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HEADQUARTERS ARMY AIR BASE
WILL ROGERS FIELD, OKLAHOMA

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Feb. 4, 1943

GENERAL ORDERS)
:
NUMBER 3)

1. The following named Unit is hereby activated at Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma, without personnel,& will be attchd to the 46th Bomb Gp(L),effective Feb 5,1943:

UNIT	SOURCE OF CADRE	STATION	T/O	PRIORITY RATINGS FOR CONTROLLED ITEMS OF EQUIPMENT
Hq,416th Bomb Gp(L)	46TH Bomb Gp	Will Rogers Field, Okla.	1-112 (7-1-42)	6-1-1943
668th Bomb Sq(L)			1-137 (7-1-42)	
669th Bomb Sq(L)			1-137 (7-1-42)	
670th Bomb Sq(L)			1-137 (7-1-42)	
671st Bomb Sq(L)			1-137 (7-1-42)	

2. The 416th Bomb Gp(L), is hereby assd to the III Air Support Command.

3. The CO, of this Unit will comply with provisions of the above listed T/O, in the organization of this Unit. Specific authorization of enlisted grades will be published in a separate communication.

4. Personnel replacement will be accomplished in the usual manner by submission of the AAF Form 1.7, Dec 12,1942(Personnel Status Report).

5. These units should be organized as nearly as practicable according to the following schedule and will commence training approximately seven (7) days after reaching table of organization strength:

DATE TO REACH 25% STRENGTH	DATE TO REACH 50% STRENGTH	DATE TO REACH 100% STRENGTH
February 23,194	March 23,1943	April 23, 1943

6. This unit will be equipped in accordance with Table of Basic Allowance 1,July 1, 1942.

7. Army Air Forces Regulations 15-107, Dec 12, 1942, 15-108, Dec 15, 1942, and Technical Order 00-25-3A will be complied with immediately.

8. a. This Headquarters will submit a report without delay to the Adjutant General and the Commanding General, AAF (AFMAG-Publications Section-20 copies), by letter, giving the following information:

(1) Unit activated.
(2) Date of activation
(3) Source of cadre.
(4) Size of cadre.

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b. A similar report will be made to Hq, 3rd Air Force, Tampa, Fla, and will include confirmation of compliance with paragraph 8 a above.

9. Obligate the procurement authorities set forth in Sec II, WD Cir No. 206, June 26, 1942, to the extent necessary.

By order of Colonel THOMPSON:

A. L. JOHNSON
Lt Col., Air Corps
Executive

OFFICIAL:

/s/ B. H. Levy
/t/ B. H. LEVY
Capt., Air Corps
Adjutant

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HEADQUARTERS ARMY AIR BASE
WILL ROGERS FIELD, OKLAHOMA

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SPECIAL ORDERS)
NUMBER.....46)

Feb 15, 1943.

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23. The following named Officers and EM of the 46th Bomb Group (L) are hereby trfd in gr to the 416th Bomb Gp, (L), eff this date:

OFFICERS

LT. COL RICHARD D. DICK, 022569, AC, Group Commander.
CAPT GRIFFIN R. BEATTY, 046509, AC.
2ND LT WILLIAM L. KINNEY, 0568916, AC.
CAPT JAMES W. TOWNSEND, 0351967, AC.
CAPT WARREN J. CONEN, 0400569, MC.
1ST LT CHESTER C. WYSOCKI, 0402333, AC.
1ST LT JAMES R. PAISLEY, 0433253, AC.
2ND LT. CARL H. HOLBERT, 0572043, AC.
CAPT LEWIS C. DULL, 0354822, AC.
2ND LT JOHN E. EASTERWOOD, 0857842, AC.
2ND LT AUGUST T. RINI, 0512205, AC.
2ND LT GERALD L. McCURRY, 0857285, AC.
W.O. WILLIAM H. MOFFETT, W2118789, AUS,
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2ND LT JOHN W. HOLDAWAY, 0736216, AC.
2ND LT FREDERIC E. DURLAND, 0736159,AC.
2ND LT HOWARD J. HILDERBRANDT, 0736212, AC.

