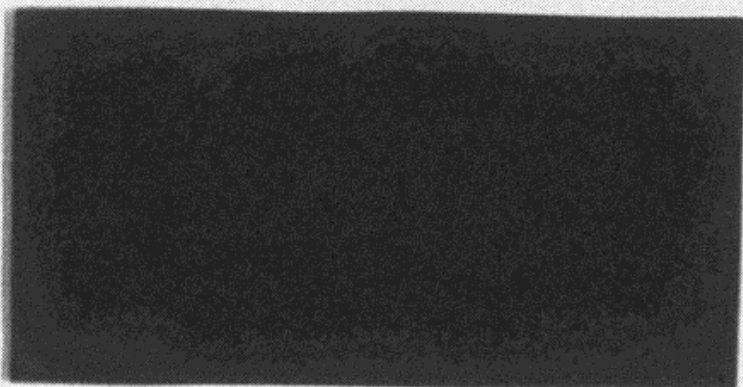


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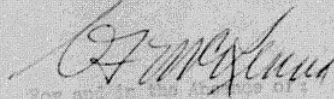
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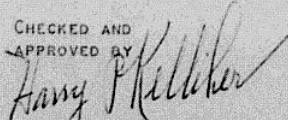
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FOREWORD

DECEMBER 1957 WAS THE FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF DYESS AIR FORCE BASE AS FORMALLY NAMED. THE BASE WAS MEMORIALIZED IN THE NAME OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL WILLIAM E. DYESS ON 16 DECEMBER 1956. DECEMBER ALSO MARKED THE CONCLUSION OF A YEAR OF PRODIGIOUS GROWTH, POPULATION-WISE, WITH THE TOTAL BASE MILITARY STRENGTH AT THE END OF THE YEAR NEARLY 6,000. (UNCLASSIFIED)

DECEMBER WAS A MONTH OF BOTH REACTION AND PREPARATION - REACTION FROM THE JOINT STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND - FIFTEENTH AIR FORCE INSPECTION WHICH TOOK PLACE THE LATTER PART OF NOVEMBER, AND INTENSIVE PREPARATION FOR OPERATION BLOCK HOUSE, AN OVERSEAS TEMPORARY DUTY MISSION OF THE 341ST BOMBARDMENT WING PLANNED FOR JANUARY 1958. (UNCLASSIFIED)

LIGHTS BURNED LATE EACH NIGHT IN ALL STAFF AGENCIES AND ORGANIZATIONS IN A CONCERTED EFFORT TO BRING THE BASE UP TO INSPECTION STANDARDS. DISCREPANCIES NOTED BY THE INSPECTORS WERE BEING CORRECTED AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE. (UNCLASSIFIED)

IN SPITE OF ALL THIS ACTIVITY, THE HOLIDAY SPIRIT WAS STILL IN EVIDENCE. FOR THE FIRST TIME, DYESS HELD CHRISTMAS DECORATING CONTESTS FOR BOTH THE CAPEHART AND SQUADRON AREAS. THE COMPETITIONS WERE MOST SUCCESSFUL AND INDICATIVE OF THE FACT THAT, GIVEN THE PROPER INCENTIVES, DYESSITES TAKE PRIDE IN THE BEAUTIFICATION OF THEIR INSTALLATION. (UNCLASSIFIED)

THE YEAR 1957 WAS ONE OF GROWTH, CHANGE AND DEVELOPMENT. DYESS AIR FORCE BASE FACED THE NEW YEAR AS A MATURE SAC INSTALLATION, CONFIDENT THAT ITS FUTURE WOULD BE ONE OF SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTION TO THE COMMAND MISSION. (UNCLASSIFIED)

CHAPTER I

ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION

ORGANIZATION

THE 819TH AIR DIVISION, COMMANDED BY COLONEL FRANK P. STURDIVANT, WAS A DIVISION OF THE FIFTEENTH AIR FORCE OF THE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND DURING DECEMBER 1957. IT WAS LOCATED AT DYESS AIR FORCE BASE IN WEST CENTRAL TEXAS, WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF ABILENE.^{1/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

THE DIVISION CONSISTED OF TWO COMBAT WINGS: THE 96TH BOMBARDMENT WING, MEDIUM, AND THE 341ST BOMBARDMENT WING, MEDIUM. ALSO UNDER THE COMMAND OF THE DIVISION WAS THE 819TH AIR BASE GROUP AND THE 4021ST UNITED STATES AIR FORCE HOSPITAL.^{2/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

THE 4TH STRATEGIC SUPPORT SQUADRON WAS ASSIGNED FOR ADMINISTRATIVE AND LOGISTICAL SUPPORT ONLY, OPERATIONAL CONTROL REMAINING WITH HIGHER HEADQUARTERS.^{3/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

THE 819TH AIR BASE GROUP, COMMANDED BY COLONEL LOUIS A. ROCHEZ III, CONSISTED OF EIGHT SUBORDINATE UNITS: HEADQUARTERS SQUADRON SECTION, 819TH SUPPLY SQUADRON, 819TH AIR POLICE SQUADRON, 819TH TRANSPORTATION SQUADRON, 819TH INSTALLATIONS SQUADRON, 819TH OPERATIONS SQUADRON, 819TH FOOD SERVICE SQUADRON, AND THE 42ND AVIATION DEPOT SQUADRON.^{4/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

^{1/} BRIEF HISTORY OF THE 819TH AIR DIVISION AND 819TH AIR BASE GROUP. FILED 150 DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

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ASSIGNED FOR ADMINISTRATIVE AND/OR LOGISTICAL SUPPORT ONLY WERE: DETACHMENT 9, 9TH WEATHER SQUADRON; THE 1996TH AIRWAYS AND AIR COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE SQUADRON, AN OFFICE OF SPECIAL INVESTIGATION, AND A RESIDENT OFFICE OF THE USAF AUDITOR GENERAL. ^{2/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

MISSION

THE MISSION OF THE 819TH AIR DIVISION WAS: TO MAN, TRAIN, AND EQUIP SUBORDINATE UNITS FOR THE PRIMARY PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING AIR WARFARE ON A GLOBAL BASIS. TO BE PREPARED TO PERFORM SUCH TASKS AS ARE ASSIGNED IN THE EMERGENCY WAR PLAN AND RELATED OPERATIONS ORDERS. TO BE PREPARED TO PARTICIPATE IN DISASTER RELIEF AND OTHER DOMESTIC EMERGENCIES. TO PROVIDE ADMINISTRATIVE AND LOGISTICAL SUPPORT TO THE STRATEGIC SUPPORT SQUADRON ASSIGNED. ^{6/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

THE MISSION OF THE 819TH AIR BASE GROUP WAS: TO DIRECT, SUPERVISE AND COORDINATE ALL BASE ACTIVITIES. TO FORMULATE AND IMPLEMENT EMERGENCY DEFENSIVE ACTIONS PLANNING. TO PROVIDE CUSTODIAL SERVICES FOR PERMANENT BASE RECORDS. ^{7/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

COMPTROLLER

THE COMPLETION OF THE MECHANIZATION OF THE FINANCIAL SERVICES DIVISION OF THE COMPTROLLER DIRECTORATE DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

^{2/} IBID.

^{6/} 15AFR 20-14, Hq 15AF, 16 AUG 1957. FILED ISO, DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

^{7/} SACR 20-15, Hq SAC, 1 JUN 1957. FILED ISO DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

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FORCED NUMEROUS OPERATIONAL CHANGES DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER. ^{8/}
 THESE CHANGES INCLUDED REASSIGNING PERSONNEL, REVISING STANDING OPERAT-
 ING PROCEDURES, AND A REORGANIZATION OF BOTH THE FINANCIAL SERVICES AND
 STATISTICAL SERVICES DIVISIONS. NEW ORGANIZATION CHARTS, JOB DESCRIP-
 TIONS AND OUTLINES OF CIVILIAN POSITIONS WERE PREPARED. ONE CONCRETE
 RESULT OF THE MECHANIZATION WAS THAT THE EXPENSE SECTION OF FINANCIAL
 SERVICES HAD SUCH A REDUCED WORKLOAD IT WAS POSSIBLE TO TRANSFER PER-
 SONNEL TO BUSIER SECTIONS. ^{9/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

THE SEMI-ANNUAL CLOSE-OUT OF MILITARY PAY RECORDS WAS ACCOMPLISHED
 DURING DECEMBER WITH THE QUALITY CONTROL SECTION NOTING SO MANY ERRORS
 THAT IT BECAME NECESSARY TO COMPLETELY AUDIT ALL RECORDS BEFORE SUB-
 MISSION TO THE MILITARY PAY BRANCH OF THE AIR FORCE FINANCE CENTER. ^{10/}
 (UNCLASSIFIED)

THE NEW REQUIREMENT THAT ALL PAY RECORDS BE AUDITED PRIOR TO EACH
 PAY DAY COULD NOT BE SATISFIED BY THE FUND ACCOUNTING SECTION AS IN-
 TENDED. ^{11/} A SHORTAGE OF PERSONNEL IN THAT SECTION MADE IT NECESSARY
 TO ASSIGN THE AUDIT FUNCTION TO THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING BRANCH. ^{12/}
 (UNCLASSIFIED)

^{8/} HISTORY, 819AD, OCTOBER 1957, PAGE 4.

^{9/} HISTORICAL REPORT FOR COMPTROLLER, DECEMBER 1957. FILED ISO
 DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

^{10/} IBID.

^{11/} ADVANCE CHANGE TO AFM 173-20. FILED FINANCE OFFICE DYESS AFB,
 TEXAS.

