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I. AWARDS OF THE AIR MEDAL:

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2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order, No. 9158, 11 May 1942 (Bull 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order, No. 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (Bull 49, WD, 1942), an Air Medal is awarded by the Commanding General, United States Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, to the following-named officers and enlisted men for meritorious achievement while participating in sustained aerial flights on transport missions. These flights were performed in combat areas where there was a possibility of enemy interception. Their services reflect great credit on the Army Air Forces.

ROY H. SKEENS, (O-740965), Second Lieutenant, Air Corps, United States Army, as pilot from 20 August to 21 September 1943. Home Address: 1130 Twenty-fourth Street, Richmond, California.

JOE W. STOUT, (O-814156), Second Lieutenant, Air Corps, United States Army, as navigator from 18 November 1943 to 5 January 1944, Home Address: Yale, Oklahoma.

JAMES WALSH, JR., (O-677361), Second Lieutenant, Air Corps, United States Army, as pilot from 13 December 1943 to 9 February 1944. Home Address: Bullet Hole Road, Molapao, New York.

FRANK J. W. BARRY, (12036970), Corporal, Air Corps, United States Army, as aerial engineer from 20 November 1942 to 13 September 1943. Home Address: 905 Summit Avenue, Bronx, New York.

II. AWARDS OF THE OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL):

1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order, No. 9158, 11 May 1942 (Bull 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order, No. 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (Bull 49, WD, 1942), a bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster, in lieu of an additional Air Medal, is awarded by the Commanding General, United States Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, to the following-named officer:

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II. AWARDS OF THE OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL) Contd:

ABRAHAM COHEN, (O-800635), Second Lieutenant, Air Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement while participating as navigator from 1 November to 29 December 1943 in sustained aerial flights on transport missions. These missions were of a hazardous nature involving over-water flights of long distance. The services of Lieutenant Cohen reflect great credit on the Army Air Forces. Home Address: 30 Prospect Street, Newburyport, Massachusetts.

By Command of Lieutenant General HARMON:

A. J. BARNETT,
Major General, GSC,
Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

/s/ J. M. Glasgow,
/t/ J. M. GLASGOW,
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General.

A TRUE EXTRACT COPY:

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WILLIAM C. YEOMANS,
1st Lt., Air Corps,
Intelligence Officer.

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