--S/SGT. DAVID L. BUTCHER, 16011010; RIGHT WAIST--S/SGT. FLOYD HUBBLE, 35519535; LEFT WAIST--SGT. KENNETH E. CHRISTENSEN, 381130722.

BUTLER, JOHN A.

AFEES

2334 547BS 384BG 16SEP43

28OCT43

FRENCH MAQUIS AND FRENCH UNDERGROUND.

Captain Butler, Pilot of an aircraft out of Grafton-Underwood, U.K., went down in North West France. With the help of the Maquis and Underground he made his way by walking, by trains, etc. to Rheims, and on Southward to Pontalier and into Switzerland.

EE REPORT: 1st Lt. Butler, 0663844, pilot of B-17, went down 10 miles E. of Rennes. Spent 3 days at a farmhouse. Contacted a teacher at La Ronaudiere (18 K. NE. Chateau Briant) without results. Left on foot, returned. To the home of a Doctor in Anduille (son 22 yrs. old) on 3 OCT. 43. -->>-- Timos, a farmer between Maartigne and Sosse -- his son, Daniel, was his guide, via Paris, to Witry (6 K. from Reims) for 4 days at the Lanier home. Contact with the organization at Pontarlec -- 12 days at the home of Georges Coiffier (RR worker) -->>-- Levenfeldt, Baker took him to village near the frontier, an old man made the crossing. Note: between 6 and 13 SEPT. acted as liaison between General Legge at Berne and the OSS at Annemasse.

BUTLER, ROBERT K.

AFEES

1178 487FS 352FG 6JUN44

23AUG44

DOES NOT RECALL NAMES OF HELPERS BUT OUR RESEARCH SHOWS THEM TO BE: LOUISE BOUTEILLER, BAILLEUL LA VALLEE; PAGAILLE IN THE MAQUIS; RAYMOND MULLER, YVES CONDE, 25 BLVD P. LE LODEL (SARTHE) ROY RAYMOND, CITE PAYEN, VITRE LE F, MARNE

1ST LT. ROBERT K. BUTLER, 0694945 WAS STATIONED AT BODNEY FIELD, EAST ANGLIA, U.K. WHILE FLYING A P-51 MUSTANG WAS SHOT DOWN NEAR EPAIGNE AND BAILED OUT IN THE VICINITY OF BAILLEUL LA VALLEE. HE MOVED FREQUENTLY WITH FFI, GENERALLY WITHIN A TRIANGLE OF LISIEUX - THIBERVILLE AND COMREILLES. HE JOINED THE CANADIAN FORCES ADVANCING THROUGH THE AREA. HE DOES NOT KNOW THE WHEREABOUTS OF ANY OF HIS SQUADRON MEMBERS.

SHOT DOWN

COLONEL (RET)

BYE, RAYMOND F.

287 337BS 96BG 14-10-43

1st Lt., 0796619 down Luxemburg France Richecourt Quennoc Fin Boat

BYRD, VICTOR L.

1764 xxxxx 389BG 1APR44

DECEASED 9/13/74

2SEP44

S/Sgt. Byrd, 34420375, went down N. of St. Pol. He went 5 days without help. Then was helped by M. Thery Joseph, a farmer, of St. Michel par St. Pol and Francois Roger, ??? Les Maisnil par St. Pol (food and clothes). From 9 APR to 20 MAY at the home of Abbe Sasing, Curate of Hauteclouque par St. Pol -->>-- 3

weeks Mlle. Odette Tonsart (or Ornsart) at Herluicourt par St. Pol. Madeleine Wacheux brought food -->--
1 week with Marie and Oscar Einchen, 11 Rue Nationale, St. Pol, visited by Etienne and Joseph Brechy of
Herluicourt. Mme. King Paget, Place Marche, Bertraux gave ID. Helped by Mme. Basset, 2 Rue
Cauteraine, St. Pol sur Ternoise.
S/SGT

BYRNES, ALFRED J.

1403 xxxxx 386BG 11AUG44

Sgt., 32851079, down Gournay. M. and Mme Lacaille, cafe Epicerie, Hollenc en Braypar Beauvais
(Monsieur is Butcher ?) and the Mayor, Laucien Naugot.

CABRERA, ANTHONY J.

1624 853BS 491BG 11AUG44

4SEP44

2nd Lt. Cabrera, 0814245. See Joseph F. Haney, # 1506

CRASHED

CAGLE, JOSEPH W. (JR)

AFEEES

215 327BS 92BG 06SEP43

18NOV43

M. TOULSON IN LAVELANET, FRANCE; GEORGE P. BOUSQUET, LAVELANET, FRANCE; M &
MME JEAN ERPELDING, LAVELANET (ARIEGE) FRANCE
SGT, 34473002 FLEW OUT OF ALCONBURY, ENGLAND ON A B-17F AND CREW
CRASH-LANDED ABOUT 20 MILES N/W OF PARIS. CONTACTED FFI IMMEDIATELY AND
TAKEN TO PARIS. WENT BY TRAIN FROM PAIRS TO TOULOUSE THEN BY BUS TO
LAVELANET. STAYED WEEKS IN HAY LOFTS BEFORE WALKING ACROSS THE PYRENEES
MOUNTAINS TO ANDORRA. HE WAS ILL AND HAD BADLY FROST BITTEN FEET AND
STAYED IN ANDORRA FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT BEFORE HE WAS TAKEN BY CAR TO
BARCELONA, SPAIN. LATER WENT BY CAR TO MADRID AND THEN ON TO GIBRALTAR
WHERE HE AGAIN BECAME ILL AND STAYED IN A BRITISH HOSPITAL. FLEW FROM
GIBRALTAR TO ENGLAND. HAVE NOT BEEN IN CONTACT WITH ANY OF MY CREW SINCE
THE WAR. #175 NORMAN WAGNER; FLOYD ANTHONY; LEE CRABTREE; JORDAN YOUNG;
#356 RICHARD A. CHRISTENSON; #182 WILLIAM E. HARNLY; #214 KENNETH R. MOORE; #233
ARTHUR STEINMETZ; #107 MICHAEL G. ZELENAH JR. AND #106 JAMES T. CIMINI.
CRASHED
S/SGT-ARMORER-GUNNER

CAHILL, CHARLES P.

1152 729BS 452BG 8JUL44

2ND.LT., 0762079 Down Darnetal with 1206, 1151. Helped by gendarmes and M. Magnus Elbeuf whose
wife was US

CALDER, ALEXANDER W.

1190 322BS 91BG 13AUG44

Calder was a 2nd Lt., 0717592. Down Chartres. P. Baron, Elbeuf. Marcel Morin, Elbeuf (?????? St. Jean,
caretaker). Professor Kenny killed

CALDWELL, MERRILL A.

AFEEES

1411 568BS 390BG 8JUN44

T/Sgt., 35631860, down near Amiens. 1415, 1411, and 1413 were guided by children to Mme. Aldebert of
Behencourt -->-- M. Marechal (Wilson only), Oge and Caldwell went to Noyon--Caldwell to home of M.
Bredin for 2 months, Oge to the home of Mlle. Luce whose mother was the teacher near Cathedral (8 days)

then to home of Aldebert at Behencourt (13 K. NE of Amiens) until 22 AUG. Lewis and Ruta went with Claude Marechal (19 yrs) to the farm of M. Marcel Lendernois, 3 sons- Marcel(26 yrs), Andre (24 yrs), Louis (19 yrs)-- at Larbroye (1 K. S. of Noyon) from 12JUN to 22 AUG. On the 22nd Caldwell, Lewis, Oge, Ruta, Wilson were reunited with 1409 (Sechrist), 1410 (Turmenne), plus 1363 (Davis) and F/O William Chisholm (RAF) in the woods 12 Miles from Beauvais with 10 UK and 1376 (Neef), 1401 (Carrol) ->>> Lucien Ravel took them and his mother to the Chateau at Le Saussaye par Houssoye (Oise) 1 1/2 K. SW of Beauvais. On the 30th they were liberated by the Irish Brigade of Guards.

BAILED OUT

TAIL GUNNER B-17 8AF

GLEN S. CALL

AFEES

1562 532BS 381BG 27MAY44

2nd Lt. Call, 0761559. Down 4 kilometers West of Mailly le Camp between Chalois and Troy.

Allebadierres, Arcis, Aube-- Mme. Veuve(widow) Truchot, Montcalm (North of Champlette), M.

Lamarche, the miller. CALL'S STORY: WE CRASHED IN FOREST IN FRANCE NEAR TROYES ON

27 MAY, 1944. NAVIGATOR, 2ND LT. DON BLYTH KILLED IN CRASH. RADIO MAN JONES,

BALL TURRET GUNNER KAPLAN AND MYSELF EVADED CAPTURE. ALL OTHERS WERE

P.O.W'S. OTHER CREWMEN: 1ST LT. ANDREW STEURT, PILOT; CHARLES

ELSEN, BOMBARDIER; HARRISON, ENGINEER; MICKEY, TAIL GUNNER; SELIG, SPARE WAIST

GUNNER.

CRASHED

2ND LT. COPILOT B-17 8AF

CAMPBELL, ALFRED M.

1218 xxxxxx 381BG xxxxxxxx

DECEASED 11/30/87

Campbell was a Sgt., 15171172. # 1191, 1192

SGT

CAMPBELL, NELSON

735 365BS 303BG 30-12-43

2nd Lt., 0679362 down Chimey, Belgium -- Yvonne Bienfait #734

CAMPBELL, PHILLIP S.

DECEASED 88

1390 366BS 305BG xxxxxxxx

2nd Lt., 0704641, down Mont St. Caen, France. In Aubenton he received food, clothes from a child, Raymond Honoteau. In Augipar Singy le Petit he was helped by Mme. Van Whesylan (9 weeks). At Laigny par Veroin, Josephine Omeatak (1 week). Xavier Babled took him to St. Preirie via Soisson ?

CAMPBELL, WILLIAM R.

2140 525BS 379BG 7JUL44

11SEP44

S/Sgt. Campbell, 12131703, on a mission to Leipzig, went down at Polder, Holland. -->>-- Vollenhausen (German I.D. card) -->>-- sent to Meppel by group -->>-- Eindhoven, waited 3 weeks to cross the Belgian Border, battle with the Germans on 2 SEPT. with the Maquis, more battle -->>-- Spa -->>-- U.S. troops on 11 SEPT.

CAMPBELL, WILLIAM T.

DECEASED, 28 July 95

473 333BS 94BG 26NOV43

18MAR44

Bombardier on William Porter crew. 2nd Lt. Campbell went down in the area of Charny. -- Lucien Boutemp, Suilly? -->>-- The EE Report mentions EE #'s 455 and 456. Came out of France via MGB 503 as one of the Reseau Shelburne evacuees.

Bill's wife Vera confined to a wheelchair after having a stroke in 1989. She loves the reunions. Vera died in 1994.

Died in his sleep of a heart attack on 28 July 1995

1st Lt.

CANADAY, DENVER M.

AFEES

160 551BS 385BG 24SEP43

29OCT43

S/Sgt., 15110561 of RR # 3, Newcastle, Indiana Grodi's Waist Gunner. Shot down N/W of Toulouse, France. Landed in a vineyard. French underground group hid most of the crew in a castle for about a month. JK Hughes, WC Grodi, M. Frazier and I walked out over the Pyrenees mountains into Spain.

Spain 24-9-43 UK 29-10-43

BAILED OUT

S/SGT GUNNER

CANNER, STANLEY S.

DECEASED 6JUN84

1203 10PHO

ASN # 0-796286

CANNON, M/GEN. HOWARD W.

AFEES

2693 9TCC 440TCG 17SEP44

28OCT44

FOR MAJOR CANNON'S STORY SEE THE REPORT OF COL. FRANK X. KREBS, EE # 2692

CANNON, COL. JOE L.

AFEES

51FG 25TFS 3APR52 7APR52

F-86 PILOT STATIONED AT K-13 SOWON KOREA.

SHOT DOWN 3 APRIL 1952 150 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL IN NORTH KOREA. SWAM, WALKED, ~~HID~~ & LIFTED OUT BY HELICOPTER 4 DAYS LATER. COL.

CANNON, THOMAS W.

AFEES

1099 355FS 354FG 17JUL44

1SEP44

French UG

1st Lt. Cannon was pilot of a P-51 engaged in aerial combat with an FW-190 when shot down over Champsecret Forest in German-occupied France. He was immediately met by the French UG. He was hidden from a German search party and moved to Domfront two days later. While hidden in that village he met another US fighter pilot and three British airmen from a Stirling Bomber. The French were able to keep them from capture by the Germans until the town was liberated by American Forces a month later. However, the top man in the UG for the area was taken by the Gestapo a week before liberation and shipped to Buchenwald. At that time he and Len (the P-47 pilot) had to move to another hideout in the country.

CAPO, PHILIP A.

459 ??BS 385BG ??????

DECEASED 10/10/76

2nd Lt., 0808951 Alphonse, Chateau near Evreux -->-- Pampol -->-- 18-3-44
LIEUTENANT

CAPRON, WILLIAM L.

2477 428FS 474FG 25AUG44

M. Jean Plessiet, at Fouguenies (?) par Troissereu, Oise provided food and shelter; M. Emile Mondon was his first helper; Mme. Dornier, teacher provided I.D. card

2nd. Lt. Capron, 01297495, P 38 pilot parachuted and landed near village of Fouquennes, north west of Beauvais. First Helper was Mr. Emile Mondon who took me to his home in fouquennes, gave me clothes, food, and a place to sleep. At great risk to himself and his family he kept me hidden until the village was liberated by British troops.

SECOND LIEUTENANT

CARAH, JOHN M

AFEES

XXXX 533BS 381BG 04JUL43

25MAR43

HELPERS: HID IN THE FRENCH HOME OF LOUIS BRETEAU WHO HAS THREE SURVIVING DAUGHTERS WHO HELPED HIM:

Mme MARGUERITE VIOLAS	Mme ODETTE BOUVIER
4 RUE MARCEL PIERRE	5 AVE. de BELGRADE
53160 ST. MARTIN de CONNEE	72000 LE MANS,
FRANCE	FRANCE

MME MADELEINE MATHOURAIS MR. DANIEL CHEVAIER

4 rue MARCEL PIERRE	LeBOURAG MONTREUIL
61600 La FERTE-MACE	53640 Le HORPS,
FRANCE	FRANCE, JOHN'S GUIDE INTO
	SWITZERLAND

SWISS INTERNEE AND ESCAPEE. ONE HELPER WAS MADELEINE MATHOURAIS, 4RUE MARCEL PIERRE, 61600 LA FERTE - MACE, FRANCE

LT. BARAH, A B-17 PILOT BAILED OUT AT LEMANS, FRANCE. THEY HAD BEEN BOMBING A FOCKE WULF MOTOR PLANT AT LEMANS. GOT SHOT UP BY ME-109'S. TRIED TO GO TO SPAIN BUT FRENCH SAID IT WAS TOO WELL GUARDED. THE FRENCH TOOK ME TO SWITZERLAND. I LEFT SWITZERLAND IN JANUARY, 1944, WAS CAPTURED BY GESTAPO AND VICHY POLICE. I ESCAPED AND MADE MY WAY INTO AND THROUGH SPAIN TO GIBRALTAR. ARRIVED IN SPAIN MARCH 2, 1944 AND GIBRALTAR LATE MARCH, 1944. ENTERED SPAIN WITH ANOTHER AMERICAN (RENE) A CANADIAN AND 8 AMERICANS. FROM THERE WENT TO U.S.A. NOT ENGLAND. CREW OR OTHER POTENTIAL AFEES: PAUL MCCONNELL (AFEES); WILLIAM C. HOWELL, RT. 2, BOX 508 GOLDSBORO, NC 27530; DID NOT LAND NEAR OTHER CREW MEMBERS AND DID NOT TRAVEL WITH ANY OF THEM. MR. CARAH IS PRESENTLY WORKING ON A BOOK THAT WILL CONTAIN DETAILS, ETC. THINKS HE WAS THE FIRST AMERICAN TO ESCAPE FROM SWITZERLAND AND GO TO SPAIN. HE WAS INTERROGATED BY GENERAL ARNOLD BAILED OUT

LT COL - PILOT

CARAVELLO, JACK J.

AFEES

XXXX 407BS 92BG 24DEC44

SHOT DOWN NEAR HUY BELGIUM, UNDERGROUND CLERGYMAN TOOK HIM TO A FARM, LIBERATED BY ADVANCING U.S. GROUND TROOPS

CARD, CLELL M.
DECEASED 22OCT95
xxxx 724BS 451BG 6JUN44
SEP44

CHETNIKS OF GEN. DRAGOLJUB MIHAILOVICH; Michael Pavnovich (Ex-Chetnick Guard),
665 Woodbridge Dr., Melbourne, FL 32940
T/Sgt. Card (Radioman, B-24 "WINDY CITY II", out of Italy) was shot down on a raid on Ploesti Oil
Fields of Rumania, bailing out over Yugoslavia. They were picked up by the Chetniks of General
Mikhailavic who contacted the AAF HQ in Italy. In Sept. 44 a transport was sent to an old air field in
Yugoslavia to pick them up and return them to Italy.
CREW: PILOT--WILLIAM R. HARRIS, JR. (Retd as MAJOR), 15323 12th RD, PLYMOUTH, IN 45563;
NAVIGATOR--FLOYD PEDERSON, 11597 CORP. RANCH RD., ASHLAND, OR 99520; BALL
TURRET -- WILLIAM GANTT, 305 WOODEN BRIDGE, LEESVILLE, SC 39570;
COPILOT--DONALD J. SMITH (Now MAJ.GEN--Retd), 1526 PINE AVE., ARLINGTON HTS., IL
60004; TOP TURRET-- DENZEL RADABAUGH, 207 MORGANTOWN ST., KINGWOOD, WV 39570;
NOSE GUNNER -- ROBERTKNOWLTON, 1212 SO. DURBIN, CASPER, WY 82601;
ENGINEER--RICHARD GILSON, ADDRESS UNKNOWN; BOMBARDIER -- ALEX CHEBAOWEYZ;
TAIL GUNNER -- FREDRICK KOFFEL OF SKIPPOCK PIKE, PA.
BAILED OUT

CARD, HARRY R.
DECEASED 86
1387 303BG

CARDWELL, LAWRENCE
AFES 459
15AF 759BS 100BG 20NOV44 29MAY45
NOV. 20,44-PARACHUTED- HITCH HIKE 1000 MILES FROM HOLIC, SLOVAKIA TO ODESSA
RUSSIA (STEALING A RUSSIAN TRAIN ENROUTE APRIL 20 45 TO MAY 24 45. BOARDED HMS
ARANA MAY 24, 45 TO NAPLES MAY 29, 45. (2800 MILES) JOINED PARTIZANSKA BRIGADE OF
MR. STEFANIKE, WW I ACE-DIPLOMAT KILLED IN A SABOTAGE RAID. ODDIEL J. REPA,
PARTIZAN BRIGADE COMMANDER. HELPERS, STEPHAN BACHAR, RT. #2 BOX 567,
GASSVILLE, ARK 72635. ANNA BROZEK. 90614BUKOVEC, PRI MYJAVI, SLOVAK
REPUBLIC. JAN REPTA, JELMNICKEMO F.O.1, SENICA 90501 SLOVAK REP. BETKA
BACHAR, ALR BEKA DONKOVA. SVERMOVA883-30501 SENICA N/MYJAVOISLOVAK REP.N
SGT B-24 BALL

CAREY, EDWARD D.
DECEASED 5NOV96
718 385BG
ASN # 0-811553

CARGILA, DANIEL M.
2002 418BS 100BG 20JUL44
S/Sgt. Cargila, 38372191. Same Details as # 2002 Griffis.
CRASHED

CARL, FLOYD M.
AFES
246 327BS 92BG 24OCT43
2Dec43
S/Sgt. Carl went down near Estisac(?). Romilly--Quimper(?). Arrived U.K. 24 OCT43(?) S/Sgt.,
13134651 same as 176 mentions 630, 438, 286, 176, 437

CARLILE, LESTER C.
DECEASED 31AUG92
2715 524FS 27FG 9SEP44
19NOV44

1st Lt. Carlile, 0678827, went down at Neuilly, N. of Metz. A young man and his sister took him in and he stayed at their home until 19 NOV. It was a German family, the man was a deserter who had been on the Russian Front. M. Horst and Mme. Liesel Kley, Palastrasse 46, Metz, sheltered him from 9 SEPT. to 19 NOV. at the house at 4 Neuilly, Moselle when a frenchman guided him to the U.S. 5th Division.

CARLOUGH, THORNTON L.
AFEES
15th 761BS 460BG 15APR44
1JUN44

Chetnick Guerrillas in Bulgaria; British Force 399 (British General Armstrong); Capt. George Musulin (OSS); R.A.F.

1st Lt. Carlough (B-24 "Lucky Strike") was hit by fighters over the IP for the Target at Bucharest after Col. Browder's lead plane took a hit and exploded. The "Lucky Strike" had 2 engines out and was losing altitude, crossed the Danube. They circled for bail out and the Pilot and Carlough bailed out over Vidin, Bulgaria. He was unable to assist when his 1st Pilot was captured by Bulgarian Forces since he landed in an occupied schoolyard. Carlough landed surrounded by irate civilians. He was turned over to Home Guards and then later to Ustachi (German Allies). They took him but he was able to escape three days later when they were ambushed by Chetnick Guerrillas. After crossing into Yugoslavia he was helped by the Chetnik Guerrillas who had picked up the remainder of the crew. They were 3 weeks with the Chetniks during which time they were joined up with another B-17 crew (Pilot-Al Romans, CoPilot-Pete Reinhardt). They marched through and around German Troops until they joined up with the British Force 399, CM. F., who were in radio contact with Cairo. They were using a radio code which used the Book of Genesis. George Musselin of the O.S.S. also helped him and flew out with them on orders of the British Commanding General. Romans and Carlough negotiated with the local orchard growers for a piece of land where they built an airstrip and were flown out by R.A.F., 2 DC-3 planes. While the Planes were on the ground the Chetniks were deployed around the field to keep the Germans away. They landed at Bari, Italy. Capt. Musselin immediately parachuted back in to join General Mihailovic's Forces.

BAILED OUT

CARLOW, EARLE W.
DECEASED
703 355FS 4FG 21-3-44

1st Lt., 0885489 down Sugeres La Rochelle -- Jean Moreau, 19 yr old son of Professor Moreau, Pau --> Pau --> Navarreux --> Isaba 24-4-44

CARLSON, CHARLES V.
AFEES
1665 339BS 96BG 20OCT43
6SEP44

2nd Lt. Carlson, 0678500, Bombardier of B-17F damaged by flak and fighters. Down near Stamburge, Belgium. M. Henri Knudde, Stamburge, Belgium. Firmin Vanderaspoilden, Ellzelles, Belgium. Yvonne Delmee, Watriont, Belgium. Larll Albrecht, Grandmets, Belgium. Maurice Bricourt, Bachy, France. Mayor of Dysoign, France. Madame Heller, Billy-Montignies house in Henne Leuthard, France. Remainder is the same as # 1664, Elwell.

CREW: PILOT -- LT. ROBERT Z. GRIMES (EVADED); COPILOT -- LT. ARTHUR C. PICKETT (KIA); NAVIGATOR -- LT. JAMES McELROY (EVADED); BOMBARDIER -- CHARLES V. CARLSON (EVADED); T/SGT. McMANUS (KIA); T/SGT. TED KELLERS (LOST IN THE PYRENEES); S/SGT. BOB METLAN; S/SGT. HAROLD SHEETS; S/SGT. JEROME C. NARBRACALF (KIA); S/SGT. GEORGE C. JANSER (KIA).

BAILED OUT

CARLSON, DENNIS
452 332BS 94BG 3OCT43
23FEB44
DECEASED 7 JUNE 1989.

1st Lt. Carlson was pilot of a B-17 out of Bury St. Edmunds. He escaped over the Pyrenees with Dave Butcher, Major WAYNE Eveland, and others. The Major couldn't walk and the guide wanted to shoot him and bury him, but Carlson said he and Butcher could carry him. They did and saved the Major's life by carrying him for a day and a half over the Pyrenees. They came out with a party of 12 -- see David Butcher's records for additional info.

EE REP.: down Reims #478 22-2-44 Els, Spain

CARLSON, JOHN PHILLIP M.

AFEES
XXXX 763BS 460BG 18MAY44
10AUG44

CHETNIKS PARTISANS

IN AN AIR BATTLE OVER LESCOVAC, YUGOSLAVIA WE WERE ATTACKED BY A NUMBER OF ME-109 FIGHTERS. WE ABANDONED OUR DISABLED AND BURNING AIRCRAFT, A B-24 LIBERATOR AND THE SURVIVORS EVADED CAPTURE. I AND SOME OF THE CREW WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF THE CHETNIKS WERE AIR EVACUATED. CREW MEMBERS: PILOT CHARLES L. STEVENSON, 7315 46TH STREET, TACOMA, WA 98466; WILBUR E. WRIGHT, 1216 BACHMAN AVE., DELTONA, FLORIDA 32725, ARMORER-GUNNER; DOUGLAS G. POLAND, 13281 15TH AVE. N.E., SEATTLE, WA. 98125. WAS WITH THE 15TH AIR FORCE STATIONED AT SPINNAZOLA, ITALY

15TH A.F.
2ND LIEUTENANT

CARNEY, REGIS R.

AFEES
1670 324BS 91BG 28APR44
SEP44

Capt. G. Picard 163 Rue de la Pompe, Paris 16 (Maquis of the Ardecche Region); M. and Mme. Siviorek, Laverdines par Nerondes (Relocated Polish couple); M. Penchot Maurice, Rue de Riom, Pont-du-Chateau, Pay de Dome.

T/Sgt. Carney (Tail Gunner, B-17, out of Basingbourn) was shot down 28 APRIL 44. Helped by the U.G. of the Bourges, Cantal, and Ardecche Sectors of France. Linked with OSS Group near Vals Les Bains--Capt. Richardson. Liberated by the 7th Army.

CARNICELLI, E.M.

AFEES

CARPENTER, J. L.

AFEES
100 331BS 94BG 14JUL43
2SEP43

S/Sgt. Carpenter (A/C was Lt. Watts) went down in the vicinity of Chenneviere. He escaped by way of Foix and through Andorra to Spain on 2 SEPT 43.

