

7-8-58

C. Dale Bissell

Dear Sir:

I find that my name appears only in the alphabetical listing and it carries a suffix of C. J. I assume the "C. J." refers to Casey Jones.

As a matter of information, I was a navigator. I started out in troop carrier. After flying the D-Day para-drop and the D+1 glider tow - and subsequent resupply and evacuation missions I transferred to medium bombardment. I flew over 30 missions with the 322nd B.G. 452nd sqdn in B-26¹⁵.

After the end of hostilities I was transferred to the 306th 367th sqdn in June 1945 and took part in the Casey Jones project.

My tour with the 306th was short lived. I became ill and was eventually transferred to the detachment of patients at the Gen. Hosp. near St. Albans and arrived back in the States in Oct 1945.

I spent over 30 years as a civilian cartographer with the D.O.D and believe it or not used some of the C. J. material that I had helped acquire.

Sincerely,

Bob Davis

- ✓ Name ROBERT L. DAINS
- ✓ Serial No(s) 0-685552
- ✓ Squadron or other organization at Thurleigh 367th
- ✓ MOS No. & Specialty 1034 NAVIGATOR
- ✓ Date of Assignment to the 306th 6-15-45
- ✓ Date leaving the 306th 10-4-45

Other information Assigned to the 306th B.G.
To take part in the Casey Jones Project.
Became ill and was returned to the U.S.
for treatment and discharge.

Name and address of someone who will always know
your current address:

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