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HEADQUARTERS
AFC STATION 111
APO 634

(3/1)

1 December, 1943.

SPECIAL ORDERS }
NUMBER 256 }

1. In comp with par 1, SO 320, Hq, 8AF, dd 26 Nov, 1943, 1st Lt FRANCIS J. HARRIS, O-835407, is hereby rel'd fr dy and asgmt with 367th Bomb Sq (H), 306th Bomb Gp (H), eff this date and is reasgd to 27th Air T Gp, and with WTR and/or WGH w/o delay to Jn. COM, TDN, 1-5600 P 451-02 A 212/40425.

2. Having rptd to this sta in comp with par 4, SO 216, Hq, VIII BC, dd 26 Nov, 1943, and asgd to 306th Bomb Gp (H), 2nd Lt ROBERT S. BIRD, O-857525, is hereby further asgd to 423rd Bomb Sq (H), 306th Bomb Gp (H), eff this date, and will rpt to the CO thereof for dy.

3. Having rptd to this sta, the fol named O and EM, having been asgd to 306th Bomb Gp (H), are hereby further asgd to 368th Bomb Sq (H), 306th Bomb Gp (H), eff this date and will rpt to the CO thereof for dy.

2nd Lt <u>WALTER (NMI) KEMPT</u> O-67757	2nd Lt <u>ELMER C. FIX</u> O-632841
2nd Lt <u>SHELLEY L. TANNER</u> O-638431	2nd Lt <u>HOWARD L. HERRSTON</u> O-673384
S/Sgt Henry J. Larvig 12432075	Sgt James T. Smith 31172139
S/Sgt George J. Allen 35202412	Sgt Phillip D. Vaught 18210737
Sgt William (NMI) Wiersma 31609100	Sgt Raymond D. Kemp 35570710

4. So much of par 5, SO 250, this Hq, as, dd 25 Nov, 1943 as reads: "In com with par 12, SO 70, Hq, 1st Bomb Div, APO 634, dd 24 Nov, 1943, the fol named EM, orgns indicated, WTR AAF Sta 502 1 Dec, 1943 to rpt by 1600 hrs ad to CO for TD as sta++++++"; is amended to read: "In comp with par 12, SO 70, Hq, 1st Bomb Div, APO 634, dd 24 Nov, 1943, the fol named EM, orgns indicated, WTR AAF Sta 502 5 Dec, 1943 to rpt by 1600 hrs ad to CO for TD as sta++++++".

5. UP of AR 615-5, and upon recommendation of their orgn comdr, the fol named EM, orgns as indicated are hereby promoted to the grades as indicated, eff th date:

	<u>367th Bomb Sq (H)-306th Bomb Gp (H)</u> <u>To be Technical Sergeant (Temporary)</u>	
S/Sgt <u>ROBERT L. BARNETT</u>	35233857	
	<u>To be Staff Sergeant (Temporary)</u>	
Sgt <u>JAMES T. CHILMAN</u>	31075137	
	<u>To be Sergeant (Temporary)</u>	
Cpl <u>MERDINAND H. BLOOM</u>	31301692	
	<u>368th Bomb Sq (H)-306th Bomb Gp (H)</u> <u>To be Technical Sergeant (Temporary)</u>	
S/Sgt <u>EDWARD W. CHAMBERLAIN</u>	35220034	
	<u>To be Staff Sergeant (Temporary)</u>	
Sgt <u>EDWARD J. PETRAKAKAS</u>	32504495	32447795
	<u>To be Sergeant (Temporary)</u>	
Cpl <u>ALLEN (NMI) SMITH, Jr.</u>	15085013	32426781
	<u>423rd Bomb Sq (H)-306th Bomb Gp (H)</u> <u>To be Technical Sergeant (Temporary)</u>	
S/Sgt <u>ROBERT W. McGINNIS</u>	11025590	
	<u>To be Sergeant (Temporary)</u>	
Cpl <u>CASPER J. HERRTEL</u>	12051971	
	<u>To be Sergeant (Temporary)</u>	
Pfc <u>WILLIE W. MULLIS</u>	11772000	32196929
Pfc <u>LESLIE (NMI) GEDOFF</u>	12041136	