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2ND LT ELWIN F. HOWARD, 0736218, AC
2ND LT MEREDITH J. HUFF, 0736220, AC.
2ND LT DAVID A. HULSE, 0736223, AC.
2ND LT EUGENE S. HULETTE, 0736222, AC.
2ND LT CHESTER R. JACKSON, 0736226, AC.

CO, 668TH BOMB SQ.
CAPT JOHN G. NAPIER, 0431478, AC

CO, 669TH BOMB SQ.
CAPT RAYMOND T. SCHLANSER, 0431537, AC

CO, 670TH BOMB SQ.
CAPT ROBERT F. PRICE, 0431508, AC.

CO, 671ST BOMB SQ.
CAPT DAVID L. WILLETTS, 0431583, AC.

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FROM HQ 46TH BOMB GP TO HQ 416TH BOMB GP.

M/Sgt JACK MILLER	6234516	*M/Sgt JOSEPH E. HOLMGREN	R-1552008
**Cpl JOHN D. LARIMORE,	15019836	T/Sgt JOHN LAHETA, JR	20544875
T/Sgt ROBERT E. BURTON	15063022	S/Sgt GLEN R. HANCOCK	18106885

*Trfd fr 51st Bomb Sq, 46th Bomb Gp.
**Trfd fr 50th Bomb Sq, 46th Bomb Gp.

FROM 50TH BOMB SQ TO 668TH BOMB SQ.

T/Sgt HORACE O. EDWARDS	6366328	Sgt JOHN A. STEVENS	18037844
		Pvt FRANK C. AMEND, JR	38127380
Cpl RICHARD W. NELLER	39173154	M/Sgt DENNIE B. BROSSET	6920839
S/Sgt VERNON E. RAINES	35126242	S/Sgt NICHOLAS J. FISH	35024434
T/Sgt FRANK L. ARENS	14030226	T/Sgt CHARLES F. DIKE	18034967
T/Sgt ROY E. ANDERSON	16016824	S/Sgt LOUIS E. TAYLOR	35024984
S/Sgt STANLEY J. BUINSKI	15019627	Sgt VETO H. KETCHIN	11033371
Sgt BOOKER B. BACON	35104799	Pfc JOE J. CHAPIN	18060069
Pfc JAMES H. MEDLOCK	14072470	Pvt OWEN R. ADKISON	39174761
Pvt LESTER G. ALSLEBEN	37178365	Pvt CLAUDE N. ATKINS	34267385
Pvt CHARLES L. BALL	38150915	Pvt ROY A. CHESSMORE	38128724
Pvt AMOS H. CLARY	18120637	PvtJOHN S. CRAIG	38161463
Pvt WILBUR F. CRANE	12043640	Pvt LEROY M. DELORIEA	11042046
Pvt CHARLIE J. DEUTSCHER, JR	38162476	Pvt ROLAND E. DULLING	18105729
Pvt ROBERT M. KNIGHT JR.	18108891	Sgt EVERET O. CLINE	15069175
Pvt CHARLES S. CURTIS JR	38152239	Pvt RUSSEL D. DENNER	39839641
T/Sgt PAUL S. BORN	6395482	S/Sgt FRED C. GERAGHTY JR	35024306
Cpl WILBUR S. STANFORD JR	35024348	T/Sgt JACK H. BROWN	18049661
S/Sgt JAMES P. LEWIS	18004861	Cpl. ARTHUR F. BUTLER	12012624
Cpl JOHN H. CURRIE JR	20118681	Pvt ALTON F. BEST	38203805
S/Sgt VIRGIL A. KUHLMAN	15019851	Cpl HOWARD E. MEEK	35026512
Sgt ELDON R. HOIST	15069168	Pfc WILLIAM E. NORDHOFF	33006766
Sgt GENE J. GOLDMAN	35024612	Cpl JONAS D. LANIER	38146880
Sgt DOMINICK S. BRUNETTI	15019951	Sgt DAVID M. HALLIGAN	35207829
Cpl WILLIAM T. FRYMAN	35033651	Pvt JOHNIE A. HOLY	38078651
Cpl GABRIEL J. SYOBO JR	39837048	Cpl ELLIS C. ACREE	38094138
Pvt BAILEY EAST	35453650	Pvt ELLIS E. HAYES	15063110
PvtROSS SALIMBENE	15073670	Pfc EDWARD R. FURTADO	39090945

