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

E & E REPORT NO 730
EVASION IN FRANCE

(Date)

TARGET: SKI SITES, Northern France

Date Missing in Action: 14 Jan 44

Date Arrived in UK: 8 June 44

Ernest V LINDELL, 2d Lt, 0-753009

(Name)	(Rank)	(ASN)
2		
(No of Missions)		
547 Bomb Squadron, 384 Bomb Group		
(Squadron)	(Group)	

MEMBERS OF CREW: (This information checked with PWIB)

Indicate what happened to each man and how you know

Position	ASN	Rank	Name	Status
PILOT	0-804606	2d Lt	Neill L BRITT	P/W
CO-PILOT	0-751963	2d Lt	Raymond J HALEY	P/W
NAVIGATOR	0-753009	2d Lt	Ernest V LINDELL	NARRATOR
BOMBARDIER	0-746610	2d Lt	Oscar G RICHARD, III	P/W
RADIO OPERATOR	12057490	T/Sgt	Morton G HARRIS	P/W
TOP TURRET GUNNER	32444729	S/Sgt	Donald P TUCKER	P/W
BALL TURRET GUNNER	35497409	Sgt	William D ARGENBRIGHT	P/W
WAIST GUNNER	14140282	Sgt	Morton C MASON, JR	P/W
WAIST GUNNER	14108388	S/Sgt	Conway B NICHOLS	P/W
TAIL GUNNER	39277903	Sgt	Clarence L WOLFE	P/W

Were you wounded?

~~We were briefed for a ski site about 20 miles inland. Soon after ~~the~~ we crossed the coast we met flak at our altitude, and four or five bursts exploded close to us. Number four engine, which could not be feathered, was shaking the wing, and number three, with which we had already had trouble, went out. I was hit in the arm by a piece of flak. We turned 180° out of formation, dropped our bombs, and prepared to bail out. I was the next to last one to go because I was ~~stopped to look for~~ trying to find my escape kit. I went out at about 12,000 feet.~~

BAILED OUT

I landed between two haystacks, ran to the nearest one to hide my parachute, and left quickly without hiding my chute or mae west. I heard shooting, and thought that it was at me. I saw a German flak position in an old building shooting at our plane, which was headed right for it. Our plane crashed into the gun position and exploded.

SURPRISE

About half a mile away I met a farmer who had seen us coming down and was out to look for us. He shook my hand, asked me something about my parachute, and hid me in the bushes near a farm. That night he took me to a farm, fed me, and bandaged my arm. I said that I wanted to go to Spain. I was told that there was no help to be found and that it was a long walk, but I was given civilian clothes and let me sleep in the barn. The next morning the farmer showed me a back road and I left just about daylight.

HELPED

A little boy on a bicycle ~~seemed suspicious of me~~, stopped and asked me questions. As soon as he found out that I was an American everything was all right. I asked him the way to Paris, the only town that I could think of, and he showed me the way. I walked all day long, most of the time along main highways, going through quite a large ~~town~~ city.

WALKED ALL NEXT DAY

That evening outside the city I approached a woman working in a field to ask her for help. She took me in and fed me. A doctor came and looked at my arm.

HELPED

The next day I was taken to a place from which my journey was arranged.

JOURNEY ARRANGED

Compiled by

D E EMERSON
1st Lt, AUS

Approved by

W STULL HOLT
Lt Col, AC
Commanding

Appendix B

1. The following information has been obtained from an officer who evaded capture in enemy occupied territory.

2. Further circulation of this information may be made, but in that case it is important not to divulge any details about the source.

1944

Statement of information covering the period from 14 January to 7 May
general

a. Informant was told that somewhere in the vicinity of AMIENS the Germans have a large building with some sort of magnet^{ic} device for stopping A/C engines. Farmers near this installation had been told to take down their wire fences and to get all metal away.

b. Informant was also told that in this^{same} neighborhood the Germans have positions for rocket guns firing shells about a yard long. These shells are said to come from a slot about 60 yards long.

c. A German camp is located ~~just~~^{SE of} about a kilometer[^] outside the settled area of AMIENS, to the ~~SE~~ informant believes.

d. Informant's French helpers thought that it would take the Allies about three days to get to Amiens from the French coast ~~the~~^{once} the landing had been effected.

e. Informant was told that a German division which had been defeated in Russia was around ~~PAU~~ PAU in late April.

f. Going from AMIENS to PARIS by train ¹⁷ on ~~middle~~ April informant saw the results of excellent bombing at LONGEAU and CREIL.

g. Informant's helpers in Paris were disgusted about some bombardment of Paris in April, wondering why the target had been so badly missed.

h. A rumor had been spread in Paris that the Americans were sending Fortresses on raids with the whole crew drunk. The French suspected the Germans of following immediately ~~of~~ RAF bombing missions and damaging non-military targets so that it would look as if the blame were the RAF's.

