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2ND EMERGENCY RESCUE SQUADRON
APO #719

Date 13 Jun 45

In reply refer to:

o: AG 210.68

Subject: Return of Air Crew Personnel to the United States.

To : Commanding General, Thirteenth Air Force, APO 719 (THRU: Channels.)

Under the provisions of Sec III, War Department Circular 372, 13 Sept 44, recommend that the following airplane crew member(s) be returned to the United States:

CREW POSITION	2 GRAD	NAME	ARMY SERIAL NUMBER		COMBAT HOURS THIS THEATER	TOTAL FLYING HOURS THIS THEATER	TOTAL COMBAT MISSIONS THIS THEATER	9 MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALTY (TITLE & SSN EACH EM)
Pilot	Capt	George A Barnes	07397 04	30 Apr 44	624:40	653:25	83	2161 Operation O, AF
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2. a. History of Officer's duty assignment and manner of performance and recommended duty assignemnt upon return to the United States:

This officer has been a member of my command since 25 Feb 44; during which time he has acted in the capacity of First pilot on OA-10 type aircraft for five (5) months, and Flight Commander for over ten (10) months. Subject Officer's manner of performance has always been that of excellent. Recommend that he be reassigned as an Operations Officer of instructor.

personnel:

List of awarde and decorations for all

AIR Medal and two (2) OLC, FEAF GO# 81, 1/12/45 Third (3d) OLC, Air Medal, FEAF GO# 225, 2/7/45 Fourth (4th) OLC, Air Medal, FEAF GO# 329,3/5/45 Fifth (5th) OLC, Air Medal, FEAF GO# 666, 5/2/45 DFC, FEAF GO# 118, 1/19/45



3. Address for Leave:

P.O. Box 781
Maricopa, California

GERARD F WIENTJES
Major, Air Corps
Commanding.

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13 June 1945.

CERTIFICATE

I certify that Captain George A. Barnes, ASN 0739704, this organization, has had one (1) rest leave in the Sydney Rest Leave Area which has failed to restore him to his normal efficiency. It is the opinion of the Medical department that he cannot be rehabilitated in this theater, and it is therefore recommended that subject Officer be returned to the continental United States for proper rehabilitation.

JAMES O. FIELDS, Captain, Med Corps, Squadron Surgeon.

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HEADQUARTERS 13TH EMERGENCY RESCUE GROUP, APO 719, 14 June 1945.

TO: Commanding General, Thirteenth Air Force, APO 719.

Approved.

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Incl 1 - Ltr, 2d Emerg Rescue Sq, dtd
13 Jun 45, "Return of Air Crew
Personnel to the US" w/Incl
thereto. (Re: Capt Barnes.)

WALLACE S. FORD, Colonel, Air Corps, Commanding.

210.68 2nd W/Ind HEADQUARTERS THIRTEENTH AIR FORCE, APO 719.

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Hours

TO: Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, APO 925.

Approved.

For the Commanding General:

1 Incl: n/c

E. F. HOWE
Major, A.G.D.
Assistant Adjutant General