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Mr. Cameron,

This letter is in response to your FOIA regarding Pease Air Force Base. I am pleased to inform you that we have a great deal of information on this subject. I have included four different items along with this letter. The first is generalized history of the base, which includes important dates and units assigned. It should provide you with some very basic information. The second is a copy of the 4018<sup>th</sup> Air Base Squadron's unit history. This squadron carried out the preliminary work in making the base a functional military installation.

The third item is a list of abstracts for historical information on the first ten years of Pease's existence. Please skim through these abstracts to determine which items you are interested in having. Once you determine this, please fill out the final attachment; our microfilm order form.

I hope we have satisfied your request. Please let me know if we can be of further assistance.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sergio J. Lopez".

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## Pease Air Force Base

**Location:** Located 3 mi W of Portsmouth, NH.

**Name:** Named in honor of Capt Harl Pease, Jr (1917-1942). Despite repeated attacks on his B-17 by enemy fighters on 7 Aug 1942, Captain Pease completed bombing an enemy airdrome at Rabaul, New Britain. Though his crew shot down several enemy aircraft, the bomber did not return from this mission. Captain Pease posthumously received the Medal of Honor.

**Date of Current Name:** 7 Sep 1957.

**Previous Names:** Portsmouth Airdrome, 13 Oct 1942-15 Jun 1944. Portsmouth Municipal Airport, 16 Dec 1954; Portsmouth Air Force Base, 1 Feb 1955.

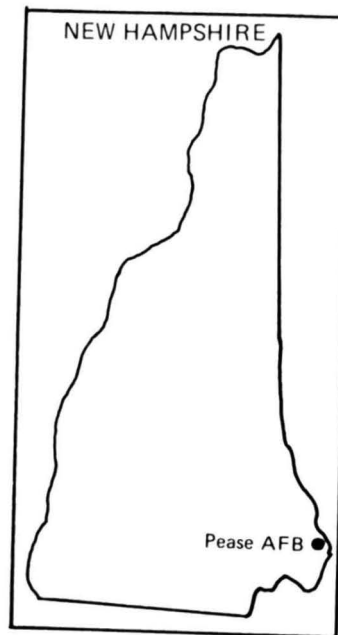
**Date of Establishment:** 1 Feb 1955.

**Date Construction Began:** 8 Dec 1952.

**Date of Beneficial Occupancy:** 16 Dec 1954.

**Base Operating Units:** 34th Base HQ and Air Base Sq,\* c. Jul 1942-c. Dec 1943; HQ Eighth AF Liaison Ofc, c. 7 Oct 1954; 4018th Air Base Sq, 16 Dec 1954; 100th Air Base Gp, 1 Jan 1956; 817th Air Base Gp, 15 Jun 1956 (rdsgd 817th Combat Support Gp, 1 Mar 1959); 509th Combat Support Gp, 2 Jan 1968-.

**Base Commanders:** Unk, 13 Oct 1942-30 Apr 1943; unmanned, 30 Apr (at least)-31 Dec 1943; unk, 1 Jan-15 Jun 1944. Lt Col Andreas A. Andrae, 1 Jan 1955; Col James W. Chapman Jr, 24 Aug 1955; Lt Col Andreas A. Andrae, 1 Jan 1956; Col Charles A. Dunn, 21 Dec 1956; Col Gordon F. Goyt, 23 Oct 1957; Col Silas R. Richards, 16 Jun 1958; Col James



\* This organization administered Grenier Fld and Portsmouth Airdrome, a subbase of Grenier Fld during World War II. Portsmouth was unmanned at least during Apr-Dec 1943.

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M. Keck, 1 Jul 1961; Lt Col John S. Robinson, 23 Apr 1962; Col George T. Bland, 2 Jul 1962; Col Reuban A. Baxter, 30 Jun 1965; Col Okey W. Snodgrass, 1 Oct 1966; Col Lawrence F. McGuire, 11 Aug 1967; Col Allen W. Carver Sr, 1 Jul 1968; Col Paul V. Clifford, 25 Jul 1969; Col James K. Scoggan Jr, 27 Apr 1970; Col F. Paul Fitzgerald, 15 Jun 1970; Col Harold E. Hansen, 25 Aug 1971; Lt Col Jimmy O. Atchley, 1 Jul 1972; Col Eric B. Lammert, 26 Dec 1972; Col Frederick W. Francke III, 1 Sep 1974; Col Roderick M. Busbee, 6 Jul 1976; Col Thomas G. Tobin, 29 Jul 1977; Lt Col Robert E. Reynolds, 1 Mar 1978; Col Bealus A. Smith Jr, 27 Apr 1978; Col Steven J. Harrop, 24 Aug 1979; Col Lloyd A. Brown, 17 Aug 1981-.

**Major Off-Base and Detached Installations:** Bangor Fam Hsg Site #2, Bangor, ME, 27 Jul 1968 (tsfrd fr Dow AFB, ME, detchd instl)-9 Jan 1974 (dspd); Bangor Hsg Site #1, Bangor, ME, 26 Jul 1968 (tsfrd fr Dow AFB, ME)-20 Sep 1968 (chgd to detchd instl), Oct 1969 (dspd); Bangor Hsg Site #3, Bangor, ME, 27 Jul 1968 (tsfrd fr Dow AFB, ME)-20 Sep 1968 (chgd to detchd instl), Oct 1969 (dspd); Hermon Small Arms Rg Anx, Hermon, ME, 26 Jul 1968 (tsfrd fr Dow AFB, ME, detchd instl)-13 Mar 1970 (dspd); Stephenville Air Stn, Port au Port, Newfoundland, 29 Sep 1971 (tsfrd fr Goose AB, Labrador, Canada)-21 May 1975 (tsfrd to Govt of Canada).

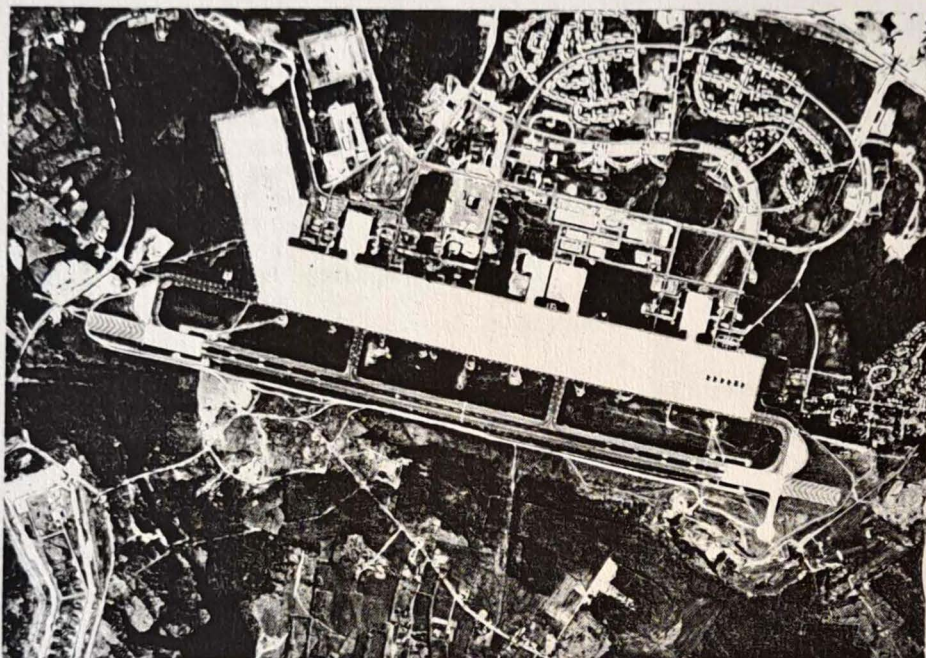
**Major Changes in Operational Capability:** Base rebuilt to accommodate a bomb wing and air base group 1955; base facilities developed for B-47s and KC-97s Apr-Dec 1956; runway, apron, and taxiway rehabilitation project completed fall 1957; 1,100-unit Capehart housing project completed Dec 1959; facilities upgraded for B-52 and KC-135 operations, also NH ANG occupied part of the base, 1966; facilities completed for one SAC FB-111 wing 1969-1971; new hospital completed fall 1974; 100 additional 4-bedroom homes and a 50-space mobile home park completed Jul 1977; new 105-foot control tower completed summer 1979; water treatment plant completed 1982.

**Major Commands to Which Assigned:** 1st AF, 3 Jul 1942 (rdsgd First AF, 18 Sep 1942); Air Service Comd, c. 2 Jan-15 Jun 1944. Strategic Air Comd, 1 Feb 1955-.

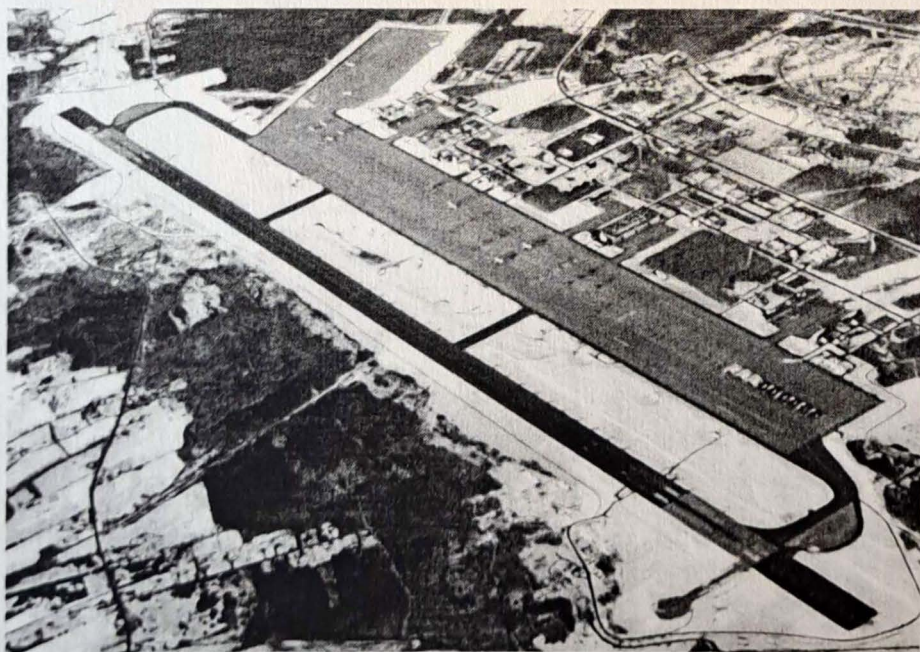
**Major Changes in Status:** Subbase of Grenier Fld, c. 30 Apr 1943-c. 1 Jan 1944; on standby status, 28 Mar 1944; transferred to U.S. Navy, 15 Jun 1944; on inactive status (USAF jurisdiction), 1 Feb 1955; on active status, 1 Jan 1956.

### Units Assigned:

	1955	100 Armnt & Elect	
4018 AB Sq	1 Jan 55-1 Jan 56	Maint Sq	1 Jan 56-25 Jun 66
	1956	100 Bomb Wg	1 Jan 56-25 Jun 66
100 AB Gp	1 Jan 56-15 Jun 56	100 Fld Maint Sq	1 Jan 56-25 Jun 66
100 AP Sq	1 Jan 56-15 Jun 56	100 Food Svc Sq	1 Jan 56-15 Jun 56
100 Air Rflg Sq	15 Aug 56-25 Jun 66	100 Instls Sq	1 Jan 56-15 Jun 56



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100 MV Sq	1 Jan 56-15 Jun 56	Sq)	1 Jul 58-
100 Ops Sq	1 Jan 56-15 Jun 56	509 Tac Hosp	1 Jul 58-1 Mar 59
100 Prdc Maint Sq		715 Bomb Sq	1 Jul 58-25 Jun 66
(100 Orgnzl Maint Sq)	1 Jan 56-25 Jun 56	830 Bomb Sq	1 Jul 58-25 Jun 66
100 Sup Sq	1 Jan 56-15 Jun 56		1959
100 Tac Hosp	1 Jan 56-1 Mar 59	418 Bomb Sq	1 Mar 59-1 Jan 62
349 Bomb Sq		661 Bomb Sq	1 Mar 59-1 Jan 62
(349 Strat Recon Sq)	1 Jan 56-25 Jun 66	817 Acft Spt Sq	1 Mar 59-1 Jul 62
350 Bomb Sq	1 Jan 56-25 Jun 66	817 Med Gp	
351 Bomb Sq	1 Jan 56-25 Jun 66	(USAF Dispy, Pease; USAF Clinic, Pease; USAF Hosp, Pease)	1 Mar 59-
817 AB Gp			1960
(817 Cmbt Spt Gp)	15 Jun 56-2 Jan 68	Pease Task Force, Prov	3 Jun 60-30 Sep 60
817 Air Div	1 Feb 56-30 Jun 71		1962
817 AP Sq		1916 Comms Sq	1 Oct 62-
(817 Cmbt Pol Sq; 817 Scty Pol Sq)	15 Jun 56-2 Jan 68		1966
817 Food Svc Sq		34 Air Rflg Sq	25 Jun 66-31 Mar 76
(817 Svcs Sq)	15 Jun 56-2 Jan 68	509 Air Rflg Sq	2 Oct 66-
817 Instls Sq		900 Air Rflg Sq	2 Apr 66-25 Jun 66
(817 CE Sq)	15 Jun 56-2 Jan 68		1967
817 MV Sq		54 Aerosp Rscu & Recovery Sq	1 Aug 67-15 Jul 74
(817 Trnsp Sq)	15 Jun 56-2 Jan 68		1968
817 Ops Sq		509 CE Sq	2 Jan 68-
(817 Comms Sq)	15 Jun 56-15 Mar 66	509 Cmbt Spt Gp	2 Jan 68-
817 Sup Sq	15 Jun 56-2 Jan 68	509 Scty Pol Sq	2 Jan 68-
	1957	509 Svcs Sq	2 Jan 68-1 Mar 70
11 Avn Dep Sq	11 Oct 57-7 Jan 58 41	509 Sup Sq	2 Jan 68-
Avn Dep Sq		509 Trnsp Sq	2 Jan 68-
(41 Mun Maint Sq)	1 Jan 57-30 Sep 72		1970
Portsmouth Task Force, Prov	1 Jul 57-unk	715 Bomb Sq	1 Jan 70-
	1958		1971
393 Bomb Sq	1 Jul 58-	45 Air Div	30 Jun 71-
509 Air Rflg Sq	5 Jan 58-25 Jun 65		1972
509 Armnt & Elect Maint Sq		509 Mun Maint Sq	1 Oct 72-
(509 Avncs Maint Sq)	1 Jul 58-	4201 Test Sq	1 Jun 72-
509 Bomb Wg	1 Jul 58-		1979
509 Fld Maint Sq	1 Jul 58-	509 Svcs Sq	1 Oct 79-
509 Prdc Maint Sq			1980
(509 Orgnzl Maint Sq)		3519 USAF Recruiting Sq	31 Oct 80-

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HISTORY

OF

4018TH AIR BASE SQUADRON

Portsmouth Municipal Airport

Portsmouth, New Hampshire

P.R.C

1 January 1955 - 31 January 1955

I certify that to the best of my knowledge this is a true account of the activities of the 4018th Air Base Squadron.

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CHAPTER I

MISSION, PERSONNEL, ORGANIZATION & ADMINISTRATION

MISSION:

The mission of the 4018th Air Base Squadron during this period was a continuation of the duties and responsibilities assigned to the Headquarters Eighth Air Force Liaison Officer Portsmouth Air Force Base. The following instructions were issued by letter on 7 October 1954 from Headquarters Eighth Air Force Subject: Letter of Instructions.

1. Duties and Responsibilities:

- (a) Represent Headquarters Strategic Air Command and Eighth Air Force on all matters pertaining to the development of an operating air force base at Portsmouth, New Hampshire.
- (b) Monitor the design in planning of the construction and rehabilitation at Portsmouth Air Force Base to insure that technical and administrative facilities are adequate to meet Strategic Air Command's programmed use of this station.
- (c) maintain close coordination with all master planning and construction agencies to insure that facilities meet the operational requirements of Strategic Air Command.
- (d) monitor the progress of construction and rehabilitation at Portsmouth Air Force Base.

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## MISSION:

- (e) Forward recommendations and requests for change in construction and base development through appropriate channels.
- (f) Bring to the attention of this headquarters any matters which threaten to delay or compromise the approved construction program at Portsmouth Air Force Base.
- (g) Maintain liaison with civilian authorities and organizations in the Portsmouth area on all matters that may effect the welfare and morale of Air Force personnel.
- (h) Perform other duties in connection with the development of Portsmouth Air Force Base as may be directed by this and higher headquarters.

2. Administration:

- (a) The Portsmouth Liaison Officer will be under the direct supervision of the command section, this headquarters.
- (b) The other members of the liaison team will be under the direct supervision of the Portsmouth Liaison Officer.
- (c) All matters of a non-routine nature and subjects which require policy decisions will be referred to this headquarters for appropriate action.

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MISSION:

(d) Staff visits are authorized to this headquarters, Headquarters Strategic Air Command, appropriate Corps of Engineer Offices and to such other agencies as required for the purpose of coordinating on subjects pertaining to the development of Portsmouth Air Force Base.

