369TH BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
306TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H)
OFFICE OF THE SQUADRON COMMANDER
UNITED STATES FORCES

APO 557,
20 September, 1944.

SUBJECT: Letter of Recommendation.

TO : Whom It may Concern.

1. 1st Lt. HOWARD J. SNYDER, O-742461 was assigned to this Organization on 21 October, 1943 with the duty of Pilot of a four engine aircraft from 21 October, 1943 to 8 February, 1944. He flew eight missions always performing his job in a highly desired manner. From my personal observation Lt. SNYDER has shown himself to be an outstanding pilot and a good officer. His courage, coolness under fire and devotion to duty are beyond question. In February Lt. SNYDER was missing in action over France and at that time he was being considered for a better position in the squadron, where he would be of greater service to the government.

2. It is my belief that Lt. SNYDER is fully qualified both as a pilot and an officer, for any position which he might seek and I unhesitatingly give him this recommendation.

Robert P. Riordan
ROBERT P. RIORDAN,
Lt. Col., Air Corps,
Commanding.