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THE HOLY TRINITY CHURCH AT PENN

The Holy Trinity Church is located in the Village of Penn, Buckinghamshire, UK. This beautiful atmospheric church, rich in history, dates back to at least the 12th century. The 398th BG has a connection with Holy Trinity as this is where a lectern holding The Book of Remembrance listing the names of the Charles J. Searl crew is on display for public viewing. The inscription begins; "In Honoured And Grateful Memory Of A Gallant American Bomber Crew"... "Their Flying Fortress caught fire over Penn and avoiding dwellings they crashed in flames between Parsonage Farm and Lude Farm"... "In thus saving others, themselves they could not save". Their doomed B-17 was the "Tomahawk Warrior". The men of this crew were; Charles J. Searl, Pilot; Albert J. Dion, Co-Pilot; Saul J. Kempner, Navigator; Leo C. Walsh, Bombardier; Cecil E. Kennedy, Radio; James A. Beaty, Engineer; Alfred Bueffel, Ball Turret; Albert W. Knight, Waist Gunner; Orville M. Wilson, Tail Gunner. Each Armistice Day Penn Church remembers them in the service and reads their names out along with others who gave their lives from the village.

The story on the next page "B-17 Tomahawk Warrior" by Ronald M. Setter, is a tribute to the Searl Crew who tragically perished upon crashing in the open fields of Penn, England on August 12, 1944.

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B-17 "Tomahawk Warrior", A Tribute to the Charles J. Searl Crew

By Ronald M. Setter

Saturday, 12 August 1944 – a B-17 bomber named the *Tomahawk Warrior* and nine young men came into the history of Penn forever. Many years have gone by – some of the elders of Penn who remembered that day have passed away and a new generation born. They can only read of the sacrifice made by the *Tomahawk Warrior* and her crew.

The nine young men who flew that morning died long before their time on their 25th mission. Only a few more to fly and they would have been going home to loved ones and a full and happy life ahead.

This is their story.....

The 398th Bomb Group was one of the last to arrive in this country during March 1944. They flew their B-17's from Newfoundland to England to the allotted aerodrome of Nuthampstead near Royston in Herts where the countryside was very similar to that which surrounds Penn. To one crew their B-17 was special to them and as was usual the Pilot, Charles Searl, named it the *Tomahawk Warrior* after the small town where he lived. There was a crew of ten to fly her and a skilled ground crew to care for her. The first mission was to Berlin on the 19th of May. They returned safely and one can only feel that they were relieved and jubilant.

Charles Searl was married with a daughter of 18 months and he and his wife were expecting another addition to the family in July. He was 23 and had enlisted in the Air Force soon after Pearl Harbor. As far as records show, none of the other nine crewmembers were married and their ages ranged from 20 to 27. They had come from many states across the USA... Wisconsin, Massachusetts, Michigan, Washington, D.C., Arkansas, Virginia, Ohio and New York.

The *Tomahawk Warrior* flew many missions including a D-Day one to targets at Caen and Courseulles, France. Missions were interposed with leave which one supposes they spent in London. Their evenings would be spent at the local Inn just on the edge of the airfield and at Royston, the nearest small town. Entertainment would have been laid on at the base along with dances and there must have been invitations from the local population.

By June the *Tomahawk Warrior* had completed sixteen missions, all with the same crew. July recorded only five missions. During this month Charles Searl must have received news of the birth of a second daughter, sadly he was never to see.

From August 1st, the *Tomahawk Warrior*, still with her original crew, flew missions to France and Germany and on the morning of the 12th were on their twenty-fifth to Europe, Versailles, France. The day was dull and overcast with low cloud. Just before take-off, the tenth member of the crew stepped down from the flight. It has never been sure why. All that is known of him is his name and rank and after the *Tomahawk Warrior* crashed he was returned to America and so survived the war. No trace of him was ever found.

The crew of nine took off at 0618. Formation was hazardous with the bad weather as the plane climbed to reach height. By 0700 the *Tomahawk Warrior* was heading out Southeast and already in trouble.



Searl's Crew - 600th Squadron - Early 1944

Back Row, Left to Right: Leo G. Walsh, Bombardier; Albert L. Dion, Co-Pilot; Charles J. Searl, Pilot; Saul J. Kempner, Navigator.

Front Row, Left to Right: Orville M. Wilson, Waist & Tail Gunner; James A. Beaty, Engineer; Alfred Bueffel, Ball Turret; Alfred W. Knight, Waist Gunner; Cecil E. Kennedy, Radio; F.A. Snyder, Tail Gunner

One engine was seen to be on fire, and as it turned over the town of High Wycombe to return to base, a second engine was seen also on fire. Below in the town was the HQ of the 8th Air Force and most likely monitoring the mission. It has always been accepted that the pilot was trying to find open ground to attempt a landing when he had no chance of reaching his base or even Bovingdon airfield which was only ten miles away to the North. He would have seen the populated area he was flying over and realized the devastation the plane would cause if it crashed there. It skimmed over the farmhouse of Lude Farm and crashed into open fields opposite. Tomahawk Warrior and its crew of nine young men ended life in a massive explosion and fire. No one had bailed out of the stricken plane and no distress signal was ever traced. They stayed together, comrades now for all eternity. One of the crew was found in the lane and two at the edge of the fields. The rest were identified by their dog tags. A short entry in official records at their base read, 'Takeoff 0618 hours, 0720 no return'. Such a short epitaph.

