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**HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION**

AFPO 8, U. S. Army  
1 April 1945

**ORIGINAL ORDER**

General Order )  
Number.....)

- I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL
- IV - AWARDS OF AIR MEDAL

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*4/18/45*  
*Approved by*  
*Walter R. ...*  
*4/20/45*

**I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Private First Class **BONNIE E. BLAND** 7082556, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 19 March 1945. When enemy fire forced him and other members of his eight patrol to overturn the boat in which they were crossing a river and two of the men became exhausted while attempting to swim to safety, Private First Class Bland, despite the continuing hostile fire, recovered the boat while a companion assisted the two exhausted soldiers to a nearby pier. Then he helped in placing the two men in the boat, maneuvered it to a place of safety and secured medical aid. The brave, unselfish action, initiative and exemplary conduct displayed by Private First Class Bland reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from North Carolina.

**II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel **RICHARD H. JONES** 0330963, Medical Corps, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 14 December 1944 to 15 March 1945. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Captain **JAMES B. GRACE** 0403990, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 15 March 1945. Entered military service from Mississippi.

First Lieutenant **CURTIS R. PRICE** 01315098, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 29 November 1944 to 29 March 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technical Sergeant **JOHN J. McFLARTY** 32023486, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 30 March 1945. Entered military service from New York.

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**III - AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to:

Private First Class **ALBINE N. PARKER** 39267678, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroism in Germany, 16 February 1945. When a vehicle loaded with ammunition was set afire by an exploding mine in a factory occupied by friendly troops, and the injured driver was unable to move from the vehicle, Private First Class Parker, risking his life, assisted in removing the driver from the burning truck amid the exploding ammunition, carried him to a place of safety and secured medical aid. He then returned and assisted in extinguishing the fire. The courageous, unselfish action and commendable conduct displayed by Private First Class Parker reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from California.

**IV - AWARDS OF AIR MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded to:

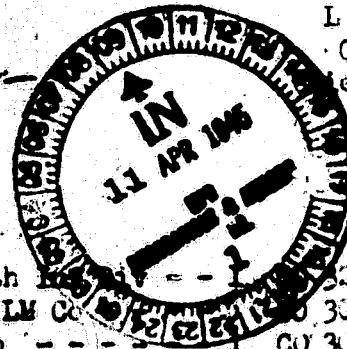
Sergeant **THOMAS T. JOHNSON** 35634094, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 9 February to 25 March 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Corporal **WILLIAM E. LOUSE jr** 39614908, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Belgium and Germany, 2 January to 24 March 1945. Entered military service from Montana.

By command of Major General **POLLING**:

OFFICIAL:

*Lloyd R. Cunningham*  
**LLOYD R. CUNNINGHAM**  
Major AGD  
Actg Adjutant General



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- CO Hq Co, 84th Inf Div - - - - - 1
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- G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, G-5 - 1
- CO 734th Ord LM Co - - - - - 1
- CO 309th Engr C Bn - - - - - 2
- CO 84th Div Arty - - - - - 2
- CO 84th QM Co - - - - - 1
- CO 309th Med Bn - - - - - 2
- IG, Ch, CIC, Comd C - - - - 1
- CO 84th Recn Trp Hecz - - - - 1
- CO 557th Engr AW Bn - - - - 2
- Engr, Fin O, GPO - - - - - 1
- CO 84th Sig Co - - - - - 1
- CO 638th Engr Bn - - - - - 2
- Hist O, IG, JA - - - - - 1
- CO 333d Inf - - - - - 2
- En. Off, EM concerned 1
- Ord O, PM, Post O - - - - - 1
- CO 334th Inf - - - - - 2
- TAG - - - - - 3
- PRO, QM - - - - - 1
- CO 335th Inf - - - - - 2
- CG ETO, Attn: AGD
- Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg - - - - 1
- CO Hq Btry, 84th Div Arty 1
- Br, AG Mil Pers - 2
- Hq Comdt - - - - - 1
- CO 325th FA Bn - - - - - 2
- CG Twelfth A Gp,
- CO 84th Reinf Cen - - - - - 1
- CO 326th FA Bn - - - - - 2
- Attn: 37th MRU - 1
- CO Sp Trps - - - - - 1
- CO 909th FA Bn - - - - - 2
- CG Ninth U. S. Army,
- Attn: AGD Br,
- Surg, Sp Trps - - - - - 1
- AG-1 - - - - - 1

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HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION

APD 84, U. S. Army,  
1 April 1945.

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General Orders )  
Number.....69 )

I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL  
II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL  
III - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)

I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Private First Class PAUL N. ARNETTE 36477816, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 19 March 1945. When two members of his night patrol began losing their strength while landing in a river after enemy fire had forced them to overturn their boat, Private First Class Arnette courageously assisted the exhausted soldiers to a nearby pier while a companion recovered the boat and brought it to his position. He then assisted in placing the two men in the boat which he maneuvered to a place of safety and secured medical aid. The brave, unselfish action, initiative and exemplary conduct displayed by Private First Class Arnette reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Colonel HUGH C. PARKER 08378, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 5 March 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

Major JOSEPH W. IEL 0328286, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 29 November 1944 to 29 March 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Second Lieutenant DONALD R. KICE 0547099, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 18 - 19 March 1945. Entered military service from New York.

First Sergeant WILLIAM C. GLOUGH 6391605, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 20 March 1945. Entered military service from South Carolina.

Sergeant JOSEPH O. SMITH 3690984, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 19 November 1944 to 21 March 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

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Technician Fourth Grade GEORGE D HADNEY 39549972, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 5 March 1945. Entered military service from California.

III - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel JAMES A CHAVANON 0268049, General Staff Corps, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 5 March 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

L. H. TRUMAN  
Col. GSC  
Chief of Staff

OFFICIAL: *Lloyd R Cunningham*  
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Actg. Adjutant General.

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G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, G-5 - 1	CO 784th Ord M Co - - - - 1	CO 309th Med Bn - - - 2
CO 84th Div Arty - - - - - 2	CO 84th QM Co - - - - - 1	CO 557th AAA AW Bn - - 2
AG, Ch, CIC, Cml O - - - - 1	CO 84th Recn Trp Decz - - - 1	CO 638th TD Bn - - - - 2
Engr, Fin O, GRO - - - - - 1	CO 84th Sig Co - - - - - 1	Each Off, EM concerned 1
Hist O, ID, JA - - - - - 1	CO 333d Inf - - - - - 2	TAG - - - - - 3
Ord O, PM, Post O - - - - - 1	CO 334th Inf - - - - - 2	CG ETO, Attn: M&D
PRO, QM - - - - - 1	CO 335th Inf - - - - - 2	Br, AG Mil P. Co - - 2
Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg - - 1	CO Hq Btry, 84th Div Arty - 1	CG Twelfth A Gp,
Hq Comdt - - - - - 1	CO 325th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Attn: 37th MRU - - 1
CO 84th Reinf Con - - - - - 1	CO 326th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Ninth U. S. Army,
CO Sp Trps - - - - - 1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Attn: M&D Br, AG-M 1
Surg, Sp Trps - - - - - 1	CO 327th FA Bn - - - - - 2	

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**HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION**

**ORIGINAL ORDER 5**

**APO SA, U. S. Army,  
8 April 1945.**

General Orders )

Number.....70 )

- I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL**
- II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL**
- III - AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL**

**I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant MILTON A LAMM 15304251, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 20 March 1945. Locating a German observation post while on a voluntary night patrol across the Rhine River, Staff Sergeant Lamm captured one occupant of the position and successfully returned to friendly lines with the prisoner for interrogation. On another previous occasion, while his unit was making a swift advance to the Rhine River, Staff Sergeant Lamm directed mortar fire which neutralized the fire of two hostile automatic weapons and forced the enemy to withdraw to the safety of a cellar which he then assaulted, capturing 20 prisoners and 14 automatic weapons. The courage, resourcefulness and loyalty displayed by Staff Sergeant Lamm reflect high credit upon him self and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Indiana.

**II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 31, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain DONALD W DUMVILLE 01292847, Infantry, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany and Belgium, 18 November 1944 to 5 March 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Captain VICTOR T MALLORY 0548673, Medical Corps, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 29 November 1944 to 29 March 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

First Lieutenant WILLIAM H GROWING 01283416, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 29 November 1944 to 29 March 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Warrant Officer (junior grade) MARTIN RICHTER WR132109, United States Army, 333d Infantry. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 19 November 1944 to 28 March 1945. Entered military service from Idaho.

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Master Sergeant ISADORE SEIDEL 12007509, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 19 November 1944 to 28 March 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technician Fourth Grade EUGENE D MOOREHOUSE 32022314, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 19 November 1944 to 28 March 1945. Entered military service from New York.

III - AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-4, as amended, and memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to:

Private First Class STANLEY A BREZINSKI 31428928, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroism in Germany, 22 March 1945. When approximately 50 rounds of mortar ammunition in his gun emplacement, prepared with increment for immediate firing, were endangered due to an explosion which had killed two men and started a blaze, Private First Class Brezinski, though slightly injured by the concussion of the explosion and disregarding his own safety, hastened to the emplacement and extinguished the fire. The courageous, rapid action and commendable conduct displayed by Private First Class Brezinski prevented the possible loss of additional lives, saved valuable government property from destruction and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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CO 84th Div Arty - - - - 2	CO 84th QM Co - - - - - 1	CO 557th AAA AW Bn - - 2
AG, Ch, CIC, Cml O - - - 1	CO 84th Recn Trp Mecz - - 1	CO 638th TD Bn - - - - 2
Engr, Fin O, GHO - - - - 1	CO 84th Sig Co - - - - - 1	Each Off, EM concerned 1
Hist O, IG, JA - - - - - 1	CO 333d Inf - - - - - - 2	T&G - - - - - - - - 3
Ord O, PM, Post O - - - - 1	CO 334th Inf - - - - - - 2	CG ETO, Attn: A&D
PRO, QM - - - - - - - - 1	CO 335th Inf - - - - - - 2	Br, AG Mil Pers - - 2
Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg - - 1	CO Hq Btry, 84th Div Arty 1	CG Twelfth A Gp,
Hq Comdt - - - - - - - - 1	CO 325th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Attn: 37th MRU - - 1
CO 84th Reinf Cen - - - - 1	CO 326th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Ninth U. S. Army,
CO Sp Trps - - - - - - - 1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Attn: A&D Br, AG-M 1
Surg, Sp Trps - - - - - - 1	CO 327th FA Bn - - - - - 2	

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HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION

APC 8, U. S. Army,  
9 April 1945.

General Orders )  
Number.....71 )

ORIGINAL ORDER - 117

**I - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL**  
**II - AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL**

**I - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain WILLIAM J HAGOOD jr 0513277, Medical Corps, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 29 November 1944 to 29 March 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

Captain AUSTIN A O'MALLEY 01296571, Infantry, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 12 March 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Captain RALPH H WEISNER 0292289, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 18 February to 28 March 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

Second Lieutenant THOMAS J BARNETT 01329553, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 20 March 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Master Sergeant GUNAR A PEDERSEN 39689221, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 15 February to 27 March 1945. Entered military service from California.

Sergeant MICHAEL F COLLIER 35536794, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 22 March 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

**II - AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to:

Corporal MARTIN NEVAHEZ 19186685, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroism in Germany, 22 March 1945. When approximately 50 rounds of mortar ammunition in his gun emplacement, prepared with increment for immediate firing.

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endangered due to an explosion which had killed two men and started a blast, Corporal Nevares, though slightly injured by the concussion of the explosion, disregarding his own safety, hastened to the emplacement and extinguished the fire. The courageous, rapid action and commendable conduct displayed by Corporal Nevares prevented the possible loss of additional lives, saved valuable government property from destruction and are in accordance with the finest traditions of military service of the United States. Entered military service from California.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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Col GSC  
Chief of Staff

OFFICIAL:

*B. E. Craig*  
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G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, G-5 - 1	CO 784th Ord M Co - - - - 1	CO 309th Med Bn - - - - 1
CO 84th Div Arty - - - - 2	CO 84th M Co - - - - - 1	CO 557th AIA AW Bn - - - 1
AG, Ch, CIC, Cml O - - - 1	CO 84th Recn Trp Mecz - - - 1	CO 638th TD Bn - - - - 1
Engr, Fin O, GRO - - - - 1	CO 84th Sig Co - - - - - 1	Each Off, EM concerned
Hist O, IG, JA - - - - - 1	CO 333d Inf - - - - - 2	T&G - - - - - - - - -
Ord O, PH, Post O - - - - 1	CO 334th Inf - - - - - 2	CG ETO, Attn: A&D
PRO, M - - - - - - - - 1	CO 335th Inf - - - - - 2	Br, AG Mil Pers - - - -
Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg - - - 1	CO Hq Btry, 84th Div Arty 1	CG Twelfth A Gp,
Hq Condt - - - - - - - - 1	CO 325th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Attn: 37th MRU - - - -
CO 84th Reinf Con - - - - 1	CO 326th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Ninth U. S. Army,
CO Sp Trps - - - - - - - 1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Attn: A&D Br, AG-4
Surg, Sp Trps - - - - - - 1	CO 327th FA Bn - - - - - 2	



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HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION

AGO 84, U. S. Army  
14 April 1945

General Orders )  
Number.....73 )

ORIGINAL ORDER -

- I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- II - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- IV - AWARD OF PURPLE HEART MEDAL

I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Second Lieutenant MARVIN W JAMISON 02000473, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Belgium, 24 January 1945. When his platoon, while occupying a position in open terrain, was threatened by point fire from an enemy tank and foot troops, Second Lieutenant Jamison with complete disregard for his safety, ordered his men to move to a more advantageous area and, exposing himself to hostile observation, began firing at the enemy vehicle in order to draw its attention while his platoon executed the move. In the performance of this unselfish action, Second Lieutenant Jamison lost his life. His conspicuous courage, unswerving devotion to duty and determined spirit displayed by Second Lieutenant Jamison enabled his platoon to repel the enemy force and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from West Virginia.

II - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain JOHN W BUSBY 01299681, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 5 March 1945. As S-3 for his battalion during this period, Captain Busby, though frequently subjected to intense enemy fire, skillfully and courageously planned and executed the attack of his unit in an important river crossing and subsequent swift advance to the Rhine River in a manner which enabled the battalion to accomplish its missions quickly with few casualties. Particularly outstanding was his establishment of communication and coordination with another battalion during the successful repulse of an enemy counterattack while under heavy fire on 4 March 1945. The superior performance of duty, distinguished and exemplary action displayed by Captain Busby reflect credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Arizona.

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**III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Chaplain (Captain) **CLYDE D WILLIAMS** 0541254, United States Army, 335th Infantry. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 9 November 1944 to 26 March 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Chaplain (First Lieutenant) **GARDIE J LaCOUR** 0546687, United States Army, 335th Infantry. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 24 November 1944 to 31 March 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

First Lieutenant **FRANK H SWEET** 01292784, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 11 November 1944 to 29 March 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Second Lieutenant **CARL HOLTZ** 02000481, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 11 November 1944 to 29 March 1945. Entered military service from California.

Second Lieutenant **JOSEPH E KELLEY** 02000530, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 11 November 1944 to 31 March 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

Sergeant **CLARENCE E MATTOX** 37473708, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 15 November 1944 to 29 March 1945. Entered military service from Iowa.

Technician Fourth Grade **FRANK J PUSCNIK** 31140947, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 1 April 1945. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Private **WALTER L HARRIS** 36567327, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 15 January to 29 March 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

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IV - AWARD OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-15, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel JACK C CHILDERS 0282405, Infantry, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army, for wounds received in action against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

L W TRUMAN  
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Adjutant General

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CG 84th Div Arty - - - - -	2	CO 325th FA Bn - - - - -	1
AG, Ch, CIC, Oml O - - - - -	1	CO 326th FA Bn - - - - -	1
Engr, Fin O, GEO - - - - -	1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - -	1
Hist O, IG, JA - - - - -	1	CO 327th FA Bn - - - - -	1
Ord O, PM, Post O - - - - -	1	CO 309th Engr C Bn - - - - -	1
PEO, QM - - - - -	1	CO 309th Med Bn - - - - -	1
Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg - - - - -	1	CO 557th AAA AW Bn - - - - -	1
Eq Comdt - - - - -	1	CO 638th TD Bn - - - - -	1
CO 84th Reinf Cen - - - - -	1	CO 771st Tk Bn - - - - -	1
CO Sp Trps - - - - -	1	Each off, EM concerned - - - - -	1
Surg, Sp Trps - - - - -	1	TAC - - - - -	1
CO Hq Co, 84th Inf Div - - - - -	1	CG ETO, Attn: A&D Br, - - - - -	1
CO 784th Ord LM Co - - - - -	1	AG Mil Pers - - - - -	1
CO 84th QM Co - - - - -	1	CG Twelfth A Gp, - - - - -	1
CO 84th Recon Trp Mecz - - - - -	1	Attn: 37th MGU - - - - -	1
CO 84th Sig Co - - - - -	1	CG Ninth U. S. Army, - - - - -	1
CO 333d Inf - - - - -	2	Attn: A&D Br, AG-M - - - - -	1
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**NINTH UNITED STATES INFANTRY DIVISION**

NO. 8, U. S. A.  
18 April 1945

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ORIGINAL ORDER -

- I. REVOCATION OF GENERAL ORDERS NUMBER 26  
II. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL  
III. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I. REVOCATION OF GENERAL ORDERS NUMBER 26: General Orders Number 26, this headquarters, dated 13 February 1945 is hereby revoked.

II. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

War Substantive/Captain (Temporary/Major) DENNIS A J PDEI, Personal No. 204153, 73 Antitank Regiment, Royal Artillery (British), (Attached 8th Infantry Division). For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 18 - 23 November 1944. As commander of an antitank battery protecting the right flank of the division during operations, Major Finn personally supervised the movement and emplacement of his tank destroyers under all conditions and maintained reconnaissance on the right flank with such success that every threat from that direction was known and countered in advance. His courage and devotion to duty while under heavy mortar and machine gun fire were an inspiration to his own troops and to all American troops who were associated with him.

War Substantive/Lieutenant (Temporary/Captain) JOHN H M HOOD, Personal No. 210522, 86 (Hertfordshire Yeomanry) Field Regiment, Royal Artillery (British); (Attached 8th Infantry Division). For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 18 - 23 November 1944. As forward observer for his regiment, Captain Hood was constantly in the forward combat area during which time, by his devotion to duty, he obtained and transmitted such information of value to his regiment and to the 8th Infantry Division. His outstanding judgment and his cool and collected demeanor throughout the period, including an occasion when his vehicle received a direct hit from an enemy mortar, reflect great credit upon himself and upon the military service of his country.

War Substantive/Lieutenant (Acting/Captain) ELLIS SHAW, Personal No. 224,84, 79 Armored Division (British), (Attached 8th Infantry Division). For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 20 November 1944. When an infantry combat team which his unit was supporting was temporarily checked by enemy fire from a pillbox, Lieutenant Shaw led his troop in an attack which destroyed the fortification. He then directed fire on an additional four pillboxes which were a threat to the advancing infantry, forcing the occupants to evacuate and killing a number of the enemy. The bravery, skill and aggressive action with which Lieutenant Shaw conducted the operation was of material assistance in the advance of the infantry troops and reflect credit on himself and the military service of his country.

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III. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of Act 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Gunner/Surveyor REUBEN CONRAD, Personal No. 1552365, 4 (Durham) Survey Regiment, Royal Artillery (British), (Attached 84th Infantry Division). For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 20 - 23 November 1944.

War Substantive/Lieutenant (Temporary/Captain) RODERICK A JOHNSON, Personal No. 100291, 64 Medium Regiment, Royal Artillery (British), (Attached 84th Infantry Division). For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 19 - 23 November 1944.

Gunner (Acting Lance/Bombardier) FRANK S STEVENSON, Personal No. 920683, 86 (Hertfordshire Yeomanry) Field Regiment, Royal Artillery (British), (Attached 84th Infantry Division). For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 18 - 23 November 1944.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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Lt Col AGD  
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Engr, Fin O, GRO	1	CO 909th Fa Bn	2
Hist O, IG, JA	1	CO 327th Fa Bn	2
Ord O, PM, Post O	1	CO 309th Eng C Bn	2
PRO, OM	1	CO 309th Med Bn	2
Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg	1	CO 557th Amk AW Bn	2
Hq Comdt	1	CO 638th TD Bn	2
CO 84th Reinf Cen	1	CO 771st Tk Bn	2
CO Sp Trps	1	Each Off, EM and Orgn concerned	1
Surg, Sp Trps	1	TSG	3
CO Hq Co, 84th Inf Div	1	CG ETO, Attn: A&D Br,	
CO 784th Ord LM Co	1	AG Mil Pers	2
CO 84th QM Co	1	CG Twelfth A Gp, Attn: 37th MRU	1
CO 84th Ren Trp Mecz	1	CG Ninth U. S. Army, Attn:	
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HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION

ATO 34, U. S. Army  
19 April 1945

General Order )  
Number .....75 )

ORIGINAL ORDER - 511

- I. AWARD OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE
- II. AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- III. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- IV. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- V. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- VI. AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL)
- VII. AWARDS OF PURSUE MEDAL

I. AWARD OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE: Under the provisions of Section I, War Department Circular 345, 23 August 1944, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to:

84th Infantry Division Band, United States Army. For superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks, 1 November 1944 to 1 April 1945. During this period, the members of this unit, maintaining a high standard of discipline and displaying loyalty, resourcefulness and tireless effort, in addition to providing excellent entertainment for rest centers of the Division, performed other varied duties in an outstanding manner which contributed materially to the success of the Division's operations. The exemplary action and commendable conduct displayed by the members of the 84th Infantry Division Band reflect high credit upon the unit and the armed forces of the United States.

II. AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Lieutenant Colonel DAVID E JONES O18779, Field Artillery, Headquarters 84th Division Artillery, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. When the vehicle in which he was riding was ambushed by a strong enemy force while he was making a reconnaissance in an area containing numerous by-passed pockets of resistance, Lieutenant Colonel Jones, with complete disregard for his own safety, engaged the hostile force by fire to protect the driver while the latter turned the vehicle around. He then withdrew with the others, still firing, until he was killed by enemy fire. The disdain for danger, fighting spirit and leadership displayed by Lieutenant Colonel Jones enabled other members of his party to escape the ambush and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Washington.

III. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

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First Lieutenant ROBERT F GUENTHER 01534035, Medical Administrative Corps, 20th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 6 - 7 April 1945. When informed of two seriously wounded men in a demolished building near the front lines, First Lieutenant Guenther, who had established ambulance collecting points on both banks of the Moser River with his platoon sergeant under heavy enemy fire, went forward, administered medical aid and evacuated the casualties. His ambulance driver being seriously wounded, he then took charge of the vehicle and, still under intense hostile fire, made two trips to a collecting station. The unswerving devotion to duty, disdain for danger and exemplary action displayed by First Lieutenant Guenther resulted in saving the lives of five serious casualties and reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Technician Fifth Grade CHARLES H ROBINSON 39269722, Headquarters Battery, 84th Division Artillery, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. When the vehicle which he was driving was ambushed by a force of approximately twenty Germans, Technician Fifth Grade Robinson coolly killed two of the enemy and, turning his vehicle, successfully escaped with the officers who were his passengers. Later, encountering another ambush, he courageously drove his vehicle through the area despite close enemy fire which shattered the windshield of his vehicle. The disdain for danger, loyalty and determined spirit displayed by Technician Fifth Grade Robinson reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from California.

IV. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of Act 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Captain OLIN G DORN jr 0495600, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 29 November to 1 December 1944. During an attack by his battalion on a bitterly defended German town, Captain Dorn directed the operations of his company in an aggressive manner. When a group of tanks, supporting the attack, had been forced to withdraw from the town due to intense enemy fire, Captain Dorn, rallying his men, moved forward with the tanks, seized the objective and set up defensive positions which enabled his unit to repulse a strong hostile counterattack. Captain Dorn was subsequently killed in action in Belgium on 23 December 1944. The superior leadership, conspicuous courage and aggressive spirit displayed by Captain Dorn reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from South Carolina.

Sergeant JAMES T. WILKER 38393551, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 12 November 1944 to 1 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

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V. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain RUSSELL E TILLEY 01577958, Ordnance Department, 704th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 6 December 1944 to 10 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

First Lieutenant EARL A. LAFFERT 01304714, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Vermont.

First Lieutenant GEORGE A. McINTYRE jr 0535965 (then Second Lieutenant), Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 31 December 1944 to 6 April 1945. Entered military service from South Carolina.

Technical Sergeant JACK H. COHAN 39267973, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 15 November 1944 to 4 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant CORDELL EATON 14029099, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Tennessee.

Staff Sergeant WILLIAM A. LOERY 14026820, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 13 November 1944 to 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Staff Sergeant ROLLA A. YERKEY 35211139, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 15 November 1944 to 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Sergeant STANLEY A. HUDZIK 33937628, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 20 November 1944 to 29 March 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Sergeant WARREN R. KENYON 39404197, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fourth Grade PETER T. ESTRADA 39690223, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.



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Technician Fourth Grade FRANK H STANSBURY 33483723, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Corporal CHARLES A McMENAMIN 33474213, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 12 November 1944 to 1 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade LAWRENCE J CREIGHTON 33396225, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class SIMON BARASH 32901922, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class DONALD L GARNATHAN 39342525, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Oregon.

Private First Class EUGENE R McLAUGHLIN 39034420, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class FRED F PETROFF 35745662, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from West Virginia.