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6. Owing to exigencies preventing written orders in adv, the fol VOSO, this Hq, directing the fol named PM, 449th Sub-Depot (Cl I), to proceed CIV o/a 26 Nov, 1943 to Studbury, Devonshire, England for purpose of securing radio equipment for Group Communications, is hereby confirmed and made of record. TD approx 3 days. CTRS. Reimbursement for actual and nec expenses, not to exceed \$ 2.00 per day for grs for 3 men for approx 3 days, and \$ 2.00 per day for rat for 3 men for approx 3 days, is atzd while trav and while on TD where govt grs and rat are not furn or avail away fr perm sta, not to exceed 3 days. YCMT, HQT, 9L-5 P 432-02 A 212/4042:
 Cpl WILLIAM V. ROSE 56304831 1st CSMAR B. PINES 38092900
 Pfc RAYMOND H. HINZEL 38024670

7. UP of AR 615 5, and upon recommendation of their orgn condr, the fol named PM, orgns as indicated, are hereby promoted to the grades as indicated, eff this date:

	<u>569th Bomb Gp (H) - 380th B Gp (H)</u>	
	<u>To be Staff Sergeant (Temporary)</u>	
Sgt CHARLES H. MCKLEY	3521925 Sgt ROBERT J. HELMHOFF	31043015
Sgt EDGAR M. JOHNSON	13049770 Sgt RUDOLPH B. WREN	36120000
Sgt JAMES R. COLEMAN	55217820 Sgt WILLIAM G. FLEM	19050000
	<u>To be Sergeant (Temporary)</u>	
Cpl PHILLIP (NMI) HUNDELL	12037570 Cpl CHESTER W. HOEHLKE	36406755
	<u>449th Sub-Depot (Class II)</u>	
	<u>To be Staff Sergeant (Temporary)</u>	
Sgt HENRY A. AKER	35219035 Sgt WILLIAM L. GILLESO	15010012
Sgt ROBERT W. MELCON	39145095 Sgt CHARLES J. HOLMES	36300500
	Sgt VICTOR A. HIZZI 38001160	
	<u>To be Sergeant (Temporary)</u>	
Cpl DONALD G. DENTON	17031388 Cpl RICHARD (NMI) HORN	34400505
	Cpl JACK E. KATH 17024626	
	<u>To be Corporal (Temporary)</u>	
	Pfc ORVILLE G. SILLER 37203027	
	<u>To be Private First Class (Temporary)</u>	
	Pvt DONALD H. KOLMAN 37146369	

8. 2nd Lt EDGAR H. ROBERTSON, O-567017, AC, 40th Combat Bomb Wg (H), is hereby optd Class "A" agent for that orgn, to Major R. K. AMERSON, vice 1st Lt GEORGE H. ARNOLD, O-795168, AC, retd.

9. So much of par 3, SO 239, this Hq, as, pertaining to Capt ERNEST H. GARDNER, O-1696143, DC, as reads: "For diem of \$ 6.00 is atzd while traveling and while at TD sta, not to exceed 2 days"; is amended to read: "Reimbursement for actual and nec expenses, not to exceed \$ 4.00 per day for grs, and \$ 1.25 per day for subs, is atzd while traveling and while on TD where govt grs and rat are not furn or avail away fr perm sta, not to exceed 2 days."

10. So much of par 4, SO 305, Hq, 306th Bomb Gp (H), as, dd 11 Nov, 1943 per training to Capt REX D. STEINBERGER, O-346352, DC, as reads: "For diem of \$ 6.00 is atzd while traveling and while at TD sta, not to exceed 2 days"; is amended to read: "Reimbursement for actual and nec expenses, not to exceed \$ 4.00 per day for grs, and \$ 1.25 per day for subs, is atzd while traveling and while on TD where govt grs and rat are not furn or avail away fr perm sta, not to exceed 2 days."