^{12/} HISTORICAL REPORT FOR COMPTROLLER, DECEMBER 1957. FILED ISO
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THE BASE COMMANDER VERBALLY REASSIGNED MONITORING RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE SAC MANAGEMENT CONTROL SYSTEM AT A MID-DECEMBER STAFF MEETING. HE DIRECTED THAT OPERATING OFFICERS WOULD BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MONITORING FUNCTION. HERETOFORE, KEY STAFF OFFICERS HAD BEEN RESPONSIBLE. EXPECTED RESULTS OF THE REARRANGEMENT WERE: SCORES WOULD IMPROVE AND BETTER UTILIZATION OF THE MANAGEMENT CONTROL SYSTEM WOULD RESULT. ^{13/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

FOR THE FIRST TIME, DYESS AIR FORCE BASE ENGAGED IN CHRISTMAS DECORATING CONTESTS. ONE CONTEST WAS SPONSORED JOINTLY BY THE OFFICERS OPEN MESS, THE NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS OPEN MESS AND THE CIVILIAN PUBLISHER OF THE BASE NEWSPAPER. THIS WAS FOR RESIDENTS OF THE ON-BASE CAPEHART HOUSING PROJECT ONLY. PRIZES WERE AWARDED FOR A TOTAL OF \$300.00. A SECOND CONTEST WAS FOR ORGANIZATION AREAS AND PRIZES TOTTALLING \$175.00 WERE PRESENTED FROM THE CENTRAL WELFARE FUND. ^{14/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

THE CAPEHART HOUSING AREA WAS ALSO INCLUDED IN AN ABILENE-WIDE LIGHTING DECORATION CONTEST SPONSORED BY THE ABILENE GARDEN CLUBS. THE ENTRY OF CAPTAIN AND MRS. J. M. CARELOCK WON FIRST PRIZE IN THE YARD DIVISION AND THE ENTRY OF COLONEL LOUIS A. ROCHEZ III WON THIRD PLACE IN THE DOORWAY DIVISION. ^{15/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

^{13/} INTERVIEW BY M/SGT. D. H. MARSTON, HISTORIAN, WITH LT. COL. HAROLD E. GASLIN, COMPTROLLER, 819ABG, 15 JAN 1957.

^{14/} ARTICLE, THE PLANESMAN, 27 DEC 1957. FILED ISO DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

^{15/} PHOTO: "CHRISTMAS CONTEST WINNER." EXHIBIT 1.

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PERSONNEL

MILITARY PERSONNEL

MILITARY STRENGTH OF THE 819TH AIR DIVISION, TO INCLUDE ALL UNITS ASSIGNED, AS OF 31 DECEMBER 1957, WAS: OFFICERS AUTHORIZED - 863, ASSIGNED - 1,013. AIRMEN AUTHORIZED - 4,903, ASSIGNED - 4,973. ^{16/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

CIVILIAN PERSONNEL STRENGTH OF THE 819TH AIR DIVISION, AS OF 31 DECEMBER WAS; AUTHORIZED 320, ASSIGNED 330. ^{17/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

DEPENDENTS ASSISTANCE

A DEPENDENTS ASSISTANCE ORIENTATION AND TRAINING COURSE WAS CONDUCTED FROM 10 TO 12 DECEMBER. THERE WERE 162 GRADUATES. THIS NUMBER COUPLED WITH THE RECORD BREAKING GRADUATION CLASS OF 167 IN SEPTEMBER GAVE A TOTAL GRADUATING STRENGTH FOR THE LAST SIX MONTHS OF 1957 OF 329. THE DECEMBER CLASS, INCIDENTLY, WAS THE FIRST CONDUCTED AT DYESS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SAC MANUAL 34-2, WHICH REDUCED THE NUMBER OF INSTRUCTORS FROM 22 TO JUST SIX HIGHLY QUALIFIED OFFICERS. THE RESULT WAS A STREAMLINED AND FAR MORE EFFECTIVE PROGRAM. ^{18/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

^{16/} AUTHORIZED AND ASSIGNED STRENGTH CHART. EXHIBIT 2.

^{17/} IBID.

^{18/} PHOTO: "ANOTHER WELL ORIENTED SAC WIFE." EXHIBIT 3.

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AS A RESULT OF THE INSPECTION OF THE BASE BY A TEAM FROM HEAD-
 QUARTERS, FIFTEENTH AIR FORCE, THE DYESS DEPENDENTS ASSISTANCE PRO-
 GRAM WAS CITED AS "OUTSTANDING. AS A RESULT OF COMMAND EMPHASIS,
 THE INTEREST AND INDUENITY OF THE OFFICER IN CHARGE, THE PROGRAM
 WAS EFFICIENTLY INTEGRATING THE INTERESTS OF THE MILITARY, DEPENDENTS,
 AND THE CIVILIAN COMMUNITY INTO A COMBINED EFFORT TO MAKE AIR FORCE
 LIFE MORE ATTRACTIVE." ^{19/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

MRS. JAMES D. DOUGLAS, JR., RETIRED AS DEPENDENTS ASSISTANCE
 COORDINATOR AFTER HAVING CONTRIBUTED MORE THAN 1,000 VOLUNTEER HOURS
 TO THE DYESS DA. IN APPRECIATION, COLONEL LOUIS A. ROCHEZ III, BASE
 COMMANDER, PRESENTED MRS. DOUGLAS WITH A LETTER OF COMMENDATION. ^{20/}
 (UNCLASSIFIED)

RESERVE AFFAIRS

AS OF 31 DECEMBER THERE WERE 41 OFFICERS ASSIGNED WITH AN
 AUTHORIZATION OF 50 AND 4 AIRMEN ASSIGNED WITH 4 AUTHORIZED TO THE
 PART I RESERVE REQUIREMENT DOCUMENT. ^{21/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

THERE WERE 34 OFFICERS ASSIGNED WITH AN AUTHORIZATION OF 73
 AND 244 AIRMEN ASSIGNED WITH AN AUTHORIZATION OF 954 TO THE PART
 II RESERVE REQUIREMENT DOCUMENT. ^{22/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

^{19/} REPORT OF GENERAL INSPECTION, DYESS AIR FORCE BASE, FISCAL
 YEAR 1958, Hq 15AF. FILED 150 DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

^{20/} PHOTO: "RETIRING DA GUIDING LIGHT." EXHIBIT 4.

^{21/} HISTORICAL REPORT OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL FOR DECEMBER,
 FILED 150 DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

^{22/} IBID.

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DURING DECEMBER ONE OFFICER AND TWO AIRMEN PERFORMED ACTIVE DUTY AND SEVEN OFFICERS TOOK INACTIVE DUTY TRAINING AT THE BASE. ^{23/}
(UNCLASSIFIED)

CLASSIFICATION

DURING DECEMBER 42 PERSONNEL RESEARCH TESTS WERE GIVEN WITH 34 AIRMEN PASSING AND 8 FAILING. AIR FORCE PROFICIENCY TESTS WERE GIVEN TO 194 AIRMEN WITH 135 PASSING. QUALIFYING TESTS WERE GIVEN TO 30 AIRMEN WITH 21 PASSING. ^{24/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

REENLISTMENT

TEN DYESS AFB ORGANIZATIONS HAD A 100 PER CENT REENLISTMENT RATE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER. ^{25/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

THE WINNER OF OPERATION DIVIDEND AT DYESS AIR FORCE BASE WAS MASTER SERGEANT HARRY I. McREYNOLDS, 819TH SUPPLY SQUADRON, WHO MADE 784 POINTS BY BRINGING ABOUT 26 FIRST REENLISTMENTS FROM 134 CONTACTS. SGT. McREYNOLDS WAS RUNNER-UP IN THE REENLISTMENT DRIVE FOR FIFTEENTH AIR FORCE AND RECEIVED A \$50.00 AWARD. ^{26/ 27/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

^{23/} IBID.

^{24/} IBID.

^{25/} COMMANDERS TALLY SHEET FOR DECEMBER, EXHIBIT 5.

^{26/} OPERATION DIVIDEND WAS A COMPETITION CONDUCTED FOR SAC SUPERVISORS IN REENLISTING FIRST TERM AIRMEN.

^{27/} HISTORICAL REPORT OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL FOR DECEMBER. FILED ISO DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

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UNDER THE SAC "TREE OF PEACE" PROGRAM, COLONEL LOUIS A. ROCHEZ III, COMMANDER OF THE 819TH AIR BASE GROUP ACHIEVED HIS QUOTA OF 25 REENLISTMENTS ON 12 DECEMBER; COLONEL ANTHONY J. PERNA, COMMANDER OF THE 341ST BOMBARDMENT WING ACHIEVED HIS QUOTA OF 20 ON 18 DECEMBER; AND COLONEL CHARLES F. MCKENNA, COMMANDER OF THE 96TH BOMBARDMENT WING, HIS QUOTA OF 20 ON 17 DECEMBER. ^{28/} TOTAL FIRST REENLISTMENTS FOR THE DIVISION FOR THE TREE OF PEACE PERIOD WAS 88. THE OVERALL REENLISTMENT RATE FOR DECEMBER WAS 70 PER CENT, GIVING THE BASE A RATE OF 50.9 PER CENT FOR THE YEAR 1957. ^{29/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

ON-THE-JOB TRAINING

AS OF 31 DECEMBER THERE WERE 1,431 AIRMEN ON OJT, GIVING THE RUNNING QUARTER A TOTAL OF 4,395. ^{30/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS OPEN MESS

THE NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS OPEN MESS HIT A NEW HIGH IN TOTAL SALES DURING DECEMBER, AS MIGHT BE EXPECTED DURING THE HOLIDAY SEASON. SALES AMOUNTED TO \$45,000.00 WITH A NET PROFIT TO SURPLUS OF MORE THAN \$6,000.00. ^{31/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