Private First Class LE ROY RICHARDSON 36558064, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Private First Class MORRIS N SABIN 39269831, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class CLARENCE J SONNIER 18151772, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Private First Class JOSEPH TEDESCO 32951946, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

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Private First Class **RAYMOND F MELVEL** 35140256, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Private **ALBERT A ROBBINS** 39549067, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 12 November 1944 to 1 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

VI. AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Private First Class **RICHARD C DAVIS** 19177317, Headquarters Battery, 84th Division Artillery, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 24 February to 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

VII. AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

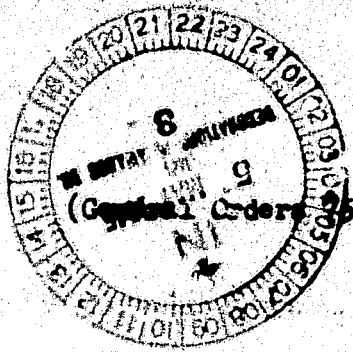
Lieutenant Colonel **ROBERT C ENBANK** 0334569, Finance Department, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army, for wounds received in action against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Technician Fourth Grade **DONALD T PIPER** 39853524, 84th Infantry Division Band, United States Army, for wounds received in action against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Arizona.

Corporal **JOSEPH A IVEY** 39576057, 84th Infantry Division Band, United States Army, for wounds received in action against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fifth Grade **RAY L WATERS** 39269159, 84th Infantry Division Band, United States Army, for wounds received in action against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class **JACK O LEMONS** 37611759, 84th Infantry Division Band, United States Army, for wounds received in action against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.



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By command of Major General DOLLING:

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CG 84th Div Arty - - - - 2	CO 84th QM Co - - - - - 1	CO 557th AA, AW Bn - - 2
AG, Ch, CIC, Col O - - - 1	CO 84th Ren Trp Mecz - - 1	CO 638th TD Bn - - - - 2
Engr, Fin O, PRO - - - - 1	CO 84th Sig Co - - - - - 1	CO 771st Tk Bn - - - - 2
Hist O, IG, JA - - - - - 1	CO 333d Inf - - - - - - 2	Each Off, EM Concerned 1
Ord O, FM, Post O - - - - 1	CO 334th Inf - - - - - - 2	TAG - - - - - - - - 3
PRO, QM - - - - - - - - 1	CO 325th Inf - - - - - - 2	CG ETO, Attn: A&D
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CO Sp Trps - - - - - - - 1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Ninth U. S. Army,
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HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION

AGO 84, U. S. Army  
20 April 1945

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Number.....76 )

ORIGINAL ORDER

- I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
- IV - AWARDS OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL

I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

*Revised by AGO # 106 - May 11, 1945*

~~Technical Sergeant HOUSTON B. JONES 3223343, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. During an attack against heavy enemy resistance, Technical Sergeant Jones, though shot through the right arm, crawled approximately 15 yards under continuing enemy artillery and automatic weapons fire to administer first aid to a more seriously wounded soldier in his platoon. After treating the soldier and removing him to a place of shelter, Technical Sergeant Jones returned to the command of his platoon, refusing to be evacuated until the enemy resistance was neutralized and the mission of his platoon completed. The unselfish action, commendable conduct and unswerving devotion to duty displayed by Technical Sergeant Jones reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Oklahoma.~~

Sergeant WILLIS W YOCKEY 39903171, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 2 April 1945. When the reconnaissance patrol of which he was a voluntary member was subjected to enemy mortar and small arms fire, Sergeant Yockey promptly moved to a flanking position to draw the hostile fire and allow two members of the party to withdraw to safety. After wounding four Germans, Sergeant Yockey then removed a government vehicle by crawling 150 yards under cover of rifle fire from his platoon leader. The bold action, unswerving devotion to duty and initiative displayed by Sergeant Yockey enabled the patrol to complete its mission and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Nevada.

Private First Class WALTER J ISAAC 32836089, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 6 March 1945. During a heavy enemy counterattack against a column of troops and armored vehicles, Private First Class Isaac, disregarding his safety under heavy hostile artillery and small arms fire, after having alerted the men in the column and advising the battalion commander of the situation, manned the machine guns in one of the tanks until the attack was successfully repulsed. The conspicuous courage, aggressive action and initiative displayed by Private First Class Isaac, without doubt, resulted in saving a number of vehicles from destruction and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

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II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain ROGER K CHRISMAN 01169459, Field Artillery, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Captain OTIS J DILLON 01172838, Field Artillery, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 20 February to 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Captain EDWARD L GILLMAN 0552607, Medical Corps, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 4 January to 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

First Lieutenant CECIL L CAIN 01177313, Field Artillery, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 December 1944 to 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Kansas.

Technical Sergeant SPIRO GRECH 32086138, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technical Sergeant GERARD J RATTELADE 34465589, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

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~~\* Staff Sergeant IVER BERG 39269297, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.~~

Staff Sergeant RICHARD D THOMPSON 6661910, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Sergeant PETER A MCCOMBS 37618018, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

Sergeant EDWIN A WAITS 39547595, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 13 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

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Sergeant WILLIAM L. LUKER 38368334, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Technician Fourth Grade JOSEPH F DUBER jr 35519233, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Technician Fourth Grade HORACE E NELSON 39115083, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Corporal THOMAS J BOER 39117225, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 13 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Corporal WILLIAM R CAMPBELL 39574019, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 25 February to 14 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fifth Grade MIKE SMITH 38304068, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class THOMAS J BABBITT 38368283, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 - 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class JOSEPH CHMELIK jr 20539750, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Private First Class EUGENE J DeVOGE 33435076, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class ERNEST FUERST 36861922, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Private First Class JEWELL A KING 36985479, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

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Private First Class FRANK KNESS 37363555, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Colorado.

Private First Class ROY D LAGALY 15301889, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Private First Class LOUIS E LEVY 42074172, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class DEWEY J SELF 34739097, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Tennessee.

Private First Class EDWARD F SILVERIA 39116207, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class NICK STARKOVICH 37177070, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

Private EDWARD F CISOFSKI 42020061, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private CECIL B TANTON 39116473, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

III - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel WINFRED R ROSS 021195, Signal Corps, 84th Signal Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 5 March 1945. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

First Lieutenant DAVID H KREGG 0523385, Field Artillery, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade EMMET HODGES 39548055, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

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Private First Class ALBERT E. DI DARIO 33896722, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

IV - AWARDS OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to:

Technician Fifth Grade R V PAGE 38903685, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroism in Germany, 7 April 1945. When a truck became enveloped in flames near a building in which personnel of his unit were asleep, Technician Fifth Grade Page, although his clothing was set afire, risked his life by remaining on the burning vehicle and removing equipment until the blaze was brought under control. The courageous, unselfish action and loyalty displayed by Technician Fifth Grade Page saved valuable government property from destruction and prevented possible loss of life. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class MYRL G. BICKEL 33483772, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroism in Germany, 7 April 1945. When a truck became enveloped in flames near a building in which personnel of his unit were asleep, Private First Class Bickel, despite the fact that his clothing was set afire, risked his life by entering the burning vehicle and driving it a safe distance from the sleeping men. The courageous, unselfish action and loyalty displayed by Private First Class Bickel saved valuable government property from destruction and prevented possible loss of life. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.



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- I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- II - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- IV - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
- V - AWARDS OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL

I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Captain SEYMOUR B STONE 01292780, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Observing a group of German soldiers in a house as he was leading a billeting party for his battalion, Captain Stone, with two soldiers, engaged in a fierce fire fight in which seven of the enemy were killed, wounded or captured. While taking one of the wounded Germans as a prisoner, Captain Stone was killed by fire from an enemy soldier in a hidden position. The aggressive fighting spirit, disdain for danger and exemplary action displayed by Captain Stone reflect the highest credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

II - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

First Lieutenant JOSEPH E HERKNES 01182382, Field Artillery, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. When the advance of a reconnaissance party which he was leading into a large German city was delayed by automatic weapons fire from an enemy force, First Lieutenant Herkness, after directing other members of his party to a sheltered position, advanced to the flank of the hostile group and armed with only a pistol, killed two Germans, forcing the remainder to withdraw. The superior leadership, disdain for danger and fighting spirit displayed by First Lieutenant Herkness enabled the party to complete its mission and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Corporal JAMES B REYNOLDS (then Private First Class) 34966880, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 23 February 1945. During an enemy counterattack against his unit's defensive positions around a captured German town, Corporal Reynolds, disregarding his safety under heavy artillery fire and the advance of enemy foot troops, placed withering machine gun fire on the enemy, accounting for 11 Germans killed and contributing materially to the successful repulsion of the counterattack by his unit. The cool

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courage, initiative and exemplary action displayed by Corporal Reynolds reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from South Carolina.

Technician Fifth Grade KRISTIAN POHAN 39114447, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. When his company was subjected to withering fire from enemy antitank and artillery weapons while crossing open terrain in an attack upon a German town, Technician Fifth Grade Pohan, serving as a medical aid man, exhibited cool courage and unswerving devotion to duty while administering first aid to the wounded with complete disregard for his safety. Caring for the most seriously wounded first and then aiding those who suffered lighter wounds, Technician Fifth Grade Pohan refused to seek cover until his work was completed. The outstanding technical skill, ability and initiative displayed by Technician Fifth Grade Pohan reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from California.

III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

*Amend by G.O. 235-19 Nov 45*  
Lieutenant Colonel HILMAR R PRESSLER 01169692, General Staff Corps, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For ~~meritorious service~~ in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, ~~Holland and Germany~~, December ~~1944~~ 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

First Lieutenant DAVID H GIBSON 01103651, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 April 1945. Entered military service from Utah.

First Lieutenant WILLIAM J KILCOYNE 01169600, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 March to 4 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

First Lieutenant EUGENE J KOLB 0552569, A.U.S., Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Second Lieutenant MORTON M RAINISH 01558607, Ordnance Department, 784th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 February to 10 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technical Sergeant HERBERT W FRANCK 36198700, 784th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 February to 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

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Technical Sergeant IRVING FRIEDLANDER 32026441, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technical Sergeant PETER J STARR 32109338, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant JAMES E HERMAN 37201787, 784th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 February to 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Kansas.

Staff Sergeant EDWIN B ROUNTREE jr 38065943, 784th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 16 January to 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Technician Third Grade GLENN L ANDERSON 16091622, 784th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 16 January to 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Technician Third Grade EDWARD G CAUMD 33033636, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 February to 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Sergeant IPHIS K LEMHART 38277391, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

Sergeant PERRY R NOWLIN 39549018, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Sergeant WADE WEST 38264024, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Sergeant HOWARD A WIEDERRICH 39602602, 784th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 February to 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Montana.

Technician Fourth Grade CARLOS BENAVIDES 38358669 (then Corporal), 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

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Technician Fourth Grade LAWRENCE M KEMMER 13013672, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Corporal SNYDER N TURLINGTON 34489672, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

Technician Fifth Grade VERNON G BEECHER 32043736, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 20 December 1944 to 14 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade JETHRIE M CLEM 38325223, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Technician Fifth Grade RICHARD J HALLEN 39270016, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fifth Grade CORBAN JOHNSON 35458631, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

Technician Fifth Grade ROY LONG jr 35719021, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Technician Fifth Grade ERNEST D YERKE 42122193 (then Private First Class), 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class BRYAN E ALLEN 34583078, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Alabama.

Private First Class JAMES BROOKS 32885852, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

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Private First Class JAMES BYCE jr 36551437 (then Private), 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Private First Class RALPH E ELSBERRY 34836130 (then Private), 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

Private First Class THOMAS E MCCORMICK 19152699, 784th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class FRED B McEVEN 33570763, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class JAMES N OLIVER 44005742, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Florida.

Private First Class JOSEPH A PENCIAK 35898937, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Private First Class ALEJINDRO SANDOVAL 38352326 (then Private), 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from New Mexico.

Private First Class DAVID F TAHER 38297431, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

IV - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Major ARTHUR S JONES 0316466, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 24 March to 4 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

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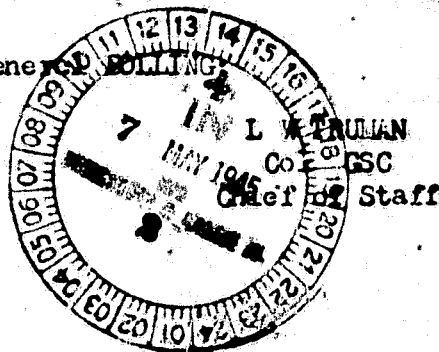
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V - AWARDS OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to:

Technician Fifth Grade **FRED McILVAIN** 38304028, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroism in Germany, 4 April 1945. When a vehicle loaded with artillery ammunition in a motor column caught afire, Technician Fifth Grade McIlvain, risking his life, drove the truck a safe distance from the other vehicles and assisted in unloading the cargo from the blazing truck after which he and another soldier extinguished the fire. The disregard for danger, loyalty and commendable conduct displayed by Technician Fifth Grade McIlvain saved valuable government property from destruction and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class **FREDERICK RUEPING IV** 36832860, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroism in Germany, 4 April 1945. When a vehicle loaded with artillery ammunition in a motor column caught afire, Private First Class Rueping, risking his life, drove the truck a safe distance from the other vehicles and assisted in unloading the cargo from the blazing truck after which he and another soldier extinguished the fire. The disregard for danger, loyalty and commendable conduct displayed by Private First Class Rueping saved valuable government property from destruction and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

By command of Major General



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CO Sp Trps - - - - - - - 1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Ninth U. S. Army, 1
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- I - AWARDS OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE
- II - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- III - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- IV - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (SILVER STAR MEDAL)
- V - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- VI - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I - AWARDS OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE: Under the provisions of Section I, War Department Circular 345, 23 August 1944, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to:

Medical Detachment, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks, 18 November 1944 to 18 March 1945. During this period, the members of this unit, maintaining a high standard of discipline and displaying skill, loyalty and courage despite heavy enemy fire and adverse conditions, administered medical aid and evacuated casualties from the field of battle in a manner which resulted in saving the lives of many soldiers and contributed materially to the success of the regiment's military operations. The brave, unselfish action and commendable conduct of the members of Medical Detachment, 334th Infantry, reflect high credit upon the unit and the armed forces of the United States.