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11. So much of par 1, SO 307, Hq, 306th Bomb Gp (H), os, dd 13 Nov, 1943 pertaining to Captain RUDOLPH (MIA) SKELAK, Jr., O-430902, and Captain WILLIAM C. VAN NORMAN, O-562243, as reads: "For diem of \$ 6.00 is auth while traveling only"; is amended to read: "Reimbursement for actual and nec expenses, not to exceed \$ 4.00 per day for qrs, and \$ 1.25 per day for subs, is atzd while trav only".

12. So much of par 6, SO 307, Hq, 306th Bomb Gp (H), os, dd 13 Nov, 1943, pertaining to 2nd Lt JOE (MIA) HOWLES, O-2044609, as reads: "For diem of \$ 6.00 is auth while traveling only"; is amended to read: "Reimbursement for actual and nec expenses, not to exceed \$ 4.00 per day for qrs, and \$ 1.25 per day for subs, is atzd while trav only."

13. So much of par 3, SO 308, Hq, 306th Bomb Gp (H), os, dd 14 Nov, 1943, pertaining to the fol named O, as reads: "A per diem of \$ 6.00 is auth while traveling and a flat per diem of \$ 2.00 per day is auth while at TD sta"; is amended to read: "Reimbursement for actual and nec expenses, not to exceed \$ 4.00 per day for qrs, and \$ 1.25 per day for subs, is atzd while trav and while on TD where govt qrs and rat are not furn or avail away fr perm sta."

1st Lt ZIAS D. DAVIS O-702079 1st Lt ROBERTS V. MOG, Jr., O-734917

1st Lt ERLIND (MIA) JOHNSON, O-741329

14. So much of par 8, SO 303, Hq, 306th Bomb Gp (H), os, dd 14 Nov, 1943, pertaining to Capt JAMES S. CLENEY, O-434736, as reads: "A per diem of \$ 6.00 is auth while traveling and a flat per diem of \$ 2.00 per day is auth while at TD sta"; is amended to read: "Reimbursement for actual and nec expenses, not to exceed \$ 4.00 per day for qrs, and \$ 1.25 per day for subs, is atzd while trav and while on TD where govt qrs and rat are not furn or avail away fr perm sta."

15. So much of par 6, SO 312, Hq, 306th Bomb Gp (H), os, dd 18 Nov, 1943, pertaining to 2nd Lt WILLARD J. CLARIDA, O-673477, as reads: "For diem of \$ 6.00 is auth while traveling and a flat per diem of \$ 2.00 per day is auth while at TD sta"; is amended to read: "Reimbursement for actual and nec expenses, not to exceed \$ 4.00 per day for qrs, and \$ 1.25 per day for subs, is atzd while trav and while on TD where govt qrs and rat are not furn or avail away fr perm sta."

16. So much of par 9, SO 313, Hq, 306th Bomb Gp (H), os, dd 19 Nov, 1943, pertaining to Capt SETHOUR D. RIMBY, O-909699, as reads: "A flat per diem of \$ 6.00 is auth while traveling and while on this TD"; is amended to read: "Reimbursement for actual and nec expenses, not to exceed \$ 4.00 per day for qrs, and \$ 1.25 per day for subs, is atzd while trav and while on TD where govt qrs and rat are not furn or avail away fr perm sta."

17. Owing to exigencies preventing written orders in adv, the fol VCOO, this Hq, directing 1st WANDEN L. DUNCAN, 59387444, Hq & Hq S, 38th Serv Gp (Comm), to proceed CMV o/a 26 Nov, 1943 to Fould, England for assist of transporting ammunition, is hereby confirmed and made of record. TD approx 2 days. Class. reimbursement for actual and nec expenses, not to exceed \$ 2.00 per day for qrs for 1 man for approx 2 days, and \$ 2.00 per day for rat for 1 man for approx 2 days, is atzd while trav and while on TD where govt qrs and rat are not furn or avail away fr perm sta, not to exceed 2 days. FCMT. TDM. 91-5 12432-024 211/30.25.