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- ^{28/} THE SAC TREE OF PEACE PROGRAM WAS A COMPETITION FOR COMMANDERS IN FULFILLING REENLISTMENT QUOTAS 1 NOVEMBER THROUGH 20 DECEMBER.
 - ^{29/} HISTORICAL REPORT OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL FOR DECEMBER. FILED ISO DYERS AFB, TEXAS.
 - ^{30/} OJT RATINGS FOR DECEMBER AND FOR RUNNING QUARTERS. EXHIBITS 6 AND 7.
 - ^{31/} NCO OPEN MESS DECEMBER FINANCIAL STATEMENT. FILED NCO OPEN MESS, DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

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ORGANIZATION EMBLEM

THE 819TH AIR BASE GROUP EMBLEM, WHICH WAS USED AS A FRONTISPIECE TO THE NOVEMBER HISTORY, WAS OFFICIALLY APPROVED BY HEADQUARTERS, USAF, AS OF 5 NOVEMBER, NOTIFICATION REACHING THE ORGANIZATION 2 DECEMBER. ^{32/}
(UNCLASSIFIED)

CHANGES IN KEY PERSONNEL

COLONEL JOHN D. REID WAS ASSIGNED AS 819TH AIR DIVISION COMPTROLLER, VICE LIEUTENANT COLONEL LYLE C. MARITZEN WHO WAS REASSIGNED AS DEPUTY DIVISION DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS. THIS ACTION WAS EFFECTIVE 9 DECEMBER. ^{33/}
(UNCLASSIFIED)

^{32/} 4TH IND TO LTR, HQ 819ABG, SUBJ: "SUBMISSION OF ORGANIZATION EMBLEM." 5 NOV 1957. EXHIBIT 8.

^{33/} PAM 68, 819AD, 9 DEC 1957. FILED BASE PERSONNEL, DYESS AFB, TEXAS AND PHOTO: "COLONEL REID." EXHIBIT 9.

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CHAPTER III

OPERATIONS AND TRAINING

OPERATIONS

THE ACTIVITIES OF THE 819TH AIR DIVISION DIRECTORATE OF OPERATIONS DURING DECEMBER WERE LARGELY CONFINED TO ROUTINE ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES. THE 341ST BOMBARDMENT WING WAS PREPARING FOR AN OVERSEAS DEPLOYMENT IN EARLY JANUARY AND THE 96TH BOMBARDMENT WING WAS DEEP IN CORRECTIVE ACTION AS THE RESULT OF THE RECENT ADMINISTRATIVE INSPECTION BY HIGHER HEADQUARTERS. ^{34/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

A SOCIAL EVENT WITH OPERATIONAL OVERTONES TOOK PLACE AT THE OFFICERS OPEN MESS THE EVENING OF 13 DECEMBER. A "DINING IN" NIGHT IN THE BRITISH TRADITION WAS HELD HONORING ALL B-47 "1,000 HOUR CLUB" MEMBERS OF THE DIVISION. COLONEL FRANK P. STURDIVANT, 819TH AIR DIVISION COMMANDER, PRESENTED THOUSAND HOUR PINS TO 22 SUCH OFFICERS. ^{32/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

GUEST SPEAKER WAS W. C. DIETZ, SENIOR PROJECT OFFICER FOR THE CONVAIR B-58 PROGRAM. USING COLOR SLIDES AND MOTION PICTURES HE PRESENTED AN INTERESTING PROGRAM ON THE TESTING OF THE B-58. ^{26/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

^{31/} INTERVIEW BY M/SGT D. H. MARSTON, HISTORIAN, WITH CAPT R. E. SPRINKLE, 819TH AIR DIVISION AIR OPERATIONS STAFF OFFICER, 10 JANUARY 1958. (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS "INTERVIEW - SPRINKLE.")

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FLYING TRAINING

DURING DECEMBER, PRIMARY EMPHASIS CONTINUED TO BE PLACED ON UP-GRADING NON-COMBAT READY CREWS. A SUSPENSE DATE OF 1 FEBRUARY WAS SET AS THE TIME WHEN BOTH COMBAT WINGS WOULD HAVE A MINIMUM OF 45 COMBAT READY CREWS. ^{37/} (SECRET)

BY MID-DECEMBER THE 341ST BOMBARDMENT WING HAD COMPLETED RE-DEPLOYMENT PHASES OF OPERATION IRON BAR. ^{38/} FINALIZATION OF THE REDEPLOYMENT WAS HELD UP THREE DAYS DUE TO WAVE NUMBER THREE BEING GROUNDED BY BAD WEATHER IN THE REFUELING AREAS. ^{39/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

BECAUSE OF THE PRIORITY GIVEN TO THE UP-GRADING OF NON-COMBAT READY CREWS, ONLY THE SURVEY FLIGHTS FOR OPERATION POP UP WERE COMPLETED BY THE 11TH AIR REFUELING SQUADRON. ^{40/} THE 96TH BOMBARDMENT WING WAS SCHEDULED TO START THIS TRAINING IN EARLY JANUARY. ^{41/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

ALL RATED PERSONNEL HAD COMPLETED THEIR AFR 60-2 FLYING TIME REQUIREMENTS WITH THE EXCEPTIONS OF TWO OFFICERS, BOTH OF WHOM HAD BEEN DNIF FOR THREE MONTHS AS OF 31 DECEMBER. ^{42/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

^{37/} IBID.

^{38/} SEE HISTORY, 341ST BW, DECEMBER 1957.

^{39/} INTERVIEW - SPRINKLE

^{40/} SEE HISTORY, 341ST BW, DECEMBER 1957.

^{41/} INTERVIEW - SPRINKLE

^{42/} IBID.

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ALL ORGANIZATIONS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE FLYING PROGRAM MET THEIR FLYING HOUR ALLOCATIONS AS SCHEDULED. THE B-47 AIRCRAFT WERE ALLOWED TO OVERFLY THEIR ALLOCATED FLYING TIME DUE TO FIFTEENTH AIR FORCE HAVING SOME UNFLOWN B-52 TIME AVAILABLE. ^{43/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

SIMULATOR TRAINING

THE B-47 SIMULATOR WAS OPERATED A TOTAL OF 107 HOURS DURING DECEMBER. THE P-3A INSTRUMENT TRAINER WAS OPERATED 148 HOURS. THE TWO C-11C TRAINERS WERE OPERATED FOR A COMBINED TOTAL OF 303 HOURS. THE T-1A GUNNERY TRAINER WAS OPERATED 154 HOURS WITH ONE HOUR OUT FOR MAINTENANCE. THE T-2A ULTRASONIC TRAINER WAS OPERATED FOR 148 HOURS WITH TWO HOURS OUT FOR MAINTENANCE. THERE WERE 104 COMBATIVE MEASURES WORK-OUTS AND 347 PHYSICAL CONDITIONING WORK-OUTS DURING THE MONTH. ^{44/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

MUNITIONS

AN INSPECTION OF THE CAPABILITIES OF THE 42ND AVIATION DEPOT SQUADRON WAS COMPLETED 6 DECEMBER WITH A SATISFACTORY RATING BUT BELOW SAC STANDARDS. ^{45/} (SECRET)

IMMEDIATE ACTION WAS TAKEN TO CORRECT THE NOTED DISCREPANCIES AND TO EFFECT COMPLIANCE WITH SAC MANUAL 136-1. THE DISCREPANCIES NOTED BY THE INSPECTION TEAM WERE ATTRIBUTED IN LARGE MEASURE BY

^{43/} IBID.

^{44/} HISTORICAL REPORT FOR DECEMBER, 819TH OPERATIONS SQUADRON, FILED ISO DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

^{45/} INTERVIEW BY M/SGT D. H. MARSTON, HISTORIAN, WITH MAJ. JACK GILL, CMDR, 42ADS, 7 JAN 1958.

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THE SQUADRON COMMANDER TO THE HEAVY WORKLOAD IMPOSED ON THE ORGANIZATION THE LAST FEW MONTHS IN TRYING TO MAINTAIN OPERATIONAL CAPABILITY WHILE ASSISTING IN THE BUILD-UP OF THE SECOND WING. ^{46/}
(UNCLASSIFIED)

THE SQUADRON DID NOT PARTICIPATE IN ANY MAJOR OPERATIONS DURING DECEMBER BUT DID BEGIN TO PREPARE FOR A WEAPONS REDUCTION EXERCISE DUE IN JANUARY. THIS LOGISTICAL SHIPMENT OF 39 WEAPONS WAS TO BE PART OF OPERATION BEAR CUB. ^{47/} (SECRET)

BASE OPERATIONS

ALL PILOTS AND OBSERVERS ASSIGNED OR ATTACHED TO THE 81ST AIR BASE GROUP FOR FLYING COMPLETED THEIR 60-2 REQUIREMENTS FOR THE FIRST HALF OF FISCAL YEAR 1958 BY 31 DECEMBER. ^{48/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

BATTERY OPERATED BLINKER LIGHTS WERE SET UP AT 4,000 FOOT MARKERS ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE RUNWAY ON 16 DECEMBER AS A TEMPORARY MEASURE UNTIL RUNWAY MARKERS ARE PROVIDED WITH LIGHTS. THESE BLINKERS ENABLED PILOTS TO IDENTIFY THE ACCELERATION POINT FOR B-47 TAKE-OFFS. ^{49/}
(UNCLASSIFIED)

^{46/} IBID.

^{47/} IBID.

^{48/} HISTORICAL REPORT FOR DECEMBER, BASE OPERATIONS. FILED 150, DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

^{49/} IBID.