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S/Sgt WILLIAM J. DONAHUE	17024222	Sgt VIRGIL REYNOLDS	13035081
Sgt DONALD LEVENGOOD	15018771	Sgt FRANCIS X. LUKE	32452858
T/Sgt DONALD C. HOOVER	15018833	Sgt CLIFFORD D. BODY	35035342
Pfc NATHAN D. LOVE	13033705	Pvt JOHN TRECHOCK	15067227
Pfc HAROLD F. WHITMIRE	33023033	M/Sgt CLAYTON PATRIC	6389968
M/Sgt ERNEST L. HORNING	15042316	Pvt M.G. BLAIR	19084154
T/Sgt NOEL E. CLARK	18001494	S/Sgt WILLIAM WENTER	15019658
T/Sgt ROBERT E. ATCHISON	17016264	S/Sgt LEO H. SCHWARZ	18001374
Sgt LELAND L. JONES	35024803	Sgt PAUL L. STEWART	35002564
Sgt CHARLES E. GILL	35208666	S/Sgt MORRIS W. BURHAM	15063237
Cpl ELMO W. KLINE	35325458	Sgt WILLIAM H. KIDD	35162390
Sgt CHARLES J. MIHALEK	35024672	Pfc ANGELO F. MIRANDA	32244835
Sgt KENNETH H. HIATT	35161384	Cpl HORACE R. BURCH	38013710
Cpl CHARLES G. THOMPSON	15019331	Pvt JAMESON RISSER	15073529
Cpl. EDWIN B. SAUNDERS	15073544	Pvt GORDON D. GAILBREATH	14104462
Pvt RAYMOND B. HAGERSTROM	16030823	Sgt LYNWOOD M. ROBINSON	13049808
Pvt LEWIS C.BUSH	15019990	Pvt JOHN R. FORESMAN	39021323
Pvt HUBERT L. CLICK	14063685	Pfc NEWMAN G. PARKER	15083880
Pvt RICHARD BOS JR	37121192	Pvt KENNETH B. GULLEY	38105454
Sgt ADRIAN M.HOWARD	15019575	Pvt ROBERT L. STOY	33018931

FROM 87TH BOMB SQ TO 671ST BOMB SQ

T/Sgt JOHN H. TIDWELL	6926908	T/Sgt JAMES A. SKIDMORE	15016350
Pvt ROSWELL F. POGUE	15046259	S/Sgt MERL E. McCLUNG	35162396
Sgt ELMER W. BAXTER	35161959	Cpl. FRANK FABIC	33261478
Sgt JOHN W. McAFEE	15068716	Pfc RICHARD J. OLMER	37256118
S/Sgt RICHARD L. HUMPHREY	15019819	S/Sgt PHILIP D. GRAVES	16028138
S/Sgt LAWRENCE A. WEST	11023925	Sgt THEODORE V. ELMORE	6931117
Cpl BERNARD J. CONNOR	20510687	Pvt MARVIN J. CULWELL	39251450
Pvt CHARLES W. EHRHARDT	18103989	S/Sgt HARRY L. MEADOWS	15069181
Cpl PAUL E. MURPHY	13050698	Sgt WARREN R. PETERS	15069078
Cpl EDWARD G. POCHATKO	13041060	Cpl EUGENE M. LOVE	14055909
Sgt LONNIE O. BAYS	35208627	Sgt JAMES L. FRANCE	35208573
Pfc JEWELL F. IRWIN	34280065	Pfc WILLIAM C. EMERY	34202731
M/Sgt ALVIN W. PREY	6794104	M/Sgt ELMER W. GILLET	6680201
M/Sgt GEORGE L. ZEANAH	20443166	T/Sgt HOSEA H. FARROW	6397293
S/Sgt LAEC E. MOORE	35126142	S/Sgt GOODMAN GOLDBERG	35105247
S/Sgt LEE FAZIO	18001382	S/Sgt IRWIN H. FAUR	37041025
Sgt ANTHONY BAGINSKI	35162965	Sgt Meredith E. STANLEY	35162937
Sgt MAX F. WEATHERFORD	15066585	Sgt ALTON D. BLACKFORD	35163257