No investigation took place as to the reason for the crash. It was just one more casualty of war. General Doolittle, who was at the HQ in High Wycombe, visited the scene of the crash later in the day.

The field where the *Tomahawk Warrior* crashed is the same today as it was fifty-seven years ago. Beautiful, peaceful and the seasons come and go. It is an everlasting memorial to duty and sacrifice. They that died need no other.

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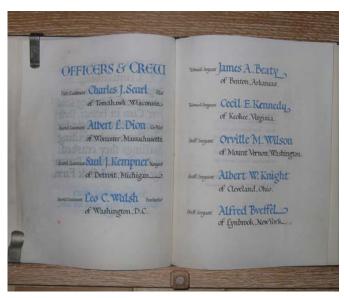
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They were all buried in Cambridge Cemetery but after the war, in accordance with the wishes of their relatives, eight of them were re-interred in Arlington Cemetery, America. They sleep amongst the highly honored in America. The one who was left behind, Albert Knight, also with his parent's wishes, is honored yearly by the Chiltern Aircraft Research Group on the anniversary of the crash with flowers and thoughts of the eight lying in their home country.

Each Armistice Day, Penn Church remembers them in the service and reads their names out along with others who gave their lives from the village. Small American Flags are placed along the path by the church door, each with the name of the *Tomahawk Warrior's* crew, and usually the Battle Hymn of the Republic is sung in honor. The Book of Remembrance in Penn Church has their names inscribed in glorious memory.

To all who read this tribute, remember... they gave their lives just as bravely and in sacrifice for peace, just as those who were lost on and over the battlefields of Europe.



The Book of Remembrance in Penn Church
The Searl Crew will not be forgotten

REUNION NEWS!

2014 is shaping up to be a big year for 398th gatherings.

First, as Marilyn mentioned in her President's Message on this page, the UK Biennial Service will be held at the 398th BG Memorial in Nuthampstead on June 14, 2014.

Then of course, our 31st Annual Stateside Reunion will be held in Rapid City, South Dakota, September 3 - 6, 2014. Ken Howard, our Reunion Chair, is cooking up a variety of fun tours for all to enjoy such as visiting Mount Rushmore, exploring Dinosaur Hill, touring downtown Rapid City and more. Details for the Rapid City Reunion will be in the April issue of the FLAK NEWS.

The President's Message:

BY MARILYN GIBB-RICE

President, 398th Bomb Group Memorial Association

Have you checked out our 398th website lately??? We have had a huge amount of new information including pictures, Timeless Voices videos, text, and PX updates put up on our website. Please take a moment and explore www.398th.org! Our congratulations and thanks to our new web team for doing such a fantastic job!

The biennial service at the 398th Memorial at Nuthampstead, England will be held June 14, 2014. Plans are now underway for another moving service and everyone is invited. If you are thinking of joining us, please let me know and we will try to coordinate some of the travel arrangements.

I am so pleased with our Flak News' editorial committee and the magnificent newsletters we have received this past year. The positive remarks have been overwhelming AND the **SAVINGS** has been stellar! The last four issues *before* the new committee took over cost the 398th BGMA \$12,713.75. The latest four issues that have been produced by the committee have cost the group just \$5,708.85, an incredible <u>savings of \$7,004.90</u>!!! Thank you to our new Flak News Committee and the fantastic job they have done and continue to do.

It has been a great year for the 398th! We look forward to seeing you at Nuthampstead or Rapid City in 2014.

2014 ANNUAL DUES ANNOUNCEMENT!

The 2014 Annual **\$20.00 Dues** for ALL 398th BGMA members are due to be paid January 2014.

In order to remain current with your membership and continue to receive the FLAK NEWS please mail your 2014 dues to Dawne Dougherty, 398th BGMA Dues Manager, ASAP.

Make your **\$20.00** check payable to the "398th BGMA" and mail to:

Dawne Dougherty Harrisburg, OR 97446-9585

\$100.00 Lifetime memberships are also available.