DECEASED MAY 1986.

S/Sgt., 34213971 __ crew= 101, 138, 92, 202
Chenneviere(?)

--> Foix --> Andore --> Spain 2-9-43

CARPENTER, ROY W.

AFEES

670 409BS 93BG 2MAR44

2nd Lt., 06905462 PARACHUTE NEAR BRAY SUR SOMME FRANCE. RAIL TO PARIS, THEN TO BOURDEAUX AND FINALLY TO DAX. RAY SHERK AND I WALKED TO SPAIN. --Albert Maricourt, Bordeaux

CARRAWAY, MARVIN L.

741 ???? ???? 24-5-44

Sgt., ???????? Crash-landing SW Bornholm at 14:15 - Tegklass -- Eric Hansen, Gullfoga le 5, Kolenhaben, Denmark and Ebbe Jorgensen, police, Vedum, Jutland, Denmark -- Biestop (#'s 600 and 601), Hotel Erald at Hasle -- Ernst Peterson --left near Biestop. -->>-- Sweden 2-6-44

CARROL, ALBERT V.H.

123 358BS 303BG 4-7-43

DECEASED 1/17/88

18OCT43

S/Sgt., 18065235 ___63, 122, 123

France ---> Vion-Sarthe ---> Spain 4-10-43 ---> UK 18-10-43

S/SGT

CARROL, JACK W.

1401 xxxxx 386BS 17AUG44

DECEASED 11/10/76

S/Sgt. Carrol, 39281377, down 2 miles NE of Marines, SETO. Mme. Auguste Verleye, Parc d'Ablengues, children Roland and Marie, 13 days. SEE ALSO 1411, CALDWELL

S/SGT

CARROLL, GENE L.

1698 xxxxx 466BG 18JUL44

DECEASED

13AUG44

S/Sgt. Carroll, 39085710. Down St. Malo. SEE 1689 CONNALLY

S/SGT

CARROLL, JOHN J.

753 561BS 388BG 27MAR44

CARROLL WAS NAVIGATOR. 2nd Lt., 0694330 Gustave Aepean, Chateaufneuf, Torigny ^a-->>-- Pengeaux

CARROLL, THOMAS J.

AFEES

xxxx 97BS 414BG 23APR44

Southern Yugoslavian Partisans; British Mission

1st Lt. Carroll, Radar/Navigator/Bombardier of B-17, out of Foggia, Italy, on a raid to Weiner Neustadt, Austria, Bailed Out near Zagreb, Yugoslavia. He was assisted by various Partisans in Southern Yugoslavia and by a British Officer to the British Mission. He was evacuated with Partisan wounded by a C-47 out of Bari supplying the British Mission.

BAILED OUT

CARSON, KENNETH

AFEES

632 332BS 94BG 31DEC43

11MAY44

T/Sgt. Carson (Tail Gunner, B-17, out of Bury St. Edmonds, UK) went down in the vicinity of Cognac, France. With the help of the Resistance he escaped over the Pyrenees to Spain and arrived in the UK in MAY 44.

CARTER, CLAUDUS E.

AFEES

2515 511BS 351BG 9AUG44

22OCT44

S/Sgt. Carter, 39558627, went down at Wilheiminadorf, Holland with a sprained ankle. He headed South and on 11 AUG. a man gave him food and linked him to the U.G. Peter took him to Ellewoutsdijk for 1 day to the home of a Doctor, Louis provided food and clothes. He spent 4 days at the home of a nearby farmer, visited by Peter de Winde, U.G. Leader. On 16 AUG. P. de W. took him by ferry to Breskeus and he stayed in the place at Dorpestraat 71 until 10 SEPT. The house was severely damaged by a bombardment on 10 SEPT. and he left for the home of Bramde Hulster, Molenstraat 38, Schoondijk until liberated by Canadian Troops.

CRASHED

S/SGT BALL TURRET 8AF

DONALD C. CARTER

1763 xxxxx 389BG 11JUL44

2AUG44

S/Sgt. Carter, 34420375, went down at Premesques (5 miles NE of Lille) with a broken ankle. He was at Premesques for 2 days, Nieppe (2 Police and a Doctor helped) -->-- Bailleul 4? -->-- HQ's Belgian FFI whose chief was Gilbert Charles, 195 Ave. de Scheert, Auderlecht, Bruxelles. HQ's was at the home of M. and Mme. Ghesquiere-Man, 27 Rue D'Armentiere, Le Bixet (7 miles N. of Armentieres). Lucien or Lucicy Gervais was 2nd in Command, 1 ch. Duhery, Ploegsheet. Carter participated in the liberation of Le Bixet

GRANT CARTER

213 ???? ???? ??-??-??

T/Sgt., 35481625 -->-- Perpignan -->-- 3-11-43

WALTER CULLEN CARTER

2046 729BS 452BG 8JUL44

7SEP44

2nd Lt. Carter, went down 4 miles NE of Rouen. Charles Lecarpentier, 7 Rue Pasteur, Deville les Rouen, first helper guided him to a forest helper, Mr. Thoin (Dutch, known to Lecarpentier), La Vaupaliere (NW of Rouen) from 9 to 16 JULY, clothes, housed, fed. -->-- Robert Brillios provided I.D. arranged housing and placement. Mme. A. Laine-Julien, Gauville par St. Wandrille, Rancon, SI where he stayed from 16 JULY to 7 SEPT.

NICHOLAS M. CARUSONE

415 574BS 392BG 30-12-43

DECEASED 12/7/44

S/Sgt., 11111586 down Rouen -->-- Dax -->-- Peyrehorade 13-1-44

S/SGT

SIDNEY CASDEN

355 546BS 384BG ??????

2nd Lt., 0734426 down near Paris -->-- Plouha 28-1-44

LAWRENCE R. CASEY

DECEASED 7DEC88

AFEES

1178 83FS 78FG 11JUN44

15SEP44

JEANNE PIERRE-ROSE; NADA PIERRE-ROSE (DECEASED); MAGNUS (DECEASED);
BRABEC(DECEASED)

1st Lt. Casey of the 8th AF went down in the Forest of Loriviers at El Beuf. He was helped by the Family of Ferdy Pierre-Rose, Chalet du Franc Boisiers, Tourulle(?) le Campagne, Euse. Dr Daniel Hochart 35 DSO Rue(?) Muynes(?). Maxim ???, 13 Rue Bec(Maison Lecallier Sons, 17 Rue de Can Debec) The report also mentions El Beuf tel 58 and EE #'s 1206 and 1211. He waited for the Allied Lines to reach him.

BAILED OUT

Lt.Col.

SHIRLEY V. CASEY

541 ???BS 92BG xxxxxxxx

2nd Lt., 00683926. #'s 514, 542

LEONARD H. CASSADY

408 ??BS 390BG 30-12-43

Sgt., 15337036 -->-- Foix -->-- Andorra

HEDLEY E. CASSIDY

250 ???? 92BG 3-9-43

DECEASED 12/30/64

T/Sgt., 15114879 down St Misines -->-- Obesetti Pamploni?

T/SGT

L. C. CASTRO

DECEASED 4-81

1463 xxxxx 44BG 18MAR44

S/Sgt. Castro, 18201801. Down Forieville. Helped at Wiry au Mont. 18 to 28 March, M. and Mme Albert Duval, Viry au Mont. Amiens, M. Herbert, 84 Ave. Foy from 28 March to 2 May -->-- Mme. Vignon until liberation. (Broke ankle and Doctor in Amiens set it.).

JAMES C. CATER

AFEES

827 324BS 91BG 27APR44

JUL44

FFI

B-17 Pilot Cater was shot down over Avord, France. He was picked up by the underground and later was with the Maquis in Central France and the Haute Savoie Region. He was captured in Lyon in June but escaped the next day. He was flown out by Special Missions C-47.

CREW MEMBERS: REGIS CARNEY, 1512 PARR ST., S. GREENBURG, PA 15601

CLEM DOWLER, 4511 GANN CROSSING, SMYRNA, GA 30080

FROM EE REPORT: down St. Hilaire (Avord) Cher #828

RICHARD B. CAUGHMAN

1466 508BS 351BG 24FEB44

1st Lt. Caugman, 0460865. Down between Oresmaux and Ailly, S. of Amiens. A Belgian. + Perkins (# 221 ?). Lawarde-to eat -->-- Ailly sur Noye, Lauger and Young (# 1531) -- Thery -- Amiens (Michel Dubois) Avery (711), McGinty (712), Mattila (2194), Mr. Moore (1 son RAF, 1 son Royal Navy) -->-- Mme Vignon -->-- J. Balfe before ???? more men at house of Mme. Vignon. In the home of Mme. Vignon: F/Sgt. Johnson (RAF), Caughman, Dredge and McCauly (RAF), Sgt. Liefer, Castro, Capt. Zengerle, Lt. Renkle, Sgt. Boyer, Mattila, J. Bryn (RCAF), Wing Commander Donald Donaldson arrived 30 June.

H. PHILLIP CAUSER

AFEES

1147 360FS 356FG 12AUG44

25AUG44

French Maquis (FFI)

2nd Lt. Causer went down S. of Paris. The following is more or less in his own words.

While staging a one man show over an aerodrome just outside Paris, a few clueless but lucky ground types scored frequently enough during the several passes to delay his intended return to Martlesham Heath, U.K., the home of the 356th. The P-47 was on fire and he crashed about a mile from the target and was picked up immediately by the Maquis. He fought for the Maquis. Only if they took the time to speak very slowly was he totally certain of the daily game plan. Without other clues, however, it was clear when he saw picks, shovels, and a supply of dynamite in the Citroen that they were going to blow up something, probably bridges. At other times when he thought he had it straight and they were out to liberate some town he would discover to his surprise that they were only going to the local brothel. Other rather unusual duties were delivery of the news, La Marseillaise Du Berryor Le Department, tossing then from the window of the Citroen with the driver emulating A. J. Foyt as they drove full bore through a town full of Germans. Otherwise, they managed to keep busy liberating towns and villages, blowing bridges, attacking truck convoys, and felling trees across roads to impede German traffic. He made one attempt to get out by going to a rendezvous point where he was supposed to wait for a British Lorrie (you remember that strange British word for truck) and jump out in front of it waving his arms and yelling "PHILADELPHIA". The British never did show up, so he returned to liberating brothels, delivering the news, and his public works duties with bridges, convoys and improvement of road conditions with trees. Returned by way of St. Hippolyte by RAF plane (C-47) on 25 AUG.

CRASHED

Cap't.

ARTHUR T. CAVANAUGH

807 xxxxx 457BG xxxxxxx

DECEASED 6/22/83

Capt., 0729604 down St. Evroult - Lucien Legandre SE of Lisieux -->-- 12-5-44 St. Gaudens -->--
guide Frisco -->-- 29-5-44

CAPTAIN

ANTHONY A. CAVESTRI

859 860BS 493BG 8-6-44

S/Sgt., 39129568 down Erecac, Lencelas Bretagne -->-- 4-8-44 US 86 Recon

CHARLES D. CAVIT

1729 xxxxx xxxxx xxxxxxx

2nd Lt. Cavit, 0740742.

JOHN O. CAWLFIELD

1252 848BS 490BG 21JUN44

DECEASED 1/26/57

Cawfield was a 2nd Lt., 0703697. Down Melicourt, Eure. Charles Letang, 14 Rue St. Jean, Nancy, Orne -->-- JOHN VALERY (J.D. VALLELY, MI-9 AGENT?), UK SOLDIER, HIDDEN SINCE 1940 AT THE HOME OF PIERRE HUBY, VERNEUSSES, EURE. -->-- Stayed with Jean Marguet, Monnai. SEE JOHN VALLELY, PIERRE HUBY, MARIE-LOUISE HUBY.

LIEUTENANT

MARTIN CECH

AFEES

2934 423BS 306BG 6MAR44

2APR45

THE PLAYBOY CREW, ROBERT F. PIPES

S/Sgt. Cech was Waist Gunner in the Adams and Matthew B-17 crew on a mission to Berlin. The plane was shot up and intercom knocked out. When the Right Waist Gunner signalled to jump, Cech followed him. It turned out that the plane made it back to base. Helped by the De Bruin family of Marienberg.

EE REPORT: S/Sgt. Cech, 6927336, went down at Ommen, Holland. He was helped by Johanas, 36 Bloomingdale Straat, Enschede for 3 days. A. De Bruin and family, Marenberg helped from JULY 44 to FEB. 45, # 2936, Heafner. He was helped by Hartsman, Eibergen, from 25 MAR. to 1 MAY, they had 4 children. Ralph Blokjo, 265 Lepperberk Straat, Enschede, supplied money for many days. L.F. Harvath, of Almelo, and English teacher, 27 yrs. old, helped for many days in the summer. Scholten, of Almelo, a medical student, helped in the summer. Captain Everette, Hellendoorn, 55 yr., Chief of the U.G. The Smeek family, Marienberg area helped with De Bruin, see # 2937, Bouley. Jo of Enschede, 22 yrs. old, fought the Germans with the Evaders. Rejoined the Canadians with Bouley near Bergentheim.

SEECHAPMAN, HEAFNER, BOULEY, PIPES

BAILED OUT

IRVIN (IRVEN) J. CHAMBERS

1774 310TCS 315TCG 20SEP44

DECEASED 2/7/89

Sgt. Chambers, 37140015, down 8 miles SW of Arnhem. Same as Lt. Boon

FRANK A.J. CHAMP

1192 xxxxx 381BG 15JUN44

Champ was a F/O, T 123005. Down with # 1191, Disbrow, and has same story.

JOHN T. CHANDLER

2205 331BS 94BG 14OCT43

2nd Lt. Chandler, 0794349, went down at Toren, wounded. 8 days -->-- farm -->-- in Toul: Pierre Mathy (28 OCT.), Mathy's Restaurant; Basil and Feraud also helped. on 28 OCT. left with Mme. Krieg (OSS) to Belfort -->-- Switzerland, Porrentruy.

LAWRENCE W. CHANDLER

643 68BS 44BG 21--1-44

S/Sgt., 36427258 down Pas de Calais -->-- Spain

ALLEN J. CHAPLIN

DECEASED

AFEES

1192 xxxxx 381BG xxxxxxxx

LT.COL.

HAROLD L. CHAPMAN

DECEASED 9JAN90

2935 336BS 95BG 29JUN44

2APR45

THE PLAYBOY CREW, ROBERT F. PIPES

S/Sgt. Chapman, 32502903, went down in the vicinity of Vroomshoop, Holland. He was helped by the De Bruin family, Marienberg from 1 JUL to 27 FEB 45 with Heafner, Cech, Pipes, Bouley -->-- raid on their house on 27 FEB. -->-- Joined up with the Canadians on 2 APR 45.

JOHN J. CHAPMAN

AFEES

1072 32BS 301BG 17MAR44

--JUN44

2ND LT. JOHN CHAPMAN WHILE THE BOMBARDIER ON A B-17 AIRPLANE FLYING TO FISCHAMEND, AUSTRIA BAILED OUT CLOSE TO THE AUSTRIA YUGOSLAVIAN BORDER. HE EVADED CAPTURE FOR APPROXIMATELY 6 MONTHS THE EVACUATED BACK TO BARI, ITALY IN JUNE OF 1944. HE WAS DELOUSED AND DEBRIEFED. THE DETAILS OF HIS CREW ARE VAGUE FOR IT WAS A MAKE-UP CREW. DAVE TANNER OF SANDERSVILLE, GA, PILOT; SNOW, COPILOT. NO CONTACT WITH THESE PEOPLE SINCE.

BAILED OUT

SECOND LIEUTENANT

ROBERT H. CHAPMAN

937 ??BS 322BG 9-8-44

S/Sgt., 16045883 South of Brest -- Jean Alio

WALTER E. CHAPMAN

AFEES

XXXX 826BS 484BG 13JUN44

2ND LT. CHAPMAN ASN 0685439, 15TH AIR FORCE, TORRETTA, ITALY, WAS SHOT DOWN BY GERMAN ME109 MESSERSCHMITT FIGHTERS ON JUNE 13, 1944. THE FIGHTERS WERE BELIEVED TO HAVE COME FROM THE UDINE AREA IN ITALY. OUR B-24, VIVACIOUS LADY CRASHED INTO THE ADRIATIC SEA JUST OFF THE COAST, MIDWAY (APPROX.) BETWEEN VENICE AND TRIESTA, YUGOSLAVIA. MY OTHER CREW MEMBERS ARE EITHER DECEASED OR THEIR WHEREABOUTS IS UNKNOWN.

BAILED OUT

SECOND LIEUTENANT

RALPH E. CHARLTON

2687 303TCS 442TCG 6JUN44

S/Sgt. Charlton, 35216327. See # 2685, Prince.

SALVADOR CHAVEY

2119 360BS 303BG 27FEB44

Sgt. Chavey, 17060416, went down in Holland. He was strafed while on the ground.-->-- Eindhoven for 1 week -->-- Mrs. Anna Van Burger, Roermond, Holland. -->--Antoinette Peters, Place de Bruce, Glons, Belgium. Mme. Desire Auger, Slins, Belgium.

PAUL F. CHAVEZ

2190 837BS 487BG 23MAY44

2nd Lt. Chavez, 0543383, went down at Aywaille, 25 K. S. of Liege, Belgium. Stayed in Liege.

ROY A. CHEEK

AFEES

2796 364BS 303BG 22FEB44 03JAN45

3JAN45

MRS. DUBOIS, HORN; MR BROUWER, HEYTHUIJZEN; PETER J.J. BORMAAR, ROERMOND; JOSEPHREUTEN or ROOSJEN, 15 SPOORLAND, ROERMOND.

S/SGT CHEEK, 17129726, A B-17 BALL TURRET GUNNER, WAS SHOT DOWN IN HOLLAND. HE WAS HIDDEN FOR 5 WEEKS IN MARCH AND MAY WITH MRS. DUBOIS OF HORN. THEN HE WAS SHELTERED FOR 6 WEEKS IN APRIL AND MAY WITH MR. BROWER OF HEYTHUIJZEN. FROM 1 MAY TO 4 AUGUST HE WAS WITH PETER J.J. BORMAAR OF ROERMOND. FINALLY FROM 4 AUGUST TO 1 DECEMBER, HE WAS WITH JOSEPH REUTEN, 15 SPOORLAND, ROERMOND, HIS PRINCIPAL HELPER. FINALLY, HE ESCAPED HOLLAND BY FLOATING DOWN THE MAAS RIVER TO THE BRITISH ~~ARMY~~ ARMY. HE WAS NEVER CAPTURED.

STAFF SERGEANT

2ND

JOHN CERNOSKY

AFEES

1794 366BS 306BG 20FEB44

9SEP44

James Wariez; Mme. Anne Malison

(8th AF) 2nd Lt. Chernosky was Navigator of a B-17 when he was downed in the vicinity of Hue, Belgium. He was helped first by James Wariez, 25 La Grange(near Liege) then by Mme. Anne Malison, 31 Rue George Raymackers, Schaerbeek, Brussels for 5 months (a handwritten note says 11 months).

RAYMOND F. CHEVAUX

368 532BS 381BG ??-1-44

Sgt., 15377732 down Muret -->-- Hendaye 18-1-44

STANLEY R. CHICHESTER

AFEES

205 333BS 94BG 14OCT43

2nd Lt., 0671334, Co-Pilot, formerly of 47 Lexington WV, Freeport, NY.

Chauny -->-- Avries UK 16-11-43

CREW: PILOT -- ROY D. DAVIDSON, 2224 GAY WAY, BIRMINGHAM, AL 35216, TEL:

205-822*0804, MIA 14 OCT 43, 333BS, 94 BG; EVADED UNTIL 6 JAN 44, CAPTURED BY

GESTAPO, HELD 3 MONTHS, THEN STALAG LUFT III FOR 1 YEAR.

CHICHESTER'S STORY: ON 14 OCT 43 ON RAID TO SCHWIEINFURT WE WERE WERE SHOT DOWN AFTER BOMBING THE TARGET. WE CRASH LANDED NEAR EPERNAY, FRANCE. THE BOMBARDIER AND I HID OUT FOR TWO DAYS AND THEN SOUGHT HELP AT A FARM HOUSE. THE BROTHER SISTER AND GRANDFATHER WHO LIVED THERE HAD AN AUNT IN PARIS WHO KNEW SOMEONE IN THE UNDERGROUND. THE AUNT SPOKE ENGLISH AND VISITED US ON THE FARM AND TOLD US WE WOULD BE CONTACTED. ON THE THIRD WEEK A YOUNG GIRL APPEARED AND WITH CHARLIE BRUER, BOMBARDIER, WE BICYCLED INTO EPERNAY. (CHARLIE AND I WORE GIRLS CLOTHES). WE TOOK A TRAIN TO RHEIMS AND AFTER A WEEK WITH A FAMILY THERE WE FOLLOWED A GUIDE TO PARIS AND STAYED OVER NIGHT THEN WENT BY TRAIN TO A LITTLE TOWN NORTH OF PARIS NAMED CHAUNY. THE FOLLOWING NIGHT TWO LYSANDER AIRCRAFT NAVIGATED IN BY MOONLIGHT, LANDED ON A FARM WHERE WE WERE PICKED UP AND A LITTLE OVER AN HOUR LATER, WE WERE BACK IN ENGLAND. CREW NOTES: CHARLIE BRUER DIED A YEAR AGO LAST FALL. ROY DAVIDSON WAS OUR 1ST PILOT. THE FARM WHERE WE STAYED WAS OCCUPIED BY THE HUOT FAMILY. I STILL CORRESPOND WITH ODETTE HUOT, 17 RUE THIERCELIN, 51200 EPERNAY, FRANCE.

CRASHED

2ND LT/COPILOT B-17 8AF

EVERETT L. CHILDS

AFEES

1122 544BS 384BG 14OCT43

23AUG43

2nd Lt. Childs went down in the vicinity of Pretz-Louppy le Chateau (Meuse), N. Bas le Duc. To Rennes, Marcel Tavernier, 706 Rue Romains. Stopped at Pau and captured in May -->-- Toulouse -->-- 19 MAY 44 -->-- Bayonne -->-- Fresnes Prison -->-- In July 44 he jumped off train at Bas le Duc and escaped -->-- to Meligny le Pelet -->-- with Maquis of Chatellan / Bagneux -->-- Dr. Saloman -->-- Chateau de Onchamps(?) SW Montanges(?) Marin Ducherre, 1 Rue Paul Dupuy, Paris. He made a crossing of the lines to Orleans.

Lt.Col.

EDWARD F. CHONSKIE

AFEES

121 358BS 303BG 4-7-43
Sgt., 33488987 21 E. Laurel, Shenandoah, PA
63, 122, 123
France ---> Vion-Sarthe ---> Spain 4-10-43 ---> UK 18-10-43

THEODORE S. CHRISS
1984 xxxxx 445BG 24APR44
11SEP44

T/Sgt. Chriss, 6870934, went down at Strumont, Liege, Belgium. He was helped by Leopold Lerho, the Baker, Rue Niton, Magnes, P. of Liege, Belgium and by Yvonne Trillet, Unpasse des Fonds # 2, Magnes.

CHRISTIAN CHRIST
2051 401FS 370FG 28AUG44
14SEP44

2nd Lt. Christ, 0757952, went down at Montendre with a sprained ankle, he was in the water for 6 hours. To a miller in a small village just outside Reignac (maybe La Torille). -->-- Maquis took him to a chateau 5 miles NE of Reignac. The FF leader was Georges. He was visited by Lt.Col. Fuller of the US Marines. Told to wait for US troops -->-- Bordeaux on 3 SEPT. 44.

HARVEY L. CHRISTENSEN
1226 535BS 381BG 6FEB44
Christensen was a 2nd Lt., 0741470. Down La Tretione? ???
M. Louise Bourgard -->-- 2 Gendarmes of C????????? -->-- Jean Bassery, farm of La Clabre near La Haute Maison (????). Simon Copier -->-- 2 Gendarmes at Crecy en Brie -->-- Hopital de Lugny (Prof. Mare).
M. and Mme. Georges Maury, Maisonnelles. -->-- Suzanne Bastin, 7 Rue des Chemlis de la Basse, Paris. -->-- Candas, 60 Rue de Richelieu (former American jeweler from N.Y.). Toussaint Sinibaldi Note: Also shows up in the record of # 1223 (Joseph Dixey).

RICHARD D. CHRISTENSEN
2291 512FS 406FG 28AUG44
25SEP44

Capt. Christensen, 0530094, went down E. of Chalons. No other details.

RICHARD A. CHRISTENSON
DECEASED 80
356 327BS 92BG 6SEP43

1st., 0423503 down Versailles -->-- Peyrehorade 27-12-43 WITH #233 ARTHUR STEINMETZ
PILOT

CHARLES M. CHRISTIAN
1623 853BS 491BG 11AUG44
4SEP44

1st Lt. Christian, 0682795. See Joseph F. Haney, # 1506
CRASHED

KENNETH P. CHRISTIAN
AFES
472 xxxxx 384BG xxxxxxx
18JUN44

DECEASED 10 JULY 1988

T/Sgt. Christian went down in the vicinity of Valogne and met #459 (2nd Lt. Philip Caro) at the Cafe de Paris in Evreux.

ALLEN E. CHRISTIANSON

1882 xxxxx 405FG xxxxxxx
27AUG44
F/O Christianson, T. 2668

STONE CHRISTOPHER
AFEES

JOHN J. CHUCK
2330 xxxxx 452BG 27MAY44
DECEASED 5/23/63
27MAY44
S/Sgt. Chuck, 17151559, went down 29 K. NW. of Morteau, Doubs. FFI -->--woodcutter -- farmer
-->-- Switzerland, near Le Corneau.
S/SGT

MARION T. CHURCH
2456 551BS 385BG 2AUG44
T/Sgt. Church, 35573279, went down N. of Paris, wounded, taken prisoner. Liberated and saved with Lt.
Daly, no helpers names known.

