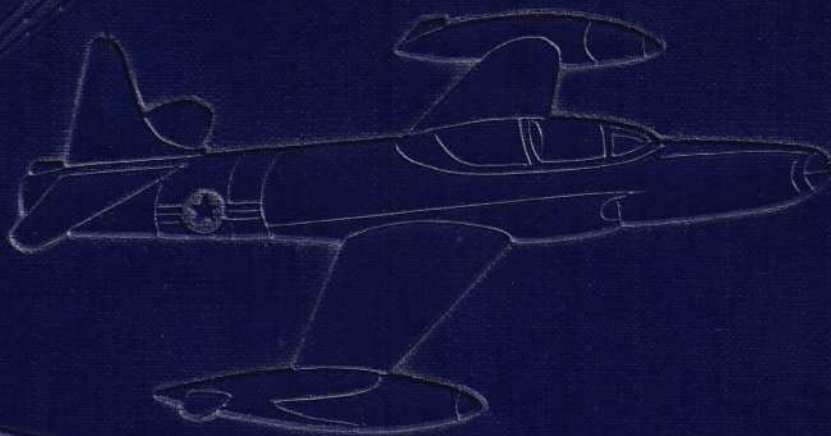
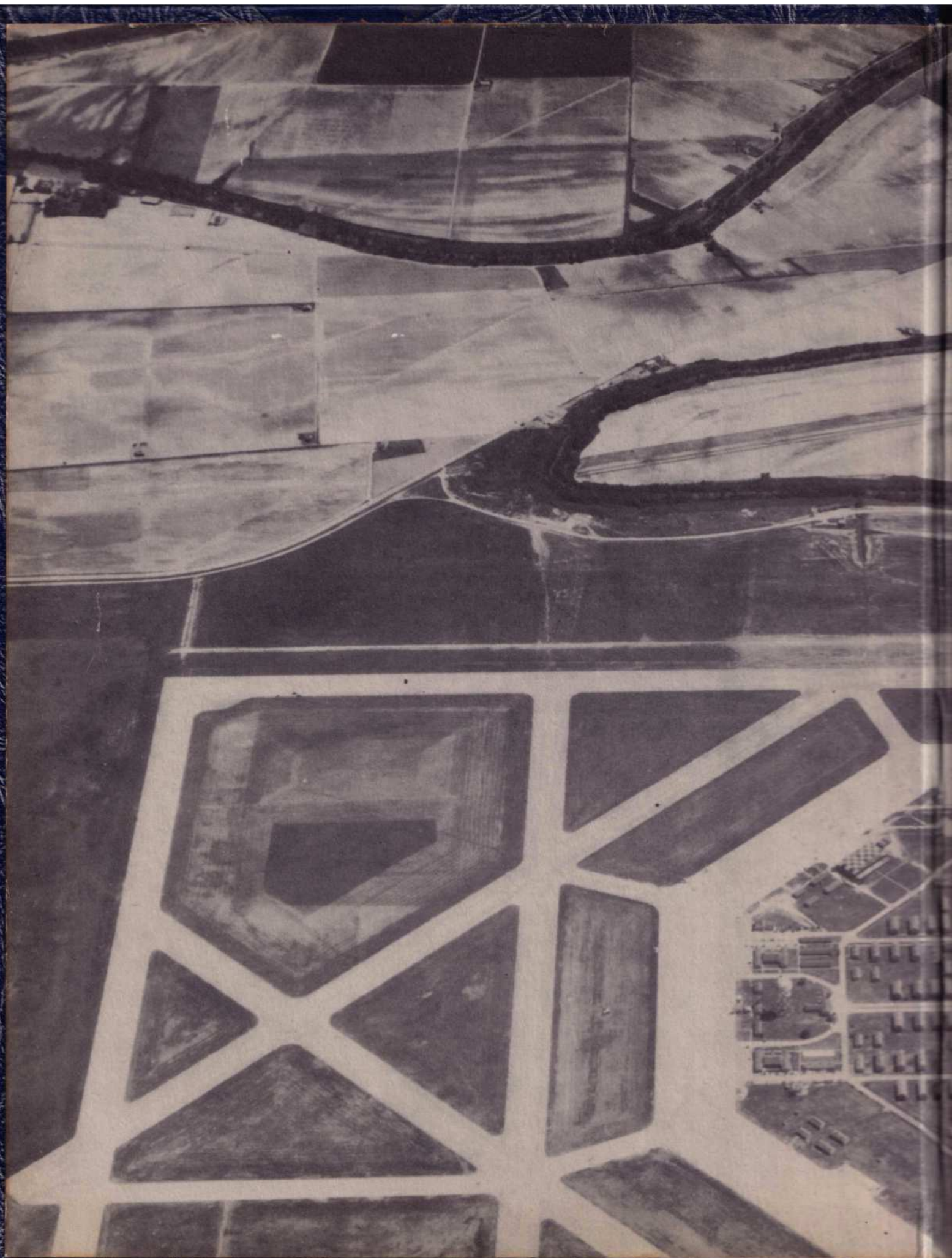


