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9 April 1943.

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TO : Personnel concerned.

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  - (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. 4a.e. No lectures or reports are to be given to any unit without the permission of the War or Navy Department.

By command of Lieutenant General ANDREWS:

*Ralph Pulsifer*  
R. T. S.  
RALPH PULSIFER,  
Colonel, AGD, Adjutant General.

CERTIFICATE

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

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Name (Print) Joseph M. Marino  
Rank Sgt. ASN 33284596  
Unit 335<sup>th</sup> Sq. 95<sup>th</sup> Gp.

Signed *Joseph M. Marino*  
Date 11-21-43  
Witness *Walter G. Smith*

19 October 1942

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Name(Print) Joseph M. Aquino Signed Joseph M. AquinoRank S/Sgt A.S.N. 33284596 Date 11-10-43Unit 95th Gp. Witness Grady Lewis  
Major

(3)

SECRET - AMERICAN  
MOST SECRET - BRITISH  
MIS (X)

HEADQUARTERS  
EUROPEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS  
PW and X Detachment  
Military Intelligence Service

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR SERVICE PERSONNEL  
EVADING FROM ENEMY OCCUPIED COUNTRIES

1. Full Name, Rank and Serial No. *Joseph M. Aquino /Sgt. 33284596*
2. Decorations. *Air medal*
3. Unit or Squadron. *335 sq 95th Gyo.*
4. Division (Army) or Group. *RAF*
5. Date of Birth. *Aug. 13, 1920*
6. Length of Service. *1 yr*
7. Private Address. *822 2nd Ave BEAVER FALLS, PENNA.*
8. If in A.F., on what operation were you engaged? State place, date, and time of departure. Where and when did you come down? Were aircraft and all instruments and papers destroyed?  
*Target was near Munich (Ragensburg) took off from Horham, Eng. approx 7AM. Went down in Belgium, near Antwerp, morning of Aug. 17, 1943*  
*N10KM course*
9. What was your position in aircraft? *TAIL Gunner*
10. Were you wounded? *yes LEFT + RIGHT Leg*
11. Did you pay your guides? If so how much? *no (org.)*
12. Do you speak French? Spanish? *Little (great deal of Italian)*
13. Did you have Identity Papers? *False card*
14. Have you been questioned before to-day on your escape or evasion? If so, where and by whom? Have you given anyone a written report on your experiences. Where and when?  
*YES, in Gib. Bn INT.*
15. Did you report on your operations? If so, where and to whom? *NO*
16. Did you sign a security certificate warning you against talking about your escape or evasion? If so, where and when?  
*yes, Madrid, + Gib. Nov. 8, 1943 + Nov. 11, 1943*
17. Date of arrival in Spain. *Oct. 5, 1943*
18. Date of arrival at Gibraltar. *Nov. 10, 1943*
19. Place and date of departure for U.K. By sea or air. *by air from Gib Nov. 19, 1943*
20. Place and date of arrival in U.K.  
*Arrived Bristol Nov. 29, 1943*

17 August

Over Bly coast - Flak - then head on for attacks - 20 min. in radio room - fire - Lou Carbone said fire - didn't put out - firing - saw 3 chutes open at 5 + 6<sup>o'clock</sup> - went into fuselage & saw ~~the~~ Barrett BOing from waist door - fuselage empty - Run in flames - I went out the hatch - 15000 ft. BO'd - dived to 7000 judged from size of ground objects - in tumbling spin after burning 1/2 - stopped it by moving feet - (Rely forward & back) Started out - saw one chute - clout ground - saw bushes & people running - expected capture - tried to guide chute to avoid people & high tension wires - Seine forest - landed in it - landed in clear patch - surrounded by bushes - Several people came running up - lying on ground - no one touched me - asked English? - no, Americans - cheered - about 15 - I took off chute - 2 jumpers hit into house - house 200 yds away - people living here with me - 3 people to house - in house ~~to~~ gave away all flying equipment - in house after 4 mins - in house 5 mins - girl split little bag & took me into woods - she said Jerry's looking me - in woods til midnight - looked over map - typed ankle - girl said near Antwerp - Zoberal village 6 miles away - girl came in woods with food - had fly clothes on - at 9 p.m. a fellow came to say must land at all identification - back at midnight - <sup>to</sup> Pulverbosch <sup>walk</sup> - 9 miles

Boyly which told me that my brother was hiding in woods and girl went to look for him but didn't find him - Carbone not there when Bely started work