Appendix D

1. I jumped without my aid box and purse.
2. I
3. I carried six passport-size photographs which I used on identity papers.
4. I had been lectured in December and January by PW officer at 384 Bomb Group. The lectures are valuable.

Widell Briefed for ski right c 20 miles inland - pulled in gun - all
 banded go - after No. 3 c time but for want c 2 miles later my gun
 Over land - saw flash in front - hit it - at our alt - through
 4 or 5 bursts explode close - pieces all over place - No. 4
 engine couldn't be feathered - shaly my - ^{again} No 3 not going
 but piece flash in air.

Widest long bomb - turn c 180° - out of - low &
 behind deep bomb - paper bait out - go -
 4 1/2 hrs mt
 No. 4 I next to last because trying to find EK - got mixed up -
 P leave after 1st between 2 by stats

Ranking 12,000' - no delay. Run to nearest to side of
 1st shot; - that a time - look around - saw old bldg -
 5 each position shooting at plane - @ loaded for
 pdy - worked into one half AA position - explode -
 on fire. I run across field in opposite direction.
 Never get chtr NW bid - met from c 1/2 mile -
 had run coming down over to last gun. Did me in
 looks was run faster. Shock me by but - ask something about
 pilot.

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That it can for me - took in - fed - am bagged - eat
 when I man in. He ask if do anything for me - I saw
 want go S to S pair - He say no help - a by walk - car
 give clothes, when leave - say an -
 by, let sleep in car - old pant, rain coat, wat, hat,
 Had low wat S/ shoes + summer flying suit, pant
 pants, green shirt.

Next am show me back wood - little kid ^{see my it's} like it's - ask
quarters - I do nothing but my son - Oh with his
five many - I ask Paris - only you could think I -
he show way -

I walked from 0800 - most dry along main highway.

out
about
silly
Dennis

Lady in field - Belg - I ask for help. She take in, follow.
They place they run to me at quick tell everybody - in
cross woman eyes of - c 50 - school teacher -

I was at home, riding dts - with leaf - the with little kid
Passed lots of 15 on roads - trucks, etc - but not
stopped.

Asked farmer for help but not give.
Followed sign posts to Paris. In Dennis. Boy get star
at me.

→ Say went on to stay there - that get help - also to take care
am.

We was for more 1 hour sick - look at am.
That you grandma come in - I not know what - Wanted identification
I had \$150 + all.

Took dog to - said get papers. Robert ^{hubby 40's} c 5'7" dark hair.

2 more grandams in to check papers -

He took me with in 1 hour a few - by car - into Dennis -

Man Vignone Teller lives at 137 Rue Valfray

170 yrs Wayne Arname said I saw previous by - George Bledstein -
wounded in by - he leave 2-3 days before I get there -

St. married - a man my best radio msg.
little hair, c 5'9" - 15" - c 170 lbs Assumed this man take Bledstein
out.

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Michel D (Mys & McCreedy to be checked on there)
Seem to be using this

c 5'10", dark hair - not too much, combed
at back.
Claims to have been in US prison for 9 months
Thinks now in prison now

Went back to work

1 June
3 months
Seems
17 Apr

Are you with me now - supposed to have something to do
with grass.

Airplane & not it.

Have seemed to be working out I/P

Has now been there - over every day with wife for dinner.

Also a letter in law with girl 14 x boy 13 - was over.

Eng. T. Johnson
1st Lt
Shot down
5 Nov
Saw field.

Then Mys & 2 G from Mosquito - 1 day Wm^s & P.

3 more west N - (G. Primali) Canadian (Sov)

2 more in - A woman big night son - N - took out for plane

in country (Saw egg as Mys - shot down by Schweinfurt raid)
British based carrier - shot down 5 Nov - in view when Refuse was - probably got her

Then 2 more - from Halifax - one G - Irish - other Canadian with Swiss

During this time Doug's crew shot down - they staying with
Michel.