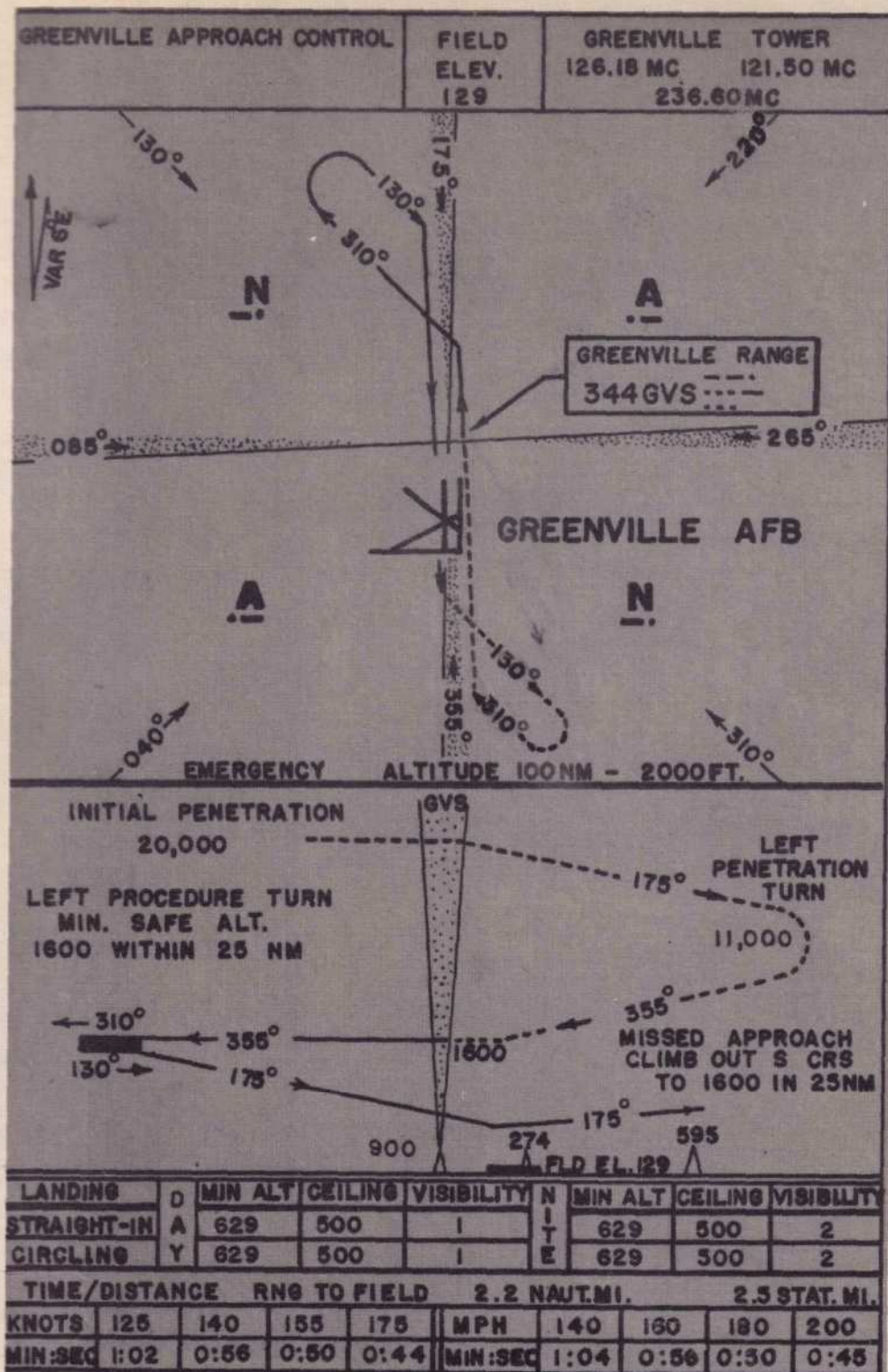


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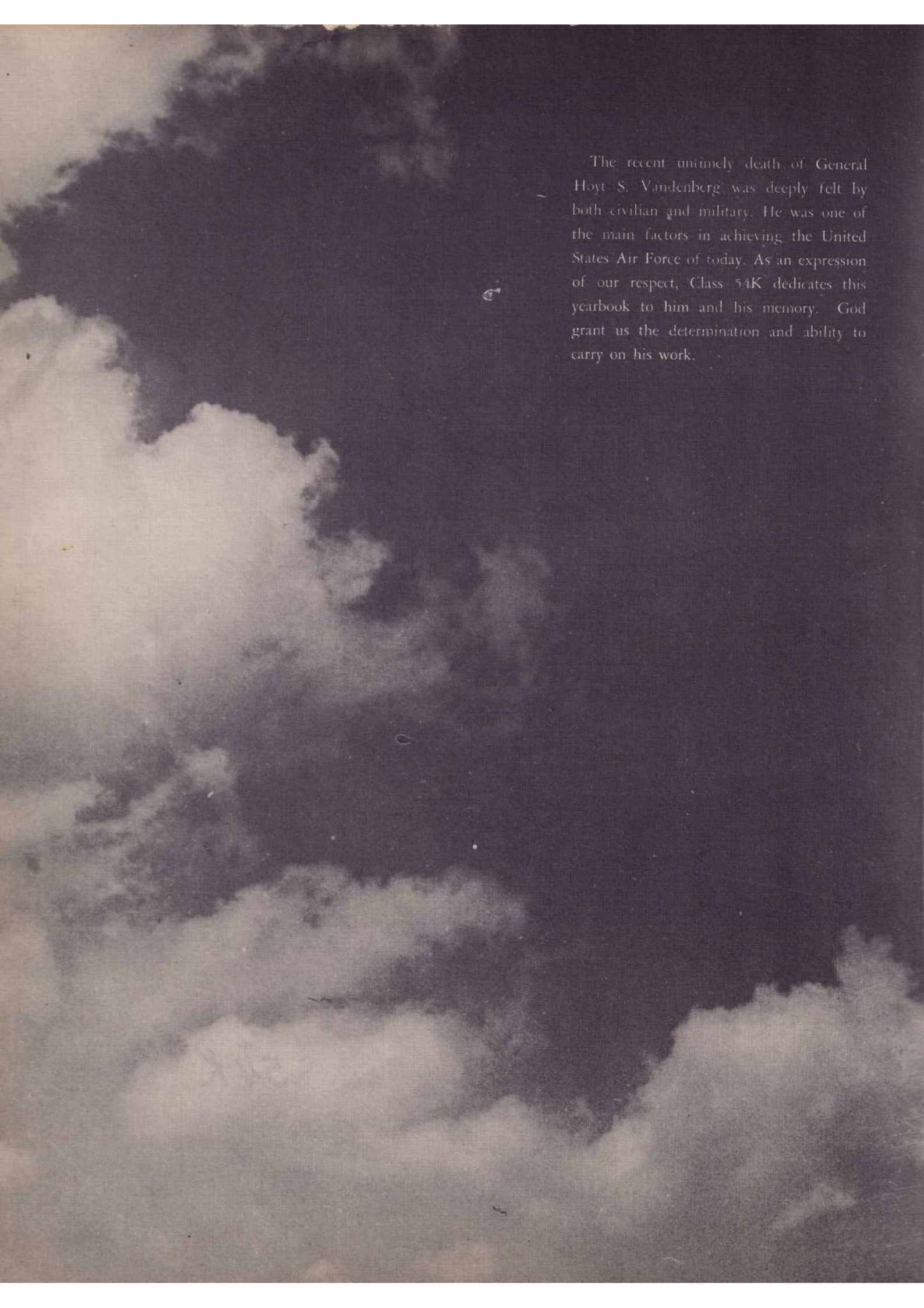
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The recent untimely death of General Hoyt S. Vandenberg was deeply felt by both civilian and military. He was one of the main factors in achieving the United States Air Force of today. As an expression of our respect, Class 54K dedicates this yearbook to him and his memory. God grant us the determination and ability to carry on his work.



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To Class 54-K:

I take great personal pleasure and pride in the privilege accorded me as commander of the Air Force installation responsible for training and embarking you on your careers as commissioned officers.

You are part of the great American youth who are destined to cope with the emergencies and crises which our country must constantly face. I think you are typical of all classes of our society; I know you are a vocal group, and I believe and hope that you will be an influential group in our national life.