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18. Having rptd to this sta, in comp with par 2, SO 24, Hq, Casual Pool-17, AAF Sta 539, SAAFSC, dd 30 Nov, 1943, and asgd to 306th Bomb Gp (H), the fol named and EM, are fur asgd to orgns indicated, off this date, and will rpt to the CO thereof for dy:

<u>367th Bomb Sq (H)-306th Bomb Gp (H)</u>			
2nd Lt RICHARD J. SOMERVILLE P	0-799882	2nd Lt ALVIE N. MYERS CP	0-687059
2nd Lt BERNARD A. GROSSMAN N	0-688433	2nd Lt JAMES D. WELCH B	0-685906
S/Sgt Aubrey E. Jones	13105923	S/Sgt Joseph D. Iuskar	12155784
S/Sgt Oscar W. Cooper	38296459	Sgt Frank R. Scarpoco	32478803
Sgt Peter (NMI) Saymanski	31173819	S/Sgt Clarence H. Gillespie	19169085
2nd Lt ROSS A. MCCOLLUM P	0-745054	2nd Lt MARCUM H. THOMAS	0-751775
2nd Lt DANIEL P. JONES	0-688024	2nd Lt LLOYD G. CRABTREE	0-751392
S/Sgt Wayne A. Warner	16162170	Sgt Warren B. Goss	18191517
S/Sgt Henry A. Stolnach	32390535	Sgt Howard L. Chatelain	13176648
Sgt Leander J. Aurie	16132259	Sgt Andrew P. Barrus	39826549
<u>368th Bomb Sq (H)-306th Bomb Gp (H)</u>			
2nd Lt ROBERT H. EERLER P	0-302344	2nd Lt DORSEY O. JONES	0-687195
2nd Lt JOHN W. JAMES, Jr.	0-688445	2nd Lt GILBERT C. TAYMAN	0-686206
S/Sgt Paul J. Pratt	18134702	Sgt Harvey E. Easterly	32551979
S/Sgt Ben B. Ferns, Jr.	34407112	Sgt Alphonse V. Leri	13174650
Sgt Gaetano C. Abbatiello	32110928	Sgt Jack (NMI) Crumley	34200302
2nd Lt THOMAS W. SYMONS, III	0-741984	2nd Lt JOHN R. WELLS	0-687653
2nd Lt ROBERT G. JOBE	0-688048	2nd Lt ROBERT F. BROOKER	0-686066
S/Sgt Oscar V. Ellison	35423616	Sgt Julius G. Kawash	34462446
S/Sgt Robert L. Woodruff	15335743	Sgt Joseph (NMI) Biogui	161431
Sgt Hayden M. Collier	39691559	Sgt Joseph P. Fiddes	13075967
<u>369th Bomb Sq (H)-306th Bomb Gp (H)</u>			
2nd Lt ALVIN G. SCHUERING P	0-804412	F/O BARRY R. PRICE CP	T-12220
2nd Lt JACK M. HAMILTON N	0-688038	2nd Lt ROBERT J. FLOOD B	0-682441
S/Sgt Frederick M. Hawthorne	32363352	Sgt Benjamin E. Ambler	35498803
S/Sgt Michael (NMI) Comarnisky	33350271	Sgt Leon W. Currie	16086374
Sgt Henry C. Ashley	34128778	Sgt Max H. Dergen	36806942
2nd Lt SIDNEY (NMI) WOLFE P	0-805379	2nd Lt ALVIN A. ENOS CP	0-6857293
2nd Lt FREMONT H. JEWELL N	0-688047	2nd Lt HILBERT (NMI) BLOOM B	0-685762
S/Sgt Adolph E. Sicola	32459721	S/Sgt Horace F. Kopler	1-6052198
S/Sgt George D. Collins	38131475	Sgt Norton S. McAlister	11122458
S/Sgt Gerald W. Allen	19102967	Cpl Robert H. Ziegler	36428610
2nd Lt HUDOLPH (NMI) HORST, III P	0-804451	2nd Lt FRANK E. WRIGHT	0-751518
2nd Lt JOHN C. JOLLIN	0-688056	2nd Lt HENRY N. SCHEITZ	0-682520
S/Sgt William I. Osgood	31075027	Sgt Edward N. Ryan	32580261
S/Sgt Arthur G. Cook	31228368	Sgt Laurel H. Floster	37519251
Sgt Frank H. Hartkopf	19179374	Sgt Edward R. Justice	39556604
<u>423rd Bomb Sq (H)-306th Bomb Gp (H)</u>			
2nd Lt HAROLD G. RICHARD P	0-802148	F/O JACK (NMI) CUMBERTSON CP	T-120983
2nd Lt MURRAY S. GREENBERG	0-688432	2nd Lt RICHARD R. BALLE	0-686177
S/Sgt James L. Oruso	15071456	Sgt Clayton E. Cretton	16154739
S/Sgt Floyd A. Baker	39259970	Sgt Donald L. Kennedy	37221538
Sgt Jack E. Hall	13155425	S/Sgt Foster L. Smith	

