Photo of 403rd Bombardment Squadron Pilot 1st Lt. John F. Deutsch (0720388), taken July 23 1944 in Waco, Texas upon receiving his commision to 2nd Lt. Lt. Deutsch later piloted thirty-five missions in the 43rd Bombardment Group (Heavy), 403rd Bombardment Squadron. Photo donated by his family.

B-24 combat crew of Lt. John F. Deutsch, taken at Charleston Army Air Field, Charleston South Carolina, late summer 1944. At the time of the photo, the crew was attached to the 113th AAF Base Unit Combat Crew Training Squadron.

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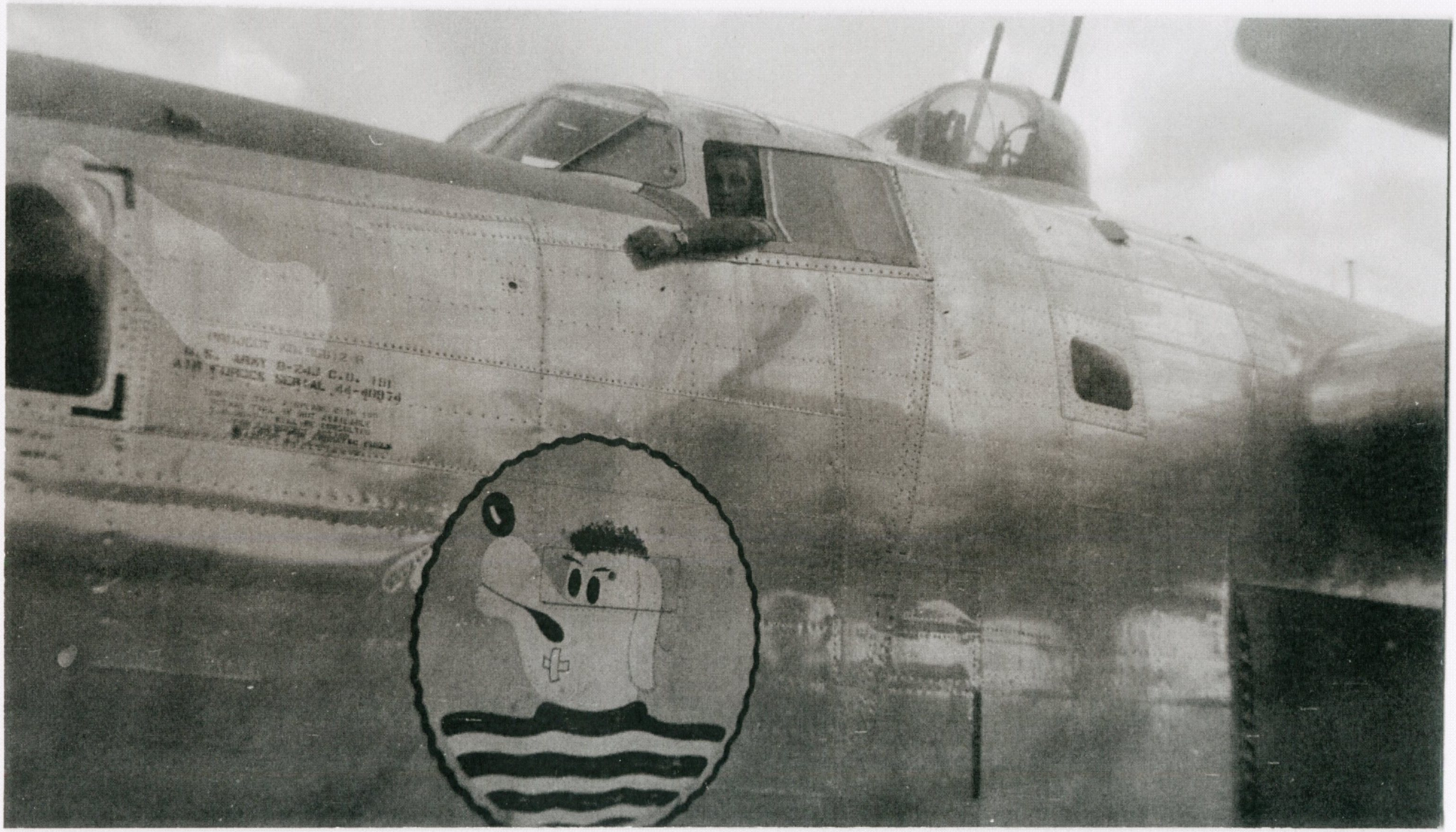

1st Lt. John F. Deutsch in the cockpit of B-24 J 44-40974