

PERSONAL FILE

CARL J. CRANE

1ST. LIEUT., AIR CORPS

*April 1924*  
*to*

*Aug. 2, 1934*



# Camp Training Certificate

## Reserve Officers Training Corps

This is to certify that CARL J. CRANE

member of the SENIOR Division, Reserve Officers Training Corps,

has successfully completed the ADVANCED course

at this camp, from JUNE 14, 1923, to JULY 25, 1923.

Remarks VERY MUCH INTERESTED IN MILITARY AFFAIRS

Headquarters CAMP KNOX, KY. R. O. T. C. Training Camp,

JULY 25, 1923



J. J. Doherty  
Colonel, 10th Infantry  
Commanding.


UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON  
DAYTON, OHIO

ADMINISTRATION  
OFFICE OF PRESIDENT

March 3, 1924

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This certifies that Carl Joseph Crane is a senior student in the Department of Mechanical Engineering at the University of Dayton. He informed me that he is making application for a commission in the Regular Army, Air Service. I beg to recommend that he be exempted from the subjects mentioned on the enclosed report, as the studies he has made surely qualify him for this exemption.

  
*Bernard P. Olney*  
President.

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH CORPS AREA,  
Office of the Corps Area Commander,  
Fort Hayes, Columbus, Ohio.

March 14, 1924.

In reply refer to:

201. Crane, Carl J.

Subject: Preliminary Examination for appointment as Second  
Lieutenant, Regular Army.

To:

Mr. Carl J. Crane,  
1505 Virginia Boulevard,  
San Antonio, Texas,

UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON,  
DAYTON, OHIO

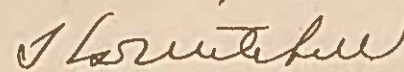
1. Receipt of your application for examination and appointment as Second Lieutenant, Regular Army, is acknowledged.

2. It will be necessary for you to undergo a preliminary examination to determine your fitness for the final examination. Should you be successful in this preliminary examination you will be authorized to take the final examination, which will be competitive in character and will require about six days for its completion, beginning April 14, 1924.

3. You are authorized to report to the Board of Officers at **McCook Field, Dayton, Ohio**, at such time as may be arranged by you by direct correspondence with "The President, Preliminary Examining Board", above Post, but not later than April 1, 1924.

4. All expenses incident to your appearance before the Examining Board will be borne by you.

By order of the Corps Area Commander:



H. D. MITCHELL,  
Adjutant General.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
AIR SERVICE  
ENGINEERING DIVISION  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF DIVISION

HAS/MS

McCOOK FIELD, DAYTON, OHIO

March 17, 1924.

**Subject:** Preliminary Examination for Appointment  
of 2nd Lieutenant, Regular Army.

**To:** Mr. Carl J. Crane,  
University of Dayton,  
Dayton, Ohio.

1. This Board is in receipt of your approved application for preliminary examination for appointment as 2nd Lieutenant, Regular Army.

2. This examination must be held prior to April 1, 1924, and it is desired that you inform the undersigned as to the date on which you wish to be given the preliminary examination.

*H. A. Strauss*

H. A. STRAUSS,  
Major, A.S.,  
Pres., Preliminary Examining Board.

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HEADQUARTERS FIFTH CORPS AREA,  
Office of the Corps Area Commander  
Fort Hayes, Ohio

March 28, 1924.

201. **Crane, Carl J.**

Subject: Final examination for commission in the Regular Army.

To: **Mr. Carl J. Crane,  
University of Dayton,  
Dayton, Ohio.**

1. You have satisfactorily passed the preliminary examination for appointment in the Regular Army, and are therefore entitled to appear for final examination to determine your fitness for commission therein.

2. You will, therefore, report on April 14, 1924, to the President, Final Examining Board, at **McCook Field, Dayton, Ohio.**

Failure to appear for the examination for which authorized will automatically cancel this authority. It is essential that you keep this office informed of any change of address.

3. Unless authority for change is secured from this office, this authorization is for examination for appointment in the

**Air Service - Heavier- than-air** as your first choice, and \_\_\_\_\_

**Infantry** as your second choice. The War Department reserves the right to tender you an appointment in any other branch of the service should such action be necessary.

4. The following exemptions from parts of the final examination are authorized in your case:

**ALL OF PART I AND ALL OF PART II - DESIGNATED TENTATIVE HONOR GRADUATE**

**UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON, Ohio.**

5. Special attention is called to the requirements of law and regulations that at the time of final examination you must be legally eligible for appointment, and for the necessity of your having at the time of appearance for final examination all documentary evidence upon which you rely to establish exemptions or special fitness for appointment in the branch of your choice.

6. If at any time you decide that you do not desire to take the examination as authorized, fill out the form below and forward same to this office.

By order of the Corps Area Commander:

*H. D. Mitchell*  
H. D. MITCHELL,  
Adjutant General.

WAR DEPARTMENT

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

IN REPLY  
REFER TO A.G. 202-Crane, Carl Joseph

WASHINGTON

June 5, 1924.

Subject: Qualification for appointment as  
2nd lieut. in the Regular Army.

To: Mr. Carl J. Crane,  
1505 Virginia Blvd.,  
San Antonio, Texas.

1. You have been found qualified for appointment as second lieutenant in the Regular Army as a result of your recent examination, and will be further advised at the proper time as to appointment.

2. In the meantime it is requested that you keep this office informed as to any change in your address.

By order of the Secretary of War:

  
Adjutant General.

# Honorable Discharge from the United States Army.

ENLISTED RESERVE CORPS.



TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to Certify, That\* Carl J. Crane  
Port. 315<sup>th</sup> Observation Sqdn. 90<sup>th</sup> Div. ENLISTED RESERVE CORPS,

THE UNITED STATES ARMY, as a TESTIMONIAL OF HONEST AND FAITHFUL  
SERVICE, is hereby HONORABLY DISCHARGED from the military service of the  
UNITED STATES by reason of Par. 24, A.R. 48, W.D., 1921 + Art. 6, Art. 8<sup>th</sup> G.A., 1922

Said Carl J. Crane was born  
in San Antonio, in the State of Texas.

When enlisted he was 23 1/2 years of age and by occupation a Student.  
He had Brown eyes, Dark hair, Dark complexion, and  
was 6 feet 2 inches in height.

Given under my hand at San Antonio, Texas, this  
9<sup>th</sup> day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four

Carl J. Crane

Lt. Col. D. C. (S.A.)  
Acting Chief of Staff  
90<sup>th</sup> Div. U.S. Army

\* Insert name (Christian name first) and Army serial number; e. g., "John Doe, 4,672,412."

† Insert grade, company, and regiment or branch; e. g., "Corporal, Company A, 801st Infantry"; "Sergeant, Quartermaster Corps."

‡ If discharged prior to expiration of service, give number, date, and source of order or full description of authority therefor.



# ENLISTMENT RECORD

Name: Carl J. Craue Grade: Private

Enlisted April 18, 1924, at Dayton, Ohio  
*Completed 0 yrs. 0 mos and 0 days service for longevity pay*  
 Serving in \_\_\_\_\_ enlistment period at date of discharge.

Prior service: \* None

Noncommissioned officer: no.

Marksmanship, gunner qualification or rating: † None

Horsemanship: not mounted.

Battles, engagements, skirmishes, expeditions: none.

Knowledge of any vocation: Mechanical Engineering

Wounds received in service: None

Physical condition when discharged: Good

Typhoid prophylaxis completed Not taken.

Paratyphoid prophylaxis completed May 29, 1924.

Married or single: Single.

Character: Excellent

Remarks: No unauthorized absence.

Signature of soldier: \_\_\_\_\_

S. C. Neumann  
Captain D.O.S. (Cavalry)  
 Commanding Detachment  
Enl. Rec.



Know Ye, That reposing special trust and confidence in the patriotism, valor, fidelity, and abilities of Carl Joseph Crane,  
I do appoint him Second Lieutenant in the Air Service  
in the Regular Army of the United States: to rank as such from the fifteenth day  
of June, nineteen hundred and twenty-four. He is therefore carefully  
and diligently to discharge the duty of the office to which he is appointed by doing and performing  
all manner of things thereunto belonging.

And I do strictly charge and require all Officers and Soldiers under his command to be obedient  
to his orders as an officer of his grade and position: And he is to observe and follow such orders  
and directions, from time to time, as he shall receive from me, or the future President of the United  
States of America, or the General or other Superior Officers set over him; according to the rules  
and discipline of war:

This commission to continue in force during the pleasure of the President of the United States, for the time  
being, and until the end of the next session of the Senate.

Given under my hand at the City of Washington, this thirtieth day of June,  
in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and in the one hundred and  
forty-eighth year of the Independence of the United States.

By the President:

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

RECORDED SEP 17 1924

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John Owens  
The Adjutant General.

Lucretia M. Tate  
Secretary of War.

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH CORPS AREA  
OFFICE OF THE CORPS AREA COMMANDER  
FORT HAYES, COLUMBUS, OHIO

June 16, 1924.

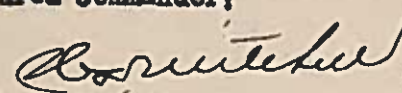
IN REPLY REFER TO:  
201. Crane, Carl Joseph

SUBJECT: Appointment in the Regular Army.

TO: Mr. Carl Joseph Crane,  
University of Dayton,  
Dayton, Ohio.

1. In connection with your application for commission in the Regular Army, and pursuant to War Department instructions, it is desired that you report at once to the Commanding Officer, McCook Field, Dayton, Ohio, for the purpose of establishing your eligibility for such commission by enlisting in the Organized Reserves, (Enlisted Reserve Corps).

By order of the Corps Area Commander:



H. D. MITCHELL,  
Adjutant General.

SPECIAL DELIVERY.

201. Crane, Carl J.

WAR DEPARTMENT.  
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 30, 1924.

Subject: Appointment as second lieutenant in the Regular Army.

To: Mr. Carl Joseph Crane,  
1505 Virginia Boulevard,  
San Antonio, Texas

1. The President has appointed you a second lieutenant Air Service Regular Army, with rank from June 15, 1924. You are requested to notify this office of your acceptance or declination without delay after receipt of this notice, and, in case of acceptance, to execute the oath of office on the form inclosed for that purpose.
2. If you accept you will report ~~for duty~~ by letter to the Comdt., Air Service Primary Flying School, Brooks Field Texas, for assignment to duty and training, and upon receipt of such assignment you will report for duty in person within thirty days from and including date of acceptance, and will notify this office without delay the date you will report for duty. The delay herein authorized is in the interest of the public service. Pay commences with date of acceptance. Your serial number will be 0-15936.
3. In the event of acceptance, it is directed that you forward to this office at an early date a recent photograph of yourself, taken in uniform. The photograph should be unmounted, not exceeding 8 inches in width and 10 inches in height, and should show upon the back thereof your name, rank and organization, plainly written or printed, and as nearly as possible the date when taken.
4. The attached card "Designation of Beneficiary", should be accomplished and returned to this office immediately upon acceptance.

By order of the Secretary of War:

Inclosures:  
Form 337-A, AGO.  
" 380 AGO.  
Adjutant General.

HEADQUARTERS  
BROOKS FIELD

San Antonio, Texas.  
July 28, 1924.

SPECIAL ORDERS, )  
No. 166 )

E X T R A C T

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1. 2nd Lieut. CARL J. CRANE, A. S. is detailed as E. V. & R. Officer, vice 1st Lieut. Charles H. Evans, A. S. relieved. Lieut. Crane will receipt to Lieut. Evans for all property, records and funds, pertaining to this office.

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By order of MAJOR ROYCE:

Pardoe Martin,  
Adjutant.

UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON

DAYTON, OHIO

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT

September 6, 1924.

Lieut. Carl J. Crane,  
Brooks Field, Texas.

My dear Carl:

Thanks for your interesting letter of August 31. No doubt, Father Sorret and Bro. Michael were as pleased to meet you as you were pleased to meet them.

We are on the eve of the opening of the University and prospects indicate a very successful year. I wish you could be with us to celebrate the Air Races properly. We surely will have a big time. You will be interested to learn that as President of the Aeronautical Association I felt that I could not enter into the spirit of the Races without having gone up in the air myself. Macready had me in the air for half an hour over the city of Dayton and down the river to Miamisburg. So I have had the thrill of flying.

Lieut. Pearson, with whom I became acquainted through Macready, was flying the same day at McCook's Field. You have, no doubt, heard of his sad mishap and premature death. Be careful, Carl, and don't expose yourself imprudently. There are a lot of good things to be done in this world besides the conquest of the air.

I note what you say in regard to the insurance. We deeply appreciate the interest you take in the University and know that you will do all you can for us.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely your friend,



President.

BPO'R:JM

P. S. Prospects are that the Delta Pi Kappa will live.

For information of the Secretary to

2nd Lt. Crane, A.S. - 4

Reference for or prompt return to A. G. O., W. G. with new address

SPECIAL ORDERS  
No. 183

WAR DEPARTMENT,  
WASHINGTON, August 4, 1924.

1. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 52, Special Orders, No. 161, War Department, July 10, 1924, as relates to First Lieutenant *Herbert Kimball Cummings*, Ordnance Officers' Reserve Corps, is hereby revoked. (A. G. 210.312, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland.) (6-24-24.)

2. By direction of the President, Second Lieutenant *Ormond Elton Revey*, Quartermaster Officers' Reserve Corps (O-179837), is, with his consent, ordered to active duty, effective August 15, 1924. On that date he will proceed without delay from Detroit, Michigan, to Chicago, Illinois, reporting in person upon arrival to the commanding officer Chicago quartermaster intermediate depot for training. Lieutenant *Revey* will rank from December 9, 1923. He will be relieved from duty in time to enable him to arrive at his home on August 29, 1924, on which date he will revert to inactive status. Pay and allowances are chargeable to procurement authority FD 592 P 2717 A 3190-5. The travel directed is necessary in the military service and is chargeable to procurement authority FD 561 P 5042 A 3190-5.

3. Leave of absence for twenty-four (24) days is granted Major *Lloyd P. Horsfall*, Coast Artillery Corps, effective on or about August 8, 1924.

4. Major *Lloyd P. Horsfall*, Coast Artillery Corps, is relieved from assignment with the 51st Coast Artillery, and from further duty at Fort Eustis, Virginia, effective August 8, 1924, and upon the expiration of the leave of absence granted him this date, will comply with the provisions of paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 70, War Department, March 24, 1924.

5. By direction of the President, the following-named second lieutenants of Ordnance, Regular Army, are assigned to duty with the Field Artillery for a period of two years:

- Edwin Harvey Auerbach.*
- Arthur Willink.*
- George August Zeller.*  
(A. G. 210.80.)

6. The appointment and assignment of the following-named second lieutenants in the Regular Army from enlisted men, Regular Army, and from civil life, is announced:

*With rank from June 14, 1924*

Enlisted men with two years' service:

QUARTERMASTER CORPS

Staff Sergeant *James Goodrich Mepirt*, Headquarters Battery, 8th Field Artillery, Hawaiian Department, assigned to the Quartermaster Corps, Hawaiian Department.

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS

Corporal *Floyd Fausett*, Service Company No. 5, Fort McPherson, Georgia, assigned to temporary duty with the 62nd Coast Artillery, Fort Totten, New York, pending transportation to permanent station in the Panama Canal Department.

Staff Sergeant *Katleigh Raymond Hendrix*, headquarters detachment, Third Coast Artillery District, Fort Monroe, Virginia, assigned to temporary duty with the 62nd Coast Artillery, Fort Totten, New York, pending transportation to permanent station in the Hawaiian Department.

Corporal *William Frederick Keilolat*, Company K, 7th Infantry, Vancouver Barracks, Washington, assigned to 2nd Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois.  
Staff Sergeant *William Ewing Baker*, headquarters special troops, Panama Canal Department, assigned to Infantry, 1st Division.

#### AIR SERVICE

Staff Sergeant *Duane Grant Warner*, 43d School Squadron, Kelly Field, Texas, assigned to Selfridge Field, Mount Clemens, Michigan.

*With rank from June 15, 1924*

Civilians and enlisted men, Regular Army, with less than two years' service:

#### QUARTERMASTER CORPS

*Earl William Aldrup*, assigned to 4th Motor Repair Battalion, Fort Mason, California.

#### CORPS OF ENGINEERS

*Chester Atokibald Rowland*, assigned to 13th Engineers, Fort Humphreys, Virginia.

*George Cooper Reinhardt*, assigned to 13th Engineers, Fort Humphreys, Virginia.

#### ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT

*Edwin Harvey Auerbach*, assigned to duty with 2nd Field Artillery, Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

*Arthur Willink*, assigned to duty with 6th Field Artillery, Fort Hoyle, Maryland.

*George August Zeller*, assigned to duty with 3rd Field Artillery, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana.

#### SIGNAL CORPS

*William Francis Bullis*, assigned to Camp Alfred Vail, New Jersey.

#### CHEMICAL WARFARE SERVICE

*Robert Douglas McLeod, junior*, assigned to 1st Gas Regiment, Edgewood Arsenal, Edgewood, Maryland.

#### CAVALRY

*Raymond Diabmann Palmer*, assigned to 6th Cavalry, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.

*Harrison Wells Davison*, assigned to 4th Cavalry, Fort McIntosh, Texas.

*Conrad Lewis Boyle*, assigned to 13th Cavalry, Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming.

*John Perry Wiley*, assigned to 12th Cavalry, Fort Brown, Texas.

*William Donald Becker*, assigned to 13th Cavalry, Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming.

*Clark Louis Raffner*, assigned to 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Bliss, Texas.

*Howard Eugene Engler*, assigned to 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Bliss, Texas.

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*Malin Craig, junior*, assigned to Field Artillery, 2nd Division.  
*Henry Frederick Garota*, assigned to Field Artillery, 1st Division, 3rd Corps Area.

*Winfield Wayne Scott*, assigned to Field Artillery, 1st Division, 3rd Corps Area.