As commissioned officers in the United States Air Force, you assume additional obligations and responsibilities which are privileges not accorded the ordinary citizen. I hope you will appreciate the full significance of your new position in life for the next few years and that you will do honor to yourselves and to your Government.

If, in addition to teaching you become qualified pilots, we have taught you the importance of "doing your duty like a man", then you will be worth all you have cost in money and human energy. May God's protection and guidance be with you.

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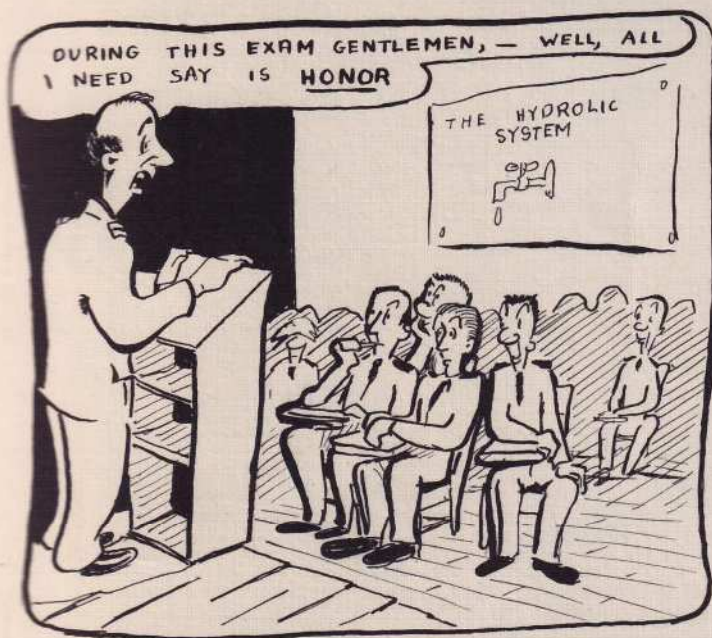
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Orbit left over Brown's, Angels one



Sgt. Jean P. Chaplet
"Mad Frenchman"
"You need money?"



1/Lt. Roy F. Voda
"Father"
"But Sir! Why can't I do that?"



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"Audie"
"I'll do 'er, first chance I get!"



Capt. Lynn R. Goetzman
"Hockie"
Instructor
"Sacre Bleu!"

Element 1





Sgt. Rene R. Dubuffet
"Argenteuil les mi raillettes!"



2/Lt. Howard H. Anderson
 "Spook"
"Well, down in Texas . . ."



2/Lt. Willard A. Berger
 "Abe"
"Ab Roge!"

Element 11

1/Lt. Harwood D. Towner
 "Doug"

Instructor (photo not available)
"It's a good day for fishin' "



IT TAKES ALL OF 'EM!



1/Lt. William J. Butz
"Buttzie"
"The sooner the better!"