PERSONNEL:

Military

Military personnel authorizations for the 4018th Air Base Squadron were established upon activation as twenty officers and 181 airmen. Lieutenant Colonel Andreas A. Andreae, Captain Belmont Groth and Technical Sergeant John W. Smith were assigned from Headquarters Eighth Air Force to the 4018th Air Base Squadron on 1 January 1955 per paragraph 5 of Special Orders Number 274 dated 29 December 1954. 1 / Master Sergeant Donald F. Flegal was assigned to this organization from Headquarters 808th Air Base Group, Bergstrom Air Force Base, Austin, Texas, per paragraph 25, Special Order 250, Headquarters 42nd Air Division, Bergstrom Air Force Base, Austin, Texas dated 14 December 1954. Sergeant Flegal reported for duty 6 January 1955 and was assigned duty as NCOIC of Statistical Services Section (AFSC 68170). Staff Sergeant Richard G. Carter was assigned to this organization per paragraph 5, Special Order 16, Headquarters Eighth Air Force dated 18 January 1955. Sergeant Carter reported in the 10th of January 1955 and was assigned duty in the Base

1 / Copy of Headquarters Eighth Air Force Special Orders Number 274 dated 29 December 1954. See Exhibit A.

PERSONNEL:

Adjutant's office (AFSC 70250). The above assignments were published on Personnel Actions Memorandum Number 1 dated 26 January 1955. 2/ Master Sergeant Paul Potish was assigned to this organization from 12th Strategic Fighter Wing, Bergstrom Air Force Base, Austin, Texas, per paragraph 25, Special Order 251, Headquarters 42nd Air Division dated 15 December 1954. Master Sergeant Potish reported 11 January 1955 was assigned duty as Base Sergeant Major. Master Sergeant Harry P. Tripp was assigned to this organization from Headquarters 42nd Air Base Group, Loring Air Force Base, Limestone, Maine per paragraph 8, Special Order 7, Headquarters 45th Air Division dated 11 January 1955. Sergeant Tripp reported in 29 January 1955 and was assigned duty as NCOIC of Base Ground Safety Office. No losses occurred during the period. Resultant strength was two officers and five airmen.

Key officer personnel 3/ remained firm during the period.

First morning report 4/ prepared for the 4018th Air Base Squadron list the initial increment of personnel assigned.

First Lieutenant Delmont Groth was promoted by Headquarters United States Air Force to Captain on 20 January 1955. This was the first promotion in this unit.

The morning report of 31 January 1955 5/ indicate the assignment of two officers against twenty officers authorized and five airmen against 101 authorized. Additional personnel will be assigned as a requirement develops and their services can be effectively utilized.

- 2/ Copy of Personnel Actions Memorandum Number 1 dated 26 January 1955.
- 3/ Roster of Officers for January 1955. See Exhibit C. See Exhibit B.
- 4/ True Copy of Morning Report 1 January 1955. See Exhibit D.
- 5/ Copy of Morning Report 31 January 1955. See Exhibit E.

PERSONNEL:

Civilian Personnel

An authorization of 48 Civilian (27 graded) was established for this unit. During this period three civilians were hired for duty at Dow Air Force Base, Bangor, Maine. This action was necessary for Dow Air Force Base to support this unit.

Administrative support of this unit will be the responsibility of Mr. Donald A. Jones, Civilian Personnel Officer, Dow Air Force Base, Bangor, Maine.

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ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION:

The 4018th Air Base Squadron was activated 1 January 1955 per Headquarters Strategic Air Command General Orders Number 80 6/ dated 16 December 1954. This unit organized at Portsmouth Air Force Base, New Hampshire and assigned to the Eighth Air Force. Authorization consisted of eighteen Officers and 180 Airmen. Headquarters Strategic Air Command Message DPLMP 46208 dated 23 December 1954 increased the authorization to twenty officers and 181 airmen. The Squadron was organized under Unit Manning Document 860918 dated January 1955.

Command of the 4018th Air Base Squadron was assumed by Lieutenant Colonel Andreas A. Andreae at the time of activation 1 January 1955. 7/

Headquarters Strategic Air Command General Order Number 5 dated 25 January 1955 amended General Order #80 dated 16 December 1954 to read Portsmouth Municipal Airport instead of Portsmouth Air Force Base.

Military Justice

Headquarters Atlantic Division - MATS Westover Air Force Base, Massachusetts assumed General Courts - Martial jurisdiction over personnel of this unit. The 1600th Air Base Wing Westover Air Force Base, Massachusetts assumed Special Courts - Martial jurisdiction over personnel of this unit. Pursuant to Article 24a(3), uniform Code of Military Justice, the Commander, 4018th Air Base Squadron, will exercise summary court-martial jurisdiction over Air Force personnel of his command.

6/ Copy of Headquarters Strategic Air Command General Order No. 80 dated 16 December 1954. See Exhibit F.

7/ Copy of 4018th Special Order No. 1 dated 1 January 1955. See Exhibit G.

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CHAPTER II

OPERATIONS & TRAINING

OPERATIONS & TRAINING:

Two pilots are assigned the 4018th Air Base Squadron and are attached to L. G. Hanscom Field, Bedford, Massachusetts. Both pilots are current in all operations matters.

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CHAPTER III

SUPPLY AND MAINTENANCE

SUPPLY:

Dow Air Force Base, Bangor, Maine has been directed by Headquarters Eighth Air Force to provide required logistical support for the 4018th Air Base Squadron. A Unit Authorization List has not been established for this unit. Publications are being received pertaining to supply matters. Supply personnel have been requisitioned to set up a material program.

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CHAPTER IV

HISTORY

PUBLIC RELATIONS:

Speeches were delivered to following service clubs and/or organizations during January 1955 by personnel of the 401st Air Base Squadron.

Merrimac Lions Club	Merrimac, Massachusetts	12 January 1955
Dover Exchange Club	Dover, New Hampshire	13 January 1955
Veterans of Foreign Wars	Kennebunk, Maine	15 January 1955
Hampton Lions Club	Hampton, New Hampshire	26 January 1955

CHAPTER V

FACILITIES

Air Installations

Captain Belmont Broth and Master Sergeant Tripp comprise the Air Installations section of this unit. Main activity has to follow the construction of this future two wing medium bomber base. Approximately \$1,000,000 has been appropriate for facilities for this base in the Fiscal Year 1952 and Fiscal Year 1955 Public Works Program. Majority of the items are under construction at this time.

The Fiscal Year 1952 Public Works Requirement Program was presented to Headquarters Eighth Air Force for review on 7 January 1955.

Present facilities utilized by the 4018th Air Base Squadron consist of two dwellings (A123 and A134) that have been repaired and made into offices. Two additional dwellings (A135 and A137) are being used as government quarters.

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Fort Worth, Texas

29 December 1954

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LEMONT GROTH AO2024547  
L SGT JOHN W SMITH AFL4263145

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BY ORDER OF THE COMMANDER:

/s/ JACK ROBERTS  
BRIGEN, USAF  
Chief of Staff

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NO, USAF  
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- DR 4021ST ABRON Abilene AFB TEX (PARA 4)
- DR 4018th ABRON Portsmouth AFB NH (PARA 5)
- DR 4020th ABRON Plattsburgh AFB NY (PARA 3)
- DR 1st Air DIV Westover AFB MASS (PARA 6)
- h Officer and AMN (PARA 2, 3, 4, 5, & 6)
- R 19th Air DIV Carswell AFB TEX (PARA 2)
- DR 8090SEC Eighth AF
- DR 18th COMBON (AF)
- h Officers and AMN (PARA 7 & 8)
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4018th AIR BASE SQUADRON  
PORTSMOUTH AIR FORCE BASE  
PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

31 January 1954

R O S T E R   O F   O F F I C E R S

1. Number of Items Within Grade

2. Martial Status

3. Name (last, first, MI)

4. AFSN

5. Date of Rank in Grade

6. Aircrew Data Aeronautical Rating

P-1 Fighter Pilot, Jet

P-2 Fighter Pilot, Single Engine

P-3 Pilot Single Engine, Other

P-4 Pilot, AOB

P-5 Pilot B29 and KB29

P-6 Pilot B36 and RB36

P-7 Pilot, B50

P-8 Pilot, Four Engine, Other

P-9 Pilot, Two Engine, Other

E Aircraft Performance Engineer

NF Non Flying

R A/O Radar Operator

N A/O Navigator

B A/O Bombardier

6. Aircrew Data-AeroRating Cont'd  
NBR A/O Navigator, Bombardier  
U Weapons Officer  
F Flight Surgeon  
ECM A/O ECM Officer  
AOM Acft Obsr Medical

7. Duty Assignment

8. Organization to Which Assigned

9. Primary AFSC

10. Foreign Service Selection Date

11. Date Assigned Present Installation

12. Office Phone

13. Home Address

14. Home Phone

15. Date of Separation

**IT IS REQUESTED THAT ANY ERRORS BE REPORTED TO THE OFFICE OF THE COMMANDER, 4018TH AIR BASE SQUADRON**

CLASSIFICATION

REPORT PART 1	FOR PERIOD ENDING 2400 HOURS			INSTALLATION	LOCATION	REPORTS CONTROL SYMBOL
	DAY	MONTH	YEAR			1-AT-P1
STARTY STRENGTH	1	Jan	55	Fortsmouth AFB	Portsmouth NH	PAGE 1 OF 1 PAGES
UNIT	PARENT UNIT			WING	SUBCOMMAND	MAJOR COMMAND
h AR Sq	None			None	CAF	SAC

STRENGTH SECTION - ASSIGNED PERSONNEL (Table A)

OFFICER GRADES								WARRANT OFFICER GRADES					CA-DETS	ENLISTED PERSONNEL GRADES								
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	TOTAL	4	3	2	1	TOTAL		7	6	5	4	3	2	1	TOTAL	
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STRENGTH RECONCILEMENT BY RACE AND SEX (Table B)

ORGANIZATION STATUS SECTION (Table C)

PERSONNEL	OFFICER AND WO					ENLISTED AND CADET					A. TYPE OF ACTION	B. EDCSA	C. AUTHORITY
	MALE		FEMALE		TOTAL	MALE		FEMALE		TOTAL	1. ORGANIZATION	2. 1Jan55	3. P1 G080 Hq SAC Dtd 16 Dec 54
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REPORT (-)										3.			
THIS REPORT	2				2	1			1				

REMARKS - ASSIGNED PERSONNEL (Table D)

NAME	SERVICE NO	GRADE	RACE	COMP	PRIMARY AFSC	DUTY AFSC	CATE-GORY	CODE
A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
DAILY MORNING REPORT								
OFFICERS								
AB ANDREAS A	3293A	LTC	W	RAF	0076E	0021A	PPA	
DELMONTE	A02024547	LIT	W	APR	5521	5521	PP-A	
Asg 2 Officers asgd jd fr Hq CAF (SAC) Carswell AFB Tex p5 SO274 Hq CAF								
SA 1 Jan 55								
ENLISTED PERSONNEL								
JOHN W	A11263145	1S.	W	RAF	70270	70250	PPA	Asgd & jd fr
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<i>Andrew A. Hendrix</i>								
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HEADQUARTERS STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND  
 Offutt Air Force Base  
 Omaha, Nebraska

10 December 1954

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OPERATION

ORGANIZATION OF THE 401ST, 402ND, AND 403RD AIR BASE SQUADRONS

ORGANIZATION OF THE 401ST, 402ND, AND 403RD AIR BASE SQUADRONS

Effective 1 January 1955, the following air base squadrons are organized at stations indicated, and assigned to the Eighth Air Force:

Unit	SAC T/D	Authorized Strength		Station of Organization
		Officers	Airmen	
*	*	*	*	*
Air Base Squadron	January 1955	18	180	Portsmouth Air Force Base, New Hampshire
*	*	*	*	*

Equipment for the above units is authorized by the following UAL numbers, are assigned effective upon organization:

Unit	UAL
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Authority: AFR 20-27.

This confirms message, this headquarters, DPLIA 43039, 11 December 1954.

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/s/ R. M. MONTGOMERY  
 Brigadier General, USAF  
 Chief of Staff

THOMAS P. WELLS  
 Colonel, USAF  
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PORTSMOUTH AIR FORCE BASE  
PORTSMOUTH, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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1 January 1955

1. Under the provisions of AFR 35-54, as amended,  
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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (HEAVY)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00459281

**Old Accession Nbr:** 7-1791

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580101

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19671231

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10539

**First Frame:** 4

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**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0834

**Index ID:** 48

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900614

**Abstract:**

CONTAINS CHRONOLOGY OF EVENTS FOR CHAPLAINS SECTION FROM 1958 THROUGH 1967. LIST OF 817 AIR DIVISION COMMANDERS AND PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH COMMANDERS FROM JAN 55 THROUGH AUG 67.

**TitleAE:** HISTORY OF CHAPLAIN PROGRAM

**Author:** STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND

**Subject:** PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH CHAPLAINS

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0100/BOMBARDMENT, MEDIUM

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-100-HI SUPPLEMENT

**IRIS Number:** 01051205

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-2110-1

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19600201

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**Classification:** Unclassified

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**Index ID:** C1

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19840909

**Abstract:**

DISCUSSES POSSIBLE CONTINGENCY OPERATIONS AT BRIZE NORTON AIR BASE, UNITED KINGDOM.

**Dnotes:**

TITLE PAGE SHOWS "HISTORY OF THE 100 BOMB WING, MEDIUM, PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH, 1-29 FEB 60, TOP SECRET (TS) SUPPLEMENT." DECLASSIFIED TS DOCUMENT

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR  
**Record Type:** History  
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**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19570901  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19571231  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11554  
**First Frame:** 4  
**Last Frame:** 249  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0778  
**Index ID:** 48  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

CONTAINS JOINT HISTORY OF 817 AIR DIVISION (AD) AND 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG). BRIG GEN WALTER ARNOLD SERVED AS 817 AD COMMANDER. MISSION OF 817 AD TO TRAIN AND ORGANIZE A FORCE CAPABLE OF IMMEDIATE AND SUSTAINED LONG RANGE OFFENSIVE BOMBARDMENT AND AIR TO AIR REFUELING OPERATIONS IN ANY PART OF THE WORLD USING THE LATEST TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE AND ADVANCED WEAPONS. ON 7 SEP 57, PORTSMOUTH AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH WAS RENAMED PEASE AFB IN HONOR OF CAPT HARL PEASE JR (MEDAL OF HONOR WORLD WAR II UNITED STATES AIR CORPS B-17 PILOT). USAF (UNITED STATES AIR FORCE) THUNDERBIRDS PERFORMED AT DEDICATION CEREMONY. CIVILIANS HIRED FOR SNOW REMOVAL DUE TO SHORTAGE OF ENLISTED PERSONNEL. GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY TOOK PLACE ON 21 SEP 57 FOR 16 MILLION DOLLAR CAPEHART HOUSING PROJECT. 5 WEATHER GROUP REORGANIZED. 509 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON FROM WALKER AFB NM ASSIGNED TO 817 AD. 100 BOMBARDMENT WING SCHEDULED FOR OVERSEAS TEMPORARY DUTY ASSIGNMENT. INCLUDES ROSTER OF KEY PERSONNEL.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 1 THROUGH 57 INCLUDES NUMEROUS LETTERS, MESSAGES, AND PHOTOGRAPHS CONCERNING THE DEDICATION OF PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH ON 7 SEP 57. PHOTOGRAPHS OF CAPEHART HOUSING.

**TitleAE:** 817 AIR DIVISION (AD), ANALYSIS OF MANAGEMENT CONTROL STATEMENT, OCT AND NOV 57 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG), REPORT OF AIRCRAFT STATUS AND PURPOSE OF FLIGHT, SEP THROUGH DEC 57 NEWS RELEASES, CAPEHART HOUSING PROJECT AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH, SEP 57

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR  
**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466919  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-2099-9A  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580101  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580131

**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11554  
**First Frame:** 250  
**Last Frame:** 495  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0778  
**Index ID:** 48  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

CONTAINS JOINT HISTORY OF 817 AIR DIVISION (AD) AND 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG) BASED AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH. SNOW REMOVAL PLANS IMPLEMENTED IN JAN 58 WHEN 33 INCHES OF SNOW FELL ON THE BASE. MILITARY AMATEUR RADIO STATION (MARS) WAS UTILIZED BY FAMILIES OF 100 BOMBARDMENT WING THAT WAS DEPLOYED OVERSEAS ON TEMPORARY DUTY.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS INCLUDE PHOTOGRAPHS OF SNOW REMOVAL AND CAPEHART HOUSING PROJECT AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH. SUBORDINATE UNIT HISTORIES.

**TitleAE:** 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG), OPERATIONS ORDER 511-58, 1 JAN 58 PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH, DOMESTIC EMERGENCY PLAN 513-58, 1 JAN 58 PEASE AFB, UNIT MANNING DOCUMENT, JAN 58

**Author:** SQUADRON/0509/AIR REFUELING

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR  
**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466921  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-2305-6A  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580301  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580331  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11554  
**First Frame:** 956  
**Last Frame:** 1309  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0778  
**Index ID:** 48  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

CONTAINS JOINT HISTORY OF 817 AIR DIVISION (AD) AND 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG) BASED AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH. INCLUDES REVIEW OF 817 AD HISTORY SINCE ACTIVATION ON 1 FEB 56. 817 AD EXERCISED OPERATIONAL CONTROL OVER 100 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW), 100 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON (AREFS), AND 509 AREFS WITH EACH UNIT INVOLVED IN MOBILITY TRAINING OPERATION DURING MAR 58. 817 AD UNITS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATIONS PRIZE FIGHT AND HEAD START. A SEVERE SNOW STORM ON 14 MAR 58 CAUSED DAMAGE TO ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS INCLUDE PHOTOGRAPHS OF CAPEHART HOUSING PROJECT AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH.