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TAPS

The names on the following pages are the men of the 398th who have passed on since arriving home from England in 1945

Abernathy, John R. Adam, Walter H. Adamek, Edward Adams, Eugene R. Adelman, Joseph Paul Adkins, Max E. Adleman, Milo M. Agnew, E. Harry Agnew, Robert Agnone, Anthony Akins, Kenneth L. Albert, Dwyer D. Albro, Albert M. Alderson Richard Alessio, Louis F. Alexander, Claude Alfano, John A Alhadeff, Isaac N. "Ike" Allare, John E. Allen, Bobby D. Allen, George E. Allen, Jr., Stanley Woodruff Alpert, Stanley Altman, Frank Alves. Alfred Alwood, Joseph G. Amer, Gerald E. "Jerry" Anaya, Alfredo Andersen, Russell M. Anderson, Allen C. Anderson, Charles J. Anderson, Earl W. "Andy" Anderson, Frank P. Anderson, Norman R. Anderson, Ralph G. Anderson, Robert George Anderson, Roy L. Anderson, William G. Anderson, Jr., Emil R. Andreko, Andrew Andrews, Kenneth E. Anglim, Harold R. Aniello, John Arbogast, Filbert E. "Phil" Arbuthnot, S. Edward Ariotti. Joseph Arlin, Alan A. Armbruster, James Iven Armstrong, Harold Leo Armstrong, Robert D. Armstrong, Sidney A. Armstrong, Walter G. Armstrong, Jr., Arthur E. Arndell James Arnold, Robert Waite Ashour, Martin Denis Baxter, Richard W. Ashton, Jr., Leonard C. Bearden, Edgar T. Ashworth, Dean H. Beattie, Hugh Donald Atkins, James R. Beatty, Oscar L. Atkinson, Herman Beavers, Cecil

Atkinson, Vernon C. Atwood, Doyle Audet, Paul E. Augustine, Joseph J. Aukerman, John V. Aune. Arnt M. Austad, Kermit Auten, William E. Avello Vincent Aver, Donald M. Axson, Jr., Jason M. Ayers, Robert F. Bachman, John J. Bachman, Kenneth Bacon, Adrian S. Bacon, Gerard R. Bacon, James C. Baer, Howard F. Baethge, Henry G. Baffaro, Louis Bagan, Wesley Bagley, Bernard Bahling, John W. Bailey, Adrian A. "Bud" Bailey, Ray E. Baird, Harold L. Baker, Albert A. Baker, Cova B. Baker, Hermus C. Baldiga, Edward M. Baldwin, Mondo L. Ballard, Charles W. Bancroft, Joseph D. "Dave" Bangson, Barry D. Bankert, James W. Baptiste, Claude A. Barkovich, Fred Barnes, Lynn W. Barnes, Mike K. "Sonny" Barnett, Robert Barnhart, Joseph E. Barnshaw, Thomas J. Barnum, George E. Bartimus Neil R Bartusiak, Leonard J. Bartusis, Anthony J. Basco, John J. Bash, Clare C. Basham, James E. Bassman, Fred G. Batayias, Peter K. Battaglia, Francis A. "Frank" Baughman, John Bauhoff, Christian J. Bawduniak, John

Beck, Charles M. Beck, John W. Becker, Eugene J. Becker, John J. Becker, Max N. Beckley, Robert John Beckstrom, Kenneth W. Beecher, Edward B. Behr, Jack Beighle, Forest Belcher, Jess Bell, Marvin G Bell, Robert Bendixon Donald L Benefiel, Phillip L. Bennett, John L. Bennett, Norville W. Benningfield, Harley O. Benoe, William I. Berggren, Cecil E. Bergquist, Carl G. Bergsma, Norman E. Bernard, John R. Bernier, Loyola A. Berry, Jr., Kearie L. Berryhill, Earl J. Berthoud, Charles E. Berz, Marvin S. Bestervelt, Harold J. Bethel, Marvin F. Bewley, James A. Biancardi, Andrew Bickford, Cleo M. Biette, William P. Bigda, Joseph T. Bingham, LaFayette Hugh Bingle, Henry Birch, Oral B. Bird. John C. Bischoff, Albert J. Bissin, Albert Bittner, Walter Blackwell, Jr., Wallace H. "Wally" Blancett, Marvin L. Blanco, Manuel Blanda, Guido Blank, Theodore P. "Ted" Blankenship, G. W. Blehm, Frederick W. Bley, Winston C. Blum, Lowell Bobbitt, James M.S. Boeger, Orville W. Boehme, Alfred H. "Herb" Boersma, Ted Bogard, Williard B. Bogdanski, Edward J.

Bolthouse, Charles G. Bolton, Vencil Boltz, Phillip T. Bonanno, Salvatore Bonasch, Robert W. Bongiani, Bruno Bonner, Donald C. Borchers, Doyle J. Bordonaro, Vincent L. Bornstedt, John W. Borts, Donald E. Borys, Raymond J. Bosshart, Herbert Boswell Marion I Bottoms, Millard S. Bourke, Joseph E. Bourlon, Billy L. Bowcock, Jr., Harold Guy Bowe, Vincent A. Bowman, Leonard L. Boyes, Haskell Braddock, Heyward M. Bradford, Oliver William Bradley, John A. Bradley, Jr., Frederick C. Brady, Jack H. Braica, Jr., Benny Brandstatter, John D. "Jack" Brass, Ernest H. Bream, Burt D. Breault, Alfred L Breimeyer, Royal H. Brewer, Darrell F Brewer, Val M. Bridges, Clarence W. Brindley, Earl M. Briody, James J. Briskie. Edward F. Britt. Thomas F. Britton, John H. Brock, William J. Brockman, James W. Brokaw, Rev. Raymond S. Brooks, Harrison F. Brooks, Henry A. Brown, Arnold W Brown, Clyde R. Brown, James C. Brown Joe F Brown, Lawrence Brown, Logan Edwin Brown, Orland D. Brown Paul W Brown Richard Brown, Robert E. Brown, Samuel M. Brown, Sidney Brown, Jr., Hillyer B. "Pete" Cassel, Arnold

