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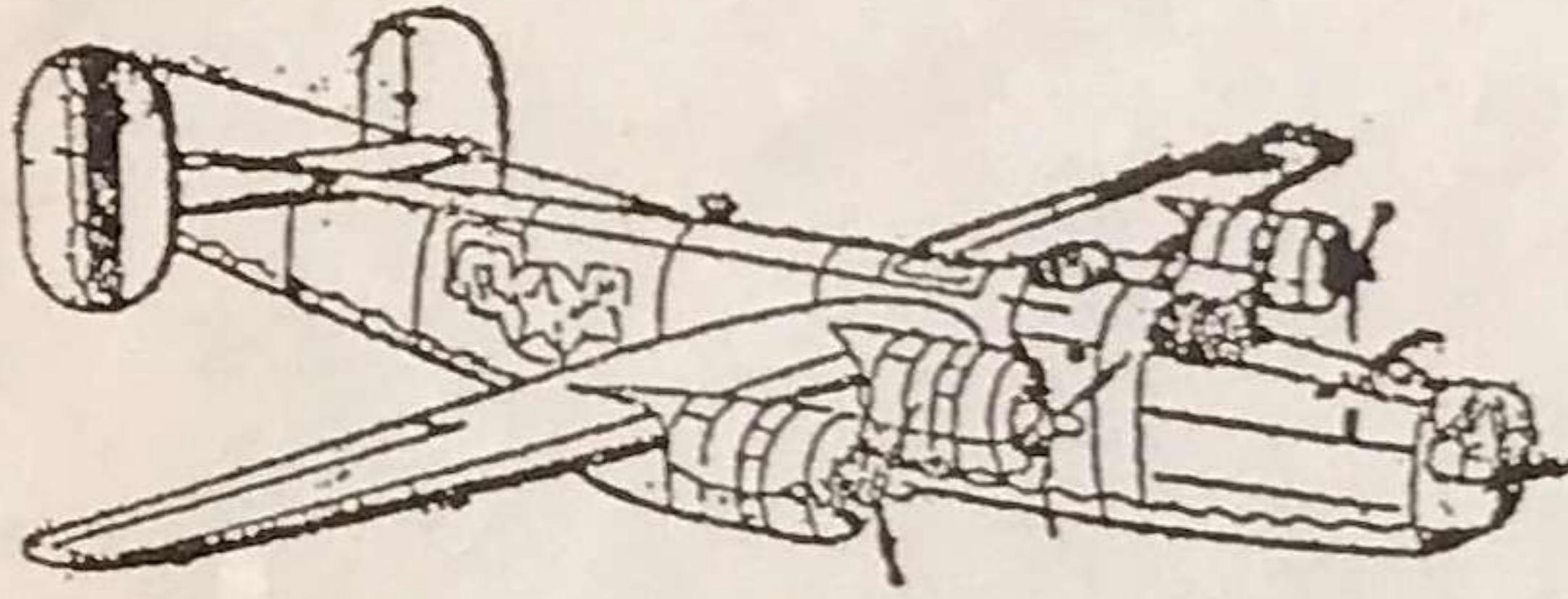
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Dear Lorraine,

Yesterday I got an email from Ruth Morse telling me that she had a note from you stating that the data in *Folded Wings* about Wallace was in error.

If this is true, then I should put a correction in the next issue of *8 Ball Tails*. Certainly you should know more about his service than I do, as all I have to go on is what records I find in the 44th BG's history.

Consequently, I am enclosing a printout of some of the records that we have in our new computer program to explain where I got the data. Please check it out to see where I have erred so that I can get the facts in order.

I did not print out each individual sortie report, did only his first and last ones, and then a listing of all sorties that he got credit for in the 44th BG. Did he serve with any other group?

If you find anything in error would you please send this data to me so that I can correct it? Ruth tells me that Feb. 15th is the deadline for the next issue.

I apologize for any errors for Wallace's records.

Sincerely,

*Will Lundy*

Mission No:  City:  Country:   
 Aircraft No:  Target:  Date:   
 Formation Type:  Grp. Size:  Aircraft Status:   
 Squadron Pos:  Grp. Wing Position:  Combat Wing:   
 Aircraft Name:  Aircraft Pos:

**Flight Crew For This Mission**

Personnel	Rank	Duties	Crew Remarks
Burns, Emmett J.	2nd Lieutenant	Pilot	
Thompson, J. S.	2nd Lieutenant	Co-Pilot	
Warner, Harold	2nd Lieutenant	Navigator	
Rice, C. E.	2nd Lieutenant	Bombardier	
Whalen, M. J.	Sergeant	Radio Operator/Gunner	
Kennedy, James	Sergeant	Engineer/Top Turret Gunner	
Truslow, Wallace B.	Corporal	Ball Turret Gunner	
Caldwell, Paul D.	Sergeant	Right Waist Gunner	
Toy, D. J.	Corporal	Left Waist Gunner	
Sims, Jr., M. G.	Corporal	Tail Gunner	

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 Squadron Pos:  Grp. Wing Position:  Combat Wing:   
 Aircraft Name:  Aircraft Pos:  Lead Crew:

**Flight Crew For This Mission**

Personnel	Rank	Duties	Crew Remarks
Burns, Emmett J.	1st Lieutenant	Pilot	
White, Jr, James L.	1st Lieutenant	Co-Pilot	
Riggin, Harlan W.	2nd Lieutenant	Navigator	
McMahon, Harry G.	1st Lieutenant	Navigator-GEE	
Prawdzik, Stanley (NMI)	1st Lieutenant	Navigator-PFF	
Laughlin, William E.	1st Lieutenant	Bombardier	
Whalen, M. J.	Tech Sergeant	Radio Operator/Gunner	
Kennedy, James	Tech Sergeant	Engineer/Top Turret Gunner	
Truslow, Wallace B.	Staff Sergeant	Ball Turret Gunner	
Matter, Elwood A.	Staff Sergeant	Left Waist Gunner	
Sims, Jr., M. G.	Staff Sergeant	Tail Gunner	

## All Combat Missions Flown By

**Truslow, Wallace B.**

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Crew Photo

Date:	Saturday, August 26, 1944	City:	<b>Salzbergen</b>	Germany
Mission No:	214	Target:	Oil Refinery	
Date:	Sunday, August 27, 1944	City:	<b>Basdorf</b>	Germany
Mission No:	215	Target:	Aero Engine Factory	
Date:	Friday, September 08, 1944	City:	<b>Karlsruhe</b>	Germany
Mission No:	218	Target:	Marshalling Yards	
Date:	Sunday, September 10, 1944	City:	<b>Ulm</b>	Germany
Mission No:	220	Target:	Marshalling Yards	
Date:	Tuesday, September 12, 1944	City:	<b>Leharte</b>	Germany
Mission No:	222	Target:	Rail Junction	
Date:	Monday, September 18, 1944	City:	<b>Best</b>	Holland
Mission No:	224	Target:	Low-Level Supplies, Troops	
Date:	Tuesday, September 26, 1944	City:	<b>Hamm</b>	Germany
Mission No:	227	Target:	Marshalling Yards	
Date:	Thursday, September 28, 1944	City:	<b>Kassel</b>	Germany
Mission No:	229	Target:	Motor Works	
Date:	Monday, October 02, 1944	City:	<b>Hamm</b>	Germany
Mission No:	231	Target:	Marshalling Yards	
Date:	Thursday, October 05, 1944	City:	<b>Lippstadt</b>	Germany
Mission No:	233	Target:	Airfield	
Date:	Friday, October 06, 1944	City:	<b>Hamburg</b>	Germany
Mission No:	234	Target:	Air Armament Factory	
Date:	Thursday, October 12, 1944	City:	<b>Osnabruck</b>	Germany
Mission No:	237	Target:	Marshalling Yards	
Date:	Sunday, October 15, 1944	City:	<b>Cologne / Geron</b>	Germany
Mission No:	239	Target:	Marshalling Yards	
Date:	Wednesday, October 18, 1944	City:	<b>Leverkusen</b>	Germany
Mission No:	241	Target:	Chemical Works	
Date:	Monday, October 30, 1944	City:	<b>Hamburg /Ueterson</b>	Germany
Mission No:	245	Target:	Oil Refinery	
Date:	Thursday, November 02, 1944	City:	<b>Dortmund</b>	Germany

Mission No:	<input type="text" value="247"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Target:	Castrop-Rauxel Oil Refinery
Date:	Sunday, November 05, 1944			City:	<b>Karlsruhe</b>	Germany
Mission No:	<input type="text" value="249"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Target:	Marshalling Yards
Date:	Monday, November 06, 1944			City:	<b>Sterkrade</b>	Germany
Mission No:	<input type="text" value="250"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Target:	Oil Refinery
Date:	Tuesday, November 21, 1944			City:	<b>Harburg</b>	Germany
Mission No:	<input type="text" value="256"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Target:	Crude Oil Refinery
Date:	Saturday, November 25, 1944			City:	<b>Bingen</b>	Germany
Mission No:	<input type="text" value="257"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Target:	Marshalling Yards
Date:	Sunday, November 26, 1944			City:	<b>Bielefeld</b>	Germany
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Date:	Wednesday, November 29, 1944			City:	<b>Altenbeken</b>	Germany
Mission No:	<input type="text" value="260"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Target:	Railway Viaduct
Date:	Thursday, March 08, 1945			City:	<b>Betzdorf &amp; Frankfurt</b>	Germany
Mission No:	<input type="text" value="312"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Target:	Marshalling Yards
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Mission No:	<input type="text" value="313"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Target:	Railway Viaduct
Date:	Wednesday, March 14, 1945			City:	<b>Gutersloh</b>	Germany
Mission No:	<input type="text" value="316"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Target:	Marshalling Yards
Date:	Tuesday, March 20, 1945			City:	<b>Hemmingstadt</b>	Germany
Mission No:	<input type="text" value="321"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Target:	Oil Refinery
Date:	Saturday, March 24, 1945			City:	<b>Wesel</b>	Germany
Mission No:	<input type="text" value="326"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Target:	Low-Level Supply on Rhine River
Date:	Friday, April 20, 1945			City:	<b>Irlaching</b>	Germany
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