ZOBERSZ 6 kms N of Antwerp  
 PULVERBOSCH 12 kms E of Antwerp

then heard that Barnett & Davies now - looking for Captone in woods -  
to house where told to them in to woods at 0100 hrs - brot in Louise at  
6450 hrs by man - 2 days - no strangers - man's son out getting  
maps and information - told me best thing was to go into Antwerp -  
3<sup>rd</sup> <sup>20<sup>th</sup></sup> ~~left~~ by bike to house - in Antwerp - 2 nites here - another  
man picked me up & to another house - #5 St Joseph St. Antwerp -  
father's house didn't know them - no one to see me - 26<sup>th</sup> left  
for Brussels with son of family staying with - another man met  
us (But 2.0) - short, thin, wiry, grey hair, 5'7" - long, thin nose -  
took my GI shoes & gave me English shoes - took me to another  
house - here 3 weeks to 16<sup>th</sup> or 17<sup>th</sup> - while here - man to take  
picture (he had flat nose - burn scars on face -) (another man who said worked with  
Dy - asked about planes etc. - curiously) - ~~Another man came~~  
& told me trying to find Capt. friend to get me there) - he did - a  
man came next day 16<sup>th</sup> & took me to another house where I  
met Hooker - (man, young boy)

business man, working in public office - 240 lbs, 35 yrs age -  
clean cut - black hair - had friend in Belg. police force -  
Police man got IC for me - (Brussels)

cmd - with Hooker

Two men in Belg. plenum in Brussels - told me that an Amer.  
2d Lt & a Canadian (right little finger missing) ~~was~~ were working  
for Germans - The Canadian pretends to help allied  
German & takes them to Germans where Amer. 2d Lt -  
interrogates them - An 2d Lt. so protected that they  
couldn't get to him - have had Canadian 3 or 4 times  
but he slips away -

after we got over the Belgian coast ~~first~~ we encountered  
flak and then head-on fighter attacks. A 20 mm exploded  
in the radio room. <sup>putting it on fire</sup> Sgt Carlone called over the inter-com that he could not put  
it out. ~~Sgt Carlone said there was a fire there~~ ~~it out,~~

Fighter Attack;  
AIRCRAFT ON FIRE

~~which he could not put out,~~ I continued firing until  
three chutes appeared <sup>behind the ship</sup> and then I crawled into the

waist. Sgt Barrett was just jumping from the waist  
door. ~~There was no one in sight -~~  
~~leaving the waist empty.~~ The radio room was

in flames so I baled out from the tail around  
15000 feet. I delayed my jump down to 7000 feet

Delayed Jump

~~and~~ judging my height by ground objects, after leaving  
the aircraft I ~~had been~~ <sup>was</sup> in a tumbling spin but had  
straightened out my fall by pulling my legs <sup>in</sup> together.

When ~~my~~ chute opened I saw another one closer  
to the ground. People on bicycles and others running  
were approaching my landing point. I expected  
capture but tried to guide my chute ~~farther~~  
away from the people.

I landed in a clearing in a wood  
and lay stunned for a moment. Several people  
had reached me while I was getting to my  
feet but no one touched me. One of them  
asked if I were American or English and when  
I nodded ~~the Frenchman~~ <sup>seemed pleased.</sup> ~~about~~ Almost fifteen

Surrounded By  
Belgians

gathered while I was taking off my chute and two ~~of the~~ farmers led me to a house about 200 yard away. The people who lived in the house were with us and I gave them all of my flying equipment. It had not taken more than four minutes from the moment I reached the ground until I was inside the house. I had not been there more than five minutes ~~when~~ a girl who spoke some English told me to follow her. She said the Germans were searching the area and took me into a wood, ~~not leaving me~~ until I was well hidden. ~~before she left.~~

HIDDEN FROM  
GERMAN SEARCH

Near ANTWERP

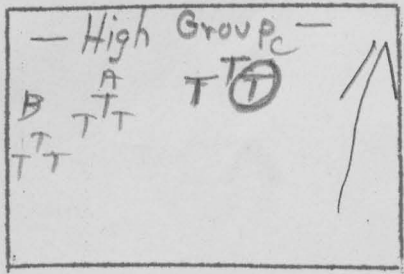
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JOURNEY  
ARRANGED

gfm

NAME Joseph W. Aquino RANK S/sgt. ASN 33284596 REPORT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