Brubaker, Wayne L. Brumley, Thomas Clayton Brunke, Earl H. Brunsberg, Arnold Norman Bryan, Virgil J. Bryant, Edward M. Buchsbaum, Louis Buck, Chester S. Buck, Herman J. Buckingham, James S. Buckley, Francis X. Buckley, Thomas D. Buckowitz, Stanley Bugbee, Herbert A. Bur, Nicholas J. Burke, Alfred M. Burris, Jr., Thomas E. Burrit, Donald J. Burroughs, Kirby W. Burton, John Busbee, Charles R. Buscani, John P. Buschbaum, Louis Buschle, Jr., Louis C. Bussard, James L. Butler, John Butts, Donald L. Buvinger, Davis C. Buzza, Kenneth Callahan, Noel Cameron, Carl C. Campbell, Edward A. Campbell, Homer J. Campbell, Roger W. Campbell, Thomas J. Campbell, Thomas K. Campbell, Van B. Campbell, Wallis L. Campdon, Alfred E. Cannon, Floyd H. Canter, Charles H. Cantrell, Floyd Cantwell, Robert Harvey Capen, George H. Carlson, Kenneth G. Carlton, Donald P. Carr, William R. Carter, Nigel B. Carter, Richard J. Carter, Robert C. (Saferite crew) Carter, Robert C. (Watson crew) Carver, Robert W. Carwile, Allan P. Case, Royce Leo Cason, Alfred G.

Catterson, Kenneth L. Cavalier, Vincent J. Charbonneau, Francis Chase, Lewis D. Chaudet, Louis P. Chavez, Martin C. Chesshir, Kenneth P Chmielewski, Ramond J. Chorba, Robert T. Chrisman, Estil L. Christofer, George B. Christopher, Arthur C. Christos, Christy A. Church, Fred M. Church, Harold M. Churchill, Wesley H. Cifrese, Paul F. Cingle, Michael J Civitarese, William A. Clack. Bill S. Clafford, Lloyd Clament, Jesse R. Clark, Benjamin L. Clark, Francis C. Clark, Joval O. Clarke, Atwell S. Clarke, Walter F Claude, Charles L. Clements, Jerauld N. "Jerry" Clifton, Ernest Clisham, Raymond Joseph Clyne, Harold J. Coatley, Andrew Cochran, Curtis G. Codan. Peter Coe, Dewey Coene, William G. Coffee, Marvin W. Coffee, Jr., Donald J. Cohan, Daniel T. Colantoni, George Colburn, Warren C. Cole, Harold Cole, William R. Coleman, George F. Coleman, Thomas A. Coleman, Winsor O. Collins, Alvin J. Collins, Hamilton P. Collins, Phillip D. Collins, Jr., Broadus B. Colville, Paul Colvin, Charles E. Colvin, Jr., William L. Colwell, John J. Combs, Calvin C. Combs, Ralph S. Comstock, William G. Conrad, John P.

Conrow, Russell C.

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Brozena, Jr., John M.

Brubaker, Franklin P.

Caster, William

Castro, Edward R.

Bohn, Jack L.

Boland, Walter Edlund

"In my dreams I'll always see you soar above the sky...

This year our Taps list headings are lines from the song "There You'll Be" written by Diane Warren, sung by Faith Hill.