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S/Sgt CARL A. CARTER	35128235	Sgt JESS A. WOODWARD	15063111
Pvt JOSEPH E. PISARSKI	13003412	Pfc EDWARD A. HAMPTON	13050781
Pfc WILLIAM E. DUFFIELD	35396316	Pfc HERMAN E. KEEBAUGH	13050812

FROM 51ST BOMB SQ TO 669TH BOMB SQ

1st Sgt JAMES E. KISER	6257072	S/Sgt EARL F. RHODES	35034389
S/Sgt BERNARD F. AHOUSE	15018865	Pvt ALBERT W. POTTS	37180316
S/Sgt AUDREY F. MARTIN	18047563	Cpl LOUIS (NMI) ROBERT	37179943
Sgt LEROY (NMI) PARKER	35125156	Sgt JACK R. JABLONSKY	32178490
Pfc HERMAN J. BACH	35255979	Pfc RAYMOND J. BODE	36232984
T/Sgt KEITH OZMORE	7001280	Pvt EDWARD C. BERGSMA	39174180
Sgt GEORGE C. HOBBS	7000405	Sgt KENNETH E. ROGERS	15019564
Pvt RAYMOND W. GOUGHLAN	36328349	Sgt CARMIN (NMI) COMBS	35126207
Pvt GAYLON B. DUNBAR	38151471	Pfc MAX (NMI) LAWRENCE	38126704
Pvt TOBERT C. JAYCOX	35019128	S/Sgt HARLAN C. JOHNSON	15066564
Cpl DOYLE R. MILLER	15069204	M/Sgt DWIGHT E. WOODS	6754181
T/Sgt JOHN N. SMITH JR	6983885	T/Sgt JOHN R. YARBROUGH	14030363
T/Sgt CONNOR N. REED	6983844	S/Sgt RAYMOND M. SLIFKO	35024556
T/Sgt WILLIE J. PROCTOR	14032518	S/Sgt EUGENE R. NOWACZEWSKI	15063043
Sgt RICHARD L. HAPTONSTALL	35161441	Cpl GEORGE (NMI) WRIGHT	18074210
Sgt STEWART E. MOHLER	35018986	Cpl ELMER W. MULLINS	18084385
S/Sgt CHARLES W. STURGEON	15069001	Cpl JENNINGS C. KNUTSON	17033009
Cpl TRAFTON E. NOSSAMAN	38019540	S/Sgt RAYMOND J. MIRKA	15018864
Pvt THOMAS E. MELTE	19066513	Pfc WILSHIRE F. MITCHELL	14025790
Cpl KARL F. DUDDING	15066573	Pvt CLIFFORD J. DURKIN	39176459
Pvt BRUNO A. DYJAK	36339929	Pvt WILLIAMH. DYK	39606420
Pvt EARL R. EASTERDAY	39176663	Pvt COLEMAN M. ELMORE	14104402
T/Sgt CHARLES A. MANN	18004884	Sgt DAN HARLAN	15019665
Cpl THOMAS M. YARNELL	15267950	Pvt MYRON C. BETHARD	19084374
Pfc JAMES C. BOURLAND	19072232	Pvt KENNETH S. FLAIG	39242673
M/Sgt Wm J F RITTENHOUSE	6657824	S/Sgt BETHEL E. RAY	18035889
Cpl JOSEPH C. WYSOCKI (DS)	15063140	Pvt EDWARD C. COMMYN	16103095
S/Sgt WILLIAM E. BIGGS	18043645	Cpl KENNETHA. FROELICH	39842651
T/Sgt LEROY T. HANCOCK	6971519	Sgt HAROLD A. DeMOSS	35035564
Pvt RONALD C. CAYLOR	33209451	Cpl CLAYTON W. GOBIN	11023862
Pvt LAWRENCE E. McCABE	35453164	Pvt RUSSELL (NMI) DAHLBECK	39179023
S/Sgt EDWARD M. ANTHONY	18010826	S/Sgt THEODORE L. HEIM	36027124
Cpl WILLIAM F. ENTRIKEN	15019999	Pvt WILBUR E. DYKE	35340658
Pfc EARL T. CONWAY	31096320	Pvt ROY L. WHITE	36434627

