

Oswald, Ted C.

Sgt. Ted Oswald With "Red Raiders" Bomber Squadron

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WITH THE FIFTH AIR FORCE
SOMEWHERE IN SOUTHWEST
PACIFIC—Staff Sergeant Ted C.
Oswald, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M.
Oswald, of 1328 Easton Avenue,
Bethlehem, is now on duty with the
Red Raiders, outstanding heavy
bomber unit of the Fifth Air Force
in the Southwest Pacific.

Arriving overseas in May of this
year, S-Sgt. Oswald was assigned
to the Red Raiders as flight sur-
geon's assistant. He is a member
of headquarters detachment.

Entering the Air Forces in Jan-
uary, 1943, at New Cumberland, Pa.,
Oswald was trained at the School
of Aviation Medicine at Randolph
Field, Texas. He was graduated
with the rank of sergeant in October
of 1943 and was assigned to a
bomber squadron at Alexandria,
Louisiana.

Staff Sergeant Oswald, a grad-
uate of Liberty High School at
Bethlehem in 1941, attended the
Eckel's College of Embalming at
Philadelphia. Previous to enter-
ing the service, he was employed
by Ralph S. Vansant of Philadel-
phia, as an undertaker's apprentice.
A member of St. Paul's Evangelical
and Reformed Church of Bethle-
hem, S-Sgt. Oswald was also a mem-
ber of the church's choir and when
a student in high school was wide-
ly known as a member of the school
glee club.

The sergeant's father is a shop
foreman in the electrical depart-
ment of the Bethlehem Steel Com-
pany.

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