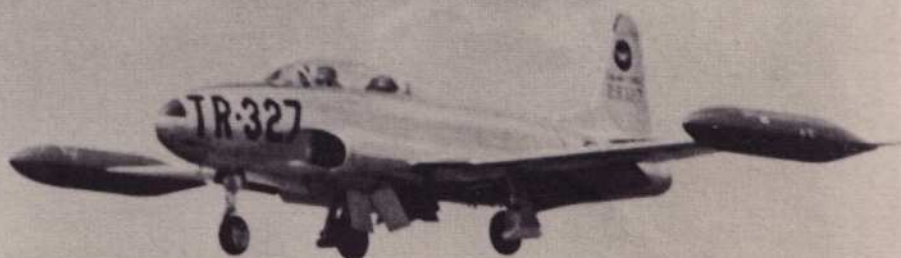
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"Mule"
"You guys better git on it!"

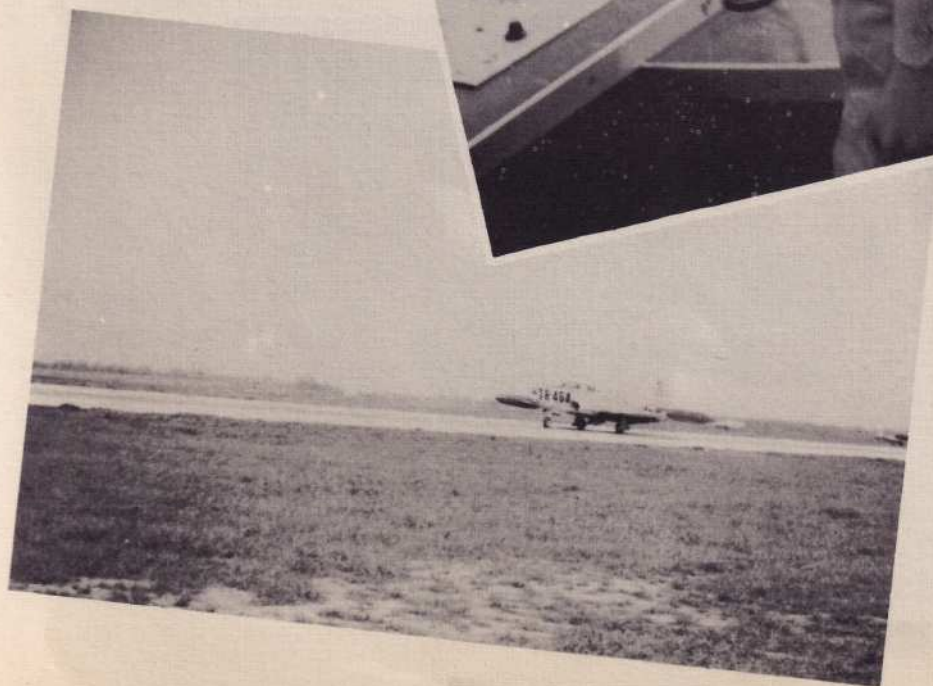
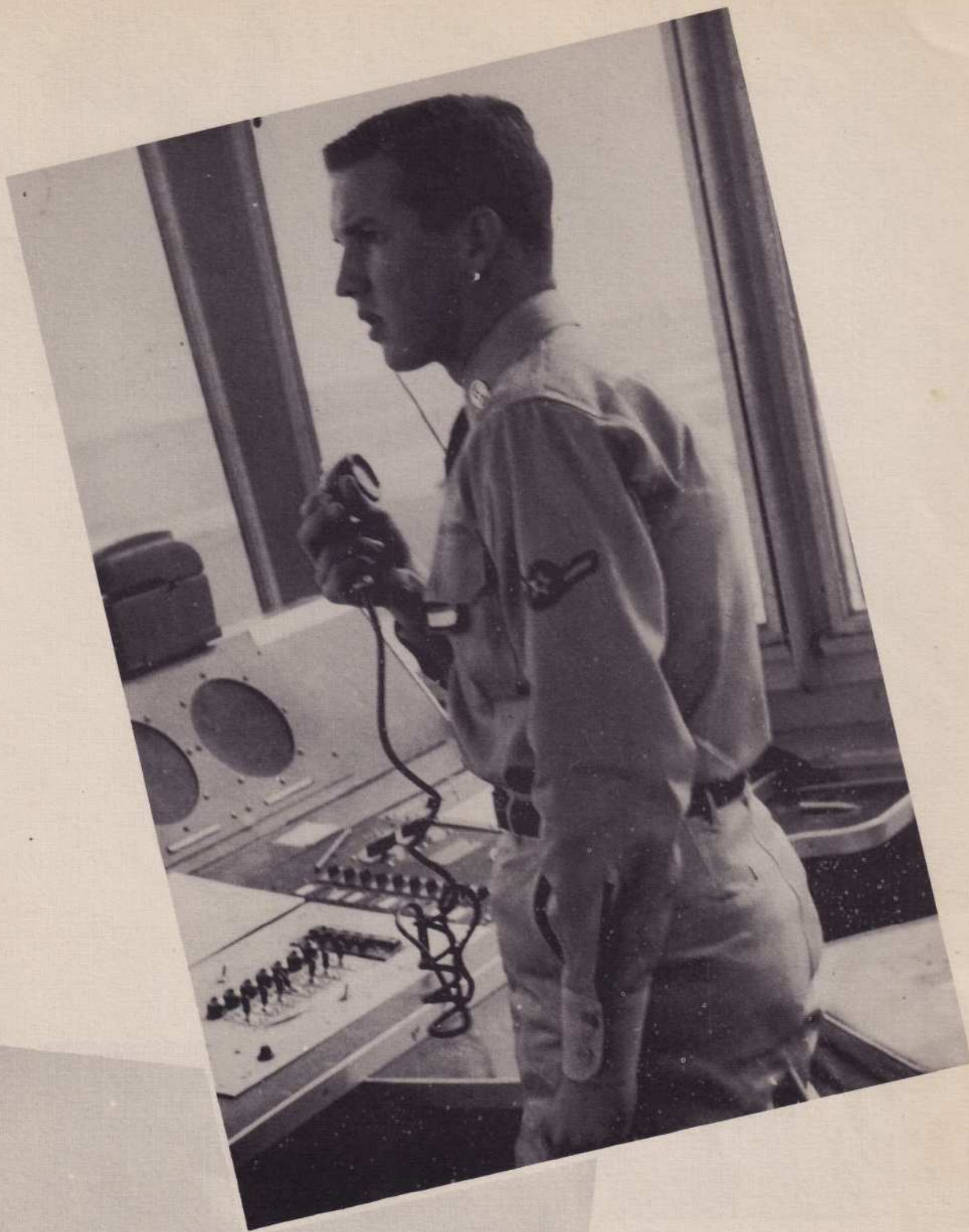