Headquarters Company, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks, 18 November 1944 to 18 March 1945. During this period, the members of this unit, maintaining a high standard of discipline and displaying loyalty, initiative and tireless effort, performed their multiple duties under the hazards of combat conditions and adverse circumstances in a manner which contributed materially to the success of the battalion's military operations. The exemplary action and commendable conduct of the members of Headquarters Company, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion, reflect high credit upon the unit and the armed forces of the United States.

II - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

First Lieutenant WINTHER JORGENSEN 01320386, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When his company met intense enemy artillery and small arms fire during an attack upon a German town, First Lieutenant Jorgensen quickly led his men to security and organized a defense. He then returned to an observation post in view of the enemy, and with complete disregard for his safety, directed artillery fire which destroyed two railway mounted artillery pieces and other enemy weapons. During this daring action, First Lieutenant Jorgensen was mortally wounded by antitank fire. The brilliant leadership, bravery and unswerving devotion to duty displayed by First

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Lieutenant Jorgensen were directly responsible for the success of his unit's attack and reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant OLIVER G. KASH 35666749, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When enemy antitank fire hit a tank destroyer and seriously wounded his platoon leader, Staff Sergeant Kash, with complete disregard for his safety, advanced under intense hostile sniper and rocket launcher fire to rescue the stricken officer. In the performance of this courageous act, Staff Sergeant Kash received wounds from which he later died. The brave, unselfish conduct, loyalty and exemplary action displayed by Staff Sergeant Kash reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

III - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Major JERVIS S. JANNEY 0273975, Field Artillery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. When a road junction over which his battalion and infantry units were moving was subjected to intense enemy artillery fire killing one man and seriously wounding another, Major Janney, with complete disregard for his safety, remained at the dangerous intersection and courageously directed the movement of the column in an efficient manner which enabled a combat team to move promptly into action elsewhere and resulted in saving numerous lives. The bold, rapid action, dauntless determination and loyalty displayed by Major Janney reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

First Lieutenant DALE J. DUFFIELD 01180878, Field Artillery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. When the rear of a motorized column was attacked by enemy armored vehicles and the position from which his battery was displacing was subjected to intense enemy tank fire, First Lieutenant Duffield promptly established positions for the delivery of direct fire upon the enemy and organized a perimeter defense for his battery. After supervising the removal of his vehicles to a position of safety, First Lieutenant Duffield, despite enemy tank, machine gun and small arms fire, proceeded to a position from which he directed the placing of effective artillery fire upon the enemy, resulting in the destruction of several enemy tanks. The outstanding gallantry, tactical judgment and unswerving devotion to duty displayed by First Lieutenant Duffield reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

IV - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (SILVER STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Silver Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

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First Lieutenant EDWIN K ARMSTRONG 01057667, Infantry, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 27 February 1945. Placing his own tank at the head of the column of a task force whose mission was to break through organized enemy lines of resistance, First Lieutenant Armstrong led the attack so aggressively and courageously that hostile positions were completely overrun and penetrated a distance of twelve miles within five hours. During the attack, when the occupants of a German command post attempted to flee, First Lieutenant Armstrong destroyed two horse-drawn carts, three bicyclists, one staff car and crushed another staff car with his tank. Later, First Lieutenant Armstrong was wounded when his tank was ambushed by an enemy antitank position. The leadership, technical skill and intrepidity displayed by First Lieutenant Armstrong disrupted German resistance, resulting in the capture of 1249 prisoners and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Missouri.

V - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Private THEODORE S WEIS 36845446, 771st Tank Battalion (attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When the tank column in which he was riding was halted by intense enemy fire and his tank commander was wounded, Private Weis, disregarding his safety, exposed himself to the enemy guns in an attempt to carry his commander to safety. During this unselfish action Private Weis lost his life. The cool courage, initiative and loyalty displayed by Private Weis reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

VI - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Chaplain (Major) CHARLES J BERTEL 0422833, United States Army, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 20 November 1944 to 7 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Major ELMER B GENCROS 0399872, Field Artillery, Headquarters 84th Division Artillery, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Major FRANCIS E MURPHY 0359849, Field Artillery, Headquarters 84th Division Artillery, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. Entered military service from North Dakota.

Captain ROBERT H BRUNDAGE 0550700, Medical Corps, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 18 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

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Captain JAMES M CATLIN 0470344, Medical Corps, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Captain RICHARD W DEMPSEY 01534000, Medical Administrative Corps, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

First Lieutenant CECIL C RITCHIE 01286362, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 January to 11 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Second Lieutenant JAMES S WOLF jr 0548490, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Warrant Officer (Junior Grade) JOSEPH J URBAN jr 12135345, U.S.A., 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

First Sergeant MORRIS C ELLIS 14016934, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Mississippi.

First Sergeant ALOYSIUS MONTANAN 6853333, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fourth Grade CLARENCE A ALTFATHER 33259485, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fourth Grade ELMER R FELL 35046309, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Technician Fourth Grade IRVIN L HERBERT 38339877, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

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Technician Fourth Grade FRED J MENKE 39459857, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Washington.

Corporal ROBERT L ESTIS jr 34264234, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Alabama.

Corporal LAURENCE J FLIZONE 20747780, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from South Dakota.

Technician Fifth Grade ROY C DAVIS 35136777, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

Technician Fifth Grade EVERETT C SLATTERY 35690277, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

Private First Class VALENTINE A BLACHOWITZ 33387299, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Private First Class CURTIS E EGGERT 33318705, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class SEBASTIAN R HERNANDEZ 39548752, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class ROY F STONE 17046120, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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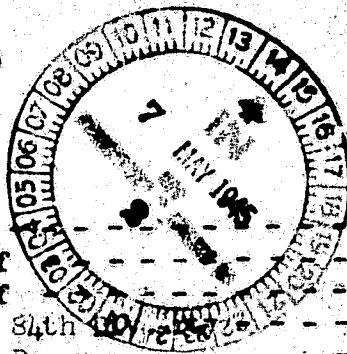
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- I - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- II - AWARDS OF BRONZE O.K. LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
- III - AWARD OF PURPLE HEART

I - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

First Lieutenant LOUIS A. deLA TOUR 0555847, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Chief Warrant Officer SAMUEL H SCOTT W2126034, U.S.A., 84th Infantry Division Band, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Technical Sergeant ROBERT S SNADER 20318665, 84th Infantry Division Band, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Sergeant ARTHUR S GILLILAND 0776727, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Corporal JAMES J BRADY 35156653 (then Private First Class), 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Corporal ROBERT H MIDDOUGH 39547340, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class RODNEY M HIMES jr 12217499, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class DALE E. MERRELL 19144234, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Washington.

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Private First Class HERBERT L SCHULTZ jr 3232496, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

II - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant EADELL D EADEL 37532193, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Kansas.

Corporal THOMAS D JONES 39576059, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class CREY H FOSTER 33532743, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

III - AWARD OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

First Lieutenant ALEXANDER R BOLLING jr 026066, Infantry, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army, for wounds received in action against the enemy in Germany, 20 January 1945. Entered military service from the District of Columbia.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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- I. AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- II. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- III. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I. AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Sergeant JOHN D SCHANTZ 3393870, 334th Infantry, United States Army, gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. When two members of a reconnaissance party were killed by fire from an enemy strong point, Sergeant Schantz, with complete disregard for his safety, voluntarily moved forward with a rocket launcher under withering hostile automatic weapons fire to destroy the machine guns comprising the strong point. In the performance of this heroic act, Sergeant Schantz was killed by machine gun fire. The conspicuous courage, aggressive and loyalty displayed by Sergeant Schantz served as an inspiration to the members of his unit and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

II. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Private First Class ROBERT W EPLEY 33939835, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Acting as rear guard security for a marching column, Private First Class Epley discovered a German soldier armed with a rocket launcher and automatic weapon. Realizing the danger to an approaching motor column, Private First Class Epley silently and swiftly captured the enemy soldier after a hand-to-hand encounter, being unable to use his weapon due to the possibility of alerting other hostile troops in the area. The daring, rapid action, initiative and unswerving devotion to duty displayed by Private First Class Epley enabled the column to pass undisturbed through enemy positions and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class DELMAR E GRISHAM 34799202, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Belgium, 23 January 1945. When he and two other soldiers were wounded by artillery fire during an attack on a German-held Belgian town, Private First Class Grisham, disregarding his painful wounds, administered aid to the two injured men and for seven hours, despite the bitterly cold weather and harassing hostile fire, maintained a vigil attending to the needs of his wounded companions and building fires to prevent them from freezing. The grim courage, determined spirit and unselfish action displayed by Private First Class Grisham served as an inspiration to the members of his unit and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Florida.

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Private First Class DOUGLAS N JENNINGS 39404727, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Observing several enemy soldiers in a house while reconnoitering a German town for billets, Private First Class Jennings, with an officer and another soldier, attacked the hostile force despite intense fire and, after entering the building, engaged in a fierce hand-to-hand battle in which seven Germans were killed, wounded or captured. Investigation revealed that the enemy force was preparing an ambush with machine guns, small arms and automatic weapons. The initiative, courage and aggressiveness displayed by Private First Class Jennings prevented other troops from falling into a trap and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class WILLIAM M KEELER 12240400, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Serving as a scout for a squad assigned the mission of clearing enemy resistance which was impeding the advance of his unit during an attack upon a German town, Private First Class Keeler observed a member of the advance squad who was wounded about the face by shell fragments from enemy fire. With disregard for his personal safety, Private First Class Keeler crawled nearly 200 yards over exposed terrain to reach the wounded soldier and carried him to safety. He then administered medical aid and returned to his squad in time to aid in completing the successful mission. The exemplary action, courage and initiative displayed by Private First Class Keeler reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class JOHN B SISSON 19132364, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. While engaged in clearing several houses of enemy resistance which was hampering his unit's advance, Private First Class Sisson, together with another soldier, disregarding his safety, crossed 60 yards of exposed terrain to a position from which he located two enemy machine gun nests. Private First Class Sisson, moving across an open field under direct enemy fire, then contacted a tank and directed its fire on the enemy positions until they were neutralized. The cool courage, initiative and exemplary action under fire displayed by Private First Class Sisson permitted his unit to continue its advance and reflect high credit upon himself and the military service. Entered military service from California.

Private THOMPSON J HUEY 39864058, 3416th Quartermaster Truck Company (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. When the motor column in which he was riding was ambushed by an enemy force on the outskirts of a German town and subjected to intense mortar and small arms fire which forced the personnel of the convoy to leave their vehicles, Private Huey, a driver, returned for his truck under constant sniper fire, and finding it had been destroyed, he secured another vehicle which he then drove to the edge of the village. There he picked up approximately fifty members of the convoy and, despite steady hostile fire, drove the vehicle to a place of safety thus saving a number of men from possible death or capture and also saving the personnel records of an entire field artillery battalion. The discipline, initiative and loyalty displayed by Private Huey reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Arizona.

III. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600 45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

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\* Colonel CHARLES E HOY 018556, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For ~~heroic achievement~~ in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, February 1945. Entered military service from Illinois. 27

Technical Sergeant JOHN J HOLBROOK 53218265, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

Staff Sergeant KENNETH F FERGUSON 39548920, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant JOHN L FRANCIS 31368372, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Staff Sergeant HERMAN N GIBSON 38353528, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

Staff Sergeant JOHN A HEATH 33457009, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant ALBIE J JARVIS 31357482, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Staff Sergeant MARTIN SINNELL 39690452, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Sergeant THOMAS HOLODUEK 6879334, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Sergeant KENNETH J SADLER 35740093, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from West Virginia.

Technician Fourth Grade GORDON T KERSEY 14013815, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Florida.

Technician Fourth Grade EUGENE V SQUIRES 39547469, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from California.



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Corporal **VERNON W EVERETT** 39853846, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Arizona.

Corporal **TILLMAN S STORY** 34588336, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Alabama.