MILTON L. CHURCH
DECEASED
AFEES
423 331BS 94BG 5JAN44
27FEB44
PAR LES NUITS LES PLUS LONGUES, HUGUEN
2nd Lt. Church went down in the vicinity of St. Nicoles du Pelery. Gourin. Guingamp.
SEE REPORT ON BLYE
BAILED OUT

JAMES T. CIMINI
106 324BS 92BG 6-9-43
DECEASED 7/25/81
Sgt., 13034584 1303 Croton Rd., Newcastle, Pa.
Poissy N.W. Paris --> Douarnenez Boat --> UK 4-10-43
SGT

HARVEY S. CLAPP
DECEASED DEC93
XXXX 726BS 451BG 23AUG44
TITO'S PARTISANS DIED NOVEMBER 22, 1993
PARACHUTED AND LANDED ON ISLAND OF KRK (SOUTH OF TRIESTE). TITO'S
PARTISANS LOCATED 8 OF 9 CREW MEMBERS AND ARRANGED OUR EVASION AND ESCAPE.
9TH CREW MEMBER REPORTEDLY CAPTURED BY GERMANS.
BAILED OUT
CAPT/PILOT B-24 15AF

JAMES P. CLARENDON
DECEASED 22 OCT 92
AFEES
620 813BS 482BG 8FEB44
8MAY44
L. Van De Poele (Belgium); Maurice Varet; Genevieve Soulie; Dr. Jacques Boury; Gabriel Booyer;
Comtesse Isabelle Deliedekerke (Belgium); Emil Gossart; Marguerite Ivon; Ginette Logeon; Roger Veron.

Shot down in vicinity of Compiègne between St. Quentin and Paris. Got to Spain on 29 March, 1944.
Arrived U.K. 8 May, 1944. EE report also mentions EE # 658 Pvt. Webber L. Mason and EE # 676 S/Sgt.
Elres D. Dowden.
BAILED OUT
Capt.

ALVIN F. CLARK
1640 77FS 20FG 12AUG44
7SEP44

1st Lt. Clark, 0756044. Down 2 1/2 miles North of Saine Richamont. Hubert Lecosson, garage, Saine Richamont, Aisne. Mme. Yves Etoublan, sister of the FFI Captain, at her home for 20 days.

BENJAMIN L. CLARK
DECEASED 10MAR91
AFEES

1417 xxxxx 398BG xxxxxxx

2nd Lt. Clark was helped by the Family of Pierre Rique, Rue de L'Eglise, Bacqueville en Cansi w/ children Simone and Jean Francois. Mlle. Blondelle hid his parachute and his equipment when he landed.

DONALD CLARK
DECEASED
AFEES
XXXX 718BS 449BG 05MAY44
10AUG44

S/SGT CLARK A 15TH AIR FORCE BALL TURRET GUNNER STATIONED AT ~~GVPTAGLIA~~ ^{GROTAGLIA}, ITALY WHILE ON A MISSION WAS SHOT DOWN WEST OF BOR, YUGOSLAVIA AND WALKED TO RAUNOGORA AND WAS PICKED UP BY A C-47.

BAILED OUT
STAFF SERGEANT-GUNNER

F. CLARK
2165 336BS 95BG 21JUL44
DECEASED 1/26/89
13SEP44

2nd Lt. Clark, 0820154, went down 1200 at Ettlebruck, Luxembourg. He spent 2 months with Franz Kriepps, Mieden Feulen, Lux. and Karl Rogette of Feulen hid him while the Germans searched for him. -->-- U.S. at Bastogne on 13 SEPT 44

FORREST S. CLARK
AFEES
xxxx 67BS 44BG 13APR44
24DEC44
HELPERS UNKNOWN

T/Sgt. Clark's B-24 was shot up over Lechfeld, Germany and went down near Zurich, Switzerland. He was interned for 8 months then made his way into France, to Annecy with the help of the French Underground.
CRASHED

GEORGE F. CLARK
DECEASED
AFEES
1295 507BS 389BG 25JUL44
Roger Delattre of Blesmes near Chateau Thierry
FFI
S/Sgt. Clark went down in the area of St. Lo, France.

GORDON CLARK
DECEASED
EVADER
xxxx 776BS 464BG 7FEB45
24FEB45
GUNNER ON THE HOFFMAN CREW. SEE KENNETH E. RUPPERT'S RECORD.
CRASHED

HARRY A. CLARK
AFEES
XXXX 786BS 466BG 15AUG44
15APR45
HARRY A. CLARK IS ACTUALLY HARRY A. DOLPH, SECRETARY and DIRECTOR OF AFEES.
HE IS ALSO THE EDITOR OF "COMMUNICATIONS" OUR QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER. HE
ALSO PRODUCES THE "ATTLEBRIDGE NOTES", NEWSLETTER FOR THE 466TH BOMB
GROUP, HIS COMBAT GROUP DURING WWII.
TECH SERGEANT

JIM B. CLARK
876 57BS 391BG ??????
DECEASED 1/26/89
1st Lt., 0669006 down Coesmes near Chateaubriant -- Emile Sauras, Joseph Bodard, Andre Farine, Jean
Marine -->-- 6-8-44
LIEUTENANT

N. C. CLARK
1353 786BS 466BG 13AUG44
Clark was a S./Sgt., 38467558. See # 1352, C. J. Vejda.

PAUL F. CLARK
AFEES
1062 9TH AF 363FG 26AUG44
FEUX & DENISE BACCHI, NEAR TOWN OF CHECHANT ET LOIRE.
2ND. LT., 0810473 P 51 PILOT 9TH A.F. HIT BY GROUND FIRE, BAILED OUT

PETER M. CLARK
1674 xxxxx 445BG 12APR44
7SEP44
S/Sgt. Clark, 11100658. Down Liege, Belgium. Mme. Marie Larron, Mirecourt, Vosges. and other
persons at Ginet, Vireux, Sedan, Coufans and Mirecourt.

VERNON E. CLARK
290 337BS 96BG 14-10-43
2nd Lt., 0736622 down Domremy Guennoc (helped by Yvonne De La Marniere, Chateau de Giois, Brest)

ANDREW G. CLAYTOR
AFEES
1021 535BS 381BG 25APR44
2nd Lt., 0811017 Mony (SE of Beauvais) M. Toulte, Ullly St. Georges with 2 US a->-- Audeville, Andre
Delos -->-- Virginia and Philippe d'Albert-Lake -->-- 13^a6-44 Moree, 24 K. S. of Chateaudun at the
house of M. Barlier -->-- 2 weeks Virginia ???
APRIL 25, 1944 NANCY METZ AREA BY PARACHUTE. BEAUVIAS, PARIS, CHATEUDUN,
FRETEVALFOREST, JEAN (BELGIAN) MME PELLETIER, VIRGINIA AND PHILIPPE IN PARIS.

BAILED OUT
1ST LT/PILOT B-17 8AF

ROY F. CLAYTOR
120 350BS 100BG 17-8-43
DECEASED
1st. Lt., 0415304 2930 Pawnee Ave.South, Birmingham, AL
Bel.France Met EE119 at Bordeaux ---> Spain 8-10-43 ---> UK 18-10-43

JAMES G. CLEARY
DECEASED 3JAN61
2592 4427C
ASN #T-122113

ROBERT J. CLEES
1163 377FBS 362FBG
24JUN44
DECEASED 10/2/84
2ND.LT., 0780606 Down at Coignirres.
Helped by M. Roland, M. Duquoin, Seraphini Fratini for 6 days, Mme. Knocker andher daughter, Agnes
from 1 JUL to 20 AUG (Russians) + M. Leclair, Mme. Prudhomme,M. Monceau at Tremblay
LIEUTENANT

GEORGE W. CLEMENT
1516 xxxxx xxxxx 17JUN44
1st Lt. Clement, 0694335. Down 3 miles East of Auffay (between Dieppe and Rouen). At Auffay, Albert
Lehrnault (peasant on the outskirts). At St. Victoire l'Abbaye,M. Andre Gosse (Mayor of the town and
Chief of the Resistance).

DONOVAN B. CLEMETSON
xxxx 369BS 306BG 10APR45
2nd Lt. Clemetson was Navigator in the Babin crew on a mission to Oranienberg.

ROBERT CLEVELAND
1596 745BS 458BG 6MAR44
DECEASED 7/5/84
F/O Cleveland, T.001547. Down near Baarn, Holland. Sgt. James Peterson, Lt.S.W. Roberts (# 1967),
Sgt. Waren, Sgt. Holson, Sgt. Lambousy. Farmers -->--Amersfoort, # 2144, 1966, 3 weeks at the home
of Gehaltius Cottens (Police gavethem ID papers). -->-- Deventer, English speaking architect, Eindhoven
-->--Derna, Jose the Smuggler -- young man in Bake fire Department for 3 weeks. 3 weeks in a cave at
Amerika (courtesy Jose who hid 21 aviators). 2017, 2138 -->-- home of Jacques at Venray (21 US) for 2
weeks -->-- a farmer to Verna for 2 weeks -->-- Van, a short man with moustache took them by train to
Maastricht -->--German border, 3 days with Gubben Voorst to the home of a wood worker (1 week
in JUNE) -->-- Sevenheim ? (chicken house) met Dutch Captain, UG gave ID, for 3weeks -->-- cycled to
Grootbedlar near Roermond, stayed in a chateau, professor Duboi (now deceased) and his oldest girl with
1714, Lt. Lee Williams, Sgt.Hilditsch, S/Sgt. Edgar Taylor, Sgt. Tom Gary, Lt. Haupt (2109) for 2
weeks,helped by a young teacher -->-- 4 JULY, with Weins, crossed the border 20 kilometers South of
Grootbedlar into Belgium -->-- 8 kilometers from Mussaic for 10 days -->-- Marie, face burned by SD
and her teeth on one side knocked out, guided them by way of Namur to Givet. The Maquis of Givet were
fallen. Marie organized everything and kept them in Belgium -->-- Elaine Ernest at Agimont for 4 days
-->-- Vic, Chief of the local Armee Blanche -->-- Flavion (# 1599 had been there for 2 months) for 1
month. Angele Hubot, Rue de Paris, Flavion was wonderful to them. same for Lt. Granger?
FLIGHT OFFICER

JACK C. CLIFFORD

DECEASED

XXX-825-1455

xxxx xxxxx xxxxx 20MAY44

Maryknoll Missionaries in China (some of whom were executed as a result) and Chinese civilians. Clifford was Navigator of a B-24 which attacked a Japanese Convoy on 20 MAY 1944. The Pilot was Chester Bohart (now deceased) and the Tail Gunner was Francis Meaney (now deceased). Gunfire from a Japanese Cruiser disabled the plane and the crew had to bail out over Japanese Occupied Territory in the vicinity of Swatow, in Kwantung Province, China. This is in the coastal area East of Canton. Maryknoll Missionaries provided Chinese Coolie clothing and arranged river transportation for the crew past Japanese installations to friendly territory. Later the crew were advised that some of the Missionaries were executed for their part in the escape.

BAILED OUT

LEECROY CLIFTON

AFEES

XXXX 347FS 350FG 22SEP44

29OCT44

947 → WAS ON INTERACTION AND ARMED RECONNAISSANCE IN THE BOLOGNA-PARMA-VERONA AREA OF THE PO VALLEY WHILE STRAFING ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUN POSITIONS MY ~~PLANE~~ WAS DISABLED BY 20MM ANTI AIRCRAFT FIRE RESULTING IN A CRASH LANDING JUST SHORT OF APPENINE MOUNTAINS. WITH ASSISTANCE FROM TWO LOCAL MEN AND PARTISANS I WAS ABLE TO WALK OUT 5 WEEKS LATER.

CRASHED

1ST LT/PILOT 12AF P47

CHARLES R. CLONTS

761 ??FS 404FG ??????

1st Lt., 0794204 down Soissons -->-- Pau -->-- Navarreux (helped by Rosa Mairy alias 'Rosie')

ALBERT M. COBB

AFEES

2881 863BS 493BG 2NOV44

18MAR45

Sgt. Cobb (Radioman, B-17) went down in Holland near Leimuiden. from 4 NOV to 12 FEB at Sassenheim with Jan Kadtyen, Sr., a bulb grower, 55 yrs old and son Jan, 24 yrs. old (U.G.). From 12 FEB to 22 FEB in Rotterdam (w/ Sgt. Hall) staying with Wihelmina Laban (27 yrs. old), 131 S. Gravendijkweg (U.G.). See also Lt. Walter, 2873.

SEE ALSO ASHLEY IVEY AND LEONARD POGUE

CREW: PILOT--ROBERT L. PROUDFIT, # 2753; COPILOT--HARVEY P. WALTER, # 2873; NAVIGATOR--ASHLEY IVEY, #2883; BOMBARDIER--LEONARD A. POGUE, # 2880; RADIO--ALBERT M. COBB, # 2881; ENGINEER--ERSEL L. HALL, # 2882; BALL TURRET-- RICHARD W. STONES; WAIST--JOHN L. ATHERTON, # 2874; TAIL GUNNER--CLARENCE L. LARREW, #2875.

CRASHED

JAMES P. COBBS

372 567BS 389BG 7-1-44

DECEASED 3/25/74

???, 34279709 down Orleans -->-- Foix -->-- Andorra FEB 44

S/SGT

JAMES M. COCHRAN

AFEES

1448 748BS 457BG 27MAY44

29AUG44

Farmer near point of landing, 1 day; Flemish man, 1 wk; Mme. Nell, Aalost Lady(?); Willy Dekeyser, rue L. Ernotte 63, B. 21, 1050 Brussels; Emile Roiseux; 'Robinson'; others

From EE Report:

2nd Lt. Cochran went down in the vicinity of Lokeren, Belgium. He was 2 1/2 weeksw/ Mlle. Nell who provided ID -->-- Willy Dekeyser, Brussels -->-- France -->--Maquis of Bohan -->-- nearly captured by the Gestapo -->-- Eschelles -->-- ???the little -->-- Free 29 AUG 44

From 'A FLYER'S FOOTSTEPS':

Cochran who was bombardier, Mike Stanko the navigator, and Ray Koch spent the first day at a farmer's home. Taken by a man w/bike and gun to his home where they stayed one week. Then they were raided and hidden in a hole under the rabbit cages where the owner had a Still. They spent another two weeks there. They were sent for by a lady who had visited. Jim followed Gaston and spent 1 night at her home then was joined by the others. The next day they left. A lady led Mike, the UG chief's daughter led Jim and Ray. They made it to the car, but Mike was caught. They were taken to an apartment (Probably Willy Dekeyser's). D-Day came. They took a trip by tram through Brussels to a fine home where they were joined by Stone(RAF). In a truck they went South to cross the Meuse where they were stopped by troops but were not apprehended. They made it to the Hunter's lodge in the Ardennes near Porcheresse where they joined Gil Millar (RCAF), Jack MacKnight(RAF), and were in the care of Emile (Le Plombier) Roiseux. He mentions an ex-Belgian Officer who taught school. Left Porcheresse led by a Padre to a House to eat, then to the camp where 'Robinson'(one leg) seemed in charge. Joined by others (10). Cochran, Koch, MacKnight (latter spoke French) went off to try to join up with U.S. troops. They were separated. Jim took a train ride. Met by a man who directed him to a rich farmer. He stayed in the barn and was joined by another flyer. At that location they were overrun by the US Army lines. He was flown back to U.K.

BAILED OUT

ALTON WARD COCKRELL

AFEEES

10th 89FS 80FG 20APR45

KACHIN VILLAGERS

1st Lt. Cockrell (P-47 pilot, Asst Flight Commander) departed Myitkyina Airbase, Burma at approximately 0830 hours on 20 APR 1945, flying wing position to Squadron Commander Major Allan P. Rankin. After 1 1/2 hours flying and about 20 minutes past enemy lines at 5000 ft., the aircraft engine began burning requiring him to exit the aircraft. During the next 7 hours, using escape maps and passing through several Kachin villages, he came upon a prebriefed escape road and followed it to a known encampment of friendly Chinese Infantry Troops with their American Advisors. Each Kachin village contained a hut built high off the ground and housed the village chief and his family. This is the hut he approached and using E & E paraphernalia attempted to communicate with the village chief. No English was spoken, but each chief provided him with several native escorts to the next village until he reached the escape road. Names of village Chiefs, names of villages nor names of any of those helping along the route was ever obtained or requested. After an overnight stay with the Allied troops he returned to his organization and seven days later was flying missions again. He flew a total of 86 missions and flew his last mission on 26 APR 45. Shortly after his last mission the 80th Fighter Group was reassigned to an Airbase in India.

BAILED OUT

JAMES R. COCKRIEL

2616 700BS 445BG 22APR44

Sgt. Cockriel, 17175473, went down at St. Louis, 5 miles SE of Courtrai, Belgium with Sgt. John Mahoney. Spent 1 month with the U.G. Michel Vondenbrooke, Ingooigem, Belgium (in his home). A Catholic priest, Joseph Rathe of Ingooigem was their interpreter. He met Marcel Windelk, U.G. Leader, and Dubois, the 3rd in command. At the end of MAY they broke the rail link between Courrai and Brussels. At the beginning of JUNE spent 2 weeks at the home of Joseph Rathe. On 20 JUNE they cut 84 telephone lines with Vondenbrooke and 2 young men named Roger. Did it again 2 weeks later. On 5 SEPT. attacked by 400 Germans and took off to the woods. On patrol, were captured by the Germans. They

were taken into the woods and Machine-gunned to death. He was wounded in the shoulder and left for dead, Mahoney was killed. Crawled to a farmhouse. The woman went to find help to the Hospital in Waregem (still occupied by Germans). The British came next day.

ALFRED T. COFFMAN JR.

533 535BS 381BG 6FEB44

23MAR44

2ND LT. 0751986 RETURNED TO ENGLAND VIA M.G.B. 503 23 MAR 44

"OPERATION BONAPARTE"

J. D. COFFMAN

AFEEES

XXXX 847BS 489BG 25JUN44

M ET MME ANDRE GUILLEMOT, FORET-LA-FOLIE, 27150 TOURNY, FRANCE
1ST LT. COFFMAN BASED IN ENGLAND BETWEEN IPSWICH & NORWICH THE PILOT OF A
B-24 LIBERATOR WAS FORCED TO BAIL OUT ON A MISSION TO VILLACOUBLAY, FRANCE
ON JUNE 25TH, 1944. He LANDED IN THE FIELD OF M. ET MME. ANDRE GUILLEMOT. THERE
THEY STAYED AND WERE FREE FOR 40 DAYS THEN CAPTURED ON AUGUST 4, 1944. M.
RENE GERARD AND M GUILLEMOT HID ME FROM THE GERMANS THE FIRST DAY AND
TOOK ME TO M. ET MME. CANUS (BOTH DECEASED) FOR ABOUT 6 DAYS. MOVED TOM. ET
MME. CHERON'S HOME IN ETREPAGNY, FRANCE WHERE I STAYED FOR THREE WEEKS.
THERE WERE SEVEN IN HIS FAMILY. MME FERANDE CHERON, FOUR DAUGHTERS AND A
FOURTEEN YEAR OLD SON. MY PRIMARY CONTACT WAS WITH Mlle. DIDI
CHERON, TWENTY TWO-YEARS OLD IN 1944. SINCE SHE COULD SPEAK ENGLISH
REASONABLY WELL. BOTH M. ET MME CHERON ARE NOW DEAD. DIDI CHERON IS
MARRIED TO M. JACQUES LAVANDIER NOW AND WE HAVE A VERY CLOSE RELATIONSHIP
WITH OUR "FRENCH FAMILY." JACQUES WAS IN THE FRENCH ARMY. THEIR ADDRESS; M.
ET MME. JACQUES LAVANDIER; DUBOIS DE VOIX, LORLEAU, 27480 LYONS-LA-FORET,
FRANCE. THEIR DAUGHTER Mlle ODILE LAVANDIER, HAS BECOME AS CLOSE AS
ANOTHER DAUGHTER TO US, SPEAKS ENGLISH VERY WELL AND IS OUR GUIDE AND
TRANSLATOR WHEN WE VISIT FRANCE. WE HAVEN'T SUCCEEDED IN GETTING JACQUES
AND DIDI TO COME TO CALIFORNIA YET ALTHOUGH ODILE HAS BEEN HERE SEVERAL
TIMES.

A TRAITOR TURNED US IN WHEN WE WERE CAPTURED ON AUGUST 4, 1944. THE ONES WHO
HID US WERE PROBABLY SAVED BECAUSE PARIS WAS LIBERATED SHORTLY AFTER WE
WERE BETRAYED. OTHER CREW MEMBERS: FREDERICK W. CARR, 53 PARK
AVENUE, CLAREMONT, NH 03743. FRED AND I WERE TOGETHER PART OF THE FORTY DAYS
WE WERE FREE. CAPTURED THE SAME DAY AND TREATED AS POLITICAL PRISONERS,
WENT TO FRESNES PRISON, FRANCE FOR TEN DAYS THEN ON TO BUCHENWALD,
GERMANY CONCENTRATION CAMP FOR ABOUT TWO MONTHS BEFORE BEING
RECOGNIZED AS POW'S AND SENT ON TO STALAG LUFT III. I HAVE NAMES BUT NO
CURRENT ADDRESSES OF OTHER CREW MEMBERS.

BAILED OUT

FIRST LIEUTENANT

LEON COHEN

778 640BS 409BG ??????

DECEASED 8/18/84

2nd Lt., 0752390 down St. Sauveur le Vicomte, Manche - helped by Andre Curbaron-->>-- 22-6-44
LIEUTENANT

SIMON COHEN

AFEEES

2156 564BS 389BG 1APR44

T/Sgt. Cohen, 11130339, went down West of Adinfeer, Region of Arras with # 2157Dutka. Both were blinded by gasoline. # 762 Hamby was with them. Ernest Chretien and his brother returned to the plane which was guarded by Germans, shot the guards and destroyed the secret equipment. They received ID cards from the chief gendarme. On 24 APR. Ernest took them to Paris -->-- Charles (store) Dutka went to the home of M. Foreau, 7 Rue Bijon Chartes, Cohen to the home of an older woman, schoolteacher, S. or SW. of the Station, guided by Denise Poreau who worked at the Picourt home (M. Picourt was the contact). Picourt was busy with # 617, Mahurin. "Hamby se sauve gros scandale chez les Francais, the others wanted to leave also. -->-- Orleans, helped and aided by under U.S. Bombardment affecting civilians (with M. Picourt and son), RR locomotive to Viersin -->-- Toulouse -a>-- Robert Ernault (an old captain), 235 Rue de Lombez, whose place they went, near (SW) Tournefill -->-- 8 JUNE, the Maquis at St. Lys refused them -- farm at Lis, West of St. Lys -->-- 14 JUNE, convent -->-- Maquis until 15 JULY. FINALLY OVER THE PYRENEES MOUNTAINS AND INTERNED IN SPAIN.

BAILED OUT

T/SGT RADIO-GUNNER B-24

EUGENE A. COLBURN

824 508BS 351BG 24--2-44

???, 34338496 down Montdidier (St. Just) -->-- Jacques Beauchet IS -->-- Bordeaux -->-- 4-6-44 Spain

CLIFFORD E. COLE

AFEEES

119 HQS 95BG 12AUG43

18OCT43

UNKNOWN BY NAME

Major Cole was the 11th man of a B-17 crew (out of Horham, UK) in his capacity as Group Operations Officer. The target was the Marshalling Yards at Bonn, Germany when they were shot down. He evaded through Belgium, France, Spain to Gibraltar and then to the U.K. He was with Lt. Col. Churchill L. Scott. In Bordeaux he met EE 120, Roy Claytor and they reached Spain 8 OCT 43 and arrived in the U.K. on 18OCT 43.

DONALD E. COLE

1548 573BS 391BG 28MAY44

DECEASED 3/15/75

1st Lt. Cole, 0692948. Down Fresnicourt. M. and Mme. Marcel Goubelle hid him -a>-- Jean Cirer -- Raymond Bizart -->-- Victor Leroy

LIEUTENANT

EDGAR BOYLE COLE

50 336BS 95BG 13-6-43

DECEASED 9/29/57

Maj., 0362148 St. Malo Tours Chateaurnix Toulouse ELNE 10.000

MAJOR

WARREN W. COLE

xxxx 368BS 306BS 11JAN44

S/Sgt. Cole was Tail Gunner on the Reed crew on a mission to Hlaberstadt. S/Sgt., 16075471 down Rijssen, Holland # 797 -->-- 29-5-44 Spain

JOHN B. COLEMAN

328FS 352FG 5OCT44

17OCT44

Capt. Coleman, 0667040, went down SW. of Enschoot, NE of Tilburg. He was helped by a farmer, shelter and clothing (wife, 2 sons) -->-- another farmer -->-- Priest's house at a monastery or school -->-- 2

priests took him to a dentist. 10 days a young boy in the house took him to Jan Frankeers-Keyser, communications officer of the organization, 36 Wilhelmina Park, Tilburg, and 2 women at 34 of the same street, Mete and Niet Schijns. 5 days with English teacher, Tirso Sprockel, and then returned to the previous place until 17 OCT. Met Father Fredericus again and Mr. and Mrs. Jan Pessers (in same house). It was the PAN. organization, old line from Brussels to Spain.

JOHN C. COLEMAN
2067 700BS 445BG 12APR44
7SEP44

S/Sgt. Coleman, 35662706, went down at 1400 hours at Robier, Belgium. He was taken into the woods to a farm (Sgt. Kanes and Sgt. Murray) -->-- Stoumount for 2 days-->-- 6 weeks in Floriz -->-- Captured ? 22 JULY to 3 M Liege ?? Helper: Joseph Caseo or Cased of Noussifer, Liege. U.S. 7 SEPT 44

WILBERT J. COLLARD
1232 xxxxx 457BG 14JUN44
DECEASED 3/25/86

Collard was a 1st Lt., 0801116. Down near Chantilly (1 week). Neuilly en Thelle (2 weeks). -->-- Aubervilliers.
LIEUTENANT

LEONARD COLLEN
AFES

1138 585BS 394BG 7AUG44

ERNEST AND HILDA MALLARD; SUZY AND MONIQUE AND OTHERS.