Wm^s & Mys & P just to leave - with Michel - we had the
beach boat. One arm man at it another here in business.

Michel had 5 men from Doug's crew - had to leave because to some

Joe Bolf come - to take us - some little guy

Saw him Michel - helping him.

! 17 Apr

Took 7 of us & 3 of his Mike & Mac & G by shot down for
day.

To Paris - met by 2 men & girl - to Gabriel's home.

'Moe's' & then - Family, Sam, Mice then who we got then.

Others go elsewhere.

Next day couldn't buy 4 - 2 in garden - Mice to other (Saw to VC Paris.) Is day then.

Met dentist again - think Kella or Kelly.

B Misgust - about bombardment of Paris in spirit - wondered why missed target -

B | Rumor of Ant with all new drinks.
| Boring after RAF read

Cyber good in & wife's milk. On with me in
alt. 17

PM 27 Gally over - back to his home - met S J's - Sam, Family, Moe, Mice -

Girl who 1st hot us - took part of us - men another - to see park.

Moe's & I follow home to bed - tall, blond curly hair - to train - out Paris - girl up small ex pros; Others pass.

New guy on train - Baustais - 6 J's - 2 for look, girl (she says - 2 to girl going across.)

C 20-30 km N Toulouse M - train in Pak - train to Toulouse -

C 3 hrs around station -

Paris - night tips -

Family & then with me
and take 2.

Baustais, Moe, Mice & I ed you (with Belgian man & girl)

at home Belgian cotton merchant - 6' - black hair combed back,
 c 160 lbs - thin,
 wife also thin - 4 children - oldest girl - by - turns -
 Had that name trouble then - name 'Willie - Margit' in P - (Wm's
 N). The N - Wm's captured
 Said 2 been captured.

Said wouldn't go out 1st - Vichy & sent go out with 2 girls
 then left 3d; ^{1st two out to girl - at get home when his station - One B & One}
 Denny & another son.

2 to Spain 7 / Met at bus station - when Sam & family
 Off bus - follow to car - pile in - pick up for bed - Off -
 bed - in the morning - to shepherd's bed for out to wait for
 next day. c 2300 next out - off to work - guide -
 Met other boy - then out Denny - 5 tent off for out -
 N + on side hill outside of.

Sam follow get head tickets - did not food
 Next am - ran - Picked up for me & mine. 2d out on
 side hill - this time no food.

5th Jan in Spain - 3 for me.

Isaba - Pamplona, Alhama, Medind, Esil.

Be Capt at Esil.

at Mexi - la - Chateau sundance claimed to have located
 Widderton c 2 months after supposed to have gone out
 She wanted to have her foot back to go out with us.
 (Think Robin located)

Man told had been Is in of as allied airman - c
two front soldiers left (only in Jan)

Man reported by Michel D's brother from Paris -
short - very dark, black hair combed at back -
slitted back - look young - c27-28.

Ed

Comment:

Negative evidence in
this story (nine of crew
in P/W camps) indicates
that no one delayed his
jump.

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HEADQUARTERS
EUROPEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
OFFICE OF THE A. C. OF S., G-2

DATE: 9 June 1944

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

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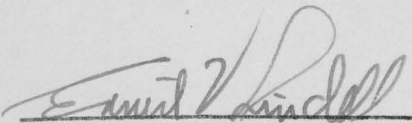
I, JOHN PRIGGINS, Capt., AC, 0-566463

hereby certify that I have known and have been associated with

ERNEST V. LINDELL, 2nd Lt., AC, 0-753009

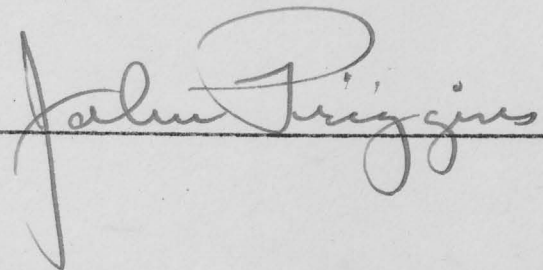
prior to his being reported missing in action over enemy territory.

The person whose signature and right thumb print appear hereon is the individual referred to above.

