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E. & E. REPORT No. I.S.9 (WEA) 8/92/508

TOP SECRET.
I.S.9 (WEA)

(Applies to all BRITISH, CANADIAN, U.S. & ALLIED PERSONNEL)

EVASION CAPTURE/ESCAPED FROM (Name of Country) France.

E&E# 1014

For All Personnel.

- 1. No. 0-815232 Rank 2nd/Lt. Name FRANK W. RAMSEY.
(U.K.: Acting, Temp. or W/S)
- 2. Decorations: (U.S.A.A.F.: No. of missions) 27 missions, Air medal 4 clusters.
- 3. Were you wounded? Give details No.
- 4. Ship (Navy), Unit (Army), Sqn. (Air Force) 394 B.G., 585 B.S.
- 5. Div. (Army) or Gp. (Air Force) 9th A.F. 6. Job (Pl. Comd., Rfn., etc.) CO)PILOT.
- 7. Date of Birth 17 December, 1916 8. Length of Service 3 1/2 yrs.
- 9. Peace time occupation advertizing. 10. Private address 2121 N. Shartel,
Oklahoma City, Okla.
- 11. Did you carry any form of identification, or photograph? dogtags and escape photos.
- 12. Do you speak French, or any other foreign language? No.

FOR R.A.F. ONLY.

- 13. No. and location of O.T.U.
- 14. No. and location of Conversion Unit

FOR ALL AIR FORCE PERSONNEL AND/OR AIRBORNE OR PARACHUTE TROOPS
WHO BALE OUT

- 15. Post in Crew CO-PILOT.
- 16. Other members of crew, and information about what has happened to them.
N.B.—Airborne and Parachute Troops: list below names and units of other occupants of plane, including R.A.F. and U.S.A.A.F.

- PILOT For list of crew see E&E No. 8/94
- CO-PILOT
- NAVIGATOR
- BOMBARDIER
- RADIO OPERATOR
- TOP TURRET GUNNER
- BALL TURRET GUNNER
- WAIST GUNNER (R.)
- WAIST GUNNER (L.)
- TAIL GUNNER

- 17. Type of aircraft, place, date, time of departure B-26, left England 1830, 9 August
- 18. Where and when did you come down? near ALLENCON, 1930, 9 August.
- 19. How did you dispose of your parachute, harness and mae west? French family disposed of both.
- 20. Were all secret papers and equipment destroyed? believe so.

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Name: **BRANK W. HARRY**

Rank: **Sgt**
(U.K.: Acting, Temp. or W/S)

I came down near ALINCON at 1930, 9 August. A French family put me up for the night. The next day I was brought to the FORET DE FRETVAL. Further details about this forest and how we were taken out can be found in E. & E. Report No. 8/2.

Ship (Navy), Unit (Army), or Air Force: **1039 (DAVIS)**

Div. (Army) or Gp. (Air Force): **60 (PILOT)**

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Date of Birth: **27 December 1918**

Peace time occupation: **Advertising**

Private address: **2121 N. Shafter, Oklahoma City, Okla.**

11. Did you carry any form of identification, or photographs, passports and escape photos?

12. Do you speak French, or any other foreign language?

FOR R.A.F. ONLY

13. No. and location of O.T.U.

14. No. and location of Conversion Unit

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PILOT

CO-PILOT

NAVIGATOR

BOMBARDIER

RADIO OPERATOR

TOP TURRET GUNNER

BALL TURRET GUNNER

WAIST GUNNER (R.)

WAIST GUNNER (L.)

TAIL GUNNER

17. Type of aircraft, place, date, time of departure

Interviewed by I.S.9 (WEA)

Date: **15 August, 1944**

- Attached: Appendix "B"
- " "C"
- " "D"

Richard H. Dana
RICHARD H. DANA
2nd/Lt., CAG

19. How did you dispose of your harness and map case?

20. Were all secret papers and equipment destroyed?

Disposal: **returned to unit.**

Major

HEADQUARTERS
EUROPEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
P/W and X Detachment
Military Intelligence Service

E & E REPORT NO.
EVASION IN

8-17-44

(Date)

RAMSEY, FRANK W 2/LT 0-815232
(Name) (Rank) (ASN)

27

(Number of Missions)

MIA: AUG-9-44

Arrived in UK:

AUG 16 - 44

585 TH

(Squadron)

394 TH

(Group)

MEMBERS OF CREW: (This information checked with PWIB)

PILOT KEE, CHARLES

CO-PILOT RAMSEY FW (NARRATOR)

NAVIGATOR

BOMBARDIER SINGER, SAM

RADIO OPERATOR STOLL

TOP TURRET GUNNER HEMETER

BALL TURRET GUNNER

WAIST GUNNER

WAIST GUNNER

TAIL GUNNER NIX

Official
Disposition

Narrators
Disposition

PILOT

P.W. (UNCONFIRMED
BY FRENCH)

BOMBARDIER
EVADED

TUR. GUNNER
PROBABLY DEAD
(FRENCH)

WAIST GUNNER
PROBABLY DEAD
(FRENCH)

TAIL GUNNER
PROBABLY DEAD
(FRENCH)

Were you wounded?

NO

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WAR DEPARTMENT
The Adjutant General's Office
Washington

AG 383.6 (31 Jul 43) OB-S-B-M

KLS/el-2B-939 Pentagon

6 August 1943

SUBJECT: Amended Instructions Concerning Publicity in Connection with Escaped Prisoners of War, to Include Evaders of Capture in Enemy or Enemy-Occupied Territory and Internees in Neutral Countries.