SQ 335 GROUP 95 A/C NO. 0176 Letter B Load 4x 500lb Date Aug 17, 1943  
Demo



Position in formation.  
Make Diagram

Observed results of Bombing:

NO, Target wasn't reached

Enemy Fighter Tactics:

Markings:

Head-on attacks  
AND under neath Fuselage

used  
(German markings)  
Swastika

Our Tactics:

evasive action

Our Fighter Support:

Very Good (P47's)

Flak

Approx.	Time	Place	Quality
	10 PM.	Coast of Belgium	Heavy

Technical Failures

Motors:

Armor:

Armament:

To my knowledge none

Miscellaneous:

Fighter Cannon shell exploded in radio room setting us afire

Comments and Suggestions on any of the above:

NONE

Mo & Mo



S E C R E T

APPENDIX "D" TO E AND E REPORT NO.

No., Rank, Name:-

*Joseph M. Aquino S/sgt 3328  
4596*

Unit:-

*335 sq 95 GP*

Please answer carefully the questions below. Suggestions for improvement of escape equipment and training must come largely from those who make use of them. Your report and comments will help others to evade capture or to escape.

1. AIDS BOX

- (a) Did you use your aids box? *yes, during first 48hrs of Hiding*
- (b) If not, had you one on you? *— —*
- (c) If not, why had you no aids box? *— —*
- (d) If you used it, which of the following items did you use? Put a dash (-) against each item used and state briefly the circumstances, e.g., "Lying up for 2 nights", etc.
- (i) Horlicks tablets. *yes*
  - (ii) Chocolate *yes*
  - (iii) Milk (tube). *no*
  - (iv) Benzadrine tablets (fatigue) *no*
  - (v) Halazone tablets (water purifier). *yes*
  - (vi) Matches. *yes*
  - (vii) Adhesive tape. *yes*
  - (viii) Chewing gum. *yes*
  - (ix) Water bottle. *yes*
  - (x) Compass *yes*
- (e) Did any of the above items prove unsatisfactory? If so, in what respect? *Items satisfactory*
- (f) How did you finally dispose of the box? *buried in ground*
- (g) Can you suggest any way in which the contents of the aids box might be changed to make it of greater use, bearing in mind that the size of it cannot be larger? *none*

2. PURSE

- (a) Did you carry a purse? *yes only loose English currency*  
If so, state COLOR. *Brown*  
If NOT, state why not. *never carry purse on missions*
- (b) Did you use the purse? *yes, to organization*
- (c) If so, which of the following items in the purse did you use? Put a dash (-) against each item used and state briefly the circumstances.
- (i) Maps. Which ones? *no*
  - (ii) Compass. *yes*

(iii) File (hacksaw). **NO**

(iv) Foreign currency. State countries and amounts.  
How did you spend the money.

2000 francs  
~~Spanish Currency~~  
400 Pesetas  
For clothes  
from group

(d) How did you dispose of:-

Maps. **burned**

Compass. **in river**

• File (hacksaw). **river**

Surplus currency. **org.**

3. AIDS TO ESCAPE - (GADGETS+)

(+Issued separately from aids boxes and purses.) **NONE**

(a) Did you carry or wear any of the following?  
If you used any of them, state briefly WHEN and WHERE

(i) Round compass. **yes in woods**

(ii) Stud compass. **NO**

(iii) Swinger compass. **NO**

(iv) Fly-button compass. **NO**

(v) Pencil clip compass. **NO**

(vi) Tunic button compass. **NO**

(vii) Pipe compass. **NO**

(viii) Pouch **NO**

(ix) Special flying boots (and knife). **NO**

(b) Were they satisfactory? **yes**

(c) Can you suggest any improvements, additions, or substitutions  
which would improve the above equipment?

**Knife + not needed by me**

and  
given + told to  
carry them

4. PASSPORT SIZE PHOTOGRAPHS

(a) Did you carry passport-size photographs? **yes, one but**  
If so, how many?

(b) Did you use them? **yes, on false passport also**  
State how.

**could have used another, would advise  
others to carry <sup>two</sup> 2 at least.**

5. LECTURES

(a) Were you lectured on evasion and escape? **yes, in Herham by**  
State WHERE, WHEN and by WHOM.

**has water in July**

**fellow men** in July.

(b) Did you find the lectures of value? **yes, - very**

**particularly about jump -  
and hiding in immediately or getting out of the area**

**Should be told not to carry plgs of wood  
being stopped**

The following information has been obtained from our interview with  
Sgt. Joseph M. Aguirre ( ..... ) who escaped  
after capture by the enemy/evaded capture by the enemy after being  
in enemy/enemy occupied territory.

