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2 JANUARY 1944

FROM : CG USAFFE SGD MACARTHUR

TO : FERTIG (XC31)

PARAPHRASED MESSAGE FOLLOWS:

PAREN REFER YOUR FOUR EIGHT ZERO DECEMBER FIFTEENTH PAREN FURTHER INFORMATION NEEDED CONCERNING CAPTAIN JAMES ROGER GRINSTEAD RECORDS HERE LISTING RETIRED CONSTABULARY OFFICERS DO NOT RPT NOT INCLUDE HIS NAME PD GIVE ADDITIONAL DATE REFERENCE HIS PRESENT AND FORMER STATUS IF AVAILABLE PD CAN PROMOTE ONLY IF HE ALREADY HOLDS ACTUAL PHILLIPPINE CONSTABULARY OR ARMY COMMISSION.

OFFICIAL:

/s/ L. S. Ostrander
/t/ L. S. OSTRANDER,
Brig. Gen., U. S. Army,
Adjutant General.

/w/ Despatched via GHQ
/s/ L.S.O.

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2 FEBRUARY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : FERTIG
NR : 657 2 FEBRUARY

FURTHER ON GRINSTEAD: SERIAL NUMBER WHILE ENLISTED
U.S. ARMY RESERVE 1449747. DISCHARGED TO BECOME THIRD
LIEUT CONSTABULARY IN APRIL 1926. ROSE TO CAPTAIN AND
PROVINCE INSPECTOR OF LANAO. RESIGNED WHEN CONSTABULARY
WAR NATIONALIZED. HELD U.S. ARMY RESERVE COMMISSION BUT
SERIAL NUMBER FORGOTTEN. HE IS VERY CAPABLE OFFICER.

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AS, USAFFE
Thoms 20, GHQ

7 Feb 44

1. Further to your radiogram 2391 to Commanding Officer, 10th M.D., Philippines, dated 2 January 44, re JAMES R. GRIESTAD, the following reply has been received:

- a. While enlisted U.S. Army Reserve, serial number 1449747.
 - b. Discharged to become 3rd Lieut. Constabulary in April 1926.
 - c. Rose to grade of Captain and Provincial Inspector of LANAO, Mindanao.
 - d. When Constabulary was nationalized he resigned.
 - e. Held U.S. Army Reserve Commission but serial number forgotten.
2. His Commanding Officer credits him as being a very capable officer

C. W.

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UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST

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NO.....50)

A.P.O. 501
19 February 1944

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3. DP and pursuant auth rad 4241 WD 16 Feb 1944, announcement is made of the temp apmt of James R. Grinstead, civilian, as CAPT AUS with rank fr 1 Feb 1943. Serial number is 0888857. CAPT GRINSTEAD is ordered to AD this date.

By command of General MacARTHUR:

R. K. SUTHERLAND,
Major General, United States Army,
Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

L. S. Ostrander
L. S. OSTRANDER, *juw*
Brigadier General, U.S. Army
Adjutant General.

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HQ. US ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST, A.P.O. 501, 21 February 1944.

TO: Commander-in-Chief, Southwest Pacific Area, A.P.O. 500.
(Att: Col C. Whitney, AIB)

Forwarded herewith, extracts of paragraph 3, Special Orders No. 50, this headquarters, 19 February 1944, announcing the temporary appointment of James R. Grinstead, civilian, as Captain in the Army of the United States, for your information and distribution to officer concerned if and when such action is deemed feasible.

For the Commanding General:

Chas W. Clegg
CHAS W. CLEGG
Lt Col AGD
Asst Adjt Gen

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As identified above (quad)

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22 FEBRUARY 1944

FROM : CG USAFFE SGD MACARTHUR

TO : PERTIG

JAMES ROGER GRINSTEAD APPOINTED TEMP CAPT AUS ASSIGNED SERIAL NUMBER NOUGHT EIGHT EIGHT EIGHT EIGHT FIVE SEVEN PARAGRAPH THREE SPECIAL ORDERS FIVE NOUGHT HQ USAFFE ONE NINE FEBRUARY FORTYFOUR WITH RANK FROM ONE FEBRUARY FORTYTHREE CMA OFFICER ORDERED TO ACTIVE DUTY EFFECTIVE ONE NINE FEBRUARY FORTYFOUR PD WHEN PRACTICABLE FORWARD OATH OF OFFICE CMA REPORT OF ENTRY ON ACTIVE DUTY AND DESIGNATION OF BENEFICIARY WD AGO FORM FOUR ONE

OFFICIAL:

L.S.
L. S. OSTREANER,
Brig. Gen., U.S. Army,
Adjutant General.



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To Pertig #316

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30 April 1944

1. The C.O. 10th Military District has recommended that Captain James R. Grinstead, 088897, be promoted to the grade of Lieut. Colonel.

2. This officer was appointed Captain in the AUS by Par. 3, S.O. 50, Headquarters, USAFFE. His position in the 10th Military District organization is similar to that of Bowler and Hedges, both of whom now hold the grade indicated.

3. I recommend that promotion to the grade of Lieut. Colonel be effected and that adjustments in commissioned status of the officer specifically recommended by the C.O. 10th Military District in his attached message, number 766, 13 March, be accomplished if legal authority exists to support such action. This officer's area of responsibility is a most important one.

4. Herewith are copies of messages 766 and 985 from the C.O. 10th Military District on this matter.

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Copies of msgs 766
& 985 fr Fortig

L.H.



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3 MAY 1944

FROM: CG USARF 300 MAGAZINE
TO: KERIC

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OFFICIAL:

L. S. COMBANDER
Brig. Gen., U.S. Army
Adjutant General.

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5 MAY 1944

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TO : PERTIS

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TO: COL C. WHITNEY, AIB

6 May, 1944

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A.P.O. 501
3 May 1944

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4. Announcement is made of the temp promotion of CAPT JAMES R.
GRINSTEAD 0688857 AUS to gr of MAJ in the AUS with rank fr date of
this order.

By command of General MacARTHUR:

R. K. SUTHERLAND,
Lieutenant General, United States Army,
Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

L. S. Ostrander
L. S. OSTRANDER,
Brigadier General, U.S. Army,
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TO: Commander-in-Chief, US Army, Southwest Pacific Area, P.O. Box 250, New Guinea
FROM: Colonel G. Wherry (Acting)

Attached are four (4) copies of paragraph 4, special orders No. 123, this headquarters, 3 May 1944, for distribution to officer concerned and when it is deemed appropriate.

For the Commanding General:

Colonel G. Wherry
Acting

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TO: Commander-in-Chief, GHQ, Southwest Pacific Area, A.P.O. 500.
(Att: Colonel C. Whitney)

Attached are four (4) copies of paragraph 4, Special Orders
No. 123, this headquarters, 3 May 1944, for distribution to officer
concerned if and when it is deemed appropriate.

For the Commanding General:

Chas W. Clegg
CHAS W. CLEGG
Lt Col AGD
Asst Adjt Gen

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SO 123, HQ USAFFE, 3 May 44. (quad)

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