

MISSING INFORMATION REQUESTED

Norman H. Simpson, Navigator

Completed Navigator Training  
Commissioned 10/10/1942

Further training, B-17 crew member,  
various air bases, Western U.S.

Arrived at Thurleigh, with crew of  
Pilot Winchell  
Co-Pilot B. Brown  
Bombardier J. Kostal 04/23/1943

Shot down on 8th mission, over  
Huls, Germany ball-bearing  
factory, by 4 Focke-Wolfe  
fighters coming in at 11:00,  
at 12:00 Noon, with crew of  
Pilot J. Johnson  
Co-Pilot ?  
Bombardier E. Gast 06/22/1943

We all suffered severe burns

P.O.W. after week in hospital, at  
Stalag Luft III, Sagan, and  
" " VIIA, Moosburg.

Liberated, Gen. Patton, 3rd Army 04/29/1945

Relieved active duty as 1st. Lt. 01/11/1946

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Mr Russell A Strong, Historian;

Dear Russell;

The October, 1988 issue of 306<sup>th</sup> Echoes lists my name along with other Navigators of the 306<sup>th</sup>.

I am happy to supply some of the missing information as requested. (See enclosed notes.)

Also, I am forwarding a small check to Treasurer Briscoe to assist with the publishing expense.

Keep up the good work!

Sincerely yours,

(<sup>st</sup> Lt) Norman Simpson