*Joris Bliss Rasbach*, assigned to Field Artillery, 1st Division, 2nd Corps Area.

*Leonard Marion Johnson*, assigned to 3rd Field Artillery, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana.

*Henry Kipp Vreeland*, assigned to 3rd Field Artillery, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana.

*Conrad Gordon Follensbee*, assigned to Field Artillery, 1st Division, 1st Corps Area.

*John Henry Sampson, junior*, assigned to Field Artillery, 1st Cavalry Division.

*Thomas Adams Dosey, junior*, assigned to Field Artillery, 2nd Division.

*Andral Bratton*, assigned to 2nd Field Artillery, Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

*Harold Mills Manderbach*, assigned to 3rd Field Artillery, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana.

*James Regan, junior*, assigned to 2nd Field Artillery, Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

*George Laurence Holsinger*, assigned to 3rd Field Artillery, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana.

*Will Knox Stennis*, assigned to Field Artillery, 2nd Division.

#### COAST ARTILLERY CORPS

*Glenn Newman*, assigned to 62nd Coast Artillery, Fort Totten, New York.

*William George Devens*, assigned to 52nd Coast Artillery, Fort Eustis, Virginia.

*Charles Edward Shepherd*, assigned to 62nd Coast Artillery, Fort Totten, New York.

*Walker Wesley Holler*, assigned to temporary duty with 62nd Coast Artillery, Fort Totten, New York, pending transportation to permanent station in the Hawaiian Department.

*Leon Clinton Hall*, assigned to 62nd Coast Artillery, Fort Totten, New York.

*Forrest James French*, assigned to 52nd Coast Artillery, Fort Eustis, Virginia.

*Joseph Howard Gibbons, junior*, assigned to temporary duty with 62nd Coast Artillery, Fort Totten, New York, pending transportation to permanent station in the Hawaiian Department.

*Samuel Howard Morrow*, assigned to 52nd Coast Artillery, Fort Eustis, Virginia.

*Norman Blakeley Simmonds*, assigned to 11th Coast Artillery, coast defenses of Long Island Sound, Fort H. G. Wright, New York.

*Vern Walbridge*, assigned to 11th Coast Artillery, coast defenses of Long Island Sound, Fort H. G. Wright, New York.

*Sylvan Berliner*, assigned to 13th Coast Artillery, coast defenses of Pensacola, Fort Barrancas, Florida.

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as amended by paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 173, War Department, July 23, 1924, is amended to read as follows: Captain *Nelson H. Duval*, Coast Artillery Corps, is relieved from assignment with the 52nd Coast Artillery and from further duty at Fort Eastis, Virginia, effective August 10, 1924, and upon expiration of the leave of absence granted him this date will proceed to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person not later than September 15, 1924, to the commandant Coast Artillery School for assignment to duty as a student, 1924-1925 battery officers' class. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 43 P 5040 A 2-5.

12. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 16, Special Orders, No. 160, War Department, July 9, 1924, as relates to Major *Allen Cary Harris*, Ordnance Officers' Reserve Corps, is hereby revoked. (A. G. 210.312, Rock Island Arsenal, Illinois.) (8-2-24.)

13. Paragraph 25, Special Orders 150, War Department, dated June 26, 1924, relating to the retirement of Master Sergeant *William R. Spellman*, R-1717672, headquarters company, 13th Engineers, is amended to direct that the journey be charged to procurement authority AG 200 A 9-5.

14. By direction of the President, Captain *George M. Couper*, Infantry, is relieved from further duty as professor military science and tactics, at Carlisle School, Bamberg, South Carolina, to take effect August 10, 1924, and upon the expiration of such leave of absence as may be granted him will proceed to San Francisco, California, and sail on the transport scheduled to leave that port on or about October 15, 1924, for the Philippine Islands, and upon arrival in Manila will report in person to the commanding general Philippine Department for assignment to duty with the Infantry. The name of Captain *Couper* is removed from the detached officers' list effective August 10, 1924. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 40 P 5040 A 2-5.

15. Leave of absence for one (1) month and twenty-seven (27) days is granted Captain *George M. Couper*, Infantry, effective on or about August 10, 1924.

16. So much of paragraph 26, Special Orders, No. 125, War Department, May 27, 1924, as relieves First Lieutenant *Albert E. Billing*, 17th Field Artillery, from assignment to that regiment and from duty at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, to take effect at such time as will enable him to report not earlier than September 5 nor later than September 10, 1924, to the commandant the Field Artillery School, is amended so as to relieve him from assignment to the 17th Field Artillery and from duty at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, to take effect August 18, 1924, and to direct him, upon the expiration of the leave of absence heretofore granted him, to proceed to Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and report in person not earlier than September 5 nor later than September 10, 1924, to the commandant the Field Artillery School for duty as student. (A. G. 210.63, F. A. Sch., Ft. Sill, Okla.) (7-21-24.)

17. The promotion of each of the following-named officers is announced:

Name and branch	From—	To—	Date of rank
<i>Field Artillery</i>			
<i>William Scott Wood</i>	Major	1st col.	July 24, 1924.
<i>Charles Carroll Knight, Jr.</i>	1st lt.	Captain	July 21, 1924.

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Artillery.) (7-31-24.)

18. Paragraph 51, Special Orders No. 117, War Department, May 17, 1924, relating to Captain *Harry Wall*, Medical Corps, is revoked.

19. Captain *Harry Wall*, Medical Corps, is relieved from further assignment and duty at the Medical Field Service School, Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania, effective upon the completion of his temporary duty at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, on or about September 3, 1924, and will proceed to Camp Marfa, Texas, and report in person to the commanding officer that camp for duty. FD 31 P 5040 A 2-5. (A. G. 210.31.) (7-25-24.)

20. Leave of absence on account of sickness for two (2) months is granted First Lieutenant *John T. de Camp*, Coast Artillery Corps.

21. The leave of absence granted Major *Gustav H. Franke*, Field Artillery, by paragraph 26, Special Orders, No. 19, War Department, January 23, 1924, and extended by paragraph 44, Special Orders, No. 156, War Department, July 3, 1924, is further extended four (4) days and to terminate at such time as will enable him to report at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, not later than September 10, 1924.

22. Captain *Silas W. Williams*, Medical Corps, is relieved from assignment and duty at Fort Brown, Texas, to take effect August 15, 1924, and upon the expiration of any leave of absence which may be granted him will proceed to New York City and sail on or about November 7, 1924, via Government transportation, to the Hawaiian Islands. Upon arrival at Honolulu, Captain *Williams* will report in person to the commanding general Hawaiian Department for assignment to duty with the Medical Corps. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 31 P 5040 A 2-5. (A. G. 210.31.) (6-7-24.)

23. Captain *Richard P. Smith*, Medical Corps, is relieved from assignment and duty at San Juan, Porto Rico, effective September 7, 1924, and upon the completion of his present tour of foreign service is assigned to duty at the Walter Reed General Hospital, Army medical center, Washington, D. C. He will proceed to New York City on the transport scheduled to leave San Juan on or about September 7, 1924, and upon arrival in New York and upon the expiration of such leave of absence which may be granted him will proceed to join the station to which assigned. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 31 P 5040 A 2-5. (A. G. 210.31.) (6-7-24.)

24. Lieutenant Colonel *Davis S. Fairchild, Jr.*, Medical Corps, is detailed, under the provisions of section 100 of the act of Congress approved June 3, 1916, as instructor, Connecticut National Guard, with station at New Haven, Connecticut, to take effect upon the completion of his present tour of foreign service. Upon arrival at that place, in accordance with orders to be issued by the commanding general Panama Canal Department, he will notify the governor of the State, by letter, of his arrival at that station. He will in addition report by letter to the Chief, Militia Bureau, War Department, Washington, D. C., giving his mail address and date of arrival at station. The name of Lieutenant Colonel *Fairchild* is placed on the detached officers' list, effective upon reporting at New Haven, Connecticut. (A. G. 210.31.) (6-7-24.)

25. So much of paragraph 26, Special Orders, No. 95, War Department, April 22, 1924, as relieves Captain *Lester H. Barnhill*, 30th Infantry, from assignment to that regiment and the 3rd Division, and from duty at Presidio of

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Area, to take effect at such time as will enable him to comply with this order, and will proceed at the proper time to New Orleans, Louisiana, in time to arrive at that place on August 26, 1924, take station, and enter on duty, reporting by letter to the Chief Coordinator. Lieutenant *Quintan's* name is placed on the detached officers' list, to take effect upon his arrival at New Orleans. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 20 P 5040 A 2-5.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

JOHN J. PEISHING,  
*General of the Armies,*  
*Chief of Staff.*

OFFICIAL:  
ROBERT C. DAVIS,  
*Major General,*

*The Adjutant General.*

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Special Orders)  
No. 49 )

Extract

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15. First Lieutenant Michael E. McHugo, Air Service, is relieved from his present assignment and duty at Kelly Field, Texas, effective at such time as will enable him to comply with this order, and will proceed at the proper time to New York City and sail on the transport scheduled to leave that port on or about April 1, 1925, for the Canal Zone. Upon arrival in Panama First Lieutenant McHugo will report in person to the commanding general, Panama Canal Department, for assignment to duty with the Air Service. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 35 P 5040 A 2-5. (A.G. 210.31.) (2-21-25.)

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18. The following named officers of the Air Service are relieved from assignment and duty at the Air Service Primary Flying School, Brooks Field, San Antonio, Texas, and will report in person to the commandant of the Air Service Advanced Flying School, Kelly Field, Texas, for a course of instruction:

First Lieutenant Orvil A. Anderson.	Second Lieutenant Lloyd E. Hunting.
First Lieutenant James M. Gillespie.	Second Lieutenant Byran M. Jacobs.
Second Lieutenant John R. Armstrong.	Second Lieutenant Harold J. Johnson.
Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane.	Second Lieutenant Harold C. King.
Second Lieutenant Glenn L. Davasher.	Second Lieutenant William D. Old.
Second Lieutenant Howard G. Davidson.	Second Lieutenant Earle E. Partridge.
Second Lieutenant Dean S. Ellerthorpe.	Second Lieutenant David M. Ramsay.
Second Lieutenant James W. Fletcher.	Second Lieutenant Robert R. Selway jr
Second Lieutenant Lawrence C. Elliott.	Second Lieutenant Luther S. Smith.
Second Lieutenant Irving B. Greene.	Second Lieutenant George H. Steel.
Second Lieutenant Paul R. Greenhalgh.	Second Lieutenant George C. Stewart.
Second Lieutenant James Hewins, jr.	Second Lieutenant George A. Whatley.
Second Lieutenant John L. Hitchings.	Second Lieutenant Thomas D. White.
Second Lieutenant Leslie P. Holcomb.	Second Lieutenant Leslie F. Young.

(A.G. 210.63, Kelly Fd., Tex.) (2-16-25.)

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32. First Lieutenant George G. Lundberg, Air Service, is relieved from his present assignment and duties at Kelly Field, Texas, effective at such time as will enable him to comply with this order, and will proceed at the proper time to San Francisco, California, and sail on the transport scheduled to leave that port on or about June 17, 1925, for the Philippine Islands. Upon arrival in Manila, First Lieutenant Lundberg will report in person to the commanding general, Philippine Department for assignment to duty with the Air Service. The travel directed is necessary in the military service, and is chargeable to FD 35 P 5040 A 2-5 and FD 35 P 5040 A 2-6. (A.G. 210.31.) (2-16-25.)

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By order of the Secretary of War:

J. L. HINES,  
Major General,  
Chief of Staff.

Official:

ROBERT C. DAVIS,  
Major General,  
The Adjutant General.

terman General Hospital, San Francisco, California, will proceed to join the organization and station to which assigned. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 40 P 5040 A 2-5. (A. G. 21031, Haw. Dept.) (1-27-25.)

14. Paragraph 24, Special Orders No. 47, War Department, February 25, 1925, amending so much of paragraph 10, Special Orders No. 48, War Department, February 10, 1925, so as to direct Second Lieutenant *Clayton H. Studebaker*, Field Artillery, to sail from New York City on the transport scheduled to leave that port on or about March 28, 1925, direct for the Hawaiian Islands, is revoked. (A. G. 21031.) (2-25-25.)

15. First Lieutenant *Michael E. McHugo*, Air Service, is relieved from his present assignment and duty at Kelly Field, Texas, effective at such time as will enable him to comply with this order, and will proceed at the proper time to New York City and sail on the transport scheduled to leave that port on or about April 1, 1925, for the Canal Zone. Upon arrival in Panama, First Lieutenant *McHugo* will report in person to the commanding general, Panama Canal Department, for assignment to duty with the Air Service. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 35 P 5040 A 2-5. (A. G. 21031.) (2-21-25.)

16. First Lieutenant *Harvey E. Hanna*, Quartermaster Corps, is relieved from his present assignment and duty at Camp Normoyle, Texas, effective at such time as will enable him to comply with this order, and will proceed at the proper time to San Francisco, California, and sail on the transport scheduled to leave that port on or about May 14, 1925, for the Hawaiian Islands. Upon arrival in Honolulu, First Lieutenant *Hanna* will report in person to the commanding general, Hawaiian Department, for assignment to duty with the Quartermaster Corps. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 20 P 5040 A 2-5. (A. G. 21031, Haw. Dept.) (2-24-25.)

17. Leave of absence for three (3) days, effective on or about February 27, 1925, is granted Warrant Officer *Robert B. Irving*, office of the Chief of Chaplains, Washington, D. C.

18. The following named officers of the Air Service are relieved from assignment and duty at the Air Service Primary Flying School, Brooks Field, San Antonio, Texas, and will report in person to the commandant of the Air Service Advanced Flying School, Kelly Field, Texas, for a course of instruction:

- First Lieutenant *Orvil A. Anderson*.
- First Lieutenant *James M. Gillespie*.
- Second Lieutenant *John R. Armstrong*.
- Second Lieutenant *Carl J. Crane*.
- Second Lieutenant *Glenn L. Davasher*.
- Second Lieutenant *Howard G. Davidson*.
- Second Lieutenant *Dean S. Ellerthorpe*.
- Second Lieutenant *James W. Fletcher*.
- Second Lieutenant *Lawrence C. Elliott*.
- Second Lieutenant *Irving B. Greene*.
- Second Lieutenant *Paul R. Greenhalgh*.
- Second Lieutenant *James Hartas, jr*.
- Second Lieutenant *John L. Hitchings*.
- Second Lieutenant *Leslie P. Holcomb*.
- Second Lieutenant *Lloyd E. Hunting*.

**AIR OFFICE PRIMARY FLYING SCHOOL**  
**BROOKS FIELD, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS**

**OFFICER'S CLEARANCE RECEIPT**

..... Crane, Carl J. ..... 2nd Lt. A.S. .....  
 Name Rank

Officers leaving this station will turn in to the proper departments all property held on individual receipt and settle all bills, taking receipts hereon for same. Officers are required to clear the Flight Surgeon, Personnel Adjutant, and Adjutant. Clearance from other offices and departments is required only in the event that the officer has accounts or property from that department. The Officer's certificate, duly executed, will be considered sufficient in all other cases.

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 \*Flight Surgeon *FHT* ..... Engineer Off. ....  
 E. & R. Officer *FHT* ..... A.S. Supply Off. *off* .....  
 Athletic Officer *FHT* ..... Aero Repair Off. ....  
 \*Personnel Adj. *R.S.O.* ..... Machine Shop. ....  
 O.I.C. Flying *FHT* ..... Q.M. Office. *off* .....  
 O.I.C. Ground School *713* ..... Ordnance Off. ....  
 Post Exchange *FHT* ..... Utilities Off. ....  
 Officers' Mess *off* ..... Motor Trans. Off. ....  
 Parachute Dept. *R.W.B.* .....  
 POST ADJUTANT *DW* .....  
 date of departure 3-2-25 ..... per par. .... S.O. ....  
 Destination (Station) Kelly Field, Tex. .....

I certify that I have no government property, funds, or records in my possession while at this station, for which I have not secured proper clearance from the responsible or accountable officer by signature hereon. I further certify that all bills contracted by me at this station have been paid.

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HEADQUARTERS  
BROOKS FIELD

CORRECTED COPY

San Antonio, Texas.  
March 2, 1925.

SPECIAL ORDERS,  
No. 49

EXTRACT

9. Pursuant to Par. 18, Special Orders, No. 49, War Department, dated Washington, February 27, 1925, the following-named officers of the Air Service are relieved from assignment and duty at the Air Service Primary Flying School, Brooks Field, San Antonio, Texas, and will report in person to the commandant of the Air Service Advanced Flying School, Kelly Field, Texas, for a course of instruction:

1st. Lieut. ORVIL A. ANDERSON,	1st Lieut. JAMES M. GILLESPIE,
2d. Lieut. JAMES B. ARMSTRONG,	2nd Lieut. CARL J. CRANE,
2d. Lieut. GLENN L. DAVASHER,	2d. Lieut. HOWARD G. DAVIDSON,
2d. Lieut. DEAN S. ELLERTHORPE,	2d. Lieut. JAMES W. FLETCHER,
2d. Lieut. LAWRENCE C. ELLIOTT,	2d. Lieut. IRVING B. GREENE,
2d. Lieut. PAUL C. GREENHALGH,	2d. Lieut. JAMES HEWINS, junior.
2d. Lieut. JOHN L. HITCHINGS,	2d. Lieut. LESLIE P. HOLCOMB,
2d. Lieut. LLOYD E. HUNTING,	2d. Lieut. BRYAN M. JACOBS,
2d. Lieut. HAROLD J. JOHNSON,	2d. Lieut. HAROLD C. KING, KING
2d. Lieut. WILLIAM D. OLD,	2d. Lieut. EARLE E. PARTIDGE,
2d. Lieut. DAVID M. RANSAY,	2d. Lieut. ROBERT R. SELWAY, junior,
2d. Lieut. LUTHER S. SMITH,	2d. Lieut. GEORGE H. STEEL,
2d. Lieut. GEORGE C. STEWART,	2d. Lieut. GEORGE A. WEAVER,
2d. Lieut. THOMAS D. WHITE,	2d. Lieut. LESLIE F. YOUNG,

By order of Major ROYCE:

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PARDON MARTIN,  
Adjutant.