Constantine, Lyman R.	Dalton, Hal W.	Dougherty, Thomas E.	Evans, Clarence E.	Fowler, Hannibal C.	Godfrey, John
Contento, John D.	Dalton, Hollis L.	Douglas, Gene L.	Evans, Donald	Franceschini, Gino	Godsey, Jr., James H.
Cook, Eugene I.	Daly, William J.	Dover, Harry J.	Evans, Harrison A.	Frankhouser, William L.	Godwin, John K.
Cook, James P.	Dames, John J.	Dowling, T.	Evans, John H.	Frantz, Landis A.	Goldbach, Ernest
Cook, Jr., Dewey B.	Darcy, Lawrence	Downing, Robert A.	Evans, William J.	Frazier, James R. "Dick"	Goldman, Gilbert
Coombs, Leo S.	Darner, Leroy A.	Drager, Keith N.	Faas, William E.	Frazier, Willis E. "Bill"	Goldsmith, John G.
Coombs, William Frank	David, Paul M.	Dreyer, Charles G.	Faber, Herbert G.	Freel, Lawrence A.	Gonzales, Benito
Coomes, Ralph S.	Davidoff, Herman Y.	Driscoll, John T.	Fagelman, Sidney	Freeman, Roger W.	Gonzales, Federico "Fred"
Cooper, Beryl C.	Davidson, Warren R. "Whitey"	Duff, John T.	Fahrenthold, Frances L.	Freeman, William Noel	Gordon, Charles W.
Cooper, Joseph D.	Davidson, William H.	Duffy, Joseph M.	Falkenbach, John S.	French, Ozie	Gosse, Earl H.
Cooper, Jr., D.G. "Bud"	Davis, Elwood B.	Duncan, John W.	Farewell, Francis A.	French, Richard G.	Goveia, George
Coopet, Joseph L.	Davis, Jack	Duncombe, David M.	Farley, James	Frew, George E.	Grace, Harold Wayne
Corbiere, Ovila Stanley	Davis, Jerald Adams	Dunlap, Jr., Fred M.	Farley, Robert	Fritog, Arthur C.	Graff, Stephen J.
Corcoran, Joseph W.	Davis, John H.	Dunn, Richard J.	Farmer, Edward	Fritsch, Phillip A.	Grange, George
Core, Orville Benjamin	DeBrocke, Walter R.	Dunne, William G.	Farmer, Jack D.	Fritz, Jack	Grant, Sam H.
Cornett, Earl M.	Decker, Gerald A.	Durbin, Francis	Farmer, John M.	Froelich, James S.	Gray, Charles F.
Corrigan, James E.	Dee, Jr., Robert H.	Durtschi, William John	Farnsworth, Dexter B.	Fuemmeler, Clarence J.	Gray, Harry E.
Corry, Fr. George	DeGuiseppe, Amedio Gerald	Dutra, Edwin V.	Farrell, William A.	Fugge, Armand P.	Gray, Jay O.
Corsuti, Anthony	DeLancey, Lawrence	Dutrow, Gordon P.	Faughn, Joseph F.	Gabriel, Frank E.	Green, Sam B.
Cosco, John P.	Delbart, Raymond S.	Duvall, Rev. James T.	Fay, Andrew F.	Gabriel, Stanley W.	Greenberg, Abraham I.
Cosens, Loren A.	Delcamp, Clarence E.	(Protestant Chaplain)	Fedder, Gordon E. "Gene"	Gagne, George H.	Greene, Norbert
Costanzo, William H.	DeLorey, William J.	Dwyer, Wilbur S.	Feinman, Gilbert	Gagnon, Glen S.	Greene, Richard G.
Cote, Arthur	Delorier, Joseph G.	Dwyer, Jr., William J.	Fellows, Charles E.	Gailey, Samuel Allen	Greene, Thomas F.
Coupart, Bernard	Delorimier, John B.	Dye, Gerald	Fender, Keith C.	Gallardo, Octavus	Gregorie, Robert K.
Courneen, John Roger	Delph, Clarence	Earley, Robert J.	Ferguson, Reginald C.	Galloway, Robert C.	Gresh, Stephen J.
Courtenay, Gordon T.	Demander, John L.	Ebbeson, Dr. E. Dalton	Fernandez, Frank	Galloway, Robert F.	Griffin, Donald E.
Coville, Paul A.	Derderian, Charles	Eberhart, Jay J.	Ferrante, William J.	Gamester, Charles W.	Griffin, Richard Arthur "Pop"
Cowen, Harry R.	Desh, Herb	Ebert, Lloyd Martin	Ferris, Garwood	Ganz, William	Griffo, Arthur J.
Cowley, Jr., John J.	Devan, Samuel	Echevarria, Jose M.	Fetterman, Winfred B.	Gardipee, Francis J.	Grinter, Donald
Cox, Howard W.	Devaney, Francis P.	Eck, Harold	Fick, Herbert A.	Gardner, Raymond A.	Grossman, M.