2/Lt. Donovan L. Hammond
"Pete"
"No more details after graduation!"

1/Lt. Anthony S. Pagoni
"Tony"
"The explosion may or may not be heard by the pilot"
Instructor (photo not available)

Element 111





Element 1V



2/Lt. Leon K. Hofford
"Hoff"
"Goldangit!"



2/Lt. Jose A. Guerra
"Joe"
"I ain't never cocked a nosewheel—yet!"



2/Lt. Carl Atherton, III
"Tosh"
"What'll you have?"

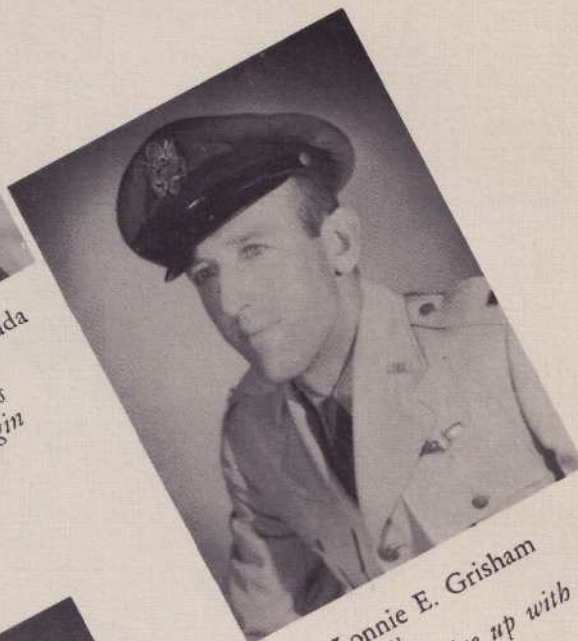


1/Lt. Kyle W. Greever
"Chief Stud"
"Is it saturated?"
Instructor





2/Lt. Theodore R. Fukuda
 "Ted"
 "There'll be big doins
 when the leaves begin
 to fall"



1/Lt. Lonnie E. Grisham
 "Stretch"
 "No sweat, we're up with the board"
 Instructor



2/Lt. John C. Fair
 "Jack"
 "Oob! Oob! Oob! Oob!"



1/Lt. Joe T. Howard
 "First"
 "Let's go home!"

Element 2





2/Lt. Howard D. Jones
 "Dan"
"Tell us about it Mahler!"



2/Lt. Leland P. Kriner, Jr.
 "Leaky Bird"
"I guess my rain dance didn't do any good!"

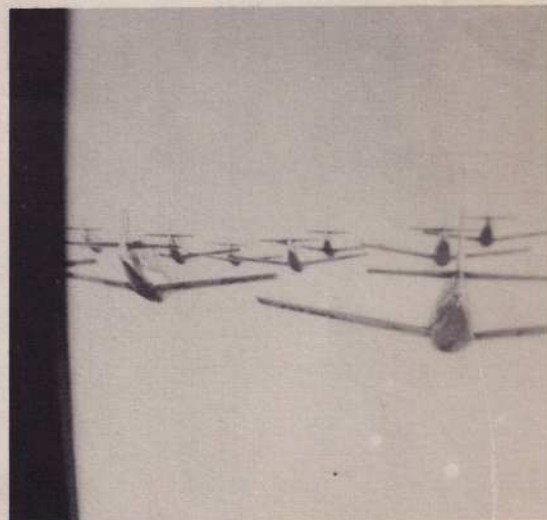
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1/Lt. Richard Q. McDonald
 "Mac"
"Ah So!"
Instructor



Sgt. Hubert R. Gillot
 "Hub"
"Son of a gun!"





1/Lt. Willard C. Armintrout
"Willy"
"We're right in the middle of a suckerhole."



2/Lt. Forrest L. Moses
"Moe"
"I'll never smile again."

Element U11



2/Lt. Ronald L. Muroski
"Rod"
"How many did you get today?"



2/Lt. Marshall D. Mahler
"Dynamite"
MAN!!



2/Lt. Booker N. Vass
 "Newt"
"Hey, I'm the right guide!"



2/Lt. William H. Bolin
 "Willie"
"Ah don't know."



2/Lt. William E. Jacques
 "Jake"
"I need someone for link."



2/Lt. J. L. Pennington
 "Jay"
"Seen Sandra lately?"



