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 HEADQUARTERS ARMY AIR FORCES
 WASHINGTON

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 Date **MAR 15 1946**

MISSING AIR CREW REPORT

IMPORTANT: This report will be compiled in quadruplicate by each Army Air Forces organization within 48 hours of the time an air crew member is officially reported missing.

1. ORGANIZATION: Location, by Name Yangkai, China; Command or Air Force 14th U. S. Group 541st Bomb. (M); Squadron 11th (M)AAF; Detachment Training Det.
2. SPECIFY: Place of Departure Fenny, India; Course South
 Target or Intended Destination: Local Training; Type of Mission Training
3. WEATHER CONDITIONS AND VISIBILITY AT TIME OF CRASH OR WHEN LAST REPORTED:
1500 to 2000 feet ceiling
4. GIVE: (a) Day 9 Month 7 Year 45; Time 0330Z; and Location Over Fenny Air Field
 of last known whereabouts of missing aircraft.
 (b) Specify whether aircraft was last sighted (); Last contacted by radio (); Forced down (); Seen to Crash (); or Information not Available ()
5. AIRCRAFT WAS LOST, OR IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN LOST, AS A RESULT OF: (Check only one) Enemy Aircraft (); Enemy Anti-Aircraft (); Other Circumstances as Follows: Unknown
6. AIRCRAFT: Type, Model and Series A-26 B; AAF Serial Number 44-34452
7. NICKNAME OF AIRCRAFT, if Any _____
8. ENGINES: Type, Model and Series Unknown; AAF Serial Number (a) Unknown; (b) _____; (c) Unknown; (d) _____
9. INSTALLED WEAPONS (Furnish below Make, Type and Serial Number):
 (a) All unknown; (b) _____; (c) _____; (d) _____
 (e) _____; (f) _____; (g) _____; (h) _____
 (i) _____; (j) _____; (k) _____; (l) _____
 (m) _____; (n) _____; (o) _____; (p) _____
10. THE PERSONS LISTED BELOW WERE REPORTED AS: (a) Battle Casualty
 or (b) Non Battle Casualty X
11. NUMBER OF PERSONS ABOARD AIRCRAFT: Crew 3; Passengers 0; Total 3
 (Starting with Pilot; furnish the following particulars: If more than 11 persons were aboard aircraft, list similar particulars on separate sheet and attach original to this form.)

Crew Position	Name in Full (Last Name First)	Rank	Serial Number	Current Status
1. Pilot	<u>McDonald, Archie E.</u>	<u>1st Lt.</u>	<u>O-773185</u>	<u>Missing KILLED</u>
2. Alternate Pilot	<u>Orr, Lloyd R.</u>	<u>1st Lt.</u>	<u>O-718921</u>	<u>Missing KILLED</u>
3. Navigator	<u>Robinson, David V.</u>	<u>1st Lt.</u>	<u>O-798658</u>	<u>Missing KILLED</u>
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
9. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
10. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
11. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____

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12. IDENTIFY BELOW THOSE PERSONS WHO ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE LAST KNOWLEDGE OF AIRCRAFT, AND CHECK APPROPRIATE COLUMN TO INDICATE BASIS FOR KNOWLEDGE.
 Check Only One Column
- | Name in Full
(Last Name First) | Rank | Serial Number | Contacted by | | | | Saw | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------|----------------|-------|--|
| | | | Radio | Last Sighted | Crash | Forced Landing | | |
| 1. _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | |
| 2. _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | |
| 3. _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | |

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11TH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (M) AAF
341ST BOMBARDMENT GROUP (M) AAF

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SUBJECT : Transmittal of AAF Form 129 (Missing Aircrew Report)

TO : Commanding General
Army Air Forces
Washington 25, D.C.
ATTENTION : AC/AS, Personnel, Notification Branch

1. Transmitted herewith is the AAF Form 129 (Missing Aircrew Report) on personnel missing while on a training flight from Fenny, India.
2. This report is based on a radiogram from the 434th Bombardment Sq. since personnel of this organization are attached to that squadron for training in A-26 type aircraft. Much of the information on the aircraft and the Flight Plan is not available for inclusion in the report because of the location of the take-off point.
3. An additional Form 129 may have been prepared by the 434th Bombardment Squadron.

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