TO: The Commanding Generals,
Army Ground;
Army Air Forces;
The Commander-in-Chief, Southwest Pacific Area;
The Commanding Generals,
Theaters of Operations;
Defense Commands;
Departments;
Base Commands;
The Commanding Officers,
Base Commands;
Director, Bureau of Public Relations.

1. Publication or communication to any unauthorized persons of experiences of escape or evasion from enemy-occupied territory, internment in a neutral country, or release from internment not only furnishes useful information to the enemy but also jeopardizes future escapes, evasions and releases.
2. Personnel will not, unless authorized by the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, War Department General Staff, publish in any form whatever or communicate either directly, or indirectly, to the press, radio or an unauthorized person any account of escape or evasion of capture from enemy or enemy-occupied territory, or internment in a neutral country either before or after repatriation. They will be held strictly responsible for all statements contained in communications to friends which may subsequently be published in the press or otherwise.
3. Evaders, escapees, or internees shall not be interrogated on the circumstances of their experiences in escape, evasion or internment except by the agency designated by the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, War Department General Staff, or the corresponding organization in overseas theaters of operations. In allied or neutral countries, American Military Attaches are authorized to interrogate on escape, evasion and internment matters.
4. Should the services of escaped prisoners of war, evaders, or internees be deemed necessary for lecturing and briefing, such services will be under the direct supervision of the agency designated by the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, War Department General Staff, or the corresponding organization in overseas theaters of operations.
5. Commanding Officers will be responsible for instructing all evaders, escapees, and internees in the provisions of this directive which supercedes letter, AG 383.6 (5 Nov 42) OB-S-B-M, 7 November 1942, subject: Instructions concerning Publicity in Connection with Escaped Prisoners of War and other previous instructions on this subject.

By order of the Secretary of War:

/s/ J. A. ULIO
J. A. ULIO
Major General,
The Adjutant General.

1. Information about your escape or your evasion from capture *would be useful to the enemy* and a danger to your friends. It is therefore **SECRET**.

2. a You must therefore not disclose, except to the first Military Attache to whom you report, or to an officer designated by the Commanding General of the Theater of Operations, or by A. C. of S., G-2, W. D.
 - (1) The names of those who helped you.
 - (2) The method by which you escaped or evaded.
 - (3) The route you followed.
 - (4) Any other facts concerning your experience.
- b You must be particularly on your guard with persons representing the press.
- c You must give no account of your experiences in books, newspapers, periodicals or in broadcasts or in lectures.
- d You must give no information to anyone, irrespective of nationality, in letters or in conversation, except as specifically directed in Par. 4.
- e No lectures or reports are to be given to any unit without the permission of A. C. of S., G-2, W. D., or corresponding organization in the theater.

GERTIFICATE

I have read the above and certify that I will comply with it.

I understand that any information concerning my *escape or evasion* from capture is **SECRET** and must not be disclosed to anyone other than the agency designated by A. C. of S., G-2, War Department, the corresponding organization in overseas theaters of operations, or to the Military Attache in a neutral country to whom I first report. I understand that disclosure to anyone else will make me liable to disciplinary action.

Name (Print) RAMSEY, FRANK W
Rank 2 NO LT A. S. N. 0-815232
Unit 394TH B.G 585 B.S.

Signed Frank W. Ramsey
Dated August 17, 1943
Witness John F. White, Jr. Capt AC

AG P BR HQ SCS

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If any further information is required concerning this report detailed application should be made to I.S.9. (WEA) G-2 Div S.H.A.E.F. giving the E and E Report No.

DISTRIBUTION:

Capt Devereux, Ops	1
Capt Arnold, 9 AF	1
G-2 FUSA (less "C")	1
G-2 TUSA (less "C")	1
File	1
Hq. I.S. 9 (WEA)	3
P/W & X Det. MIS	✓
G-2 Div. SHARP	
(Less App. "C" & "D")	
File	

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CERTIFIED THAT:

No. G-815-232 Rank 2/1LT

Name (BLOCK LETTERS) FRANK W. RAMSEY

Unit 394 B.G. 585 B.S.

has been fully/~~briefly~~/interrogated by an Intelligence Officer of I.S.9(WEA) on 15 Aug 1944

and has signed a Security Certificate.

He should/~~should not~~/be re-interrogated.

Richard H. Danc
2/1LT, CAC Major. *2/1*

IMPORTANT.

THIS CERTIFICATE MUST BE RETAINED AND HANDED TO (BRITISH)
AN OFFICER OF M.I.9 OR (AMERICAN), AN OFFICER OF PW. & X. DET.
M.I.S. ON ARRIVAL IN U.K. OR U.S.A.

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CERTIFIED THAT:

This Officer/W.O./N.C.O. has special information on the following subjects:—

Name (BLOCK LETTERS) *FRANK W. BARKER*

Unit *344 C.C. 282 P.I.*

has been fully interviewed by an Intelligence Officer of I.S. (WEA) on 17 Aug 1954

and has signed a Security Certificate.

returned to *K.* *this letter should*

He should not be re-interrogated.

report to 63 Brook St London

Major *Richard H. Brown*

SIC CAC

IMPORTANT

R Davis

SIC, CAC

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