HEADQUARTERS KELLY FIELD,  
Kelly Field, Texas.

March 3, 1925.

SPECIAL ORDERS:

No. 50. Extract.  
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9. Having reported at this station on March 2, 1925, in compliance with par. 18, S.O. 49, W.D. dated February 27, 1925; the following named officers of the Air Service are assigned to the 10th School Group and will report to the Commanding Officer thereof for advanced training:

First Lieutenant Orvil A. Anderson:  
First Lieutenant James M. Gillespie:

Second Lieutenant John R. Armstrong:	Second Lieutenant Bryan M. Jacobs:
Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane:	Second Lieutenant Harold J. Johnson:
Second Lieutenant Glenn L. Davasher:	Second Lieutenant Harold C. King:
Second Lieutenant Howard G. Davidson:	Second Lieutenant William D. Old:
Second Lieutenant Dean S. Ellerthorpe:	Second Lieutenant Earle E. Partridge:
Second Lieutenant James W. Fletcher:	Second Lieutenant David M. Ramsay:
Second Lieutenant Lawrence C. Elliott:	Second Lieutenant Robert R. Selway, jr:
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Second Lieutenant Leslie P. Holcomb:	Second Lieutenant Thomas D. White:
Second Lieutenant Lloyd E. Hunting:	Second Lieutenant Leslie F. Young.

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BY ORDER OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL FECHET:

OFFICIAL:

J. F. Doherty,  
Captain, Air Service,  
Adjutant.

J. F. Doherty,  
Captain, Air Service,  
Adjutant.

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1 Post Oper. Off.  
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*L. Crane*

HEADQUARTERS TENTH SCHOOL GROUP  
OFFICE OF THE OPERATIONS OFFICER

WSG-MJN

Kelly Field, Texas,  
June 30, 1925.

OPERATIONS ORDERS)

: Extract

NUMBER.....132.)

1. Under authority contained in Circular 60-1, OCAS 1924, the following cross country training flights will be made on July 4, 1925:

MISSION NO. 1

Three ship DH formation leave Kelly Field, at 10:00 a.m., July 4, 1925, proceed north along the S.A.A.P. Ry., so as to pass Boerne, Texas, at 10:29 a.m., Comfort, Texas, at 10:43 A.M., Fredericksburg at 11:03 a.m.; thence across country to Oxford at 11:21 a.m., and Llano at 11:30 a.m.; thence along H.&T.C.Ry., to Burnett, Texas at 11:49 a.m., then back to Marble Falls, Texas, at 12:00 M (noon)); thence south along Blanco Road through Round Mountain at 12:09 p.m., and Johnson City at 12:17 p.m., and Blanco at 12:27 p.m., and back to Kelly Field at 12:57 p.m.

PILOTS

2d Lieut. A. R. Crawford (in charge) #1 - Airplane #42  
2d Lieut. L. S. Smith #2 - Airplane #28  
2d Lieut. L. C. Elliott #3 - Airplane #23.

MISSION NO. 2

One SE5 to proceed to Temple, Texas, July 3, 1925, and remain over there over night. At 10:00 a.m. July 4, 1925, leave Temple and proceed along the G.C.&S.F. Ry., to Cameron, Texas, arriving there at 10:25 a.m.; thence along the S.A.A.P. Ry., to arrive at Rockdale, Texas, at 10:39 a.m.; thence along the I.G.N. Ry., to arrive at Taylor, Texas at 11:00 a.m., and at Round Rock at 11:15 a.m.; thence along the M.K.&T. Ry., so as to arrive at Georgetown, Texas, at 11:25 a.m., at Granger, Texas, at 11:41 a.m., and at Temple, Texas, 12:00 M (noon). The Pilot on this mission will return to Kelly Field, Texas, before sundown July 5, 1925.

PILOT

1st Lieut. Y. H. Taylor.

MISSION NO. 3

Three ship DH formation, leave Kelly Field at 7:45 a.m., July 4, 1925, and proceed to Waco, Texas. They will land at Rich Field and refuel at 10:30 a.m., they will leave Waco and proceed along the I.G.N. Ry., to arrive at Waxahachie at 11:15 a.m.; thence along the H.&T.C.Ry., through Ennis so as to arrive at Corsicana at 11:38 a.m.; thence along the Saint Louis Southwestern Ry., so as to arrive at Hubbard at 12:00 M (noon) and at Waco at 12:25 p.m. This flight will refuel at Rich Field, Waco, Texas, and return to Kelly Field not later than sundown July 5, 1925:



PILOTS (Mission #3)

1st Lieut. G. M. St John (in charge) #1 - Airplane #62  
2d Lieut. T. D. White #2 - Airplane #73  
1st Lieut. R. E. Fisher #3 - Airplane #74.

MISSION NO. 4

Three ship DH formation, leave Kelly Field at 7:45 a.m., July 4, 1925, and proceed to Waco, Texas. They will land at the Waco Aviation Company's Airdrome and refuel. At 10:30 a.m., they will leave Waco and proceed North along the M.K.&T. Ry., so as to arrive at Alvarado at 11:15 a.m.; thence along the K.O.&G. Ry., to arrive at Cleburne at 11:25 a.m.; thence along the G.C.&S.F. Ry., so as to arrive at Morgan at 11:47 a.m.; thence along the M.K. & T. Ry., so as to arrive at Waco at 12:30 p.m. This flight will refuel at the Waco Aviation Company's Airdrome and return to Kelly Field before sundown July 5/25.

PILOTS

2d Lieut. L. C. Craigie (in charge) # 1 - Airplane #41  
2d Lieut. J. H. Armstrong #2 - Airplane #51  
✓ 2d Lieut. C. J. Crane #3 - Airplane #71.

MISSION NO. 5

Three ship DH formation, leave Kelly Field at 8:15 a.m., July 4, 1925, and proceed to Waco and refuel at Rich Field. At 11:00 a.m., this flight will leave Waco and proceed along the H. & T. C. Ry., so as to pass over Marlin at 11:20 a.m., Bremond at 11:32 a.m., Mexia at 11:58 a.m., and over Corsicana at 12:20 p.m.; thence along the St. Louis and Southwestern Ry., to arrive at Mertens at 12:40 p.m.; thence along the I.G.N. Ry., to arrive at Waco at 1:10 p.m. This flight will refuel at Rich Field and return to Kelly Field before sundown July 5, 1925.

PILOTS

1st Lieut. B. E. Cates (In charge) #1 - Airplane #31  
2d Lieut. K. J. Gregg #2 - Airplane #13  
2d Lieut. H. C. King #3 - Airplane #1

MISSION NO. 6

Three ship NBS1 formation, leave Kelly Field at 8:30 a.m., July 4, 1925, and proceed along the I.G.N. Ry., to Austin so as to arrive at Austin at 9:30 a.m. After circling the city three times this flight will return to Kelly Field without landings.

PILOTS

Captain F. I. Eglin (In charge) #1                      1st Lieut. L. A. Smith #2  
1st Lieut. A. B. Ballard #3

Intermediate towns on each mission will be covered in accordance with schedule furnished formation leaders.

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The 40th School Squadron will furnish two (2) DH4B airplanes, three (3) NBS1 airplanes; the 41st School Squadron will furnish five (5) DH4B airplanes; the 42d School Squadron will furnish five (5) DH4B airplanes and the 43d School Squadron will furnish one (1) SE5 airplane for these missions.

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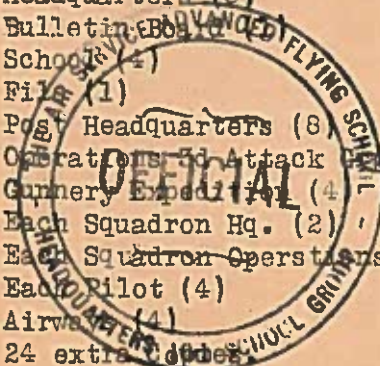
BY ORDER OF MAJOR HICKAM:

W. S. GRAVELY,  
1st Lieut. A.S.,  
Ass't Operations Officer.

OFFICIAL:

John Y. York, Jr.,  
1st Lieut. A.S.,  
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Special Orders)  
No. 202 )

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18. Each of the following-named officers of Air Service is relieved from assignment and duty at the Air Service Advanced Flying School, Kelly Field, Texas, to take effect upon the completion of his present course of instruction on or about September 15, 1925, and will then proceed to the station specified after his name and report in person to the commanding officer for duty:

- Second Lieutenant Robert L. Brookings, Langley Field, Hampton, Virginia.
- Second Lieutenant John R. Hawkins, Langley Field, Hampton, Virginia.
- Second Lieutenant George H. Steel, Phillips Field, Aberdeen, Maryland.
- Second Lieutenant James Hewins, jr., Phillips Field, Aberdeen, Maryland.
- Second Lieutenant Earle E. Partridge, Kelly Field, Texas.
- Second Lieutenant Edward F. Booth (Infantry), Kelly Field, Texas.
- Second Lieutenant Alexander G. Greig, Kelly Field, Texas.
- Second Lieutenant Irving B. Greene, Kelly Field, Texas.
- Second Lieutenant John J. Williams, Selfridge Field, Mount Clemens, Michigan.
- Second Lieutenant Luther S. Smith, Selfridge Field, Mount Clemens, Michigan.
- Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Selfridge Field, Mount Clemens, Michigan.
- Second Lieutenant John R. Armstrong, Selfridge Field, Mount Clemens, Michigan.
- Second Lieutenant Lawrence C. Elliott, Selfridge Field, Mount Clemens, Michigan.
- Second Lieutenant Kirtley J. Gregg, Selfridge Field, Mount Clemens, Michigan.
- Second Lieutenant Ralph E. Fisher, Marshall Field, Fort Riley, Kansas.
- Second Lieutenant Walter C. White, Mitchel Field, Long Island, New York.
- Second Lieutenant Albert F. Glenn, Mitchel Field, Long Island, New York.
- Second Lieutenant Denis J. Mulligan, Mitchel Field, Long Island, New York.
- Second Lieutenant Harold C. King, Mitchel Field, Long Island, New York.
- Second Lieutenant Kenneth C. Strother, Post Field, Fort Sill, Oklahoma.
- Second Lieutenant Cornelius W. Coupland, Post Field, Fort Sill, Oklahoma.
- Second Lieutenant Glenn L. Davasher, Post Field, Fort Sill, Oklahoma.
- Second Lieutenant Lloyd E. Hunting, Biggs Field, Fort Bliss, Texas.
- Second Lieutenant Leslie P. Holcomb (Field Artillery), Air Service Detachment, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
- Second Lieutenant Thomas D. White, Bolling Field, Washington, D.C.
- Second Lieutenant Ralph H. Lawter, Bolling Field, Washington, D.C.
- Second Lieutenant William D. Old, Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Alabama.
- Second Lieutenant George A. Whatley, Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Alabama.

The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 35 P  
5040 A-2-6. (A.G. 210.313, A.S.) (8-21-25.)

By order of the Secretary of War:


J. L. HINES,  
Major General,  
Chief of Staff.

Official:

ROBERT C. DAVIS,  
Major General,

The Adjutant General,

A true copy:

  
Park Holland,  
1st Lieut., A.S.

For immediate delivery to  
2nd Lt. Carl J. Cranes, G. S.  
Reference Par for prompt return  
to A. G. O., W. D. with new address

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SPECIAL ORDERS }  
No. 202

WAR DEPARTMENT,  
WASHINGTON, August 27, 1925.

1. By direction of the President, Warrant Officer *James Hayes*, Fort Revere, Massachusetts, upon his own application, is retired from active service under the provisions of section 4a of the act of Congress approved June 4, 1920, and section 1248, Revised Statutes, after more than thirty years' service. He will proceed to his home. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 26 P 5040 A 2-6.

2. First Lieutenant *Eicart G. Plank*, Corps of Engineers, is relieved from assignment and duty at McCook Field, Dayton, Ohio, and from duty involving flying, to take effect at such time as will enable him to comply with this order, and will proceed at the proper time to Duluth, Minnesota, take station, and report in person on September 12, 1925, to the district engineer for assignment to duty and by letter to the Chief of Engineers. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 33 P 5040 A 2-6.

3. So much of paragraph 47, Special Orders, No. 140, War Department, June 15, 1925, as relieves First Lieutenant *Donald S. Burns*, Corps of Engineers, from duty involving flying for the period from June 16, 1925, to September 30, 1925, inclusive, is amended so as to relieve him from duty involving flying for the period from June 16, 1925, to September 12, 1925, inclusive. (A. G. 210.4.) (8-22-25.)

4. Colonel *William D. Forsyth*, Cavalry, having been found by an Army retiring board incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, and such finding having been approved by the President, the retirement of Colonel *Forsyth* from active service, under the provisions of section 1251, Revised Statutes, is announced. He will proceed to his home. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 26 P 5040 A 2-6.

5. By direction of the President, First Lieutenant *James J. Brumback*, Dental Corps Reserve, is relieved from his present assignment and duty at Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, California, effective upon the arrival of First Lieutenant *Arthur R. Logan*, Dental Corps Reserve, and will then proceed to his home, Riddle, Oregon, and upon arrival will stand relieved from further active duty and report by telegraph to The Adjutant General the date of arrival at his home. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. MD 203 P 5042 A 8320-6. Transportation of property is chargeable to procurement authority MD 203 P 4900 A 8320-6. (A. G. 210.312, Dental Corps, O. R. C.) (8-24-25.)

6. Leave of absence for one (1) month is granted Major *Horace H. Fuller*, Field Artillery, under exceptional circumstances, effective on or about August 27, 1925.

7. The leave of absence granted Captain *James H. Bogart*, Chemical Warfare Service, by paragraph 16, Special Orders, No. 165, War Department, July 15, 1925, is extended four (4) days.

8. Major *Courtney H. Hodges*, 29th Infantry, is relieved from assignment to that regiment and from his present duties at Fort Benning, Georgia, to take effect September 1, 1925, and will then report in person to the commandant the Infantry School for duty as instructor.

9. Paragraph 2, Special Orders, No. 131, War Department, June 4, 1925, is amended to read as follows: Captain *James L. Hatcher* (Ordnance Depart-

University for duty accordingly and by letter to the Quartermaster General and the commanding general First Corps Area. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 29 P 5040 A 2-0.

18. Each of the following-named officers of Air Service is relieved from assignment and duty at the Air Service Advanced Flying School, Kelly Field, Texas, to take effect upon the completion of his present course of instruction on or about September 15, 1925, and will then proceed to the station specified after his name and report in person to the commanding officer for duty:

Second Lieutenant *Robert L. Brookings*, Langley Field, Hampton, Virginia.  
 Second Lieutenant *John R. Hawkins*, Langley Field, Hampton, Virginia.  
 Second Lieutenant *George H. Steel*, Phillips Field, Aberdeen, Maryland.  
 Second Lieutenant *James Hewins, jr.*, Phillips Field, Aberdeen, Maryland.  
 Second Lieutenant *Earle E. Partridge*, Kelly Field, Texas.  
 Second Lieutenant *Edward F. Booth* (Infantry), Kelly Field, Texas.  
 Second Lieutenant *Alexander G. Greig*, Kelly Field, Texas.  
 Second Lieutenant *Irving B. Greene*, Kelly Field, Texas.  
 Second Lieutenant *John J. Williams*, Selfridge Field, Mount Clemens, Michigan.

Second Lieutenant *Luther S. Smith*, Selfridge Field, Mount Clemens, Michigan.

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Second Lieutenant *George A. Whatley*, Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Alabama.

The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 35 P 5040 A 2-G. (A. G. 210.313, A. S.) (8-21-25.)

19. The following-named enlisted men, Air Service, who have qualified for appointment as flying cadets will be sent to Brooks Field, San Antonio, Texas, reporting upon arrival to the commandant Air Service Primary Flying School not later than September 10, 1925, for appointment as flying cadets:

Private (First Class) *Ralph T. Wickford*, 6083511, Boston air port, Massachusetts.

Private *Herman E. Buchheim*, 6750340, Langley Field, Virginia.

Headquarters 20th Pursuit Squadron,  
Austin, Texas.  
7 September, 25 5:50PM.

**Field Orders**

No. . . 6.

Maps:- Leon Springs Reservation 1/20,000  
Bracken Quadrangle 1/62,500  
Rand McNally, Texas Map.

1 (a) The Blue Composite Group is operating from KELLY FIELD. All branches are active.

(b) The 20th Pursuit Squadron is operating with one Squadron of Attack, Bombardment, and Observation Aviation from Airbase 2 miles North of AUSTIN.

2 (a) This Squadron will patrol the area bounded by SEQUIN, NEW BRAUNFELS, CAMP STANLEY, KELLY FIELD, making one attack on enemy Airbase at KELLY FIELD.

3 (a) This Squadron will leave AUSTIN at 6:15 AM 10 September 25 to operate from Advance Airbase in vicinity of SEQUIN.

(b) Flight #1:

Lt. King (Ship #30)

Cadet Quessada (Ship #22)

Lt. Williams (Ship #25)

This Flight will remain on Alert until 8:00AM at which time it will take off and conduct an Offensive Patrol at 6000 feet altitude within area named in paragraph 2(a); after which a Bombing and Machine Gun Attack will be made on KELLY FIELD at 9:00 AM. Upon completion of this mission return to Advance Airbase and continue Patrols until 12:00 Noon.

(c) Flight #2:

Lt. Crane (Ship #27)

Lt. Smith (Ship #26)

Lt. Wallace (Ship #24)

This Flight will remain on Alert until 8:00 AM and then accompany Flight #1 on Offensive Patrol and the Attack on KELLY FIELD.

FLIGHT COMMANDERS REPORT.

