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INTERVIEWEE: Alfred Blumenthal

INTERVIEWER: Morris Pittle

PROJECT: World War II

DATE OF INTERVIEW: November 30, 1993

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TAPE NO: 809

TRANSCRIPT NO: _____

TRANSCRIBER: Morris Pittle

BIOGRAPHICAL SYNOPSIS OF INTERVIEWEE:

World War II veteran; immigrated to U.S. from Germany; served in U.S. Army; saw active duty in Pacific Theater; married local El Pasoan while stationed at Fort Bliss.

SUMMARY OF INTERVIEW:

Recalls immigration from Germany; early days in U.S.; acquisition of U.S. citizenship; enlistment in Army; stint as Army officer in El Paso and Pacific Theater during the War; discusses return from active duty abroad.

Length of Interview: 30 minutes Length of Transcript _____