**TitleAE:** 817 AIR DIVISION (AD), DAILY STRENGTH SUMMARY, MAR 58 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG), MANAGEMENT CONTROL DATA, MAR 58 817 ABG, OPERATION ORDER 514-58, 1 MAR 58 817 AD, OPERATION 16A-57, HEAD START, 1 MAR 58 509 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON, OPERATIONS PLAN 551-58, 1 MAR 58

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR  
**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466923  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-2482-11A  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580501  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580531  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11554  
**First Frame:** 1525  
**Last Frame:** 1935  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0778  
**Index ID:** 48  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

CONTAINS JOINT HISTORY OF 817 AIR DIVISION (AD), 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG), AND 509 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON (AFRES) BASED AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH. STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) INSPECTOR GENERAL CONDUCTED ANNUAL INSPECTION OF PEASE AFB AND ITS CAPABILITY ON 12 MAY 58. 8 AIR FORCE INSPECTION TEAM INSPECTED 817 AD SPECIAL WEAPONS CAPABILITY. DISCUSSES PERMANENT CHANGE OF STATION (PCS) STATUS OF 509 AFRES. 100 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW) AND 100 AFRES COMPLETED REDEPLOYMENT TO PEASE AFB. PEASE AFB STARTED OPERATION GREENUP AIMED AT MAKING THE BASE MORE ATTRACTIVE; INCLUDES STUDY CONDUCTED BY DIRK VAN DER VOET OF THE UNITED STATES AGRICULTURAL SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE CONCERNING SOIL ANALYSIS OF PEASE AFB. BRIG GEN WALTER E. ARNOLD SERVED AS 817 AD COMMANDER; LT COL THOMAS P. COLEMAN SERVED AS 817 ABG COMMANDER.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 1 THROUGH 21.

**TitleAE:** 817 AIR DIVISION (AD), PROGRAMMING PLAN RECEPTION FOR 509 BOMBARDMENT WING, 3 JUN 58 817 AD, ANNUAL SPRING CLEAN UP AND FORMAL INSPECTION, 28 APR 58 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG), OPERATION ORDER 516-58, 1 MAY 58 PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH, AIRCRAFT DISASTER PLAN, 15 MAR 58 509 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON, MANAGEMENT CONTROL STATEMENT, MAY 58

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR  
**Record Type:** History  
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**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580801  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580930  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11555

**First Frame:** 1078  
**Last Frame:** 1552  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0779  
**Text:** VOL 1 OF 2  
**Index ID:** 48  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

CONTAINS JOINT HISTORY OF 817 AIR DIVISION (AD) AND 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG). 817 AD BECAME A TWO WING COMMAND ON 1 JUL 58 WHEN 509 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW) OFFICIALLY ASSIGNED TO 817 AD. 509 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON (AFRES) ASSIGNED TO 509 BW ON 8 JUL 58. 100 BW WAS ALSO ASSIGNED TO 817 AD. CHAPTER 2 CONTAINS INFORMATION ON PERSONNEL SHORTAGES, PETROLEUM SECTION FIXED HYDRANT FUELING SYSTEM, AND SNOW REMOVAL PROGRAM FOR PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH. CHAPTER 3 DISCUSSES ARRIVAL OF 509 BW AT PEASE AFB, ARRIVAL OF 509 BW AIRCRAFT, OVERCROWDED ALERT CREW FACILITIES, AND INCREASED DEPENDENT STUDENT BODY AT PEASE AFB.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 1 THROUGH 7.

**TitleAE:** 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG), PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH BASE SUPPORT PLAN, 1 JUL 58

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00459339

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-4618-5

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630901

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630930

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10547

**First Frame:** 754

**Last Frame:** 986

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0842

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900712

**Abstract:**

WING BOMBER AIRCRAFT CREWS COMPLETED PARTICIPATION IN CROSS TIE OPERATION (8 AIR FORCE DIRECTED RADAR BOMB SCORING EXERCISE) DURING SEP 63. WING PLACED FIRST IN STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) B-47 AIRCRAFT TRAINING OPERATIONS FOR PERIOD FROM JUL THROUGH SEP 63. WING B-47 AIRCRAFT WAS INVOLVED IN MAJOR ACCIDENT. ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE (ON 13 SEP 63) THAT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH WOULD BECOME TRAINING FACILITY FOR FUTURE BOMBER AND TANKER AIRCRAFT COPILOTS. (WING WAS GIVEN TASK TO TRAIN RECENTLY GRADUATED PRIMARY FLIGHT TRAINING OFFICERS INTO INTRICACIES OF COPILOTING B-47 BOMBER AIRCRAFT AND KC-97 AERIAL REFUELING TANKER AIRCRAFT.)

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS. ALSO INCLUDES MATERIAL COVERING JUL AND AUG 63, AS WELL AS PHOTOGRAPHS OF AIRCRAFT.

**TitleAE:** AIRMEN INDIVIDUAL PROFICIENCY TRAINING, 30 SEP 63 8 AIR FORCE STAFF VISIT: PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH, 9 TO 13 SEP 63 UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ACCIDENT/INCIDENT REPORT: 509 BOMBARDMENT WING (B-47 AIRCRAFT), 30 SEP 63 METALLURGICAL EXAMINATION OF BROKEN RIVETS FROM FUSE BLOCK ON AIRPLANE B-47E

**Admin Markings:** Privileged Document

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00459340

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-4698-10

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19631001

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19631031

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10547

**First Frame:** 987

**Last Frame:** 1278

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0842

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900712

**Abstract:**

WING UNDERWENT UNANNOUNCED OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH ON 14 OCT 63. (WING ALSO UNDERWENT STANDARDIZATION EVALUATION CONDUCTED BY 1 COMBAT EVALUATION GROUP.) COL JAMES O. FRANKOSKY REPLACED COL EDWARD D. EDWARDS AS WING COMMANDER ON 21 OCT 63. PEASE AFB EMERGENCY WAR ORDER (EWO), DISASTER, AND SUPPORT PLANS WERE TESTED DURING GREAT EFFORT EXERCISE. WING BOMBER AIRCRAFT BEGAN FLYING PARTICIPATION IN BLUE MIST OPERATION (HIGHER HEADQUARTERS DIRECTED RADAR BOMB SCORING EXERCISE).

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS. ALSO INCLUDES PHOTOGRAPHS OF WING PERSONNEL.

**TitleAE:** OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION TEST: 817 AIR DIVISION (PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH), 14 TO 18 OCT 63

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00466922

**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-2389-6A

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580401

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580430

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11554

**First Frame:** 1310

**Last Frame:** 1524

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0778

**Index ID:** 48

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

CONTAINS JOINT HISTORY OF 817 AIR DIVISION (AD), 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG), AND 509 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON (AFRES) BASED AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH. 100 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW) AND 100 AFRES RETURNED TO PEASE AFB AFTER COMPLETING A 90 DAY MOBILITY TRAINING PROGRAM AT OVERSEAS BASES STARTING IN JAN 58; REDEPLOYMENTS CONDUCTED UNDER 8 AIR FORCE OPERATIONS PRIZE FIGHT AND HEAD START. 509 AFRES DEPLOYED TO THULE AIR BASE, GREENLAND UNDER OPERATION HEAD START. DISCUSSES ON THE JOB TRAINING AND RETENTION PROGRAM. ON 15 APR 58, A 509 AFRES B-47 AIRCRAFT CRASHED ON TAKEOFF, KILLING ALL FOUR CREW MEMBERS.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 1 THROUGH 12.

**TitleAE:** 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG), OPERATION ORDER 515-58, 1 APR 58 509 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON, MANAGEMENT CONTROL DATA, JAN THROUGH APR 58

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR

**Record Type:** History

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**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-3049-15

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19581101

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19581130

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**Roll (Reel):** 11556

**First Frame:** 545

**Last Frame:** 1011

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0780

**Index ID:** 48

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

CONTAINS JOINT HISTORY OF 817 AIR DIVISION (AD) AND 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG). CHAPTER 1 REVIEWS 817 AD HISTORY SINCE CONSTRUCTION OF PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH STARTED IN DEC 52. 817 AD OPERATION GRAND SLAM PUT INTO EFFECT PORTIONS OF 44/59 PLAN CONCEPT NOT FULLY EXERCISED DURING UNIT SIMULATED COMBAT MISSION (USCM), BIG JUMP, DURING OCT 58. BIG JUMP EXERCISED PORTION OF EMERGENCY WAR ORDER (EWO) INVOLVING EMPLOYMENT OF 100 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW) AND 509 BW STRIKE FORCE. GRAND SLAM EXERCISED TANKER TASK FORCE BEGINNING 12 NOV 58. DISCUSSES YO YO AND LEAP FROG REFUELING CONCEPTS.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 1 THROUGH 33.

**TitleAE:** 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG), OPERATION ORDER 522-58, BASE SUPPORT PLAN, NOV 58 817 AIR DIVISION (AD), MOBILITY PLAN, 2 DEC 58 817 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG), MANAGEMENT CONTROL DATA, NOV 58 817 ABG, BILLETING PLAN FOR SUPPORT OF OPERATION GRAND SLAM, 5 NOV 58 817 AD, GRAND SLAM BRIEFING, UNDATED 817 ABG COMMENTS, OPERATION GRAND SLAM, 18 NOV 58

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR  
**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466955  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-2752-5  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610601  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610630  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11561  
**First Frame:** 4  
**Last Frame:** 238  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0785  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

BOMBING UNITS OF 817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH MADE HISTORY DURING JUN 61, INCLUDING 509 BOMBARDMENT WING (509 BMW) WHICH CAPTURED FIRST PLACE IN OPERATION TUNE UP. (OPERATION TUNE UP WAS LOW LEVEL BOMBING AND AERIAL NAVIGATION MISSION OVER UNFAMILIAR TERRAIN WITH RADAR BOMB SCORING DETACHMENTS OPERATING FROM TRAINS INSTEAD OF FIXED GROUND STATIONS.) 100 BMW RECEIVED PRAISE FOR RECORDING STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) FIRST. (B-47 AIRCRAFT CREW FROM 351 BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON SCORED WHAT WAS PROVEN TO BE SAC FIRST ON SIMULATED BOMBING MISSION OF 26 JUN 61.) CAT CRY IX EXERCISE WAS CONDUCTED BY 817 AD ON 12 JUN 61. (CAT CRY EXERCISE WAS FULL SCALE TEST TO DETERMINE CAPABILITY OF 817 AD UNITS TO EXECUTE EMERGENCY WAR ORDERS.) PEASE AIRCRAFT FLEW TOTAL OF 5,357 HOURS DURING JUN 61 WITHOUT ANY AIRCRAFT ACCIDENTS REPORTED. ANNEX A TO INTERNAL PROTECTION PLAN OUTLINED NECESSARY ACTIONS TO PROTECT AREAS DURING ALERTS AND PERIODS OF ACTUAL OR SUSPECTED SABOTAGE. 8 AIR FORCE (8 AF) REPRESENTATIVES ARRIVED AT PEASE AFB ON 29 JUN 61 FOR FORMAL VISIT AND INSPECTION. UNITS WITHIN 817 AD WERE DIRECTED BY 8 AF TO MAKE PLANS FOR LAUNCHING OF SIX B-47 AIRCRAFT DURING VISIT OF UNITED STATES AIR FORCE (USAF) ACADEMY CADETS ON 11 JUL 61. INSPECTION OF 817 COMBAT SUPPORT GROUP (817 CSG) STANDARDIZATION SECTION FOUND THAT STANDARDIZATION PROGRAM WAS SEVERELY LIMITED DUE TO LACK OF PERSONNEL TO ADMINISTER IT PROPERLY.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, SUCH AS: MESSAGES, MANAGEMENT CONTROL DATA, STAFF VISIT REPORTS, AND NEWSPAPER ARTICLES, AS WELL AS MATERIAL COVERING PERIOD FROM JAN THROUGH JUN 61, AND PHOTOGRAPHS OF PERSONNEL. TITLES MODIFIED.

**TitleAE:** 817 AIR DIVISION, MOBILITY PLAN (AMENDMENT NO. 13), 22 JUN 61 NUCLEAR WEAPONS PROTECTION (OPERATIONS PLAN 190-62: ANNEX), 19 JUN 61 INJURY AND ACCIDENT ANALYSIS: FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1961 INSPECTION PROCEDURES AND SCHEDULE OF EVENTS, 29 JUN 61 FINAL STANDINGS ON RADAR BOMB SCORING, 28 JUN 61 GOLDEN HOUR TANGO STANDINGS, JAN TO JUN 61

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR  
**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466971  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3986-20  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630101  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630131  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11563  
**First Frame:** 299  
**Last Frame:** 572  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0787  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

BIG FREEZE OF 1 AND 2 JAN 63 WAS MOST IMPORTANT EVENT OF MONTH OF JAN 63 FOR 817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH. 817 AD ACCOMPLISHED ITS JAN 63 PORTION OF RADAR BOMB SCORING (RBS) EXERCISE ICY ROAD. (PEASE AFB PERSONNEL ALSO PARTICIPATED IN BROKEN ARROW EXERCISE.) 817 AD ASKED FOR REDESIGNATION OF RBS SCORES BECAUSE OF SPURIOUS RADAR LOCK/ONS BEYOND CONTROL OF AIRCREWS. 817 AD ASKED 8 AIR FORCE (8 AF) FOR PERMISSION TO DROP CHAFF CONSECUTIVELY. 817 AD ESTABLISHED FIRM STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURE (SOP) IN REGARD TO ENGINE FAILURE ON TAKEOFF UNDER EMERGENCY WAR ORDER (EWO) CONDITIONS. CREW INTERROGATION PROGRAM (AIDED BY TAPES) WAS ACCELERATED. KC-97 AIRCRAFT FLYING TRAINING DETACHMENT (FTD) GRADUATED ITS FIRST CLASS AT PEASE AFB.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, SUCH AS: MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS, AS WELL AS CHARTS. TITLES MODIFIED.

**TitleAE:** BROCHURE PREPARED BY BASE PERSONNEL (PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH), JAN 63 RESPONSIBILITY GUIDE (ANNUAL SAFETY PUBLICATION OF 817 AIR DIVISION)

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR  
**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466972  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-4138-21  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630201  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630331  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11563  
**First Frame:** 573  
**Last Frame:** 842  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0787  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH COMPLETED ITS COMMITMENTS UNDER PROJECT ICY ROAD IN FEB AND MAR 63. 817 AD PERSONNEL PARTICIPATED IN GOLDEN HOUR TANGO EXERCISE DURING FEB 63. PEASE AFB WAS VISITED IN FEB 63 BY UNITED STATES AIR FORCE (USAF) FACILITY INSPECTION TEAM WHOSE JOB IT WAS TO ISOLATE THOSE ITEMS OF MAJOR INVENTORY SIGNIFICANCE THAT WERE IN EXCESS OF PEASE MISSION OBJECTIVES. (BASE PERSONNEL SECTION AT PEASE WAS ALSO VISITED BY INSPECTION TEAM FROM STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND IN FEB 63.) ALL SECTIONS OF PEASE AFB WERE INSPECTED IN MAR 63 BY OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION TEAM (ORIT) FROM 8 AIR FORCE (8 AF) INSPECTOR GENERAL (IG) OFFICE. (BROKEN ARROW EXERCISE WAS CONDUCTED CONCURRENTLY WITH ORIT IN MAR 63.) SIX POINT PROGRAM (FOR FAMILIARIZATION OF PERSONNEL WITH TECHNICAL PUBLICATIONS) WAS INITIATED BY BASE COMMANDER. (BASE HAD SURPLUS BOTH IN OFFICER AND AIRMEN CATEGORIES.) MILITARY AFFILIATED RADIO SYSTEM (MARS) STATION AT PEASE AFB BECAME FULLY OPERATIONAL.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, SUCH AS: PERSONNEL ROSTERS, LETTERS, AND MESSAGES, AS WELL AS CHARTS.

**TitleAE:** 817 AIR DIVISION, SAFE PRACTICE BULLETIN NO. 63-4, 11 FEB 63 VIKING (PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NEWSPAPER), 8 MAR 63

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00466973

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-4190-15

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630401

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630430

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11563

**First Frame:** 843

**Last Frame:** 1211

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0787

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) PERSONNEL AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH WERE BUSY IN APR 63 CORRECTING SHORTCOMINGS UNCOVERED DURING OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION TEST (ORIT) OF MAR 63. 817 AD WING FLYING MISSION WAS MAINLY PREOCCUPIED WITH BAR NONE OPERATION ACTIVITIES. PEASE AFB ATTEMPTED CERTAIN FINANCIAL RETRENCHMENTS IN ANTICIPATION OF 509 BOMBARDMENT WING PHASEDOWN. (BASE FUNDING SHORTAGE WAS PARTICULARLY EVIDENT IN SUPPLY AND REQUISITION AREAS.) 817 AD EMPHASIZED TRAINING AND INDOCTRINATION IN SAFEGUARDING OF OPERATION CODES AND AUTHENTICATION SYSTEMS. PEASE AFB SNOW REMOVERS RECOMMENDED THAT ADDITIONAL SNOW REMOVER EQUIPMENT BE SECURED IN FUTURE.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (SUCH AS: MESSAGES, LETTERS, MEETING MINUTES, AND MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS), AS WELL AS CHARTS, AND MATERIAL COVERING MAR 63. TITLES MODIFIED.

**TitleAE:** 817 AIR DIVISION, ANNUAL FACILITIES INSPECTION PLAN FOR 1963 UNIT ENDORSEMENT TO OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION TEST AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE, 13 TO 22 MAR 63

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

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**Main:** GROUP/3918/COMBAT SUPPORT

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-GP-SUP-3918-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00444801

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-4371-33

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630500

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630600

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 13129

**First Frame:** 981

**Last Frame:** 1129

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** M0123

**Index ID:** 43

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19890222

**Abstract:**

ON 30 JUN 63, THE 98 BOMBARDMENT WING CONTINGENT FROM LINCOLN AIR FORCE BASE NE, A PART OF THE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) ALERT FORCE, DEPARTED ROYAL AIR FORCE (RAF) UPPER HEYFORD, UNITED KINGDOM, FOR THE FINAL TIME. REPLACING THEM WERE AIRCRAFT AND CREWS FROM THE 509 BOMBARDMENT WING, PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH.

