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Four photos - Arriving in New York Harbor

Newspaper article Capt. Ralph L. Minker, Jr., son of the Rev and Mrs. Ralph L. Minker, is now home on a 30-day leave, having returned to this community recently on the Queen Elizabeth. Captain Minker spent 11 months in England as pilot of the B-17 "Blue Hen Chick," and has 38 combat missions to his credit. He wears the Air Medal with six oak leaf clusters and the European theatre ribbon with three battle stars.

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Walter From (Bernice's boyfriend), Ralph Minker, and George Wolf (Shirley's fiance at the time.)

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