

## **37<sup>th</sup> ARMY AIR FORCE BASE UNIT**

AAF BASE UNITS BY COMMAND ON 1 May 1945

241st (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Fairmont Army Air Field, Geneva, Nebr.

242nd (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Grand Island Army Air Field, Nebr.

243rd (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Great Bend Army Air Field, Kans.

244th (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Harvard Army Air Field, Nebr.

245th (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) McCook Army Air Field, Nebr.

246th (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Pratt Army Air Field, Kans.

247th (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Smoky Hill Army Air Field, Salina, Kans.

248th (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Walker Army Air Field, Victoria, Kans.

249th (Special) Alliance Army Air Field, Nebr.

260th (Fighter Wing) (72nd Ftr Wg) Peterson Field, Colorado Springs, Colo.

431018	P-40E	41-25169	246AAFBU		Pratt AAF	FLCBLEF	Brady, Robert H Jr	Nickerson/ 1mi S
431018	C-64A	43-5116	246AAFBU		Pratt AAF	TAC	Willcox, John H	[APO 845]
431018	B-26B	41-31828	246AAFBU		Pratt AAF	TAC	Parker, George E	Chicago Mun Apt

### **LINEAGE**

### **STATIONS**

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

### **WEAPON SYSTEMS**

### **ASSIGNED AIRCRAFT SERIAL NUMBERS**

### **ASSIGNED AIRCRAFT TAIL/BASE CODES**

### **UNIT COLORS**

## COMMANDERS

## HONORS

### Service Streamers

### Campaign Streamers

### Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

## Decorations

## EMBLEM

## EMBLEM SIGNIFICANCE

## MOTTO

## NICKNAME

## CALL SIGN

## OPERATIONS

431019	P-40N	42-105243	246BU		Pratt AAF, KS	MACB	Scott, George N	Galveston AAF, TX
431019	Havoc II	AH511	246BU		Pratt AAF, KS	KCR	Hugo, James R	2M S Hutcheson, KS
431020	PT-17	42-15903	246BU		Pratt AAF, KS	GMAC	Parked aircraft	Jett Aux. Field, OK
440712	B-26B	41-32016	246BU		Pratt AAF, Pratt, KS	FLEFF	Wilson, Charles M	10 mi NE of Pratt AAF, Pratt, KS
441009	UC-78	43-7748	246BU		Pratt AAF, Pratt, KS	LAC	Thomas, John	Tinker Field, Oklahoma City, OK

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### Sources

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