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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> **Main:** WING/0100/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-100-HI V.1

**IRIS Number:** 00453821

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3766-3

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620801

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620930

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 14182

**First Frame:** 4

**Last Frame:** 71

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0150

**Titelx:** VOL 1 OF 2

**Index ID:** 35

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19890919

**Abstract:**

MANNING PROBLEMS IN STAFF POSITIONS NOTED. ALL OF WING'S REFLEX SORTIES WERE AT TORREJON AIR BASE SPAIN. PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION CAT CRY EXERCISES OF EMERGENCY WAR ORDER CAPABILITY. FLEW AGAINST NIKE MISSILE

SITES. CARRIED OUT FIGHTER/BOMBER INTERCEPTOR TRAINING. FORMAL STAFF VISIT WAS CONDUCTED BY 817 AIR DIVISION DIRECTORATE OF OPERATIONS. PROBLEMS WITH ARMAMENT OPERATOR EVALUATOR EQUIPMENT DESCRIBED. AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS EFFECTED SCHEDULING OF OPERATIONS. PARTICIPATED IN JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF DIRECTED STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND/NORTH AMERICAN AIR DEFENSE COMMAND LARGE SCALE AIR DEFENSE EXERCISE SKY SHIELD III. CONDUCTED GOLDEN HOUR TANGO EXERCISE. PROBLEMS WITH PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH INSTRUMENT LANDING SYSTEM (ILS) DESCRIBED.

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0100/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-100-HI V.1

**IRIS Number:** 00453759

**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-2344-7A

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580301

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580430

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 14169

**First Frame:** 1106

**Last Frame:** 1618

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0137

**Titlex:** VOL I OF II

**Index ID:** 48

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19890919

**Abstract:**

WING REDEPLOYED TO PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH FROM BRIZE NORTON, ENGLAND ON 1 APR 58. 100 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON REDEPLOYED TO PEASE AFB FROM THULE, GREENLAND. REPORT ON TEMPORARY DUTY MISSION TO BRIZE NORTON; REPORT OF DEPLOYMENT OF 350 BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON TO TORREJON AIR BASE, SPAIN.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 1 THROUGH 72. PHOTOGRAPHS OF 100 BOMBARDMENT WING PERSONNEL VISITING WORLD WAR II AMERICAN CEMETERY AT CAMBRIDGE, ENGLAND.

**TitleAE:** MANAGEMENT CONTROL STATEMENT, JAN THROUGH APR 58  
PREVENTATIVE MEDICINE SPECIAL REPORT, 11 MAR 58 349 AND 350 BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON, CREW ROSTER, 25 MAR 58

**Admin Markings:** Privileged Document

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**Main:** WING/0100/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-100-HI V.2

**IRIS Number:** 00453762

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580501

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580531

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 14170

**First Frame:** 117

**Last Frame:** 632

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0138

**Titelx:** VOL II OF II  
**AccNotes:** REF 00453761  
**Index ID:** 48  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19890919

**Dnotes:**  
SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 6 THROUGH 34.

**TitleAE:** ANNUAL INSPECTION OF 817 AIR DIVISION, PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH, 26 MAY 58 MONTHLY OPERATIONS PLAN, MAY 58 TEST DIRECTIVE, FREE HAND, MAY 58 MONTHLY MAINTENANCE ORDER, MAY 58

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**Main:** WING/0100/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)  
**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-WG-100-HI V.2  
**IRIS Number:** 00453764  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-2620-4  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580601  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580731  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 14170  
**First Frame:** 940  
**Last Frame:** 1353  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0138  
**Titelx:** VOL II OF II  
**AccNotes:** REF 00453763  
**Index ID:** 48  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19890919

**Abstract:**  
INCLUDES PUBLICATION, THE CENTURY, COMBAT CREW DIGEST, 100 BOMBARDMENT WING, PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH, 2 JUN 58.

**Dnotes:**  
SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 49 THROUGH 139.

**TitleAE:** 100 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW), MASS AIR REFUELING FLIMSY, JUN 58 OPERATIONS ORDER, 212-58, CANDLE STICK, 10 APR 58

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0100/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)  
**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-WG-100-HI V.1  
**IRIS Number:** 00453766  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-2896-6  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580901  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19581031  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 14171  
**First Frame:** 4  
**Last Frame:** 343  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0139  
**Titelx:** VOL I OF III

**Index ID:** 48

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19890919

**Abstract:**

CREW UPGRADE TRAINING PROGRAM GIVEN TOP PRIORITY; 100 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW) FLEW JOINT MISSION (BIG BLAST) WITH AIR DEFENSE COMMAND UNITS. CONDUCTED NO NOTICE SIMULATED COMBAT MISSION. REORGANIZATION OF 100 BW PLANNED FOR MAR 59. REPORT ON DURAL PROPELLER RETROFIT PROGRAM, B-47 AIRCRAFT MAIN BOOSTER PUMPS, AND AILERON ANTI/BACK LASH SPRINGS.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 1 THROUGH 39. PHOTOGRAPHS OF B-47 AIRCRAFT NAMED STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE AND SAFETY PICTURES.

**TitleAE:** QUARTERLY OPERATIONAL READINESS REPORT, SEP AND OCT 58 MANAGEMENT CONTROL STATEMENT, SEP AND OCT 58 817 AIR DIVISION, PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH, ROSTER OF OFFICERS, 30 SEP 58

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0100/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-100-HI V.1

**IRIS Number:** 00453749

**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-1773-2A

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19570901

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19570930

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 14166

**First Frame:** 1311

**Last Frame:** 1452

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0134

**Text:** VOL 1 OF 2

**Index ID:** 35

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19890919

**Abstract:**

COL GORDON F. GOYT ASSUMED COMMAND FROM COL ARIEL W. NIELSEN. PORTSMOUTH AIR FORCE BASE NH RENAMED PEASE AIR FORCE BASE FOR CAPT HARL C. PEASE, JR. B-47 AIRCRAFT AIRCREW CONTINUED TO BE LOST TO B-52 AIRCRAFT TRAINING. INCLUDES PHOTOGRAPHS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS NUMBERED 1 THROUGH 22.

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0376/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-376-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00456773

**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-4787-18

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19590801

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19590831

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10193

**First Frame:** 4

**Last Frame:** 391

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0509  
**Index ID:** 48  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900222

**Abstract:**

EFFECTIVE 1 AUG 59, REFLEX BASE CHANGED TO PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH; TWO B-47 AIRCRAFT TO DEPLOY AND REDEPLOY EACH WEEK. REPORT ON BIG BLAST ELECTRONIC COUNTERMEASURES TRAINING. WING CONDUCTED NO NOTICE EXERCISE ENTITLED SKYHAWK.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.

**TitleAE:** 376 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW), SURVEY OF HOME STATION GROUND ALERT FORCE, 18 AUG 59 376 BW, PLANNING FACTORS FOR SKYHAWK, 6 AUG 59 376 BW, REPORT OF AIRCRAFT/MISSILE OPERATIONAL DATA, AUG 59

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0376/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-376-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00456775

**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-4948-5

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19591001

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19591031

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10193

**First Frame:** 672

**Last Frame:** 896

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0509

**Index ID:** 48

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900222

**Abstract:**

376 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW) B-47 AIRCRAFT CREWS FLEW MISSIONS IN SUPPORT OF TEST AND TACTICS SPECIAL PROJECTS AND BIG BLAST PROGRAM. LOCATION OF REFLEX BASE CHANGED FROM PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH TO LORING AFB ME. WING CONDUCTED HIGHER HEADQUARTERS DIRECTED MISSIONS ENTITLED OPERATION QUICK KICK, SURE THING, AND SHORT PUNT.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.

**TitleAE:** 376 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW), MANAGEMENT CONTROL DATA, 1 SEP THROUGH 31 OCT 59 376 BW, AVERAGE STRENGTH FIGURES, OCT 59

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0380/STRATEGIC AEROSPACE

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-380-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00457076

**Old Accession Nbr:** 6-2497-4

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19650401

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19650630

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10244

**First Frame:** 1484

**Last Frame:** 1834

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0559

**Index ID:** 48

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900222

**Abstract:**

WITH THE INACTIVATION OF 820 STRATEGIC AEROSPACE DIVISION ON 25 JUN 65, 380 STRATEGIC AEROSPACE WING (SAW) CAME UNDER COMMAND OF 817 AIR DIVISION WITH HEADQUARTERS AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH. INACTIVATION OF 556 STRATEGIC MISSILE SQUADRON COMPLETED ON 25 JUN 65 WITH LAST ATLAS INTERCONTINENTAL BALLISTIC MISSILE (ICBM) REMOVED FROM BASE ON 11 APR. COL ROBERT G. MOLL ASSUMED INTERIM COMMAND OF WING ON 30 JUN 65 AWAITING ARRIVAL OF NEW COMMANDER, COL WALLACE WALL JR. MISSION OF 380 SAW TO TRAIN AND MAINTAIN FORCE CAPABLE OF IMMEDIATE AND SUSTAINED READINESS FOR EXECUTION OF ASSIGNED STRATEGIC SURFACE TO SURFACE ICBM, LONG RANGE OFFENSIVE BOMBARDMENT, AND AIR TO AIR REFUELING ON GLOBAL SCALE. 1 COMBAT EVALUATION GROUP MADE NO NOTICE EVALUATION OF 380 SAW ON 14 THROUGH 18 JUN 65. MAINTENANCE SECTION REPORT ON CORROSION CONTROL PROGRAM.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 1 THROUGH 74.

**TitleAE:** 380 STRATEGIC AEROSPACE WING (SAW), READINESS STATUS OF ASSIGNED UNITS, APR THROUGH JUN 65 380 SAW, SAC (STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND) INSPECTOR GENERAL MISSILE PHASE OUT INSPECTION, MAY 65 380 SAW, MONTHLY MAINTENANCE SUMMARY, APR THROUGH JUN 65

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00459280

**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-2168-12A

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19571201

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19571231

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10538

**First Frame:** 204

**Last Frame:** 479

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0833A

**Index ID:** 48

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900614

**Abstract:**

509 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW) PERSONNEL SECTION REPORTED SHORTAGES IN SEVERAL CAREER FIELDS. DISCUSSES ALERT EXERCISE CARRIED OUT BY WING. 509 BW DEPLOYED FIVE B-47 AIRCRAFT TO PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH TO PARTICIPATE IN OPERATION REFLEX.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.

**TitleAE:** 509 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW), WING COMMANDER'S REMARKS, DEC 57 509 BW, MAINTENANCE PROCEDURES FOR EMERGENCY WAR PLAN TEST, 2 DEC 57

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00459286

**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-2524-23

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580501

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580531

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10539

**First Frame:** 1467

**Last Frame:** 1682

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0834

**Index ID:** 48

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900614

**Abstract:**

509 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW) B-47 AIRCRAFT FLEW BOMBER STREAM MISSIONS. OFFICIAL WORD RECEIVED ON MOVEMENT OF 509 BW FROM WALKER AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NM TO PEASE AFB NH ON 1 JUL 58.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.

**TitleAE:** 509 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW), LETTER TO WIVES AND PARENTS OF WING PERSONNEL MOVING TO PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH, MAY 58 509 BW, CREW FLIMSY, SQUEAKY HUB, 1 MAY 58 509 BW, VOICE OF MAINTENANCE, MAY 58

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00459290

**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-3049-9

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19581101

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19581130

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10540

**First Frame:** 355

**Last Frame:** 626

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0835

**Index ID:** 48

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900614

**Abstract:**

8 AIR FORCE CONDUCTED ANNUAL INSPECTION OF 509 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW) ON 22 OCT THROUGH 8 NOV 58. 509 BW FLEW BOMBER STREAM MISSIONS LUMPY LU, PAWN TICKET, AND BIG BLAST ECHO. WING PARTICIPATED IN UNIT SIMULATED COMBAT MISSION CALLED GRAND SLAM.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.

**TitleAE:** ANNUAL INSPECTION OF 817 AIR DIVISION, PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH, 24 NOV 58 STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND MANAGEMENT CONTROL STATEMENT, SEP THROUGH NOV 58 509 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW), CREW FLIMSY, BIG BLAST ECHO, LUMPY LU, PAWN TICKET, NOV 58

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00459308

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-1912-2

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19600701

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19600731

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10543

**First Frame:** 457

**Last Frame:** 716

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0838

**Index ID:** 48

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900712

**Abstract:**

509 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW) KC-97 AIRCRAFT FLEW FERRY FLIGHTS, HIGH WIND SORTIES, AND GOLDEN HOUR TANGO SORTIES. DISCUSSES BRAVO ALERT CALLED BY 8 AIR FORCE.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS INCLUDE NEWSCLIPPINGS FROM THE VIKING (PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH NEWSPAPER), JUL 60.

**TitleAE:** 509 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON, AIR TRAINING REPORT, JUL 60 509 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW), MANAGEMENT CONTROL SYSTEM, MAY THROUGH JUL 60

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00459309

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-2014-43

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19600801

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19600930

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10543

**First Frame:** 717

**Last Frame:** 1146

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0838

**Index ID:** 48

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900712

**Abstract:**

509 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW) PARTICIPATED IN 817 AIR DIVISION PARADE AND REVIEW WHICH WAS HELD IN OBSERVENCE OF PEASE DAY IN MEMORY OF CAPT HARL W. PEASE AFTER WHOM PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH WAS NAMED. CAPT PEASE, WHO WAS AWARDED THE CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR, WAS KILLED IN A BOMBING RAID OVER RABAU, NEW GUINEA DURING THE SUMMER OF 1942. WING PARTICIPATED IN STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND DIRECTED EVALUATION EXERCISE TOP RUNG. 509 BW BEGAN REFLEX ACTION TO TORREJON AIR BASE, SPAIN.

**Dnotes:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.

**TitleAE:** 509 BOMBARDMENT WING (BW), MAINTENANCE AND FLYING ACTIVITY REPORT, AUG 60 509 BW, NOTES ON STAFF MEETINGS, AUG AND SEP 60 509 BW, MANAGEMENT CONTROL SYSTEM, MAY THROUGH SEP 60

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00459315

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-2665-9

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610501  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610531  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 10544  
**First Frame:** 775  
**Last Frame:** 944  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0839  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900712

**Abstract:**

WING PERSONNEL PARTICIPATED IN TUNE UP OPERATION (LARGE/SCALE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND EXERCISE WHICH EMPHASIZED LOW/LEVEL SIMULATED BOMBING OF TOTALLY UNFAMILIAR AND MOBILE TARGETS). WING PERSONNEL ALSO TOOK PART IN TRAINING FLIGHTS TO TORREJON AIR BASE, SPAIN, AS WELL AS ROUTINE HOME ALERT TRAINING IN VICINITY OF PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH. WING SUPPORTED HIGHER HEADQUARTERS DIRECTED OPERATIONS, SUCH AS: SIOUX JEWEL/BIG BLAST.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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> **Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00459331  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3922-24  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19621201  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19621231  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 10546  
**First Frame:** 826  
**Last Frame:** 1015  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0841  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900712

**Abstract:**

REFLEX AIRCREW FORCES OF WING WERE EVALUATED DURING INSPECTION OF 16 AIR FORCE CONDUCTED FROM 25 NOV TO 13 DEC 62 AT ZARAGOZA AIR BASE, SPAIN BY STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) INSPECTOR GENERAL (IG). 817 AIR DIVISION CONDUCTED STAFF EVALUATION AND ASSISTANCE VISIT TO WING AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH BETWEEN 10 AND 21 DEC 62.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS. ALSO INCLUDES MATERIAL COVERING NOV 62, AS WELL AS PHOTOGRAPHS OF WING PERSONNEL.

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)  
**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00459341  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-4828-6  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19631101  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19631231  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 10547  
**First Frame:** 1279  
**Last Frame:** 1737  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0842  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900712

**Abstract:**

1 COMBAT EVALUATION GROUP COMPLETED EVALUATION OF STANDARDIZATION/EVALUATION PROGRAM AND SPECIFIC TRAINING ACTIVITIES OF WING AS OF 1 NOV 63. B-47 AIRCRAFT CREW (ASSIGNED TO WING) WAS FIRST AIRCREW IN 817 AIR DIVISION TO COMPLETE ITS FLYING REQUIREMENTS (1 NOV 63). WING BOMBER CREWS ALSO COMPLETED PARTICIPATION IN BLUE MIST OPERATION (RADAR BOMB SCORING EXERCISE) DURING PERIOD FROM NOV THROUGH DEC 63. SECOND PHASE OF PROGRAM TO RELEASE QUALIFIED AIRCRAFT COMMANDERS FROM COPILOT SLOTS BEGAN AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH ON 26 NOV 63. (B-47 AIRCRAFT COPILOTS WERE SCHEDULED TO BE ASSIGNED COMBAT CREW POSITIONS IN WING.)

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.