Hq., Advanced Airdrome,  
SEGUIN, TEXAS.  
10 Sept., 1925.

At 8:50 AM attacked formation of three 2 seaters destroying them.

At 9:05 AM attacked the enemy airdrome at KELLY FIELD with 25 lb. fragmentation bombs and machine gun fire destroying 5 single seaters and 2 bombardment planes.

At 9:15 AM encountered one two seater #63 and shot it down near KIRBY, TEXAS.

At 9:25 AM encountered and surprised two two seaters shooting them down 10 miles east of SAN ANTONIO,

At 9:40 AM destroyed one two seater #2 near SEGUIN.

At 9:50 AM crippled one two seater who was forced to land and crashed.

At 10:30 AM while on alert rose to attack squadron of ground attack two seaters shooting down two and leaving one ship #24 slow by Lt. Wallace.

C. J. Grans,  
2nd Lieut., A.S.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE FACULTY BOARD  
OF  
THE AIR SERVICE ADVANCED FLYING SCHOOL

IN THE CASE OF:

SECOND LIEUTENANT CARL J. CRANE, AIR SERVICE.  
(Name of Student)

1. The Board met September 14, 1924, and there being a  
(date)  
quorum present, proceeded with the examination of the afore-  
mentioned student.
2. The Board finds: **That Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air Service,  
has satisfactorily completed the prescribed Pursuit Course at the Air Service  
Advanced Flying School.**
3. The Board recommends: **That Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air  
Service, be rated as an Airplane Pilot.**



Matthew E. Finn,  
1st Lieut., Air Service.  
(Secretary)

C. C. Culver,  
Lieut. Colonel, Air Service.  
(Commandant)



AIR SERVICE ADVANCED FLYING SCHOOL  
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDANT

KELLY FIELD, TEXAS

September 14, 1925.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air Service,  
HAS SATISFACTORILY COMPLETED THE PRESCRIBED COURSE OF INSTRUCTION IN  
Aviation AT THE AIR SERVICE ADVANCED FLYING SCHOOL  
WITH THE DEGREE OF PROFICIENCY INDICATED BELOW:

(Basic) SUBJECT	HOURS	GRADE
Flying	82.00	Good.
Engineering	114.00	92.5
Aerodynamics and Piloting	20.25	90.
Artillery Adjustment	6.00	75.
Parachutes	5.00	100.
Air Service Supply	5.00	70.
Bombs and Explosives	18.30	89.5
Visual Reconnaissance	4.00	90.
Anti-Aircraft Defense	3.15	100.
Manual of Sabot	1.50	85.
Duties of Squadron Officers	2.30	94.
Tactical Employment of Observation	2.30	85.
Organization and Employment of Air Service	5.00	82.
Combat Orders	2.00	85.
Bomb Racks	6.00	80.
Lewis Machine Gun	15.00	81.
Signal Communication	14.00	79.
Air Intelligence	11.00	71.
Navigation	6.00	80.
Crowning Machine Gun	12.00	87.
Pistol	12.00	80.
Shotgun	12.00	80.
Military Organization and Employment	14.00	90.
Topography	72.00	82.85
Bomb Sights	10.00	90.
Rules of Land Warfare	5.00	90.

REMARKS:

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AIR SERVICE ADVANCED FLYING SCHOOL  
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDANT

KELLY FIELD, TEXAS

---September 14, 1925.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, A. S.  
HAS SATISFACTORILY COMPLETED THE PRESCRIBED COURSE OF INSTRUCTION IN  
Pursuit AT THE AIR SERVICE ADVANCED FLYING SCHOOL  
WITH THE DEGREE OF PROFICIENCY INDICATED BELOW;

SUBJECT (Specialized)	HOURS	GRADE
<u>Flying</u>	78.52	Good
<u>Airplane Maintenance</u>	22.00	75.
<u>Combat Tactics</u>	4.00	78.5
<u>Tactics</u>	8.00	85.5
<u>Aerial Gunnery</u>	--	75.5
<u>Trap Shooting</u>	2.00	80.
<u>Ground Gunnery</u>	--	85.
<u>Flying Formation</u>	--	85.

REMARKS: General Average - 83.75%

Matthew E. Finn,  
1st Lieut., Air Service.  
SECRETARY

C. C. Calver,  
Lieut. Colonel, Air Service  
COMMANDANT

AIR SERVICE ADVANCED FLYING SCHOOL

GRADUATION EXERCISES SEPTEMBER 14, 1925.

- A. Aerial Review at 9:30 AM, September 14th, by student pilots.  
Reviewing stand at Post Operations Building.
- B. Graduation Exercises at 11:00 AM at the Officers' Club.
- (1) Introductory remarks by the Commandant.
  - (2) Address by Brigadier General Paul B. Malone, Commanding General Fort Sam Houston and Second Division.
  - (3) Presentation of Certificates by the Commandant and of insignia by the Assistant Commandant.
  - (4) Presentation of Reserve Commissions to cadets by Major General Ernest Hinds, Commanding General, 8th Corps Area.
  - (5) Luncheon at the Officers' Club for Commandant's party.
- C. Graduates:

BOMBARDMENT

1st Lt. James M. Gillespie, A.S.	2nd Lt. Walter C. White, A.S. (Inf)
2nd Lt. Robert L. Brookings, A.S.	Cadet Wallace S. Dawson
2nd Lt. John R. Hawkins, A.S.	Cadet Victor E. Nelson,
2nd Lt. James Howins, Jr., A.S.	Cadet Gilbert L. Tefft
2nd Lt. George H. Stehle, A.S.	Tech. Sgt. Siles A. Morehouse.

ATTACK

Capt. Harry H. Shepherd, U.S.M.C.	2nd Lt. Visishta Svasti, Siamese Army.
2nd Lt. Edward F. Booth, A.S. (Inf.)	Cadet Ambersa H. Banks,
2nd Lt. Cornelius W. Cousland, A.S.	Cadet John F. Buckman,
2nd Lt. Albert F. Glean, A.S.	Cadet Clinton A. Furrows
2nd Lt. Irving B. Greene, A.S.	Cadet James L. Daniel, Jr.
2nd Lt. Alexander G. Greig, A.S.	Cadet Walter W. Gross
2nd Lt. Ralph H. Lawter, A.S.	Cadet John F. Guillet
2nd Lt. Earle E. Partridge, A.S.	Cadet Harold L. Knoop
2nd Lt. Kenneth C. Strother, A.S.	

PURSUIT

Captain James T. Moore, U.S.M.C.	2nd Lt. Kirtley J. Gregg, A.S.
1st Lt. William J. Wallace, U.S.M.C.	2nd Lt. Harold C. King, A.S.
1st Lt. Yantis H. Taylor, A.S.O.R.C.	2nd Lt. Luther S. Smith, A.S.
1st Lt. Thomas D. White, A.S. (Inf.)	2nd Lt. John J. Williams, A.S.
2nd Lt. John R. Armstrong, A.S.	Cadet Lee Gehlbach
2nd Lt. Carl J. Crane, A.S.	Cadet Thomas P. Nelson
2nd Lt. Lawrence C. Elliott, A.S.	Cadet Elwood R. Quesada
2nd Lt. Ralph E. Fisher, A.S.	Cadet George H. Sparhawk.

( OVER )

Observation

Major Charles A. Lutz, U.S.P.C.	2nd Lt. Denis J. Mulligan, A.S.
1st Lt. Don L. Hutchins, A.S.	2nd Lt. William D. Old, A.S.
1st Lt. Lester N. Medaris, U.S.P.C.	2nd Lt. George A. Whatley, A.S.
1st Lt. George F. Towner, Jr., U.S.M.C.	2nd Lt. Mont Sinhaseni, Siamese Army
1st Lt. Ames S. Albro, A.S.	Cadet Francis E. Cheatle.
1st Lt. Orvil A. Anderson, A. S.	Cadet Harvey F. Dyer.
2nd Lt. Glenn L. Davasher, A. S.	Cadet James R. R. Reid.
2nd Lt. Leslie P. Holcomb, A. S. (F.A.)	Cadet Paul H. Woodruff.
2nd Lt. Lloyd E. Hunting, A.S.	

Special Observation (Not Involving piloting).

Major Harold A. Strauss, A. S.	1st Lt. Junius A. Smith, A. S.
Capt. Dudley B. Howard, A. S.	1st Lt. John Y. York, A. S.
1st Lt. James C. Cluck, A. S.	2nd Lt. Eugene B. Ely, C. A.
1st Lt. William A. Gray, A. S.	1st Lt. Henry G. Woodward.
1st Lt. James W. Hammond, A. S.	

D. Interesting Data:

This class entered the Primary Flying School at Brooks Field September 15, 1924, graduated from the Primary Flying School March 14, 1925, and entered the Advanced Flying School March 15, 1925. During the period of training for this class the 10th School Group and the students flew a total of 18,120 hours and 52 minutes.

Total number of airplanes maintained by the 10th School Group: 133.

<u>DH4</u>	<u>NBS1 (Martin Bombers)</u>	<u>Single Seaters</u>
93	12	28.

Personnel with the Advanced Flying School, other than students:

<u>Officers</u>	<u>Enlisted Men</u>
46 - ( 1 Major, 8 Capts., 36-1st Lts., 3-2nd Lts.)	971

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF AIR SERVICE  
WASHINGTON

Sept. 22, 1925.

PERSONNEL ORDERS )  
NO. 222 )

E X T R A C T

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8. Each of the following Air Service Officers having satisfactorily completed the required course in Pursuit-Training at the Air Service Advanced Flying School, is under the provisions of Section 2, General Orders 19, War Department, 1925, rated Airplane Pilot, effective September 22, 1925:

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2nd Lt. CARL J. CRANE, A. S.

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By order of the Chief of Air Service:

W. G. KILNER,  
Major, Air Service,  
Executive.

OFFICIAL:

IRA F. FRAVEL,  
Lt. Colonel, Air Service,  
Chief, Personnel Division.

CARL J. CRANE,  
Major, A. S.

HEADQUARTERS SARAFRIDGE FIELD  
MT. CLEMENS, MICHIGAN

SLE/HHH/mcd.

September 30, 1925.

SPECIAL ORDERS )

No. 314. )

EXTRACT

7. Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air Service, having reported at this station, this date, is transferred from the First Pursuit Group, Headquarters, Air Service, to the 27th Pursuit Squadron, Air Service, and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

By order of Captain TILLINGHAST:

OFFICIAL:

R. L. MERRITT,  
1st Lt., A.S.,  
Adjutant.

DISTRIBUTION:

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1 copy to Lt. Crane. ✓  
1 copy to 201 file.  
1 copy to Hq. Det.  
1 copy to 27th P.S.  
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HEADQUARTERS FIRST PURSUIT GROUP,  
SELFRIDGE FIELD,

FODH/gm

OPERATIONS ORDER, )  
No. 359 )

Mount Clemens, Michigan.

December 5, 1925.

1. Pursuant to instructions contained in letter, No. 361, Schedule of Operations over the Model Airway, Chief of Air Service, November 22, 1922, Second Lieutenant, CRANE, Carl J., Air Service, will proceed by airplane DH4B No. 23-735, to Wright Field, Fairfield, Ohio, reporting upon arrival thereof to the Commanding Officer for the purpose of receiving AIRWAYS PLANE DH4B-1 No. \_\_\_\_\_, thence to Mitchel Field, Long Island, New York, according to the following schedule:

\*\*\*\*\*OFF BOUND TRIP\*\*\*\*\*

MONDAY, December 7, 1925: Leave Selfridge, 8.00 A.M., for Wright, stopping for a few minutes at McCook.- Leave Wright, 11.15 A.M., for Langin, stopping for a few minutes at Norton.- Leave Langin, 2.00 P.M., for Bolling, stopping for a few minutes at Cumberland.

TUESDAY, December 8, 1925: Leave Bolling, 8.00 A.M., for Langley.- Leave Langley, 10.00 A.M., for Bolling.- Leave Bolling, 1.00 P.M., for Mitchel, stopping for a few minutes at Phillips.

\*\*\*\*\*RETURN TRIP\*\*\*\*\*

WEDNESDAY, December 9, 1925: Leave Mitchel, 1.00 P.M., for Bolling, stopping for a few minutes at Phillips.

THURSDAY, December 10, 1925: Leave Bolling, 8.00 A.M., for Langin, stopping for a few minutes at Cumberland.- Leave Langin 10.00 A.M., for McCook, stopping for a few minutes at Norton and Wright.- Leave McCook, 2.00 P.M., for Home Station, Selfridge Field.

2. Form W-1032 A.S., "Report of Flight over Model Airway", will be prepared and submitted to Group Operations within one day after completion of this flight.

By order of MAJOR LANPHIER:

FRANK O'D HUNTER,  
First Lieutenant, Air Service.  
OPERATIONS AND AIRWAY OFFICER.

Commanding Officer

*L. Crane*

HEADQUARTERS SELFRIDGE FIELD  
MT. CLEMENS, MICHIGAN

VHS/HHH/mod/peb.

SPECIAL ORDERS )

December 7, 1925.

No. 265 )

EXTRACT.

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1. Pursuant to instructions contained in Letter No. 361, "Schedule of Operations on Model Airways, Chief of Air Service, dated November 29, 1922, and in connection with Operations Order No. 359, Headquarters First Pursuit Group, Air Service, dated December 5, 1925, Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air Service, will proceed, by air, over the Model Airways, on December 7, 1925, from Selfridge Field, Michigan, to Mitchel Field, Long Island, New York, and return, by air, to his proper station, Selfridge Field, Michigan, according to the following schedule:-

OUTGOING TRIP: Monday Dec. 7, 1925, Leave Selfridge 8:00 A.M., for Wright, stopping a few minutes at McCook - Leave Wright 11:15 A.M., for Langin, stopping a few minutes at Norton. - Leave Langin, 2:00 P.M., for Bolling, stopping a few minutes at Cumberland, Maryland.

Tuesday, Dec. 8, 1925; Leave Bolling 8:00 A.M., for Langley, Leave Langley 10:00 A.M., for Bolling-- Leave Bolling 1:00 P.M., for Mitchel, stopping a few minutes at Phillips.

RETURN TRIP: Wednesday, Dec. 9, 1925; Leave Mitchel, 1:00 P.M., for Bolling, stopping a few minutes at Phillips.

Thursday, Dec. 10, 1925; Leave Bolling, 8:00 A.M., for Langin, stopping a few minutes at Cumberland, Maryland. - Leave Langin, 10:00 A.M., for McCook, stopping a few minutes at Norton and Wright. - Leave McCook, 2:00 P.M., for Home station, Selfridge Field.

Payment of actual and necessary expenses not to exceed Eight Dollars (\$8.00) per day, under the provisions of paragraph 1280 $\frac{1}{2}$  A.R., as supplemented by limitations published in General Orders No. 46, W.D., 1922, is authorized for the journey and payment when made is chargeable to Procurement Authority A.S. 126 P 5073 A 80-6.

The travel directed is necessary in the Military Service, and travel by aircraft for the entire journey is authorized.

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By order of Major LANPHIER:

OFFICIAL:

VICTOR H. STRAHM,  
1st Lieut., A.S.,  
Adjutant.

VICTOR H. STRAHM,  
1st Lieut., A.S.,  
Adjutant.

DISTRIBUTION: Orig to file; 5 copies to Lt. Crane; 1 copy to 201 file;  
1 copy to Operations; 1 copy to ea. station listed above;  
1 copy to Finance.



## MODEL AIRWAY

## REPORT OF FLIGHTS.

SUBJECT: Report of flight over Model Airway.

TO: Model Airway Control Officer, Bolling Field, Anacostia, D. C.

1. Herewith report of flight over Model Airway from..... 192..... to..... 192.....  
both dates inclusive.

Plane No.....

## OUTBOUND TRIP.

Departed from Home Station Selfridge 10:15 A.M. (time) Dec. 7, 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at McCook Field, 12:45 Noon (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Departed from McCook Field, 12:55 (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at Fairfield Field, 1:00 P.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Departed from Fairfield Field, 2:05 P.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at Norton Field, 2:40 P.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Departed from Norton Field, 3:00 P.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at Langin Field, 4:05 P.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Departed from Langin Field, 2:15 P.M. (time) Dec. 8, 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at Cumberland Field, 3:15 P.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
~~Washington~~

## RETURN TRIP.

Departed from ~~Washington~~ Ball Cumberland 3:15 P.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at Bolling Field, 4:25 P.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Departed from Bolling Field, 9:50 A.M. (time) Dec. 9, 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at Langley Field, 11:15 A.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Departed from Langley Field, 11:40 A.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at Bolling Field, 1:20 P.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Departed from Bolling Field, 2:00 P.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at Phillips Field, 2:45 P.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Departed from Phillips Field, 2:47 P.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at ~~Washington~~ Mitchel 4:20 P.M. (time) " " , 1925 (date)

**MODEL AIRWAY****REPORT OF FLIGHTS.**

SUBJECT: Report of flight over Model Airway.

TO: Model Airway Control Officer, Bolling Field, Anacostia, D. C.

1. Herewith report of flight over Model Airway from.....192..... to.....192.....  
both dates inclusive.

Plane No.....

