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I. AIR MEDAL. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, 11 May 1942 (Bulletin 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (Bulletin 49, WD, 1942), an Air Medal is awarded by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, to the following named enlisted man:

Sergeant ONIS W. BRIM, (6658000), Air Corps, United States Army.  
For operational flight missions from 28 October 1943 to 22 March 1945.  
Home address: Mrs. Mary J. Brim (Wife), 307 19th St., Bedford, Ind.

Sergeant LAWRENCE R. HOLLEY, (15338371), Air Corps, United States Army.  
For operational flight missions from 28 October 1944 to 21 March 1945.  
Home address: Mrs. Margaret Holley (Mother), 317 McGregor Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Private GRANVILLE S. MASON, (12130979), Air Corps, United States Army.  
For operational flight missions from 19 July 1944 to 8 March 1945.  
Home address: Mrs. Anna Mason (Mother), Delhi, Ontario Prov., Canada.

The citation is as follows:

For meritorious achievement while participating in sustained operational flight missions in the Southwest Pacific Area, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These operations consisted of patrols, searches, and rescue missions. The courage and devotion to duty displayed during these flights are worthy of commendation.

II. AIR MEDAL (OAK-LEAF CLUSTER). By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medal awarded to the following named officers and enlisted men by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, as published in General Orders No. 163, Headquarters, Far East Air Forces, 28 January 1945, Bronze Oak-Leaf Clusters are awarded to them by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, 11 May 1942 (Bulletin 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (Bulletin 49, WD, 1942).

1. OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

Staff Sergeant DREW MARKT, (19084681), Air Corps, United States Army.  
For operational flight missions from 13 December 1944 to 2 March 1945.  
Home address: Mrs. Edna Markt (Wife), 1419 Yolo St., Corning, Calif.

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2. SECOND OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

Second Lieutenant WARNER A. BRITTON, (0834363), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 7 January 1945 to 19 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Corah H. Britton (Mother), 215 W. Third St., Liberal, Kan.

Second Lieutenant WILLIAM V. KISSEL, (0828707), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 13 November 1944 to 23 February 1945. Home address: Mrs. Helen Kissel (Mother), 29 Dickinson St., Binghamton, N.Y.

Flight Officer IRVING SIPERSTEIN, (T128789), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 20 December 1944 to 23 February 1945. Home address: Mrs. Dora Siperstein (Mother), 281 Taunton Ave., East Providence, R.I.

3. THIRD OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

Second Lieutenant WILLIAM V. KISSEL, (0828707), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 24 February 1945 to 21 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Helen Kissel (Mother), 29 Dickinson St., Binghamton, N.Y.

4. SIXTH OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

Staff Sergeant WILLIAM A. ALLMAN, (15140689), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 23 February 1945 to 17 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Irene Allman (Mother), Route 2, Tiffin, Ohio.

First Lieutenant FRANK RAUSCHKOLB, (0753244), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 26 January 1945 to 7 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Louise Rauschkolb (Mother), Route 1, Freewater, Ore.

The citation is as follows:

For meritorious achievement while participating in sustained operational flight missions in the Southwest Pacific Area, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These operations consisted of patrols, searches, and rescue missions. The courage and devotion to duty displayed during these flights are worthy of commendation.

By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medal awarded to Captain PAUL E. CHILDS by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, as published in Section I, General Orders No. 121, Headquarters, Far East Air Forces, 19 January 1945, Bronze Oak-Leaf Clusters are awarded to him by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, 11 May 1942 (Bulletin 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (Bulletin 49, WD, 1942).

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1. SECOND OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

Captain PAUL E. CHILDS, (0434737), Air Corps, United States Army.  
For operational flight missions from 8 January 1945 to 24 February 1945.  
Home address: Mrs. Marjorie A. Childs, (Wife), 225 Blue Bonnet Blvd.,  
San Antonio, Tex.

2. THIRD OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

Captain PAUL E. CHILDS, (0434737), Air Corps, United States Army.  
For operational flight missions from 25 February 1945 to 21 March 1945.  
Home address: Mrs. Marjorie A. Childs, (Wife), 225 Blue Bonnet Blvd.,  
San Antonio, Tex.

The citation is as follows:

For meritorious achievement while participating in sustained operational flight missions in the Southwest Pacific Area, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These operations consisted of patrols, searches, and rescue missions. The courage and devotion to duty displayed during these flights are worthy of commendation.

By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medal awarded to the following named officers by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, as published in General Orders No. 81, Headquarters, Far East Air Forces, 12 January 1945, Bronze Oak-Leaf Clusters are awarded to them by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, 11 May 1942 (Bulletin 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (Bulletin 49, WD, 1942).

1. SECOND OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

Captain LLOYD R. HUMPHREYS, (0521470), Air Corps, United States Army.  
For operational flight missions from 16 January 1945 to 7 February 1945.  
Home address: Mrs. Esther W. Humphreys (Wife), 2505 13th St., N.W.,  
Washington, D.C.