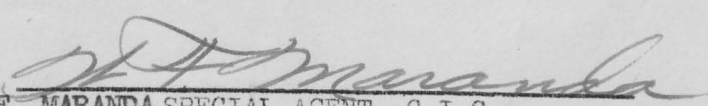


RIGHT THUMB PRINT:





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The individual whose signature and right thumb print appear hereon has been identified to the satisfaction of this office as ERNEST V. LINDELL, 2nd Lt., AC, 0-753009 (547 Bomb Squadron - 384 Bomb Group) previously reported missing in action over enemy territory.


W. F. MARANDA SPECIAL AGENT, C.I.C.

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AG 383.6

Hq ETOUSA

19 October 1942

SUBJECT: Safeguarding of P/W Information.

TO : Personnel concerned.

1. It is the duty of all Americans to safeguard information which might, either directly or indirectly, be useful to the enemy.
2. It is an offense, carrying heavy penalties, to publish or to communicate to any unauthorized person any information which might be useful to the enemy.
3. 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.
4. 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:
 - (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. 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 EISENHOWER:

(signed) RALPH PULSIFER,
Colonel, AGD, Ass't. Adj. Gen.

CERTIFICATE

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 American Military Attache to whom I first report, or an officer designated by the Commanding General of the Theater of Operations. I understand that disclosure to anyone else will make me liable to disciplinary action.

Name (Print) Ernest V Lindell Signed Ernest V Lindell

Rank 2nd Lt A.S.N. 0-753009 Date June 5 1944

Unit 384 Sp 547 Sq Witness Horace W. Forster

HORACE W. FORSTER,
Colonel, G.S.C.,
U. S. Mil. Lia. Off.

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E & E REPORT NO 730
EVASION IN FRANCE

June 8 1944

Ernest V Lindell 2nd Lt 0-753009
(Name) (Rank) (ASN)
2 (No of Missions)
547th 384th
(Squadron) (Group)

5/ri (Date) Yes
S. Yes
TARGET: Rocket Guns
Northern France

Date Missing in Action: Jan. 14, 44

Date Arrived in UK: June 8, 1944

MEMBERS OF CREW: (This information checked with PWIB)

Indicate what happened to each man and how you know

PILOT Neill L. Britt P/W
CO-PILOT Raymond J. Haley P/W
NAVIGATOR Ernest V Lindell
BOMBARDIER Oscar J. Richard P/W
RADIO OPERATOR Morton Harris
TOP TURRET GUNNER Tucker
BALL TURRET GUNNER Augenbriht } P/W
WAIST GUNNER Mason
WAIST GUNNER Nicholas
TAIL GUNNER Wolf

They all jumped from the plane safely.
I was told 4 were taken by the Germans but I do not know who they were.

Control 10 etc

Were you wounded?

Yes - a small flak wound in left arm

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E & E CASUALTY QUESTIONNAIRE

Ernest V Lindell 2nd Lt 0-753009 June 8 1944
(Name) (Rank) (ASN) (Date)
384 Sp 547 Sq
(Unit)

Date, time and approximate location of plane crash or landing.
Jan 14 about 1510 North of Abbeville in France

Nature and extent of damage to plane when source bailed out.
Was it on fire, etc?
We had been hit by flak. No 3 engine was feathered & #4 had a run away prop.

At approximately what altitude did source bail out? 10,500

Were any of the crew injured or killed before the plane crashed?
Yes (Navigator Ernest V Lindell) had a flak wound in his left arm.

What members of the crew bailed out? Did their parachutes open?
all members bailed out. all of the chutes opened.

Did the plane explode on striking the ground?

Yes
Did source see any other members of the crew dead or alive after reaching the ground? No

Did he receive any information from others as to whether any other members of the crew were dead or alive? If so give detailed furnished by his informant and whether the other crew members were identified by name or otherwise.
I received information that 4 men were captured by the Germans. Hear say.

Did source examine the wreckage of the plane? If so, what was its conditions? No I did not examine wreckage

If the plane crashed in water how far was the plane from land and what means was source rescued and what life rafts, wreckage, etc., remained on the surface that would have assisted other personnel to keep afloat.

What is source's opinion as to the fate of the other crew members and his reason for his opinion?
I believe that 4 of the crew were captured because I was told so by an Englishman. As to the others I have no ideas.

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APPENDIX "D" TO E AND E REPORT NO.