**TitleAE:** 1 COMBAT EVALUATION GROUP EVALUATION REPORT SUMMARY: 509 BOMBARDMENT WING, 20 NOV 63

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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>> **Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI V.1  
**IRIS Number:** 00459350  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 6-2340-13  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19650101  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19650331  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 10548  
**First Frame:** 1445  
**Last Frame:** 1821  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0843  
**Titltext:** VOL I OF II  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900712

**Abstract:**

WING UNDERWENT NO/NOTICE OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION TEST (ORIT) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH. WING ALSO WAS SUBJECTED TO NO/NOTICE COMBAT EVALUATION BY 1 COMBAT EVALUATION GROUP (FROM BARKSDALE AFB LA). WING PERSONNEL PARTICIPATED IN 8 AIR FORCE (8 AF) DIRECTED TOP RUNG EXERCISE. (WING FLYING HOUR REQUIREMENTS FOR FISCAL YEAR 1965 WERE REQUESTED BY 8 AF, WHILE TOUCH AND GO LANDINGS WERE REINSTATED BY

STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND.) WING WAS SCHEDULED TO TERMINATE ITS OVERSEAS REFLEX COMMITMENT AT ROYAL AIR FORCE STATION/UPPER HEYFORD, ENGLAND AS OF 31 MAR 65. (WING WAS SCHEDULED TO INITIATE ZONE OF INTERIOR REFLEX TO LOCKBOURNE AFB OH EFFECTIVE 1 APR 65.)

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 1 THROUGH 100. ALSO INCLUDES MATERIAL COVERING APR 65.

**TitleAE:** TACTICAL AIR COMMAND/STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND HOST/TENANT AGREEMENT/SUPPORT OF 301 AIR RESERVE SQUADRON: LOCKBOURNE AIR FORCE BASE OH 8 AIR FORCE PROGRAMMING PLAN 100-65: REFLEX OF B-47 AIRCRAFT, 6 FEB 65

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI V.2

**IRIS Number:** 00459351

**Old Accession Nbr:** 6-2340-14

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19650101

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19650331

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10549

**First Frame:** 4

**Last Frame:** 370

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0844

**Titeltext:** VOL II OF II

**AccNotes:** REF 00459350

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900712

**Dnotes:**

CONTAINS SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 101 THROUGH 139. TITLES MODIFIED.

**TitleAE:** OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION TEST OF 509 BOMBARDMENT WING BY 8 AIR FORCE, 1 TO 7 FEB 65 8 AIR FORCE MAINTENANCE STAFF VISIT TO 509 BOMBARDMENT WING, 15 FEB 65 APN-22 RADAR EQUIPMENT CONFERENCE REPORT: PEASE AIR FORCE BASE OH, 19 TO 21 JAN 65

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>>> **Main:** WING/4083/STRATEGIC

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-4083-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00460626

**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-2238-7A

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580101

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580228

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10712

**First Frame:** 4

**Last Frame:** 163

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0990

**Index ID:** 49

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19901215

**Abstract:**

22 FEB 58 COL BRYSON R. BAILEY ASSUMED COMMAND OF WING FROM COL O. F. LASSITER. 15 FEB 11 AVIATION DEPOT SQUADRON COMPLETED MOVE FROM PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH TO THULE AIR BASE GREENLAND. DANISH CIVILIANS RUN BASE EXCHANGE FACILITIES. BASE SUPPORTS PROJECT ICE SKATE ON FLETCHER'S ICE ISLAND (T-3).

**Dnotes:**

FOREWARD GIVES BASE HIGHLIGHTS FOR PREVIOUS YEAR. INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** DIVISION/0047/AIR

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-47-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00465531

**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-2036-17A

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19571201

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19571231

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11383

**First Frame:** 4

**Last Frame:** 297

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0620

**Index ID:** 35

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19910803

**Abstract:**

ALERT FORCE WAS ESTABLISHED AT WALKER AIR FORCE BASE AS DIRECTED IN PERSONAL LETTER FROM 15 AIR FORCE COMMANDER, GEN ARCHIE J. OLD, JR. 509 BOMBARDMENT WING (MEDIUM) COMPLETED POP UP MISSION ON RBS (RADAR BOMB SCORING) ROUTES. 34 AIR DIVISION OPERATION PIG IRON INSTITUTED TO EFFECT RECOVERY AND DELIVERY OF SOVIET SPUTNIK SATELLITE BOOSTER ROCKET. 37 AIR DEPOT SQUADRON TESTED FEASIBILITY OF LOADING SPECIAL WEAPONS OF THE RAMP RATHER THAN AT SPECIAL WEAPONS SITES. PROPERTY OF 509 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON AIRLIFTED TO PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH. INCLUDES 78 SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS WITH SUBORDINATE UNIT HISTORIES.

**Author:** GROUP/0812/AIR BASE SQUADRON/0037/AIR DEPOT

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**Main:** DIVISION/0047/AIR

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-47-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00465536

**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-2523-3

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580501

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19580531

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11384

**First Frame:** 301

**Last Frame:** 543

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0621  
**Index ID:** 35  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19910803

**Abstract:**

ANTICIPATED INACTIVATION OF 812 AIR BASE GROUP TO BE REPLACED WITH 6 AIR BASE GROUP. VISITED BY 15 AIR FORCE EWP (EMERGENCY WAR PLAN) PLANNING TEAM. PREPARED FOR MOVEMENT OF 509 BOMBARDMENT WING (MEDIUM) TO PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH. PLANNING FOR RUNWAY CONSTRUCTION UNDERWAY. ANTICIPATED ELIMINATION OF REQUIREMENT FOR 47 AIR DIVISION TO PROVIDE EIELSON TASK FORCE COMMANDER AND STAFF. INCLUDES 33 SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.

**Author:** GROUP/0812/AIR BASE

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR  
**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466938  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 4-4948-8  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19590901  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19591031  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11558  
**First Frame:** 308  
**Last Frame:** 618  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0782  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

PROBLEMS OF 817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) UNITS (100 AND 509 BOMBARDMENT WINGS) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH INCLUDED: TURBO, PROP, AND MAGNETO MALFUNCTIONS REQUIRING ADDITIONAL KC-97 AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE AND SCHEDULING WORKLOADS; INCREASING NUMBERS OF TACTICAL AIRCRAFT AND CREWS PLACED ON ALERT FORCE (AND CORRESPONDING REQUIREMENT TO INCREASE HOURS THAT FOLLOW/ON AIRCRAFT MUST FLY); AND MORE STRINGENT OVERALL OPERATIONAL COMMITMENTS AGAINST BACKGROUND OF PERSONNEL DEFICIENCIES. 817 AD UNITS PARTICIPATED IN VARIOUS OPERATIONS (SUCH AS: ALL OUT CHARLIE) DURING SEP AND OCT 59. (ALL OUT CHARLIE WAS EXTENSIVE EXERCISE OF PEASE AFB TASK FORCE WHICH WAS FLOWN BETWEEN 31 AUG AND EARLY PART OF SEP 59.) 817 AD WINGS MADE READY FOR ANNUAL STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) BOMBING/NAVIGATION COMPETITION THAT WAS SCHEDULED TO START IN LAST WEEK OF OCT 59. ANALYSIS OF BOMBER AIRCRAFT AIR REFUELING RELIABILITY WAS COMPLETED AS OF 19 OCT 59. INCREASING ATTENTION WAS FOCUSED UPON SPECIAL PROJECTS, INCLUDING: MODIFICATION OF WING COMMAND POSTS; STORAGE SPACE FOR AIRCRAFT EQUIPMENT; INSTALLATION OF UP/TO/DATE NAVIGATIONAL AIDS AND RUNWAY LIGHTING EQUIPMENT; IMPROVISATIONS NECESSITATED BY INADEQUATE MANNING OF BASE WEATHER STATION; MORE EFFICIENT OPERATIONS PLANNING AND CONTROL; REVISION OF EXISTING AIRCRAFT PARKING SCHEMES TO FACILITATE ALERT OPERATIONS; AND ESTABLISHMENT OF PERMANENT PLAN FOR JOINT OPERATIONS PLANNING FORCE.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO

INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, AS WELL AS MATERIAL COVERING AUG 59.

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00466939

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-1103-15

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19591101

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19591130

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11558

**First Frame:** 619

**Last Frame:** 884

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0782

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) PERSONNEL AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH PARTICIPATED IN VARIOUS EXERCISES AND OPERATIONS DURING MONTH OF NOV 59. (TEAM SCRIMMAGE/JET STREAM WAS LOCALLY CONDUCTED PRACTICE UNIT SIMULATED COMBAT MISSION EXERCISE OF 4 NOV 59; WHILE JET STREAM WAS HIGHER HEADQUARTERS DIRECTED UNIT SIMULATED COMBAT MISSION EXERCISE FLOWN BETWEEN 17 AND 20 NOV 59.) OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION (ORI) OF 817 AD UNITS AT PEASE AFB WAS CONDUCTED SIMULTANEOUSLY IN CONNECTION WITH JET STREAM EXERCISE. 817 AD COMBAT WINGS ALSO PARTICIPATED IN OIL BURNER OPERATION AND PREPARED FOR QUICK KICK (LARGE SCALE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND DIRECTED TASK FORCE EXERCISE SCHEDULED FOR DEC 59).

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, AS WELL AS MATERIAL COVERING DEC 59.

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00466940

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-1180-2

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19591201

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19591231

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11558

**First Frame:** 885

**Last Frame:** 1257

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0782

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AND SUBORDINATE UNITS AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH UNDERWENT ANNUAL INSPECTOR GENERAL (IG) ADMINISTRATIVE AND COMPLIANCE INSPECTION THAT WAS CONDUCTED FROM 30 NOV THROUGH 4 DEC 59. 817 AD ALSO UNDERWENT OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION (ORI) EXERCISES THAT WERE CONDUCTED DURING NOV AND DEC 59, AND 817 AD UNITS PARTICIPATED IN QUICK KICK (PEASE TASK FORCE EXERCISE) WHICH WAS PERFORMED BETWEEN 17 AND 19 DEC 59. (PRIME OBJECTIVE OF QUICK KICK NO/NOTICE LARGE SCALE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND EXERCISE WAS TO TEST STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND TANKER AIRCRAFT TASK FORCES IN STRATEGIC AIR OPERATIONS.)

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, AS WELL AS MATERIAL COVERING NOV 59.

**TitleAE:** 8 AIR FORCE INSPECTOR GENERAL REPORT: EMERGENCY WAR ORDER CAPABILITY INSPECTION, 20 DEC 59 817 AIR DIVISION, OPERATIONS ORDER 12-3-60: QUICK KICK OPERATION, 10 NOV 59

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00466945

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-1767-13

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19600601

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19600630

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11559

**First Frame:** 865

**Last Frame:** 1344

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0783

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

8 AIR FORCE (8 AF) REPRESENTATIVES CONDUCTED ANNUAL FORMAL INSPECTION OF 817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) FACILITIES AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH ON 16 JUN 60. BRIG GEN JACK J. CATTON (817 AD COMMANDER) PRESENTED PLAQUES TO 100 AND 509 BOMBARDMENT WINGS IN HONOR OF THEIR ACHIEVING FIRST AND SECOND PLACE RESPECTIVELY IN 8 AF MANAGEMENT CONTROL SYSTEM DURING JAN TO APR 60 TRAINING QUARTER. BASE HELICOPTER AT PEASE AFB PARTICIPATED IN SEARCH/RESCUE MISSION IN VICINITY OF BIDDEFORD/SACO ME ON 25 AND 26 JUN 60. THREE MEN FROM PEASE AFB WERE ASSIGNED ON TEMPORARY DUTY (TDY) AT STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) HEADQUARTERS DURING JUN 60 TO RECEIVE INSTRUCTIONS PERTAINING TO SAC INTERCONTINENTAL BALLISTICS MISSILE (ICBM) TRAINING REGARDING MINUTEMAN MISSILE. TOTAL OF TWELVE ALERT FORCE TEST EXERCISES WERE CONDUCTED BY FORCES OF 100 AND 509 BOMBARDMENT WINGS IN JUN 60. (EIGHT OF THESE OPERATIONS WERE BRAVO ALERT EXERCISES CALLED BY 8 AF HEADQUARTERS.)

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (SUCH AS: MEETING MINUTES, UNIT MANNING DOCUMENTS, OPERATION ORDERS, TESTING ANALYSIS, ISSUES OF BASE NEWSPAPER, AND MISCELLANEOUS MONTHLY REPORTS), AS WELL AS MATERIAL COVERING JAN TO APR 60.

**TitleAE:** 817 AIR DIVISION, ALERT DUTY TOUR, JUN 60

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI V.2

**IRIS Number:** 00466947

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-1917-10

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19600701

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19600731

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11559

**First Frame:** 1581

**Last Frame:** 2071

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0783

**Text:** VOL II OF II

**AccNotes:** REF 00466946

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Dnotes:**

CONTAINS SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 8 THROUGH 12. INCLUDES PLANS, ALERT FORCE STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES, AND AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL BOARD MEETING MINUTES. TITLES MODIFIED.

**TitleAE:** 817 COMBAT SUPPORT GROUP, BASE SUPPORT PLAN (PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH), 1 JUL 60 817 AIR DIVISION, DISASTER CONTROL PLAN, JUL 60 41

MUNITIONS MAINTENANCE SQUADRON, OPERATIONS PLAN 7-60, JUL 60

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00466948

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-2014-49

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19600801

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19600930

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11560

**First Frame:** 4

**Last Frame:** 420

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0784

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

PLANS WERE FORMULATED BY 817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) DURING AUG AND SEP 60 TO RECEIVE AIR REFUELING UNITS OF 2 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON (2 AREFS), 11 AREFS, AND 305 AREFS AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH. (PEASE TASK FORCE RECEPTION PLAN CALLED FOR RECEPTION OF TANKER AIRCRAFT AND AIRCREWS DURING ACTUAL EMERGENCY WAR ORDER AND/OR UNIT SIMULATED COMBAT MISSION EXERCISES AS DIRECTED BY HIGHER HEADQUARTERS.)

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, AS WELL AS PHOTOGRAPHS OF PERSONNEL.

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**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00466949

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-2142-8

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19601001

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19601031

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11560

**First Frame:** 421

**Last Frame:** 659

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0784

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH WAS ALERTED DURING SEP 60 TO BE PREPARED FOR PARTICIPATION ON NO/NOTICE BASIS (BETWEEN 3 AND 9 OCT 60) FOR STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) LARGE SCALE EXERCISE BIG SHOW. (OPERATION BIG SHOW EXERCISE WAS DESIGNED PRIMARILY TO REALISTICALLY TEST AND EVALUATE STRATEGIC OPERATIONAL CONCEPTS AND EMERGENCY WAR ORDER CAPABILITIES OF SAC TANKER AIRCRAFT FORCES, EVALUATE BATTLE STAFF FUNCTIONS, AND TO PROVIDE STRIKE AIRCRAFT FOR NORTH AMERICAN AIR DEFENSE COMMAND TRAINING EXERCISES.) BIG SHOW EXERCISE COMMENCED ON 3 OCT 60. (PEASE TASK FORCE UNDERWENT OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION AS PART OF BIG SHOW EXERCISE.) DISASTER CONTROL EXERCISE WAS CONDUCTED ON 4 OCT 60.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, AS WELL AS PHOTOGRAPH OF 817 COMBAT SUPPORT GROUP (817 CSG) COMMANDER (COL SILAS R. RICHARDS), AND MATERIAL COVERING SEP 60.

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**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466951  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-2395-11  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610101  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610131  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11560  
**First Frame:** 974  
**Last Frame:** 1177  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0784  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH WAS ALERTED DURING JAN 61 FOR POSSIBILITY OF BECOMING SUPPORT CENTER FOR THIRD MINUTEMAN INTERCONTINENTAL BALLISTIC MISSILE WING. (817 AD OFFICERS WERE BRIEFED BY STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND BRIEFING TEAM REGARDING MINUTEMAN STRATEGIC MISSILE SYSTEM AND PLANNING FACTORS INVOLVED IN CONTINGENT SELECTION OF 817 AD FOR ADDITIONAL WEAPONS SYSTEM.) B-47 AIRCRAFT ASSIGNED TO 100 BOMBARDMENT WING (MEDIUM) OF 817 AD CRASHED AND BURNED ON TAKEOFF ON NORTH END OF RUNWAY AT PEASE AFB ON 4 JAN. (ALL FOUR CREW MEMBERS OF B-47 AIRCRAFT LOST THEIR LIVES IN AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT.) CAT CRY EXERCISE WAS CALLED AND EXECUTED ON 11 JAN IN PREPARATION FOR HIGHER HEADQUARTERS DIRECTED EXERCISES SCHEDULED FOR 1961. (CAT CRY EXERCISE WAS FULL SCALE TEST OF 817 AD AND INCLUDED TEST DISASTER EXERCISE INVOLVING AIRCRAFT LOADED WITH WEAPONS.) UNITS OF 817 AD ALSO PARTICIPATED IN HIGHER HEADQUARTERS NO/NOTICE EXERCISE GOLDEN HOUR TANGO ON 26 JAN 61.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, SUCH AS: MESSAGES.

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**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466952  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-2518-23  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610201  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610331  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11560  
**First Frame:** 1178  
**Last Frame:** 1606  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0784  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

RADAR APPROACH CONTROL (RAPCON) CONCEPT BECAME OPERATIONAL FOR 817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) OPERATIONS AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH DURING

PERIOD FROM FEB THROUGH MAR 61. (RAPCON COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM BETWEEN AIRCRAFT COMMANDERS AND GROUND PROVIDED AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL FOR ALL AIRCRAFT ARRIVING, DEPARTING, OR PASSING IN VICINITY OF PEASE AFB.) 100 ARMAMENT AND ELECTRONICS MAINTENANCE SQUADRON (100 AEMS) PRECISION MEASUREMENT LABORATORY INITIATED AND COMMENCED WORK ON CALIBRATION SCHEDULE FOR MONTH OF FEB 61. 817 AD COMMANDER (BRIG GEN JACK J. CATTON) REQUESTED THAT NEW SYSTEM BE SET UP WHICH WOULD INSURE THAT REFLEXING UNITS RECEIVE SUFFICIENT TRAINING INCENTIVE POINTS FOR DEPLOYING AND REDEPLOYING AIRCRAFT IN ORDER TO MAKE THESE FLIGHTS EQUAL TO LOCAL TRAINING FLIGHT. DECREASE OF TRAINING EFFECTIVENESS FOR 41 MUNITIONS MAINTENANCE SQUADRON (41 MMS) DURING MAR 61 WAS DUE TO MAINTENANCE AND EXPLOSIVE ORDNANCE DISPOSAL TRAINING WHICH SLACKENED DURING MONTH OF MAR 61.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, SUCH AS: REPORTS OF AIRCRAFT/MISSILE OPERATIONAL DATA.