1ST.LT., 0744358 St. Martin de la Liene, Calvados. Helped by Ernest Mallard, Brunelies Sellies - LT COLLEN'S STORY: FLEW IN B-26 AIRCRAFT OUT OF CHELMSFORD, ENGLAND WHEN ON AUGUST 7, 1944 HE WAS SHOT DOWN AND PARACHUTED INTO GERMAN OCCUPIED FRANCE (NORMANDIE) AT ST. MARTIN DE LA LIEUE, 5 KM SOUTH OF LISIEUX, FRANCE. HIDDEN BY ~~ERNEST~~ FOR A WHILE THEN BY SUZY (LAST NAMES UNKNOWN. CREW: BUFORD BOWEN, CO-PILOT WHO REFUSED TO JUMP; RALPH WHETING WHOSE PARACHUTE DIDN'T OPEN; DON IHLE, PILOT; GENE KLINZING, TAIL GUNNER; RADIO OPERATOR (FORGOT NAME) NOW ALL DECEASED. I WAS THE OLDEST AND THE ONLY ONE LEFT. BAILED OUT

1ST LT/BOMB-NAV

HOMER J. COLLIER
2065 xxxxx 801BG 6MAY44
DECEASED 9/28/61

S/Sgt. Collier, 37312824, went down SW of Marigny, 25 K. N. of Rouen. A farmer -> family Pouilly of Roanne -->-- 2 Maquis led him to St. Etienne -->-- Chambron -a>-- Mazet St. Voy (Haute Loire) -->-- St. Front (18 K. S. of Yssingreaux), the home of Pierre Glost, 2 K. W. of St. Front and his uncle - (# 826) -- from then on the same as # 2060 Weinbrenner. -->-- Brionde -->-- Douchet at Agnat -->-- Chateau de Laval -->-- Brassac les Mines, home of Mlle. Lucienne Briac.
S/SGT

GEORGE ANTHONY COLLINS
503 332BS 94BG ??1-43

2nd Lt., 0749466 (of Swansea, MA) down Hourtin, Bordeaux -- Guide 300000 f -- Vera de Bidasson 26-3-44

JOHN L. COLLINS

984 ??BS 457BG 11-8-44

Sgt., 12081558 6 miles of Pontrieux -->-- Guingamp 16-8-44

ALTON B. COLSTON

2362 xxxxx 435TCG 19SEP44

DECEASED 2/22/69

24SEP44

F/O Colston, T.122336, went down 25 miles N. of Gheel, Belgium with # 2361, Pollock. SEE POLLOCK.
FLIGHT OFFICER

HENRI F. COLT

1961 365BS 305BG 9AUG44

10SEP44

2nd Lt. Colt, 0718249, went down at Clabecq, Belgium. He was helped by a farmer ^-->-- Braine le Chateau to the home of Mme. La Parmentaire for 1 day and a friend(Kuhn?) 100 yards away. On 12 AUG. he and S/Sgt. Kuhn to Brussels for 10 days at the home of Gaston Schafs, Rue Victor Oudart 25, Schaerbeek, Brussels -->-- to the Camp between Massin and Valliences with 5 U.S. -->-- to the Foret de Lucy, East of Acremont where he hid with 18 airmen until the U.S. troops arrived to liberate them.

ROBERT J. COLWELL

DECEASED 5JUN89

1132 508FS 404FG 8AUG44

1ST.LT., 0664138 Landed behind German Lines. He hid until 11 AUG 44 when he was liberated by US troops

THOMAS E. COMBS

DECEASED 84

303 349BS 100BG 3-9-43

T/Sgt., 14134640 Down La Ferte Alois -->-- Bayonne

CHARLES W. COMPTON

566 349BS 100BG 30DEC43

DECEASED SUNDAY, 6 MAY 1990. A

2nd Lt., 0673779 down Bernay en Dormois -->-- guide Marty for 1 week Bagnois de Bigone -->--
Campau -->-- Brelso April 44.

FRED E. CONDER

2007 597BS 397BG 7AUG44

DECEASED 1/19/63

12SEP44

T/Sgt. Conder, 38121611, went down between Le Havre and Caen, captured, head injury, Hospital Beaujon, Paris -->-- on 19 AUG. (La Pitie par les Francais???)

JOSEPH M. CONNABLE

AFEES

1025 535BS 381BG 25-4-44

???, 34720360 St. Genieve -- Roger Feuri, Machinist, Mesnil Theribruse; Rene Morel, Haudevilliers (cafe) 10-6-44 -->-- #1039 PARACHUTED - THROUGH UNDERGROUND.

PILOT A.G. CLAYTOR BOX 925, BUENA VISTA, VA, OR RFD NO 1, GLASGOW VA; COPILOT ROY RICE, 935 N. 14TH, SALEM, OREGON; SGT N. SANGO; LT. CHISHOLM; S/SGT WILLIAMS; DAVE SOUDER; RAY VITKUS; CHARLES MIDDLETON, 6509 RITA AVE, HUNTINGTON PARK, CA. ALSO HAVE LIST OF PEOPLE IN FRETEVAL FOREST WITH US.
BAILED OUT

JOHN L. CONNELL

261 ??? 387BG ?-9-43

T/Sgt., 15095412 down Berthecourt -->-- Biarritz -->-- Dax December 43

TINSLEY G. CONNELL

2449 xxxxx xxxxx xxxxxxx

DECEASED 2/5/66

Sgt. Connell, 34235600. Refer to S/Sgt. Vaught, # 2530

SGT

JOHN M. CONNOLLY

HOSPITALIZED POW

1689 xxxxx 385BG 2JUN44

13AUG44

S/Sgt. Connolly, 11045600. Down at Versailles. Taken Prisoner, Wounded. Sent to Hospital in Rennes and evacuated to U.K. on 13 AUG 44.

EUGENE W. CONNOR

AFEES

2212 547BS 384BG 14OCT44

Michel Perrain; Roger Langlais; Countess ?????

DECEASED 15 FEBRUARY 1990, SURVIVED BY WIFE, WANDA.

2nd Lt. Connor went down in the area of Rhambluzin Meuse. The EE Report mentions EE#s 2214 (Yeryar) and 1577. Michel Perrain of Rhambluzin is mentioned as is Roger Langlais (40 yrs. old whose wife was expecting), Veterinarian, who took him to Sully where he stayed at a home for 4 days. A Countess at Verdun whose husband had ??? factory for the Germans. She was rich and had a large collection of chinese furniture. She arranged for escape to Switzerland.

JAMES P. CONRAD

AFEES

1854 715BS 448BG 12JUL44

9SEP44

APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY SON: JAMES D. CONRAD JR. 9715 GOLDEN RIDGE DR.
CONVERSE, TX 78109-2751 APRIL 1997

Maj. Conrad, 0365492, in command of the wing, went down near Dunkirk. He was 16 days with Georges Deschrevel at Beveren Yser -->-- chief of police at Ypres -->-- Menin where Pol Bile helped him and was later arrested. He was 5 days with M. Beaudet, chair manufacturer of Menin -->-- Edouard Bogaert, 43 Rue de Lille, Halluin, Cyrille (gendarme of Halluin put him up at the home of Julien Vanderkerckhoven, chief of the FFI in Halluin for 1 month). Liberated by British Troops.

ROBERT THOMAS CONROY

61 332BS 94BG 14JUL43

DECEASED 2/22/87

2nd Lt., 0797272 AUG. 43

_ 84-91-98-108-110 (this appears to tie those EE#s to the following itinerary
Verdun then Lireires(?) and Evrene -->-- St. Jean de Luz July 43

Hotel Peyrohirade -->-- Bayonne -->-- St. Jean de Luz

LIEUTENANT

HOMER CONTOPODIS

DECEASED

AFEES

42 410BS 94BG 17MAY43

30JUN43

Lt. Contopodis, 0795207, went down at Morlais. He was helped by Paul and Rene who were Journalists. Then he was aided by a Baker named LeCroix in Brest. Countess B. helped him in Paris, and Odette in Lyon. -->6 JUN-- Carcassonne -->-- Braur(?) Lavelauet -->-- Foix with 6 others. Escaped through Andorra with 60 French on 10 JUNE 43 Mauresie(?)

THEODORE G. CONVERSE

AFEES

2411 571BS 390BG 10OCT43

HIS NAVIGATOR, HAROLD WOLOSIN VISITED HOLLAND IN THE SUMMER OF 1990 AND MENTIONED TED CONVERSE IN THE ARTICLE WRITTEN IN THE SAN DIEGO NEWSPAPER. Enschede: Jannick or Jannicke. Brugge: Chief UG, Gaston Matthys, 57 Rue Vanderstapen. Brussels: Mme. Paul Franchome, 90 Rue Souveraine (11 months) (had 2 daughters, Germaine, Marthe); Drs. Smits, Snoek (taught University), Herlant of 184 Chaussee de Charleroi; Mme. Dufosse, 23 Rue de Prince Royal, whose son was the 1st Belgian Flyer killed in the war.

Sgt. Converse went down in the area of Enschede, Holland. He was helped by the Dutch and hid in the woods at Enschede for 4 or 5 days. He became sick. On 15 OCT 43 he went to Belgium -- Turnhout -- then to Brussels to the home of an elderly lady where he was put to bed for 15 days. Confined to bed until APRIL when he felt much better. He was fine in August(?)

During his sickness he was in the care of Mme. Franchome whose daughter Germaine was sick and confined to the house but who managed to do IS-9 work. One of their friends was Austrian Admiral Hans Thiele from whom they received many letters. He said also that Nazi Spy Von Stolz escaped U.K. 1942 (?). Another man on Rue Marconi helped many US fliers and was in Radio Contact with London. Mme. Dufosse was instrumental in finding Drs. Herlant and Smoek who cured him.

STAFF SERGEANT

DOUGLAS M. CONWAY

1691 613BS 401BG 2MAR44

7SEP44

2nd Lt. Conway, 0685775, Bombardier of "SAC HOUND". Down Soy Soye, Belgium. Edgard Tandelis, near Yvon. Augustine Dive, Surice. Rene Henry, Soulme. Mme. Divergnies, Gochenee. Touthure Bertrand, Soulme. Noel Hayard, Vodelee. Jules Tassin of Vodelee kept him for 4 1/2 months.

SEE WILLIAM G. SHEAHAN

ALPHONSUS J. COOGAN

2316 579BS 392BG 18SEP44

23SEP44

S/Sgt. Coogan, 32802475, went down at 1745 South of Gierk, Belgium with #'s 2314 Bremer and 2317 Leich. Helped by Evacuees, Joseph Jacobs, Schoolstraat 2, Lichtaart, Antwerp and Joseph Durcks, Schoolstraat, Lichtstraat, Antwerp. They were helped by a farmer, A. Neefs Van Steenbergers (Verhaudel 8 Kulenweler), Middleveld 10, Gierle until Sunday 23 SEPT.

HAROLD E. COOK

15AF 450BG 24APRIL44

ESCAPED INTO SWITZERLAND APRIL 24, 1945

JETTY R. COOK

AFEES

2145 407BS 92BG 20JUL44

13SEP44

MME JEAN COLLEYE - ROSA GRAUJEAU - BOTH OF SERAING, BELGIUM

S/Sgt. Cook, 18184168, went down at Bourgeleopold, Belgium. He spent 8 days with M. Settins, Bourgeleopold and 3 weeks with Jean Colleye, Seraing. D. 491 Bourgeleopold contacted the organization. CREW: MELVIN L. CROUCH, PO BOX 1342, FAIRFIELD BAY, AR. 72088 FRED E. NOBLE, 3500 WESLEY ST., FORT WORTH, TEXAS 76111

BAILED OUT

S/SGT ENG/GUNNER

LEE A. COOK

1507 853BS 491BG 11AUG44

4SEP44

S/Sgt. Cook, 18181571 See Joseph F. Haney, # 1506

CRASHED

WILLIAM J. COOK

410 525BS 379BG 16-9-43

???, 0670094 down Guifry, Dinan -->-- Saragossa Spain 10-2-44

GEORGE D. COOKSEY

AFEES

895 712BS 448BG 12JUN44

2AUG44(?)

2nd Lt., 0761041 down Bonnemain -- Rene Lehuede, former mayor of Renne; Michel Cartier?, Plouasne; Leon Sainson and his sister (guide to Spain), Plouasne; Rene Guillet, farm near Plouasne; Jean Homo; Pierre Cohas, carpenter at Lequoi; Mme. Cauvrin

KERMIT Q. COOKSEY

DECEASED 17JAN91

1551 326BS 92BG 8JUL44

Yes

Roger Cressent; M. and Mme. Maurice Marechal; Mlle. Jacqueline

S/Sgt. Cooksey went down near Wesh Hodeng.

CHARLES W. COON

AFEES

1644 449BS 322BG 8JUL44

6SEP44

S/Sgt. Coon went down in the vicinity of Conde Folie, Somme.

8 JUL to 10 JUL -- M. Volland, ?????, food and clothing.

10 JUL to 15 JUL -- ????

15 JUL to 1 SEP -- M. and Mme. Maurice Picard, shelter and food.

DECEASED JULY 1984

FRANK G. COON

DECEASED 7-84

1126 553BS 386BG 11JUN44

21AUG44

T/SGT. Coon, 35267235. Down at Jony le Moutier. (11 JUNE) First helped by a farmer who was about 60, short, poor, whose home was on the edge of the village of Jony. At Pontoise the man who helped lived on the Pontoise to Boisement highway just outside the town. He was poor and the house stood back from the road with a small veg. garden between house and road, Family of 5. (12 JUNE) The farmer at Sandrancourt lived on the Seine just East of the town on the Sandrancourt to St. Martin-la-Garenne road. The woman who rowed them across the Seine (who apparently had helped other evaders) lived in a small bungalow (white Stucco w/ red tiled roof) with a backyard that ran down to the river. She was a widow with a daughter aged 4. The cafe at Croisy was also the only hotel in the village. The cafe owner was ex-French army, 55 yrs old. The man who gave shelter at Conches was the Mayor of Faverolles-la-Campagne. (15 JUNE) Helped by Dr. Doggue at Beau Mesnil and Martenique. Here they met an Englishman named George who was interpreter for the FFI (he lived there for 20 yrs.). George said a message had just come that 2 parachute drops of ammunition would occur next night. Coon was given a message to give to HQ FFI in London "Jacques et Teddy attendent Henri. Arrivez avec securite". This was to be broadcast on London radio beamed to Le Centre de la Resistance for 2 days prior to dropping more ammunition. He was given verbal message to drop rifles and machine guns instead of pistols and plastique with service manuals for weapons. The map which Hartman hid had written on it by Henri Jean the German dispositions in the area,

local Army & Gestapo HQ's, and names etc of collaborators, Gestapo Agents. Henri Jean, the leader, was about 20, very blond, brown color, well built, about 11 stone, 5'-10". He issued ID cards to Coon, took him to his home to stay the night and next day they left for the lines with him acting as guide. (16 JUNE) Stayed the night at La trinite De Reville at a hotel which was HQ for the FFI. (17 JUNE) Henri Jean took them to St Pair duMont where they stayed at a farm for 5 days. (22 JUNE) Henri Jean left after giving them explicit instruction for passing through the lines. Later in the evening Hartman and Coon left and attempted to cross the marshes of the Vallee D'Auge. It was impossible in the dark and they returned to the Vimont to Lisieux road. After being on this road for some time they came across 4 British Paratroopers. They stayed with them until about 0200 hrs when they hid for the night. (23 JUNE) At 1000 hours they left them and went on their own toward the lines. At about 1800 hrs they arrived in St. Pair where a farmer showed them the woods North of Troarn in which our troops were located. Within 1000 yards of Allied troops they were captured by Germans. (5 JULY) Coon and Sgt. Major Edwards escaped and arrived at St. Pierre des IFS. There they were helped by M. Sevestin, Mayor of Mesnil Eudes whose son and entire family were FFI, M. Piquot - FFI ST. Pierre, M. Lepetouhka and family, M. Stephan Chytes who lived at the Leperouhkas farm, M. Pierre bock of Mesnil Eudes who was ex French army Artillery officer, M. and Mme. Vesque of Trouville-sur-mer who hid them when they escaped and provided maps compass and clothing, a girl at Bonnebosq- 20 yrs.- blond- father English-Mother French. The girl's father lived at 128 Chertsey Rd, Twickenham, UK. They stayed at St. Pierre until over run by the 1st Company of Seaforth Highlanders on 21 AUG 44. The Courier who worked between St. Pierre and Paris was Mlle. Helene Lechallier, 72 rue de Chateau d'Eau, Paris, 10.

GEORGE H. COON
1581 497BS 344BG 22MAY44
DECEASED 2/9/52
1SEP44

T/Sgt. Coon, 32550339. Down near Abbeville -->-- Gamoches. Alfred Vast, Guerville (9 kilometers WNW of Blangy) with F/O Walters. Took both to Melleville (3 kilometers W. of Guerville) for 1 week and after took them to M. and Mme. J. Toulgoat at Beauchamps (10 kilometers SW of Treport) for 2 weeks -->-- 8 days at the Electrical Power Center -->-- M. Peteau at Gamaches for 1 night -->-- M. and Mme. Leon Niquet at Nesle l'Hopital (5 kilometers SE of Blangy) with Daniel and his father, friends of M. Niquet. Met 1582 Belluomini, 1584 Spindler -->-- M. and Mme. Bernard Godefroy at Bouillancourt en Sery (4 kilometers North of Blangy) -->-- liberated 1 SEPT 44 by Polish tanks.
T/SGT

COOPER, HARRY F.
2110 532BS 381BG 8MAR44
DECEASED 2/18/55
9SEP44

2nd Lt. Cooper, 0754890, went down at Laren, Holland. From 21 MAR to 15 JULY he was with Martin Van Den Eynden, Crisis, Hoeve, Duerne, Holland. From 12 AUG. to 9 SEPT. he was with m. Fernand Lemoine, 250 Rue de la Fontaine, Seraing, Belgium.
LIEUTENANT

COOPER, J. E.
2626 554BS 386BG 24SEP44
30OCT44

Sgt. Cooper, 36733543, went down at Kattendijk, Holland. Same as # 2625, Granrud.

COOPER, JACK L.
1912 xxxxx 448BG 1APR44
10SEP44

Sgt. Cooper, 35595779, went down at St. Pol, Pas de Calais. A girl gave him clothing -->-- in St. Pol, tobacco controller -->-- M. and Mme. Maurice Doulonat Fillievres from 2 to 13 APR. (3 children) -->-- from 13 APR. to 9 SEPT. at the home of M. and Mme. Raymond Merchez (same town) who had sons

Daniel and Gilbert, old lady Mlle. Alice Hughes, the farm worker Roger Vermotte. # 1897 Melvin L. Bachman arrived on 26 JUNE.

COOPER, ROBERT H.
1198 xxxxx 384BG xxxxxxx
DECEASED 1/23/91
Cooper was a S/Sgt., 34393410.
S/SGT

COPLEY, ROBERT H.
DECEASED 29JAN93
764 366BS 305BG 26-4-44
Capt., 0680178 down Vitry Le F. -- Jean de La Porte, Lucien Collard -->-- Dax2-6-44

BOEST, ROBERT L. (BOBST) Cor
622 715BS 448BG 29-4-44
DECEASED 1/21/87
2nd Lt., 0696051 down Denmark -- Aakirkeby -- RO - Bornholms Island - Nekso -->-- UK 10-5-44

CORBETT, ROBERT E.
2309 xxxxx 452BG 29MAY44
26SEP44
S/Sgt. Corbett, 34508723, went down at Signy l'Abbaye, at the Belgian border. He was aided by Jean Marechal, Signy l'Abbaye, A. L. Saquet, 24 Rue des Enos, Reims, France; Marcel Bertin, Villeneuve; M. Couture, Villeneuve; M. and Mme. C. Martin, Courtieux; Robert Larcher, Courtavant.

CORCORAN, JAMES C.
199 67BS 44BG 17-7-43
DECEASED 8/12/73
T/Sgt., 11037316 of 404 N. Montello st., Brockton, Mass.
same as 198 but escaped by way of Amondola and Terrano.
exited 14-9-43
UK 11-11-43
T/SGT

CORNETT, JACK D.
819 ??FS 361FG 28-4-44
DECEASED 8/14/86
2nd Lt., 0816632 down Meur -- Philippe Lake -- same as 802 and 800 and F.O. Barnes of RAF -->--
Champ de Mars
LIEUTENANT

CORNWALL, JOSEPH E.
DECEASED 29JAN93
125 331BS 94BG 14JUL43
19OCT43
S/Sgt., 19016939, Ephrata, Washington. S/Sgt. Cornwall went down near Evreux. He was in the same crew as EE # 86, Lawrence Templeton.
Evreux --> UK 19-10-43

ARDIE, E. J. (ABADIE) Corr.
2048 837BS 487BG 28MAY44
DECEASED 1/7/80

EXAMPLES, HAND OUTS FOR STUDENTS, QUESTIONNAIRES

Sgt. Ardie, 18152008, went down at 1700 hours at Horse, Belgium. He was with Witherow and Heuse of his crew -->-- Awayalle -->-- Florze, 1 month at the Hanzel home -->-- 1 month at the Fastre home at Ayeneux -->-- Camp in the Forest-- U.S.

COSLETT, FRANKLIN D.

DECEASED

AFEES

2968 788BS 467BG 29APR44

13APR45

See Synopsis

1st Lt. Coslett (Navigator) went down in the vicinity of Vierhouten, Holland. He was helped by Pieter Iszerman, director of Veluvine paint factory in Nunspeet, Gelterland (45 yrs. old), who provided shelter 29 APR to 5 MAY 44. (He saw him with his wife and sons in the prison at Doetinghaur in FEB 45). He was also helped by Dr. Willem Wolfensperger (29 yrs. old), Klarenbeek, Dornspijk, from 5 MAY 44 to 29 May 44. Kruisberg (?), known in UG of Doornspijk as 'LOOT' (23 yrs. old), whose father was a minister in Nijmegen, provided food and transport from 29 APR to 29 MAY 44. Jan Seigers, Wolfskull 10, Ommen - overissel, (25 yrs. old), provided shelter from 29 MAY to 29 JUNE 44. He was later captured. Dr. Paul ??? of Ommen (42 yrs. old), a medical doctor and linguistics expert, provided books and clothing in June 44. Willem Degroene ('Henn') of Zwolle (38 yrs. old) provided shelter from 29 JUNE to 15 JULY 44. Hendrick Jan. Van Poelgeest, of Hondergaard Straat 9, Harderwijk, a baker, provided shelter from 15 JULY to 30 AUG 44. H.J.Kok, Bralleweg 11, Herderwijk, a duck farmer, provided shelter 15 JULY to 27 AUG 44 (?). Dr. Van Dijk alias Dr. Dejonge alias Mr. Swart (38 yrs. old) living near Arnhem-Chief of the UG, Amsterdam provided food, cards, transport after 30 AUG 44. Hendrick Jan Schryver, Willem Royaarts Straat 18, Amsterdam (32 yrs. old), well educated, executive of large insurance firm, helped from 30 AUG to 5 NOV 44. Harry Scheepstra, Stadeonkade 151, Amsterdam (28 yrs. old), an executive in a baking firm, high in "Order Dienst", helped from 5 NOV 44 to 20 NOV 44. Mrs. A. Viruly, Michelangelo Straat, Amsterdam, (38 yrs. old) wife of a famous Dutch flier, provided food and shelter from 20 NOV to 6 DEC 44. Scholl ?? Jan Aldert, Hoenderloo 27 whose father was a Forester, provided help until 24 DEC 44. Dr. H.R. Tas, alias Dr. Dick Hoytma, Rotterdam Medical Society (27 yrs. old), provided medical attention, books and other kindnesses while he was in prison together with EE # 2968.

COSS, JOSEPH D.

AFEES

1341 334BS 95BG 29MAY43

DECEASED 19 MARCH 1988

S/Sgt. Coss went down on the coast NW of Rennes near the Maison de Liandre Rochelle at Poilley (Manche) where he rejoined Robert A. Titus. After 3 days they arrived at the home of Pierre Bertie at Melun where Sgt. Rants already was located. They went to Paris and then to the Swiss Border at Loch le Veuey where they spent 3 months. On 23 AUG they returned to France, joined with FFI and went to Annecy. With U.S. Capt. Ball they returned to US control.

COSS, WESLEY G.

AFEES

485 347BS 99BG 27-1-44

ONLY HELPER I KNOW OF IS JEAN JUVENILE IN AIX.

1st Lt., 01699530 down Salon de Provence -->-- Perpignan 2-3-44

COSS' STORY: SHOT DOWN 1-27-44 (21ST MISSION), PARACHUTED OUT, LANDED NEAR AIX-EN PROVENCE, FRANCE. LIVED WITH UNDERGROUND UNTIL TAKEN TO PERPIGNON, FRANCE AND WALKED ACROSS PYRENEES MOUNTAINS INTO SPAIN. CREW: CO-PILOT: BOB JOHNSON. NAVIGATOR; ERNEST JENKINS (CAPTURED) AND JOE KINANE, FORMERLY OF BAYONNE, N.J. (JOE ESCAPED WITH ME.)

BAILED OUT

1ST LT. PILOT B-17

COSS, WILBER J.

1636 82FS 78FG 26AUG44

DECEASED 2/22/45

6SEP44

2nd Lt. Coss, 0767037. Down Pernwelz, Belgium. M. Adolphe Dupriez-Creneau, Hergnies, France near Conde, North of Valenciennes.

LIEUTENANT

COSTELLO, ROBERT L.

AFEES

490 730BS 452BG 8FEB44

2nd Lt. Costello escaped through Plouha. 2nd Lt., 0754413 down Montdidier -->>^ -- Pierre Coutin, Bulls; Marie Mrez(?), 7 rue de ?????, -- Foix -- Felix, St.Just en Chaussee who was called "Cyclops" -->>-- Plouha

DECEASED IN RANCHO CORDOVA ON JULY 26, 1988, AGE 71. SPENT 24 YEARS IN AIR FORCE AND RETIRED

COSTELLO, WALTER O.

853 357FS 355FG 20-7-44

2nd Lt., 0697004 down St. Lo -- Michel Foullard, Louis Pesson (15 K N.s of Foullard) 4-8-44

COTTER, JAMES F.

AFEES

DECEASED NOVEMBER 1978

COURTNEY, JOHN J.

AFEES

1130 ????? 479FG 8AUG44

CAPT., 0025584 down 5 miles W. off Tonnerre (Yonne)

Dr. of Flogny tended him and lodged him until 10 AUG

CAPT-P38-8AF-PILOT

COTTRELL, KENNETH D.

2975 338FS 55FG 24FEB45

18APR45

2nd Lt. Cottrell, 0832352, went down NE. of Meppel, Holland. A woman (55) and a girl (20) helped, their house was near the point where he landed. They helped on 25 and 26 FEB., gave him clothes and arranged the next help. Dr. Dinkla Dwingelo(45), took him to Miss Von Rijn, and furnished a razor, etc. Miss Andriana VonRijn, (35) school teacher, from 25 FEB. to 25 MAR., and conducted him to Assen with Dr. Dinkla. Ruurd Faber, Beilerstraat 65, Assen, Liaison Agent Raorte???. Returned to Allied Control 18 APR.45 at Assen.