FROM 53RD BOMB SQ TO 670TH BOMB SQ

S/Sgt HARRY F. COMBS	15068712	S/Sgt CLYDE R. PERKINS	15069235
Cpl LLOYD E. TRACEY	36221688	S/Sgt MONROE O. PAYTON	18036057
Cpl. ROBERT M. STEPHENS	35125372	T/Sgt CLARENCE R. YOUNG	15062994
T/Sgt JAMES A. TRUDEAU	18032264	Pfc LAWRENCE F. RUSH	32244941
T/Sgt GEORGE M. BLACK	6970991	Pfc MILBURN CHAPLIN	35162926
Pvt HENRY A. VESELY	35025698	M/Sgt OLLIE V. SHANKS	6228680
S/Sgt LESTER E. MOYDELL	18004867	Cpl WILLIAMT. CASTEEN	34056666
Pvt JOSEPHK. BROWN	38107135	Pvt JAS. F. CARNEY	17107876
Pvt GEORGE E. BALDWIN	16109161	Sgt HERBERT W. WOOD	32081043
Pvt GILES J. STARR	36232693	M/Sgt HALLER F. KEABLES	6914445
S/Sgt THURMANB. STRICKLAND	14030225	Pfc ZIMMER L. RAPE	14072510
Pfc HAROLD H. GOODMAN	36316990	Sgt WILLIAMR. REID	38078601

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HEADQUARTERS
416th BOMBARDMENT GROUP(L)
WILL ROGERS FIELD

SPECIAL ORDERS)
Number.....1)

Oklahoma City, Okla.
February 15, 1943.

1. Capt. Raymond T. Schlanser, O-431537 AC, is reld fr asgd to 669th Bomb Sq (L) and is asgd to 670th Bomb Sq (L) and aptd Sq Comdr. (Vice Capt. Robert F. Price O-431508 AC reld)

2. Capt. Robert F. Price, O-431508 AC, is reld fr asgd to 670th Bomb Sq (L) and is asgd to 669th Bomb Sq (L) and aptd Sq. Comdr. (Vice CAPT. RAYMOND T. SCHLANSER, O-431537 AC reld)

3. The following named Officers, Hdqr. 416th Bomb Sq (L), are attached to the 668th Bomb Sq for administration:

CAPT. GRIFFIN R. BEATTY, 046509, AC.
CAPT. WARREN J. CONEN? 0400569, MC.
CAPT. WILLIAM P. THOMAS, 0496149, AC.
CAPT. JAMES W. TOWNSEND, 0351967, AC.
2nd Lt. WILLIAM L. KINNEY, 0568916, AC.

4. The following named Officers, Hdqr. 416th Bomb Sq (L), are assigned duties as indicated:

CAPT. GRIFFIN R. BEATTY, 046509, AC.	Group Operations
CAPT. WARREN J. CONEN, 0400569, MC.	Group Surgeon
CAPT. WILLIAM P. THOMAS, 0496149, AC.	Group Intelligence
CAPT. JAMES W. TOWNSEND? 0351967, AC.	Group Adjutant
2nd LT. WILLIAM L. KINNEY, 0568916, AC.	Group Materiel

5. The following named Officers having been asgd to 416th Bomb Gp (L) per Par 23, SO 46, Hq. AAB WRF, Okla., dated Feb. 15th, 1943 are asgd to org as indicated:

668th Bomb Sq (L)

1st LT. JAMES R. PAISLEY, 0433253, AC.
1st LT. CHESTER C. WYSOCKI, 0402333, AC.
1st LT. CLAYTON W. ZESIGER, 0365947, AC.
2nd LT. GEORGE W. COWGILL, 0736127, AC.
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669th Bomb Sq (L)

CAPT. WILLIAM B. CLEVES, 0495589, AC.
CAPT. LEWIS C. DULL, 0354822, AC.
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2nd LT. BERNARD P. SWEENEY? 0649720, AC.

671st BOMB Sq (L)

2nd LT. JAY A. ADELBLUE, 0857261, AC.
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2nd LT. FREDERIC E. DURLAND, 0736159, AC.
2nd LT. BERNARD S. METZ, 0649679, AC.
W.O. WILLIAM H. MOFFETT, W2118789, AUS.