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**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466953  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-2562-27  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610401  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610430  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11560  
**First Frame:** 1607  
**Last Frame:** 1826  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0784  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH CONDUCTED CAT CRY VIII EXERCISE ON 3 APR 61. (CAT CRY VIII WAS LOCAL EXERCISE THAT WAS INTENDED TO DETERMINE CAPABILITY OF 817 AD UNITS TO EXECUTE EMERGENCY WAR ORDERS, AND INCLUDED SIMULATED BROKEN ARROW DISASTER INVOLVING CLASSIFIED WEAPON ON C-124 AIRCRAFT WHICH SIMULATED CRASH AFTER TAKEOFF WITH SIX PERSONS ON BOARD.) 8 AIR FORCE (8 AF) INDICATED TO 817 AD THAT PEASE AFB WOULD NOT BE SELECTED AS SITE OF ANY NEW MINUTEMAN MISSILES, BUT WOULD CONTINUE TO BE CONSIDERED FOR ASSIGNMENT OF FUTURE MINUTEMAN MISSILE UNIT. C-47 CARGO TYPE AIRCRAFT AT PEASE AFB EXPERIENCED NOSE AND FUSELAGE DAMAGE DUE TO FIRE AND EXPLOSION ON 24 APR 61. 817 AD MOBILITY PLAN WAS REVISED IN APR 61. AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL BORAD MET DURING APR 61. 817 AD AIRCRAFT FLEW 5,000 HOURS WITHOUT ACCIDENTS IN APR 61. REQUEST WAS SENT TO 8 AF REQUESTING THAT 817 AD BE GRANTED WAIVER REGARDING UNLOADING OF EXPLOSIVES FROM RAIL CARS AT PEASE AFB.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, SUCH AS: MEETING MINUTES, MESSAGES, AND MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS.

**TitleAE:** 817 AIR DIVISION, MOBILITY PLAN (AMENDMENT NO. 12), 1 APR 61 FOREIGN OBJECT DAMAGE REPORT, 11 APR 61 GUIDE FOR CASUALTY REPORTING RESPONSE TO DELTA ALERT, 21 APR 61 ALERT FORCE COMMUNICATIONS PROCEDURE, 21 APR 61 TEST EXERCISE TAXI PROCEDURES, 21 APR 61 817 AIR DIVISION, DISASTER CONTROL PLAN 500-61 (AMENDMENT NO. 2) UNIT COMMAND POST COMMUNICATIONS: POWER FAILURE, 28 APR 61 SPOT RELEASE ON C-47 AIRCRAFT INCIDENT, 24 APR 61

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**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00466954

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-2670-10

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610501

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610531

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11560

**First Frame:** 1827

**Last Frame:** 2045

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0784

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

BOMBER CREWS OF 817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) UNITS (100 AND 509 BOMBARDMENT WINGS) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH STARTED WORK ON TUNE UP OPERATION TRAINING DURING MAY 61. (TUNE UP WAS STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND EVALUATION MISSION THAT INVOLVED RADAR BOMB SCORING DETACHMENTS WHICH WOULD BE OPERATING FROM TRAINS INSTEAD OF FIXED GROUND STATIONS THAT WAS INTENDED TO GIVE WIDER RANGE OF SIMULATED BOMBING TARGETS TO STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND JET BOMBER AIRCRAFT.) EARLY RESULTS OF TUNE UP TRAINING INDICATED THAT 509 BOMBARDMENT WING AT PEASE WAS IN RUNNING FOR TOP POSITION IN SIMULATED BOMB RUN SCORING OF ALL B-47 AIRCRAFT UNITS IN STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND. 41 MUNITIONS MAINTENANCE SQUADRON BECAME PART OF 100 BOMBARDMENT WING EFFECTIVE 1 MAY 61. 8 AIR FORCE CLARIFIED AIRCRAFT/WEAPONS RESTRICTIONS REGARDING PARTICIPATION IN COCO/DELTA EXERCISES. SEVERAL PROBLEMS EXISTED IN ALERT POSTURE THAT WERE NOT WITHIN UNIT CAPABILITY TO RESOLVE WHICH WOULD MATERIALLY AFFECT CAPABILITY IN ATTAINING INCREASED PEASE ALERT POSTURE. REVISED SET OF 817 AD ALERT FORCE REGULATIONS WERE DISTRIBUTED DURING MAY 61. (THESE REGULATIONS SUPERCEDED 817 AD ALERT FORCE STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES.) RUNWAY LEAD/IN LIGHTING SYSTEM BULBS WERE RECEIVED AND INSTALLED. TREES WERE REMOVED THAT HAD BEEN INTERFERING WITH RADAR APPROACH CONTROL (RAPCON) EQUIPMENT, AND REFLECTORS WERE SET UP FOR RUNWAY AT PEASE. 817 AD COMMANDER (BRIG GEN JACK J. CATTON) AUTHORIZED PRESS RELEASE REGARDING PEASE AFB AS SUPPORT BASE FOR MINUTEMAN MISSILE. PEASE AIRCRAFT FLEW TOTAL OF 5,541 HOURS WITHOUT ANY AIRCRAFT ACCIDENTS REPORTED DURING MAY 61. PEASE BOMBING UNITS CAPTURED FIRST AND SECOND PLACE IN WINNING GOLDEN BOMBER AWARD FOR APR 61. 817 AD

RECEIVED MESSAGE STATING THAT ACTION WAS BEING TAKEN TO ASSIGN THREE C-47D AIRCRAFT FOR 817 COMBAT SUPPORT GROUP IN EXCHANGE FOR TWO SC-47 AIRCRAFT ASSIGNED AT PEASE AFB.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00466956

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-2857-2

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610701

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610731

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11561

**First Frame:** 239

**Last Frame:** 787

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0785

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

COL JAMES M. KECK ASSUMED COMMAND OF 817 COMBAT SUPPORT GROUP (817 CSG) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH ON 1 JUL 61. (817 CSG DISASTER CONTROL PLAN FOR 1 JUL 61 GAVE PLANS REQUIRED FOR SUCCESSFUL LOGISTICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT OF TACTICAL UNITS ASSIGNED TO PEASE AFB WHICH WERE REQUIRED TO SUPPORT EMERGENCY WAR ORDER PREPARATIONS UNDER DISASTER CONDITIONS.) COL A. J. BECK REPLACED BRIG GEN JACK J. CATTON AS COMMANDER OF 817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AFB EFFECTIVE 24 JUL 61. PEASE TANKER AIRCRAFT TASK FORCE PARTICIPATED IN 8 AIR FORCE (8 AF) DIRECTED MISSION EXERCISE ALL OUT INDIA ON 24 JUL 61. (PURPOSE OF ALL OUT INDIA EXERCISE WAS TO ENABLE TASK FORCE AT GOOSE AIR BASE, LABRADOR IN CANADA TO MAINTAIN THEIR TANKER TASK FORCE PROFICIENCY, AND WAS FIRST EXERCISE CONDUCTED UNDER NEW LEAP FROG CONCEPT WHEREIN MAINTENANCE TEAMS WERE DEPLOYED WITH UNIT AIRCRAFT.) 817 AD NOTIFIED NORTH AMERICAN AIR DEFENSE COMMAND (NORAD) REGIONS 26 AND 30 THAT PEASE AFB WOULD BE VULNERABLE FOR NO/NOTICE MISSION OPERATION JET STREAM AS OF 1 AUG 61. PLANS WERE ALSO MADE DURING JUL 61 FOR DEFENSE ORIENTATION CONFERENCE ASSOCIATION (DOCA) WHICH WAS SCHEDULED TO BE HOSTED BY PEASE AFB IN JOINT EFFORT WITH UNITED STATES ARMY AND NAVY FROM 7 TO 9 AUG 61.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (SUCH AS: SPECIAL ORDERS, PLANS, MESSAGES, AS WELL AS ORGANIZATION CHART AND PHOTOGRAPHS OF PERSONNEL, AND MATERIAL COVERING AUG 61.

**TitleAE:** DISASTER CONTROL PLAN (COMBAT SUPPORT GROUP OPERATION PLAN 500-62), 1 JUL 61 817 AIR DIVISION, ALERT FORCE REGULATIONS, 21 JUL 61



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**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466958  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3043-4  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19611001  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19611031  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11561  
**First Frame:** 1207  
**Last Frame:** 1457  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0785  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH SUPPORTED VARIOUS 8 AIR FORCE (8 AF) AND STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) DIRECTED MISSION OPERATIONS DURING OCT 61, INCLUDING: SKY SHIELD II AND SPRUCE UP. (UNANNOUNCED OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION OF PEASE TANKER AIRCRAFT TASK FORCE AT GOOSE AIR BASE, LABRADOR IN CANADA WAS CONDUCTED IN CONJUNCTION WITH SAC/NORTH AMERICAN AIR DEFENSE COMMAND OPERATION SKY SHIELD II; WHILE OPERATION SPRUCE UP TESTED ADEQUACY AND COMPATIBILITY OF PEASE MAINTENANCE READINESS, MOBILITY, AND BASE SUPPORT PLANS IN SUPPORTING EMERGENCY WAR ORDER UNDER ADVERSE WARTIME CONDITIONS.) SAC ESTABLISHED NEW PROCEDURES FOR MAINTAINING EXPANDED ALERT POSTURE. PEASE INSTRUMENT LANDING SYSTEM (ILS) AND TERMINAL VISUAL OMNI RANGE (TVOR) FELL BELOW ACCEPTABLE LEVEL DURING MONTH OF OCT 61.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, SUCH AS: MESSAGES, LETTERS, MEETING MINUTES, REPORTS ON SPRUCE UP AND SKY SHIELD II OPERATIONS, AND EVALUATION INFORMATION ON STAFF VISITS, AS WELL AS PHOTOGRAPHS OF FACILITIES AND PERSONNEL.

**TitleAE:** PEASE TASK FORCE COMMANDER'S REPORT FOR SKY SHIELD II (STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND OPERATIONS ORDER 11-62), 19 OCT 61

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR  
**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466959  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3167-6  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19611101  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19611231  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11561  
**First Frame:** 1458  
**Last Frame:** 1686  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0785  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH SUPPORTED VARIOUS 8 AIR FORCE (8 AF) AND STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) DIRECTED MISSION OPERATIONS AND AIR TRAINING DURING NOV AND DEC 61, INCLUDING: BIG JUMP, ROCK BED, LONG LEGS II, SCOOT, AND BIG LOBSTER/BIG BLAST. (SAC DIRECTED 817 AD TO INCREASE REFLEX ALERT POSTURE BY TWENTY AIRCRAFT AS PART OF BIG JUMP OPERATION; TWO BOMBING UNITS ASSIGNED TO 817 AD PARTICIPATED IN 8 AF DIRECTED RADAR BOMB SCORING EXERCISE ROCK BED; FOUR KC-97 AIRCRAFT WERE PROVIDED FOR REFUELING SUPPORT OF LONG LEGS II TASK FORCE OPERATION; SCOOT PROJECT WAS TEST OF PSITIVE CONTROL DESIGNED TO EVALUATE AND DETERMINE WHERE AIRCRAFT WERE ON RADAR SCOPES; AND BIG LOBSTER WAS SAC/NORTH AMERICAN AIR DEFENSE COMMAND JOINT TRAINING EXERCISE; WHILE BIG BLAST WAS FLOWN BY UNITS OF 817 AD AS JOINT SAC/NORTH AMERICAN AIR DEFENSE COMMAND ELECTRONIC COUNTERMEASURES MISSION OPERATION.) TWO WINGS OF 817 AD WERE DIRECTED TO INCREASE HOME ALERT TANKER FORCE. 8 AF DISCLOSED POTENTIAL HAZARD TO FLYING SAFETY CAUSED BY INADEQUATE SPACING BETWEEN AIRCRAFT MAKING RADAR BOMB SCORING RUNS. BRIG GEN A. J. BECK (817 AD COMMANDER) DIRECTED EXECUTION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY WAR ORDER (EWO) PRACTICE EXERCISE (CAT CRY XI) ON 13 DEC 61. PEASE AFB WAS VISITED BY 8 AF ASSISTANCE TEAM. TWO PEASE AIRCRAFT WERE INVOLVED IN AIRCRAFT ACCIDENTS. (ONE B-47 AIRCRAFT CRASHED AT PLATTSBURGH AFB NY, AND ANOTHER B-47 AIRCRAFT CRASHED LANDED AT REFLEX BASE IN SPAIN.) PLANS WERE MADE TO RETURN LOCAL HELICOPTER BASE RESCUE DETACHMENT TO PEASE AFB. MANY REVISED COMMAND POLICY LETTERS WERE PUBLISHED DURING PERIOD FROM NOV THROUGH DEC 61.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, SUCH AS: MESSAGES AND STAFF VISIT REPORTS.

**TitleAE:** 8 AIR FORCE, STAFF ASSISTANT TEAM CRITIQUE, 22 NOV 61

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR  
**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466960  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3206-3  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620101  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620131

**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11561  
**First Frame:** 1687  
**Last Frame:** 1863  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0785  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH SUPPORTED VARIOUS HIGHER HEADQUARTERS DIRECTED MISSION OPERATIONS, INCLUDING: PARTICIPATION IN 8 AIR FORCE (8 AF) GOLDEN HOUR TANGO EVALUATION EXERCISE. BOMBING UNITS OF 817 AD PROVIDED SUPPORT FOR RADAR BOMB SCORING (RBS) EXERCISE BEST FOOT. LOCAL EMERGENCY WAR ORDER (EWO) PRACTICE EXERCISE (DESIGNATED CAT CRY XII) WAS CONDUCTED ON 18 JAN 62. 817 AD COMMANDER (BRIG GEN A. J. BECK) SUGGESTED CHANGES TO EWO EXECUTION AND POSITIVE CONTROL EXAMINATIONS. PEASE AFB REQUESTED THAT ADJUSTMENT FACTOR BE APPLIED TO INCENTIVE POINT ACCOMPLISHMENTS FOR OCT TO DEC 61 TRAINING QUARTER, SINCE BIG JUMP OPERATION REQUIREMENTS HAD ADVERSELY AFFECTED RESULTS. TERMINAL VISUAL OMNIRANGE (TVOR) AND INSTRUMENT LANDING SYSTEM (ILS) PROBLEMS CONTINUED TO RECEIVE COMMAND ATTENTION.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (SUCH AS: LETTERS AND MESSAGES), AS WELL AS MATERIAL COVERING PERIOD FROM OCT THROUGH DEC 61.

**TitleAE:** 817 COMBAT SUPPORT GROUP, DOMESTIC EMERGENCY PLAN 513-62, 1 JAN 62 STUDY OF THE 74.4 HOUR CREW DUTY WEEK GOLDEN HOUR TANGO CRITIQUE (EXTRACT), 9 JAN 62 ECONOMIC IMPACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 1961  
**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

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**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466962  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3402-11  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620401  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620430  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11562  
**First Frame:** 502  
**Last Frame:** 646  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0786  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH SUPPORTED VARIOUS HIGHER HEADQUARTERS DIRECTED MISSION OPERATIONS DURING APR 62, INCLUDING PARTICIPATION IN ROUGH GAME AND HIGH WIND. (ROUGH GAME WAS RADAR BOMB SCORING EXERCISE, WHILE HIGH WIND WAS RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT COMMAND PROJECT.) NEED FOR PERMANENT INSTALLATION OF

STOP WATCHES IN B-47 AIRCRAFT EXISTED IN ORDER TO INCREASE MISSION EFFECTIVENESS. 817 AD EXPRESSED INTEREST IN FLASHING RED LIGHT SYSTEM IN USE BY 16 AIR FORCE (16 AF) DURING EMERGENCY WAR ORDER (EWO) EXERCISES. 1 COMBAT EVALUATION GROUP (1 CEG) FROM BARKSDALE AFB LA EVALUATED 817 COMBAT SUPPORT GROUP (817 CSG), AND 8 AF COMMANDER (LT GEN HUNTER HARRIS) PRAISED 817 CSG FOR ITS EXCELLENT RESULTS DURING 1 CEG EVALUATION.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (SUCH AS: MESSAGES), AS WELL AS MATERIAL COVERING MAY 62.