COTTS, RUSSEL J.

AFEES

1078 551BS 385BG 2AUG44

17AUG44

Claude Lefebvre, Paris

Lt. Katz (now Cotts), Pilot of a B-17 out of Great Ashfield, U.K. went down on 2AUG 44. He was helped by Claude Lefebvre in Paris and returned by way of the Freteval Forest through the front lines on 17 AUG 44.

COURTAD, PAUL K.

1423 615BS 401BG 19JUN44

S/Sgt., 35424839, Down between Lesparre and Naujac. SEE 1420, LEMKE. SHOT DOWN ON JUNE 19 1944, WITH THE UNDERGROUND FOR 41 DAYS BEFORE BEING CAPTURED TRYING TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY. HE SPENT 31 DAYS UNDER THE GERMAN GESTAPO BEFORE AN UNDERGROUND GROUP HELPED HIM ESCAPE ON AUGUST 29, 1944

COUTURE, ROBERT D.

AFEES

314-447-5752

997 354FS 355FG 7JUN44

2nd Lt. Couture went down in the vicinity of Chartres. He spent 6 days at a farm.....

COVINGTON, ROYSTON T.

743 544BS 384BG 8-2-44

DECEASED 1/29/80

2nd Lt., 0679049 down Letheil (SE Cherburg) --> Pau --> Spain 27-5-44

LIEUTENANT

COWHERD, FORD C.

AFEES

124 323BS 91BG 17AUG43

18OCT44

T/Sgt., 15068629 3014 Aubert Ave., Louisville, Kentucky. Cowherd went down in the area of Aerschot, Belgium. Gerschot(?) Beyl(?) --> He escaped to Spain on 8 OCT 43 and the U.K. on 18 OCT 43.

COX, ARTHUR B.

47 330BS 93BG 29-6-43

Sgt., ???????? Down 20 Oct. 43 Joseph Corneil--> Ferme Mme Bajoux 182 Rte Natunals, Frair Marois Dorai(?) M. Armstrong Imperial War Graves Commission+ M. Lindsay 30-1-43 M. D'Allendre Donai Lille Home of Mme. Weise at Lille for 4 days Roget et double took (??) --> Paris Arc de Triomphe

Tours Loches Chateaufaux(?) Toulouse Hotel de Paris --> Apart de Paul

12/2 met Pat O'Leary and Nancy Perpignan Marseille (apart M. Theresi

Nice Edmond Cote, Grenoble Toulouse. M. and Mme. Lacombe, daughter Suzanne

crossing Leche River 28-4-43

COX, HARVEY G.

AFEES

1968 334BS 95BG 23JUN44

8SEP44

Gaston Mattheys, Brussels; Yvonne Guys, Thollembeck

(8th AF) 2nd Lt. Cox (Co-Pilot, B-17) went down in the vicinity of Thollembeck, Belgium and hid out in the Foret de Boullion until liberated by U.S. Infantry. He was helped by M. Cyril Guys and Family of Thollembeck and by M. Gaston Mattheys of 3 Charles Vanderstappen, Brussels.

COX, MALCOLM F.

903 12TRS 10PRG 22-6-44

1st Lt., 0-886226 down near Plerguer -- Andre Renaud, nephew of Henri Renaud, ex-mayor of Plerguer; Valentin Touze, farmer 4-8-44

COX, THOMAS H.

1688 564BS 2BG 11JUL44

DECEASED 7/1/89

4SEP44

S/Sgt. Cox, 38431349. Down Lille. With Capt. Boneske, command Pilot of the same crew. From 13 JULY to 4 SEPT 44 with Mme. Legrain, 94 Rue Jules Guesdes, Templemars, France.
S/SGT

COX, VINCENT J.
219 335BS 95BG 6-9-43
S/Sgt., 34132640 down St. Erme -->-- Andorra

COZZENS, WALLIS O.
1916 406BS 801BG 29MAY44
DECEASED 5/3/90
9SEP44

1st Lt. Cozzens, 0752808, went down at Aaigem, Belgium. Helped by Remi Dippendaele, Grootenberge, Belgium; Arsene Prieels, 45 Rue Jorez, Brussels; Germaine Leheys, 13 Bvd. d'Anvers, Brussels; Mme. Elvire Willemsen, 45 Rue Jorez, Brussels; Emile Haleterman, Hurez Iaverne Royal Bourse, Brussels.
LIEUTENANT

CRAMER, COL. WILLIAM L.
AFEES
8th xxxxx 351BG xxxxxxxx

CRASE, SILAS M
AFEES
15thAF 414BS 97BG 27AUG44
15JUN45

Pavel Rezak, Czechoslovakia; and 3 or 4 Partisan Chiefs who were known only by Nom de Guerre's (15th AF) S/Sgt. Crase (Ball Turret) bailed out of his B-17F in the vicinity of Blechhamer, Germany. One crew member was dead on impact, the others were captured. He waited out the War and for a period of weeks even had to "evade" our Allies --the Russians
BAILED OUT
Colonel

CRAWFORD, CHARLES P.
1958 564BS 389BG 11JUL44
11SEP44

2nd Lt. Crawford, 0699513, went down at Peronchie, near Lille at 1300 hrs. He was helped at once. His first helper was M. Marcel Bulke who risked his life as the Gestapo searched. M. and Mme. Fille Plehavamme and son, Fauquissart-Lavantie, Pas de Calais; M. Francois Corcault of the same village.

CRAWFORD, DONALD H.
AFEES
2008 328BS 93BG 30JAN44
SEP44

E. Schuld, E 35th St., Nykekk; G. H. Hovenkamp, 57 Homeruslane, Zeist; Gheelen -Buschelage, Kapellerlaan 122; Edith Koel, Oteppe; R. Van Recmpts, Statiestraat 3, Lanake; others listed in Synopsis. Sgt. Crawford (Flt. Engineer, B-24) crashed at Nykekk, Holland after having Engine trouble. He stayed on a farm at Nykekk until 29 FEB 44. He was with Mr. Falmer at Zeist until 11 MAR 44. He was then at Roermond until 21 APR 44. He entered Belgium at Eayden with his guide E. Syded and stayed with the Armee Blanche at Handage for 6 weeks -- performing acts of sabotage. On 15 JUN 44 went to Oteppe and stayed with Edmond Wanzant for 2 1/2 months.

CRAWFORD, PETER G.
1185 506BS 44BG 12AUG44

Crawford was a 2nd Lt., 0717392. Down at Trouville, Calvados. Jean Durand, teacher, of Pont l'Eveque, and Marcel Salerne

EUGENE V. CRAWLEY

1746 xxxxx 401BG 14JUN44

DECEASED 3/28/80

Sgt. Crawley, 36520014. Down Charly, Aisne. M. A. Laurent, Treloye.

M. and Mme. Charles Cochuis, Verieviul; M. and Mme. Charles Herault, Mme. A. Cenard, Mlle. Henriette Herault, Treloye.

SGT

CREASON, LOWELL

616 449BS 322BG 14-1-44

S/Sgt., 37138269 down Paris -->-- UK 5-5-44

CREGGER, CHARLES W.

DECEASED 31OCT75

SEE GREGGER

CROOK, CHARLES D.

DECEASED

2308 xxxxx 303BG 23FEB44

25SEP44

1st Lt. Crook, 0801252, went down on the North bank of the Rhine about 8 miles from Doorn. He was helped by Mr. Doorn, a coal dealer, Casey, Holland; Mr. Koestag, near Laren; Mr. Rynders (son Ben was in England), Esch near Boxtel, Holland; Mr. Joseph Klump, Nyverdal; a school teacher at Erp; a Doctor in a little village near Deurne.

CROSON, PETER

1368 xxxxx 358FG 12AUG44

25AUG44

Croson was a 1st Lt., 0728595. Down Mortain, Orne, 50 Miles E. Taken to Paris, Hotel Continental with # 1268, Foulkrod -->-- Liberated by US troops.

CROUCH, MELVIN L.

AFEES

2147 407BS 92BG 20JUL44

YES 7

NONE

13SEP44

Sgt. Crouch, 37507577, STATIONED AT PODINGTON, ENGLAND 1ST AIR DIVISION, 40TH WING, AIRPLANE NAME "BERLIN SPEICAL". went down at Exel, Belgium with 2144 Brubank, 2146 Jones, 2148 Noble. See Burbank.

SHOT DOWN ON 11TH MISSION - TARGET ROTHEN, GERMANY ON JULY 20, 1944.

PARACHUTED AND LANDED IN THE AREA OF BURG LEOPOLDA, BELGIUM WHERE UNDERGROUND WAS CONTACTED. WE WERE LOCATED AT BURG LEOPOLE, HASSELT, SETRAING AND CHARIEREI.

BAILED OUT

S/SGT/TAIL GUNNER B-17 8AF

CROWE, WILLIAM F.

DECEASED 11MAR96

83 453BS 323BG xxxxxxxx

10AUG43

S/Sgt. Crowe went down in the vicinity of Hornay, Amiens. He crossed into Spain through St. Jean de Luz.

CROWNRICH, ROSCOE L.
DECEASED

2627 388FS 365FG 7AUG44

1st Lt. Crownrich, 0670366, went down at St. Hilaire, France with a wounded leg - captured -- Alencon -- Paris. Designated to leave for Stalag on 18 AUG. The U.G. including Dr. Denys Pellirzin, Dr. Jean Riou and a girl from the X-ray Laboratory hid him in the basement where he was released by the FFI on 19 AUG.

CROY, LEROY
DECEASED 4JUL95
2009 328BS 93BG 30JAN44

Sgt. Croy, 19132913, went down at Nycark, Holland. Same as # 2008 Crawford.

CRUTCHFIELD, CLOE R.
AFEES

437 327BS 92BG 06SEP43

TECH/SERGEANT, TAIL GUNNER ASN39393756 down at Estissac -->-- Toulouse -->-- #402

CAME OUT OVER THE PYRENEES AND THROUGH GIBRALTAR

BAILED OUT

T/SGT TAIL GUNNER

CUCINOTTA, ANTHONY F.

71 546BS 384BG 26-6-43

DECEASED 4/1/59

S/Sgt., 12034633 __ Crew= 180, 54, 55, 52, 53, 56

MIA 26-6-43 Rambouillet

idem 59

S/SGT

CUITKOVICH, JOHN P.

2795 524BS 379BG 23FEB44

DECEASED 10/4/90

T/Sgt. Cuitkovich, 19147913, went down at Siebergewald, on the German/Dutch border, near the Maas River. U.G. to Bergen where he met Lt. McCall and Lt. Gurney at the Burgomeister's home. Crossed the Maas with a boy of 18 to Amerika. Spent 3 weeks in Amerika with Bert Poels (see # 2729, 2748). Then he spent 10 weeks at the Maertens home in Helden. On 15 MAY he moved to Horn, to a big country home called "De Bedelaer", belonging to Mr. Duvois whose father was a famous professor at the University in Amsterdam. Here he stayed for 3 weeks. On 5 JUNE he went to Roermond to the Hendrick Lemmens home for 7 months. Hendrick was an architect and lived at 233 Koppelenlaan, and had a son of 18 yrs. of age. He stayed until the New Year of 1945. The leader of the U.G. was Hausniguer (realname, Berzelius) an ex-military officer. A young woman, a piano teacher, Miss Verbruggen, led him across the river on 27 DEC. when there was an evacuation, through the mine fields to the village of Meer, near Herton. There was a German Artillery Barrage, everyone hid, Dutch boy 16 yrs., Policeman took him across the Maas to Beegden and to the British HQ's at Baeyenz?

T/SGT

CULKIN, TOM

AFEES

xxxx xxxxx 351BG xxxxxxxx

DECEASED SEPTEMBER 1986

CULLEN, JOSEPH V.
2688 598BS 397BG 4AUG44
DECEASED 1/24/73
28AUG44

Pvt. Cullen, 12041235, was taken to the Hospital in Chartres, operated on, by ambulance to Beaujon, and on 19 AUG. and kept safe by the FFI until liberation on 28 AUG. 44
PVT

CULLER, DANIEL L.
AFEES

44BG 18MAR44
WROTE HIS STORY IN A BOOK TITLED "BLACK HOLE OF WAUWIL WERMOOS". SHOT DOWN 18MAR44. EVADED INTO SWITZERLAND, ESCAPED FROM WAUWIL WERMOOS PRISON INTO FRANCE. HELPED BY FRENCH UNDERGROUND AND WAS FLOWN BACK TO ENGLAND. SENT A COPY OF HIS BOOK TO GEN. FOGELMAN, CHIEF OF STAFF, AIR FORCE, AND WAS AWARDED THE D.F.C. AND THE POW MEDAL IN SEPT 1996 IN A BIG CEREMONY AT THE AFB IN TUCSON AZ.
T/SGT TOP GUNNER

CULLITON, JACK R.
DECEASED 19JUN95
708 ???? 401BG 24-5-44
Sgt., ?????? down Denmark Boekkegd -->-- Tejn -->-- Sweden 28-5-44

CUNNINGHAM, RICHARD N.
131 563BS 388BG 6-9-43
DECEASED 1/8/87
2nd Lt., 0736482 48 George St., Green Island, Troy, NY
__met 128, 129, 131, 132, 295, 294, 246, 176
Troyes ----> Quimper ----> UK 25-10-43
LIEUTENANT

CUPP, WILLIAM L.
AFEES

xxxx 861BS 493BG 14JUN44
Ghislain and Hortense Boucher (Deceased); Henri and Gabrielle Keldermans-Boucher (hid Bomar); Oscar and Denise Carlier, Rue Croisette 32, 7804 Rebaix; M. and Mme. Adolphe Clement, 337 Route de Flobecq, 7805 Ostiches; M. Abel and Mme. Josiane, Perkiess, 7804 Rebaix (1st wife Berthe Delaunois is deceased); Mme. Marie-Louise Deltenre-Auverlaux (widowed Jan. 1988), 20 Marais, 7861 Wannebecq, Papignies; Jacques Empain, Chemin du Mont Sarah 11, 7800 Ath; Chanoine Godefroid Gillesen, Cure of Houtaing, Chateau Berliere; M. and Mme. Lucien Guerlus, Rue des Boutis 73, 6290 Nalines (Bultia); Rene and Marie Hombeck (Deceased); Roger and Eliane Ronsse Hombeck, Rue du Buisson 6, 7951 Oeudeghien; Gilbert Houbeke (Deceased), Mme. Lea Houbeke, Chemin Notre Dame 4, 7821 Isieres, Ath; Henri and Gilberte Keldermans Boucher, 230 Route de Lessines, 7821 Isieres; Julien Plume, Rue de la Hestre 128, 6168 Chapelle-lez-Herlaimont; Raoul and Rosa Ponchaut-Leleux, Chemin du Landat 92, 79935 Mainvault lez Ath; Gilbert Rasson, 2, Place, 7862 Ogy; Gaston Termonia (Deceased); M. and Mme. Eugene VanStals (Deceased); M. and Mme. Lucien VanStals, Wodecq; Jules Thomas (Deceased); Paul Thomas (widower); Mme. Victoire Vifquin Deltenre (Deceased); Mme. Marie-Louise Wattiez-Cocquereau (Wattiez-Lietard), Rue Reine Astrid 49, 7804 Rebaix.
Sgt. Cupp, Ball Turret Gunner of B-24 "WON LONG HOP" out of Debach, UK on a mission to the air base at Laon, France went down at Ogy, Belgium. The plane had been damaged by AA fire over the target resulting in the loss of two engines. The plane fell behind the formation and was returning by way of Mons, Belgium when it suffered additional damage from ground fire at Mons resulting in loss of one tail section and the superchargers of both engines. The Pilot offered the crew the option of jumping, which

they did. The Pilot remained with the plane to steer it away from any habitations. He narrowly missed the church at Wodecq and then tried to bail out but was too low and was killed on impact. The aircraft narrowly missed the farm of M. Eugene VanStals where the VanStals' son had to dive into a ditch to avoid injury as the plane crashed at the Ostiches/LaHamaide crossroads. Lt. Douglas Hooth (Co-Pilot), EE 1863, landed SE of Ogy and was led to the home of Lucien and Denise Guerlus on Rue Recq, Ogy. He was hidden at the home of Emile and Marie-Louise Deltenre-Auverlaux on Rue de Marais, Wannebecq until Liberation. Lt. Robert Donahue (Navigator), landed SE of Ogy and with Hooth went to the Guerlus home. He was hidden at Fme. du Chamerlan, Ostiches by Nery and Augusta Ponchaut (Grandchildren, Oda and Odette), and Raoul and Rosa Ponchaut-Leleux, Raoul Pilate (a young man who was mute). Lt. Richard Wright (Bombardier), EE 2030, landed in a tall tree in Papignies, suffering a sprained ankle. He was met by Mlle. Laure Remy and Marie-Louise Deltenre-Auverlaux. He was assisted to shelter by Monsieur A. Coton. Later he was hidden in Grand Monchaut (Ellezelles) on a farm by Antoine and Juliette Hubin-Duvivier. S/Sgt. Charles Pendray (Engineer), Sgt. Irving Norris (Nose Gunner), Sgt. Robert Mathie (Tail Gunner), were captured immediately. S/Sgt. Frank MacPherson (Radio Oper.), EE 1864, landed near the same spot but rolled with his parachute into a wheat field. He was moved that night to Ostiches where he remained until Liberation at the home of Marie-Louise Wattiez Cocquereau (later Mme. Lietard of Rebaix). S/Sgt. Hugh Casey Bomar (Armorer-Gunner) landed in Isieres and hid until Liberation at the home of Henri and Gilberte Keldermans-Boucher of Isieres. Sgt. Cupp landed in a tree SE of Ogy and went to the home of Lucien Guerlus. He was then hidden at the home of Rene and Marie Hombeck-Delaunoy, daughter Eliane (now Mme. Roger Ronsse by the Chapelle du Buisson, Oeudeghien. During a German House-to-House search on 2 to 4 July MacPherson, Donahue, Cupp hid in a field at the Ferme d'Orlincamp, Oeudeghien with two Belgians, one of whom was Oscar Carlier. On the 5th they left the field and Adolphe Clement led Donahue and Cupp to the Ponchaut Farm where they spent 2 nights. MacPherson and his companions returned to their home. German soldiers entered Clement's parents-in-law's home and took him prisoner. Carlier took Donahue and Cupp to the Hombeck farm on 7 July and after a brief visit they left to try to reach Allied lines. Donahue and Cupp were captured in their attempt to reach U.S. lines near Pontoise, France on 29 AUG 44.

BAILED OUT

CURD(GURD?), Stephen J.
2714 510FS 405FG 27JUL44
DECEASED 10/20/69
4AUG44

2nd Lt. Curd, 0810360, went down at Avranches, captured, wounded in the leg, medication with morphine, operation, U.S. shelling of Avranches -->-- Mortain --Rennes (31 JUL. 44, Hospital), met Lt. Bull, Lt Present?, Capt. Gardener, etc. --terrible, poor food, dirt, flies. U.S. arrived on 4 AUG. 44. Arrived UK on 13 AUG.
LIEUTENANT

CURRAN, HOWARD J.
2229 510FS 405FG 12SEP44
Capt. Curran, 0803945, target was Artillery Position at Pont a Mousson, attacked by ME-109. Hid in a deserted house, helped by a Pole, Gerach Francois.

CURRY, MELVIN H.
2274 551BS 385BG 2JUN44
DECEASED 5/29/88
26AUG44

S/Sgt. Curry, 37384305, went down at Gaillon, Eure, France. He was helped by M. Flora or Floris (later killed by a P-51 strafing on 9 AUG. 44) 1 kilometer from Glisolle, Eure. and M. Gibert (wife, Marcelle) and by the Mayor of Conche, Eure. Got to U.S. troops on 23 AUG.
S/SGT

CURRY, TRUFFORD L.

PREPARATION

325 351BS 100BG 3-9-43

DECEASED 5/19/70

T/Sgt., 18019460 down 25 K South of Paris -->-- Perpignan -->-- Figueras

T/SGT

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CURTIS, VICTOR N.

DECEASED 13SEP95

1067 ????? 353FG ?????

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CURY, COL. ED. C.

DECEASED 10NOV96

1845 815BS 401BG 19JUN44

28OCT44

1st. Lt. Cury bailed Out at Lesparre - Medoc near Bordeaux, France on his last mission. He was with Lt. Trimble (EE # 1421). To Bordeaux; French Lt. Courges to Begles (his radio call was "Leverron"), 41 Rue Charles de Paris for 2 weeks; taken and liberated by the Maquis; to Villefranche; to Bergene; to Perigneux; Flew back in a German plane

BAILED OUT

Colonel

CUTINO, RUDOLPH

525 xxxxx 381BG xxxxxxx

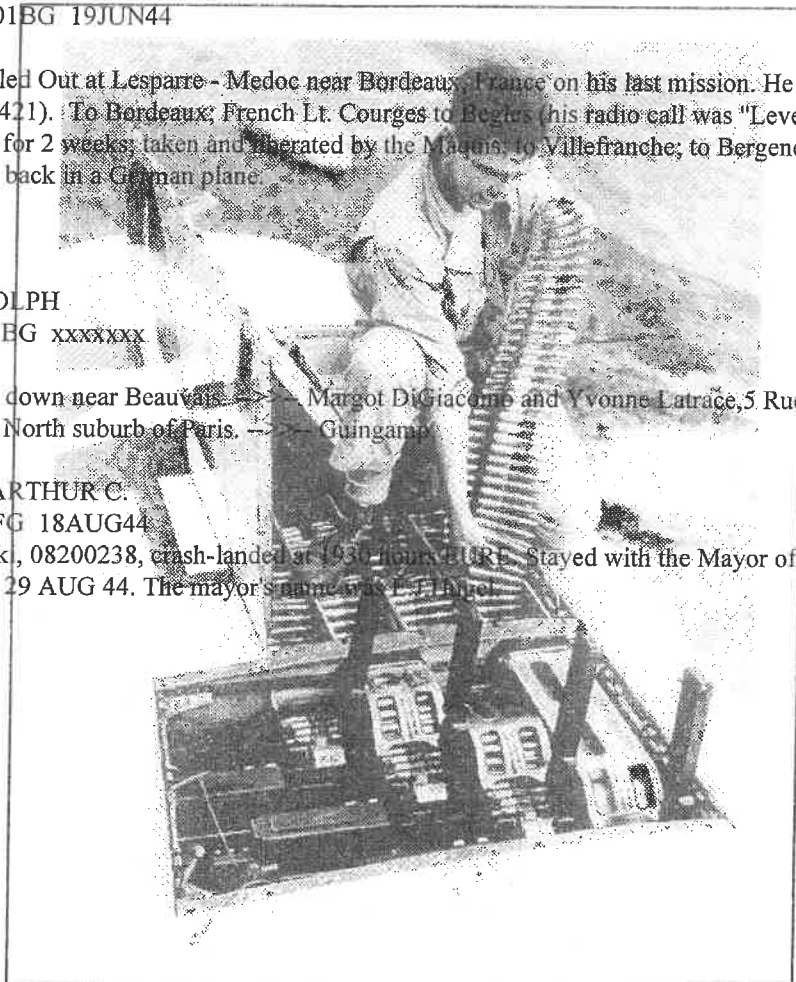
26MAR44

Sgt. Cutino went down near Beauvais -->-- Margot DiGiacomo and Yvonne Latrache, 5 Rue Beaudin, Levallois-Perret, North suburb of Paris. -->-- Guingamp

CWIKLINSKI, ARTHUR C.

1461 xxxxx 4FG 18AUG44

2nd Lt. Cwiklinski, 08200238, crash-landed at 1930 hours BURE. Stayed with the Mayor of Etrepagny until liberated on 29 AUG 44. The mayor's name was F. Thiel, crashed



ELDON H. DAHL
AFEES
12th xxxxx 99BG xxxxxxx

DONALD C. DAHLIN
DECEASED 26NOV94
1652 327BS 92BG 4FEB44
6SEP44

2nd Lt. Dahlin, 0746565. Down Jurbise, Belgium (between Lens and Mons). Helped by: M. Theo Lienart, Jurbise. Emil Carpentier, Mons. Marcelle Goddard, Mons. Mme. Julia Biron, Blanguies. Mme. C. Mishien, Blanguies. Mme. J. Quenan, Fromaries. Mme. Van Chaut, Fromaries. M. Emil Paris, Jurbise. SEE # 1651, WALTHER.

NEIL F. DALEY
AFEES
XXXX 353BS 301BG 11JAN44
05APR44

ENGLISH UNDERGROUND ARMY AND GREEK CIVILIANS.
SHOT DOWN OVER PELOPENESUS IN GERMAN OCCUPIED GREECE - PARACHUTED - 85 DAYS
BEHIND ENEMY LINES - ESCAPED VIA GUNBOAT - ZACHARRO, GREECE TO NAPLES, ITALY -
AIDED BY COLONEL STEPHENSON OF ENGLISH UNDERGROUND ARMY.
2ND LIEUTENANT

EDWARD M. DALY
AFEES
653 351BS 100BG 15SEP43
1APR44

Mme. Varrey and her sons, Joigny, France; Was never given names of others.
S/Sgt. Daly bailed out in the vicinity of Clermont (Oise). He crossed the Pyrenees to Spain with a group which
included EE #'s 260, 311, 254, 275, 654, 310. They returned to the U.K. 21 MAY 44.
BAILED OUT
T/Sgt.

ROBERT L. DALY
2453 506FS 404FG 27MAR44
2nd Lt. Daly, 0824432, went down between Chateau Thierry and Paris.

ALVA S. DANIELS
1580 333BS 94BG 26NOV43
1SEP44

Sgt. Daniels, 17110078, of Westport, MN. Daniels' B-26 went down between Dieppe and Aumale. Farm, M. Romane de Kippe at Coppegneule par Aumale, SI. Was there for 9 months until 1 SEP 44. Knew only the Doctor and Teacher and a young employee at the farm of Maurice Mignard.