6. The following named enl men, Hq 416th Bomb Gp (L) are attachedto 668th Bomb Sq (L), for Rat, Qrs and Adm;
M/Sgt. JOSEPH E. HOLMGREN, R-1552008
M/Sgt. JACK MILLER, 6234516
T/Sgt. ROBERT E. BURTON, 15063022
T/Sgt. John LAHETA, Jr., 20544875
S/Sgt. GLEN R. HANCOCK, 18106885
Corp. JOHN D. LAROMORE, 15019836

By order of LT. COL. DICK:

JAMES W. TOWNSEND
CAPTAIN, AIR CORPS,
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FRANK M. HOPPE
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WILL ROGERS FIELD

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Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.
April 10, 1943.

SUBJECT : Commendation.

TO : All members of the 416th Bombardment Group (L).

1. Brigadier General McDaniel, commanding our III Air Support Command with headquarters at Birmingham, Alabama, has just completed an inspection tour of this Group terminating with the formal review this morning.

2. Each and everyone of you, through untiring efforts, has shown that our Group intends to be second to none in espirit-de-corps, effeciency and soldierly appearance. Your living quarters and line area are spotless. Your neatness of dress and attention to duty is excellent. You have proved that you are ready to receive our airplanes.

3. On this we must be patient, but when we do get airplanes, we're going to be the flyingest, fightinest, soldering, outfit in the Army Air Forces.

4. It is said that a command reflects the effeciency of its Commander. If this is true, your excellent work is going to make me step to keep up with you. I can assure you of one thing, that I'm in here plugging for you and striving to give you the best of everything. Keep up the good work!

/s/ Richard D. Dick
RICHARD D. DICK,
Lt. Colonel, Air Corps,
Commanding.

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HEADQUARTERS
FOUR HUNDRED SIXTEENTH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (L)
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER

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Will Rogers Field, Okla.,
May 15, 1943.

SUBJECT: Monthly Officers Dance.

TO : All Officers, 669th Bombardment Squadron (L), AAB, Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma.

1. The monthly Group Officers' dance will be held Saturday, May 22, in the Silver Glade Room (3rd floor) of the Skirvin Tower Hotel.

2. The bar will be open at 1830 and dinner will be served at 1930. Dancing to Jimmy Vaughn's orchestra will begin at 2100.

3. Ladies dress will be formal.

4. It is the general policyof this headquarters that all Officers attend and family members are cordially invited.

5. It is expected that every Officer will bring his own liquor in order to prevent a shortage.

6. This notice will be posted on the Squadron bulletin board andt the attached signature sheet will be returned to Lt. Hough at Group Headquarters on Thursday, May 20.

7. Officers will sign opposite their names on the attached sheet and will indicate the number of plates they wish reserved.

For the Commanding Officer:

/s/ James Townsend
JAMES W. TOWNSEND,
Major, Air Corps,
Adjutant.

THIS IS A TRUE COPY:

Frank M. Hoppe

FRANK M. HOPPE
1st Lt., Air Corps.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY AIR FORCES
WASHINGTON

AAF 421 (671st Bomb Sqdn.) May 13, 1943.

SUBJECT: Aircraft Marking for the 671st Bombardment Squadron (D)
TO : Commanding Officer, 416th Bombardment Group (L), Army Air Base, Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

By authority delegated to the Commanding General, Army Air Forces, By AG Letter 400.161 (12-7-42) OB-3-A, Dated December 19, 1942, the following Insignia for the marking of aircraft of the 671st Bombardment Squadron (L), Army Air Forces, is approved:

AIRCRAFT MARKING: On a blue disc, border yellow, a large red aerial bomb, falling to base, entwined by a winged snake yellow, back of yellow and red diamonds, mouth and forked tongue red, fangs white, as per record drawing.

The insignia will face toward the front of the aircraft.

SIGNIFICANCE: The winged snake symbolizes the deadly striking ability of the squadron, while the yellow border and the yellow snake represent the squadron color.

HISTORY: The 671st Bombardment Squadron (L) was constituted January 25, 1943, by AG 320.2 (1-24-43) OB-I-AF-M, Dated January 25, 1943, and made active February 5, 1943.

This unit has no other history and is not entitled to battle honors.