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

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**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00466963

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3474-16

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620501

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620531

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11562

**First Frame:** 647

**Last Frame:** 969

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0786

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) PERSONNEL AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH SUPPORTED VARIOUS HIGHER HEADQUARTERS AND LOCALLY DIRECTED MISSION OPERATIONS DURING MAY 62, INCLUDING: BAR NONE EXERCISE. (BAR NONE EXERCISE WAS BEGUN AT DIRECTION OF 8 AIR FORCE AND STARTED ON 21 MAY, BUT WAS SCHEDULED TO CONTINUE UNTIL 22 JUN.) AIR REFUELING SQUADRONS OF 100 AND 509 BOMBARDMENT WINGS (ASSIGNED TO 817 AD) WERE EVALUATED BY 1 COMBAT EVALUATION GROUP FROM BARKSDALE AFB LA. ROUGH GAME (RADAR BOMB SCORING EXERCISE) WAS COMPLETED ON 13 MAY. 817 AD WAS CALLED UPON TO PARTICIPATE IN CAT CRY (LOCAL EXERCISE) AND LOCAL SECURITY EVALUATION (LSE) IN MAY 62. (41 MUNITIONS MAINTENANCE SQUADRON ALSO UNDERWENT EVALUATION.) 817 AD WAS CALLED UPON AGAIN TO PROVIDE SUPPORT TO AIR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT COMMAND (ARDC) FOR OPERATION HIGH WIND ON 15 MAY. ALERT FORCE REGULATION 55-3 (TEST EXERCISE TAXI PROCEDURE) WAS PUBLISHED BY 817 AD. INITIAL BRIEFING AND OPERATIONS ORDER WAS RELEASED BY 817 AD CONCERNING SPRUCE UP (EMERGENCY WAR ORDER) DISASTER CONTROL OPERATION) WHICH WAS SCHEDULED FOR 29 JUN 62. 817 COMBAT SUPPORT GROUP (817 CSG) LOST ONE C-47D AIRCRAFT WHICH WAS DELIVERED TO 2704 AIR FORCE AIRCRAFT STORAGE AND DISPOSITION GROUP AT DAVIS MONTHAN AFB AZ, BUT ONE KC-97 AIRCRAFT WAS ADDED TO INVENTORY OF PEASE AFB FROM RANDOLPH AFB TX. (LT COL JOHN S. ROBINSON REPLACED COL JAMES M. KECK AS 817 CSG COMMANDER DURING MAY 62.)

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, SUCH AS: PERSONNEL ROSTERS, OPERATIONAL READINESS REPORTS, MESSAGES, STAFF VISIT REPORTS, AND LETTERS, AS WELL AS PHOTOGRAPHS OF PERSONNEL AND FACILITIES, AND MATERIAL COVERING JUN 62. TITLES MODIFIED.

**TitleAE:** 817 AIR DIVISION, ALERT FORCE REGULATION 55-3, 23 MAY 62 817 AIR DIVISION, OPERATIONS ORDER 400-62, 2 MAY 62 1 COMBAT EVALUATION GROUP, OPERATIONS PLAN FOR 817 AIR DIVISION, 23 APR 62

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00466964

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3545-23

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620601

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620630

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11562

**First Frame:** 970

**Last Frame:** 1194

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0786

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH SUPPORTED HIGHER HEADQUARTERS DIRECTED MISSION OPERATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS DURING JUN 62. ALERT FORCE CHANGEOVER WAS CHANGED EFFECTIVE 2 JUN 62. PEASE AFB PERSONNEL PARTICIPATED IN ANNUAL BAR NONE EXERCISE (INVOLVING 1 COMBAT EVALUATION GROUP) AND RADAR BOMB SCORING EXERCISE GREY GHOST. SPRUCE UP (ANNUAL PRACTICE WARTIME MISSION EXERCISE) WAS CONDUCTED ON 29 JUN 62. PHASE/OUT OF B-47 AND KC-97 AIRCRAFT AT PEASE WAS PROGRAMMED. GEN THOMAS S. POWER POINTED OUT EMERGENCY WAR ORDER (EWO) WEAKNESS WITHIN STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC). UNITED STATES AIR FORCE (USAF) AND SAC INSPECTOR GENERALS INDICATED DECLINE IN QUALITY OF SAC COMBAT MISSION FOLDER PROGRAM WITHIN NUMBERED AIR FORCES. SAC INITIATED NEW POLICY GOVERNING ALERT CREW DUTY FOR REFLEX OPERATIONS. 8 AIR FORCE COMMANDER CONDUCTED ANNUAL FACILITIES INSPECTION OF PEASE AFB.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, SUCH AS: MESSAGES, LETTERS, PERSONNEL STATISTICS, AND OPERATION ORDER ANNEXES.

**TitleAE:** ANNUAL FACILITIES INSPECTION REPORT, JUN 62 UNIT COMMANDER'S CRITIQUE TO COMBAT EVALUATION GROUP EVALUATION

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

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**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466965  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3662-14  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620701  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620731  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11562  
**First Frame:** 1195  
**Last Frame:** 1342  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0786  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH SUPPORTED HIGHER HEADQUARTERS DIRECTED MISSION OPERATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS DURING JUL 62 (INCLUDING: FAR NORTH EXERCISE), BUT STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) DIRECTED MISSION OPERATION TRIPLE PLAY WAS CANCELLED. (FAR NORTH WAS RADAR BOMB SCORING FLIGHT EXERCISE.) CRITICAL SHORTAGE OF WATCHES EXISTED AT PEASE. 8 AIR FORCE INFORMED SAC OF SEVERAL COMPLICATIONS THAT HAD PRECLUDED BOMBING AND ELECTRONIC COUNTERMEASURES (ECM) ACTIVITY IN RECENT MONTHS. UNITED STATES AIR FORCE (USAF) DIRECTED STUDY AS TO WHAT ACTIONS COULD BE TAKEN TO REDUCE COST OF SUPPORTING GROUND FORCES. STAFF VISIT WAS CONDUCTED AT 100 BOMBARDMENT WING OPERATIONS TRAINING SECTION. COL GEORGE T. BLAND REPLACED LT COL JOHN S. ROBINSON AS COMMANDER OF 817 COMBAT SUPPORT GROUP EFFECTIVE 2 JUL 62.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.

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**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466966  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3691-23  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620801  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620831  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11562  
**First Frame:** 1343  
**Last Frame:** 1537  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0786  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH SUPPORTED VARIOUS HIGHER HEADQUARTERS AND LOCALLY DIRECTED MISSION OPERATIONS DURING AUG 62, INCLUDING: FAR NORTH, HIGH WIND, AND CAT CRY. (509 BOMBARDMENT WING FINISHED FIRST AMONG 817 AD UNITS WHICH COMPLETED RADAR BOMB

SCORING EXERCISE FAR NORTH, AND HIGH WIND OPERATIONS WERE AIRBORNE TESTS INVOLVING ELECTRONIC AIRCRAFT DETECTION EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS, WHILE CAT CRY XIV EXERCISE OF 16 AUG 62 WAS LOCAL EXERCISE DESIGNED TO EVALUATE EMERGENCY WAR ORDER CAPABILITY OF 817 AD.) CONCERN WAS SHOWN BY BRIG GEN A. J. BECK (817 AD COMMANDER) ON LOW MAINTENANCE COST SYSTEM (MCS) RATING RECEIVED BY 100 BOMBARDMENT WING FOR JUL 62. 509 BOMBARDMENT WING LOST ONE OF ITS B-47 AIRCRAFT IN CRASH ON 3 AUG 62. BOTH BOMB WINGS OF 817 AD WERE NOMINATED FOR AIR FORCE OUTSTANDING UNIT AWARD.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, AS WELL AS MATERIAL COVERING JUL 62.

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

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**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI V.1

**IRIS Number:** 00466967

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3825-13

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620901

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19621031

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11562

**First Frame:** 1538

**Last Frame:** 1877

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0786

**Text:** VOL 1 OF 2

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH WAS CALLED UPON EXTENSIVELY DURING MONTHS OF SEP AND OCT 62 TO PARTICIPATE IN LOCAL AND HIGHER HEADQUARTERS DIRECTED MISSION OPERATIONS IN SUPPORT OF EMERGENCY WAR ORDER (EWO) COMMITMENTS. JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF INITIATED TWO EXERCISES: HIGH HEELS (WORLD/WIDE COMMAND POST EXERCISE) AND SKY SHIELD III (ANNUAL AIR DEFENSE COMMAND TEST). 817 AD PERSONNEL ALSO TOOK PART IN 8 AIR FORCE (8 AF) GOLDEN HOUR TANGO (GHT) EVALUATION AND TWO SECURITY READINESS EVALUATIONS (SRE). BRIG GEN A. J. BECK DIRECTED 817 AD ORGANIZATIONS TO TEST THEIR EWO CAPABILITIES IN CAT CRY XV (LOCAL) EXERCISE. 817 AD WINGS TOOK PART IN RADAR BOMB SCORING (RBS) EXERCISE DRAG STRIP. (100 AND 509 BOMBARDMENT WINGS ALSO PARTICIPATED IN TOLL ROAD SEMI/MOBILE EXERCISE.) PEASE AFB PUT ITS NEW KC-97 AIRCRAFT FLIGHT SIMULATOR IN OPERATION, AND BASE WAS DESIGNATED BY 8 AF TO START TRAINING COURSE FOR C-97 AIRCRAFT QUALIFICATION PURPOSES. 817 COMBAT SUPPORT GROUP (817 CSG) WINTERIZATION OPERATIONS GUIDE WAS PUBLISHED (AS SUPPLEMENT TO 817 AD OPERATIONS PLAN 502-63) TO INSURE THAT PROPER GUIDE WAS IN OPERATION DURING ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS AT PEASE AFB.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.

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**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI V.2  
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**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620901  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19621031  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11562  
**First Frame:** 1878  
**Last Frame:** 1952  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0786  
**Titlext:** VOL 2 OF 2  
**AccNotes:** REF 00466967  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

CONTAINS OUTLINE (DESCRIPTION) OF ACTIONS TAKEN BY ORGANIZATIONS AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH (INCLUDING 817 AIR DIVISION AND 817 COMBAT SUPPORT GROUP) IN SUPPORT OF UNITED STATES MILITARY FORCES DURING INITIAL DAYS OF CUBAN MISSILE CRISIS (FROM 22 THROUGH 31 OCT 62).

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF OPERATIONS, MATERIEL FUNCTIONS, SECURITY, SERVICES, PERSONNEL ACTIVITIES, COMMUNICATIONS, SAFETY, INFORMATION ACTIVITIES, COMMAND RESPONSIBILITIES, AND COMPTROLLER ACTIVITIES, AS WELL AS MEDICAL AND RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES.

**TitleAE:** SPECIAL HISTORICAL ANNEX ON CUBAN CRISIS, 22 TO 31 OCT 62

**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

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**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466969  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3873-6  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19621101  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19621130  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11563  
**First Frame:** 4  
**Last Frame:** 143  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0787  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH WAS OPERATING

UNDER DEFENSE CONDITION TWO (DEFCON 2) THROUGHOUT MOST OF NOV 62 AS RESULT OF CUBAN MISSILE CRISIS; AND 817 AD WAS IN DISPERSED STATUS, SINCE PART OF 509 BOMBARDMENT WING WAS STATIONED AT LOGAN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT IN BOSTON MA. (DEFCON ALERT POSTURE WAS MINIMIZED TO NORMALCY ON 27 NOV, AND AIRCRAFT RETURNED TO PEASE AFB, FOLLOWING END OF CUBAN CRISIS ON 27 NOV.) 817 AD REFLEX AIRCRAFT WERE STATIONED AT GOOSE BAY, LABRADOR (CANADA) AND AT TWO BASES IN SPAIN. BRIG GEN A. J. BECK (817 AD COMMANDER) STRESSED NECESSITY OF BOMBING RELIABILITY AS ULTIMATE IN PREPARING TO CARRY OUT EMERGENCY WAR ORDERS (EWO). THREE B-47 AIRCRAFT FROM SCHILLING AFB KS WERE LOANED TO 100 BOMBARDMENT WING OF 817 AD AT PEASE AFB. BOTH WINGS OF 817 AD QUALIFIED FOR GOLDEN BOMBER AWARD. GEN BECK EXPRESSED HIS CONCERN AT LARGE NUMBER OF MAINTENANCE MEN WHO WERE BEING PREVENTED FROM DOING THEIR WORK BECAUSE OF RIGID APPLICATION OF SECURITY RESTRICTIONS. 817 AD WORKED OUT ITS SNOW REMOVAL PLAN FOR LOGAN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT IN CONJUNCTION WITH LOCAL OFFICIALS AT LOGAN AIRPORT.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, SUCH AS: CORRESPONDENCE.

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00466970

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3922-28

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19621201

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19621231

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11563

**First Frame:** 144

**Last Frame:** 298

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0787

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

MOST SIGNIFICANT EVENT OF MONTH OF DEC 62 FOR 817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) WAS SEVERE FREEZE THAT HIT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH DURING LAST TWO DAYS OF DEC 62. (IT WAS NECESSARY FOR PEASE AFB TO PROVIDE EMERGENCY SUPPORT TO DOW AFB ME TO HELP THEM DIG OUT OF TWENTY FOOT SNOWDRIFTS.) BOTH WINGS OF 817 AD PARTICIPATED IN EXTRA EFFORT AND TOLL ROAD (RADAR BOMB SCORING OPERATIONS). NEW SYSTEM OF RATING CREW TRAINING WAS ESTABLISHED TO GO INTO EFFECT IN JAN 63. BRIG GEN A. J. BECK (817 AD COMMANDER) ADVISED HIS WINGS TO PREPARE FOR OVERDUE OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION TEST (ORIT). NEW SYSTEM OF TAPING CREW INTERROGATIONS WAS INSTALLED. GEN BECK INSTRUCTED 817 AD WINGS TO REDUCE ADMINISTRATIVE TIME LOST IN INITIATING AND PROCESSING APPLICATIONS FOR FLIGHT LINE BADGES.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO

INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, AS WELL AS MATERIAL COVERING OCT/NOV 62 AND JAN 63.

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00466975

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-4415-8

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630601

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630630

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11563

**First Frame:** 1464

**Last Frame:** 1641

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0787

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH WAS EIGHT OFFICERS AND SEVEN AIRMEN SHORT OF ITS AUTHORIZED STRENGTH. (817 AD SUBORDINATE UNITS COMPLAINED ABOUT THEIR PERSONNEL STRUCTURES.) 8 AIR FORCE (8 AF) PERSONNEL INSPECTION TEAM VISITED PEASE AFB FOR FOUR DAYS DURING JUN 63. PEASE AFB WAS CALLED UPON TO ANSWER TO HIGHER AUTHORITY REGARDING COMPLAINTS OF 817 AD AIRMEN. BRITAIN/BOUND KC-97 AIRCRAFT LANDED IN SPAIN AS RESULT OF FAULTY NAVIGATION. SEARCH RADAR WAS AGAIN OPERATIVE AFTER HAVING BEEN FLIGHT CHECKED. 817 AD SECURED ONE OF THREE REQUESTED RESCORINGS OF BOMB RUNS. F-100 AIRCRAFT FROM MYRTLE BEACH AFB SC WERE DEPLOYED AT PEASE AFB WHILE RUNWAYS WERE BEING REPAIRED AT MYRTLE BEACH AFB. PEASE AFB COMPLAINED ABOUT EVER INCREASING AIRLIFT OF NON/APPROPRIATED FUND SUPPLIES TO GOOSE AIR BASE (AB), LABRADOR (CANADA). 100 GALLON FUEL SPILL WAS CAUSED BECAUSE REFUEL VALVES HAD BEEN LEFT OPEN. 817 AD COMMANDER (BRIG GEN A. J. BECK) INDICATED HIS PREFERENCE FOR TWO MEN (INSTEAD OF THREE) FOR EACH ALERT FACILITY DORMITORY ROOM.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, SUCH AS: LETTERS, MESSAGES, AND MISCELLANEOUS MONTHLY REPORTS (INCLUDING AUDIT REPORTS AND FUEL REPORTS).

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**Main:** GROUP/0509/COMBAT SUPPORT

**Call Number:** K-GP-SUP-509-SU-RE

**IRIS Number:** 01100308

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19560000

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19910000

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 43636  
**First Frame:** 184  
**Last Frame:** 243  
**Index ID:** 43  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19930729

**Abstract:**

CITIZENS OF NEWINGTON NH OBJECTED TO CONSTRUCTION OF AIR FORCE BASE AT PORTSMOUTH NH AIRPORT. ON 11 AUG 52, CORPS OF ENGINEERS GRANTED ENTRY RIGHT TO CONSTRUCTION OF PORTSMOUTH AIR FORCE BASE (AFB). DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (DOD) DECIDED TO CANCEL BASE IN MAY 53. CONSTRUCTION RESUMED IN FALL OF 54. 100 BOMBARDMENT WING (BMW) AND 100 AIR BASE GROUP (ABG) ACTIVATED AND ASSIGNED TO PORTSMOUTH. 4018 AIR BASE SQUADRON, INTERIM ORGANIZATION AT PORTSMOUTH, INACTIVATED. IN 1956, KC-97 AND B-47 AIRCRAFT ASSIGNED TO BASE. BASE RENAMED FOR CAPT HARL PEASE IN 1957. 509 BMW REASSIGNED FROM WALKER AFB NM TO PORTSMOUTH JUL 58 WHERE IT REMAINED UNTIL 30 SEP 90 WHEN IT MOVED TO WHITEMAN AFB MO. DISPOSAL MANAGEMENT TEAM (DMT) REMAINED ONLY MILITARY ORGANIZATION LEFT AT PEASE AS OF 1 APR 91.

**TitleAE:** HISTORY OF PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** CENTRAL CONTRACT MANAGEMENT REGION

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K243.0709-2

**IRIS Number:** 00486429

**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-3796-1

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620101

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19620630

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 15530

**First Frame:** 704

**Last Frame:** 716

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** K2978

**Index ID:** 51

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19940517

**Abstract:**

CHIEF CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION DIVISION TRANSFERRED TO A CONTRACT MANAGEMENT OFFICE. CHIEF PLANS AND MANAGEMENT DIVISION RESIGNED RESULTING IN SUSPENSION OF WORKS MEASUREMENT PROGRAM. ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE OF DOUGLAS AIR FORCE PLANT REPRESENTATIVE OFFICE REMAINED STABLE. CENTRALIZED CONTROL OF MANPOWER ESTABLISHED TO PROVIDE GREATER STABILITY IN MANPOWER AUTHORIZATIONS AND CAPABILITY TO RESPOND MORE EFFECTIVELY. INSTALLATION OF AIR FORCE DATA COMMUNICATIONS (AFDATACOM) SYSTEM PROGRESSED IRREGULARLY. LOGISTICAL SUPPORT AGREEMENT ENTERED INTO FOR PURPOSE OF DEFINING ADMINISTRATIVE AND LOGISTICAL RESPONSIBILITIES OF AIR FORCE SYSTEMS COMMAND AND AIR FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND. FACILITY PARTICIPATED IN EXERCISE SHORT TERM. QUALITY CONTROL PERSONNEL VISITED PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB), NH, HUNTER AFB, GA, DAVIS/MONTHAN AFB, AZ, AND PLATTSBURG AFB, NY, TO DISCUSS WORK BEING DONE ON B-47 AIRCRAFT BELONGING TO THOSE BASES.

