

# Lead Crew Commendation

**O**n this 24th day of February  
Nineteen hundred and forty five, the  
members of the following crew of the  
458th Bombardment Group, leading  
the 2nd Air Division are awarded this  
token for their meritorious achievement  
in the destruction of the target at  
Bielefeld, Germany

PILOT - CAPT. C. L. LOCKRIDGE

BOMBARDIER - MAJ. F. J. VACEK

ENGINEER - T/SGT. W. F. COOK

GUNNER - S/SGT. C. R. FLORES

GUNNER - S/SGT. A. J. LOMBARDOZZI

PILOT. NAV. - I/ST. LT. R. E. PREIST

COMMAND PILOT - LT. COL. J. A. HOGG

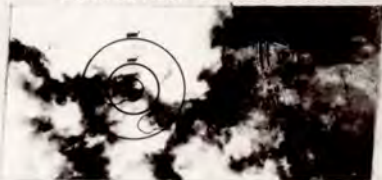
NAVIGATOR - I/ST. LT. L. R. FICK

RADIO OP. - T/SGT. T. A. ZUBICK

GUNNER - S/SGT. R. A. STAMM

GUNNER - S/SGT. L. C. OTTNEY

MICKEY NAV. - I/ST. LT. A. GIRALDO



*Walter A. Peck*

COMMANDING GENERAL - 2ND AIR DIVISION

*Allen F. Herberg*

COMMANDING OFFICER - 458th BOMBARDMENT GROUP