Technician Fifth Grade **DONALD M FORD** 39140708, 84th Reconnaissance Troop, Mechanized, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fifth Grade **KENNETH R SYLLIMSEN** 39208263, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 20 March to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Washington.

Private First Class **ZAMM S FRANK** 39271340, 84th Reconnaissance Troop Mechanized, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

By command of Major General **BOLLING**:

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ORIGINAL ORDER 9

- I. AWARDS OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE
- II. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- III. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I. AWARDS OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE: Under the provisions of Section I, War Department Circular 345, 23 August 1944, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to:

Service Battery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks, 12 November 1944 to 15 April 1945. During this period, the members of this unit, maintaining a high standard of discipline and displaying loyalty, courage and initiative, performed their multiple duties under the hazards of combat conditions and adverse weather in a manner which contributed materially to the success of the battalion's military operations. The exemplary action and commendable conduct of the members of Service Battery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, reflect high credit upon the unit and the armed forces of the United States. ✓

Company B, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks, 18 November 1944 to 1 April 1945. During this period, the members of this unit, displaying skill, loyalty and tireless effort, performed their multiple duties under adverse conditions and frequent enemy fire in a manner which insured prompt and efficient medical care to the sick and wounded personnel of the Division. The exemplary action and commendable conduct displayed by the members of Company B, 309th Medical Battalion, reflect high credit upon the unit and the armed forces of the United States.

Company D, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks, 15 January to 15 April 1945. During this period, the members of this unit, displaying skill, loyalty and initiative, in addition to the capable operation of a clearing station, established and maintained a convalescent center for the Division which resulted in the restoration to health and duty of a large number of personnel suffering from combat exhaustion and psychoneurosis. The exemplary action and commendable conduct displayed by the members of Company D, 309th Medical Battalion, reflect high credit upon the unit and the armed forces of the United States. ✓

Service Company, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division) United States Army. For superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks, 21 December 1944 to 15 April 1945. During this period, the members of this unit, maintaining a high standard of discipline and displaying loyalty, initiative and tireless effort, performed their multiple duties under the hazards of combat conditions and adverse weather in a manner which contributed materially to the success of the battalion's military operations. The exemplary action and commendable conduct of the members of the Service Company, 771st Tank Battalion, reflect high credit upon the unit and the armed forces of the United States.

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II. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant VICTOR W BROCKER 35836448, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When his platoon had sustained numerous casualties due to heavy enemy machine gun and rifle fire while attacking a German town, Staff Sergeant Brocker, quickly leading his squad into the town, then placed himself in a position enabling him to place effective fire on the hostile forces which allowed another company to surround the enemy positions. In this action when a friendly tank was hit and set afire, Staff Sergeant Brocker, disdaining the danger of heavy rifle fire, went to the aid of a wounded soldier and carried him to safety. The daring, unselfish action, aggressiveness and leadership displayed by Staff Sergeant Brocker reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Sergeant BENJAMIN F CAMPBELL 33846286, 303d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. While his company was engaged in clearing buildings of enemy forces hindering its advance, Sergeant Campbell boldly moved across an open field under direct hostile fire to a position from which he located two machine gun emplacements. Killing one sniper, he then delivered effective covering fire while his company moved forward to destroy the enemy positions. The conspicuous courage, aggressive spirit and exemplary action displayed by Sergeant Campbell contributed materially to the success of his unit's operation and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Sergeant LOYD J CAMPBELL 35742247, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 14 April 1945. When the advance of a column serving as spearhead was temporarily halted by intense enemy rifle fire from a heavily wooded area, Sergeant Campbell, with complete disregard for his safety, moved forward alone through the withering hostile fire and captured four armed Germans defending a bunker after a fierce hand-to-hand engagement. The aggressive fighting spirit, disdain for danger and loyalty displayed by Sergeant Campbell enabled the column to continue its advance and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Virginia.

Private First Class ELLIUD J BROWN 31261983, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Observing several enemy soldiers in a house while reconnoitering a German town for billets, Private First Class Brown, with an officer and another soldier, attacked the hostile force despite intense fire and, after entering the building, engaged in a fierce hand-to-hand battle in which seven Germans were killed, wounded or captured. Investigation revealed that the enemy force was preparing an ambush with machine guns, snail guns and automatic weapons. The initiative, courage and aggressiveness displayed by Private First Class Brown prevented other troops from falling into a trap and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Private First Class RAUL CAMPFOS 39245646, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. When

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artillery inflicted numerous casualties upon the unit with which he was serving, as a medical aid man during an attack upon a German town, Private First Class Campos, disregarding his own safety, treated several of the wounded and evacuated them to a truck which had been converted temporarily into an ambulance. He then continued to care for his respective wounded after joining another medical aid man who was treating a number of other casualties, until they arrived in a German town where they placed the injured on a battalion aid train. The cool courage, initiative and superior performance of duty displayed by Private First Class Campos reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from California.

III. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant CLAUDE P ADAMS 38376624, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Staff Sergeant GEORGE ANDERS 32109556, Interrogation of Prisoner of War Team Number 111 (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 12 November 1944 to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant ROBERT W BELFORD 18148088, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

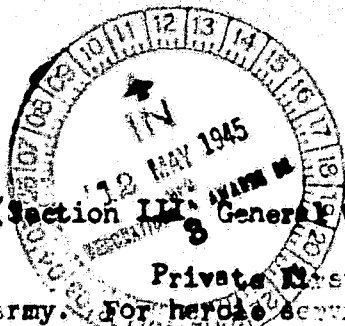
Staff Sergeant WALTER C BOYD 39404773, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant LAYTON J. ROYCE 20703318, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 14 - 15 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

Sergeant HENRY A KISSINGER 32816775, 84th Counter-Intelligence Corps Detachment, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 28 February to 18 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technician Fourth Grade NORVILLE W BART 38355849, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

Private First Class JACK H FRENCH 33646895, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 - 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.



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Private First Class LOUIS KOSKO 31224690, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 - 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Private First Class CLIFFORD H KUEHN 36729876, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 - 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Private First Class ALEXANDER McKEO 35525435, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 - 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Private First Class HERBERT SKOLNICK 32688807, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 - 12 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class LEO TERRY 34814384, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 - 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Alabama.

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**ORIGINAL ORDER -**

- I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- II. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- III. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Sergeant ALLEN R KRIEGER 33504177, 557th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Mobile) (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 18 April 1945. When an enemy dive bomber began strafing his gun position during an attack by hostile planes, Sergeant Krieger, with other members of his crew, despite continuous strafing by the aircraft and antipersonnel bombs which were dropped on his position, refused to abandon his post and continued firing upon the attacking plane scoring hits which caused it to crash. Although he lost his life in the performance of this brave act, his courageous, fighting spirit prevented any damage to the defended area. The grim determination, unswerving devotion to duty and intrepidity displayed by Sergeant Krieger reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class STANLEY J JARDINE 33465964, 557th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Mobile) (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 18 April 1945. When an enemy dive bomber began strafing his gun position during an attack by hostile planes, Private First Class Jardine, with other members of his crew, despite continuous strafing by the aircraft and antipersonnel bombs which were dropped on his position, refused to abandon his post and continued firing upon the attacking plane scoring hits which caused it to crash. Although he lost his life in the performance of this brave act, his courageous, fighting spirit prevented any damage to the defended area. The grim determination, unswerving devotion to duty and intrepidity displayed by Private First Class Jardine reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

II. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

First Lieutenant THOMAS W GRAY 0377568, Field Artillery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy

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in Germany, 13 April 1945. When the rear of a motorized column in which he was riding was attacked by enemy armored vehicles, First Lieutenant Gray, after informing his battery commander of the situation, moved to the rear of the column to secure the safety of the personnel in that area. Though the vehicle in which he was riding was disabled by small arms fire, First Lieutenant Gray, without regard for his own safety, continued on foot until he discovered five of his men temporarily held down by enemy automatic weapons fire. Exposing himself to toxic withering fire and to an artillery barrage from hostile tanks, First Lieutenant Gray reconnoitered the area and, though suffering a slight wound, skillfully led his men to safety. The daring initiative, intrepidity and outstanding devotion to duty displayed by First Lieutenant Gray reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Virginia.

First Lieutenant ROBERT K HENDON O55C004, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. During the crossing of the Moser River, First Lieutenant Hendon coolly and efficiently directed the operation of engineer assault boats with tireless effort and courage under intense enemy artillery, antiaircraft and sniper fire. Constantly checking the movement of his men and infantry troops, he coordinated the crossings in a manner which resulted in minimum casualties and was a vital factor in the success of the entire operation. The intrepidity, skill and initiative displayed by First Lieutenant Hendon reflect high credit upon himself and the military forces of the United States. Entered military service from Alabama.

Staff Sergeant FRANK LESZEK 33407337, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Encountering a group of German soldiers as he was moving under heavy hostile fire to establish contact with two squads of his platoon, Staff Sergeant Leszek, singlehandedly, killed two of the enemy and forced the remainder to withdraw into an area held by supporting troops where they were immediately captured. He then located the two squads and relayed information enabling the delivery of accurate artillery fire on enemy positions without endangering the safety of friendly troops. The aggressive fighting spirit, cool courage and unswerving devotion to duty displayed by Staff Sergeant Leszek reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade WYOM E MACK 37098206, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 4 April 1945. During an assault by his company with infantry troops on a German city which resulted in numerous casualties, Technician Fifth Grade Mack, a medical aid man, with complete disregard for his safety under intense enemy mortar, machine gun and sniper fire, moved forward to administer aid to the wounded. Though wounded in the leg himself, he continued his mission of mercy and assisted in evacuating casualties to an aid station located approximately three miles distant over a route still under heavy mortar and sniper fire from bypassed enemy forces. He submitted to medical treatment himself only after all the wounded had received attention. The unswerving devotion to duty, cool courage and commendable conduct displayed by Technician Fifth Grade Mack reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from North Dakota.

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III. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Fifth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain STEWART S DEUBSCH O1102694, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 28 November 1944 to 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Captain ELMER L EDWARDS O1169497, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

First Lieutenant CHARLES A DAVIDSON O1046070, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

First Lieutenant BILLY C HINSON O1106918, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 April 1945. Entered military service from Tennessee.

First Lieutenant CHARLES E WILLSON O1308573, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 13 November 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered military service from Colorado.

Second Lieutenant BREWSTER J DUNLAP O3000519, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Second Lieutenant ROBERT A FREDRICKSON jr O1308460, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 February to 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Second Lieutenant WILLIAM S RAMOS O3055423, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Third Grade DOUGLAS B DIXON 33126073, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

Sergeant STENO DECKTER 33472968, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

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Sergeant VANCE L KIRBY 35103596, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany 9 - 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Technician Fourth Grade NORMAN BERCOON 39298419, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 20 March to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fourth Grade MARVIN L GALLICK sr 28194424, 84th Reconnaissance Troop Mechanized, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Corporal JOHN J ADICONIS 31255450, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 29 March 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Technician Fifth Grade VIRGIL E BAKER 38353453, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

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- I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- II - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- IV - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 6 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Second Lieutenant RICHARD S FLEMING 01019099, Infantry (Armored), 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. When Second Lieutenant Fleming, while leading a reconnaissance patrol into enemy territory to reconnoiter positions for his tank platoon, found a bridge over which he had planned to pass had been destroyed, he led his patrol across the river under enemy sniper fire. During this action, Second Lieutenant Fleming was killed. The cool courage, initiative and leadership displayed by Second Lieutenant Fleming were instrumental in gaining valuable knowledge pertaining to the destruction of enemy positions and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Second Lieutenant HARREL R NEEDHAM 01327268, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Despite point-blank enemy fire, Second Lieutenant Needham courageously led the first wave of his platoon across a bridge leading into a large German city and skillfully maneuvered his men into advantageous defensive positions. While performing this brave act, he was fatally wounded by hostile fire. The aggressive leadership, disdain for danger and exemplary conduct displayed by Second Lieutenant Needham were material factors in the success of the operation and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Kansas.

Private First Class RONALD R GRILL 13132598, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. When an enemy roadblock, covered by intense enemy small arms fire, temporarily delayed the advance of his company, Private First Class Grill helped maneuver his platoon to a more advantageous position, after which he volunteered to lead eight riflemen on a mission to neutralize enemy resistance on his unit's right flank. Disregarding his safety, Private First Class Grill and his patrol forced four of the enemy soldiers to withdraw and killed the remaining two, thereby clearing resistance defending the roadblock and allowing his company to continue its advance and carry out its mission. On 9 April 1945, Private First Class Grill died of wounds received in action. The cool courage, initiative and superior performance of duty displayed by Private First Class Grill reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

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II - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel WILLIAM J SUTTON 0263659, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Directing the advance of attacking echelons from one town to another, Lieutenant Colonel Sutton, exhibiting cool courage and complete disdain for his safety, kept the eastward advance of the regiment going at great speed. His clever strategy resourcefulness and ability made it possible to continue the attack at a rapid pace against various enemy obstacles. The leadership, initiative and daring action displayed by Lieutenant Colonel Sutton reflect high credit upon himself and the military service. Entered military service from Texas.