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ON 19 DECEMBER A CIVILIAN C-46 LANDED AT DYESS WITH HYDRAULIC FAILURE. SINCE THIS WAS AN ARMY CONTRACT CARRIER, THERE WAS NO AUTHORIZATION TO REFUEL THE CRAFT FROM AIR FORCE STOCKS. A CIVILIAN FUEL TRUCK WAS BROUGHT FROM THE ABILENE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT. ^{50/}
(UNCLASSIFIED)

ON 26 DECEMBER, THE APPROACH LIGHTS BURNED OUT. A NEW BLINKER LIGHT WAS SET OUT AND TESTED. PILOTS REPORTED UNSATISFACTORY RESULTS. THIS LIGHT WAS BORROWED FROM A LOCAL DISTRIBUTOR. IN THE MEANTIME A NOTAM WAS SENT ON THE INCIDENT. ^{51/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

THE BASE FLIGHT SECTION BEGAN THE MONTH OF DECEMBER WITH 16 AIRCRAFT ASSIGNED. DURING THE MONTH ONE TB-23K WAS SENT TO STORAGE AT DAVIS-MONTHAN AFB, ARIZONA. ON 19 DECEMBER ONE TB-25L WAS ON TDY TO VANCE AFB, OKLA. FOR A PERIODIC INSPECTION. AN F-34 WAS TRANSFERRED TO SALVAGE AT THE END OF THE MONTH. BASE FLIGHT ENDED THE MONTH WITH FIVE B-25's, FOUR C-45's, FOUR C-47's AND ONE T-34. THE T-34 WAS STILL UNDERGOING MODIFICATION PRIOR TO TRANSFER TO THE SAC AERO CLUB OF DYESS. ^{52/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

DURING DECEMBER, BASE FLIGHT CONSUMED 48,221 GALLONS OF FUEL AND 2,614 QUARTS OF OIL. ^{53/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

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TOTAL HOURS FLOWN BY BASE FLIGHT AIRCRAFT DURING DECEMBER WAS
495, BRINGING THE TOTAL FLYING HOURS FOR THE QUARTER TO 1,691.

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CHAPTER IV

MATERIEL

MATERIEL

IRVING KRELL, REPRESENTATIVE OF THE GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY, ASSIGNED TO HEADQUARTERS, FIFTEENTH AIR FORCE, ARRIVED AT DYESS AIR FORCE BASE 2 DECEMBER. HE WAS AT THE BASE FOR ONE WEEK AND ASSISTED IN TRAINING PERSONNEL OF BOTH WINGS ON THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF ALT-6B-ECM JAMMING TRANSMITTERS. ^{55/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

DURING THE FIRST WEEK OF DECEMBER, M. B. NEUTING OF THE OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF MATERIEL, FIFTEENTH AIR FORCE, SPENT THREE DAYS AT DYESS CONFERRING WITH STAFF OFFICERS OF THE 819TH AIR DIVISION AND THE 819TH AIR BASE GROUP ON THE SUBJECT OF PURCHASING FURNITURE FOR FAMILY QUARTERS. MR. NEUTING TENTATIVELY AGREED WITH PROJECTED LOCAL PLANS FOR SUCH PURCHASES AND THE TYPES OF FURNITURE DESIRED TO BE PURCHASED FROM A RECENT ALLOCATION OF SOME \$246,000.00 WHICH, INCIDENTALLY, HE SAID WAS MORE THAN 50 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL ALLOCATION FOR FIFTEENTH AIR FORCE FOR QUARTERS FURNITURE. ^{56/} COLONEL H. M. MASON, SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE DIVISION COMMANDER, AND LIEUTENANT COLONEL WILLIAM MARTIN OF THE 11TH AIR REFUELING SQUADRON, WERE SELECTED TO PROCEED TO WASHINGTON, D. C. TO INSPECT FURNITURE THAT COULD BE OBTAINED THROUGH THE GENERAL SERVICE ADMINISTRATION. MR. NEUTING WAS TO JOIN THESE OFFICERS IN WASHINGTON. THIS FURNITURE PURCHASING

^{55/} HISTORICAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF MATERIEL, 819AD. FILED 150, DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

^{56/} HISTORICAL REPORT OF THE COMPTROLLER, 819TH ABG, FILED 150, DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

PROJECT HAD NOT BEEN FINALIZED AS OF THE END OF THE MONTH. ¹⁷
 57/ (UNCLASSIFIED)

INFORMATION WAS RECEIVED FROM AMC THAT DYESS WOULD RECEIVE ONE LIQUID OXYGEN GENERATOR THE LATTER PART OF JANUARY. THIS WAS TO BE SHIPPED DIRECT FROM THE CONTRACTOR AND WOULD INCLUDE SPARE PARTS WITH THE PRIME SHIPMENT. 58/ (UNCLASSIFIED)

LAWRENCE A. BLACK, FIELD REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE SPACE CORPORATION OF DALLAS, ARRIVED AT DYESS 17 DECEMBER TO RETROFIT AND MODIFY THE SHAW ESTES TEST STAND UNDER M-168-100 CONFIGURATION. THE MODIFICATION WAS EXPECTED TO TAKE ABOUT THREE WEEKS (60 HOUR WORK WEEK) AND AN ASSISTANCE TEAM FROM THE 96TH FIELD MAINTENANCE SQUADRON WAS ASSIGNED UNDER THE DIRECTION OF MAJOR FLOYD W. FARMER OF THAT ORGANIZATION. 59/ (UNCLASSIFIED)

THE DIRECTOR OF MATERIEL, 819TH AIR DIVISION, DIRECTED THAT A STUDY BE MADE OF THE CAPABILITY OF THE PETROLEUM SECTION TO ADEQUATELY SUPPORT EWP REQUIREMENTS FOR REFUELING TACTICAL AIRCRAFT. IT WAS PROJECTED THAT SHORTAGE OF F6 REFUELING UNITS MIGHT BE A PROBLEM AREA WHEN SUCH FACTORS AS THE REFUELING OF MATS SUPPORT AIRCRAFT WERE CONSIDERED. THIS STUDY HAD NOT BEEN COMPLETED BY THE END OF DECEMBER. 60/ (UNCLASSIFIED)

57/ HISTORICAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF MATERIEL, 819AD, FILED ISO, DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

58/ Msg, DM3ED 69065, Ho 15AF, 5 Dec 1957. FILED, DM, 819AD, DYESS AFB, TEXAS

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SUPPLY

THE BASE SUPPLY SECTION RECEIVED A TOTAL OF 5,679 CALLS DURING DECEMBER OF WHICH 2,041 WERE "X" PRIORITY. AVERAGE DELIVERY TIME WAS 44 MINUTES. ROUTINE DELIVERY TIME AVERAGED 118 MINUTES.^{61/}
(UNCLASSIFIED)

CLOTHING SALES

CLOTHING SALES STORE STOCK WAS STILL INADEQUATE. A SMALL REQUISITION AMOUNTING TO \$4,400.00 WAS DUE IN IN EARLY JANUARY BUT NOT SUFFICIENT TO SATISFY CUSTOMER REQUESTS.^{62/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

AN EMERGENCY REQUISITION WAS MADE BY PHONE 26 DECEMBER AND ITEMS WERE PICKED UP BY AIRCRAFT ON 30 DECEMBER. THIS REQUISITION WAS TO SUPPLEMENT SALES STORE STOCK FOR PERSONNEL TO BE DEPLOYED IN EARLY JANUARY. THE DOLLAR VALUE WAS \$3,300.00.^{63/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

COMMISSARY

DELIVERY SERVICE TO ON-BASE QUARTERS WAS DISCONTINUED AS AN UNPROFITABLE PROJECT ON 15 DECEMBER. THE SEMI-ANNUAL INVENTORY WAS TAKEN 30 DECEMBER. MORALE OF COMMISSARY PERSONNEL IS EXCELLENT IN SPITE OF THE FACT THAT THE AVERAGE AIRMAN WORKS 54 HOURS PER WEEK. CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES VOLUNTEER EXTRA TIME IN ORDER TO GIVE BETTER

^{61/} HISTORICAL REPORT OF BASE SUPPLY. FILED ISO, DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

^{62/} HISTORICAL REPORT OF CLOTHING SALES STORE. FILED ISO, DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

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CUSTOMER SERVICE. ^{64/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

By the end of December the Commissary was functioning normally again after some months of short supply which caused considerable disappointment among customers. The situation was this: Money was not available during the first quarter of the fiscal year for commissary sales store stocks since the emphasis was placed on troop consumption. Only 28 ^{65/} per cent of available funds was allowed for resale items. In October, when full funds were again available, the necessary amount of resale purchases was made. As of 31 December funds for the third and fourth quarters had been received in the amount of \$1,104,000.00 which, based on past sales, troop consumption and inventory, should be sufficient for all purposes. ^{66/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

INSTALLATIONS

The status of construction at Dyess Air Force Base as of 31 December was as follows:

INTELLIGENCE BUILDING: COMPLETED WITH FINAL INSPECTION TO BE MADE 3 JANUARY. COMPLETED 20 DAYS BEHIND SCHEDULE.

LANDSCAPING AND TURFING HOSPITAL AREA: COMPLETED AND ACCEPTED 28 DECEMBER.

COMMISSARY SALES STORE: NINETY-SEVEN PER CENT COMPLETE AND 13 DAYS AHEAD OF SCHEDULE. ESTIMATED COMPLETION DATE IS STILL 20 JANUARY.

^{64/} INTERVIEW BY M/SGT. D. H. MARSTON, HISTORIAN, WITH LT. E. A. HAMMOND, COMMISSARY OFFICER, 23 JAN 1958.

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RECREATIONAL WORK SHOP: CONTRACT IS 98 PER CENT COMPLETE AND 72 DAYS BEHIND SCHEDULE DUE TO NON-DELIVERY OF CANOPY TYPE DOORS.