Cox, Merle C.	Devlin, Steve P.	Eckstein, Julius C.	Fields, Jerome G.	Garland, Jack S.	Grothues, Alphonse
Cox, Norman	Dexter, Robert L.	Edgell, Harry	Figueira, Arthur L.	Garson, Ralph	Gruber, Fred N.
Cox, Paul E.	Dezan, Burton H.	Edgington, Gilbert	Finn, Edward J.	Gary, B.	Gruber, Robert V.
Coxey, John T.	Dick, Russell O.	Edick, Charles Kenneth	Fischer, James N.	Gasbarro, John J.	Guarisco, John B.
Cranston, Jr., Lyman N.	Dick, William J.	Edmondson, Georgie G.	Fischer, Llewellyn Lee	Gates, Robert N.	Guice Jr., Thomas L.
Craver, Robert W.	Dickhart, Clarence D.	Edwards, John H.	Fishbeck, Frank G.	Gatton, Rufus D. "Bob"	Guild, Herbert D.
Crawford, Paul F.	Dierolf, Claude E.	Ehil, Edward	Fisher Jr., Clarence	Gaulke, Gerald G.	Gulledge, Thomas G.
Creech, Warren	DiGeorgio, Jack C.	Ehret, Clarence	Fisher, Kenneth F.	Gaynor, John L.	Gulyas, Theodore S.
Crenshaw, Billy W.	Dimich, Peter M.	Eichman, Eugene M.	Fisher, Wilbur G. "Bill"	Geddes, Gordon G.	Gurney, Jr., Julius
Cridland, William C.	Dimino, Charles A.	Eiselle, Francis C.	Fleckenstein, Norbert J.	Gehris, Sidney H.	Gustafson, Leonard A.
Crocker, Lawrence F.	Diner, Stanley	Elderkin, Jr., James K.	Fleming, Horace	Gelwicks, Frank I.	Gustaves, Selmar
Cron, Robert G.	Dingus, Henry P.	Ellzey, Mark J.	Fletcher, Maurice C.	Gerber, Thomas W.	Guy, Chester L.
Cronk, Robert N.	Dionne, Simeon A.	Elmore, William Hughes	Fletcher, Richard E.	Gergenti, Leonard J.	Haakenson, Selmer K.
Cross, Albert B.	Dippel, Francis W.	Elsrod, Orville William	Flickinger, Charles R.	Gerle, John L.	Hadjes, Willard
Crouch, James C.	Dixon, Gerald E. "Dick"	Elton, Leroy	Flipse, David	Gerloff, Harry E.	Hafer, George C.
Crowder, Rod J.	Dixon, Roger E.	Elwell, Ellis B.	Flood, George M.	Gerlt, Larry E.	Hagedorn, Forrest L. "Hank"
Cubranich, Julius P.	Dobie, Richard	Elwood, Kenneth C.	Florin, Henry	Gerrain, Peter	Hager, Herman L.
Cucco, Joseph F.	Doerfler, David J.	Emmons, James W.	Floyd, Jr., Arch C.	Giardano, Joe	Haig, Jr., Alfred V.
Cullinan, Stephen P.	Doerstler, Wayne	Engard, Robert	Flynt, Harold Lewis	Gibb, Robert B.	Haight, David E.
Cummings, D. L.	Doherty, John H.	Engel, William E.	Folger, Robert A.	Gibbons, Marion H.	Hakomaki, Floyd
Cundiff, Donald W.	Doles, Robert F.	Engle, George W. "Bill"	Fong, Jimmie W.	Gibeau, Raymond C.	Hale, Robert D.
Cunningham, Byron B.	Dollar, James B.	Ensign, Col. Lewis P.	Foraker, Kenneth H.	Gibson, Charles F.	Haley, John T.
Currie, Warren H.	Domnissey, Aloyisius H. "Alvin	Enzweiler, Walter J.	Forsyth, George W.	Gillenwater, Joseph A.	Hall, Joseph F.
Curtis, Glenn E.	Donahue, Clifford E.	Erickson, Edward H.	Foster, Carl F.	Gillis, Jr., W. Bruce	Hall, Ralph
Cutcher, James L.	Donelian, Thomas	Erickson, Mahlon R. "Mac"	Foster, Dean L.	Ginsburg, Joseph	Hall, Richard Harding
Cyr, Raymond J.	Donovan, George A.	Erickson, Paul W.	Foster, George E.	Giordano, Joe	Hall, Walter W.
Dacon, Charles H.	Doran, Robert E. "Red"	Erickson, Roger	Foster, James	Giuliano, Pete	Hall, Jr., Howard Jefferson
D'Addio, Phillip P.	Dorfmeier, Donald D.	Erickson, Vaughn M.	Foster, Maston M.	Glickman, Barney M.	Hallberg, Charles T.
Dailey, Donald H.	Dotson, Robert L.	Erler, Donald J.	Foster, Paul E.	Glissman, Dale F.	Haller, John A. "Jack"
Daily, Edwin Bruce	Dougherty, Allison L.	Esterbrooks, James H.	Foster, Robert J.	Gloor, John M.	Ham, Charles King

