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T/Sgt. John McNaughton Wins Air Medal For Combat Service

T/Sgt. John R. McNaughton, veteran engineer and gunner on a B-24 Liberator crew of the 13th AAF, was presented the Air Medal for meritorious achievement in aerial combat.

The award was presented to Mc-Naughton for completing 22 combat strikes ranging over the Philippines and the vast reaches of Borneo, where the Bomber Barons and other units collaborated in neutralizing enemy airfields and destroying huge quantities of supplies and personnel, paving the way for recent Allied landings.

His missions involved take-offs with overloads of gasoline and bombs, hazardous overwater flights and frequent penetration of danger-ous weather fronts.

T/Sgt. McNaughton is the husband of Mrs. J. R. McNaughton, 848 Media Street. Prior to entering the service in April 1943, he attended Porter Military Academy, Charleston, S. C.

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