WOMEN OFFICERS QUARTERS: CONTRACT 65 PER CENT COMPLETE AND 27 DAYS BEHIND SCHEDULE. COMPLETION DATE REMAINED AT 3 MARCH 1958.

INSTRUMENT LANDING SYSTEM: CONTRACT WAS 94 PER CENT COMPLETE AND 14 DAYS BEHIND SCHEDULE WITH ESTIMATED COMPLETION DATE OF 1 FEBRUARY. THE DELAYING FACTOR WAS LATE DELIVERY OF GENERATOR UNITS. ^{67/} (UNCLASSIFIED)

THE FIFTEENTH AIR FORCE INSPECTION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1958 DEEMED THE CAPEHART HOUSING PROJECT UNSATISFACTORY. INSPECTORS NOTED SUCH DISCREPANCIES AS BUCKLING HARDWOOD FLOORS, INFERIOR CONSTRUCTION OF STREETS, IMPROPERLY PROTECTED WATER MAINS AND INFERIOR INSTALLATION OF GAS MAINS. THEY DEEMED THE INSPECTION PERFORMED AT THE TIME OF ACCEPTANCE AS UNSATISFACTORY. NOTING THAT AN OSI INVESTIGATION HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN MADE, THEY RECOMMENDED A FORMAL INVESTIGATION BE CONDUCTED TO REVIEW THE OSI INVESTIGATION AND EXAMINE FURTHER EVIDENCE. SUCH AN INVESTIGATION WAS UNDER WAY BY THE END OF DECEMBER AND WAS EXPECTED TO BE FINALIZED IN FEBRUARY OF 1958. ^{68/} (CONFIDENTIAL)

^{67/} IBID.

^{68/} REPORT OF GENERAL INSPECTION, DYESS AIR FORCE BASE, FISCAL YEAR 1958, Hq 15AF. FILED 150 DYESS AFB, TEXAS.

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CHRONOLOGY

- 9 December - Assignment of Col. John D. Reed as Division Comptroller
- 9 December - Conclusion of Fifteenth Air Force Annual Inspection
- 10 December - Dependents Assistance Orientation and Training Course

GLOSSARY

DA	Dependents Assistance
ISO	Information Services Office
OJT	On-the-Job Training
1,000 Hour Club	A club sponsored by the Boeing Aircraft Company of B-47 crew members who have completed more than one thousand hours in that aircraft
Operation BLOCK HOUSE	An overseas temporary duty deployment of the 341st Bombardment Wing scheduled for January 1958
Operation DIVIDEND	A first reenlistment program in which the supervisor getting the most reenlistees would receive an all expense vacation in Hawaii
Operation IRON BAR	An overseas temporary duty deployment of the 341st Bombardment Wing completed in December 1957
Operation POP UP	A low level training exercise

ROSTER OF KEY PERSONNEL

819TH AIR DIVISION

COMMANDER	COLONEL FRANK P. STURDIVANT
DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS	COLONEL BURTON C. ANDRUS, JR
DIRECTOR OF MATERIEL	COLONEL EDWARD T. BROWN
DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL	COLONEL EDWIN B. DAILY
COMPTROLLER	COLONEL JOHN D. REED
SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE COMMANDER	COLONEL HERBERT K. MASON

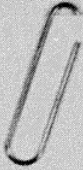

819TH AIR BASE GROUP

COMMANDER	COLONEL LOUIS A. ROCHEZ III
DEPUTY COMMANDER	LT. COL. REG C. TRAIL
DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS	LT. COL. McLENDON M. STALLINGS
DIRECTOR OF MATERIEL	LT. COL. EDWARD F. GALLUP
DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL	MAJOR LLOYD A. WAKEMAN
COMPTROLLER	LT. COL. HAROLD E. GASLIN
INFORMATION SERVICES STAFF OFFICER	LT. COL. HARRY P. KELLNER
STAFF JUDGE ADVOCATE	CAPTAIN MELVILLE HIRSCHI
ADJUTANT	MAJOR MICHAEL J. FITZGERALD
PROVOST MARSHAL	MAJOR AVERY C. GILLELAND
DIRECTOR OF SAFETY	CAPTAIN LAVOY E. LASITER
STAFF CHAPLAIN	MAJOR ELIJAH V. FLOWERS

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CHRISTMAS CONTEST WINNER: The best decorated interior in the Capehart
Housing Area decoration contest for December 1957. The home of M/Sgt and
Mrs. William Gerlach, Jr., 102 Tennessee.



AUTHORIZED AND ASSIGNED

1 DECEMBER 1957

	OFF		AMN		CIV	
	AUTHD	ASGD	AUTHD	ASGD	AUTHD	ASGD
819 AD	11	12	9	9	3	5
341 Bm Wg	417	455	1532	1620	12	20
96 Bm Wg	237	343	1014	1094	10	1
819 ABGRU	198	194	2324	2186	296	304
TOTAL	863	1004	4905	5825	321	330

31 DECEMBER 1957

	OFF		AMN		CIV	
	AUTHD	ASGD	AUTHD	ASGD	AUTHD	ASGD
819 AD	11	11	9	11	3	5
341 Bm Wg	417	446	1532	1604	12	20
96 Bm Wg	237	359	1040	1147	10	1
819 ABGRU	198	197	2322	2222	296	304
TOTAL	863	1013	4903	4973	321	330

Appendix H



ANOTHER WELL ORIENTED SAC WIFE: Mrs. McClendon M. Stallings receives her DA diploma from Col. Louis A. Rochez III, Base Commander. Looking on, left to right: Mrs. Anthony J. Buttiner, Mrs. Roland T. Pullen, and Mrs. James K. Hailey.



RETIRING DA GUIDING LIGHT: After a year of service as DA Coordinator with more than 1,000 hours volunteered, Mrs. James D. Douglas, Jr, retires from office. Col. Louis A. Rochez III, Base Commander, presents Mrs. Douglas with a letter of appreciation.



COMMANDERS TALLY SHEET
(Immediate Reenlistment)

December 1957

	A	B	C
MAJ WAYNE M. SPRAY-819TRANSRON	9	9	100
LTCOL GREGORY Q. STANLEY-341HEDRONSEC	5	5	100
CAPT EDWARD J. SCHROEDER-819TH FOODSVRON	4	4	100
LTCOL GEORGE SCHMUCKER-819INSTLRON	4	4	100
LTCOL JOSEPH SVEJKAR-339BOMBRO	3	3	100
LTCOL CAMPBELL PALFREY-490BOMBRO	3	3	100
LTCOL RAYMOND E. HAMLIN-12BOMBRO	2	2	100
MAJ NORBERT W. KIRK-4SSS	2	2	100
LTCOL LEO H. BOOTH-341PERMAINTRON	2	2	100
LTCOL GEORGE W. E. HARRIS-337BOMBRO	1	1	100
MAJ WINFIELD S. BOWERS JR-819SUPRON	14	12	85.3
MAJ WARREN W. SMITH-819HEDRONSEC	14	10	71.5
Division Average			70.
MAJ WILBUR SHINE-96FLDMAINTRON	3	2	66.6
LTCOL CHARLES M. HUNTER-11AIRFLRON	3	2	66.6
LTCOL GEORGE D. WOOD-96ARMTLECTMAINTRON	10	5	50.
LTCOL CHARLES J. STEVENS-341ARMTLECTMAINTRON	8	4	50.
CAPT CHARLIE L. NEWSOM-819APRON	6	3	50.
LTCOL ALEC B. STREETE-96HEDRONSEC	4	2	50.
LTCOL SAMUEL R. SMITH-10BOMBRO	2	1	50.
LTCOL SHERRILL L. POWELL-341FLDMAINTRON	13	5	38.5
MAJ LARKIN F. BURKETT-819OPRON	3	1	33.3
LTCOL DAVID PALLISTER-338BOMBRO	0	0	0
LTCOL KLINE D. CULBERTSON-96PERMAINTRON	0	0	0
MAJ MERLE E. SJOGREN-96TACHOSP	0	0	0

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Commanders Tally Sheet, (Immediate Reenlistment), Dec 57 (Cont'd)

	A	B	C
LTCOL LAWRENCE R. SUTHERLAND-341TACHOSP	0	0	0
LTCOL LAWRENCE R. SUTHERLAND-4021HOSP	0	0	0
MAJ JACK GILL-42AVNDEPRON	2	0	0
COL LOUIS A. ROCHEZ III-819ABGP	58	45	77.6
COL ANTHONY J. PERINA-341BOMBWG	38	24	63.3
COL CHARLES F. McKENNA-96BOMBWG	21	13	61.9
COL FRANK P. STURDIVANT-819AIRDIV	117	82	70.