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In my heart there'll always be a place for you, for all my life...

Hamacher, Ross L.	Hennrikus, Jr., George F.	Howden, Ross I.	Johnston, Ted J.	Klatte, Earl W.	Latson, Jr., Harvey H.
Hammer, Philip M.	Henrickson, Anfin	Howell, William A.	Jones, Andrew	Klatzkin, Nathan	Laubernds, Lawrence H.
Hammett, Harold "Bud"	Hentschel, Jr., George E.	Hoyne, Earl K.	Jones, Arthur D.	Klimasczfski, Victor	Laufer, Marvin
Hammill, Frank D.	Hentschel, Herbert G.	Hreachmack, Joseph	Jones, Charles T.	(Klemens)	Law, Charles H.
Hammontree, Jack C.	Herbert, Earl	Hudson, Herman D.	Jones, Ira	Kling, Vern Harwood	Lawler, David F.
Hamor, Jr., William T.	Herbert, Robert G.	Hudson, Jack C.	Jones, William H.	Klingerhoffer, John	Leasure, Robert Edward
Hampton, Ralph C. "Red"	Herbst, Carl A.	Huesgen, Adolph H. "Bud"	(Florence, AL)	Klix, George A.	LeDoux, Raymond Joseph
Hanauer, James	Hereid, Selby P.	Huesman, Henry A.	Jones, William H.	Kluck, Herman G.	Lee, John J. "Jack"
Hancock, Leonard J.	Herkenham, Robert F.	Huey, Elbert P.	(Olympia, WA)	Kneuer, Arthur T.	Leemon, Donald J.
Hancock, William C.	Herman, Jacob D.	Hughes, Jr., Byron R.	Jones, Jr., Dr. Floyd	Knife, Percy	Leonard, Gene F.
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Terence Robert St. Louis, Ball Turret Gunner, 601st SQ

A Life Well Lived

Written by Leslie St. Louis, In honor of her dad

Terence, almost certainly the last surviving Air Force historian who served throughout World War II joined those from the greatest generation who preceded him in death on September 27th, 2013. Terry enlisted shortly after graduating from high school in upstate New York. His first assignment was in the Canal Zone as part of the lend lease or Destroyers for Bases swap with the United Kingdom at the beginning of World War II in which American Destroyers were sent to England in exchange for long term leases of British holdings. His second assignment also under the destroyer swap wasn't too unpleasant either as he was stationed on the British West Indies island of Trinidad, a place he often recounted as one of the most beautiful in the world. Eventually Terry won a transfer to the Army Air Corp and began pilot training in April of 1944 at Sheppard Field, Texas. Terry, along with 36,000 other young pilots, was reassigned shortly after the Japanese surrender and in July of 1944, thanks to his compact stature he entered gunnery school in Kingman Arizona before moving on to B-17 flight training and finally being assigned to the 601st Bomb Squad 398th Bomb Group stationed in Nuthampstead, England as a ball turret gunner. On 25 April 1945 Terry flew his final of 24 combat missions with the Eighth Air Force, as part of a bombing raid on the Skoda armament works at Pilsen, Czechoslovakia as part of the liberation of Czechoslovakia.

Terry met his future wife, Lydia Noyes of Poquonock Bridge, Connecticut in 1946 when his brother Bud and his family were stationed at the submarine base in New London. While Lydia was only 14 at the time the Noyes families and the St. Louis families formed a close bond. Although Terry left Connecticut to pursue college in Syracuse in New York and to travel some he returned in 1948 to reenlist in New London to serve as part of the Berlin Air Lift and in he and Lydia were married in 1951.

Following the war, he was briefly a public affairs officer before becoming an enlisted historian. Terry retired from active military service in 1963 but would continue his profession as an historian for twenty years as a civil servant. During the course of his career Terry finished a Bachelor's degree in History from the University of Maryland and a Masters in International Relations from the University of Arkansas while serving at Headquarters Eurcom in Wiesbaden, Germany. Terry's final assignment was as the historian for the Air Force Operational Test and Evaluation Center at Kirtland Air Force Base, Albuquerque, New Mexico in 1975 until his retirement in 1986.

Terry remained active with many organizations in his retirement, the one that meant the most to him was the 8th Air Force 398th Bomb Group Memorial Association. A particular highlight of his retirement was in summer 2008 when Terry and his wife Lydia, traveled to Pilsen, Czechoslovakia on a tour sponsored by the Eighth Air Force Historical Society. The visiting Americans were hosted as dignitaries by Czech civil and military officials who even flew Terry and others over what had long ago been their target. Terry was the lone survivor from the original mission and when asked what he thought of seeing the targets he commented "it was the first time I've actually seen them there was too much smoke and flack that day."

Terry was a consummate story teller and believed the telling of our history to be one of our most important tasks. He was often heard quoting Winston Churchill, "those who fail to learn from history are doomed to repeat it." Terry was one who lived history, taught history and with his life left a great legacy for those who follow.

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NUTHAMPSTEAD AIRFIELD MUSEUM

News from the Trustees

The Great Land Grab Drive Is On! By Marilyn Gibb-Rice

Colonel Frank P. Hunter once quoted: "A wise general once said; 'The superior soldier is one who always does more than he was expected to do.' Then he went on to say, "I believe that this definition is applicable to each of the officers and men of the 398th Bombardment Group. I am proud as hell to be a member of YOUR outfit - the best I have ever been in or ever expect to be in."

The Nuthampstead Airfield Museum trustees believe that the 398th Bombardment Group deserves to be remembered as one of the best groups of the 8th Air Force during World War II. We want our museum to be there for the many generations to come. We want to guarantee that the buildings we build, the Nissen hut we construct, the Memorial Garden we plant and nourish will be a memorial to our heroes, our 398th Veterans. In order to make this guarantee, we need to raise the funds to purchase the land. In years past, we have undertaken other major fundraising projects and we have succeeded as a group every time - let's do it again! We have made a good start by selling 52 plots of the land - but we still have 542 plots left. They are only \$100 per plot and again they can be purchased 'in honor of' or 'in memory of.'