Element U111



2/Lt. John S. Ruffo
"Wop"
"Fanken stad a soy"



2/Lt. Alonzo F. Squires
"Hoss"
*"It takes a mighty fat woman
to weigh a ton."*

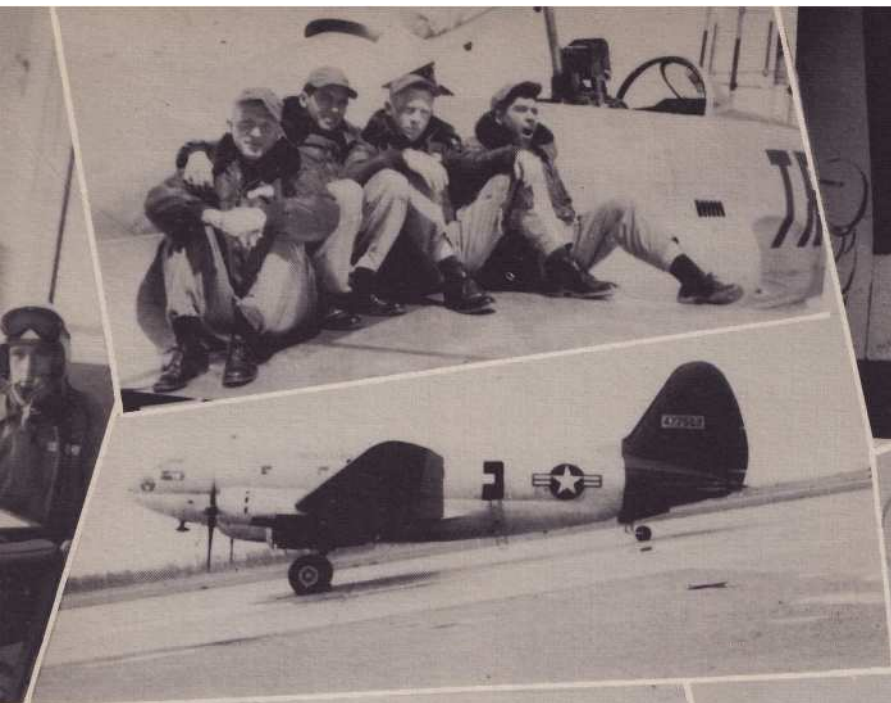


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2/Lt. Joseph W. Baltes
"Joe"
"Got anything to eat?"







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Ass't. Flight Commander

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Dispatcher
"Who's afraid of 'em?"





2/Lt. Abidin Atagunduz
"Abi"
Ha Ha Ha Ha!



2/Lt. Donald L. Smith
"Smitty"
*"What is this,
Mickey Mouse?"*



Maj. Joseph H. King
Instructor



1/Lt. Roy H. Baltz
Instructor



Element 1

2/Lt. Fred R. Hebb
"Happy"
"No Sweat, Dad."





2/Lt. Yalcin Ertemin
"Ed"
No sweat on that



2/Lt. William E. Gleason
"Sleepy"
"Don't forget to wake me up."



2/Lt. Max L. Lee
Instructor



Element 11

2/Lt. Robert S. Millard
"Michelob"
*"We going to take them
tonight, John?"*



2/Lt. Turhan Emen
 "Turhan Bey"
"Damyankee women."



2/Lt. Arthur A. Landman
 "Art"
"Shut up and drink your beer!"



2/Lt. Raymond F. Norton
Instructor

Element 111

2/Lt. Bernard L. Martin
 "Marty"
"No, not Woody's Jessie!"







Capt. Jack L. Folkins
Instructor



2/Lt. John Beighley
"Bigs"
"Just call me Rand McNally"