First Lieutenant WENDELL H BORDACK 0545495, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. During an attack upon a German town, the lead platoon of infantry which First Lieutenant Bordack was commanding in the advance along a road, was suddenly subjected to intense enemy small arms and automatic weapons fire on both flanks. Quickly grasping the situation, First Lieutenant Bordack organized the positions of his men and adjusted fire on the enemy. He then exposed himself to the withering fire and with complete disdain for his safety, moved from position to position to command the operation. The cool courage, daring action and superior leadership against overwhelming odds displayed by First Lieutenant Bordack enabled his men to hold their ground and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Second Lieutenant LEONARD L WILSEY 01996644, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. During the crossing of the Moser River, Second Lieutenant Wilsey coolly and efficiently directed the operation of engineer assault boats with tireless effort and courage under intense enemy artillery, antiaircraft and sniper fire. Constantly checking the movement of his men and infantry troops, he coordinated the crossings in a manner which resulted in minimum casualties and was a vital factor in the success of the entire operation. The intrepidity, skill and initiative displayed by Second Lieutenant Wilsey reflect high credit upon himself and the military forces of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class DERYCK A GERARD 37593362, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Leading his squad against entrenched enemy positions in an operation to clear an area of hostile resistance, Private First Class Gerard was largely responsible for the success of his company's killing or capturing all of the defenders except those who retreated to a large stone house. With complete disdain for danger Private First Class Gerard assaulted the house and was in the act of throwing a grenade when he was wounded. At this time his unit was ordered to move on to another mission, making it necessary for him to return to the company over exposed terrain under heavy enemy fire. The cool courage, initiative and superior performance of duty displayed by Private First Class Gerard reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Minnesota.

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Private ELMER A DAY 35237628, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When his unit was moving forward to reinforce another company temporarily checked by stubborn enemy resistance, one of the two tank destroyers supporting the company was hit by enemy rocket fire, seriously wounding the crew of five men. A litter vehicle was summoned, but was unable to reach the wounded men because of the enemy fire, whereupon Private Day and another soldier, disregarding their personal safety, made four hasty trips to successfully evacuate the injured. The daring action, superior performance of duty and cool courage under hazardous conditions reflect high credit upon Private Day and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

III - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

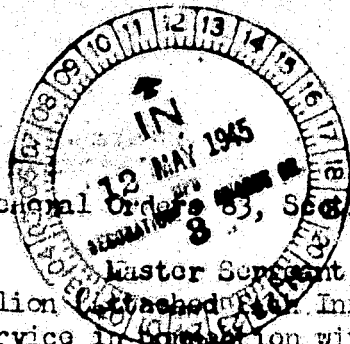
Sergeant CLARENCE L ELLERBUSCH 35044919, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. During a heavy enemy artillery barrage, when a number of men were wounded in the streets of a German town which his unit had occupied, Sergeant Ellerbusch, completely disregarding his welfare, left his position of comparative safety in a building to rescue the injured soldiers. In the performance of this unselfish act, Sergeant Ellerbusch lost his life when hit by hostile fire. The conspicuous courage, loyalty and exemplary conduct displayed by Sergeant Ellerbusch reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Indiana.

IV - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain GEORGE W EDWARDS 31922015, Coast Artillery Corps, 557th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Mobile), (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

First Lieutenant CHARLES F FRYSON 01169042, Field Artillery (TD), 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 19 November 1944 to 29 March 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Warrant Officer (junior grade) MICHAEL J DENOVAN 12120163, U.S.A., 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in England, France, Holland, Belgium and Germany, 26 August 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.



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Master Sergeant EVERETT VAN WINKLE 39298248, 230th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached to Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 December 1944 to 19 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technical Sergeant ROBERT F JONES 39547266, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technical Sergeant RICHARD W LIDDELL 39117461, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Private First Class AMOS T BELLEW 38383747, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

Private First Class CALVIN J LANG 36862199, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

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**ORIGINAL ORDER 2**

AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Major RALPH E LEWIS 0293185, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Mississippi.

Captain BURTON H LAIRD 0413857, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Oregon.

Captain CLIFFORD C MOORE 01169664, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 4 March 1945 and 5 - 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

First Lieutenant BEN LEVI jr 0446389, Field Artillery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

First Lieutenant HARVEY D McCLURE 01184406, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 13 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

First Lieutenant WILFRED A SCHMIDT 01312231, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Second Lieutenant EDWARD F DEKSTRA 01322533, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Second Lieutenant ELMER P GLEBERGNER 01181609, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

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Master Sergeant ROBERT AGIN 32063738, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 17 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Technical Sergeant ORVILLE G BARR 35204562, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from West Virginia.

Technical Sergeant JAMES D CAMPBELL jr 38079160, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 15 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Staff Sergeant DANTE N CAMPBELL 13156637, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant CARL H ROESER 32132811, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 14 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Sergeant JACK E BROBST 33464930, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Sergeant MORRIS H DAVIS 38277106, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Sergeant WILLIE C DE FRIES 38277329, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Technician Fourth Grade JOE M GAMMA 39116837, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fourth Grade CLINTON J LAFLEUR 38266065, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Technician Fourth Grade ARCHIE E MOODY 35110604, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

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Technician Fourth Grade BILLIE J. NEWSOME 33286763, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Technician Fourth Grade JOSEPH C. WINGATE 38265980, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Corporal LAVERNE HINCKLE 16076395, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Corporal ROBERT L. WARD 37108453, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

Technician Fifth Grade ROBERT A. SCHAFFT 38423704, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Technician Fifth Grade ROBERT ERISLIN 32981413, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade LESTER DUGGAN 39904621, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 - 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Idaho.

Technician Fifth Grade CHARLES H. GRIM 33484376, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade JESSE J. SCHRAACK 39401759, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class DELMAR P. BROWN 37639947, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

Private First Class ROBERT M. DICK 39003171, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

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Private First Class PATROCINIO DOMINGUEZ 39853894, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Arizona.

Private First Class MERLIN C GALBRAITH 39459961, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Washington.

Private First Class DONALD J KOEPP 16048612, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Private First Class HARRY L MOREY 35536798, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Private First Class HERBERT I ONLANDT 32206812, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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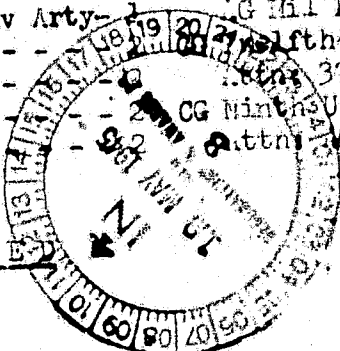
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Surg, Sp Trps	1	CO 327th FA Bn	-	Attn: A&D Br, AG-M	-

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Private First Class PATROCINLO DOMINGUEZ 39853894, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Arizona.

Private First Class MELVIN C GALBRAITH 39459961, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Washington.

Private First Class DONALD J KOEPP 15088612, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Private First Class HARRY L MOREY 35536798, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Private First Class HERBERT I OHLANDT 32206812, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

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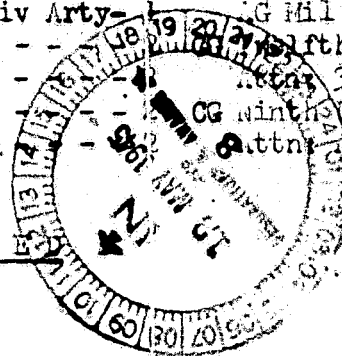
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CO 84th Reinf Cen - - - - 1	CO 326th FA Bn - - - - - 1	CG 37th AFU - - - -
CO Sp Trps - - - - - - 1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - - 1	CG Ninth U. S. Army,
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**ORIGINAL ORDER -**

- I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- II. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- III. AWARDS OF AIR MEDAL

I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

First Lieutenant JAMES V. MORGIA 3547350, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Belgium, 24 January 1945. During an attack on a Belgian town, First Lieutenant Morgia personally led his company through direct fire from hostile machine guns and tanks. When his unit had secured positions following this attack, the enemy made a counter thrust in a force outnumbering the men of his unit. Despite the odds, First Lieutenant Morgia led his men in successfully repelling the attack though it was necessary for him to call for artillery upon his own position to force the withdrawal of enemy tanks. The disdain for danger, cool courage and superior leadership displayed by First Lieutenant Morgia contributed largely to the success of the operation and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Private First Class THOMAS P. BYRNE 33807972, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. While riding along a German highway, Private First Class Byrne and an officer were suddenly subjected to enemy sniper fire. Observing a wounded man exposed to the fire, Private First Class Byrne removed his vehicle to a place of shelter and returned with the officer to administer medical aid. While approaching the injured man the officer was also wounded. Private First Class Byrne carried his officer to the vehicle, returning for the other wounded man, and evacuated both casualties to a medical aid station. The daring action, initiative, and superior performance of duty displayed by Private First Class Byrne reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class WILLIAM C. MAGEL 42056925, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. While bringing an assault boat from the enemy-held shore during a river crossing, Private First Class Nagel was subjected to intense fire, forcing him to the bottom of the boat, in which position he was carried to the enemy's shore by a strong wind. Refusing to surrender he returned the fire and, attempting to escape, dashed onto a demolished bridge where he remained for five hours when approaching enemy soldiers forced him to jump into the water. He was captured when his exhausted condition forced him to swim to the German side of the river. Cleverly persuading the German commander to surrender his men, Private First Class Nagel returned to friendly lines with two enemy soldiers and gave directions to military policemen who obtained the capture of the officer and twenty-two German soldiers. The ingenuity, courage and determined spirit displayed by Private First

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Class Nagel reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

II. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the Provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

X Captain RAYMOND W JURICICH 01292893, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 3 January to 15 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

X Captain JOHN S NEARY 01169670, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 4 March 1945 and 5 - 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

X First Lieutenant EDMUND V ANDERSON jr 01167722, Field Artillery, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 20 March to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

First Lieutenant RICHARD W MULLEN 0446887, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

X First Lieutenant CHARLES S PEMBERTON 01320173, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Tennessee.

X First Lieutenant MIKE THOMPSON 01013661, Cavalry, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 22 December 1944 to 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

Second Lieutenant EDWIN C FENION 0353631, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 - 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Florida.

Second Lieutenant JOHN SILVERSTEIN 0547310, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Alabama.

Staff Sergeant LEO R PEDROZA 39115225, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

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Sergeant WILLIAM J COLLINS 31006392, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Technician Fourth Grade NORMAN W JENSEN 39332383, 260th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Oregon.

Corporal ROBERT M RIPPY 36330514, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Technician Fifth Grade MURL I BRADY 59689340, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fifth Grade WILLIAM E CAMPBELL 32894869, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade ROBERT S HARTICK 35044727, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Private First Class SIMPSON BAIRD 34725363, 334th Inf ntry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Tennessee.

Private First Class THOMAS R DAVENPORT 38632144, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class HERBERT GUNK 33777671, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class TOMY S GENTLE 37685116, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Iowa.

Private First Class HENRY H GREENE sr 44005666, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Florida.

Private First Class EDWARD C SHEDD 33404569, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

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Private First Class CLAYTON C SHONKA 37587652, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

Private First Class JACOB STIEGLITZ 32652145, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

III. AWARDS OF AIR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded to:

Second Lieutenant LESTER H BERTY 0181065, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 10 March to 15 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Second Lieutenant STANIS D WILLIAMS 0462626, Field Artillery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 9 March to 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Florida.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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CG 84th Div Arty - - - - - 2	CO 84th Recon Trp Macz - - - 1	CO 638th TD Bn - - - - - 2
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- I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL  
II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

**I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to:

Second Lieutenant **WALTER F. MESCALL** 02600168, Field Artillery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. During an attack by an infantry company on an important road junction, Second Lieutenant Mescall, a forward observer, boldly made his way on foot under small arms fire a distance of two miles to a building where, despite intense enemy machine gun fire which made it necessary for him to operate in a prone position, he adjusted mortar fire on hostile tanks enabling infantry troops to deploy and successfully drive the defenders from the area. The aggressive spirit, conspicuous courage and devotion to duty displayed by Second Lieutenant Mescall reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant **WILLIAM L. KELLOGG** 20533745, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Belgium, 22 January 1945. When his company had sustained numerous casualties, including two medical aid men, during an attack, Staff Sergeant Kellogg, a communication sergeant, removed the aid kits from one of the wounded men and, despite constant direct fire from enemy tanks, machine guns and snipers, courageously administered medical aid to the injured men until his supplies were exhausted. He then made his way to a medical aid station where he obtained additional supplies and, organizing litter bearer parties, efficiently directed the evacuation of the casualties. The unselfishness, cool courage and loyalty displayed by Staff Sergeant Kellogg undoubtedly resulted in saving the lives of numerous wounded men and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Indiana.

