

Heroic Airman Awarded D. F. C.

Lieutenant (j g) John B. Barcalow, U. S. N. R., of the Hotel Normandy, 36th and Chestnut sts., a Navy pilot, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for outstanding heroism, it was announced yesterday.

Lieutenant Barcalow, who was attached to Bomber Squadron 12, which returned to the United States after more than a year's combat duty in the Pacific, was leader of a section of dive bombers in the Nov. 5, 1943, attack on Rabaul, New Britain. His section scored nine direct hits on five heavy cruisers during the action.

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