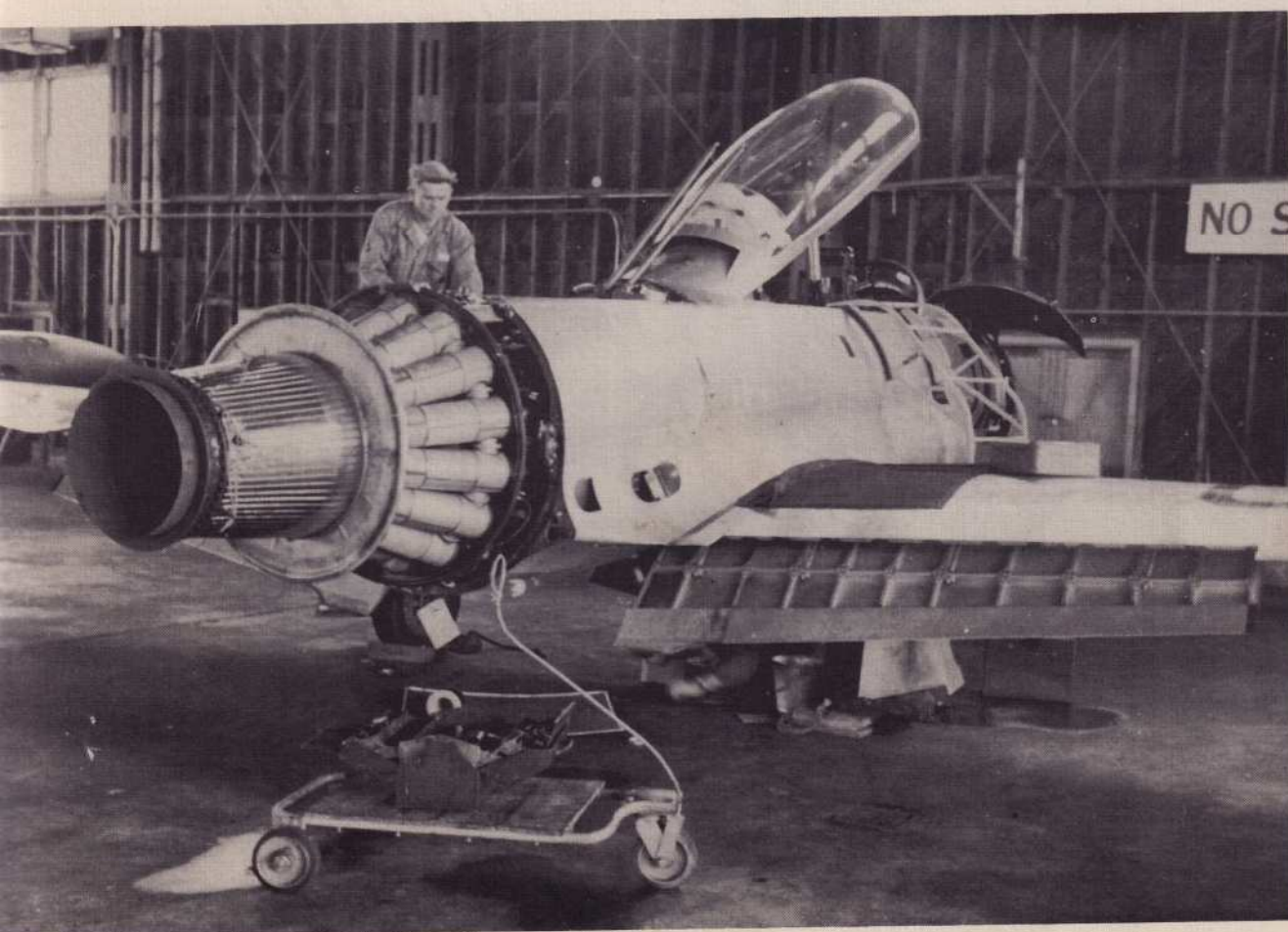
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2/Lt. Robert F. Bauer
"Deutschmann"
"Ay dint no vere Ay vass!!"



2/Lt. Max L. Derseweh
"Maxie"
"I'll help."



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Instructor



2/Lt. İlhan Dogan
"G. O."
"Wake me up later."
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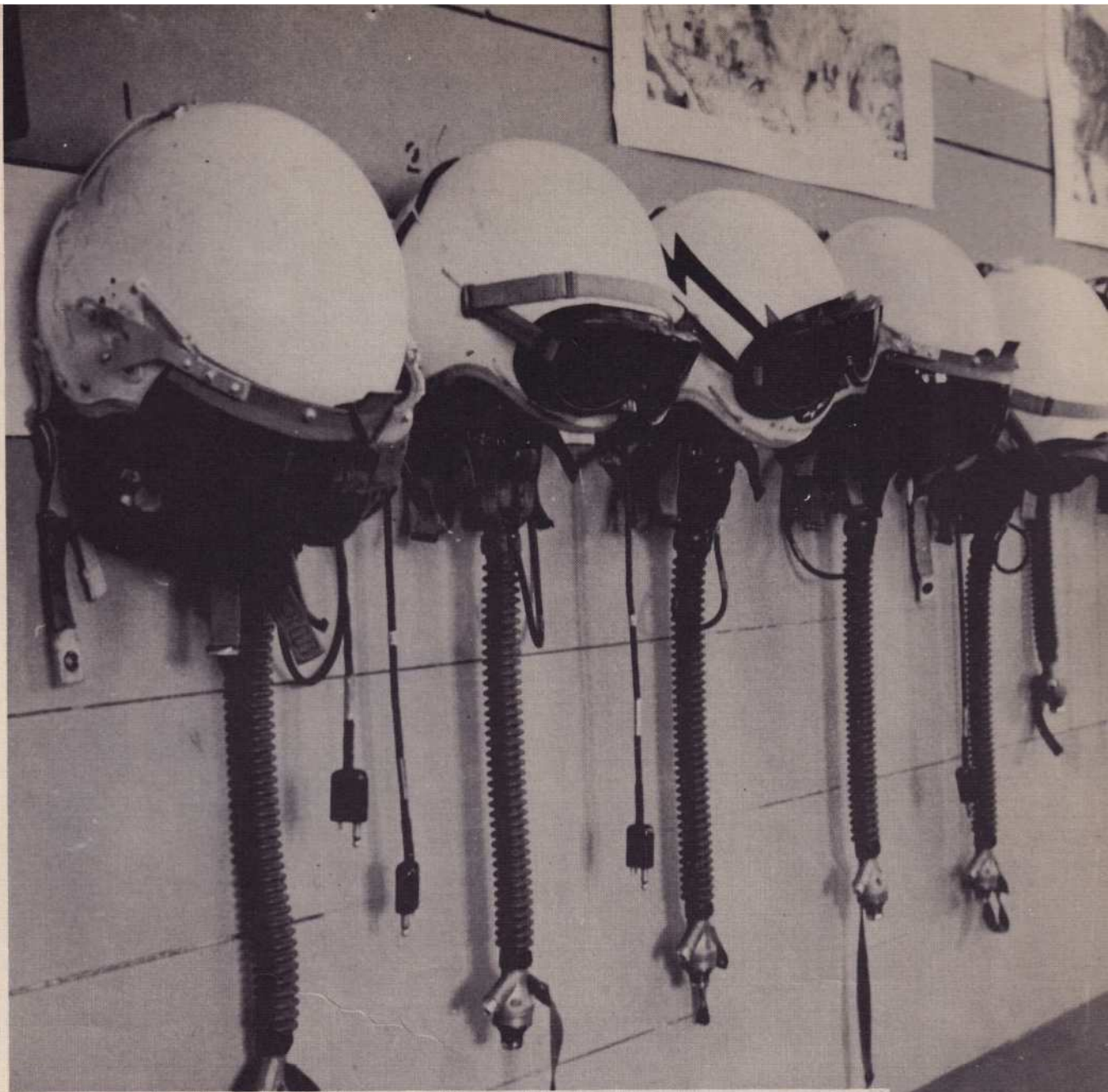
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2/Lt. Norman D. Peters
"Pete"
"Just hang loose, Jocko."