2. THIRD OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

First Lieutenant ROBERT L. ROHLFING, (0753246), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 19 December 1944 to 16 February 1945.  
Home address: Mrs. Mary A. Rohlfing (Wife), Fisher, Ill.

3. FOURTH OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

First Lieutenant JOHN M. BAUM, (0813833), Air Corps, United States Army.  
For operational flight missions from 24 December 1944 to 5 February 1945.  
Home address: Mrs. Beaufort R. Baum (Wife), 303 Raymond St., Hasbrouch Heights,  
N.J.

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First Lieutenant JOHN M. REEVES, (0426335), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 8 November 1944 to 8 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Hazel M. Reeves (Wife), 2452 W. Hadley St., Milwaukee, Wis.

First Lieutenant ROBERT L. ROHLFING, (0753246), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 17 February 1944 to 19 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Mary A. Rohlfing (Wife), Fisher, Ill.

Captain CLARENCE L. SOLANDER, (0793024), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 18 January 1945 to 11 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Gladys E. Solander (Wife), Stambaugh, Mich.

First Lieutenant PETER Y. TAYLOR, (0674254), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 9 December 1944 to 12 February 1945. Home address: Mrs. Eileen M. Taylor (Wife), 374 St. Clements Ave., Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

4. FIFTH OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

First Lieutenant LARRY E. BORMANN, (0753187), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 4 December 1944 to 25 February 1945. Home address: Mr. Louis Bormann (Father), 1315 Key St., Brenham, Tex.

First Lieutenant JOHN R. DICKINSON, (0753199), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 26 January 1945 to 11 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Guenevere S. Dickinson (Mother), 1221 S. High St., Denver, Colo.

First Lieutenant HARRY C. REMINGTON, JR., (0753245), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 23 November 1944 to 24 February 1945. Home address: Mrs. Harry C. Remington, Jr. (Wife), 2507 Avenue B, Wichita Falls, Tex.

First Lieutenant WAYNE L. SCHANDELMEIER, (0693953), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 9 January 1945 to 28 February 1945. Home address: Mrs. Elizabeth H. Schandelmeier (Wife), 25 N. Bentalou St, Baltimore, Md.

First Lieutenant HARRY I. SCHULMAN, (07939294), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 15 December 1944 to 25 February 1945. Home address: Mrs. Minnie Schulman (Mother), 828 Wooster St., Los Angeles, Calif.

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First Lieutenant PETER Y. TAYLOR, (0674254), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 13 February 1944 to 5 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Eileen M. Taylor (Wife), 374 St. Clements Ave., Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

First Lieutenant WILLIAM F. WEISBRUCH, (0812342), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 16 December 1944 to 27 February 1945. Home address: Mr. Peter J. Weisbruch (Father), 224 N. Orange St., Peoria, Ill.

5. SIXTH OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

First Lieutenant DONALD J. DIXON, (0753201), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 26 December 1944 to 17 March 1945. Home address: Mr. Joseph S. Dixon (Father), Box 75, Polo, Mo.

First Lieutenant WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, (0753217), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 1 January 1945 to 24 February 1945. Home address: Mrs. Sophie R. Holbrook (Wife), 808 E. Buchtel, Akron, Ohio.

The citation is as follows:

For meritorious achievement while participating in sustained operational flight missions in the Southwest Pacific Area, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These operations consisted of patrols, searches, and rescue missions. The courage and devotion to duty displayed during these flights are worthy of commendation.

By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medal awarded to the following named officers by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, as published in General Orders No. 80, Headquarters, Far East Air Forces, 12 January 1945, Bronze Oak-Leaf Clusters are awarded to them by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, 11 May 1942 (Bulletin 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (Bulletin 49, WD, 1942).

1. SECOND OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

Sergeant CARL J. SISCO, (32385769), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 22 December 1944 to 1 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Mary Sisco (Mother), 59 Lincoln Ave., Tatowa, N.J.

2. THIRD OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

Staff Sergeant FRANKLIN E. BESSE, (31057039), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 5 January 1945 to 3 March 1945. Home address: Mr. Franklin W. L. Besse (Father), 34 Lucille St., Providence, R.I.

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Staff Sergeant CHRISTOPHER A. PAVONE, (12216308), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 30 December 1944 to 9 March 1945.

Home address: Mr. Peter Pavone (Father), 8 Putnam St., Rochester, N.Y.

3. FOURTH OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

Technical Sergeant ORAL M. LAWSON, (17128972), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 24 November 1944 to 9 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Melba Lawson (Wife), Route 4, Memphis, Mo.

Staff Sergeant FRANKLIN C. LOBDELL, (16047406), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 28 January 1945 to 9 March 1945. Home address: Mr. Clyde Lobdell (Father), LaValle, Wis.