WILLIAM W. DANIEL
AFEES
12AF 523SQ 27FG 3SEPT44
P-47 PILOT, BASED IN CORSICA SHOT DOWN NEAR OUROUX-SUR-SAONE, FRANCE, CRASH
LANDED.
TAKEN IN BY LOCAL CITIZENS, REMEMBERS THE FOLLOWING NAMES: ANDRE SARRE, ANDRE
MUGNIER, JEANNE SARRE, ARLETTE DORIANI.
1ST LT

MICHAEL F. DARCY
167 349BS 100BG 3-9-43

S/Sgt., 32443852 of 346 E. 146th St., NYC, NY. Down near Bellancourt, 35 K South of Paris Spain 8-10-43
UK 29-10-43

JAMES L. DARDEN

1550 xxxxx 92BG xxxxxxxx

DECEASED 5/13/71

S/Sgt. Darden, 19179063. Roger Cressent, Nesle Hodeng. M. and Mme. Maurice Marechal (farmer), St. Saire.

Mlle. Jacqueline Lefebvre, Nesle Hodeng -->>-- 4 SEPT.

S/SGT

J. C. DASTOUS

1539 xxxxx 401BG xxxxxxxx

2nd Lt. Dastous, 0809480. Roger Cressent, Nesle Hodeng. Maurice Venambre. Paul Monmarche. Mme. Noyons.
Simone Courtin. Mme Lanau (farmer), Nesle Hodeng.

NED A. DAUGHERTY

AFEES

774 703BS 445BG 18MAR44

3JUN44

Maurice Leveque and Mme. Marceau Revers, Nolleva, Seine Inferieure, France; others

S/Sgt. Daugherty (Waist Gunner, B-24 out of Tibenham, UK) was shot down over France on his 13th mission in the vicinity of Nolleva near Dieppe, France -->>--Rose Marie, Pau -->>-- walked over the Pyrenees to Spain-->>-- arrived Spain 3 JUNE 44.

Daugherty was first reported MIA, then subsequently reported KIA on 18MAR44. When the Insurance Rep. showed up to pay his insurance his parents refused to accept it. On 1 JULY 44 they received the telegram from Ned reporting he was safe and well. He went over with Jimmy Stewart's unit.

ROBERT L. DAVEY

AFEES

XXXX 342BS 97BG 15JAN45

YUGOLAVIAN PARTISANS

MISSION TO VIENNA - BAILED OUT OVER WESTERN YUGOSLAVIA - MADE OUR WAY TO BELGRADE WITH THE HELP OF PARTISANS. ONLY CREW: JOSEPH KUREK - 7901 4TH AVENUE - BROOKLYN, NY 11209

BAILED OUT

S/SGT GUNNER

CLAYTON C. DAVID

AFEES

674 358BS 303BG 11JAN44

25MAY44

THEY HELPED ME ESCAPE, CLAYTON DAVID (SUNFLOWER PRESS)

HOLLAND: Joke Folmer; Jacques Vrij; Betty Glimmervien; Piet Schouten; Marianne Spierings; Eugene Smits; Giel & Jen Ummels

FRANCE: Rene Pontier; Claire & Jean Arhex; Fr. Mathurin; M. & Mme. J. Guillon; G. Guillon; Rene & Anne-Marie Beffera

2nd Lt. David was downed in Holland and was found with EE #'s 675, 531, 532. He made his way, with help, from Amsterdam to Toulouse and over the Pyrenees to Spain. Among the group in Spain was EE # 660, F/O Chuck Yeager who later became the first pilot to successfully break the sound barrier.

FOR DETAILS SEE DAVID'S BOOK.

BAILED OUT

Lt.Col.

ROY G. DAVIDSON

AFEES

XXXX 333SQ 94BG 14OCT43

POW

SHOT DOWN 10-14-43 NEAR EPERNAY FRANCE, CRASH LANDED. GOT IN UNDERGROUND 10-15-43 - 3 ATTEMPTS TO ESCAPE, LAST FROM QUIMPER IN A FISHING BOAT THE FIRST PART OF FEB. 44. THE BOAT SPRUNG A LEAK AFTER 6 HOURS IN ATLANTIC OCEAN - BOAT REACHED FRENCH SHORE AND I WAS CAPTURED. AL FAUDIE, NAV., FROM NEW MEXICO. FRED KREUGER, ENG., FROM ST. PAUL MN. --SIGMUND SPRITZ NAV. FROM ANOTHER CREW FROM BALTIMORE MD.

WILLIAM H. DAVIDSON

2756 xxxxx xxxxx xxxxxxxx

Sgt. Davidson, 36810643.

EUGENE L. DAVILA

AFEES

1663 335BS 95BG 5JAN44

7SEP44

2nd Lt. Davila, 0682820. Down Arras Nord. 5 weeks in the woods

DAVILA'S STORY: RETURNING FROM AN ABORTED MISSION TO ELBERFELD, GERMANY IN THE RUHR, WE GOT SEPARATED FROM OUR BOMBER FORMATION. HAD TO PARACHUTE OVER NORTHERN FRANCE IN THE VICINITY OF DOUAL. TAKEN TO A HOUSE OCCUPIED BY MME. FLORIMOND LEDENT, HER DAUGHTER MADELINE AND SON MAURICE. ADDRESS: #2 RUE DES LINIERS, LECLUSE (NORD) FRANCE. CREW: ANDREW J. WILLIAMS; EUGENE L. DAVILA; GEORGE R. THOMAS; EUGENE J. SCHIERBURG; PAUL M. LEVINSON; CARL L. WESTFALL; GEORGE R. GANSTER; DONALD F. LYNCH; HAROLD A. HUNKE; JOSEPH A. BOOKER.

BAILED OUT

2ND LT - COPILOT 8AF

CHARLES L. DAVIS

15TH AF 459BG

AUG44

HELPED BY THE O.S.S. FLEW OUT OF YUGOSLAVIA IN AUG 1944 MAJOR ZUONKO VUGLOVIC, GEN. DRAJA MICHALOVICH AND NUMEROUS OTHERS

MAJ. JOSEPH BUCHLER, PILOT

1ST LT ROBERT COLE, CO-PILOT

1ST LT. GEO. SALAPA, NAV.

LT. COL DAVIS, BOMB.

T/SGT GEO. "TEX" HURD, ARMOURER

T/SGT GEO KOCH, FLT. ENG

T/SGT BERNARD GARVIN, RADIO

S/SGT DAVID LA BISSOUIERE

S/SGT JOHN O'GRADY

S/SGT FRED ZUERCHER

CHARLES M. DAVIS

DECEASED 19APR96

1418 615BS 401BG 14JUN44

S/Sgt., 39557759, down Germiny near Coulombs. With # 1419, Sgt. Bryant at home of Mme. Renee Lehr, Silo, Lizy sur Ourcq -->>-- Criny sur Ourcq (or Orcq) at home of Andre Cagnete. Eugene Herpsont, Chief of FFI at Lizy sur Orcq (gendarme) and the wife of a wine merchant.

CLAYTON E. DAVIS

DECEASED 9MAR91AFEES

1363 487FS 352FG 17AUG44

Dr. Rouchy

Capt. Davis was downed in the area of M. Le Roi. He was at the camp outside Chateau de Flavencourt with Mr. Walks, a Canadian -- Dr. Rourchy. FFI -- Ravel.

GLENDON V. DAVIS

AFEES

1635 364FS 357FG 28APR44

IS IN CONTACT WITH FIVE OF HIS LIVING HELPERS BUT FAILED TO NAME THEM IN HIS MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

FROM LESLIE'S INFORMATION; Capt. Davis, 0730396. { Davis, 201 Gibbs Ave., Alameda, California} Down Ceremille, 8 kilometers SE of Gracay. M. Walte and Mme. Petit (3 weeks), Nonan en Gracay Indu? 8 days with Mme. Vallett, Gracay. 3 months with M. Villarmets, Pellegrue par Ambrault, Cher. M. Lemoine, Nohant en Cracay, Cher was first helper. M. Hirsh, Paris. M. Henri Waltz, 47 Rue Corambert, Paris. Roger Petit (son of Mme.), Nohant. M. Hubert, Nohant. M. Marcel Thue, Baker, Nohant.

CAPT. DAVIS STORY: WAS WITH THE 8TH AIR FORCE, FLYING A P-51B OUT OF LEISTON, ENGLAND. ON APRIL 28TH, 1944, TO SEPTEMBER 6TH, 1944 TO HANTEN GRACAY, CHER, FRANCE, PARACHUTED. WALKED IN PEASANT DONATED CLOTHES TO FRENCH FARMHOUSE, FRENCH UNDERGROUND FOUND HIM AFTER ONE WEEK. LIVED WITH MOTHER OF UNDERGROUND MEMBER, THEN TAKEN BY CAR TO AA FARM WHERE AN AIRPLANE FROM ENGLAND WAS TO LAND AND FLY US OUT. THREE JEWISH REFUGEES FROM PARIS WHOSE SON WAS IN THE UNDERGROUND WERE ALSO THERE. WE WAITED ALL NIGHT IN THE FIELD FOR THE PLANE BUT THEY COULDN'T GET IN DUE TO HEAD WINDS. BEFORE ANY MORE ATTEMPTS COULD BE MADE, THE INVASION OF SOUTHERN FRANCE STARTED. MY UNDERGROUND CAPTAIN CARETAKER WAS KILLED IN A GERMAN ROAD BLOCK AND I LOST CONTACT WITH THE UNDERGROUND. AFTER SEVERAL WEEKS, I LEFT AND WALKED SOME 65 MILES BACK TO THE VILLAGE OF ~~NOHANT-EN-GRACAY~~ ^{NOHANT-EN-} WHERE I WAS FIRST KEPT BY THE UNDERGROUND. THEY WELCOMED ME WITH OPEN ARMS AND ~~KEPT~~ ^{FIELD} ME UNTIL THE UNDERGROUND LEARNED OF MY RETURN AND CAME AND GOT ME. A WEEK LATER I RODE TO PARIS WITH AN UNDERGROUND CAPTAIN ARRIVING ABOUT A WEEK AFTER IT WAS LIBERATED. A WEEK LATER I WAS FLOWN BACK TO ENGLAND. MY FAMILY AND I HAVE KEPT CLOSE CONTACT WITH THE FRENCH PEOPLE WHO SAVED MY LIFE. I HAVE VISITED THEM MANY TIMES AND HAD THEM AS OUR GUESTS WHEN WE WERE STATIONED IN PARIS. I CORRESPOND WITH THEM FREQUENTLY. ABOUT FIVE OF THEM WHO HELPED ME ARE STILL ALIVE AND ARE A PART OF MY FAMILY.

BAILED OUT

COLONEL

J. W. DAVIS

2034 862BS 493BG 15AUG44

S/Sgt. Davis, 34095885, went down at Ruysselede, Belgium. See record of # 2031 Pease.

JACK C. DAVIS

DECEASED AFEES

1128 551BS 385BG 2AUG44

24AUG44

Eugene Falempien (deceased); Marie Laube (deceased); Christine LeFebvre (deceased); Claude LeFebvre DECEASED APRIL 1989 -- SURVIVED BY HIS WIDOW, JERRY TABOR DAVIS.

FROM EE REPORT: S/SGT., 18168885 down Montfort Lamaury Rambouillet

Mlle. Marie Laure, Hopital de la Salpetriere le garde 2 days (Paris)

M. and Mme. Claude LeFebvre, 44 Rue du Petit Parc, Rambouillet, Davis and 5 other US for 2 weeks. M. Promsaud, 9 Rue Dubrec, Rambouillet also helped.

FROM DAVIS: S/Sgt. Davis bailed out in the vicinity of Fonteney, France at the village of Louvres. He landed in a wheat field. He was immediately helped by Mr. Antoine Jacquin and Antoine's son's sister-in-law who were working in the field. They hid him in a hut and his parachute in the sheep-shed. Mr. Eugene Falempien arrived on

his bike. They gave Jack a bike and Eugene led him to his home, a small apartment, in Paris. Next day he was taken to and stayed 2 days with Mlle. Marie Laube at Hopital de la Salpetrieu le Garde, Paris. Then he was taken by truck to Rambouillet where he spent 2 weeks with M. Claude LeFebvre, his Fiancee Jeanine, and his Mother Mme. Christine LeFebvre, 44 Rue du Petit Parc, Rambouillet. He was also helped by M. Prompsaud, 9 Rue Dulrec, Rambouillet who was regional leader of "COMETE". (In 1988 Mr. Prompsaud is 89 yrs. old). Mr. Jacquin was arrested by the Gestapo on 26 August 1944, tortured and shot 4 days before Fontenay was liberated. Mr. Jacquin's daughter, Mrs. Guffroy, received the U.S. Liberty Medal, as did Mr. Lefevre.

BAILED OUT

LT.COL.

JOSEPH F. DAVIS

DECEASED

2914 385FS 364FG 28OCT44

30MAR45

1st Lt. Davis, 0792812, P-51, went down at Varseveld, Holland. Helped by Bill Hemerick, Varseveld, leader of the Resistance. Kl. Entick, farmer SE. of Varseveld gave him shelter from 30 OCT. to 2 NOV. At Samsenfarm a farmer named Bernard Prinzen sheltered him from 2 NOV. to 10 NOV. and again from 20 NOV. to 3 MAR. 45. At Grumling Willem, a farmer, Fier Sprion sheltered him from 10 to 20 NOV. Jan Keet of Aalten, leader of the Resistance provided I.D., tobacco and a Dr. Schmidt of Dinxperler treated Davis.

R. E. DAVIS

1979 xxxxx 95BG xxxxxxxx

12SEP44

S/Sgt. Davis, 356446857. No other information. probably on the same crew as E&E # 2132 T\Sgt Ted Woznicki, & Louis Rabinowitz .

ROBERT O. DAVIS

2116 613BS 401BG 2MAR44

10SEP44

2nd Lt. Davis, 0808000, went down at St. Gerard, Belgium. 1 day with M. Wolef, Pressles, Charleroi. 25 days with Mme. Renee Melchior-Chapeau, Rue Francais, Tamines. # 1905, Clinton Orean of 384BG. Mme. Renee's husband was arrested by the S.D. on 1 APR 44 but they left on 30 MAR. From 30 MAR. to 14 APR. with M. le Vicaire, C. Delboue, 17 Rue Balizole, Lodelin, Tamines. From 14 APR. to 10 AUG. with M. G. Phollien, 12 Rue de la Roie, Chatelineau (17 weeks). From 10 AUG. to 10 SEPT. with M. F. Baudeaux. 120 Rue Vendeliers, Chatelineau (4 weeks). Organized by M. Balebroux, 53 Rue Chaut des Orseaux, Chatelineau.

WALTER R. DAVIS

DECEASED 3-82

2072 510FS 405FG 23JUN44

2nd Lt. Davis, 0810327, went down Island of Jersey. Captured, left Jersey 30 JUNE --->-- camp at Rennes on 1 JULY met # 2228, Capt. Blood -->-- 16 days on train -->-- escaped on 22 JULY at 0200. Helped by Christian Domet, St. Hippolyte par Loches, I. et L.; Fernand Benoist, same place; Maurice Brion, Les Moreaux, same town; Capt. Georges Lacoze, FFI; Le Cure of Luzille.

WILLIAM M. DAVIS

AFEES

1039 485FS 370FG 7JUL44

M. Abel Robinet (93 yrs. young as of 1988), C/O Gerard Renault, Gendarmerie, 28114 Luce Cedex, France; Mme. Gilberte Crombez (88 yrs. young as of 1988) and son, Gilbert, 29 Rue de la Republique, Boisville-la-Saint Pierre, 28150 Voves, France

Davis, Pilot of P-38 "SWAMP ANGEL", was leading a bombing attack on an enemy train near Orleans, France when he suffered damage and minor wounds from retaliatory fire from the train. He was able to fly about 60 miles from the train and land the plane in a plowed field near Chartres. He was immediately taken in hand by the French Resistance, given civilian clothes by M. Robinet, and his clothes and other effects were buried. He was given I.D.

of Jean Louis Durand, Professor of English. After weeks of walking and riding bicycles he was eventually smuggled out by way of the Freteval Forest and back to his unit. A young French boy, Gerard Renault, found the buried effects many years ago and through Pierre Salinger was able to located Davis just recently (1988).
EE REPORT: Allonne 20 Miles NW of Orleans -- M. Fontaun, Boisville -- Camp de Cloyes (Albert-Lake)
CRASHED

RICHARD S. DAVITT

AFEES

99 331BS 94BG 14JUL43

DECEASED 2/24/78

2SEP43

S/Sgt. Davitt went down in the vicinity of Evreux. He escaped through Foix and Andorra to Spain on 2 SEPT 43.

FROM EE REPORT: S/Sgt., 35384296 __112

--> Foix --> Andorra --> Spain 2-9-43

S/SGT

ERLING M. DAWES

1873 xxxxx 445BG 1APR44

2nd Lt. Dawes, 0687681, out of Tibenham, UK. Hector Bouvet, Ligny St. Flochet (near St. Pol), Pas de Calais; M. Jean Chetiveau, Wail par le Parq, Pas de Calais near Hesden.

ROBERT L. DAWN

DECEASED

1713 394FS 367FG 25AUG44

2SEP44

2nd Lt. Dawn, 0757960. Down near Condren, 4 miles NE of Chauny. Maurice -- M. Bashy, the butcher at Viry, with 2 other US -- U.S. M. Bashy had evacuated from Terguier.

GEORGE E. DAY.

AFEES

XXXX XXXXX XXXXX 26AUG67

ESCAPED VIETNAM CAPTORS

VIETNAM, 7TH AF, COMMANDO SABER TEST GROUP, PHU CAT AB, FLYING F-100F/SABER JET.

MAJOR, SQUADRON COMMANDER, SR PILOT. SHOT DOWN 26 AUGUST, 1967 OVER NORTH VIET

NAM. CAPTURED. ESCAPED SHORTLY THEREAFTER. NAVIGATED THROUGH JUNGLE TO 1/2 MILE FROM THE U.S.M.C. BASE AT CON TIEN, SOUTH VIETNAM.

BAILED OUT

COL/PILOT/F-100F/7AF

FRANK M. DEASON

AFEES

1974 337BS 96BG 8APR44

SEP44

Mr. Peiter V.D. Hurk, Meppel, Holland;

Mr. Albertus and Mrs. Marie Bekker, Maastrichtsche Brood Falrick, Maastricht who now live at 50 Fernwood Dr., San Francisco, Ca. 94127;

Mr. Thomas Baltus, 1381 Thier Prayon, P.V. of Liege, Belgium

2nd Lt. Deason's B-17 went down from AA Fire in the vicinity of Vollenhove (Meppel) Holland early in the day.

Made contact with the U.G. on the 9th. Spent 1 month in Holland, and 4 months in Belgium, returning to Allied Control in September.

CREW: PILOT--RUSSELL GECKS; CO-PILOT--FRANK M. DEASON; ENGINEER--RICHARD DENNY;

RADIO OPER.--CLIFFORD HANKINS; BOMBARDIER/NAVIGATOR--PETER LOVERA; BALL

TURRET--PETER RADEMACHER.

CURTIS L. DEATRICK
AFEES
9th xxxxx 344BG xxxxxxxx

LAVERNE H. DEATRICK
933 ?BS 100BG 25-6-44
T/Sgt., 13157962 Nogent C. Rotron, Son of the chief of police of Noce; Dr. Gerand ; Roger Bellinger of Legue de la Chaîne 4 k West of Bellevue, Orne

ALBERT H. DeBACKER
AFEES
1111 357FS 355FG 1AUG44
AUG44
The Honorable Lady Vernon, LaFrelonieve, La Ferte St. Cyr, Loir et Cher, France. (UK address: Lord Vernon, Sudbury Hall, Derby)
1st Lt. DeBacker was pilot of a P-51 Mustang out of Steeple Morden when he went down. He was with the Maquis until the 18th. The only name he knows from his helpers is that of Lady Vernon. On 18 AUG 44 he crossed a river by boat (presumed to be the Loire) to make contact with U.S. Forces.

GERALD P. DECHAMBRE
AFEES
1799 335BS 95BG 24JAN44
31AUG44
Anne Brusselmans; Georges Auquier; Gaston Lyneel; Baron Francois de Selyslongchamps; Dr. Pierre Kherkoff
2nd Lt. Dechambre (Bombardier, B-17) bailed out in the vicinity of Waure near Brussels, Belgium. He was wounded and was helped by Rene Charliez, a farmer -->-- taken to 18 Rue du Culte, Brussels -->-- Dr. Kharkofs. Spent 3 weeks at 106 Rue de Laeken, Brussels -->-- Georges Auquier, 115 Blvd. Braud Whitlock, Brussels -->-- Gaston Lined, 434 Chaussee de Mores at Audelecht, met EE # 1800, 2nd Lt. William Kosseff, co-pilot, at the home of Miss Marie-Therese Hurts, Stuckel. He was helped by Réseau Comete and waited for the Allied Lines.
** Crew member David W. O'Boyle **
BAILED OUT
1st Lt.

EDWARD H. DECOSTE
DECEASED AFEES
xxxx 36BS 482BG 2MAR44
French UG
(8th AF) T/Sgt. Decoste was Armorer - Gunner of a B-24 out of Harrington, U.K. (O.S.S. Carpetbaggers). He evaded from 2 MAR 44 to 14 MAY 44 while being helped by the UG from Contay, France through Paris, Bordeaux, to Dax. During the Pyrenees Crossing to reach Pamplona, Spain, he was captured in the Foothills of the Mountains. His pilot was Lt. Col. Frank G. McDonald (USAF Ret'd).

*No MACR - V. E. de
questionable*

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JOHN N. DEEMS
2623 599BS 397BG 9AUG44
5NOV44
S/Sgt. Deems, 33675406. Same as # 2624, Stiles.

JOSEPH DEFRANCE
581 715BS 446BG ??????
S/Sgt., 11118062 down Purulles, (Etang d'Hourtin)

JOSEPH DE LUCA
AFEES
FILED UNDER LUCA

WILLIAM B. DEHON
AFEES
2071 353FS 354FG xxxxxxx
17SEP44
2nd Lt. Dehon, 0812770. No further information.

DIRVIN D. DEIHL
1668 406BS 801BG 30MAY44
6SEP44

T/Sgt. Deihl, 37312094. Down Belgium. farmer for 41 days. -->-- Brussels, Auderlecht for 4 days "dont le c?????" -->-- Wepion -->-- Dieppe. All the time in the hands of a very sure organization.

→ NOTE: SOMETHING IS STRANGE--HIS SIGNATURE IS ON MILLAR'S SHORTSNORTER WHICH ←
SHOULD INDICATE THAT HE WAS AT PORCHERESSE OR BOHAN CAMP(S). HOW DID HE GET TO DIEPPE.

RAY W. DELCIELO
2418 xxxxx 453TCG xxxxxxx
1st Lt. Delcielo, 0696561.

LOUIS E. DELGUIDICE
405 ??? ???? ?????
T/Sgt., 31168760

JOHN A. DELISTOVIC
791 99TCS 441TCG 6-6-44
DECEASED 5/15/68
Sgt., 12086662 C-47 sent to St. Mere Eglise - Emile Fery, chief of police at Equourdrielle -- Banlieuc de Cherbourg -- Mayor of the village and Pierre Roerner -->-- US patrol 25-6-44
SGT

ALBINO A. DELLANTONIO
2706 302TCS 441TCG xxxxxxx
26NOV44
1st Lt. DellAntonio, 0753622. He was helped by J. P. Van Latum, Lage Morscheweg 33, Leiden, Holland; Ben Thoolin, Kortfoort Straat 38, Oss, Holland; Frits Strik (U.G. leader), Driek Van Erp Straat, Oss; Hvd Boom, Gassel bij Grave 58, Oss?, Holland.

PASQUALE J. DELVENTO
184 355BS 95BG 6-9-43
S/Sgt., 31104691 of 148 Highland Avenue, Bridgeport, Conn.
down vicinity of Soissons--crew: 163, 196, 197, 219
Spain 13-9-43
UK 29-10-43

HOWARD R. DeMALLIE
AFEES
xxxx 708BS 447BG 6DEC44
18DEC44

Peiter and Mimi van den Hurk of Holland who were not yet married at that time; Other members of UG.
8th AF 1st Lt. Demallie was pilot of a B-17 which was hit by flack over Germany. Over Holland the third engine quit and they bailed out in the vicinity of Meppel. Pilot DeMallie, co-pilot Dick Fuller (now deceased), and Tail-gunner Loel Bishop managed to evade capture; in the case of Fuller, until the end of the war. DeMallie and

Bishop were helped by Peiter and Mimi van den Hurk and others. They were freed on 18 DEC 44 by advancing forces.

BAILED OUT

FREDERICK DEMATTEIS

AFEES

xxxx 778BS 464BG 5FEB45

2APR45

Italian Partisans

DeMatteis was Bombardier on a mission to Regensburg, Germany when his plane ran out of fuel and had to crash land at Turin in Northern Italy. He was picked up by Italian Partisans organized by the British and taken to a farm. They moved from farm to farm, to convents, and finally to the town of Cortamiglia where he was picked up by USAAC the day after Easter 1945. SEE MELVIN 'MAC' McCARTNEY.

CRASHED

RAY DEMBECK

xxxx 776BS 464BG 7FEB45

24FEB45

GUNNER ON THE HOFFMAN CREW. SEE KENNETH E. RUPPERT'S RECORD.

CRASHED

MICHAEL DENCAVAGE

2269 729BS 452BG 29APR44

S/Sgt. Dencavage, 36175982, went down in North Holland with 2260, Ryczko. Helped by Slagman, Gorsel, Holland; Schroder, Klemmen; K. Martens, Stein; Smissen (cafe), Valkenburg; Hans, Peters at Zutphen.

ROBERT O. DENISON

AFEES APR.89

xxxx 778BS 464BG 19JUL44

26AUG44

STOTINKA SRECE; ZBOGOM, LIBERTY BELL (NEITHER IN ENGLISH)

Anton Levak, Krnice, 85A Pula, Yugoslavia; Ivo Matusic, Kvarneska Cesta 27, 51211 Matulji, Yugoslavia; Marija Bencine, Nadlesk 30, P. Stari Trg, Pri Rakeku, Yugoslavia; Ivanka Benko, 317 St. Kilda St, Flat 4, Brighton, 3186 Victoria (Melbourne), Australia

Denison (Pilot, B-24, 15th AF), returning from mission to Munich, Bailed Out North of Pula on the Istrian Peninsula of Yugoslavia. They were picked up by the Partisans. They were flown out of Slovenia by C-47. Anton Levak was a helper at the parachute site, Ivo Matusic helped en route, they stayed in the barn of Marija Bencine. Ivanka Benko befriended them. The following helped in writing two books about Airmen Evaders helped by the Partisans; John Hribar, Apt. 2B21, 329 Theatre Dr., Johnstown, PA 15904; Edi Selhaus (Partisan), Hosiminova 3, 6100 Ljubljana, Yugoslavia; Janez Zerovc, Sorlijeva 24, 64 Kranj, Yugoslavia.