A: Number of airmen discharged eligible to reenlist

B: Number of airmen who reenlisted

C: Reenlistment Rate (Percentage)

UNIT	APRIL - SEPTEMBER			OCTOBER - DECEMBER			DIFFERENCE
	A	B	C	A	B	C	
339BS	5	3	60	3	3	100	40
337BS	13	8	61.5	2	2	100	38.5
4SSS	15	9	60	5	4	80	20
819TS	9	5	55.6	23	16	69.8	14.2
96FMS	46	29	63	7	5	71.5	8.5
11ARS	23	12	52.3	7	4	57.3	5
96AENS	25	12	48	18	9	50	2
819FSS	5	4	80	5	4	80	—
10BS	5	2	40	5	2	40	—
341AENS	45	21	46.7	18	7	38.9	-7.8
96HS	8	6	75	6	4	66.6	-8.4
819SS	16	11	68.8	39	23	59	-9.8
12BS	6	4	66.8	6	3	50	-16.8
341TH	10	6	60	5	2	40	-20
819HS	23	15	65.3	37	16	43.3	-22
341HS	8	6	75	16	7	43.7	-31.3
341FMS	41	27	65.9	32	10	31.3	-34.6
819IS	10	8	80	14	6	42.8	-37.2
490BS	4	4	100	5	3	60	-40
341PMS	10	8	80	10	4	40	-40
819CS	16	11	68.8	14	4	28.5	-40.3
819AFS	28	24	82.8	18	7	38.9	-43.9
42ADS	12	9	75	7	2	28.5	-46.5
HCSP	8	4	50	0	0	—	-50

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UNIT	APRIL - SEPTEMBER			OCTOBER - DECEMBER			DIFFERENCE
	A	B	C	A	B	C	
96TH	8	5	62.5	0	0	---	-62.5
338BS	14	11	78.7	0	0	---	-78.7
96FMS	5	5	100	0	0	---	-100
96EW	124	79	63.7	36	23	63.9	.2
341EW	152	90	59.2	104	42	40.3	-18.9
819ABGP	142	100	70.5	162	82	50.6	-19.9
819ADIV	291	196	67.4	302	147	48.7	-18.7

A: Number of airmen eligible to reenlist

B: Number of airmen who reenlisted

C: Reenlistment Rate (Percentage)

ANNUAL RETENTION RATE

1957

	A	B	C		A	B	C
819HS	75	36	48. %	341FMS	35	15	42.9%
819SS	64	36	56.3%	341AEMS	74	32	43.3%
819AFS	54	37	68.5%	341TACHOSP	22	13	59.1%
819FSS	10	8	80. %	96HS	20	15	75. %
819CS	34	16	47.1%	337BS	22	10	45.5%
819IC	33	18	54.6%	338BS	23	11	47.8%
819TS	41	23	56.6%	339BS	14	6	42.8%
42ADS	24	12	50. %	96FYS	72	38	52.8%
4SSS	39	24	61.5%	96FIS	13	6	46.1%
HOSP	15	9	60. %	96AES	53	22	41.5%
341HS	30	15	50. %	96TACHOSP	11	8	72.6%
10BS	21	5	23.8%	819ABGP	353	193	54.7%
12BS	27	8	29.6%	96BW	238	116	48.7%
490BS	19	10	52.7%	341EW	366	160	43.7%
11ARS	40	16	40. %	819ADIV	751	382	50.9%
341FMS	98	46	46.9%				

A: Number of airmen eligible for reenlistment
 B: Number of airmen reenlisted
 C: Reenlistment Rate (Percentage)

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OJT RATINGS FOR DECEMBER 1957

CATEGORY	NO. ON OJT	NO. ELIGIBLE	% ON OJT	NO. TESTED	NO. PASSED	% PASSED	NO. UPGRADED	UPGRADED	FACTOR SCORES			TOTAL	
									A	B	C		
339 BS	25	25	100	15	15	100	15	41	15	60	25	100	
96 HS	32	32	100	2	2	100	2	6	15	60	4	79	
337 BS	43	43	100	14	11	79	9	19	15	27	25	67	
338 BS	50	50	100	25	20	80	3	6	15	30	4	49	
TAC HOSP	2	2	100	0	0	0	1	50	15	0	25	40	
96 PME	93	93	100	11	8	73	9	10	15	9	16	40	
96 LEWS	84	84	100	1	0	0	5	6	15	0	4	19	
96 PME	32	32	100	1	0	0	1	3	15	0	0	15	
96th TOTAL	361	361	100	69	56	81	45	12	15	33	22	70	EXCELLENT
12 BS	33	33	100	27	24	89	22	39	15	57	25	97	
10 BS	54	54	100	17	15	88	13	19	15	54	25	94	
490 BS	42	43	98	29	24	83	19	32	12	39	25	76	
341 PME	131	133	99	15	12	80	12	9	15	30	13	58	
341 PME	44	44	100	17	8	47	6	13	15	0	25	40	
11 ARS	32	33	97	15	10	67	8	22	9	0	25	34	
341 LEWS	105	108	97	4	3	75	3	3	9	15	0	24	
341 HS	49	49	100	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	15	
TAC HOSP	5	5	100	1	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	15	
341ST TOTALS	495	502	99	125	96	77	83	15	15	21	25	61	SATISFACTORY
42 ADS	40	40	100	2	2	100	5	13	15	60	25	100	
I	101	102	99	12	11	92	11	11	15	60	19	94	
TS	83	83	100	13	10	77	9	11	15	21	19	55	
OS	35	35	100	0	0	0	3	10	15	0	16	31	
SS	86	86	100	7	5	71	4	4	15	3	0	18	
HS	139	139	100	4	1	25	2	1	15	0	0	15	
AFS	39	39	100	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	15	
FSS	5	5	100	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	15	
4021 HOSP	1	1	100	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	15	
4 SSS	46	46	100	4	2	50	0	0	15	0	0	15	
GROUP TOTAL	575	576	99+	43	31	72	34	6	15	6	4	25	UNSATISFACTORY
DIV TOTAL	1431	1439	99+	247	183	74	163	11	15	12	19	46	MARGINAL

THIRD QUARTER RATINGS FOR OCTOBER, NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER 1957

S. ABBREV	NO. ON OJT	NO. ELIGIBLE	% ON OJT	NO. TESTED	NO. PASSED	% PASSED	NO. UPGRADED	% UPGRADED	FACTOR NO. 1			TOTAL	BASEWIDE STANDING
									A	B	C		
42 ADS	116	117	99+	15	14	93	18	14	15	60	25	100	1st
TS	236	236	100	29	26	90	23	11	15	60	19	94	3rd
IS	313	314	99+	67	58	87	60	18	15	51	25	91	4th
FSS	12	12	100	1	1	100	1	10	15	60	16	91	4th
AFS	110	110	100	11	10	91	7	6	15	48	10	79	6th
SS	269	269	100	22	19	86	21	8	15	48	10	73	8th
CS	91	91	100	14	9	64	9	10	15	0	16	31	14th
HS	425	425	100	43	30	70	29	7	15	0	7	22	17th
4021ST HCSP	5	5	100	1	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	15	19th
4SSS	148	148	100	12	7	57	5	4	15	0	0	15	19th
GROUP TOT	1725	1727	99+	215	174	81	173	10	15	33	16	64	SATISFACTORY
339BS	100	100	100	16	16	100	17	15	15	60	25	100	1st
96HS	99	99	100	10	9	90	11	11	15	60	19	94	3rd
337BS	135	135	100	18	15	83	14	10	15	39	16	70	9th
338BS	148	148	100	26	21	81	5	3	15	33	0	48	11th
TAC HCSP	5	5	100	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	25	40	12th
96AEMS	183	183	100	50	33	66	32	11	15	0	19	34	13th
96PMS	91	91	100	4	3	75	3	3	15	15	0	30	15th
96FMS	273	273	100	18	12	67	22	8	15	0	10	25	16th
96th TOT	1034	1034	100	142	109	77	105	9	15	21	13	49	MARGINAL
12BS	142	142	100	27	24	89	23	14	15	57	25	97	2nd
1 BS	164	165	99+	31	26	84	26	15	15	42	25	82	5th
10BS	184	184	100	17	15	88	13	7	15	54	7	76	7th
341HS	148	148	100	7	6	86	8	6	15	48	4	67	10th
11ARS	107	108	99+	16	11	69	15	10	15	0	16	31	14th
341FMS	398	401	99	30	22	73	29	7	15	9	7	31	14th
341PMS	140	140	100	18	9	50	11	8	15	0	10	25	16th
341AEMS	337	340	99	22	13	59	25	7	15	0	7	22	17th
TAC HCSP	16	16	100	1	0	0	1	6	15	0	4	19	18th
341ST TOT	1636	1644	99+	169	126	75	151	9	15	15	13	43	MARGINAL
DIV TOT	4395	4405	99+	526	409	78	429	9	15	24	13	52	MARGINAL

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BASIC LTR FR HQ 819TH AB GP (SAC), USAF, DYESS AFB, ABILENE, TEXAS,
 SUBJ: SUBMISSION OF ORGANIZATION EMBLEM, DTD (UNDATED)

AFPMP-12-C-3

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Nov 5 1957

DEPT OF THE AIR FORCE, HQ USAF, WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

TO: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND, OFFUTT AFB, NEBRASKA

1. IN ACCORDANCE WITH AFR 900-3, 13 AUGUST 1957, THE FOLLOWING EMBLEM IS APPROVED FOR THE 819TH AIR BASE GROUP:

GROUP EMBLEM: PER FEES INJECTED ABASED LIGHT BLUE AND AZURE, IN CHIEF AN IRON CHAIN OF THREE LINKS FEESWISE THROUGHOUT PROPER BELOW FIVE MULLETS TWO AND THREE OR.

MOTTO: ON AN AIR FORCE GOLDEN YELLOW SCROLL, EDGED AND INSCRIBED IN BLACK, SUSTINERE ET CONSERVARE, SUPPORT AND MAINTAIN.

SIGNIFICANCE: THE LIGHT BLUE FIELD OF THE TOP PORTION OF THE SHIELD REPRESENTS THE SKY DURING THE DAY, THE STARS INDICATE THE NIGHT, AND THE DARK BLUE FOREGROUND REPRESENTS THE SEA. THE HEAVY, STURDY CHAIN IS SYMBOLIC OF THE INTERLOCKING MISSION OF THE 819TH AIR BASE GROUP FOR SUPPORT AND MAINTENANCE OF THE TACTICAL OPERATIONS OF THE 341ST BOMBARDMENT WING AND ANOTHER BOMBARDMENT WING WHICH WILL BE ASSIGNED AT A LATER DATE. THIS UNITY IN SUPPORT FACILITATES THE REQUIREMENT OF THE WINGS TO SPAN THE WORLD OVER LAND OR SEA DURING DAY OR NIGHT. THE ULTRAMARINE BLUE AND GOLDEN YELLOW OF OUR EMBLEM ARE THE OFFICIAL COLORS OF THE AIR FORCE.

