

R E S T R I C T E D

G.O. No. 57, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 15 March 1944, contd.

(13) Herbert P. Moody, Jr., , T/Sgt., 554th Bombardment Squadron (M). For extraordinary achievement while serving as a Radio Operator on a B-26 airplane on twenty-five bombardment missions over enemy occupied Continental Europe. T/Sgt. Moody, in the unflinching performance of his duties displayed a high degree of technical skill and soldierly resourcefulness. His undaunted courage and untiring energy reflects high credit on the Army Air Forces. Residence at enlistment: Memphis, Tenn.

(14) Henry (NMI) Popp, , S/Sgt., 554th Bombardment Squadron (M). For extraordinary achievement while serving as an Armorer-Gunner on a B-26 airplane on twenty-five bombardment missions over enemy occupied Continental Europe. S/Sgt. Popp's unflinching devotion to duty and his technical skill have been of invaluable assistance on each of the twenty-five missions in which he has participated. The intrepidity and coolness under the most trying circumstances of S/Sgt. Popp reflects credit upon the Army Air Forces. Residence at enlistment: Long Island, N. Y.

(15) James H. Riggan, , S/Sgt., 554th Bombardment Squadron (M). For extraordinary achievement while serving as an Armorer-Gunner on a B-26 airplane on twenty-five bombardment missions over enemy occupied Continental Europe. S/Sgt. Riggan's coolness and courage aided materially in the successful culmination of these vitally important missions. He succeeded by his skill in handling his guns in warding off many enemy attacks directed against the safety of American personnel and aircraft. The services of S/Sgt. Riggan reflect the high traditions of the Army Air Forces. Residence at enlistment: Macon, N. C.

x. G.O. No. 37, Sec I, Hq, VIII Air Support Command, 13 October 1944.

(1) THOMAS L. ADAMS, , 1st Lt., 553rd Bombardment Squadron (M). For extraordinary achievement while serving as a Pilot on a B-26 airplane on twenty-five bombardment missions over enemy occupied Continental Europe. Lt. Adams displayed a steadfast devotion to duty and keen professional skill on these missions, many of which were dispatched under the most hazardous conditions and against heavily defended enemy positions. His superior flying skill and tireless energy reflects great credit on himself and the Armed Forces of the United States. Residence at commission: Fort Worth, Tex.

(2) STANLEY R. LOVELL, , 1st Lt., 553rd Bombardment Squadron (M). For extraordinary achievement while serving as a Pilot on a B-26 airplane on twenty-five bombardment missions over enemy occupied Continental Europe. Lt. Lovell's superior flying skill and untiring energy materially aided in the successful completion of these missions. His steadfast devotion to duty and his gallant courage reflects great credit on himself and upon the Military Forces of the United States. Residence at commission: Connersville, Ind.

(3) ROBERT H. HALVERSON, , 2nd Lt., 553rd Bombardment Squadron (M). For extraordinary achievement while serving as a Co-Pilot on a B-26 airplane on twenty-five bombardment missions over enemy occupied Continental