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2nd Lt CHESTER J. SUTTON	O-801601	2nd Lt FREDERICK L. McINTYRE	O-687050
2nd Lt HAROLD (NMI) GREEN	O-688033	2nd Lt JOHN H. WEEHMAN, Jr.	O-685905
S/Sgt Domenico D. Loo	35512857	Sgt Wilburn (NMI) Harper	35370358
S/Sgt Eugene A. Kiley	32536800	Sgt Raymond F. Durrroughs	12132956
Sgt Joseph C. Steinwachs, Jr.	12056608	Sgt Edwin D. Crocker, Jr.	15323695

19. PAC in AR 615-5, and upon recommendation of their orgn condr, the fol named EM, 423rd Bomb Sq (H), 306th Bomb Gp (H), are hereby reduced to the gr of Pvt, eff this date:

S/Sgt Wallace A. Snedden	18130888	Cpl Warner (NMI) Lowe	34189380
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20. UP of AR 615-5, and upon recommendation of their orgn condr, the fol named EM, orgns as indicated, are hereby promoted to the grades indicated, off this date:

367th Bomb Sq (H)-306th Bomb Gp (H)

To be Sergeant (Temporary)

Pvt JOHN L. ESKEW	37101594	Pvt WILLIAM J. BELL	12137132
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423rd Bomb Sq (H)-306th Bomb Gp (H)

To be Corporal (Temporary)

Pfc FREDERICO P. RIGGLE 35695074

To be Private First Class (Temporary)

Pvt BERNIE O. BRUSH, Jr.	34732024	Pvt WARREN J. SELLEN	12137299
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Pvt WARNER (NMI) LOWE 34189380

21. PAC in AR 605-115, the fol named O, orgns indicated are hereby granted lvs of abs, for number of days, indicated, eff o/a dates indicated

		ORGN	NO OF DAYS	EFF DATE
Capt JOSEPH A. LA MOTTA	O-447077, OWS,	4th Sta Comp Sq	9	22 Dec, 1943
Capt DINWIDDIE (NMI) FUHRMESTER,		367th Bomb Sq (H)	2	1 Dec, 1943
	O-727207 AC	306th Bomb Gp (H)		
1st Lt JEROME J. KOSTAL	O-731383 AC	367th Bomb Sq (H)	2	1 Dec, 1943
		306th Bomb Gp (H)		

22. Pursuant to secret ltr, Hq, 8AF, sub, "Orders", dd 28 Nov, 1943, the fol named O and EM, are rel'd fr dy and asgmt with 368th Bomb Sq (H), 306th Bomb Gp (H), off this date and WPR and/or WPGM as directed by 8AF. T.M. TCNT. TDN. 15600 P 431-02 A 0425-24:

1st Lt AUGUST (NMI) WINTERS	O-729532	T/Sgt George S. Monsor	16072028
		T/Sgt William E. Scott	15300732

23. Having rptd to this sta in comp with par 8, SO 279, Hq, 12th RCD, AAF Sta 591, dd 30 Nov, 1943, and asgd to 306th Bomb Gp (H), 1st Sgt MICHAEL P. CAPALDI, 13029306, is hereby asgd to 423rd Bomb Sq (H), 306th Bomb Gp (H), off this date, and will rpt to the CO thereof for dy.

By order of Colonel ROBINSON:

D. R. COLEMAN,
Lt Col, AC,
Executive.

OFFICIAL:

C. G. DUY, Jr.,
Major, AC,
Adjutant.