CREW: BOMBARDIER--ROBERT O. DENISON (LT.COL.,RET'D), 1928 RUTHIE WAY, SAN DIEGO, CA 92139; RADIOMAN--GUY HOWARD, 17025 N. 66 LANE, GLENDALE, AR 85308; NOSE

GUNNER--ROBERT MARCUM, 515 BELL AVE., PO BOX 6 EAST ELY, NV 89315; BALL TURRET--MERLE WEIK, ROUTE 8, LEASURE ACRES # 12, MANHATTAN, KA 66502; COPILOT--JOHN RUCIGAY, 14 ASHLEY DR., BALLSTON LAKE, NY 12019.

BAILED OUT

LT.COL.(RET'D)

RICHARD E. DENNY

2115 xxxxx 96BG 8APR44

T/Sgt. Denny, 17154817, went down in Belgium. He was helped by M. Daisy Auger, Slins, Belgium for 2 months.

DOMINICK M. DENTINO

DECEASED 30AUG92

1244 xxxxx 489BG 2JUN44

Dentino was a Sgt., 32845052. Same as 1241, Bartlett.

LAURIN M. DEROSIER

623 715BS 448BG 29-4-44

2nd Lt., 0749872 down Denmark -- Aakirkeby - RO - Bornholms Island - Nekso -->-- UK 10-5-44

HENRY P. DEUTSCH

xxxx 369BS 306BG 10APR45

S/Sgt. Deutsch was Radio Operator in the Babin crew on a mission to Oranienberg.

SAMUEL DEUTSCH

845 545BS 384BG 13-4-44

32-7-44

Jamin family of Rambucourt. Durif family of Toule. Friedman a WW I vet.

T/Sgt., 6667757 Crash landed near Rambricourt 16 K ESE St. Michiel, Meuse After one month in the area of Toule & Rambucourt Bernard Gorin of Epernay took us by train into Paris, from Paris we went to Toulouse by train. In Toulouse he turned us over to the resistance group of that area and we finally ended up in Lourdes on D-Day. Guides took us over the Pyrenees into Spain, arrived in the U.K. 31 July 44-- Dr. Schwartz of Sansey and Cr. Schmidt, M. Verot, chief of the Maquis, Baron Buraliste at Toril, Robert Forin-Champs Elysees, Paris
T/SGT B-17

SIDNEY DEVERS

17 359BS 303BG 23JAN43

DECEASED 4/20/68

16MAR43

Sgt. Devers, 13028347, ENGINEER, B-17 NO 124603 out of Molesworth, U.K. SEE JOHN W. SPENCE, # 16.
SGT

ALEXANDER J. DEWA

AFEES

XXXX 815BS 483BG 09JUL44

10AUG44

CHETNIKS

CREW: LT ALFRED BURGER, PILOT; SGT F.V. JONES, ENGINEER; SGT R. BAUM, ARMORER; SGT D. SPINDEL RADIO OPR.; SGT W. JONES, TAIL GUNNER; SGT E. JONES, ASS'T ENGINEER; SGT M. PERRT, BALL GUNNER. MISSION TO PLOESTI. WHEN 2ND ENGINE QUIT, WE TURNED BACK, DROPPED BOMB LOAD ON TARGET OF OPPORTUNITY WHEN THIRD ENGINE QUIT SO WE WERE ORDERED TO BAIL OUT. LANDED SOUTH OF SARASEVO NEAR A CHETNIK VILLAGE. CHETNIKS IMMEDIATELY HID US. AT NIGHT WE TRAVELED EAST AND IN A WEEK OR SO WE MET AN OSS OFFICER WHO TOLD US FDR WITHDREW RECOGNITION OF THE CHETNIKS, TOOK AWAY HIS RADIO. SPENCER AND SPINDEL GOT IMPATIENT, TOOK OFF ON THERE OWN AND WERE CAPTURED BY THE GERMANS. LATER RUDO VILLAGE ATTACKED BY TITO'S GANG. WE LEFT PEART WHO COULD NOT WALK. A MONTH LATER 273 OF US TAKEN OUT BY TROOP CARRIERS.
LIEUTENANT

GENO DIBETTA

962 423BS 306BG 11-2-44

1st Lt., 0741890 down Beauvais -->-- St. Just en Chaussee -- Clermont -- Dr. Edouard, 16 Rue d'Amiens ; Louise Guyer; Henri Lestienne; Rene d'Aline, Neuilly en Thelle; Mme. Bonin, Mesnil; Argenteuil; Mme. Villeneuve, 6 Rue Bolin for 6 weeks -->-- Forest of Freteval

JOSEPH C. DICK

1541 449BS 322BG 27MAY44

DECEASED 1/12/88
1st Lt. Dick, 0729729. Down Riems
LIEUTENANT

PAUL F. DICKEN, SR
AFEES
500 564BG 389BG 31DEC43
22MAR44
down La Paix-Liesse -- Laon-Sinonne -->-- Chauny # 499 22-3-44. BY BOAT ON OPERATION BONEPARTE

WALTER EARL DICKERMAN
354 711BS 447BG ??????
DECEASED 5/4/61
S/Sgt., 32725667 down Beauvais -->-- Plouha 29-1-44

IGNATIUS J. DIECIDUE
1620 xxxxx xxxxx xxxxxxxx
S/SGT. DIECIDUE, 14040049. SEE MAJOR YEAGER'S REPORT.

THOMAS I. DIGGS
AFEES
857 860BS 493BG 06AUG44
2nd Lt., 0795713 down Ereac, Lencelas -->-- 4-8-44 US 86 Recon
DIGGS' STORY - FLYING WITH THE 8TH AIR FORCE IN A B-24 OUT OF OUR BASE AT DEBACH (NEAR ISPWICH) ON A BOMBING MISSION TO NANTES FRANCE WE WERE HIT TWICE, POSSIBLY THREE TIMES BY FLAK AND WAS UNABLE TO MAINTAIN ALTITUDE, (BEST I COULD DO WAS 400 FPM DECENT AND CONTROL WAS DIFFICULT. ORDERED CREW TO BAIL OUT FOR THE TERRAIN WAS NOT SUITABLE FOR CRASH LANDING. CREW MEMBERS: KOLLER, NAV; KING, BOMB; FISCHETT, ENG; SMITH, GUNNER; ALL DECEASED. HAORLD W. BOLIN, 1509 S. ROOSEVELT DR, EVBASNVILLE, IND 47714 STILL ALIVE.
BAILED OUT:
1ST LT (COL.) RESERVES

DONALD K. DILLING
DECEASED 4FEB95
545 ??FS 352FG 30-12-43
Capt., 0659276. down Val de Lumbres, Pas de Calais (garage de Paris at Foix) # 547 -->-- Andorra

ROBERT L. DILLON
DECEASED 73
2240 331BS 94BG 14OCT43
S/Sgt. Dillon, 35447379, went down at Gournay en Bray, SI. Jean Defoy, a local helper took him from Banlieue to Paris. In Paris, M. Pierre Mucico near Chambre des Deputes for 13 days, after # 2741 and 2248. Mme. Courmant and her daughter Simone, 74 Rue du Roches, Paris for 7 days. -->-- Angouleime, Jean Lories, Charbrasse -->-- Chateaufort sur Charente for 3 days (tried suicide ??). -->-- Charles Franc, Maleville, Charente, FFI chief.

HORACE R. DiMARTINO
1291 709BS 447BG 13JUL44
DiMartino was a T/Sgt., 13070451. Down Neufchatel. Charles Sol at Lizy, 2nd floor Hotel. 2 Gendarmes, lived in Gendarmerie and went to Mme. Sylvia Cosse, 82 Rue de Meaux, Vert-Galand. M. and Mme. Albert Benichou, teacher, Tremblay les Gousses. Sgt. White was taken to M. and Mme. A. Lassaille, Livry-Gargan, 28 Rue de Paris. E. Grand Remy Dentist and Umberto Zinco, barber, 54 Av. de Chemin de Fer and Waupurs, Rue Rabelais

ALBERT T. DiMINNO

DECEASED 85

AFEES

187 322BS 91BG 17AUG43

6OCT43

CHILD AT WAR, MARK BLES

S/Sgt., 35380608 of 919 Liberty Av. SE, Canton, Ohio. S/Sgt. DiMinno went down near Rabot, Belgium. He escaped to Spain on 16 OCT 1943 and to the U.K. 6 OCT 43.

DECEASED 17 APRIL 1985

S. C. DIMITROVICH

DECEASED 7/00/45

2597 72TCS 434TCG 17SEP44

24OCT44

T/Sgt. Dimitrovich, 36054843. down at Hedel, near Boxtel, Holland. SEE RECORD OF # 2596, ELLIS.

EUGENE W. DINGLEDINE

AFEES

XXXX 339BS 96BG 01MAY44

WILLY FERMEUSE, ODETTE ??, MARY??, MARCEL SPANOGHE, VICTOR DEBREUCKER OF MERCHTEM, JEAN MAYSMAN OF ASSEYVONNE SUYS, 105 RUE REIMAND STEINS, BRUXELLES. YVONNE MARAUCHKA

SHOT DOWN 1 MAY, 1944 BAILED OUT AT 1,200FT. LANDED IN WOODS NEAR MESLIN L'EVEQUE. TWO BOYS ON BICYCLES MOTIONED THAT THE GERMANS WERE CLOSE AND TO WALK IN THE OPPOSITE DIRECTION. AT DARK WENT TO A FARM HOUSE FOR WATER. THEY GAVE ME A BEER INSTEAD AND A BICYCLE TO GO TO MESLIN L'EVEQUE TO A PRIEST'S HOUSE. THERE I WAS GIVEN CIVILIAN CLOTHES AND FED. ONE OF MY DOGTAGS WAS SEWN INTO MY CLOTHES. NEXT DAY I WAS TAKEN BY A CHARCOAL BURNING CAR DRIVEN BY WILLIE FERMEUSE TO THE FAMILY LEPOIVRE WHERE I MET FOUR MEMBERS OF MY CREW, LT. D. STREET, LT. G.R. SMITH, LES HUTCHINSON AND GERALD SORENSON. HUTCHINSON AND I WERE TAKEN BY TRAIN TO BRUSSELS AND HAD OUR PICTURES TAKEN FOR WORK CARDS. WE WERE TAKEN TO AN APARTMENT OVER A STORE WHERE AN ELDERLY LADY LIVED. WE NEVER LEFT THERE FOR THREE WEEKS. I FINALLY WAS MOVED WITH LT. STREET TO THE APARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE. HAD GOOD FOOD AND EGYPTIAN CIGARETTES. FINALLY MOVED TO A FARM AT MERCHTEM. THEN WE WERE MOVED TO THE HOME OF JEAN MEYSMAN IN ASSE. WHERE WE WERE CAPTURED BY THE GERMANS IN LATE AUGUST, 1944.

BAILED OUT

CAPT,RESERVE/PILOT B-17

VIRGIL W. DINGMAN

DECEASED 14SEP90

1575 367BS 306BG 17JUN44

1st Lt. Dingman was pilot on a mission to Noyen.

ROBERT C. DISBROW

1191 xxxxx 381BG 15JUN44

Disbrow was a 2nd Lt., 0815102. Down Dubos, 35 K. SE of Bordeaux with # 1218 (Campbell), # 1953 (Kelly), # 2297 (Wilczec). Villendrault-Gironde. Maurice Adams, Sillas. # 1033 (Sullivan), # 1032 (Colwell). In all there were 9 U.S. Emile Meric, Sillas. M. Mouleon Laboret, stone-cutter, Artagnon. -->-- Spain.

LAWRENCE J. DISSETTE

AFEES

xxxx 358FS 355FG 16APR45

16APR45

8th AF Capt. Dissette was Squadron Leader of P-51 Mustangs strafing Uberpfaffenhafen Airfield, Germany when hit by ground fire. With his aircraft on fire Capt. Dissette bailed out in the woods West of the town of Pfadder, Germany. He hid in the woods and in a barn until the U.S. forces arrived. 358 Squadron was credited officially with 26 Enemy A/C Destroyed. His A/C was P-51 #YFQ.
BAILED OUT

JEROME W. DIX

AFEES

XXXX 756BS 459BG 21AUG44

21OCT44

CHETNICKS (TOSHO)

CORPORAL DIX, STATIONED AT CERIGNOLA, ITALY FLYING IN A B-24-D WITH THE 459TH BG WHILE ON HIS 6TH MISSION TO HAJDOBOSZPMENY, HUNGARY NEAR BUDEPEST WAS ATTACKED BY ENEMY FIGHTERS AND SHOT DOWN. THE HORIZONTAL STABILIZERS WERE SHOT AWAY FROM THE VERTICAL STABILIZER AND THEY WENT INTO A SLOW SPIRAL. WOUNDED, AT 12,000 FEET, IN SIGHT OF SARAJEVO, YUGOSLAVIA, AND THE CREW BAILED OUT, BUT THE PILOT WENT DOWN WITH THE PLANE. HIDDEN BY THE CHETNICKS FROM THE GERMANS HE WAS UNITED WITH THREE OF HIS CREW. THEY WERE HIDDEN IN VARIOUS FARMS, AND ON THE 6TH DAY DOWN, THEY WERE PUT IN CHARGE OF A CHETNICK NAMED TOSHO. THEY ARRIVED IN VISEGRAD ON OCTOBER 1ST AFTER 40 DAYS IN THE HILLS AND MOUNTAINS. ON OCTOBER 8TH THERE WAS FIGHTING IN THE STREETS OF VISEGRAD SO THEY WERE MOVED TO RUDO AND ON TO PIJELLJA. ON OCTOBER 14TH THEY STARTED FORSAVNIK AND SEVERAL DAYS LATER TO NIKSIC. AN AMERICAN MISSION, PROBABLY OSS, INCLUDING AN AMERICAN CAPTAIN AND A PFC. A FEW DAYS LATER A C-47 FLEW IN AND ON OCTOBER 21ST FLEW TO LEECHE, ITALY AND FREEDOM.

BAILED OUT

CORPORAL/GUNNER

JOSEPH R. DIXEY

1223 xxxxx 351BG 14JUN44

Dixey was a 1st Lt., 0802538. Down Montmagny, 10 K. North of Paris.

M. Boulanger -->-- Roger Soudan, 27 Avenue Gal Gallieni, Pierrefitte, Seine; M. Richlois at Guesse-Liory.

Toussaint Sinibaldi? Note: this name shows up again in the record of # 1226 (Harvey Christensen)

DANIEL G. DIYA

1786 380FS 363FG 29APR44

9SEP44

Maquis of Peregeux (Capt. Francois and Lt. Ancil).

F/O Diya, pilot of a P-51, went down near Le Mans with EE # 1787, Lt. Arthur W. Owen. They walked for 8 days -->-- Maquis of Peregeux led by Captain Francois and Lt. Ancil -->-- Maurice Arnoil ???, back to West (Maquis of Peregeux) - Sailat - Sougeyrac -- Captain Frizzell, 15 US Paratroops. Another helper was Philippe Maniers of Souillac. *which date?*

IRA JAMES DOBBIE

AFEES

15th xxxxx 483BG xxxxxxxx

ROY C. DOBRINSKY

2162 729BS 452BG 8JUL44

DECEASED 6/18/70

S/Sgt. Dobrinsky, 37338956, went down at Preaux, near Rouen, with Steinkamp and Bickley. See # 2161 Steinkamp and # 2163 Bickley.

T/SGT

HARVEY W. DOERING

788 99TCS 44ITCG 6-6-44

1st Lt., 0806816 C-47 sent to St. Mere Eglise - Emile Fery, chief of police at Equourdrielle -- Banlieuc de Cherbourg -- Mayor of the village and Pierre Roerner -->>-- US patrol 25-6-44

JACOB JOHN DOLINSKY

AFEES

342 331BS 94BG 17AUG43

S/Sgt. Dolinsky went down in the vicinity of Hasselt, Belgium. He escaped by way of Dax to San Sebastian.

DECEASED 15 APRIL 1982

FRANCIS W. DOLL

SGT. DOLL, 17060485. SEE MAJOR YEAGER'S REPORT.

HARRY A. DOLPH

DECEASED JUNE94

xxxx 786BS 466BG 15AUG44

15APR45

DOLPH'S BOOK "EVADER" tells of his experiences.

Pieter and Mimi (nee de Jong) van den Hurk, Meppel, Holland; mevrouw de Grote, Meppel; Jan Berenda ('Karl') in the woods, Diever; Gerit Temmingh, Policeman, Diever; G. Oom Joop Koster (still living) and seven others (all dead) in the 'hole-in-the-ground' in the woods near Diever, killed by the Germans. Pieter Bloom ('Sjors'), dead; Fjitre Wallinga ('Niko'), dead--killed by the UG. Tini Mulder, author, Leeuwarden. Sjoukje van der Hoop (now Smit, living in Canada), a courier in Holwerd. Dominee Arie de Boer, Holwerd. S. Visser and wife in Paesens. Tuen de Jong in Paesens. A nurse called 'sister' in Ternaard. Bertus and Tina Nauta (now in Canada) in Ternaard. G. Stielstra, a butcher, his wife and family in Holwerd. Dominee Visser in Dokkum.

8th AF S/Sgt. Clark (Dolph) bailed out at 25,200 Ft. over Havelte, Holland and free fell for 35 Seconds. While in his chute he was attacked by a German ME 109. He was wounded but recovered. Some of the parachute shroud lines were cut away and the chute was full of holes. Wounded, he was removed from the woods by Pieter van den Hurk and two others on bicycles, then taken to the town of Meppel, where he recovered at the de Grote home nursed by Mimi (then de Jong, Pieter's fiancée). During the time of his stay in Holland he participated in the Resistance Activities receiving air drops of Weapons, Explosives, etc. Then, he instructed in weapons and explosives use, and participated in Resistance actions. CONTINUED IN SYNOPSIS

For several months there was a S/Sgt James Molton of Albany, Oregon with him. They had a harrowing experience on the island of Engelsmanplatt while waiting to be picked up by submarine. Finally they had to return, walking through the North Sea for four Kilometers, often in water over their heads. He almost drowned. Most of the time during his evasion was spent in the province of Friesland. He was liberated by a force of Royal Canadian Dragoons, given a sten gun and participated in their advance, including being allowed to assist in the use of the Howitzer to destroy a German Armored Column. They remained with the Canadians for four days until they were able to provide a jeep to enable him to make his way to Allied hands in Brussels (British) and then to Namur, where he reported to U.S. Forces for the first time. He finally arrived at Camp Lucky Strike in Le Havre, France and sailed for home on the S.S. George Washington about May 5, 1945, arriving USA on May 15, 1945 return home. CREW OF THE "TRUE LOVE": JOHN ARCHER (PILOT); THOMAS L. BELL (CO-PILOT); NORMAN PECK (NAVIGATOR); ALL WERE 1st. Lt.'s AND ALL WERE KILLED WHEN SHOT DOWN. OTHERS WERE WILLIE LOWEN (ENGINEER); BART PHILO (ASS'T ENGINEER), KILLED; DONALD McCARTY (RADIO OPERATOR); HARRY CLARK aka DOLPH (ARMORER-GUNNER); BOB LEHMAN (NOSE GUNNER), KILLED; JOHN CAPPS (TAIL GUNNER); LT. LESLIE (PASSENGER). A FORMER MEMBER OF THE CREW HAD BEEN 1st Lt. DOYLE STEGALL (BOMBARDIER).

NOTE: HARRY DOLPH ENLISTED IN THE AIR CORPS USING THE ALIAS OF HARRY A. CLARK FOR REASONS EXPLAINED IN HIS BOOK "EVADER".

BAILED OUT

T/Sgt.

ROBERT G. DONAHUE

xxxx 861BS 493BG 14JUN44

Lt. Donahue (Navigator, B-24 on a mission to Laon, France) landed SE of Ogy, Belgium and ran with Hooth to the farm home of Lucien and Denise Guerlus. He was hidden at the Ferme du Chamberlan, Ostiches, by Nery and Augusta Ponchaut and Raoul and Rosa Ponchaur-Leleux. Also living in the home were their Grandchildren (Oda and Odette Ponchaut) and Raoul Pilate (a young man who was deaf-mute). SEE ALSO WILLIAM L. CUPP, RICHARD E. WRIGHT, DOUGLAS HOOTH
BAILED OUT

EDWARD J. DONALDSON

460 ??BS 379BG ??????

2nd Lt., 0682084 down Bonvilliers Oise -->-- Pampol -- Comtesse d'Hespel -->-- Boat 18-3-44

ISABELINO DONES

146 67BS 44BG 16-8-43

DECEASED 12/13/90

S/Sgt., 32437848 of 128 W. 83rd St., NYC, NY

Down in Italy

UK 18-10-43

S/SGT

WILLIAM W. DONOHUE

2474 508FS 404FG 14OCT44

2nd Lt. Donohue, 0887276, went down 1500 at Aachen, Germany in a P-51. Hit near Aachen, landed back of enemy lines, tried to hide in a bare field, saw the enemy around him. In the evening he moved to another field, amid tanks. He was discovered by a farmer on 15 OCT. and received a friendly welcome, sheltered and helped by German Catholics, met the neighbors, spent the night of 15 to 16 OCT. in a barn. On 16 OCT. he was given food and sent on his way. There was heavy fighting around there and tanks, he returned to the farm and was helped again. On 17 OCT. hid again in field, returned to the home in the evening. He was found on 18 OCT. by US troops. The farm was between Wurselen (8849) and Verlangenheide (8846).

D. V. DONOVAN

1732 xxxxx 389BG 11JUL44

2nd Lt. Donovan, 06997827. Down at Verlinghem (Lille), Nord. Didier Buquet, 70 Rue de Passerelle, Harnais, Pas de Calais. Renitte Acke, 52 Rue Vanbrun, Mouveaux, Nord. Paul Ponie, 128 Rue Chateau, Mouveaux, Nord. Dr. Carpentier, 37 Rue de Turenne, Lille, Nord. Mme. Derache Degrave, 128 Rue Colbert, Lille, Nord. M. Bombeke, 51 Rue Bourignon, Lille, Nord. Lived with Francis Tachou at Dr. Carpentier's and greatly helped by him. Later they were told he was with Br. F??

DAVID A. DONOVAN

DECEASED 2AUG93

AFEES

1630 xxxxx 335FG 8JUN44

1st Lt. Donovan went down in the vicinity of 10 K East of Chalais, Charente. He was helped by Yves Roches (Hotel Dupoy) -->-- Maquis -->-- after 2 weeks to Toulouse, 95 Chemin de Nicol with guide Philippe -->-- Maquis

WILLIAM J. DONOVAN

1737 xxxxx 491BG 13AUG44

1st Lt. Donovan, 0814469. B-17, down North of Le Havre with Robert Timberlake, Wolzanski, Lynch, Aiavolasiti -->-- helped by Jean Thomas, chief FFI, 146 Rue M. Joffre, Le Havre -->-- Auguste Mesnage, 10 Place Carnot, Le Havre. Renee and Max Cayeux, 4 Rue Mme. Lafayette, Le Havre. Maurice Lecomte, Mannevillette. Bonnard, 5 Rue Bonnavet, Le Havre. G. Rioult, 26 Av. Victor Hugo, Montivilliers and lived at L'Hermitage, 54 Rue du Bec par Rolleville (Mme. R. Dicquemare, Gabriel Dicquemare, M. and Mme. Derrey, Gabriel Derrey, Mme. Anne-Marie Touya and also Lecompte (2 children) and a Priest in Fontenay and his housekeeper.

LORIN F. DOUTHETT
DECEASED 29NOV95
232 ???? 303BG 10-43
2nd Lt., 0736762 down Belgium

ROBERT H. DOOLAN
AFEES
8th xxxxx 92BG xxxxxxx

D. D. DORNING
1867 527BS 379BG 9AUG44
10SEP44

S/Sgt. Dorning, 39205287, out of Kembolton, UK, went down on return from mission to bomb an aircraft assembly plant in Munich. Stayed at the home of Charles Busselen in Diest.

2. EUGENE H. DORR *left 21*
AFEES *Never*
14th *3BS* *1BG* 4JUL44 *d. d. n't exist*
10JUL44

1st Lt. Dorr-Bombardier, B-25, Chinese-American Wing, 14th AF, mixed crew U.S. and Chinese Air Force-4 JUL 44-crash landing road S. of Kauaing, Burma. Crew Capt. T. S. Simpson (Pilot); 2nd Lt. Y. S. Wang (Co-Pilot); Capt. G. C. Cunningham (Navigator); 1st Lt. E. H. Dorr (Bombardier); Sgt. S. C. Chiang (Radio-Gunner); Sgt. P. C. Ma (Tail Gunner). The 3rd trained to combat readiness in Karachi-shipped to Assam instead of China-flew in support Chinese Divisions under Gen. Stillwell.