**OUTBOUND TRIP.**

Departed from ~~Home Station~~ Mitchel ..... 11:30 AM (time) Dec. 10, 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at Phillips ..... Field, 1:40 PM (time) ..... 1925 (date)  
 Departed from Phillips ..... Field, 1:50 PM (time) ..... 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at Bolling ..... Field, 2:40 PM (time) ..... 1925 (date)  
 Departed from Bolling ..... Field, 1:40 PM (time) ..... 12, 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at Langin ..... Field, 4:37 PM (time) ..... 12, 1925 (date)  
 Departed from Langin ..... Field, 10:40 AM (time) ..... 13, 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at Wright Field ..... Field, 1:00 PM (time) 4 13, 1925 (date)  
 Departed from Wright Field ..... Field, 1:30 PM (time) 4 13, 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at McCook ..... Field, 1:40 (time) 4 13, 1925 (date)  
 (Destination)

33 gas  
 7 oil  
 72 gas  
 12 oil

**RETURN TRIP.**

Departed from ~~Destination~~ McCook ..... 1:40 (time) ..... 11, 1925 (date)  
 Arrived at Selfridge ..... Field, 3:45 (time) ..... 11, 1925 (date)  
 Departed from..... Field,..... (time)....., 192..... (date)  
 Arrived at..... Field,..... (time)....., 192..... (date)  
 Departed from..... Field,..... (time)....., 192..... (date)  
 Arrived at..... Field,..... (time)....., 192..... (date)  
 Departed from..... Field,..... (time)....., 192..... (date)  
 Arrived at..... Field,..... (time)....., 192..... (date)  
 Departed from..... Field,..... (time)....., 192..... (date)  
 Arrived at Home Station..... (time)....., 192..... (date)

Dec. 7, 1925

Lunch at Fairfield - 1.25  
Dinner at Mountville - 1.75  
Hotel " " 3.25

Dec. 8, 1925

Bkfst at Mountville .75  
~~Lunch~~  
Lunch at N. Y. " 1.75  
Dinner at Washington 2.00  
Taxi at " { 2.05  
                  { 1.80  
Bkfst " " .85  
Lunch " " 1.00  
Dinner at N. Y. C 2.00

Dec. 9, 1925

Bkfst at N.Y. .95

.G.201-Crane, Carl J.  
(5-12-26.)

WAR DEPARTMENT  
The Adjutant General's Office  
WASHINGTON.

Off.451 BS/NES

May 13, 1926.

SUBJECT: Orders.

TO: Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, A. S.  
Mitchel Field, Long Island, New York.

THRU: The Commanding General, Second Corps Area.


1. The Secretary of War directs as necessary in the military service that you proceed by air from Mitchel Field, Long Island, New York in P-1 airplane to Langley Field, Hampton, Virginia, on temporary duty for the purpose of delivering this plane to the Commanding Officer and receiving a PW-9 airplane and ferrying it to Kelly Field, Texas, delivering it to the Commanding Officer, that you then proceed by rail to Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemens, Michigan, on temporary duty for the purpose of receiving Mitchel Field Airways airplane now at that station, and ferrying it to Mitchel Field, your present station.

2. Payment of actual and necessary expenses not exceeding eight (\$8.00) dollars per day is authorized under the provisions of paragraph 12804, Army Regulations, supplemented by limitations published in General Orders 46, War Department, 1922, for so much of the travel as performed by air, and is chargeable to A.S. 1 P 5073 A 80-6.

3. So much of the travel as performed by rail is chargeable to A. S. 1 P 5040 A 80-6.

(Signed) BYARD SHEED,  
Adjutant General.

A TRUE COPY:

  
CARL J. CRANE,  
2nd Lieut. A. S.

6. The remote booster controls are not being connected due to the fact that Fairfield MITCHEL FIELD- Long Island, N.Y. the factory with the wrong type Dixie Mag machine work will be necessary before the May 14, 1926. Under the contract Curtiss cannot do this work, the Army Inspector here advised that McCook Field is prepared to make the changes.

SUBJECT: Progress Report, Reference <sup>S.O.</sup> 50.86 - Hdqrs. Selfridge Field.

TO: Commanding Officer, Selfridge Field, Mount Clemens, Michigan.

1. The undersigned reported to Commanding Officer, Mitchel Field 9:00 A.M., May 4, 1926. The four enlisted men arrived the evening of May 3, 1926, and reported to Commanding Officer, Mitchel Field May 4, 1926. These men are attached to the 8th Photo Section for quarters and are messing with the 1st Observation Squadron.

2. The first P-1-A accepted #26-280 was billed to Bolling Field and ferried there by Lieut. Crane May 4, 1926. P-1\*A #26-281 to #26-284 inclusive have been accepted and tested. These ships are due for delivery to Selfridge Field. P-1\*A #26-282 and #26-283 have been delivered to Captains Baucum and Quinn respectively and left Mitchel Field for Selfridge May 11, 1926. P-1\*A #26-285 will be delivered to Lieut. Crane this date. There remains fourteen (14) ships still to be delivered from the Curtiss Factory.

3. In testing the airplanes minor adjustments to oil pressure, throttle settings, and rigging have been made. One or two ships came thru with loose gas and water connections. Every ship receives about one hour of flying time and approximately two and a half <sup>the</sup> hours engine running time before being ferried. After flights are through inspection is given each ship. Record is being kept of the adjustment and work done on each ship.

4. The airplanes are towed by truck from the Curtiss plant to Mitchel Field where they are tested.

5. When the enlisted men are not working at Mitchel Field on the ships preparatory to and after flight they are working thru the Curtiss Factory as per the attached schedule. They are interested and efficient in their duties.

HEADQUARTERS SELFRIDGE FIELD  
MT. CLEMENS, MICHIGAN

KJC/BBH/bh

Special Orders }  
No. 150 }

July 17, 1926.

EXTRACT

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6. In addition to his other duties and during the temporary absence of 2nd Lieutenant Kirtley J. Gregg, Air Service, 2nd Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air Service, is appointed Adjutant and Personnel Adjutant of this command.

7. Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air Service, is attached to the 1st Pursuit Group Headquarters, Air Service, for the purpose of assuming command of that organization during the temporary absence of Second Lieutenant Kirtley J. Gregg, Air Service.

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By order of:

Major LANPHER:

OFFICIAL:

CARL J. CRANE,  
2nd Lieut., ADJUTANT

CARL J. CRANE,  
2nd Lieut., A.S.  
ADJUTANT

Distribution: Orig. to file; copy Lt. Crane; copy Lt. Gregg; copy CO 27th Sq;  
CO 1st Pur.Gr.Mq.; 201 file each officer.

2 LT CRANE.

SPECIAL ORDERS }

NO. 152 }

Extract.

July 19, 1926.

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6. Pursuant to authority contained in paragraph 11, Special Orders No. 100, Headquarters, Sixth Corps Area, dated April 30, 1926, the following named enlisted men of the 17th Pursuit Squadron, Air Service, will proceed, by Government Motor transportation, On July 21, 1926, from Selfridge Field, Michigan, to Chanute Field, Rantoul, Illinois, reporting not later than July 26, 1926, to the Commanding Officer, that place, for duty in connection with the summer training camp;

Master Sergeant	Frank O. Wadsworth,	#-6444016
Staff Sergeant	Xura L. Horn,	R-1049845
Staff Sergeant	Barney E. Fuller,	R-1360532
Sergeant	Thoron E. Hilderley,	#-6725075
Sergeant	Gaylord Cross,	R-113378
Sergeant	Samuel Vlucht,	#-6732749
Corporal	Edgar W. Adams,	#-6731967
Corporal	Eugene W. Horsey,	#-6728953
Corporal	Vern Archambeau,	#-6620388
Private 1/cl	Nils B. Anderson,	#-6735504
Private 1/cl	Anthony Balcerowski,	#-6732280
Private 1/cl	Morrison D. Batchelor,	#-6733425
Private 1/cl	Joe Beta,	#-6485845
Private 1/cl	Steven Boudreau,	#-6731936
Private 1/cl	Leo H. Hemelberg,	#-6725080
Private 1/cl	Paul Kuhn,	#-6730064
Private 1/cl	Leslie McGaghren,	#-6731876
Private 1/cl	Joseph Mohar,	#-6040892
Private 1/cl	Michael J. Morrison,	#-6725087
Private 1/cl	Neal Seay,	#-6758411
Private 1/cl	Carl Schneider,	#-6756761
Private 1/cl	Ezra D. Stiles,	#-6731996
Private 1/cl	Arthur C. Temmerman,	#-6756352
Private 1/cl	Victor M. Waytulonis,	#-6488778
Private	Clifford G. Adams,	#-6756929
Private	Joseph F. Bisnaire,	#-6729011
Private	Robert A. Boudrias,	#-6757078
Private	Patrick E. Brady,	#-6756317
Private	Albert T. Charboneau,	#-6756811
Private	Franze E. Cox,	#-6734023
Private W	William L. Culhane,	#-6758165
Private	Henry H. Foster,	#-6759420
Private	William J. Giblin,	#-6733532
Private	Otto A. Haskins,	#-6757177
Private	Lewis Kaake,	#-6728847
Private	Marshall E. Lemble,	#-6761250
Private	Norman G. Massey,	#-6760221
Private	Lester J. McNamee,	#-6731991
Private	Willard A. Mustard,	#-6760621
Private	Saul R. Nunez,	#-6517707
Private	Frank Pavlaski,	#-6731986
Private	Roy R. Rich,	#-6756542
Private	Harold L. Schneider,	#-6756803
Private	Clark B. Stetchfield,	#-6756551
Private	John P. Shadko,	#-6756938
Private	Wayne Swank,	#-6758443
Private	Alfred G. Walker,	#-6761261
Private	Andrew Williams,	R-1542800

*1st Sgt. [unclear]*  
*Transport*

*mess*

*Operation*

*Truck driver*

*Truck driver*

immediate delivery to  
*St. Crane*  
Reference Par. 1, 2, 3, or prompt return  
to A.G.O., W.D. with new address.

SPECIAL ORDERS  
No. 102

WAR DEPARTMENT,  
WASHINGTON, May 2, 1927.

1. Lieutenant Colonel *Frank S. Bowen*, Field Artillery, is relieved from detail with the Organized Reserves of the Second Corps Area and from further assignment and duty to the 98th Division, Albany, New York, effective June 1, 1927, is then assigned to 7th Field Artillery, will proceed to Madison Barracks, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer for duty with the regiment to which assigned. The name of Lieutenant Colonel *Bowen* is removed from the detached officers' list, effective June 1, 1927. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 42 P 5040 A 2-7.

2. Colonel *William J. Barden*, Corps of Engineers, is relieved from his present assignment and duties in Seattle, Washington, and from additional duty with the 96th Division, to take effect at such time as will enable him to comply with this order, and will proceed at the proper time to Governors Island, New York, and report in person not later than June 15, 1927, to the commanding general Second Corps Area for assignment to duty with the Engineer Corps at his headquarters and by letter to the Chief of Engineers for assignment to duty as division engineer, Northeast Division. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 33 P 5040 A 2-7.

3. Leave of absence for one (1) month and ten (10) days is granted Major *William D. Geary*, Field Artillery, effective on or about June 10, 1927.

4. Leave of absence for two (2) months and eleven (11) days is granted Major *Vicente Lim*, Infantry, effective on or about June 5, 1927, to terminate at such time as will enable him to comply with paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 70, War Department, March 25, 1927.

5. Leave of absence for two (2) months is granted Major *Thomas G. Hearn*, Infantry, effective on or about June 28, 1927, to terminate at such time as will enable him to comply with paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 70, War Department, March 25, 1927.

6. Leave of absence for two (2) months is granted First Lieutenant *Eugene G. Miller*, Field Artillery, effective on or about June 11, 1927.

7. First Sergeant *Julius J. Koch*, R-1194583, Company I, 11th Infantry, will be placed upon the retired list at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, and will be sent to his home. The journey is necessary for the public service. AG 200 A 9-7.

8. By direction of the President, First Lieutenant *Mark Harris Slaymaker*, Quartermaster Corps Reserve (O-173244), is, with his consent, ordered to active duty, effective June 1, 1927. On that date he will proceed without delay from Elgin, Illinois, to Chicago, Illinois, reporting in person upon arrival to the commanding officer Chicago quartermaster intermediate depot for training. Lieutenant *Slaymaker* will rank from May 16, 1927. He will be relieved from duty in time to enable him to arrive at his home on June 15, 1927, on which date he will revert to inactive status. Pay and allowances are chargeable to procurement authority FD 592 P 2717 A 3190-7. The travel directed is necessary in the military service and is chargeable to procurement authority FD 561 P 5042 A 3190-7. If transportation request is desired, application therefor should be made to the nearest Army quartermaster, whose address may be obtained from the proper corps area commander.



- First Lieutenant *Harold A. Moore*, Crissy Field, Presidio of San Francisco, California.
- First Lieutenant *Arthur G. Liggett*, Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemens, Michigan.
- First Lieutenant *Harry F. Collier*, Langley Field, Virginia.
- First Lieutenant *Thad V. Foster*, Langley Field, Virginia.
- First Lieutenant *John R. Glascock*, Crissy Field, Presidio of San Francisco, California.
- First Lieutenant *Alfred L. Jecett*, Marshall Field, Fort Riley, Kansas.
- First Lieutenant *Clarence P. Talbot*, 88th Observation Squadron, Wright Field, Fairfield, Ohio.
- First Lieutenant *Ralph F. Stearley* (Cav.), Fort Crockett, Texas.
- Second Lieutenant *Thomas M. Lovce*, Langley Field, Virginia.
- Second Lieutenant *Leonard H. Roddeck*, Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemens, Michigan.
- Second Lieutenant *Otto P. Wegland*, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
- Second Lieutenant *Carl J. Crane*, Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemens, Michigan.
- Second Lieutenant *William D. Old*, Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Alabama.
- Second Lieutenant *Elmer T. Rundquist*, Langley Field, Virginia.
- Second Lieutenant *Lee Gekibach*, Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemens, Michigan.
- Second Lieutenant *Clarence S. Irvine*, Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemens, Michigan.
- The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 35 P 5040 A 2-7. (A. G. 210.313, March Field, Calif.) (4-14-27.)
19. Captain *Penton G. Epling*, Coast Artillery Corps, is relieved from assignment and duty as student, Air Corps Tactical School, Langley Field, Virginia, and is assigned to the 61st Coast Artillery, to take effect upon the completion of the present course of instruction, and will then proceed to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and join his regiment. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 43 P 5040 A 2-7.
20. By direction of the President, Major *Robert O. Lunn*, Cavalry, is detailed as a member of the Army retiring board appointed to meet at Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Colorado, by paragraph 20, Special Orders, No. 231, War Department, September 20, 1926, vice Major *Lorris K. Underhill*, Infantry, hereby relieved. (A. G. 334.6, Fitzsimons Gen. Hosp.) (4-25-27.)
21. Captain *William F. Campbell*, Quartermaster Corps, is relieved from assignment and duty as student at the Cavalry School, Fort Atley, Kansas, to take effect upon the completion of the present course of instruction, and will then report in person to the commanding general Fort Riley, Kansas, for duty as assistant to the quartermaster until September 1, 1927, when he will stand relieved from that duty and will proceed to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the commandant the Quartermaster Corps School for duty with the staff and faculty. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 20 P 5040 A 2-8.
22. First Lieutenant *Lloyd H. Gibbons*, Infantry, is assigned to the 25th Infantry, Nogales, Arizona, to take effect upon completion of his present tour of foreign service, and will join that organization and station at the proper time, in accordance with orders to be issued by the commanding general Hawaiian Department. (A. G. 210.31.) (3-10-27.)
23. Each of the following-named Infantry officers is assigned to the organization and station indicated after his name, to take effect upon completion of his present tour of foreign service, and will join that organization and station at

For immediate delivery to

and Lt. Crane, A.C.

Reference Par 55 or prompt return

SPECIAL ORDERS  
No. 122  
U. S. O. W. D with new address  
WAR DEPARTMENT,  
WASHINGTON, May 24, 1927.

1. Major *Bacon* L. *Wilson*, Medical Corps, is detailed as a member of the promotion examining board appointed by paragraph 22, Special Orders, No. 19, War Department, January 24, 1927, to meet in this city at the call of the president thereof, vice Major *Charles G. Sinclair*, Medical Corps, during his temporary absence from his station on detached service. Major *Sinclair* will resume his duties as a member of the board upon his return to his proper station. (A. G. 3341, Washington, D. C.) (1-14-27.)

2. Paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 121, War Department, May 23, 1927, relating to the detail of Major *Daniel W. Harmon*, Medical Corps, as a member of the promotion examining board in this city, is revoked.

3. By direction of the President, Warrant Officer *Edward Brown*, W-900043, upon his own application is retired from active service under the provisions of section 4a of the act of Congress approved June 4, 1920, and section 1243, Revised Statutes, after more than thirty years' service. He will proceed to his home. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 26 P 5040 A 2-7.

4. Major *Norman W. Peck*, Air Corps, is relieved from further observation and treatment at Walter Reed General Hospital, Army medical center, Washington, D. C., and will rejoin his proper station at Akron, Ohio. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. AG 200 P 5032 A 9-7.

5. Leave of absence for one (1) month and fifteen (15) days, to take effect on or about June 1, 1927, is granted Major *Iverson B. Summers, jr.*, adjutant general.

6. By direction of the President, Second Lieutenant *Kenneth H. Kinler*, Infantry, is detailed in the Air Corps, effective July 1, 1927. He is relieved from assignment to the 28th Infantry and from station and duty at Fort Niagara, New York, to take effect at such time as will enable him to comply with this order, and will proceed at the proper time to Brooks Field, Texas, and report in person July 1, 1927, to the commandant Air Corps Primary Flying School for duty and training. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 35 P 5040 A 2-7 and A 2-8.

7. Leave of absence for two (2) months and fifteen (15) days is granted Major *Anton C. Cron*, 18th Infantry, effective on or about July 1, 1927, to terminate on or before September 15, 1927. Major *Cron* is granted permission to leave the continental limits of the United States while on this leave.

8. Paragraph 13, Special Orders, No. 83, War Department, April 9, 1927, revoking paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 70, War Department, March 25, 1927, which relieves First Lieutenant *Harold P. Hennessy*, Coast Artillery Corps, from assignment and duty as a student at the Coast Artillery School, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and assigns him to the 62nd Coast Artillery, Fort Totten, New York, is revoked.

9. Paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 83, War Department, April 9, 1927, relieving First Lieutenant *Harold P. Hennessy*, Coast Artillery Corps, from assignment and duty as a student at the Coast Artillery School, Fort Monroe, Virginia, to take effect upon completion of the present course of instruction, and detaching him, by direction of the President, at the University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio, is revoked. (A. G. 210.64, R. O. T. C.) (4-5-27.)