2. INCLOSED IS THE OFFICIAL PAINTING OF THE EMBLEM DESCRIBED ABOVE, TO BE FORWARDED TO THE UNIT FOR FILE AND GUIDANCE IN REPRODUCTION.
3. FOUR (4) COPIES OF THE FLAG DEVICE, DRAWING NO. 5-103-277, ARE FORWARDED FOR REPRODUCTION OF THE ORGANIZATIONAL FLAG.
4. IT IS REQUESTED THAT THESE INCLOSURES, TOGETHER WITH THE ABOVE INFORMATION, BE FORWARDED TO THE 819TH AIR BASE GROUP.
5. THE CORRECT LATIN FORM OF THE GROUP'S MOTTO HAS BEEN PLACED ON THE SCROLL OF THE OFFICIAL PAINTING.

FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF:

- 3 INCLS
 1. n/c (1 cy w/d)
 ADDED 2 INCLS
 2. OFFICIAL EMBLEM PAINTING
 3. FLAG DWG (IN QUAD)

/s/t/ J. R. BELGARD
 LIEUTENANT COLONEL, USAF
 CHIEF, AWARDS BRANCH
 PERSONNEL SERVICES DIVISION
 DIRECTORATE OF MILITARY PERSONNEL

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

/s/t/ FRANK J. PULLI
 CAPT, USAF

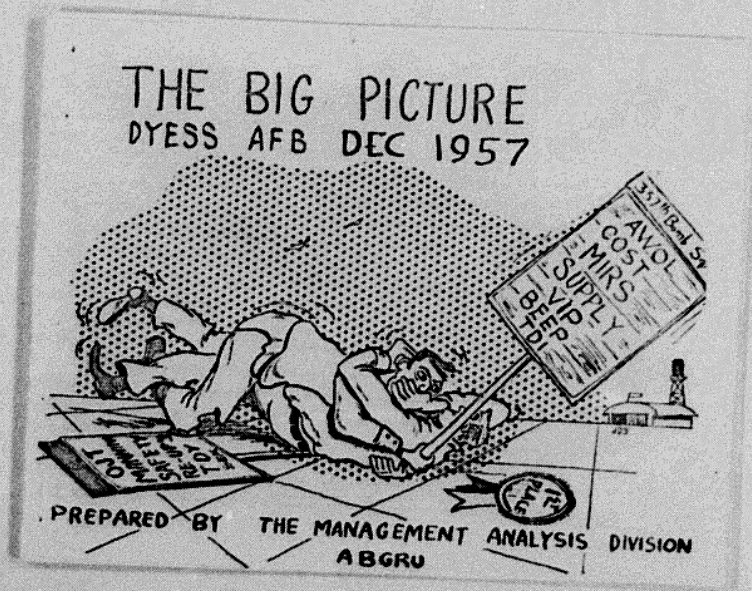
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COLONEL JOHN D. REID: Comptroller, 819th Air Division

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REENLISTMENT RATE (DEC 1957)

ABGRU UNITS	Elig	Reenl	% Reenl	341BW UNITS	Elig	Reenl	% Reenl	96BW UNITS	Elig	Reenl	% Reenl
TS	3	3	100%	HS	5	5	100%	339BS	3	3	100%
FSS	4	4	100%	490BS	3	3	100%	337BS	1	1	100%
IS	4	4	100%	12BS	2	2	100%	FMS	3	2	66%
485S	2	2	100%	PMS	2	2	100%	AEMS	10	5	50%
SS	14	12	86%	11 ARS	3	2	66%	HS	4	2	50%
HS	14	10	71%	AEMS	8	4	50%	338BS	0	0	0
APS	6	3	50%	10BS	2	1	50%	PMS	0	0	0
OS	3	1	33%	FMS	13	5	38%				
ADS	2	0	0					TOTAL	21	13	61%
TOTAL	58	45	77%	TOTAL	38	24	63%	BASE TOTAL	117	82	70%
				AF HOSP	0	0	0				

SOURCE: BASE REENLISTMENT OFFICE

OFFICERS AND NCO MESSING DATA (DEC 57)

ITEM	OFFICERS' MESS			NCO MESS		
	NOV	DEC	YR TO DATE	NOV	DEC	YR TO DATE
NO. OF MEMBERS	1061	1061		1360	1402	
INCOM FR SALES	29,341	35,281	266,870	34,435	45,892	315,566
INCOME FR. DUES	7,294	7,613	89,048	2,708	2,794	240,742
INCOME FROM ACTIVITIES	738	267	5,673	1,985	1,369	14,794
INCOME, MISCELLANEOUS	6	0	167	0	0	55
TOTAL INCOME	37,373	42,961	332,602	39,127	50,055	353,251
AVG SALES PER MEMBER	27.65	32.64		25.32	32.73	
COST OF SALES	18,119	22,710	185,913	21,878	30,996	202,572
SALARIES	10,051	10,519	88,899	6,202	7,264	88,957
ENTERTAINMENT	2,156	3,189	19,295	2,788	1,994	19,041
OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	2,380	3,011	20,040	1,803	2,390	13,400
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE	810	1,101	13,463	843	1,106	12,358
TOTAL EXPENSE	33,616	40,830	307,609	30,786	43,750	312,009
NET PROFIT TO SURPLUS	3,757	2,474	25,046	5,511	6,315	36,452

OJT EFFECTIVENESS (DEC 1957)

ORGANIZATION	NO & % ON OJT	NUMBER TESTED & PASSED	NUMBER UPGRADED
819TH ABGRU			
42 ADS	40/40 100%	2/2 100%	5
IS	101/102 99%	12/11 92%	11
TS	83/83 100%	13/10 77%	9
SS	86/86 100%	7/5 71%	4
4 SSI	46/46 100%	4/2 50%	0
HS	139/139 100%	4/1 25%	2
OS	35/35 100%	0/0 0	3
APS	39/39 100%	0/0 0	0
FSS	5/5 100%	0/0 0	0
4021 HOSP	1/1 100%	1/0 0	0

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OJT EFFECTIVENESS (DEC 1957)

ORGANIZATION	NO & % ON OJT	NUMBER TESTED & PASSED	NUMBER UPGRADED
96TH BOMB WING			
339 BOMB SQ	25/25 100%	15/15 100%	15
HQ SQ	32/32 100%	2/2 100%	2
338TH BOMB SQ	50/50 100%	25/20 80%	3
337TH BOMB SQ	43/43 100%	14/11 79%	9
96TH FMS	93/93 100%	11/8 73%	9
96TH AEMS	84/84 100%	1/0 0	5
96TH PMS	32/32 100%	1/0 0	1
TAC HOSP	2/2 100%	0/0 0	1
ABGRU TOTAL	575/576 99%	43/31 72%	34 - UNSATISFACTORY
341BOMB WING TOT	495/502 99%	125/96 77%	83 - SATISFACTORY
96 BOMB WING TOT	361/361 100%	69/56 81%	45 - EXCELLENT
AIR DIV TOTAL	1431/1439 99.1%	247/183 74%	162 - MARGINAL

SOURCE: BASE OJT OFFICE

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OJT EFFECTIVENESS (DEC 1957)

ORGANIZATION	NO & % ON OJT	NUMBER TESTED & PASSED	NUMBER UPGRADED
241ST BOMB WING			
12TH BOMB SQ	33/33 100%	27/24 89%	22
10TH BOMB SQ	54/54 100%	17/15 88%	13
490TH BOMB SQ	42/43 98%	29/24 83%	15
341ST FMS	131/133 99%	15/12 80%	12
341ST AEMS	105/108 97%	4/3 75%	3
11TH ARS	32/33 97%	15/10 67%	8
341ST FMS	44/44 100%	17/8 47%	6
HQ SQ	49/49 100%	6/0 0	0
TAC HOSP	5/5 100%	1/0 0	0

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MANNING IN REQUIRED SPECIALTIES (DEC 1957)

UNIT	OFFICERS			AIRRMN			CIVILIAN		TOTAL ASGD
	AUTH	ASGD	IRS	AUTH	ASGD	IRS	AUTH	ASGD	
819TH AIR DIVISION	11	11	10	9	11	3	3	4	25
819TH AIR BASE GROUP									
HQ SQ SEC	51	54	50	420	443	328	53	53	550
SUPPLY SQ	7	6	6	271	296	238	85	98	400
TRANSPORTATION SQ	3	3	3	171	198	147	19	15	216
AIR POLICE SQ	4	4	4	297	246	246			250
OPERATIONS SQ	12	13	12	153	160	128	6	6	179
INSTALLATIONS SQ	7	9	7	354	280	280	108	106	392
FOOD SERVICE SQ	1	1	1	223	185	185			186
42ND ADS	9	11	9	127	132	112			143
4TH SSS	6	7	6	271	296	238			303
TOTAL 819ABGRU									2622

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MANNING IN REQUIRED SPECIALTIES (DEC 1957)

UNIT	OFFICERS			AIRMEN			CIVILIAN		TOTAL ASGD
	AUTH	ASGD	IRS	AUTH	ASGD	IRS	AUTH	ASGD	
96TH BOMB WING									
HQ SQ SEC	59	57	54	137	138	110	4	3	198
337 BOMB SQ	77	91	77	93	104	68			185
338 BOMB SQ	77	95	76	93	101	73			196
339 BOMB SQ	77	92	76	93	100	81			192
96TH AEMS	8	8	8	298	303	227			311
96TH FMS	6	7	5	296	320	240	6	6	333
96TH PMS	3	3	2	66	66	58			69
TOTAL 96 BOMB WING									1594
AIR FORCE HOSPITAL									
4021ST HOSPITAL	21	20	18	19	9	9	30	25	59
341ST TAC HOSPITAL	21	22	21	79	73	69			95
96TH TAC HOSPITAL	7	6	5	27	26	20			32
			7						186