STATEMENT CAPT. SIMPSON (excerpted): had taken off Moran, Assam .. had dropped bombs RR N. of Naba Junction and Katha .. first noticed .. left oil press. gauge reading zero. White smoke .. the engine .. decided set plane down on road .. Megaung to Kamaing .. first act to clear plane .. looked down road .. saw group of men running our way .. decided to get back in plane .. find out if turret would work. After turning on battery switches, turret switches found turret would still work .. group had approached to position just behind tail .. were equipped with side arms .. hand grenades .. none had rifles .. they had typical Japanese helmet with star in center .. uniforms faint green. Our Chinese asked them to come up one at a time .. none could speak Chinese. As leader drew back hand to throw grenade I turned on turret, let them have it .. 20 in first group, some 20 or 30 in group 200 yards behind. All those close to plane hit ground .. I swung turret up road at second group .. could see shots going into group but attention called to directly in front .. were four trying to crawl off to side .. ran stream of lead up road on each one to make sure none alive .. sprayed surrounding area .. took last shot at group up road. Later at 22nd Div. HQ. found total 18 reported found dead .. Chinese found two dead killed by right wing as we landed ...CONTINUED IN SYNOPSIS
As I got out of plane threw out parachute w/ jungle kit attached .. ran distance before I stopped, stripped kit of contents .. ran across road .. Japs spotted us .. started firing .. kept running .. Japs right at heels .. every now and then .. shots would come close .. lay down .. crawl till clear .. start running .. two hours came to stream .. goal hills .. Japs brought up mortars .. kept it up all afternoon and night .. were crawling up mountains .. direction N. and W. traveled till five next morning .. stayed till afternoon .. were spotted .. ran for it .. spent night side of mountain .. next afternoon came on Jap camp .. deserted .. Cunningham, Wang sighted Japs ahead, fired .. returned fire. Cunningham went to right .. not seen again till base .. waited till dark.. went on same trail. Japs started firing mortars .. came to clearing .. saw women chopping wood .. were spotted .. machine gun fire .. up mountain .. spotted village .. afraid to go in .. spotted by villagers .. chased by them. Villagers not armed .. were friendly .. fed and hidden .. gave villagers 96 silver rupees .. Awoke five .. fed breakfast .. took us down into valley till ran into patrol Chinese .. waited on road for jeep w/ Col De Pree, 22nd Div., 1st Chinese Army .. said troops reached site of plane .. De Pree took me back to 22nd Div. HQ to CO, Col. W.V. Thompson. After day and half caught boat up river to Warazup .. planes to Shadazup and Tenjauk Sakan. Returned base C-47, 10th of July, 1944. DORR NOTES: boat up river two pontoons lashed together w/ outboard motor. There were six boats. Sgt. Ma couldn't speak English .. in prison as POW .. since was wearing Simpson's Flight Jacket someone checked .. found he was one of us. Simpson, Cunningham took regular commissions, retired as Colonels. Dorr retired w/ disability fall 1945. COL. THOMAS S. SIMPSON (USAF, Ret'd), 13912 Monte Del Oro, Castroville, CA 95012

CRASHED

JOHN DOUGHERTY

358 546BS 384BG 16-8-43

2nd Lt., 0673506 down Rambouillet -->-- Perpignan 27-12-43

ELRES D. DOWDEN

676 813BS 482BG 8-2-44

DECEASED 6/14/70

S/Sgt., 6384231 down Longueil Oise -->-- UK 27--5-44

S/SGT

CLEMENT D. DOWLER

AFEES

1669 324BS 91BG 28APR44

2SEP44

T/Sgt. Dowler's B-17 was shot down over occupied France.

OTHER CREW: GEORGE COSGROVE, 156 OSCEOLA ST., CLERMONT, FA 32711; REGIS CARNEY, 1512 PARR ST., GREENSBURG, PA 15601; JAMES CATER, 160 ACADEMY ST., APT. 9K, POUGHKEPSIE, NY 12601

CHARLES O. DOWNE

AFEES

411 ??BS 384BG 6-9-43

XXFEB44

2nd Lt., 0678624 down Marines -->-- Toulouse -->-- Barcelona

DOWNE'S STORY: CRASH LANDED IN N.E. FRANCE-VIA PYRENEES TO SPAIN AND GIBRALTAR ASSISTED BY FRENCH AND DUTCH RESISTANCE. RESIDED WITH VARIOUS FAMILIES AND WITH SEVERAL ORGANIZATIONS DURING THIS PERIOD. I CANNOT REMEMBER THE NAMES OF THESE PEOPLE EXCEPT FOR ALBERT AND SOLENGE DEMOVEU WITH WHOM I RESIDED FOR 3 MONTHS. THEY LIVED IN LOIRET PROVINCE NEAR MONTARGIS. I BELIEVE THE VILLAGE WAS CALLED PITHVIE~~AS~~^{RS}. I WAS ASSISTED BY MANY OTHERS BUT KNEW THEM BY THEIR FIRST NAMES. MY FINAL PASSAGE FROM LIVRY-GIRGAN (NEAR PARIS) TO SPAIN WAS EFFECTED BY A DUTCH RESISTANCE ORGANIZATION OPERATING WITHIN FRANCE. MOST OF MY CREW WERE CAPTURED. I CAN ONLY RECALL TWO WHO ESCAPED OR EVADED AND HAVE ONLY THEIR LAST KNOWN ADDRESSES. THEY WERE CARL BACHON?? PATERSON, NJ & CHARLES FISHER OF PA.

CRASHED

2ND LT. - NAVIGATOR 8AF

KENNETH P. DOWNIE

1435 xxxxx 447BG 16MAR44

S/Sgt., 6487908, down Sermaize, Marne. # 776 (Sgt. Krecker). Transported by Fretol Boucher near Blesne and teacher Jean Vidal to the house of Vidal at St. Vrain (Marne) until 19 MAY. SNCF Paaubert gave Identity Cards. #770, #769. 19 May to Home of M. Perrin at Vitry le Francois. 20th May to Paris, Montparnasse. -->-- by train exiting at Niort, guide (Francoise Henry lost). Walked alone with only 6 light meals in 18 days. Captured at Liposthay, Lands -->-- Gestapo to Bordeaux, Fort du Ha # 1366.

HARRY L. DOWNING

782 411FBS 373FBG ??????

Capt., 0437990 -- Francois Simon

JUDSON F. DOYLE

DECEASED 13APR91

2332 xxxxx 381BG 9FEB44

2nd Lt. Doyle, 0746646, B-17, went down at Gallefontaine, Pas de Calais. -->-- Amiens -- Frevent, home of Robert Montcombe, 128 Rue de Hesdin for 1 month. # 24227 and 1660 -->-- Paris with # 1660. 2 months at Alfortville with # 2016 -->-- Boncour -->-- Switzerland.

OLIN P. DRAKE

1762 368BS 359BG 10JUN44

28AUG44

1st Lt. Drake, 0686727, down LaCroix (NE of Evreux), St. Melvin ???? M. Gibert (81 yrs) farm near Bonneville, M. Eli, Serge Warchowsky, 76 Rue Wilhelm, Paris 16 (father ???? farm of Baroness), Andre living in Le Mans, Mme. Florie of La Bonneville.

LIONEL E. DREW

AFEES

288 423BS 306BG 26JUN43

26DEC43

1st Lt. Drew was Bombardier in the Check crew on a mission to Romilly.

FROM EE REPORT: down Pont L'Eveque Plomodien Boat ? DREW'S REPORT: CROSSED THE ENGLISH CHANNEL ON NIGHT OF 25 DECEMBER, 1943 AND ARRIVED IN ENGLAND ON 26 DECEMBER 1943. I WAS NEVER CAPTURED.

BAILED OUT

CAPT/BOMBARDIER B-17 8AF

WILLIAM W. DRISCO

AFEES

1273 407FS 352FG 22JUN44

Albert Merleret Marchand

F/O Drisco came down 12 Kilometers N. of Concy le Chateau (Wounded in the left arm). -->-- Chauny HQ Resistance. Albert Merleret Marchand -->-- the beginning of August, Morissain -- EE #'s 1279, 1280

HOWARD DROLLINGER

DECEASED AFEES

710 362FS 357FG 28MAR44

28APR44

Lucien See Widow is virginia (see friends)

2nd Lt. Drollinger bailed out in the vicinity of Villers St. George. EE report was dated 8 JUN 44 and mentions # 687.

BAILED OUT

DOUGLAS R. DRYSDALE

AFEES

2281 385FS 364FG 17SEP44

23SEP44

Antoon Willems; James Willems; Catholic Priest; Jacob Van Tienen (Deceased), Dude Wanroysche Wes 55, St. Hubert N.B., Holland; Petronella Van Tienen (now Geurts)

1st Lt. Drysdale went down in the area of St. Hubert, South of Mill, Holland. -->-- Grave -->-- Rode a Motorcycle to the battle lines and through to the Allies.

BAILED OUT

Major

EARL D. DUARTE

563 535BS 381BG 4-1-44

2nd Lt., 0803584 down Aucumville Toulouse - M. Norigarede, 7 BVD. Malubrau-->-- Navareux -->-- 18-3-44 Isaba

WILLIAM R. DUBOIS

DECEASED 30AUG94

1247 850BS 801BG 5JUL44

Dubois was a S/Sgt., 12039333. Down North of Pithiviers. M. Bertot at Mennier de Ontarges. Beauvallon, butcher at Greneville en Beauce.

Paris= 'aug le Rue Guincampoix et Bv. Sevastopol' -- and M. Tucson, Bvd. Gourin, St. Cyr

W. C. DuBOSE

AFEES

xxxx 38FS 55FG 17JUN44

LOST TRACK

1st Lt. DuBose's P-38 was shot down over Chaulmes, France. He lived with 8 or 9 French Families until liberated in SEP 44.

WILLIAM C. DuBOSE

1634 38FS 35FG 17JUN44

2nd Lt. DuBose, 0757965. Down Cahulnes near Peronne. M. and Mme. S. Howard, Fay a Somme. M. and Mme. Edgard Leblanc, Chaulnes a Picardie, Somme. M. and Mme. E. Haller, Rte. Nationale, Billy, Montaigny.

RAYMOND L. DUELL

944 ??FBS 48FBG 6-7-44

1st Lt., 0801679 down Monvieu -- Jean du Sulire

EDWARD F. DUEMMER

2598 322BS 91BG 5SEP44

SEP44

M. Pol (deceased) and Mme. Angele Clesse, Ville-au-Montois, Par Pierrepont 54620 France

SEE STORY OF ERNEST ROBERT KELLEY

WALTER A. DUER

939 ???? ???? ?????

2nd Lt., 0691484 Etimie Stark, 4 Place de l'Eglise, Pleaux, Seine ; Jeanne Gilbert, Georges Robert Pangores, NW of Vendome (the farmer's helper); Anguille, 9 Rue St. Jacques Moutone; M. Pinchede, 24 rue Kitchener, Dinan (daughter, Marie Louise); Georges Tillon, Dinan; Mme. Andre Lemoine, daughter Raymonde and one son ; mention of 928, 1158, 939, 838, 857, 859 -->-- 1-9-44

ELMER E. DUERR

AFEES

XXXX 578TH 392ND 24FEB45

MR. FRED GRANSBERG - MRS. G. DE CARPENTIER

THIS WAS NOT A REGULAR CREW FLYING THAT DAY. MY CREW HAD COMPLETED ITS MISSIONS AND I HAD ONE MISSION LEFT TO COMPLETE MY TOUR. OUR MISSION WAS TO NORTHHEIM, GERMANY. WE LOST ONE ENGINE DUE TO FLAK. LOST FUEL AND LOST 2ND ENGINE OVER NORTH SEA. WE CRASH LANDED NEAR EGMOND ON THE DUTCH COAST. LT. DONOHUE AND MYSELF MANAGED WITH THE HELP OF THE UNDERGROUND TO ESCAPE AND LIVE WITH THEM UNTIL THE WAR WAS OVER. I JUST RETURNED FROM HOLLAND, INVITED BY THE ALLIED AIRCREW HELPERS. I WAS NOT AWARE OF THE AFEES ORGANIZATION UNTIL SOME MEMBERS OF THE ORGANIZATION IN HOLLAND TOLD ME ABOUT IT. AS YOU CAN SEE I GOT MY APPLICATION FROM MR. BAS DE WIT OF HOLLAND. MR JOHN MC CORMICK WHO WAS A FRIEND AND CREW MEMBER WAS KILLED IN ZOOTEEMER FIGHTING THE GERMANS WITH THE DUTCH RESISTANCE.

1ST LIEUTENANT JOSEPH WALKER - PILOT

2ND LIEUTENANT RALPH CASSTEVENS - COPILOT

LIEUTENANT JOHN DONOHUE - NAVIGATOR: ABOVE HELPERS ASSISTED HIM

S/SGT HAROLD SHEA - GUNNER - POW

S/SGT A. HICKS - GUNNER - POW

S/SGT J. LINGLE - GUNNER - POW
S/SGT F. NAGLE - GUNNER - POW
T/SGT E. DUERR - GUNNER - ABOVE HELPERS ASSISTED HIM
S/SGT JOHN MC CORMICK - GUNNER - KILLED FIGHTING WITH DUTCH RESISTANCE
8TH AF
TECHNICAL SERGEANT

JOHN B. DUFFY
DECEASED 6AUG63
2290 442TC

ROLAND J. DuFRESNE
2056 357FS 355FG 11FEB44

1st Lt. Du Fresne, 0796673, went down at Hotton, Belgium. He was 3 days with Fernand Collins, Hotton. From 15 FEB. to 15 MAR. he was with Joseph Miss, Hotton. From 15 MAR. he was with Joseph Bernard, Blombain au Pont, Oneux, Belgium. He remained with Henri Ronval, 34 Nysten, Liege from 14 APR. until liberation. He also met Charles du Bois who was a very active helper.

JOHN D. DUGAN
1743 xxxxx 416BG 7AUG44

Sgt. Dugan, 19047925. Down at Marcheville. He hid for 3 days -->>-- farmers at Conchy (sous ponce main gauche) large family for 18 days then 8 days at the home of M. and Mme. Quicet Ple, Victor Goffet, Roger Cointe, Marchville.

ELBERT L. DUKATE
796 67BS 44BG ??????
DECEASED 4/28/86

1st Lt., 0739924 Escaped from German POW camp in Salmona, Italy 24-9-43 -- Francesa Carrubra, Hotel Volcania 117 Via Caovrer?, Rome; Fenzo Lucidi, 18 Via Aegli Scialola, Apt. 15; Mario Transunto, 35 Via Umberto Brancamano, Apt. 23; Ciro Giulliano, 40 Via Nicola Martelli; Giliola Bettenelli, 14 Via Filippo Cordone; Signora Mansi Mahler
LIEUTENANT

HERBERT DULBERG
AFEES
390 525BS 379BG 16SEP43
10FEB44

PAR LES NUIITS LES PLUS LONGUES, HUGUEN

The Aimee Pansart Family, St. Malo, France; M. and Mme. Francois Leguitte, Ploermel, France; Genevieve (probably Genevieve Soulie, chief hebergeuse for Burgundy line in Paris), Paris; Jean Morin; M. Lucas, Cancale; Paul Febvre, L'Abbe Barre; others
S/Sgt. Dulberg (Radio Op./Gunner of B-17 "BATTLIN' BOBBIE" out of Kimbolton, UK) was shot down in the vicinity of Rennes on a raid to Nantes, France. In Paris he met a lady named Genevieve who supplied his hosts with food and money during his stay in Paris. From Paris he was escorted to Toulouse and on to Perpignan. From there he started out with a group of about 20 male and female refugees and a scant 5 or 6 American and British. They walked toward the Pyrenees led by 3 Basques who seemed unruly and uncooperative. They seemed to be leading them in circles. He broke away from the group and headed South East on his own. He dodged a couple of German Patrols near the border. After crossing into Spain he ran into a Spanish Patrol of Carabinerie and remained in their custody for a couple of days. He was released to the British Consul at Figueras, Spain. He was moved to Gerona on 25 DEC. 1943. When there were about 20 of them they were moved to Madrid and on to Gibraltar. After interrogation and debriefing they were sent on to the U.K. The Group included EE #'s 636, 637, 320, 409, 410, 421. After final debriefing in England he returned to his base at Kimbolton. He returned to the U.S., landing at La Guardia on 29 FEB. 1944.

THEODORE J. DUMAIS
1643 449BS 322BG 8JUL44
DECEASED 3/19/66
6SEP44

S/Sgt. Dumais, 31040075. Down Conde Folie, Somme. Met # 1644 (Coon) in house at Conde Folie -->>>-- both to Aumale -->>-- Meigneux until 15 JULY, teacher gave them ID papers -->>-- Pierre Goderfroy took them to Escles (Oise) to the home of Maurice Picard (wife, Fernande), M. Bourgeois helped them, Aided by FFI Lt., Camille Crepy of Escle -->>-- UK 6 SEPT 44 ON OPERATION BONEPARTE.
S/SGT

KENNETH P. DUNAWAY
AFEES
1880 83FS 78FG 1SEP44
10SEP44

2nd Lt. Dunaway, 0767159, down at Denderlee, Belgium. Helped by Charles Dooreman, the mayor of the town of Burst, for one day -->>-- at the Ponet home (distiller) in St. Livens-Houten -->>-- Charles and Nora Dooreman -->>-- Brussels. Others were Georges at Burst and Maurice Van Darne. Children Paul, Edith, Jean and Brigitte.
BAILED OUT
2ND LT. PILOT P-47

DANIEL E. DUNBAR
AFEES
1504 xxxxx 305BG 28MAY44
5SEP44

SGT DUNBAR, 34440925, FLYING WITH THE 8TH AIR FORCE OUT OF CHELVESTON, ENGLAND, CRASHED IN THE B-17 90 MILES FROM TREVES, GERMANY. IT WAS ABOUT 5 WEEKS BEFORE MAKING THE TRIP TO FRANCE. SEED POTATOES WERE ALL THE FOOD HE GOT AFTER WHAT WAS EATEN FROM THE ESCAPE KIT. 8 OF THE CREW WERE LATER CAPTURED. THE FRENCH PEOPLE OF THE UNDERGROUND GAVE ME AND MY BUDDY A NAME AND THEN FOUGHT WITH THEM. I HAVE ATTACHED A SHORT STORY WITH THIS APPLICATION. CREW: J. F. HERRICK, PILOT; L. H. SANDERS JR, COPILOT; LEON W. LABELL; HERBERT BORAX; W.S. SCHWARTZ; CHARLES GILLESPIE; ARVAL R. BUSBY, BEN R. NORRIS (E&E #1503) WAS MY BUDDY DURING THE EVASION OF BEING CAPTURED; AND J.C. NAPIER.
CRASHED
STAFF/SGT - WAIST GUNNER

JOHN L. DUNBAR
90 351S 100G ??-??-??
2nd Lt., 0730774 sept 43 Ile ?!??- Spain

GLENN E. DUNCAN
2970 xxxxx 353FG 7JUL44
14APR45

Col. Duncan, 0398671, went down at Neinberg, Germany and made his way into Holland. Herr H. Van Mulligan, Veerdinge, (miller), shelter from 28 JULY to 1 AUG., medical treatment and contacted the U.G. Herr Planniger, Lawyer, Emmen, shelter, food, clothes, train fare and money, 1 AUG. to 4 AUG. Stephena Memelauer (Austrian), 16 Van Ostadestraat, Hengelo, shelter 4 AUG.44 to & FEB. 45. Jan Kreuz, 339 Oldenzaalsche Straat, Hengelo, food and clothing, 4 AUG.44 to 7 FEB. 45. Ben Reefman, 21 Van Ostadestraat, Hengelo, elect. engineer, food and clothing, 4 SEPT. 44 to 7 FEB. 45. Jules, leader of U.G. in this area was captured by the Gestapo, he was a greengrocer in Hengelo and leader of the two above. Als Fons, Hengelo, succeeded Jules. Dr. Ben Van Haften, Hengelo, medical treatment and move Duncan to Terburg. Policeman of Terburg provided food and acted as escort to Ulft. Policeman at Ulft, with wife and a 2 yr. old child, food and shelter 8 FEB. 45. Man in Babberik, wife and child, city employee in uniform, Black with red stripe on trousers, shelter for one night, 9 FEB., during a German search. Carl Derbsen, Lobit, farmer with 6 daughters, shelter from 9 FEB. to 29 FEB. 45. His daughter, Ans, was

Duncan's guide. Theodore Derbsen, Angerlo, cousin of Carl, shelter 27 FEB. Jan Bosch, 14 Kerbstraat, Doesborgh, shelter 27 FEB. to 5 MAR. Sweder Graaf Van Recterns, Limbourg (Enghuiszen castle), Humelo, 5 to 21 MAR. 45. G.C. DeVries, Steeg (Dutch name Desteen), food and shelter 12 MAR.45 and organized contact with the Allies. Miss Molly Van Der Bosch of Veld, whose address after the war would be in Loren, food and shelter from 22 MAR. to 14 APR. 45. Piet Ras, Sationslaan 44, Uelph, fiance of Molly, provided food. Returned to Allied control 14 APR. 45 at Arnhem.

LLOYD F. DUNCAN

AFEES

LAOS DET.1 56SOW 11JUN71

11JUN71

AIR AMERICA, H-344, HELO (HOTEL 88)

CRASH LANDED 15 KILOMETERS EAST OF PASKE, LAOS WITH A BROKEN LEG. SURROUNDED BY NORTH VIETNAMESE. RESCUED BY AIR AMERICA
CRASHED

CHARLES W. DUNGAN

DECEASED AFEES

2431 77FS 20FG 7OCT44

11OCT44

Hiese Ellen; A Doctor; A Red Haired Woman; A young Newspaperman; Editor Hendril

1st Lt. Dungan went down in the area of the Kattegat, NW of Zeeland, Denmark. He made contact with Hiese Ellen, 21 yrs. old, near Smidstroups. Hiese went in search of aid, returning with clothes and a Doctor. He left with Hiese by bicycle to Helsing, then to Hillerod, and on by train to Copenhagen. He was helped by a woman with Red hair and a man of 27 yrs. who was a former newspaperman. He left by boat for Sweden with Editor Hendril arriving Malmo.

DELBERT R. DUNHAM

2671 72TCS 434TCG xxxxxxxx

S/Sgt. Dunham, 12168783.

ARTHUR L. DUNN

AFEES

XXXX 832BS 482BG XXXXXXXX

2ND LT. ARTHUR L. DUNN, FLYING A B-17 OUT OF SUDBURY ENGLAND CRASH LANDED IN ENEMY TERRITORY IN FRANCE WHERE THE CREW SPLIT UP. WAS PICKED UP BY A FARMER WHO SPOKE A LITTLE ENGLISH AND HE TOOK ME TO A TOWN NEAR OUR LINES. SHORTLY I WAS PICKED UP BY A G.I. TRUCK WHICH TOOK ME TO BELGIUM TO AN EVAC. CENTER. I GOT FLOWN BACK TO MY BASE. I FLEW AS A COPILOT THAT DAY AS A SUB FOR A SICK PILOT. CAN'T REMEMBER EVEN ONE CREW MEMBER'S NAME. WE WERE TWO HOURS INTO THE MISSION WHEN WE WERE HIT BY FLAK AND WHEN WE TURNED BACK TOWARD OUR BASE, WE WERE HIT BY FIGHTERS. THE NAVIGATOR WAS NOT SURE OF OUR POSITION.

CRASHED

LT. COLONEL

WILLIAM B. DUNNING

DECEASED 23APR74

296 ??? 96BG ???43

T/Sgt., 322288613 Down 25 K NE Bar le Duc, Bellefontaine -->-- December 43

ARTHUR C. DUPPSTADT

1627 xxxxx 335FG 28AUG44

2nd Lt. Duppstadt, 0887076. Down 8 miles SW of Bar le Duc. With Lt. Toley. Gaston Leannesson, Neiville sur Ornain, Meuse, France.

DONALD A. DURANT

AFEES

xxxx 720BS 450BG 25APR44

29APR45

S/Sgt. Durant, Radio Operator/Gunner on B-24 out of Manduria, Italy, to target an aircraft factory in Northern Italy, developed engine trouble and straggled behind the formation. They were attacked by 16 ME-109's and after about 20 minutes of battle, the pilot ordered bail out. Durant and 3 others bailed out, landing approximately 50 miles NW of Florence, Italy, near a small town called Pavillo. They were immediately picked up by a group of Italian Partisans who took them to their HQ's located in a farm house on the side of Mt. Cimone. They stayed with the Partisans for about 2 weeks, moving from one location to another to avoid the German forces in the area. Durant became friends with many of the Partisans during this period but unfortunately can not remember any of their names. There were about 150 (men and women) in the Partisan band. About mid-May, 1944, after an attack by the Germans, the Partisans abandoned their camp to avoid capture. The Americans and two British troops who were with the Partisans when they picked up the Americans, decided to go on their own and try to get to Yugoslavia where Marshal Tito was helping downed airmen get back to their units in Southern Italy. They got civilian clothes by trading their flying gear for clothing provided by an Italian farmer. They walked 75 miles, traveling at night for about two weeks before they were finally captured by Italian Fascista in the town of Montagnana. They transported them to a civilian jail in Padova where they spent a very uncomfortable 40 days wondering if they would be shot because of being in civilian attire. During this time Durant was involved in two escape attempts, both of which failed. On 4 JULY 1944, German military finally arrived at the Padova Jail and after interrogation, they took the prisoners to Germany where Durant spent the remainder of the war. He was liberated on 29 APR. 1945 by ~~C. Patton's~~ 14th Armored -

*Not in
Patton's
3rd Army*

Durant later served in the Reserves and was called up to serve in Korea.

BAILED OUT

Lt.Col.

WOODROW W. DURBIN

2747 34TCS 315TCG 18SEP44

13DEC44

T/Sgt. Durbin, 14078724, went down at Oss, Holland with Lt. Snowden # 2265 and the Radio Operator. -- U.G. + Doctor -- Policeman in U.G. -->-- old schoolhouse -->-- Grave -->-- U.S. Paratroopers.

DALE G. DURKES

DECEASED EVADER

1545 572BS 391BG xxxxxxxx

1st Lt. Durkes, 0669258. See # 1542 Erickson

FROM ERICKSON'S RECORD: Capt. Erickson, 0792568. Roger Cressent, teacher, Nesle Hodeng par St. Saire, who organized the district to help evaders, helped Erickson, Lt. Wallen, and Lt. Durkes. Emile Leger, farmer, Farm of Bival, Erickson stayed with him from 8 AUG to 2 SEPT. M. and Mme. Isidore Lefebvre and Daughter Jacqueline, Mayor of the Community. M. and Mme. Gaston Roynard kept Lt. Durkes from 10 AUG to 2 SEPT. Marcel Caux, the mother of Fais? kept Lt. Wallen from 8 AUG to 2 SEPT. M. de Girard Desender, St. Germain sur Eubne par _____ en Bray and M. and Mme. at the farm of La Broche, Menonval from 8 AUG to 2 SEPT. kept Lt. Hanisch, Sgt. Popek, Sgt. Baker.

JOHN A. DUTKA

2157 564BS 389BG 1APR44

S/Sgt. Dutka, 31277387, went down West of Adinfer, Arras Region with # 2156 Cohen and # 762 Hamby. See Cohen Report.

JAMES R. DYKES

DECEASED

1592 579BS 392BG 29JAN44