53. By direction of the President, Major General *Dennis E. Nolan*, United States Army, now in Washington, D. C., is assigned to the command of the Fifth Corps Area and will proceed to Fort Hayes, Ohio, take station, and assume the command to which assigned. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 28 P 5040 A 2-7.

54. Leave of absence for ten (10) days, to take effect on or about June 17, 1927, is granted Major *James E. Baylis*, Medical Corps.

55. Leave of absence for one (1) month, to take effect on or about May 30, 1927, is granted Second Lieutenant *Carl J. Crum*, Air Corps.

56. The board of officers appointed by paragraph 21, Special Orders, No. 209, War Department, September 4, 1925, to meet at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, for the purpose of examining applicants for commission in the Medical Department, Regular Army, consisting of Major *Ray W. Bryan*, Medical Corps, and Captain *Edicard A. Casserly*, Medical Corps, is dissolved. (A. G. 210.1, Med. C.) (5-23-27.) (Off.)

57. A board consisting of the following-named officers is appointed to meet at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, at the call of the president thereof, for the purpose of examining applicants for appointment in the Medical Department of the Regular Army:

Lieutenant Colonel *William H. Tefft*, Medical Corps.

Captain *Lewis A. Lavature*, Medical Corps.

(A. G. 210.1, Med. C.) (5-23-27.) (Off.)

58. Leave of absence for two (2) months and twenty-one (21) days, to take effect on or about June 17, 1927, is granted Major *Robert C. Garrett*, Coast Artillery Corps.

59. Leave of absence for one (1) month and fifteen (15) days, to take effect on or about July 16, 1927, is granted Captain *Charles A. Bell*, Medical Corps.

60. So much of paragraph 35, Special Orders, No. 105, War Department, May 5, 1927, as assigns Second Lieutenant *Donald Dunford*, Infantry, to the 17th Infantry, with station at Fort Omaha, Nebraska, is revoked.

61. The transfer of Second Lieutenant *Donald Dunford*, Infantry, to the Field Artillery on May 19, 1927, with rank from June 12, 1925, is announced. Second Lieutenant *Dunford* is relieved from further attachment to the Second Division, is assigned to the Field Artillery of that division, and will report in person to the commanding general Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for assignment to an organization.

62. Leave of absence for two (2) months, to take effect on or about May 29, 1927, is granted Captain *Joel R. Burney*, Infantry.

63. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 12, Special Orders, No. 94, War Department, April 22, 1927, as relates to Captain *Lindley Gray Schmidt*, Ordnance Department Reserve (O-177834), is amended to relieve him from duty in time to enable him to arrive at his home on May 25, 1927, on which date he will revert to inactive status. (A. G. 210.312, Watertown Arsenal, Mass.) (5-23-27.)

[S. O. 122, May 24, 1927]

UNITED STATES ARMY

TROOP SCHOOLS,  
Mess Management Branch  
BROOKS FIELD, TEXAS

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Certificate of Proficiency

SECOND LIEUTENANT CARL J. CRANE, A. C.

has satisfactorily completed the War Department Course of Instruction  
in MESS MANAGEMENT, (AS PRESCRIBED IN DOC. A.G. 352.01,  
12-27-28,) and has passed the requisite examination as  
MESS OFFICER

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Given at Brooks Field, Texas this 22nd day of August  
in the year 1929.

L. W. Douglas  
127 AC

Instructor.

Louis R. Knight

Captain, Air Corps,

Commanding.

HEADQUARTERS  
BROOKS FIELD, TEXAS  
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER

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November 12, 1929

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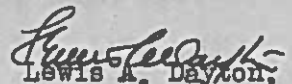
Subject: Promotion Examination

To : 2nd Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, A.C.,  
Brooks Field, Texas.

1. In accordance with instructions contained in letter, Headquarters, Eighth Corps Area, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, File AG(Off) 210.2-433, Subject: Promotion Examination, To: Commanding Officer, Brooks Field, Texas, dated November 9, 1929, you will report in person to Colonel Charles M. Bundel, 12th Field Artillery, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, President, Army Promotion Board, appointed by paragraph 26, Special Orders No. 272, Headquarters, Eighth Corps Area, current series, for the purpose of undergoing examination to determine your physical fitness for active duty and promotion.

2. You will communicate with Colonel Bundel as to time and place to report for examination.

By order of Major Fitz Gerald:

  
Lewis A. Dayton,  
1st Lieut., A.C.,  
Adjutant.

HEADQUARTERS BROOKS FIELD, December 4, 1929.  
SPECIAL ORDERS NO. 261, Cont'd.

10. In addition to his other duties Second Lieutenant John T. Sprague, Air Corps, is detailed as Assistant to the Air Corps Supply Officer, this station, vice Second Lieutenant Elmer J. Rogers, Air Corps, hereby relieved.

11. Second Lieutenant F. Edgar Cheatle, Air Corps, is hereby relieved as Police and Prison Officer, Assistant Provost Marshal and Fire Marshal.

12. In addition to his other duties Second Lieutenant Elmer J. Rogers, Air Corps, is hereby detailed as Police and Prison Officer and Fire Marshal.

2nd Lieut. Rogers will receipt to 2nd Lieut. Cheatle for all property and records pertaining to the above offices.

13. Under the provisions of Army Regulations No. 605-115, leave of absence for a period of ten (10) days, is granted Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air Corps, effective on or about December 8, 1929.

Address while on leave: c/o Compania Mexicana de Aviation, Mexico City, Mexico.

2nd Lieut. Crane will accomplish change of status report prior to departure from this station.

By order of Major Fitz Gerald:

*Lewis A. Dayton*  
Lewis A. Dayton,  
1st Lieut., Air Corps,  
Adjutant.

OFFICIAL:

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Lewis A. Dayton,  
1st Lieut., Air Corps,  
Adjutant.

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Hq. The A.C. Training Center, Duncan Field, San Antonio, Texas  
Dec. 6, 1929 - To The Commanding General, Eighth Corps Area, Fort  
Sam Houston, Texas.

Approved.

For the Commanding General:

  
A. B. McDaniel  
Captain, A.C.  
Executive

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Hq. 8th C. A., December 7, 1929 - To Commanding General,  
Air Corps Training Center, Duncan Field, San Antonio, Texas.

Approved.

For the Commanding General:

  
Jno. F. Clapham,  
Lieut. Colonel, A.G.D.,  
Asst. Adjutant General.



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Hq. The A.C. Training Center, Duncan Field, San Antonio, Tex. Dec. 9, 1929.  
To The Commandant, A.C.P.F.S., Brooks Field, Texas.

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Brooks Field, Texas  
December 5, 1929

A. G. 8th CORPS AREA  
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201-Crane, Carl J. (OFF)

**Subject:** Permission to leave Continental Limits of  
the United States.

**Thru:** Commanding Officer, Brooks Field, Texas

**To:** The Commanding General, 8th Corps Area, Fort Sam Houston,  
Texas.

1. Leave has been granted the undersigned for a period  
of ten (10) days, effective on or about December 8, 1929.

2. The undersigned requests permission to visit Mexico City  
while on leave.

3. Address while on leave: Compania Mexicana de Aviation,  
Mexico City, Mexico.

HEADQUARTERS,  
BROOKS FIELD, TEXAS

*Carl J. Crane*  
Carl J. Crane,  
2nd Lieut., Air Corps.



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Headquarters Brooks Field, Texas, December 5, 1929. To: Commanding  
General, Air Corps Training Center, Duncan Field, San Antonio, Texas.

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Approved.

*S. W. Fitz Gerald*  
S. W. Fitz Gerald,  
Major, Air Corps,  
Commanding.





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201- Crane, Carl J. (Off.)

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Headquarters, Brooks Field, Texas, December 9, 1929. - To: 2nd Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air Corps, Brooks Field, Texas.

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## WAR DEPARTMENT

'Off. Div. 445-BF)

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

IN REPLY  
REFER TOA.G.201-Crane, Carl J.  
(11-18-29)

WASHINGTON

January 11, 1930.

SUBJECT: Qualifications for promotion.

RE Through: The Commanding General,  
Eighth Corps Area.To: Second Lieut. Carl J. Crane, Air Corps,  
Brooks Field, Texas.

The board before which you were recently examined for promotion has submitted a satisfactory report as to your qualifications, and the proceedings and findings of the board have been approved by the Secretary of War. You are, therefore, borne upon the records as qualified for promotion.

DEPT. A.G.O. ON C.A. JAN 14 1930

*A. N. Dunning*

Adjutant General.

HEADQUARTERS,  
BROOKS FIELD, TEXAS

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Hq. 8th C. A., January 14, 1930 - Thru Commanding Officer,  
Brooks Field, Texas, to Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air Corps.

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HEADQUARTERS BROOKS FIELD  
Office of the Commanding Officer

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Brooks Field, Texas,  
March 4, 1930.

SPECIAL ORDERS )  
NO.....33 )

1. Having reported at this station, March 2, 1930, in compliance with Paragraph 3, Special Orders No. 46, U. S. Army Recruiting Station, 520 Tenth Street, North West, Washington, D. C., February 27, 1930, Flying Cadet Roland L. Samsbury, 6836378, is assigned to the Air Corps Primary Flying School, Flying Cadet Detachment, this station.

2. Having reported at this station, March 2, 1930, in compliance with Paragraph 2, Special Orders No. 43, U. S. Army Recruiting Station, 415 Zindler Building, Houston, Texas, March 1, 1930, Flying Cadet Robert G. Wallace, 6246265, is assigned to the Air Corps Primary Flying School, Flying Cadet Detachment, this station.

3. Second Lieutenant Louie P. Turner, Air Corps, this station, is hereby relieved from duty with the Department of Flying Instruction.

4. Second Lieutenant Louie P. Turner, Air Corps, this station, is detailed as Assistant Personnel Adjutant, Recruiting Officer, and Insurance Officer this station, vice Second Lieutenant Lawrence H. Douthit, Air Corps, hereby relieved.

5. Second Lieutenant Lawrence H. Douthit, Air Corps, is hereby detailed to duty with the Department of Flying Instruction.

6. Second Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air Corps, is, in addition to his other duties, detailed to duty with the Department of Flying Instruction.

7. Under the provisions of Paragraph 2 h, (3), Army Regulations No. 210-70, Second Lieutenant Bernard A. Bridget, Air Corps, and Second Lieutenant Daniel C. Doubleday (CAC) are placed on detached service in the vicinity of Matagorda Island, for a period of four (4) days, effective on or about March 4, 1930.

HEADQUARTERS BROOKS FIELD, March 4, 1930.  
SPECIAL ORDERS NO. 33, Continued.

8. Pursuant to authority contained in letter, War Department, Office of the Chief of Air Corps, Washington, dated February 26, 1930, File 210.69. Subject: Orders. To:- Commanding General, Air Corps Training Center, Duncan Field, San Antonio, Texas, and Army Regulations No. 35-4890, dated March 8, 1926, Captain Roderick N. Ott, Air Corps, this station, (Pilot) will proceed by rail on or about March 5, 1930, from the Air Corps Training Center, Duncan Field, San Antonio, Texas, to March Field, Riverside, California, for the purpose of securing and ferrying O2-K airplane number 29-198, from March Field, Riverside, California, via the best available air route, to Brooks Field, San Antonio, Texas, on Transfer Order FSS 30-694, and upon delivery of this airplane to return to his proper station.

Payment of actual and necessary expenses not exceeding eight dollars (\$8.00) per day, under the provisions of Paragraph 9, Army Regulations No. 35-4820, dated September 24, 1928, is authorized.

Travel by air is a proper charge to A C 50 P 5073 A 80-0, and travel by rail is a proper charge to AC 50 P 5040 A 80-0. Travel directed is necessary in the military service.

Captain Ott will radio the Material Division, Air Corps, Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, each day, giving location, model, and serial number of airplane being ferried.

By order of Major Oldfield:

*Lewis A. Dayton*  
Lewis A. Dayton,  
1st Lieut., Air Corps,  
Adjutant.

OFFICIAL:

*Lewis A. Dayton*  
Lewis A. Dayton,  
1st Lieut., Air Corps,  
Adjutant.

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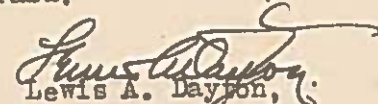
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Headquarters, Brooks Field, Texas, January 16, 1930. - To: Second Lieutenant  
Carl J. Crane, Air Corps, Brooks Field, San Antonio, Texas.

Inviting attention to basic communication.

By order of Major Fitz Gerald:

  
Lewis A. Dayton,  
1st Lieut., A.C.,  
Adjutant.

For immediate delivery to  
1st Lt. C. Crane, A.C.

Reference Par. *top #* or prompt return  
to A. G. O., W. D. with new address.

SPECIAL ORDERS  
No. 90

WAR DEPARTMENT  
WASHINGTON, April 17, 1930

1. Leave of absence is granted to each of the following-named officers, effective on or about the dates specified:

Second Lieutenant *Thomas B. Harper*, Infantry, one month and fifteen days, July 5, 1930, to terminate not later than August 20, 1930, with permission to visit foreign countries.

Lieutenant Colonel *Edward W. Wildrick*, General Staff Corps, seven days, April 21, 1930.

Colonel *Leonard L. Deitrick*, Quartermaster Corps, twelve days, April 30, 1930.

Major *Arthur R. Harris*, Field Artillery, two months and ten days, June 20, 1930, with permission to visit foreign countries.

Major *Hugo D. Selton*, Infantry, two months and ten days, June 1, 1930.

Major *Aaron J. Becker*, Infantry, one month and four days, June 11, 1930.

First Lieutenant *Edgar E. Glenn*, Air Corps, three months, June 1, 1930, with permission to visit foreign countries.

First Lieutenant *Michael E. McHugo*, Air Corps, one month and twelve days, May 18, 1930, to terminate not later than July 1, 1930.

(A. G. 210.711.) (4-17-30.)

2. By direction of the President, and in accordance with section 1246, Revised Statutes, an Army retiring board is appointed to meet at headquarters Sixth Corps Area, Chicago, Illinois, from time to time at the call of the president of the board for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it. Detail for the board:

#### MEMBERS

Colonel *Alvord Van P. Anderson*, Cavalry.

Colonel *Harry D. Mitchell*, Adjutant General's Department.

Lieutenant Colonel *William R. Pope*, Cavalry (with Signal Corps).

Lieutenant Colonel *W. Lee Hart*, Medical Corps.

Major *Robert H. Duenner*, Medical Corps.

#### RECORDER

Major *Max S. Murray*, Infantry.

(A. G. 334.6, 6th C. Area.) (4-8-30.)

3. Major *Edward T. B. Weidner*, Medical Corps, and Major *Sam Hardeman*, Medical Corps, are detailed as medical examiners and witnesses before the Army retiring board appointed to meet at headquarters Sixth Corps Area, Chicago, Illinois, in orders of this date, of which Colonel *Alvord Van P. Anderson*, Cavalry, is president, and will report to that officer when summoned by him for duty accordingly. (A. G. 334.6, 6th C. Area.) (4-8-30.)

4. Colonels *James F. Hall* and *Will L. Pyles*, Medical Corps, are detailed as members of the medical promotion examining board appointed to meet in New York, N. Y., by par. 24, S. O., 265, W. D., 1929, vice Majors *Frank H. Dixon* and *William T. Weissinger*, Medical Corps, hereby relieved. (A. G. 210.2, Medical Corps.) (4-15-30.)

Name and branch	From—	To—	Date of rank
COAST ARTILLERY CORPS			
<i>Horace F. Spurgin</i> .....	Maj.....	Lt. col.....	March 28, 1930.
<i>Edward C. Seeds</i> .....	Capt.....	Maj.....	April 2, 1930.
INFANTRY			
<i>La Vergne L. Gregg</i> .....	Lt. col.....	Col.....	April 2, 1930.
<i>Ralph A. Jones</i> .....	Maj.....	Lt. col.....	March 28, 1930.
<i>Hugo D. Selton</i> (detailed in Militia Bureau).....	Maj.....	Lt. col.....	March 28, 1930.
<i>Edwin D. McCoy</i> .....	1st lt.....	Capt.....	March 28, 1930.
<i>Dewitt T. Mullett</i> .....	1st lt.....	Capt.....	March 28, 1930.
<i>Gerald B. Devore</i> .....	1st lt.....	Capt.....	April 2, 1930.
<i>Nunez C. Pilet</i> .....	2nd lt.....	1st lt.....	March 21, 1930.
<i>Stephen S. Hamilton</i> .....	2nd lt.....	1st lt.....	March 24, 1930.
<i>Farris N. Latimer</i> .....	2nd lt.....	1st lt.....	March 24, 1930.
<i>John D. Salmon</i> .....	2nd lt.....	1st lt.....	March 28, 1930.
<i>James P. Hill</i> .....	2nd lt.....	1st lt.....	March 28, 1930.
<i>William A. Cole</i> .....	2nd lt.....	1st lt.....	March 28, 1930.
<i>Murray E. McGowan</i> .....	2nd lt.....	1st lt.....	April 2, 1930.
AIR CORPS			
<i>Carl J. Crane</i> .....	2nd lt.....	1st lt.....	March 28, 1930.
MEDICAL CORPS			
<i>Martin F. Du Frenne</i> .....	Capt.....	Maj.....	March 13, 1930.
<i>Philip L. Cook</i> .....	Capt.....	Maj.....	March 18, 1930.
<i>Charles F. Shell</i> .....	Capt.....	Maj.....	March 21, 1930.
<i>Clarence U. Snider</i> .....	Capt.....	Maj.....	April 2, 1930.
<i>Donald C. Snyder</i> .....	1st lt.....	Capt.....	April 1, 1930.
CHAPLAIN			
<i>Milton O. Beebe</i> .....	Capt.....	Maj.....	March 24, 1930.

(A. G. 210.241.) (4-17-30.)