Staff Sergeant **SIDNEY LEVIN** 37605135, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 23 February 1945. Encountering several German riflemen who demanded his surrender as he was warning his squad of a fierce enemy counterattack, Staff Sergeant Levin successfully repulsed the hostile soldiers in a bitter hand-to-hand fight. He then covered the men of his squad as they moved to new positions and when the enemy artillery barrage ceased, he quickly reorganized his unit and led it in an attack which completely routed the hostile force in his sector. The fighting spirit, cool courage and soldierly qualities displayed by Staff Sergeant Levin reflect high credit upon himself and the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Missouri.

Sergeant **THOMAS P. McTIGHE** 33609702, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When his unit

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was moving forward to reinforce another company temporarily checked by stubborn enemy resistance, one of the two tank destroyers supporting the company was hit by enemy rocket fire, seriously wounding the crew of five men. A litter jeep was summoned, but was unable to reach the wounded men because of the enemy fire, whereupon Sergeant McTighe and another soldier, disregarding their personal safety, made four hasty trips to successfully evacuate the injured. The daring action, superior performance of duty and cool courage under hazardous conditions reflect high credit upon Sergeant McTighe and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fourth Grade RALPH W WHITE 35742999, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. When artillery inflicted numerous casualties upon the unit with which he was serving as a medical aid man during an attack upon a German town, Technician Fourth Grade White, disregarding his own safety, treated several of the wounded and evacuated them to a truck which had been converted temporarily into an ambulance. He then continued to care for his respective wounded after joining another medical aid man who was treating a number of other casualties, until they arrived in a German town where they placed the injured on a battalion aid train. The cool courage, initiative and superior performance of duty displayed by Technician Fourth Grade White reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from West Virginia.

Private First Class PETER DEPRETER 42140639, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Belgium, 26 December 1944. During a strong German counterattack, Private First Class Depreter, undaunted by the fact that the building from which he was firing his rocket launcher was subjected to direct enemy fire, continued to fire his rocket launcher at passing enemy vehicles causing them to change their route and affording his unit time to reorganize. The unswerving devotion to duty, determined spirit and cool courage displayed by Private First Class Depreter present an excellent example of those soldierly qualities which are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class WILLIAM C FLETCHER 47083805, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. After his squad leader had been wounded by an enemy rifleman during an attack against entrenched enemy positions defending a vital highway, Private First Class Fletcher killed the rifleman, and assuming command of the squad, moved boldly forward across open terrain directing the action of his men so early through the remainder of the battle that the mission was accomplished without another casualty. The outstanding leadership, courage and initiative displayed by Private First Class Fletcher reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class WILLIAM J FUGERE, 16157649, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 3 March 1945. During an enemy counterattack which followed an intense artillery barrage, Private First Class Fugere boldly took a position beside a tank and, disdaining the attempts to dislodge him by withering fire, delivered devastating automatic rifle fire on the hostile troops which broke their ranks and forced them to withdraw.

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The conspicuous courage, determined fighting spirit and loyalty displayed by Private First Class Fugere reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Michigan.

Private First Class EMIL J KLEIN 33671784, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. When the leading element of his battalion was separated from the column by heavy fire from enemy self-propelled guns during an advance, Private First Class Klein, completely disregarding his safety, moved through the intense hostile fire under observation and established contact between the two elements of the battalion. En route he assisted in administering medical aid and evacuating wounded men and then led the unit over an alternate route to its objective rejoining the leading element. The initiative, courage and soldierly qualities displayed by Private First Class Klein reflect high credit upon himself and the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

II. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 13 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain JAMES R DAQUE 01292341, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Captain JOSEPH D CLOUTSSY 01169464, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 4 March 1945 and 5 - 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Captain CARL REID jr 0465388, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

First Lieutenant GEORGE PAPADYOS 01307454, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 20 November 1944 to 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Second Lieutenant HARRY R MAYS 0928606, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from South Carolina.

Second Lieutenant EARLE C QUINBY jr 0555762, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 February to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from New Hampshire.

Master Sergeant ERIC P TARNE 3927701, Interrogation of Prisoner of War Team Number 111 (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For

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meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 12 November 1944 to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant HUBERT A CALLOWAY 6969716, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 2 - 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Alabama.

Corporal MARK A BERTHY 3966007, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 2 - 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Washington.

Corporal FRANK M BOTTINI 39030389, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fifth Grade EUGENE V ALLEN 26757055, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Technician Fifth Grade JAMES O CARNES 34195091, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

Private First Class JOHN J FLOOD jr 42177079, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class CHARLES R GENTRY 38609394, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class TROY L POPE 38571793, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Private First Class CHARLIE C RUSSELL 33047889, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

Private First Class MARCOS L SILLER 39113225, 658th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 1 December 1944 to 16 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

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- I - AWARD OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE
- II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARD OF AIR MEDAL
- IV - AWARDS OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL

I - AWARD OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE: Under the provisions of Section I, War Department Circular 345, 23 August 1944, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to:

Service Battery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks, 21 December 1944 to 5 March 1945. During this period, the members of this unit, maintaining a high standard of discipline and displaying loyalty, initiative and tireless effort, performed their multiple duties under the hazards of combat conditions and adverse weather in a manner which contributed materially to the success of military operations against the enemy. The unwavering devotion to duty and commendable conduct of the members of the Service Battery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, reflect high credit upon the unit and the armed forces of the United States.

II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain ANDREW MIDWAY O1106311, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

First Lieutenant GLENN N DODGE O1310079, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 14 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

First Lieutenant JOHN W FALLON O1292856, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 20 November 1944 to 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

First Lieutenant CLIFFORD G GIPSON O1299729, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 19 November 1944 to 17 April 1945. Entered military service from New Mexico.

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First Lieutenant GILBERT L OGDEN 01169677, Field Artillery, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 15 February to 19 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Warrant Officer (junior grade) VICTOR P BOWLES W2126858, U.S.A., 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 2 February to 19 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

First Sergeant PAUL Z LONG 6903407, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Technical Sergeant JOHN D MULLINAX 34582872, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Alabama.

Staff Sergeant ARTHUR F BLINCO 35592496, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 5 March 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Staff Sergeant JOHN R McCONNELL 36311347, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Staff Sergeant JOHN M SHULTZ jr 6991714, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Staff Sergeant HAROLD C WARREN 38287006, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 17 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Staff Sergeant LLOYD A WORLEY 39582335, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Third Grade RUSSELL L WILSON 31061639, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Sergeant JULLAN B PALMER 34966556, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from South Carolina.

Sergeant JOSEPH P VITERRA 39033452, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

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Sergeant HARRY WOLFE 33450377, Medical Detachment, Special Troops, 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from District of Columbia.

Technician Fourth Grade HAROLD C WEBSTER 12103044, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Corporal JAMES B SMITH 38339165, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

Corporal CARL R STORMENT 38355973, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Corporal ROBERT S TAYLOR 38301719, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 28 February to 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Technician Fifth Grade DAYNE F LINN 35252959, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Technician Fifth Grade FRANK W NELSON 39614883 (then Private First Class), 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Montana.

Technician Fifth Grade JAMES C REID 34516063 (then Private First Class), 84th Reconnaissance Troop Mechanized, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from South Carolina.

24 11/14/45 Technician Fifth Grade GEORGE H STAHL 39291961, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fifth Grade JAMES E WOOD 13121664, 84th Reconnaissance Troop Mechanized, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

Private First Class FRED C LOSEE 6555281 (then Private), 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Oregon.



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Private First Class ROBERT R LUNDSTROM 37773778 (then Private), 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

Private First Class RODDIE J MURAD 32663351, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class FLOYD W MORRIS 35842147, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Private First Class CLYDE O PATTERSON 20444190, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

III - AWARD OF AIR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded to:

Corporal DONALD V RIPPER 33422449, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 12 March to 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

IV - AWARDS OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to:

Technician Fifth Grade W A SPEARS 39115375, Medical Detachment, Special Troops, 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For heroism in Germany, 8 April 1945. When a kitchen immersion heater exploded, setting fire to the clothes of an enlisted man and he dashed from the kitchen in a blaze of fire, Technician Fifth Grade Spears, serving as a medical aid man, quickly obtained a blanket, overtook the frightened enlisted man, and wrapped the blanket about him to put out the fire. The quick action, initiative and alertness displayed by Technician Fifth Grade Spears undoubtedly saved the enlisted man from severe burns and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from California.

Private LLOYD L EGGLESTON 33632119, 557th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Mobile) (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroism in Germany, 10 April 1945. When several rounds of artillery ammunition exploded prematurely and seriously wounded three members of his gun section, Private Eggleston, despite the threat of additional explosions, quickly and calmly removed the remaining ammunition from the automatic loader and thereby prevented further injury to his wounded comrades and to valuable government equipment. The initiative, courage and unswerving devotion to duty displayed by Private Eggleston reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Virginia.

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CG Sp Trps - - - - -	1	CG 909th FA Bn - - - - -	2	Attn: 37th MRU - - -	1
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I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)  
II. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Second Lieutenant KING J DEANE O1326387, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When his company, making a frontal attack on a German town, encountered intense enemy fire, Second Lieutenant Deane voluntarily advancing into the heavy hostile fire, delivered effective fire which warned his platoon of German positions and enabled rear elements of his unit to move to improved positions. Later, while withdrawing from his forward position, Second Lieutenant Deane was mortally wounded. The aggressive spirit, leadership and conspicuous courage displayed by Second Lieutenant Deane were material factors in the successful completion of his company mission and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Virginia.

Corporal ALBERT C SOLOMITO 33619969, 557th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Mobile) (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 18 April 1945. When an enemy dive bomber began strafing his gun position during an attack by hostile planes, Corporal Solomito, with other members of his crew, despite continuous strafing by the aircraft and antipersonnel bombs which were dropped on his position refused to abandon his post and continued firing upon the attacking plane scoring hits which caused it to crash. Although he lost his life in the performance of this brave act, his courageous, fighting spirit prevented any damage to the defended area. The grim determination, unswerving devotion to duty and intrepidity displayed by Corporal Solomito reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade ALBERT R KLINGERMAN jr 35176060, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. When his tank destroyer commander was wounded by rocket fire while directing the movements of the vehicle by periscope, Technician Fifth Grade Klingerman, serving as driver, with complete disregard for his safety, opened the hatch and continued to drive forward in the face of the hostile fire. As he brought his destroyer into position to fire upon two enemy antitank guns, an enemy rocket hit directly in front of the vehicle, killing Technician Fifth Grade Klingerman instantly. The daring action, cool courage and superior performance of duty displayed by Technician Fifth Grade Klingerman aided materially in the reduction of the hostile resistance and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Indiana.

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Private First Class LLOYD C COPELAND 36907993, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. During the establishment of a bridgehead over the Weser River, Private First Class Copeland, together with another advance scout, came suddenly upon enemy positions at the crest of a hill. In the ensuing exchange of fire, Private First Class Copeland killed an enemy sentry and forced other enemy soldiers to disclose their positions. Fighting doggedly against the aroused enemy, Private First Class Copeland killed two additional Germans before he was fatally wounded by a burst of machine gun fire. The aggressive action, initiative and remarkable courage displayed by Private First Class Copeland saved his unit from an enemy trap and reflect the highest credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

Private THOMAS S RATKELIS 33590524, 557th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Mobile) (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 18 April 1945. When an enemy dive bomber began strafing his gun position during an attack by hostile planes, Private Ratkelis, with other members of his crew, despite continuous strafing by the aircraft and antipersonnel bombs which were dropped on his position, refused to abandon his post and continued firing upon the attacking plane scoring hits which caused it to crash. Although he lost his life in the performance of this brave act, his courageous fighting spirit prevented any damage to the defended area. The grim determination, unswerving devotion to duty and intrepidity displayed by Private Ratkelis reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

II. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain CECIL R SEARCY 0328670, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Captain VINCENT J SMITHICK 01549846, Ordnance Department, 784th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 1 January to 25 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Chaplain (Captain) NELSON WARNER 0486883, U.S.A., 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 9 November 1944 to 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Kansas.

Second Lieutenant ALEXANDER C SCORDELIS 0555772, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 - 16 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

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First Sergeant JOHN J EGIN 32344733, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant WILSON SMITH jr 39689189, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 20 December 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant JAMES P TUPHO 32022681, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 22 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant WILLIAMSON H WARD 37571155, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 5 January to 15 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

Technician Third Grade CLYDE W BAEBER 34016373, 784th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 15 January to 25 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

Sergeant WALTER G EVANS 39547417, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 24 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Sergeant PAUL H McDANIEL 39904587, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Idaho.

Sergeant HAROLD D OSBORNE 34328895, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Tennessee.

Sergeant JOHN K SUMMERVILLE 15304223 (then Corporal), 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 12 November 1944 to 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Technician Fourth Grade THOMAS P BENNETT 39271385, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 19 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fourth Grade BRUCE CAUDILL 35127015, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

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Technician Fourth Grade OTTO L KUNKEL 35044814, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Technician Fourth Grade CARROL J PHILLIPS 39547371, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fifth Grade JACK E GAMBLE 34505362, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Tennessee.