Further circulation of this information may be made, but when doing so  
it is important not to divulge any particulars of source.

*in full operation Evad Sept*  
*damage done outside of runways*  
*of barracks believed runway was field*  
*7/10/43*  
Statement of information covering period from Aug 17, 1943  
to Oct 4, 1943  
*near a cemetery called Core It was bombed middle of*  
*10/12 Sept*  
*10/12 Sept*  
*15 Sept no planes runways good*  
*2 small hangars dispersed 4 miles from main road to*  
*SqW German fields in Brussels, Antwerp, Lille*  
*looked occupied but had no soldiers*

and Bayonne, the latter a training field with approx  
50 Parashot type planes similar to an Stinson or "Stinson"  
I was told of bombing results in Bruxelles (air field)  
approx. 800 Germans killed in Barracks, results were  
good, although a cemetery nearby was badly torn up.

I observed A.A. fire in Paris I saw the  
gun which was an 88 mm. This occurred at night  
though not till next morning that I was some 200 yds from  
the battery. *Suburbs south. Public Park near.*

I observed formations of Ju 88's, elements  
of 3 and 6 in a group, this was in Brussels, also saw  
a squadron of 190's manuevering amongst this formation, which  
looked similar to our combat tactics in OTU. (training)

In Paris I was told of Bombs in their back-  
yard @ safe) and Germans were examining them, *2 bad bombs*  
I saw results of rail way bombing, which was poor  
in results, bombs were dropped in streets killing 2 trollys  
 jammed with civilians, Paris suburbs south B26's  
*Sept*

HIS(X). Check further Johnny  
E. G. check  
Washington

E+E #227  
Sgt. Aquino  
App. C.

typed

Sgt. Aquino landed on 17 August 1943 one mile from ZOERSEL (6 kms N of PULDERBOSCH, which is 17 kms. due E of ANTWERP). He was hidden in the woods by Belgian peasants who fed him, and that night, <sup>(a young man led)</sup> ~~took~~ him to a house in PULDERBOSCH where he stayed for two days. He was then taken on a bicycle into ANTWERP where, after spending two nights in one house, he was taken to 5 RUE ST. JOSEPH. The son of the family here kept ~~him~~ Aquino for three days (the father of the family being entirely unaware of his presence) and then took him to BRUSSELS where he turned him over to a thin, grey-haired man, 5'7" tall, who is a British I.O. This man took Aquino to a house in Brussels where he remained for three weeks. There his photograph was taken, and a man (240 lbs., 35 years old, black hair) procured an identity card for Aquino from a ~~police officer~~ friend on the Belgian police force. On ~~the~~ 17 September a young man ~~took~~ called for Aquino and took him to a house where he found Hooker. From this point his story is the same as Hooker's.

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

E & E REPORT NO. 227  
EVASION IN FRANCE

11-21-43  
(Date)

Joseph M. AQUINO S/Sgt 33284596  
(Name) (Rank) (ASN)

335 Bomb (H) 95 Bomb (H)  
(Squadron) (Group)

AGE: 23  
LENGTH OF SERVICE: 1 yr. 4 mo  
HOME ADDRESS: 822 - Second Ave  
BEAVER FALLS, PENNA.

MIA: 17 August 1943  
Arrived in Spain: Oct. 3, 1943  
Arrived in Gibraltar: NOV. 10, 1943  
Arrived in UK: NOV. 20, 1943

MEMBERS OF CREW: (This information checked with PWIB)

	Official Disposition	Narrators Disposition		
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PILOT	0-735467 1st Lt. John L. <sup>Sundberg</sup> <del>BUNBERG</del>	P/W	MIA	NO INFORMATION
CO-PILOT	0-740882 2d Lt John P. MOYER	P/W	MIA	
NAVIGATOR	0-674228 2d Lt William K. McNATT		MIA	
BOMBARDIER	0-738951 2d Lt Claude F. LIVINGSTON	P/W	MIA	
RADIO OPERATOR	31119120 T/Sgt Anthony L. CARLONE	OK Plans before jump	MIA	Received from people that he was trying to be found in woods near myself.
TOP TURRET GUNNER	36330057 T/Sgt Lester E. SCHWAB	NO INFO	MIA	P/W
BALL TURRET GUNNER	39603275 S/Sgt Vermerso L. DAVIES	→ Known to me as P/W	MIA	P/W
WALST GUNNER	37272514 S/Sgt Leroy A. FUNK			E&E REPORT NO. 94
WALST GUNNER	35374757 S/Sgt Franklin G. BARRETT	→ known to me as P/W	MIA	P/W
TAIL GUNNER	33284596 S/Sgt Joseph M. AQUINO			NARRATOR

Were you wounded?