By Command of General ARNOLD:

ROBERT C. JONES,
Colonel, Air Corps,
Chief, Special Service Division,
Office of Asst. Chief of Air Staff,
Personnel

Certified True Copy.
October 27, 1943

John M. Flummerfelt

JOHN M. FLUMMERFELT,
2nd Lt., Air Corps,
Adjutant, 671st Bomb Sq (L).

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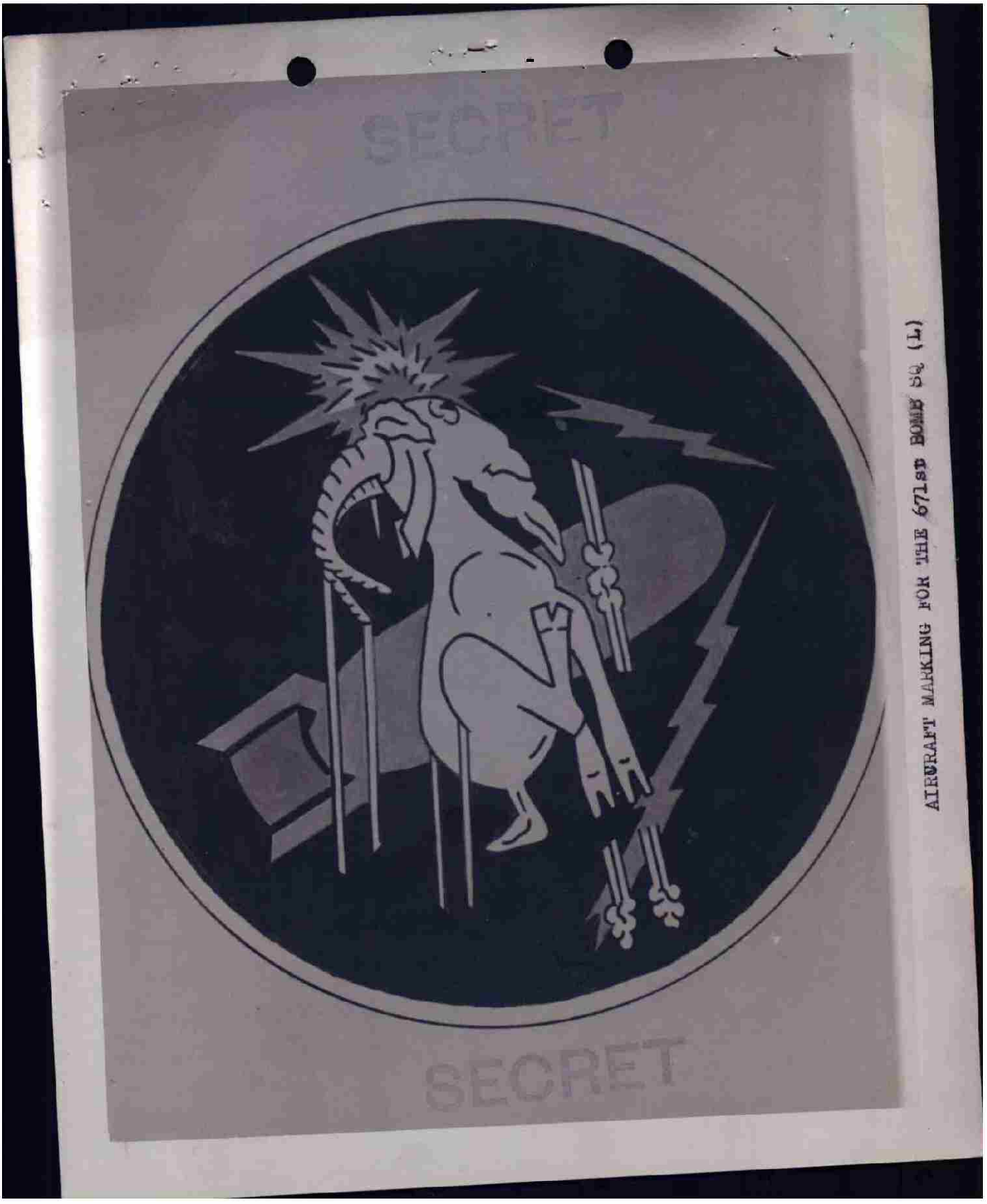

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