The plan is to have the second building completed for the June 14, 2014 service at Nuthampstead - but the weather has to cooperate and you all know what the English weather can be like! So the museum trustees and volunteers will be working and doing way more than they are expected to do. Can you do your part and support the museum by securing the land for the future? Can you buy a plot of land in honor of your fellow crew member, husband, father, brother, uncle, grandfather, friend? Please join us in the drive to have the best museum for years to come.

Please make a check payable to "398th Bomb Group Memorial Association" for \$100 per plot and mail along with your completed Land Grab Form (see form to the right) to Mellisa Ledlow, 398th BGMA Treasurer, using her address on the form.

If you have any questions, please send an e-mail to president@398th.org

Photo at Right: Russ Abbey of the Nuthampstead Airfield Museum sent us this photo of his 7 year old son last August and wrote; "George and I were out yesterday searching for items on the old airfield (with kind permission of the Barkers). Found masses of stuff, mostly Aluminium from aircraft but also a few gems. George has a habit of always finding the best pieces, and yesterday he was 'on the ball'. Even managed to get the missus to meet us up there and buy the family a lunch in the Woodman! Heaven!"

Editor's Note: Excellent "Land Grab" George!

Nuthampstead Airfield Museum

Land Grab Form

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George Abbey Finds Bits of the Past at Nuthampstead

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BRIEF - things

Hello fellow 398er's, here we are starting another new year, let's hope it will be a happy and prosperous one for us all... Geoff Rice's "Do You Know These Men?" series continues to be extremely successful. We would like to thank Arthur W. Flatt for identifying all of the men (Arthur Flatt, pilot; William R. Wingate, navigator; Paul J. Keenan, pilot; Vic Ciociola, co-pilot; Nicholas Bur, navigator) in the "Photo Op! 603rd SQ" photo printed in the October Issue of the FLAK NEWS and also thanks to Albert F. Wooten, mickey operator, for identifying himself (officer, 3rd row directly behind David Mills) in the "Guys in a Jeep! 601st SQ" photo also from the October issue... Richard Martin was erroneously listed as being with the 602nd SQ on our roster of reunion attendees in the October FLAK NEWS. Dick was with the 603rd SQ.

"Remembrances" Book Recall

To those folks who purchased Allen Ostrom's book "Remembrances" from our PX at the Sacramento Reunion last September, please be advised that the books were not complete. Carolyn Widman will be glad to replace those books once she receives the corrected books from the printer. Please contact her for your replacement. Her address and telephone number are listed at the bottom of the PX order form.



ARMISTICE DAY IN THE UK

By Wilfred Dimsdale

The men of the 398th BG and those of the 55th FG were remembered at the Benefice Armistice Day Service today at Great Hormead along with the names of all who lost their lives in the two world wars from all five Parishes. The names from each Parish are read out, and when Anstey's turn comes, that is when the American Airmen get their mention, though not individually. This happens every year. The service rotates around each Parish Church. The Parishes are Brent Pelham, Anstey, Wydial, Great and Little Hormead and Meesden.

Editor's Note: Remembrance Sunday was November 10, 2013 - Armistice Day was November 11, 2013.

*** FLASH BULLETIN ***

The IRS has finally responded to our application for tax exemption as an educational organization – clear sailing ahead! We must respond to questions re tours and recreational activities and, more importantly, amend our original Articles of Incorporation to define our purpose as an educational organization collecting and disseminating information re the air war over Western Europe during WW II. We will soon mail written ballots to all dues-paid members to approve such amendment with request that they be promptly signed and returned.

398th Bomb Group PX

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A VERY RARE FIND INDEED!

To the right is a photo of the 601st Squadron plaque which was recovered from a building in London, England undergoing refurbishment during the late 1980's.

This rare plaque was just recently donated to the Nuthampstead Airfield Museum by Neal Cawley who found it all those years ago. He explained; "25 years ago I was a mobile sandblaster... and in a building in London, stuck on a pillar in the basement was a metal hand painted plaque with the emblem of the 601 Bomb Squadron, with title 398 Bomb Group. I don't know if the building was a dance hall or base for the squadron. I would love to find the painter and wonder if he is still alive."

The Nuthampstead Airfield Museum and the 398th BGMA are eager to find out more about this plaque, especially which building it was found in. Our donor tells us he cannot remember what part of London he was working in back then but he does remember the building had a very wide staircase down to a lower area where he found the plaque attached to a large column.

We are guessing this building might have been a Red Cross Club or possibly the London Stage Door Canteen. We also had a very good suggestion that it could have been the Grosvenor on Park Lane (as it was used as an US Officer's Club during WWII). If you think you can help us identify the building, please contact Geoff Rice, Bury St Edmunds, IP28 8HS, UK. E-Mail: crewpictures@398th.org



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