17. By direction of the President, Lieutenant Colonel Consuelo A. Seoane, Signal Corps, is detailed as member of the court of inquiry appointed to meet at headquarters Third Corps Area, in paragraph 9, S. O., 237, W. D., 1928. (A. G. 250.52.) (4-14-30.)

18. Second Lieutenant *Joseph W. Cox, jr.*, Corps of Engineers, is relieved from assignment and duty with the 9th Engineers, Fort Riley, Kansas, effective not later than May 27, 1930, and will then proceed to Fort Humphreys, Virginia, and report to the commanding officer for duty with the 13th Engineers. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 33 P 5040 A 2-0. (A. G. 210.63, West Point, N. Y.) (4-15-30.)

19. So much of par. 34, S. O., 86, W. D., 1930, as relieves First Lieutenants *Wallace H. Hastings* and *Reginald L. Dean*, from assignment and duty with the 1st Engineers, Fort Du Pont, Delaware, and the 9th Engineers, Fort Riley, Kansas, respectively, and assigns them to the 13th Engineers, Fort Humphreys, Virginia, is revoked. (A. G. 210.63, West Point, N. Y.) (4-15-30.)

20. Each of the following-named first lieutenants of the Corps of Engineers is relieved from assignment to the regiment and from duty at the station indicated, to take effect at such time as will enable him to comply with this order, and will proceed at the proper time to West Point, New York, and report in person on or about August 25, 1930, to the Superintendent United States Military Academy for assignment to duty:

*Wallace H. Hastings*, 1st Engineers, Fort Du Pont, Delaware.

*Reginald L. Dean*, 9th Engineers, Fort Riley, Kansas.

The names of the above-named officers are placed on the detached officers' list, effective upon reporting for duty at West Point. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 45 P 5040 A 2-1. (A. G. 210.63, West Point, N. Y.) (4-15-30.)

[S. O. 90, April 17, 1930]

HEADQUARTERS BROOKS FIELD  
Office of the Commanding Officer

LAD-MCL

Brooks Field, Texas,  
May 9, 1930.

SPECIAL ORDERs )  
NO.....76 )

1. Having reported at this station May 8, 1930, in compliance with Paragraph 1, Special Orders No. 101, Headquarters The Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia, May 5, 1930, Private Thomas J. Broom, 6439208, is hereby assigned to the 11th School Group Headquarters, Air Corps, this station, and will report to the Commanding Officer thereof, for duty.

2. Having reported at this station May 8, 1930 in compliance with Paragraph 2, Special Orders No. 87, United States Army Recruiting Station, 415 Zindler Building, Houston, Texas, May 7, 1930, Private Stewart E. Edington, 6246357, is hereby assigned to the 52nd School Squadron, Air Corps, this station, and will report to the Commanding Officer thereof, for duty.

3. First Lieutenant Russell C. McDonald, Air Corps, is, in addition to his other duties, detailed as E. V. & R. Officer and Tennis Representative, vice Second Lieutenant Russell E. Randall, Air Corps this station, hereby relieved.

Lieutenant McDonald will receipt to Lieutenant Randall for all property and records pertaining to this office.

4. Second Lieutenant Thomas J. Holmes, Air Corps, this station, is, in addition to his other duties, detailed as assistant to the E. V. & R. Officer as Librarian, and will assume account for Library.

5. Second Lieutenant Signa A. Gilkey, Air Corps, this station, is, in addition to his other duties, detailed as Air Corps Inspector, vice First Lieutenant Gerald E. Ballard, Air Corps, this station, discharged.

6. Pursuant to authority contained in letter, War Department, Office Chief of Air Corps, Washington, D. C., April 28, 1930, Subject: Orders. To:- Commanding General, Air Corps Training Center, Duncan Field, Texas, and under authority contained in Paragraph 2c (4), Army Regulations 35-4890, dated March 8, 1926, First Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air Corps, and First Lieutenant Clyde K. Rich, Air Corps, this station will



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Office of the Commanding Officer

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Brooks Field, Texas.  
May 9, 1930.

SUBJECT: Detached service.

TO : The Commanding Officer., Brooks Field, Texas.

1. Under the provisions of Paragraph 3 h, (3), Army Regulations No. 210-70, request that I be placed on detached service for two (2) days in the vicinity of San Francisco, California, effective on or about May 14, 1930.

HEADQUARTERS,  
BROOKS FIELD, TEXAS

*approved*

*Carl J. Crane*  
CARL J. CRANE, A.  
1st Lieut., A. C. MAY 9 1930

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LAD-JWP

Headquarters Brooks Field, Texas, May 10, 1930. To:- First Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air Corps, Brooks Field, Texas.

Approved, by paragraph 1, Special Orders No. 77, this Headquarters, dated May 10, 1930.

By order of Major Fitz Gerald:

*Fitz Gerald*  
Lewis A. Dayton,  
1st Lieut., Air Corps,  
Adjutant.

S. O. 83

M. C. J. Crane

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HEADQUARTERS  
THE AIR CORPS TRAINING CENTER  
DUNCAN FIELD, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

September 26, 1931

SPECIAL ORDERS)

NO. 114. )

14. Pursuant to authority contained in Army Regulations 95-30, Major Harrison H.C. Richards, Air Corps, is relieved from assignment and duty at Randolph Field, Texas, is assigned to Brooks Field, Texas, and will report to the Commandant, The Air Corps Primary Flying School, for duty.

15. Second Lieutenant George W. Hansen, Air Corps, having reported at this station September 25, 1931, in compliance with paragraph 17, Special Orders No. 109, War Department, May 9, 1931, is hereby assigned to Randolph Field, Texas, and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

16. Pursuant to authority contained in letter, Office, Chief of Air Corps, dated September 9, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, unclassified, subject "Reassignment of Air Corps Officer Personnel Incident to Occupation Randolph Field", and letter, The Adjutant General, dated September 15, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, file AG 580. (9-10-31) Misc. (Ret) M-C, subject "Completion of reorganization of Air Corps Training Center and of concentration of 12th Observation Group by November 1, 1931", and effective October 1, 1931, the following named officers, Air Corps, Headquarters, The Air Corps Training Center, Duncan Field, San Antonio, Texas, are relieved from assignment and duty at this station and are assigned to Randolph Field, Texas.

Brigadier General Charles H. Danforth  
1st Lieut. Robert W. Douglass, Jr.

17. Pursuant to authority contained in letter, Office, Chief of Air Corps, dated September 9, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, unclassified, subject "Reassignment of Air Corps Officer Personnel Incident to Occupation Randolph Field", and letter, The Adjutant General, dated September 15, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, file AG 580 (9-10-31) Misc. (Ret) M-C, subject "Completion of reorganization of Air Corps Training Center and of concentration of 12th Observation Group by November 1, 1931", the following named officers, Air Corps, are relieved from assignment and duty at Kelly Field, Texas, effective on the dates indicated after their respective names, are assigned to Randolph Field, Texas, and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty:

Major Thomas J. Hanley, Jr. - October 20, 1931  
2nd Lieut. Ralph P. Swofford, Jr. - October 12, 1931

18. Pursuant to authority contained in Army Regulations 95-30, the following named officers, Air Corps, are relieved from assignment and duty at Brooks Field, Texas, effective on the dates indicated after their respective names, are assigned to Kelly Field, Texas, and will report to the Commandant, The Air Corps Advanced Flying School, for duty.

SPECIAL ORDERS NO. 114, HQ. ACTC, DUNCAN FIELD, TEXAS (CONTINUED)

19. Pursuant to authority contained in letter, Office, Chief of Air Corps, dated September 9, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, unclassified, subject "Reassignment Air Corps Officer Personnel Incident to Occupation Randolph Field", and letter, The Adjutant General, dated September 15, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, file AG 580 (9-10-31) Misc.(Ret) M-C, subject "Completion of reorganization of Air Corps Training Center and of concentration of 12th Observation Group by November 1, 1931", the following named officers, Air Corps, are relieved from assignment and duty at Brooks Field, Texas, effective on the dates indicated after their respective names and are then assigned to Kelly Field, Texas.

Lieutenant Colonel Henry B. Clagett - October 20, 1931  
Major Harrison H.C. Richards - October 20, 1931.

20. Pursuant to authority contained in letter, Office, Chief of Air Corps, dated September 9, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, unclassified, subject "Reassignment Air Corps Officer Personnel Incident to Occupation Randolph Field", and letter, The Adjutant General, dated September 15, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, file AG 580 (9-10-31) Misc.(Ret)M-8, subject "Completion of reorganization of Air Corps Training Center and of concentration of 12th Observation Group by November 1, 1931," the following named officers, Air Corps, are relieved from assignment and duty at Brooks Field, Texas, are assigned to Randolph Field, Texas, and will proceed thereto, reporting not later than October 1, 1931, to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

First Lieutenants

John R. Morgan  
Harry C. Wishhart  
John F. McBlain  
Clyde K. Rich  
Carl J. Crane  
Joseph C.A. Denniston

Second Lieutenants

George B. Acheson  
Donald D. Arnold  
Albert W. Boyd  
Bernard A. Bridget  
R. Lewis Easton  
John G. Fowler  
Signa A. Gilkey  
Herbert L. Grills  
Orrin L. Grover

Second Lieutenants

Alfred H. Johnson  
John N. Jones  
William L. Lee  
Mark K. Lewis, Jr.  
James W. McCauley  
George H. MacNair  
William H. Maverick  
Hugh A. Parker  
Elmer J. Rogers, Jr.  
Homer L. Sanders  
Kingston E. Tibbetts  
Manning E. Tillery  
Samuel W. Van Meter  
Max H. Warren  
Robert W. Warren  
Clarence D. Wheeler  
Raymond L. Winn

21. Pursuant to authority contained in letter, Office, Chief of Air Corps, dated September 9, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, unclassified, subject "Reassignment Air Corps Officer Personnel Incident to Occupation Randolph Field", and letter, The Adjutant General, dated September 15, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, file AG 580 (9-10-31) Misc.(Ret)M-C, subject "Completion of reorganization of Air Corps Training Center and of concentration of 12th Observation Group by November 1, 1931, the following named officers, Air Corps, are relieved from assignment and duty at Brooks Field, Texas, are assigned to Randolph Field, Texas, and will proceed thereto, reporting not later than October 10, 1931, to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

SPECIAL ORDERS NO. 114, HQ. ACTC, DUNCAN FIELD, SAN ANTONIO, TEX.  
(CONTINUED)

First Lieutenants

Lawrence C. Craigie  
Glenn O. Barcus  
Glenn L. Davasher  
Eyrle G. Johnson  
Oakley G. Kelly  
Edmund C. Lynch  
Charles T. Myers  
Charles G. Percy  
Paul H. Prentiss  
Howard M. Turner

Second Lieutenants

Joseph H. Atkinson  
Thurston H. Baxter  
Richard E. Cobb  
James L. Daniel, Jr.  
Leo W. DeRosier  
Harvey F. Dyer  
Archibald M. Kelly  
William H. McArthur  
Allan J. Mickle  
Clarence T. Mower  
Morris R. Nelson  
Herbert M. Newstrom  
Frederick A. Pillet  
Elmer P. Rose  
Kenneth A. Rogers  
John T. Sprague

22. Pursuant to authority contained in letter, Office, Chief of Air Corps, dated September 9, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, unclassified, subject "Reassignment Air Corps Officer Personnel Incident to Occupation Randolph Field", and letter, The Adjutant General, dated September 15, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, file AG 580 (9-10-31)Misc.(Ret)M-C, subject "Completion of reorganization of Air Corps Training Center and of concentration of 12th Observation Group by November 1, 1931", the following named officers, Air Corps, are relieved from assignment and duty at Brooks Field, Texas, are assigned to Randolph Field, Texas, and will proceed thereto, reporting not later than October 12, 1931, to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

Captain Leonidas L. Koontz  
1st Lieut. Carl B. McDaniel  
2nd Lieut. Edwin L. Tucker

23. Pursuant to authority contained in letter, Office, Chief of Air Corps, dated September 9, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, unclassified, subject "Reassignment Air Corps Officer Personnel Incident to Occupation Randolph Field", and letter, The Adjutant General, dated September 15, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, file AG 580 (9-10-31)Misc.(Ret)M-C, subject "Completion of reorganization of Air Corps Training Center and of concentration of 12th Observation Group by November 1, 1931", the following named officers, Air Corps, are relieved from assignment and duty at Brooks Field, Texas, are assigned to Randolph Field, Texas, and will proceed thereto, reporting not later than October 16, 1931, to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

Captain Clyde V. Finter  
Captain George W. Polk, Jr.  
1st Lieut. Clifford P. Bradley

SPECIAL ORDERS NO. 114, HQ. THE ACTC, DUNCAN FIELD, TEX.(CONTD)

24. Pursuant to authority contained in letter, Office, Chief of Air Corps, dated September 9, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, unclassified, subject "Reassignment Air Corps Officer Personnel Incident to Occupation Randolph Field", and letter, The Adjutant General, dated September 15, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, file AG 580 (9-10-31)Misc.(Ret) M-C, subject "Completion of reorganization of Air Corps Training Center and of concentration of 12th Observation Group by November 1, 1931", the following named officers, Air Corps, are relieved from assignment and duty at Brooks Field, Texas, are assigned to Randolph Field, Texas, and will proceed thereto, reporting not later than October 20, 1931, to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

Captain James A. Healy  
1st Lieut. Warren R. Carter  
1st Lieut. Albert F. Glenn

25. Pursuant to authority contained in letter, Office, Chief of Air Corps, dated September 9, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, unclassified, subject "Reassignment Air Corps Officer Personnel Incident to Occupation Randolph Field", and letter, The Adjutant General, dated September 15, 1931, to the Commanding General, The ACTC, file AG 580 (9-10-31)Misc.(Ret) M-C, subject "Completion of reorganization of Air Corps Training Center and of concentration of 12th Observation Group by November 1, 1931", and effective upon his return from detached service at West Point, New York, Second Lieutenant Maurice F. Daly, Air Corps, is relieved from assignment and duty at Brooks Field, Texas, is assigned to Randolph Field, Texas, and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

26. Pursuant to authority contained in Army Regulations 95-30, Staff Sergeant Louis V. McKinney, 6519780, 53d School Squadron, Randolph Field, Texas, is relieved from detached service at Kelly Field, Texas, and will proceed to Randolph Field, Texas, reporting upon arrival to the commanding officer thereof for assignment to duty.

The service record and all allied papers pertaining to this enlisted man will be indorsed to the Commanding Officer, Randolph Field, Texas.

The Quartermaster will furnish the necessary motor transportation.

By command of Brigadier General Danforth:

OFFICIAL:

*Arthur Thomas*  
Arthur Thomas  
Captain, A.C.  
Adjutant

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Captain, A.C.  
Adjutant

DISTRIBUTION:

3 each officer	2 Opr.Off.Brooks
10 Kelly	2 Opr. Off.Kelly
20 Randolph	1 Maj. Griggs
100 Brooks	1 CAC

SPECIAL ORDERS NO. 114, HQ. THE ACTC, DUNCAN FIELD, TEX.(CONFID)

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1st Lieut. Albert F. Glenn

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DISTRIBUTION:

3 each officer	2 Opr. Off. Brooks
10 Kelly	2 Opr. Off. Kelly
20 Randolph	1 Maj. Griggs
100 Brooks	1 SAC

OFFICE OF THE OPERATIONS OFFICER  
AIR CORPS PRIMARY FLYING SCHOOL  
BROOKS FIELD TEXAS

CLC/mab

June 18, 1930.

OPERATIONS ORDER )  
NO. 30-871 )

*when Randolph Field  
was dedicated*

1. In compliance with verbal instructions of the Commanding Officer, Brooks Field, the following named pilots and observers will fly formation, as directed herein, for the purpose of maintaining their proficiency.