YES, slight injuries by shrapnel in Left leg.  
+ from jump (received med. treatment)

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MOST SECRET - BRITISH

SECRET  
By Authority of  
A.C. of S. G-2.  
Initials.....  
Date.....  
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10 December 1943

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EVASION IN FRANCE *Belgium*

Joseph M AQUINO, S/Sgt, 33284596  
335 Bomb Squadron (H), 95 Bomb Group (H)

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5 October 1943  
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10 November 1943  
Arrived in UK:  
20 November 1943

AGE: 23 years  
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HOME ADDRESS: 822 Second Avenue  
BEAVER FALLS, Pennsylvania

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BALL TURRET GUNNER	39603275	S/Sgt	Vermerso L DAVIES	P/W
WAIST GUNNER	37272514	S/Sgt	Leroy A FUNK	E & E RPT NO 94
WAIST GUNNER	35374757	S/Sgt	Franklin G BARRETT	P/W
TAIL GUNNER	33284596	S/Sgt	Joseph M AQUINO	NARRATOR

FIGHTER ATTACK;  
AIRCRAFT ON  
FIRE  
DELAYED JUMP

*on the way to the target at Schweinfurt*  
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SURROUNDED BY  
BELGIANS

I landed in a clearing in a wood and lay stunned for a moment. Several people reached me while I was getting to my feet but no one touched me. One of them asked if I were American and English and when I nodded, they seemed pleased. Almost fifteen gathered while I was

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NEAR ANTWERP

JOURNEY  
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taking off my chute and two farmers led me to a house about 200 yards away. The people who lived in the house were with us and I gave them all of my flying equipment. It had not taken more than four minutes from the moment I reached the ground until I was inside the house. I had not been there more than five minutes when a girl who spoke some English told me to follow her. She said the Germans were searching the area and took me into a wood, not leaving me until I was well hidden.

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Compiled by:

Approved by:

*W.S. Holt*

JOHN F WHITE, Jr  
Capt, AC

W S HOLT  
Lt Col, AC

1ST AIRBORNE DIVISION	33524200	2/28	1000000000	1000000000
2ND AIRBORNE DIVISION	33524201	2/28	1000000000	1000000000
3RD AIRBORNE DIVISION	33524202	2/28	1000000000	1000000000
4TH AIRBORNE DIVISION	33524203	2/28	1000000000	1000000000
5TH AIRBORNE DIVISION	33524204	2/28	1000000000	1000000000
6TH AIRBORNE DIVISION	33524205	2/28	1000000000	1000000000
7TH AIRBORNE DIVISION	33524206	2/28	1000000000	1000000000
8TH AIRBORNE DIVISION	33524207	2/28	1000000000	1000000000
9TH AIRBORNE DIVISION	33524208	2/28	1000000000	1000000000
10TH AIRBORNE DIVISION	33524209	2/28	1000000000	1000000000

MEMBERS OF CREW: (List of names and positions)

HOME ADDRESS: 822 Second Avenue  
 PLACE OF RESIDENCE: 1 1/2 blocks  
 AGE: 33 years

332 West 25th St (H) 22 West 25th St (H)  
 25th St (H) 22 West 25th St (H)

SECTION IN CHARGE  
155 00 155 00

10 December 1943

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE  
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SECRET - AMERICAN  
MOST SECRET - BRITISH

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10 December 1943

APPENDIX "B" TO E & E REPORT NO. 227

1. The following information has been obtained after an interview with a sergeant who evaded capture by the enemy after being in enemy-occupied territory.
2. Further circulation of this information may be made, but in that case it is important not to divulge any particulars about the source.

Statement of information covering period from 17 August 1943  
to 4 October 1943

- a. Saw a German airfield four miles south of BRUSSELS on the main road leading toward the French border. It is near the EVRE cemetery. This field was bombed in September and evader heard that 800 Germans were killed. The main barrack section was destroyed. On 15 September there were no planes on the field although the runways looked undamaged. (Observation and Hearsay - September 1943)
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AGUINO-APPENDIX B:

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