2/Lt. Dolpha T. Carroll
"Buck"
"Loose pattern, who, me?"





2/Lt. Lorenz F. Wustner
 "Woostner"
*"Sir, something's wrong with
 this radio."*



2/Lt. Paul G. Lausier
Instructor



2/Lt. Ronald Q. Avinger
 "Avie"
*"For you babee, I fight
 zee Bull"*

Element V1



2/Lt. Seabrook W. Woodward, Jr.
 "Bud"
*"Dammit Fey, I don't want to go
 to Brown's."*



2/Lt. James C. Thompson
 "Tiger One Six"
 "I can't hep it!"



Element U11

2/Lt. John Stanciu
Instructor



2/Lt. Franklin R. Fey
 "Feathers"
 "What pitot cover?"



2/Lt. Fred L. Mueller
 "Fritzy"
 "When you get 'em down, kick 'em."



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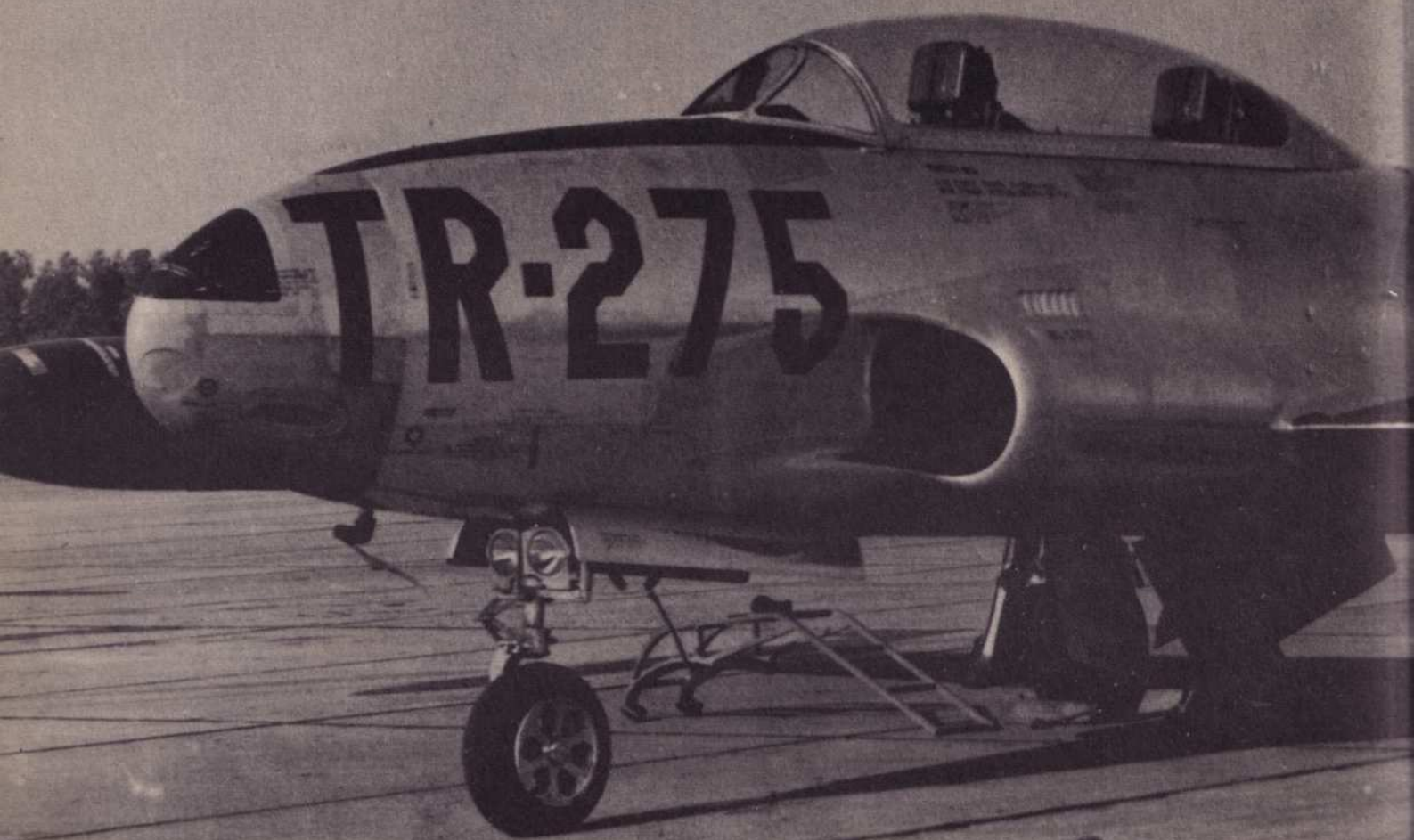
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