**Dnotes:**

CONTAINS NARRATIVE.

**TitleAE:** AIR FORCE PLANT REPRESENTATIVE OFFICE, WRIGHT/PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00459343

**Old Accession Nbr:** 6-1256-7

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19640301

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19640331

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10547

**First Frame:** 2048

**Last Frame:** 2204

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0842

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900712

**Abstract:**

509 BOMBARDMENT WING AND 100 BOMBARDMENT WING COMMAND POSTS PARTICIPATED IN TESTS DETERMINING FEASIBILITY OF SINGLE COMMAND POST MAKING ALL EMERGENCY WAR ORDER (EWO)/EXERCISE INSTRUCTIONS. WING BEGAN NEW REFLEX POSTURE WHICH INCREASED NUMBER OF AIRCRAFT DEPLOYED TO ENGLAND AND STARTED DEPLOYMENT TO SONDRESTROM AIR BASE, GREENLAND FOR KC-97 AIRCRAFT. (EFFECTIVE DATE OF NEW REFLEX POSTURE WAS 1 APR 64, BUT PREPARATIONS FOR AIRCRAFT TO BE IN PLACE AND READY TO ASSUME ALERT WERE MADE IN CLOSING DAYS OF MAR 64.) WING RECEIVED APPROVAL TO PREPOSITION ELECTRONIC COUNTERMEASURE (ECM) PODS AND ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT AT REFLEX BASES IN ORDER TO CONFIGURE AIRCRAFT UPON ARRIVAL AT OVERSEAS BASES. (ALSO MENTIONS OPERATIONAL PROBLEMS INVOLVING APN-22 RADAR ALTIMETER EQUIPMENT.) TRANSFER OF AIRCRAFT BETWEEN PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH AND DAVIS MONTHAN AFB AZ BEGAN DURING MAR 64.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS. ALSO INCLUDES MATERIAL COVERING APR 64.

**TitleAE:** DIRECT SUPPORT MANNING: 817 AIR DIVISION, 11 MAR 64 EVALUATION AND ASSISTANCE VISIT, 23 MAR TO 10 APR 64

**Admin Markings:** Privileged Document

**Sec Info:** Declassified IAW EO12958 \*\* 31 MAR 1997

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI V.1

**IRIS Number:** 00459346

**Old Accession Nbr:** 6-1827-13

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19640701

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19640930

**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 10548  
**First Frame:** 468  
**Last Frame:** 709  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0843  
**Titlex:** VOL I OF II  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900712

**Abstract:**

WING UNDERWENT NO/NOTICE OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION TEST (ORIT) CONDUCTED AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH BY STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) INSPECTOR GENERAL BETWEEN 28 SEP AND 3 OCT 64. WING AIRCREWS WERE ALSO SUBJECTED TO NO/NOTICE COMBAT EVALUATION TEST CONDUCTED BY 1 COMBAT EVALUATION GROUP (FROM BARKSDALE AFB LA).

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 1 THROUGH 34. ALSO INCLUDES MATERIAL COVERING OCT 64.

**TitleAE:** OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION TEST REPORT BY STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND INSPECTOR GENERAL, 28 SEP TO 3 OCT 44

**Admin Markings:** Privileged Document

**Sec Info:** Declassified IAW EO12958 \*\* 31 MAR 1997

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI V.1

**IRIS Number:** 00459348

**Old Accession Nbr:** 6-2117-10

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19641001

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19641231

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 10548

**First Frame:** 1063

**Last Frame:** 1236

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0843

**Titlex:** VOL I OF II

**Index ID:** 37

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900712

**Abstract:**

WING COMPLETED NO/NOTICE OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION TEST (ORIT) CONDUCTED AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH BY STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) INSPECTOR GENERAL BETWEEN 28 SEP AND 3 OCT 64. WING AIRCREWS WERE ALSO SUBJECTED TO ANNOUNCED COMBAT EVALUATION VISIT CONDUCTED BY 1 COMBAT EVALUATION GROUP (FROM BARKSDALE AFB LA) FROM 29 NOV TO 11 DEC 64. (PURPOSE OF SCHEDULED VISIT WAS TO DETERMINE IF WING AIRCRAFT AND PERSONNEL WERE CAPABLE OF PERFORMING COMBAT READY REQUIREMENTS.)

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 1 THROUGH 30. TITLES MODIFIED. ALSO INCLUDES MATERIAL COVERING SEP 64.

**TitleAE:** RADAR BOMB SCORING EXERCISE (RUSTY SPUR) IMPACT ANALYSIS 509 BOMBARDMENT WING, SIMULATED OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION TEST EVALUATION OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION TEST OF 509 AIR RESERVE SQUADRON CONDUCTED BY HEADQUARTERS 8 AIR FORCE, 4 TO 6 NOV 64

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**Sec Info:** Declassified IAW EO12958 \*\* 31 MAR 1997

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**Main:** WING/0509/BOMBARDMENT (MEDIUM)  
**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-WG-509-HI V.1  
**IRIS Number:** 00459356  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 6-3048-4  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19651001  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19651231  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 10549  
**First Frame:** 1477  
**Last Frame:** 1705  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** N0844  
**Titelxt:** VOL I OF II  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19900712

**Abstract:**

WING WAS PHASED DOWN DURING PERIOD FROM OCT TO DEC 65 FOR PROPOSED INACTIVATION (WHICH WAS SCHEDULED TO TAKE PLACE IN 1966). HIGHER HEADQUARTERS RELIEVED WING OF COMBAT EVALUATION VULNERABILITY AS OF 2 OCT 65. 817 AIR DIVISION CONDUCTED STAFF VISIT (ON 8 NOV 65) TO WING AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH IN ORDER TO OBSERVE WING PHASE DOWN ACTIVITIES. COL JAMES O. FRANKOSKY (WING COMMANDER) WAS APPOINTED (23 NOV 65) AS SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO BRIG GEN ROBERT W. STRONG, JR. (817 AIR DIVISION COMMANDER) TO OVERSEE PHASE DOWN OF 509 BOMBARDMENT WING, REORGANIZATION OF 100 BOMBARDMENT WING, AND CONVERSION OF PEASE AFB TO SINGLE/WING BASE. LAST B-47 (BOEING STRATOJET BOMBER) AIRCRAFT (ASSIGNED TO WING) DEPARTED (23 NOV) PEASE AFB FOR STORAGE CENTER AT DAVIS MONTHAN AFB AZ. LAST COMBAT READY CREW OF WING WAS DISBANDED ON 13 DEC 65. ALL PHASE DOWN ACTIVITIES OF WING WERE COMPLETED AS OF 31 DEC 65.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 1 THROUGH 40. TITLE MODIFIED.

**TitleAE:** 509 BOMBARDMENT WING, COMMEMORATIVE MONUMENT DEDICATION CEREMONY BROCHURE, 17 DEC 65

**Admin Markings:** Privileged Document  
**Sec Info:** Declassified IAW EO12958 \*\* 31 MAR 1997

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**Main:** DIVISION/0817/AIR  
**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-DIV-817-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00466957  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-2938-10

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610801  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19610930  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11561  
**First Frame:** 788  
**Last Frame:** 1206  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0785  
**Index ID:** 37  
**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19911019

**Abstract:**

817 AIR DIVISION (817 AD) AT PEASE AIR FORCE BASE (AFB) NH CONTINUED TO SUPPORT 8 AIR FORCE (8 AF) AND STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND (SAC) DIRECTED MISSION EXERCISES AND OPERATIONS, INCLUDING: CHECK MATE AND LARGE ORDER. (817 AD COMMITTED FOUR B-47 AIRCRAFT IN SUPPORT OF EXERCISE CHECK MATE, WHILE LARGE ORDER OPERATION SHOWED THAT UNITS OF PEASE TASK FORCE COULD MAINTAIN CONTROL OF ALL FORCES ASSIGNED.) PEASE AFB BOMBING UNITS ENCOUNTERED PROBLEMS WITH RADAR BOMB SCORING (RBS) SITES AND JAMMER FACILITIES. 817 AD COMMANDER (BRIG GEN A. J. BECK) CONDUCTED CAT CRY X EXERCISE ON 22 AUG 61. NEW SAC ALERT STUDY REQUIREMENTS WERE LISTED. PEASE REQUESTED THAT FACILITIES BE PROVIDED AND GROUND RULES CHANGED SO THAT TRAINING ACCOMPLISHED ON REFLEX MISSIONS COULD BE COMPATIBLE WITH THAT ACCOMPLISHED ON LOCAL TRAINING MISSIONS. HURRICANE ESTHER MISSED PASSING OVER PEASE AFB. PEASE STRESSED NEED FOR HELICOPTER CRASH/RESCUE SERVICE TO REMAIN AT THIS STATION. PEASE AFB PERSONNEL MADE READY FOR OPERATION SPRUCE UP BEING CONDUCTED DURING OCT 61.

**Dnotes:**

INCLUDES REVIEW OF SUBORDINATE UNIT AND STAFF AGENCY ACTIVITIES. ALSO INCLUDES SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (SUCH AS: MESSAGES, ALERT FORCE REGULATIONS, AND MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS), AS WELL AS PHOTOGRAPHS (OF PERSONNEL, FACILITIES, AND MISSILE EQUIPMENT), AND MATERIAL COVERING OCT 61.

**TitleAE:** DEFENSE ORIENTATION CONFERENCE ASSOCIATION BROCHURE (817 AIR DIVISION OPERATIONS PLAN 509-61A), 4 AUG 61 817 AIR DIVISION, OPERATIONS ORDER 296-62, 7 SEP 61  
**Author:** GROUP/0817/COMBAT SUPPORT

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed  
**Sec Info:** Declassified IAW EO12958 \*\* 14 APR 1997

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**Main:** WING/0499/AIR REFUELING  
**Record Type:** History  
**Call Number:** K-WG-REF-499-HI  
**IRIS Number:** 00463282  
**Old Accession Nbr:** 5-4132-22  
**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630301  
**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19630331  
**Classification:** Unclassified  
**Roll (Reel):** 11062  
**First Frame:** 642  
**Last Frame:** 900  
**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0320

**Index ID:** 35**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19910330**Abstract:**

AIRCRAFT PROPELLER MECHANIC MANNING IN 11 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON WAS DESCRIBED AS LESS THAN REQUIRED FOR COMMITMENTS IN OPERATION SHORT PUNT. SHORTAGE WAS FILLED BY 817 AIR DIVISION, PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH. 11 SQUADRON ALSO HAD OFFICER SHORTAGE IN UNIT CONTROL ROOM. DESCRIBES PROBLEMS IN PREPARATIONS FOR INACTIVATION OF 303 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON. RECEIVED STAFF ASSISTANCE VISIT FROM 57 AIR DIVISION DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS. 305 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON BEGAN TO REDEPLOY FROM OPERATION SHORT PUNT (AIR REFUELING SUPPORT OF B-47 AIRCRAFT IN 16 AIR FORCE AREA). 305 SQUADRON HAD MAINTAINED ALERT AT TORREJON, ZARAGOZA AND MORON IN SPAIN AND NOUASSEUR, BEN GUERIR AND SIDI SLIMANE IN MOROCCO. 11 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON WAS REPLACING 305 SQUADRON ON SHORT PUNT. 11 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON VISITED BY 1 COMBAT EVALUATION GROUP. 303 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON AND 499 AIR REFUELING WING RECEIVED 57 AIR DIVISION MAINTENANCE STAFF ASSISTANCE VISITS. INCLUDES DISCUSSION OF FUELING/REFUELING ARRANGEMENTS AT WESTOVER AIR FORCE BASE MA. INCLUDES ROSTER OF KEY PERSONNEL AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS NUMBERED 1 THROUGH 24 WITH CORRESPONDENCE, MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT, REPORTS, MONTHLY AIRCRAFT UTILIZATION MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE, MONTHLY MAINTENANCE SUMMARY, ROSTER OF OFFICERS AND SQUADRON TRAINING PLANS.

**Admin Markings:** No Administrative Markings Listed**Main:** WING/0499/AIR REFUELING**Record Type:** History**Call Number:** K-WG-REF-499-HI V.1**IRIS Number:** 00463294**Old Accession Nbr:** 6-1388-13**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19640401**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19640630**Classification:** Unclassified**Roll (Reel):** 11064**First Frame:** 1197**Last Frame:** 1454**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0321**Titlext:** VOL I OF II**Index ID:** 35**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19910330**Abstract:**

INCLUDES CHRONOLOGY. 99 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON SUPPORTED DELAWAR OVERSEAS DEPLOYMENT/REDEPLOYMENT OF TACTICAL AIR COMMAND FIGHTER AIRCRAFT, SUPPORTED BOMBER AIRCRAFT ROTATIONS TO SPAIN AND THE FAR EAST AND PARTICIPATED IN STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND/AIR DEFENSE COMMAND EXERCISE TOP RUNG IV. WING PARTICIPATED IN LARGEST PEACETIME MANEUVER SINCE WORLD WAR II, OPERATION DESERT STRIKE. COMMANDER OF 8 AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED A REALIGNMENT OF 57 AIR DIVISION THAT WOULD MEAN REASSIGNMENT OF 499 AIR REFUELING WING SATELLITE SQUADRONS (305 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON, MCGUIRE AIR FORCE BASE NJ, 11 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON, DOVER AIR FORCE BASE DE, AND 19 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON, OTIS AIR FORCE BASE MA, TO 801 AIR DIVISION, LOCKBOURNE AIR FORCE BASE OH, 820 AEROSPACE DIVISION, PLATTSBURGH AIR FORCE BASE NY, AND 817 AIR DIVISION, PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH, RESPECTIVELY). THE REALIGNMENT WAS TO TAKE

PLACE 1 JUL 64. PARTICIPATED IN ANNUAL DISASTER CONTROL EXERCISE GREAT EFFORT AT WESTOVER AIR FORCE BASE MA. WING COMMANDER, COL WILLIAM R. BROWN, SERVED AS TANKER TASK FORCE COMMANDER FOR OPERATIONS DESERT STRIKE AND DELAWAR. 99 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON MAINTAINED AIRCRAFT CONFIGURED AS STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND AIRBORNE COMMAND POST (PAACS). WING SUPPORTED MOVEMENT OF FIGHTER AIRCRAFT FROM MARCH AIR FORCE BASE CA TO FAR EAST IN MIKE 10. WING ALSO SUPPORTED DEPLOYMENTS NORTHERN EXPRESS AND FOX ABLE 161 OF F-100 AND RF-101 AIRCRAFT TO ORLAND, NORWAY. INCLUDES GLOSSARY, PHOTOGRAPH AND BIOGRAPHY OF WING COMMANDER, ROSTER OF KEY PERSONNEL, AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS NUMBERED 1 THROUGH 41.

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**Main:** WING/0499/AIR REFUELING

**Record Type:** History

**Call Number:** K-WG-REF-499-HI

**IRIS Number:** 00463301

**Old Accession Nbr:** 6-2918-2

**Beg Date (yyyymmdd):** 19651001

**End Date (yyyymmdd):** 19651231

**Classification:** Unclassified

**Roll (Reel):** 11065

**First Frame:** 1406

**Last Frame:** 1871

**IRIS Ref (old roll):** P0322

**Index ID:** 35

**Addate (yyyymmdd):** 19910330

**Abstract:**

COL EDWARD D. WOOTON ASSUMED COMMAND VICE COL THERWIN S. WALTERS. KC- 97 AIRCRAFT OF 384 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON WERE PHASED OUT. OPERATIONS: SKOSHI TIGER DEPLOYMENT OF F-5A AIRCRAFT FROM WILLIAMS AIR FORCE BASE AZ TO BIEN HOA AIR BASE, VIETNAM; 100 BOMBARDMENT WING, PEASE AIR FORCE BASE NH, EXERCISE JET STREAM FOXTROT; 43 BOMBARDMENT WING (B-58 AIRCRAFT), LITTLE ROCK AIR FORCE BASE AR, EXERCISE PLANNED PARTY FOXTROT; AND TWO BUCK 22B DEPLOYMENT OF F-4C AIRCRAFT FROM MACDILL AIR FORCE BASE FL TO CAM RANH BAY, VIETNAM. NARRATIVE STATES THAT ON 11 AUG 65 WING WAS INFORMED THAT 384 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON (KC-97 AIRCRAFT) AND 499 AIR REFUELING WING WOULD BE INACTIVATED IN JUN 66 (PROJECT FAST FLY ACCELERATED UNIT PHASE DOWN). 99 AIR REFUELING SQUADRON WAS TO BE REASSIGNED TO 99 BOMBARDMENT WING, WESTOVER AIR FORCE BASE MA, ON INACTIVATION OF 499 WING. DESCRIBES RESPONSE TO ELECTRICAL POWER BLACKOUT IN NORTHEASTERN UNITED STATES. INCLUDES ROSTER OF KEY PERSONNEL AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS NUMBERED 1 THROUGH 42.

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