No., Rank, Name:-

0-753009

2nd Lt AXS

Ernest V. Lindell

Unit:-

384 Sp 547 Sq

Suggestions for improvement of escape equipment and training 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? *no*
- b. If not, why? *I jumped without my kit*
- c. If you used it, state briefly the circumstances in which you used each item, for example, "While hiding in woods for two nights".

Horlicks tablets.

Chocolate or Peanut Bar.

Milk (tube).

Benzadrine tablets (fatigue).

Halazone tablets (water purifier).

Matches.

Adhesive tape.

Chewing gum.

Water bottle.

Compass.

Sewing kit.

- d. Did any of the above items prove unsatisfactory?
- e. How did you finally dispose of the box?
- f. 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?

2. PURSE

- a. Did you carry a purse?
State color of stripes and letters.
If NOT, State why not.
- b. Did you use the purse?

Yes

No because I jumped without the purse.

(over)

c. If so, which of the following items in the purse did you use?

Maps. Which ones?

Compass.

File (hacksaw).

Foreign currency. State countries and amounts.
How did you spend the money?

d. How did you dispose of:-

Maps.

Compass.

File (hacksaw).

Surplus currency.

3. Were you issued any extra compasses or further aids to evasion?

Yes

4. PASSPORT SIZE PHOTOGRAPHS

a. Did you carry passport-size photographs?
If so, how many?

Yes

b. Did you use them?

Yes

5. LECTURES

a. Were you lectured on evasion and escape?
State WHERE, WHEN and by WHOM.

Yes

Dec & Jan 384 Bomb. Sp by P W officer

b. Did you find the lectures of value?

Yes

c. Do you have any suggestions to make which, from your experience, you feel will help other evaders and escapers?

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APPENDIX "B" TO E AND E REPORT NO.

List all military information which you observed or were told while evading. Give fullest possible details. (Airfields, troop encampments, coastal and interior defenses, AA batteries, radar installations, troop movements, results of allied bombing, location of enemy factories and ammunition dumps, enemy and civilian morale, etc., etc.,.....)

Some big bloody magnet device to cut engines.
All James told to get wire from down & metal away.
Told PG at Morris in Amnis - ground str from him - info
applied - but in auto accident.
Also that rocket into for shells & got by - less than
5000 shot boys.
Think described by building - think in Slope T.
G camp outside Amnis - just outside settled area - c. km.
Think took 3 days to get to Amnis from coast.
Some defeated Div from Russia supposed by road Pan.
On way to Amnis & Paris - saw good jobs Senguen & Gail

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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 supersedes 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) Ernest V Lindell
Rank 2nd Lt AC A. S. N. 0-753009
Unit 384 Sp 547 Sq

Signed Ernest V Lindell
Dated June 8 1944
Witness R. C. Emerson 15767 AVS

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MOST SECRET - BRITISH
MIS (X)

HEADQUARTERS
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QUESTIONNAIRE FOR SERVICE PERSONNEL
EVADING FROM ENEMY OCCUPIED COUNTRIES

1. Full Name, Rank, and Serial No. Ernest Vivian Hindell 2nd Lt AC 0-753009
2. Decorations. None
3. Unit or Squadron. 384 Bomb Sq, 547th Sq
4. Division (Army) or Group. 384 Bomb Sq
5. Date of Birth. May 8, 1921
6. Length of Service. 2 years
7. Private Address. Rte I Grandview, Washington
8. Job as civilian. Student
9. From what field did you take off? Field at 384th Bomb Sq.
10. Take off time. ?
11. Date and target. Jan 14, 1944 Rocket installations Northern France
12. Where did you land? a few miles north of Abbeville, France
13. Were all secret papers and equipment destroyed? Yes
14. What was your position in aircraft? Navigator
15. Were you wounded? Yes
16. Did you pay your guides? If so how much? No
17. Do you speak French? Spanish? No
18. Did you have Identity Papers? Yes DOG TAGS 1 Fr made 1/P
All over
19. 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 at Gibraltar by British Intelligence
20. Did you report on your operations? If so, where and to whom? No
21. Did you sign a security certificate warning you against talking about your escape or evasion? If so, where and when? Yes Gibraltar June 7, 1944
22. Date of arrival in Spain. May 7 1944
23. Date of arrival at Gibraltar. June 5, 1944
24. Place and date of departure for U.K. By sea or air. Gibraltar June 7, 44
by air.
25. Place and date of arrival in U.K.

June 8, 1944