Staff Sergeant AUGUST V. ROZNOVSKY, (6289095), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 13 February 1945 to 16 March 1945. Home address: Miss Mary Roznovsky (Sister), General Delivery, Granger, Tex.

4. FIFTH OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

Technical Sergeant JOHN Y. CUNNINGHAM, JR., (18034975), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 21 January 1945 to 14 March 1945.

Home address: Mrs. Ruby R. Cunningham (Mother), 709 East 21st St., Texarkana, Ark.

Sergeant THEODORE FIALKOWSKI, (32779159), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 13 February 1945 to 16 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Josefa Fialkowski (Mother), 439 Jackson Ave., Elizabeth, N.J.

Staff Sergeant HYMAN HYMOWITZ, (32878269), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 4 January 1945 to 19 March 1945. Home address: Mr. Jacob Hymowitz (Father), 3502 Hull Ave., Bronx, N.Y.

Technical Sergeant ROBERT S. JONES, (17014707), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 17 February 1945 to 21 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Lige Jones (Mother), Ozark, Ark.

Staff Sergeant ANTHONY C. NAPOLITANO, (32418101), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 13 January 1945 to 14 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Assunta Napolitano (Mother), 2172 Fulton St., Brooklyn, N.Y.

Staff Sergeant JOHN T. SMITH, JR., (35481710), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 3 February 1945 to 16 March 1945. Home address: Mr. John T. Smith, Sr. (Father), 1937 Bank St., Louisville, Ky.

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Sergeant GENE L. SPAULDING, (39610615), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 4 January 1945 to 10 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Nellie Spaulding (Mother), Gledo, Wyo.

5. SIXTH OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

Staff Sergeant VICTOR G. FRANK, (15327502), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 4 January 1945 to 22 March 1945. Home address: Mr. Victor E. Frank (Father), 20 Canterbury Drive, Dayton, Ohio.

The citation is as follows:

For meritorious achievement while participating in sustained operational flight missions in the Southwest Pacific Area, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These operations consisted of patrols, searches, and rescue missions. The courage and devotion to duty displayed during these flights are worthy of commendation.

By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medal awarded to the following named officer and enlisted man by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, as published in General Orders No. 522, Headquarters, Far East Air Forces, 12 April 1945, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Clusters is awarded to them by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, 11 May 1942 (Bulletin 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (Bulletin 49, WD, 1942).

Captain NICHOLAS E. BAILEY, (0419154), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 3 December 1944 to 25 February 1945. Home address: Mr. James H. Bailey (Father), 205 43rd Ave., Manhattan Beach, Calif.

Technical Sergeant LEROY ROSE, (18158507), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 24 December 1944 to 17 March 1945. Home address: Mrs. Dora Rose (Wife), 217 Price St., Corpus Christi, Tex.

The citation is as follows:

For meritorious achievement while participating in sustained operational flight missions in the Southwest Pacific Area, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These operations consisted of patrols, searches, and rescue missions. The courage and devotion to duty displayed during these flights are worthy of commendation.

By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medal awarded to Private First Class HARLAN B. MURPHY by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, as published in Section I, General Orders No. 225, Headquarters, Far East Air Forces, 7 February 1945, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Clusters is awarded to him by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, 11 May 1942 (Bulletin 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (Bulletin 49, WD, 1942). The citation is as follows:

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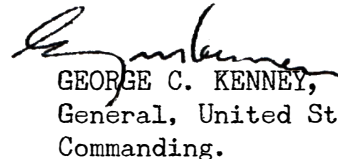
Private First Class HARLAN B. MURPHY, (16124536), Air Corps, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in sustained operational flight missions in the Southwest Pacific Area from 20 December 1944 to 3 March 1945, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These operations consisted of patrols, searches, and rescues missions. The courage and devotion to duty displayed by Private Murphy during these flights are worthy of commendation.

Home address: Mrs. Ethel Stewart (Mother), 379 N. Wildwood, Kankakee, Ill.

By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medal awarded to First Lieutenant HAROLD W. STRUB by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, as published in Section II, General Orders No. 252, Headquarters, Far East Air Forces, 15 February 1945, a fifth Bronze Oak-Leaf Clusters is awarded to him by the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, 11 May 1942 (Bulletin 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (Bulletin 49, WD, 1942). The citation is as follows:

First Lieutenant HAROLD W. STRUB, (0813437), Air Corps, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in sustained operational flight missions in the Southwest Pacific Area from 14 January 1945 to 16 March 1945, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These operations consisted of patrols, searches, and rescues missions. The courage and devotion to duty displayed by Private Murphy during these flights are worthy of commendation.

Home address: Mrs. Leila M. Strub (Mother), R.F.D. 1, Watova, Okla.

  
GEORGE C. KENNEY,  
General, United States Army,  
Commanding.

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