MANNING IN REQUIRED SPECIALTIES (DEC 1957)

UNIT	OFFICERS			AIRMEN			CIVILIAN		TOTAL ASGD
	AUTH	ASGD	IRS	AUTH	ASGD	IRS	AUTH	ASGD	
341ST BOMB WING									
HQ SQ SEC	59	61	55	140	155	109	4	4	220
10TH BOMB SQ	71	77	70	93	114	72			191
12TH BOMB SQ	71	77	67	93	113	83			190
40TH BOMB SQ	71	73	69	93	117	77			190
11TH ARS	97	113	97	178	188	154			301
341ST AEMS	8	10	7	323	338	250			348
341ST FMS	6	5	3	415	409	328	8	8	422
341ST PMS	3	4	3	106	100	82			104
TOTAL 341 BOMB WING									1866

(DEC 1957)

INFORMATION ON OFFENSES

OFFENSES	819TH AIR BASE GROUP										341ST BOMBARDMENT WING								96TH BOMBARDMENT WING						A.F. HOSP	BASE TOTAL			
	HQ SQ	SUP SQ	TR. W. SQ	4TH 385	OPS SQ	A.P. SQ	FD SVS	INST SQ	42 ADS	TOT GRU	HQ SQ	10 BS	12 BS	490 BS	11 ARS	AEM SQ	PM SQ	FM SQ	TOT WING	HQ SQ	337 BS	338 BS	339 BS	AEM SQ			PM SQ	FM SQ	TOT WING
SECURITY VIOLATIONS										0									0								0	0	0
MAJOR TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS		1	1	3		2	1	2	1	11	1					3		1	5				1				1	2	18
MINOR TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS	2	3	2	5	1	1	4		2	20	1		2	2		2	1	5	13	1	1	2					4	1	38
CIVIL TYPE OFFENSES	1			1			2	1	5		1			2				2	5	1							1	2	13
MILITARY OFFENSES	1	4	2			2	3	2		14	1	2			2	1		4	10				1				2	3	27
DRUNK	1		1	1		2		1		6				1	1			1	3				1	1			3	5	14
A/VOL				1			1	2		4			1			2		1	4					2	2			4	12
TOTAL	5	8	6	11	1	7	9	9	4	60	3	3	3	3	5	8	1	14	40	2	1	3	5	2	0	7	20	2	122

PROVOST MARSHAL ACTIVITIES REPORT (DEC 1957)

AIR FORCE PRISONERS.....	21
LOST OR STOLEN GOVERNMENT PROPERTY REPORTED.....	\$ 697.63
GOVERNMENT PROPERTY RECOVERED.....	6,206.74

DISBURSING DATA (DEC 1957)

ITEM	FY 58 TO DATE	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
PAY CARDS ON HAND			5,763	6,408	6,092
SAVINGS BONDS SOLD	\$ 113,695	\$ 25,083	\$ 23,185	\$ 13,482	\$ 22,363
CASH DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 854,113	\$ 140,433	\$ 92,130	\$ 72,619	\$ 121,119
GROSS DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 10,458,246	\$ 1,814,106	\$ 2,168,238	\$ 1,661,569	\$ 2,231,975
COMMERCIAL DISCOUNTS	\$ 3,671	\$ 531	\$ 424	\$ 312	\$ 557

PAY CARDS MAINTAINED PER PAY CLERK FOR DEC 900 STANDARD NO. 15 900

SUPPLY EFFECTIVENESS (DEC 1957)

DESCRIPTION	SAC OBJECTIVE	819ABG ACTUAL	OBJECTIVE EXCEEDED BY	SHORT OF OBJECTIVE BY
AACP	.75%	.66	.07%	
ANFE	4.00%	1.22	3.74	
VEHICLES DOWN PARTS	2.5%	4.1		1.6
UNREQUESTED SUPPLY ITEMS ISSUED	72%	65		7%
L. P. TURNOVER RATE	50%	36		14%

GROUND SAFETY (DEC 57)

ITEM	819TH ABGRU		341ST BOMB WG		96TH BOMB WG	
	FY 58 TO DATE	DEC 57	FY 58 TO DATE	DEC 57	FY 58 TO DATE	DEC 57
MIL INJURIES & FATALITIES	14	0	18	5	11	1
MIL MAN DAYS EXPOSURE	441,289	79,236	377,164	60,636	292,910	46,004
CIV INJURIES & FATALITIES	0	0	0	0	0	0
USAF ACFT ACCIDENTS	1	0	0	0	0	2
COST	\$ 26,129	0	0	0	0	\$ 94.00
USAF VEHICLE ACCIDENTS	2	0	1	0	0	0
COST	\$ 3,033	0	\$ 272	0	0	0
TOTAL INJURY & PROPERTY DAMAGE COST	\$ 66,627	\$ 203	\$ 73,604	\$ 4,081	\$ 4,053	\$ 1,521

DYESS AFB: Placed 11th out of 33 SAC Bases for December.
 HYNTER AFB: Won the Yearly Trophy for the period 1 Jan 57 to 31 Dec 57 (Dyess placed 11th out of 33 SAC Bases for the Year).
 FAIRCHILD AFB: Won the 15AF Award of \$1,800. (Operation Life Saver) for having the lowest private motor vehicle accidents for the last quarter of 1957. (Dyess placed 11th of 11 Bases scored.)

CLOTHING SALES STORE (DEC 1957)

ITEM	PREVIOUS 12 MONTHS	PREVIOUS 12 MO. AVERAGE PER MO.	DECEMBER
ASSIGNED AIRMEN STRENGTH			4,910
CLOTHING ALLOWANCE PAID TO AIRMEN			\$ 24,850
TOTAL MAINTENANCE SALES	49,255		3,784
AVERAGE MAINTENANCE SALES PER ASSIGNED AIRMEN		.70	.62
HEALTH & APPEARANCE SALES PER DOLLAR OF MAINT SALES		.01	.06

1. THE AVERAGE CLOTHING ALLOWANCE PAID AIRMEN IS APPROXIMATELY \$5.00 PER MONTH.
2. OF APPROXIMATELY \$30,000 STOCK IN THE CLOTHING SALES STORE IN EARLY ABOUT \$23,000 WAS SUMMER ITEMS.
3. THE ABOVE FIGURES INCLUDE CLOTHING SALES STORE SALES ONLY.

BASE HOUSING DATA (DEC 1957)

OFFICERS DORMITORIES		NCO AND AIRMEN DORMITORIES	
AUTH NORMAL CAPACITY	134	AUTH NORMAL CAPACITY	3,345
SPACES OCCUPIED	115	SPACES OCCUPIED	2,732
CAPEHART HOUSING		CAPEHART HOUSING	
OFFICERS AUTHORIZED	376	AIRMEN AUTHORIZED	566
OFFICERS OCCUPIED	353	NCO OCCUPIED	507
		AIRMEN OCCUPIED	33
LIVING OFF BASE		LIVING OFF BASE	
OFFICERS LIVING OFF BASE	517	NCO LIVING OFF BASE	633
		AIRMEN LIVING OFF BASE	1000

SOURCE: 819AD-P1 HOUSING STATUS REPORT

STATUS OF APPROPRIATED FUNDS OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE

ITEMS	FIRST HALF FY 1958 PROGRAM	CUMULATIVE OBLIGATION THRU 31 DEC 57	PERCENT OF OBLIGATIONS	AVAILABLE BALANCE	FIRST HALF FY 1958
CIVILIAN PAY	\$ 713,200	\$713,120	99.99%		\$ 80
GROUND POL	65,729	58,183	88.51%		7,546
OPERATING SUPPLIES	469,660	394,252	83.94%		75,408
EQUIPMENT	161,081	23,817	14.85%		137,174
CONTRACT MAINT OF EQUIP	7,000	6,863	97.90%		147
UTILITIES	268,892	247,125	91.56%		22,767
REAL PROPERTY MAINT	40,296	16,423	40.75%		23,873
COMMUNICATIONS	68,936	65,776	95.42%		3,160
COMMERCIAL TRANS	48,480	46,007	94.92%		473
LAUNDRY & DRY CLEANING	10,650	8,521	80.01%		2,129
OFF-DUTY EDUCATION	5,599	4,809	85.89%		790
FICA, RETIREMENT & INS	44,500	44,489	99.90%		41
TDY	188,129	508,218	266.95%	(\$314,086)CR	
OTHER NON-PERSONNEL EXP	17,500	10,801	61.72%		6,699
DESIRED PERCENT OF OBLIGATION RATE = 100%	\$2,110,662	\$2,144,817	101.60%		(\$33,799)CR

*This figure does not include \$19,464 received as reimbursement from the hospital.

10 Overobligation result of Hq direct TDY funds to be received during 3rd qtr to cover this amount.

LATE REPORTS (DEC 1957)

ORGANIZATION	NO. LATE REPORTS	PERCENT	ORGANIZATION	NO. LATE REPORTS	PERCENT
819ABGRU			341ST BOMB WG		
D/MATERIEL	1		D/MATERIEL	3	
D/COMPTROLLER	3		D/OPERATIONS	1	
D/PERSONNEL	2			4	5.3%
	6	2.02%			
819TH AIR DIV			96TH BOMB WG		
	0			0	
	0	100%		0	100%
TOTAL LATE REPORTS	10	2.71%			