2. The formation will consist of three groups, PT-3's, DH-4's and O2K's, organized into formation units of five planes. The Groups and Units will fly in column of units with normal intervals and distances in the unit and two hundred yards between units in the Group. The Groups will fly with four hundred yards between groups. The formation will be organized as follows:

PT-3 GROUP

1st Unit

<u>Pilot</u>	<u>Passenger</u>	<u>Airplane No.</u>
1. Capt. C. L. Chennault	Maj. N. C. Mashburn	500
2. Lt. R. W. Harper	Pvt. Patrum, 46th Sq.	463
3. Lt. L. Koontz	Pvt. Malesky, 11th	468
4. Lt. G. W. Polk	Cpl. Hinkle, 51st Sq.	409
5. Lt. W. E. Baker	Pvt. Johnson, 11th	421

2nd Unit

1. Lt. S. M. Connell	Pvt. Powell, 11th	275
2. Lt. M. F. Dely	1st Sgt. Benson, 46th Sq.	485
3. Lt. D. D. Fitz Gerald	Pvt. Bradley, 46th	276
4. Lt. J. L. Daniel	Pvt. Cuellar, 46th	278
5. Lt. A. Boyd	1st Sgt. Moore, 52nd	400

3rd Unit

1. Lt. R. C. MacDonald	Cpl. Sandin, 52nd Sq.	403
2. Lt. M. H. Warren	Pvt. Moorman, 52nd	405
3. Lt. K. A. Rogers	Sgt. Noe, 51st	414
4. Lt. E. H. Porter-	Sgt. Valentine, 51st	476
5. Lt. L. P. Turner	Cpl. Proctor, 51st	451



4th Unit

<u>Pilot</u>	<u>Passenger</u>	<u>Airplane No.</u>
1. Lt. C. K. Rich	Pvt. Estep, 51st	457
2. Lt. A. W. Glenn	Sgt. Wallace, 62nd	407
3. Lt. G. O. Barcus	Pvt. Smith, 62nd	463
4. Lt. M. R. Nelson	Pvt. Lane, 62nd	477
5. Lt. E. H. Lawson	Pvt. Quera, 62nd	427

5th Unit

1. Lt. H. C. Wischart	Pvt. Hummell, 62nd	493
2. Lt. J. F. McBlain	Pvt. Kanzenback, 62nd	430
3. Lt. G. E. McDaniel	Pvt. King, 62nd	458
4. Lt. A. J. Mickle	Pvt. Morrissette, 62nd	492
5. Lt. W. G. Bryte	Pvt. Vaughn, 62nd	433

6th Unit

1. Lt. L. H. Rodieck	Pvt. Willoz, 62nd	401
2. Lt. C. J. Crane	Pvt. Linsey, 62nd	422
3. Lt. <del>A. R. Johnson</del> , <i>Robbin</i>	Sgt. Tuffley, 51st	475
4. Lt. J. F. Guillett	Pvt. Brewer, 51st-	408
5. Lt. L. H. Douthit	Pvt. Latimer, H. L., 51st	402

7th Unit

1. Lt. H. E. Engler	Cpl. Mize, 52nd	429
2. Lt. E. P. Rose	Pvt. Sealey, 46th	424
3. Lt. H. M. Newstrom	Pvt. Newton, 11th	413
4. Lt. G. R. Acheson	Sgt. Phillipy, 62nd	460
5. Lt. B. M. Hovey	Pvt. Heaton, 46th	466

8th Unit

1. Lt. C. P. Bradley	Pvt. Johnson, 52nd	432
2. Lt. B. A. Bridget	Pvt. Taylor, E. W., 52nd	465
3. Lt. <del>M. M. Burnside</del> , <i>Jeffelt</i>	Pvt. Cook, 11th	456
4. Lt. C. D. Wheeler	Pvt. Smith, J. G., 51st	452
5. Lt. A. J. Lehman	Pvt. Lent, 52nd	425

9th Unit

1. Lt. W. R. Carter	Pvt. Packwood, 62nd	29-56
2. Lt. S. F. Landers	Pvt. Guthrie, 51st	404
3. Lt. <del>G. E. Davasher</del> , <i>Aavante</i>	Sgt. Casto, 51st	423
4. Lt. L. P. Hudson	Pvt. Kleinoeder, 62nd	426
5. Lt. M. E. Tillery	Sgt. Somers, 51st	472

10th Unit

<u>Pilot</u>	<u>Passenger</u>	<u>Airplane No.</u>
1. Lt. A. L. Harvov	Cpl. Murtha, 51st	459
2. Lt. T. H. Baxter	Pvt. Frost, 11th	410
3. Lt. T. J. Holmes	Pvt. Christi, 52nd	491
4. Lt. S. A. Gilkey	St. Sgt. Frick, 20th	289
5. Lt. H. F. Dyer	Pvt. Potter, 11th	277

11th Unit

1. Lt. R. D. Knapp	Lt. F. T. Yount (QMC)	450
2. Lt. H. C. Lichtenberger	Lt. Cunningham (QMC)	412
3. Lt. L. W. Desrosiers		455
4. Lt. J. H. Atkinson		431
5. Lt. H. E. Rice		470

Reserve Planes: 406, 263, 256. Reserve Pilots: Lt. E. W. Raley, Lt. J. C. Denniston, Lt. E. C. Robbins, Lt. K. E. Tibbetts.

DH GROUP

1st Unit

1. Mr. Hu	Lt. C. G. Pearcy	325
2. Lt. Doubleday	Solo	321
3. Lt. Stone	"	322
4. Lt. Napier	"	327
5. Lt. Moore	"	329

2nd Unit

1. Lt. Bentley	Solo	323
2. F/C Shannon	"	350
3. F/C Causoy	"	351
4. F/C Holland	"	352
5. F/C Lathrop	"	353

3rd Unit

1. Lt. Moody	Solo	354
2. F/C Coates	"	355
3. Lt. Smith	"	356
4. F/C Goodwyn	"	357
5. Lt. Bowyer	"	358

<u>Pilot</u>	<u>Passenger</u>	<u>Airplane No.</u>
<u>4th Unit</u>		
1. Lt. Tatum	Lt. E. J. Rogers	328
2. F/C Scattergood	Solo	359
3. F/C Nuckols	"	362
4. Lt. O'Hara	"	367
5. Lt. Poole	"	369

<u>5th Unit</u>		
1. Lt. Henry	Solo	377
2. Lt. Ladd	"	380
3. Lt. Majors	"	331
4. F/C Hopkins	"	332
5. F/C Mathewson	"	338

<u>6th Unit</u>		
1. Lt. Choate	Solo	330
2. F/C Winch	"	333
3. F/C Merrill	"	324
4. Lt. Dent	"	326
5. F/C Wright	"	337

O2K GROUP

<u>1st Unit</u>		
1. F/C Harris	Lt. E. A. Waller	312
2. Lt. McCoy	Solo	300
3. F/C Kershaw	"	309
4. F/C Allomang	"	305
5. F/C Studenman	"	303

<u>2nd Unit</u>		
1. Lt. Ellison	Solo	310
2. F/C Tidwell	"	311
3. Lt. McDonald	"	308
4. F/C Kont	"	391
5. Lt. Losay	"	392

<u>3rd Unit</u>		
1. Lt. Kelsey	Solo	394
2. Lt. Williamson	"	395
3. Lt. Bryan	"	397
4. Lt. Dodson	"	398
5. Lt. Stribling	"	388

Reserve Planes:

Mail to office

**AIR CORPS PRIMARY FLYING SCHOOL  
BROOKS FIELD, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS**

**OFFICER'S CLEARANCE RECEIPT**

*Loane Carl J* (Name) *1st Lt. A.C.* (Rank and Branch of Service)

Officers leaving this station will turn in to the proper departments all property held on individual receipt and settle all bills. The certificate, duly executed, will be considered sufficient in all other cases.

Officers are required to clear the following Departments:

<u>Department</u>	<u>Signature</u>	<u>Date</u>
A.C. Supply Off. <i>OK</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>8/15/31</i>
Engineer Off.	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>8-15-31</i>
Fire Department	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>8-15-31</i>
Flight Surgeon <i>Will. [Signature]</i>	<i>WILLIAM M. WHITE MAJOR, M.C.</i>	<i>AUG 15 1931</i>
Library	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>8-15-31</i>
Officers' Club	<i>1st Lt. [Signature]</i>	<i>8/17/31</i>
Officers' Mess	<i>1st Lt. [Signature]</i>	<i>8/17/31</i>
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Date of departure *Aug. 17, 1931* per par. 1, S.O. *122 J.F.W.D. [Signature]* *8/15/31*

Destination (Station) *Leave of Absence*

I certify that I have no government property, funds, or records in my possession, for which I have not secured proper clearance. I further certify that all bills contracted by me in the vicinity of San Antonio have been paid or suitable arrangements made for payment of same.

Signature *Carl Loane*

\* In the case of officers attending the School of Aviation Medicine, clearance from office marked \* does not apply. Officers assigned to Air Corps Primary Flying School need not clear The School of Aviation Medicine.

For immediate delivery to

*L. C. Crane, Jr.*  
Reference Par. 1 or prompt return  
to A. G. O., W. D. with new address.

SPECIAL ORDERS  
No. 122

WAR DEPARTMENT,  
WASHINGTON, May 25, 1931.

1. Leave of absence is granted to each of the following-named officers, effective on or about the date specified:

Major *Clyde V. Simpson*, Signal Corps, one month and fifteen days, August 1, 1931.

Major *John Wallace*, Medical Corps, one month, June 1, 1931, with permission to visit foreign countries.

Captain *Herman H. Pohl*, Corps of Engineers, thirteen days, August 20, 1931.

First Lieutenant *DeWitt Ballard*, Quartermaster Corps, fifteen days, effective upon his relief from his present duties.

First Lieutenant *Donald R. Goodrich*, Air Corps, twenty days, June 29, 1931.

First Lieutenant *Vernon L. Nash*, Quartermaster Corps, fifteen days, effective upon his relief from his present duties.

First Lieutenant *Clarence S. Thorpe*, Air Corps, three months, July 15, 1931.

Second Lieutenant *Dwight L. Mulkey*, Signal Corps, two months, June 17, 1931.

Second Lieutenant *George J. Eppright*, Air Corps, one month and twenty-four days, June 25, 1931.

Colonel *Herman W. Schull*, Ordnance Department, one month and twenty-one days, July 3, 1931, with permission to visit foreign countries

Major *Thomas K. Collins*, Infantry, two months and seven days, June 10, 1931.

Major *Henry D. Bagnall*, Infantry, two months, June 10, 1931.

Captain *Rufus A. Byers*, Infantry, one month, June 10, 1931.

Captain *Donald B. Hilton*, Infantry, two months and seven days, June 10, 1931.

First Lieutenant *John P. Evans*, Infantry, one month and six days, June 9, 1931.

First Lieutenant *Carl J. Crane*, Air Corps, one month and fifteen days, August 15, 1931.

First Lieutenant *George H. Bardsley*, Ordnance Department, one month and seven days, June 4, 1931, with permission to visit foreign countries.

First Lieutenant *Maxwell W. Balfour*, Air Corps, three months and twenty-eight days, June 3, 1931, to expire not later than September 30, 1931.

Colonel *Henry Dickinson*, General Staff Corps, six days, June 15, 1931.

Lieutenant Colonel *Henry T. Bull*, General Staff Corps, eleven days, June 1, 1931.

Major *Edward F. Witsell*, General Staff Corps, one month, August 5, 1931.

Major *Frederick W. Browne*, General Staff Corps, fifteen days, May 26, 1931.

First Lieutenant *John P. Kirkendall*, Air Corps, extension three days.

(A. G. 210.711.) (5-25-31.)

2. By direction of the President, Captain *Hubert W. Boyette*, Quartermaster Corps, is relieved from his present assignment and duty with the American Battle Monuments Commission, Paris, France, effective July 16, 1931, and will then report to the officer in charge, pilgrimage of mothers and widows to the cemeteries of Europe, Paris, for duty in connection with the pilgrimage.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

RPP/lms/451

IN REPLY  
REFER TO

WASHINGTON

AG 201 Crane, Carl J. (8-25-31)

September 2, 1931

SUBJECT: Orders.

To: Commanding Officer,

Brooks Field, San Antonio, Texas.

1. The Secretary of War directs that you authorize First Lieutenant Carl J. Crane, Air Corps, (now on leave of absence) to proceed, by rail, at the proper time, without expense to the War Department, from Brooks Field, Texas, to Washington, D. C., arriving here not later than September 19, 1931, for the purpose of conferring with officials at the Department of Justice preparatory to giving testimony on behalf of the Government on September 21, 1931, in the patent suit of Esnault-Peltrie vs United States, and, upon completion of this duty, to return to place of receipt by him of this order and revert to status of absence with leave.

2. Reimbursement of expenses will be obtained from funds of the Department of Justice.

*M. Palmer*  
Adjutant General.

*Copy furnished Lt Crane for consumption  
notified by phone 11:30 Sept 5/31  
Instructed to check in prior to leaving for Washington*

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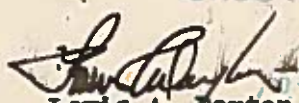
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Hq, Brooks Field, Texas, September 5, 1931 - To: 1st Lieut Carl J. Grane,  
AC, Brooks Field, Texas.

For compliance.

By order of Lieut Col Clagett:

  
Lewis A. Dayton,  
1st Lieut, AC,  
Adjutant.

HEADQUARTERS  
BROOKS FIELD, TEXAS  
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ADDRESS REPLY TO  
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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

September 25, 1931.

This will certify that 1st Lieutenant  
Carl J. Crane, A. C., has been on duty as an expert  
witness for the Department of Justice in the action  
of Esnault-Pelterie, pending in the Court of Claims,  
from September 18, 1931 to September 25th, 1931,  
inclusive.

*Alexander Holtzoff*  
ALEXANDER HOLTZOFF

Special Assistant to the  
Attorney General.



HEADQUARTERS  
RANDOLPH FIELD, TEXAS  
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER

October 17, 1931.

SPECIAL ORDERS )

NO. 137 )

- E X T R A C T -

4. Under authority contained in radiogram from the Adjutant General, Washington, D.C., dated October 16, 1931, First Lieutenant CARL J. CRANE, Air Corps, will proceed without expense to the War Department from Randolph Field, Texas, to New York City, New York, reporting upon arrival to CHARLES H. KEEL, 36 West 44th Street, for temporary duty as witness in suit against Chance Vought Corporation of New York, set for Monday, October 19, 1931. Upon completion of this temporary duty Lieutenant Crane will return to his proper station, Randolph Field, Texas.

Arrangements for reimbursement of expenses involved should be made with Charles H. Keel, Counsel for Chance Vought Corporation of New York.

By order of Major MARTIN:

*Thomas W. Hasty*  
THOMAS W. HASTY,  
Captain, Air Corps,  
Adjutant. *J. H.*

OFFICIAL:

*Thomas W. Hasty*  
THOMAS W. HASTY,  
Captain, Air Corps,  
Adjutant.

J. W. GARDNER  
GENERAL AGENT AND CHIEF CLERK

Department of Justice

Washington

EJM-rb  
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April 25, 1932.

Lt. Carl J. Crane,  
Air Corps, U. S. Army,  
Randolph Field, Texas.

Sir:

This office is in receipt of a letter from the General Accounting Office reading in part as follows:

"Further reference is had to preaudit voucher submitted to this office with letter dated April 12, 1932 from J. W. Gardner, covering expenses of travel of Carl J. Crane, Lieutenant, Air Corps, U.S. Army, from Brooks Field, Texas to Washington, D.C., and return, for the purpose of testifying as a witness in a case before the Court of Claims.

"Before credit may be given as an offset against suspensions on vouchers 10196, September and 12646 October, 1931 accounts of R. D. Allison, it is necessary that this office be advised as to the hour Lieut. Crane went on annual leave on September 25, 1931."

In view of the above, you are kindly requested to advise this office as to the hour that you went on annual leave on September 25, 1931. Kindly give this matter your prompt attention to the end that this matter may be adjusted as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

*J. W. Gardner*

J. W. Gardner  
General Agent and Chief Clerk.

PLEASE SUB-  
MIT REPLY  
IN DUPLICATE

Randolph Field, Texas  
May 2, 1932

Mr. J.W. Gardner,  
General Agent and Chief Clerk,  
Department of Justice,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of April 25th (EJL-rb 526) reference date of and hour of reporting on annual leave please be advised that I reported to additional leave from duty on September 26, 1931 at about 10:15 A.M.

Upon checking my copy of the voucher referred to in your above mentioned letter I find that it states the date of reporting to leave was September 25, 1931. This is a typographical error and should read as indicated above.

Very truly yours,

Carl J. Crane,  
1st Lieutenant, Air Corps

HEADQUARTERS EIGHTH CORPS AREA

SPECIAL ORDERS,

Fort Sam Houston, Texas,  
May 3, 1932.

NO. 94. E X T R A C T

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13. Major ROBERT COKER, Air Corps (DOL), Unit Instructor, 435th Pursuit Squadron, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, will proceed on or about May 6, 1932, to Hensley Field, Grand Prairie, Texas, for the purpose of making preliminary arrangements for Summer Training Camps for Air Corps Reserve officers during the Fiscal Year 1933, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station.

Major Coker will be paid a flat per diem of \$6.00 in lieu of subsistence, in accordance with existing laws and regulations.

The travel directed is necessary in the military service, and payment when made is chargeable to procurement authority FD 1238 P 7-0600 A 084-2.

Vouchers for payment will be submitted immediately upon completion of this travel to the Finance Officer, U. S. Army, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, only, and in the event any part of the travel is not performed, report of same to the above officer will be made.

14. With the consent of the Commanding General, Air Corps Training Center, Major WILLIAM C. COKER, Air Corps, Kelly Field, Texas, and First Lieutenant CARL J. CRANE, Air Corps, Randolph Field, Texas, will proceed by air on or about May 4, 1932, to Hensley Field, Grand Prairie, Texas, for the purpose of instructing in Theory of Blind Flying, the class of Air Corps Reserve officers now on fourteen (14) days active duty at that station, and upon completion of this duty will return by air to their proper stations.

Each of the above named officers will be paid a flat per diem of \$6.00 in lieu of subsistence for travel by air in accordance with existing law. (Act of March 2, 1931 - Public 767 - 71st Congress).

The travel directed is necessary in the military service, and payment when made is chargeable to procurement authority FD 1238 P 7-0600 A 084-2.

Vouchers for payment will be submitted immediately upon completion of this travel to the Finance Officer, U. S. Army, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, only, and in the event any part of the travel is not performed, report of same to the above officer will be made.

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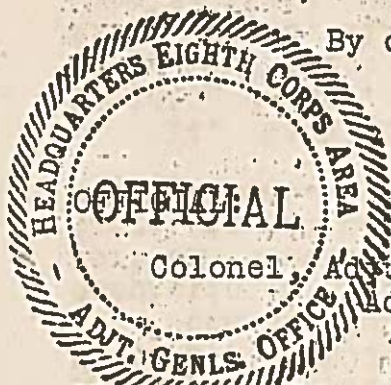
15. With the consent of the Commanding General, Air Corps Training Center, Captain HARRY WEDDINGTON, Air Corps (DOL) (OR), Hensley Field, Grand Prairie, Texas, will proceed by air on or about May 15, 1932, to Kelly Field, Texas, reporting upon arrival to the Commandant, Air Corps Advanced Flying School, for temporary duty for the purpose of taking instruction in blind flying for a period of not to exceed ten (10) days, and upon completion of this temporary duty will return by air to his proper station.

Captain Weddington will be paid a flat per diem of \$6.00 in lieu of subsistence for travel by air in accordance with existing law. (Act of March 3, 1931 - Public 767 - 71st Congress).

The travel directed is necessary in the military service, and payment when made is chargeable to procurement authority FD 58 P 1-0620 A 153-2.

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By command of Major General WINANS:

GEORGE P. TYNER,  
Colonel, General Staff,  
Chief of Staff.



JAMES TOTTEN,  
Colonel, Adjutant General's Department,  
Adjutant General.

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