Technician Fifth Grade LEO J HEBITZ 37160416, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

Technician Fifth Grade OSCAR E LASSITER 38353154, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

Technician Fifth Grade JULIAN A LEE 39547888, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class JOHN F CAVLEY 33465960, 557th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Mobile) (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class WALTER N EISEL 35872139, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 February 1945 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class HUBERT N GATES 42113208, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class ALFREDO A CONZALES 39585572, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class JOSEPH T RYMANSZKA 34146789, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

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ORIGINAL SERIES -

I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)  
II. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL

I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Staff Sergeant ALFRED FAUSAK 42107664, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Belgium, 26 December 1944. During a fierce German counterattack supported by tanks, Staff Sergeant Fausak, disregarding his safety, placed himself in a position exposed to intense enemy artillery, tank and machine gun fire to transmit accurate fire data resulting in the delivery of artillery fire which destroyed numerous armored vehicles and caused the withdrawal of the enemy force. In the performance of this heroic act, Staff Sergeant Fausak lost his life. The disdain for danger, determined spirit and aggressiveness displayed by Staff Sergeant Fausak present an excellent example of those soldierly qualities which are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Staff Sergeant RALPH C REDDING 36978805, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When his company, making a frontal attack on a German town, encountered intense enemy fire, Staff Sergeant Redding, completely disregarding his safety, moved forward in advance of his men and delivered fire on the enemy which relieved pressure on the company and enabled his platoon to move to new positions without further casualties. In the performance of this brave act, he was mortally wounded. The aggressive fighting spirit, conspicuous courage and exemplary action displayed by Staff Sergeant Redding present an excellent example of those soldierly qualities which are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

Staff Sergeant RICHARD F WALTON 36640665, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. During an attack upon a German town, Staff Sergeant Walton, with another enlisted man, was assigned the mission of capturing a bridge guarded by two enemy tanks. Disregarding the danger about them, Staff Sergeant Walton and the other soldier crawled to a position within 50 yards of the hostile armored vehicles. A sudden burst of fire from the tanks instantly killed Staff Sergeant Walton and the other man. This daring action, cool courage and superior performance of duty displayed by Staff Sergeant Walton inspired other members of his unit to close on the bridge, force the hostile tanks to retreat and capture the bridge intact, and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

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Private First Class EDWARD W KESELING 33067435, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. During an attack upon a German town, Private First Class Keseling, with another enlisted man, was assigned the mission of capturing a bridge guarded by two enemy tanks. Disregarding the danger about them, Private First Class Keseling and the other soldier crawled to a position within 50 yards of the hostile armored vehicles. A sudden burst of fire from the tanks instantly killed Private First Class Keseling and the other man. This daring action, cool courage and superior performance of duty displayed by Private First Class Keseling inspired other members of his unit to close on the bridge, force the hostile tanks to retreat and capture the bridge intact, and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Maryland.

Private First Class WILLIAM M POND 39474375, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. During the establishment of a bridgehead over the Weser River, Private First Class Pond, together with another advance scout, came suddenly upon enemy positions at the crest of a hill. In the ensuing exchange of fire, Private First Class Pond killed an enemy sentry and forced other enemy soldiers to disclose their positions. Fighting doggedly against the aroused enemy, Private First Class Pond killed two additional Germans before he was fatally wounded by a burst of machine gun fire. The aggressive action, initiative and remarkable courage displayed by Private First Class Pond saved his unit from an enemy trap and reflect the highest credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Washington.

Private First Class JOHN G WARGO 31278694, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Despite a warning that an enemy sniper had direct fire on the location of a wounded soldier Private First Class Wargo, a medical aid man, unhesitatingly moved forward to the aid of the soldier. In the performance of this courageous act, he lost his life when hit by fire from the sniper's automatic weapon. The unswerving devotion to duty, disdain for danger and exemplary action displayed by Private First Class Warg reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Private First Class DUKE D WILSON 44030521, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When the advance of his platoon was temporarily delayed by withering cross fire from two enemy machine guns, Private First Class Wilson, an automatic rifleman, with complete disregard for his safety, moved to an exposed position affording him observation and silenced the two hostile positions with deadly fire thereby enabling his platoon to continue its advance. Private First Class Wilson later lost his life when hit by fire from an enemy sniper as he was voluntarily attempting to establish contact between two groups of his company which had become separated in a heavily wooded area. The unswerving devotion to duty, conspicuous courage and aggressive spirit displayed by Private First Class Wilson reflect high credit upon himself and the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Alabama.

II. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDALS: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

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Captain ROY H OESTREICH 01298278, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Leading his company on a mission near a German town to secure bridges for crossing a canal by his regiment's combat team the following morning, Captain Oestreich passed undetected through enemy lines and, taking the defending force completely by surprise, captured two bridges intact and secured the immediate area on the far side of the canal. The tactical skill, leadership and daring action displayed by Captain Oestreich enabled his regiment with armored support to cross the stream on schedule and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from North Carolina.

Captain FRANCIS K PRICE 01292755, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. During an attack by his battalion on a large German city, Captain Price personally guided the unit to the line of departure through an area containing strong enemy forces, surprising and capturing sixty Germans without a shot being fired. Later, moving forward under heavy fire from enemy tanks to inspect a river bridge, he led a platoon to cover when it had become disorganized by the tank fire and established a road block which denied the use of the bridge to the hostile force. The aggressive leadership, disdain for danger and tactical skill displayed by Captain Price reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

First Lieutenant DEAN A GANTENBEIN 01322541, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Leading his company in an attack on a large German city, First Lieutenant Gantenbein directed the capture of forty-seven Germans as he approached the outskirts of the city. When heavy enemy rocket launcher, machine gun and small arms fire was encountered after a portion of his unit had crossed a bridge, he moved forward, with complete disregard for his safety under the continual fire, and reorganized his positions preventing an attempt to cut his company in two. Personally destroying a machine gun position, he then continued to lead his men forward despite wounds which he had received, and directed an attack which resulted in killing twenty-seven Germans and forcing the remainder to withdraw. The superior leadership, personal courage and aggressive fighting spirit displayed by First Lieutenant Gantenbein reflect high credit upon himself and the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Colorado.

First Lieutenant JAMES W GOODWIN 0529833 (then Second Lieutenant), Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. During an attack upon a German town while he was serving with an infantry company as forward observer, First Lieutenant Goodwin advanced with the leading rifle squads through the outer enemy defenses until the growing intensity of hostile fire temporarily delayed the assault. Disdaining the danger about him, First Lieutenant Goodwin voluntarily set out alone to select an observation post, chose one and led his forward observer party to the position, thereafter directing effective and accurate artillery upon the hostile installations to allow the infantry to continue its advance. The cool courage, initiative and exemplary action displayed by First Lieutenant Goodwin reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

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First Lieutenant EDGAR R PASCASIO 01823636, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. When his unit attacked a heavily fortified German town in a night operation, First Lieutenant Pascasio volunteered to lead a reconnaissance patrol ahead of the main assault. Riding in trucks, his reconnaissance party moved through the town which was the battalion objective, reaching high ground beyond. When the party entered the town, noticing several heavy guns covering the battalion route of approach, First Lieutenant Pascasio led his men against the positions, from them guarded by only two enemy soldiers, and quickly captured the installations. The initiative, courage, and leadership displayed by First Lieutenant Pascasio reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Second Lieutenant DANIEL T KUBASAK 01328155, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Crawling under direct enemy machine gun fire to a point within fifteen yards of hostile positions which were placing intense rocket launcher, machine gun and small arms fire on his attacking company, Second Lieutenant Kubasak courageously directed mortar fire on enemy points so close to his own position that he was wounded by fragments from the mortar shells. As a result of his brave action, 27 Germans were killed and the remainder forced to withdraw enabling the company to accomplish its mission. The dauntless daring, loyalty and aggressive spirit displayed by Second Lieutenant Kubasak reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Technical Sergeant LAYTON W SMITH 36957254, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. When his platoon leader was wounded during an attack by his company to secure a bridge crossing a canal, Technical Sergeant Smith assumed command, reorganized his men and led them through heavy enemy fire toward the objective. Observing hostile troops attempting to destroy the bridge as he neared the structure, he quickly placed his machine gun in position and delivered withering fire on the Germans. As a result of this action, the bridge remained intact enabling the company to cross safely and continue its advance. The leadership, aggressive spirit and cool courage displayed by Technical Sergeant Smith reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Michigan.

Private First Class HARVEY G HOLLOWAY 37342073, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. When the security of a newly established bridgehead was threatened by an enemy machine gun emplacement approximately fifty yards distant, Private First Class Holloway and his squad leader moved into a position from which he delivered rifle fire on the enemy's position, killing the gunner with his assistant and wounding three ammunition bearers. He then voluntarily accompanied his squad leader to the position and, although exposed to direct enemy observation and intense small arms fire, captured the three wounded Germans, the machine gun and twenty-five enemy soldiers in positions about the emplacement. The aggressive fighting spirit, cool courage and initiative displayed by Private First Class Holloway reflect high credit upon himself and the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Colorado.

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I. AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL  
II. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I. AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under provision of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to

Staff Sergeant GINO C PUGGINI 36976833, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Belgium, 20 January 1945. During a strong German counterattack when it became important to contact elements of a division to establish the general line of defense through the Ardennes Forest Staff Sergeant Puggini led a patrol through deep snow and thick woods often passing undetected through enemy pockets. When hostile patrols were encountered, he directed his men and led them in swift attacks on the enemy. Fired upon by a numerically superior force while returning after the successful completion of his mission, engaged the enemy in hand-to-hand combat, killing one German and forcing the remainder to surrender. The initiative, cool courage and leadership displayed by Staff Sergeant Puggini reflect high credit upon himself and the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Michigan.

II. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under provision of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to

Major HENRY F BACON 0324414, Field Artillery, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, February to 25 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Chaplain (Captain) NILUS F McANDREW 0516124, U.S. Army, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division Artillery, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 December 1944 to 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

First Lieutenant CHARLES W ROUGEUX 0375206, Coast Artillery Corps, Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Mobile) (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 28 March to 24 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

First Lieutenant VICTOR A SPERT 01182008, Field Artillery, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 2 - 19 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

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Second Lieutenant CLIFTON LEWIS 01175490, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 - 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Technical Sergeant WALTER BALON jr 33457269, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant PHILLIP L HEM 39576054, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant JAMES I SMITH 34516627, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 1 December 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered military service from South Carolina.

Sergeant KENNETH R BOYLE 39547390, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 15 November 1944 to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Montana.

Sergeant LEROY W GREENWELL 39904259, Military Police Platoon, 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 February to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Utah.

Sergeant JOHN W DeHART 36975126, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Sergeant BARNET L NEAL 14010865, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Mississippi.

Sergeant JAMES K REYNOLDS 34676852, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

Corporal GORDON C MOORCROFT 31345550, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Corporal JAMES N STERNER 33029499, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade RALPH J GSSERT 13157402, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

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Technician Fifth Grade JOHN W GROMER 17089131, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Colorado.

Technician Fifth Grade IRVIN PHILLIPS 38304233, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Technician Fifth Grade LORELL A SHAW 38419122, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class HOLGER G ANDERSON 37178140, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 19 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

Private First Class HAROLD K BARNES 37123153, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Nebraska.

Private First Class JAMES E BLAKE 36617891, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

Private First Class ANTHONY J CARFANG 38924993, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class JAMES M CHENOWETH 15313147, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Private First Class GEORGE J CLARK 33815084, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class LESTER W CLARK 13170943, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania. 5/24

Private First Class STEFERINO CORDOBA 38358990, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class JOHN W COYLE 52080607, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

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Private First Class EDGAR J. COSSETT 38368280, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class RICHARD E. H. PSH 35774400, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Private First Class WILLIAM F. FIENKOS 31169727, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Private First Class VENNON P. FRUETT 38634118, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class JAMES C. QUILLS 33823105, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

Private First Class PAUL A. RAUP 42083807, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class STUART de P. ROBINSON 53881973, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class EDWARD SCHUSTER 39270998, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class BIVAN T. SILBERTON 35809300, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

Private First Class SIMFORD TUSHMAN 35916859, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Private First Class DONALD I. W. TEBURY 39298097, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 25 February to 24 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private EDGAR L. STANLAKER 35440948, 84th Reconnaissance Troop Mechanized, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from West Virginia.

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28 April 1945

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- I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL  
II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)  
III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star medal is awarded to:

Second Lieutenant ARLE DOBBS 02010973, Infantry (Armored), 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. When the attack on a German town by tank and infantry units was temporarily halted by fierce resistance from entrenched enemy positions, Second Lieutenant Dobbs, whose platoon was protecting the left flank of the attacking unit, made a careful reconnaissance of hostile positions and routes of entrance into the town. He then launched a bold attack with his platoon which completely disorganized the enemy and enabled the main attack force to enter the town with minimum casualties. The superior leadership, cool courage and aggressive spirit displayed by Second Lieutenant Dobbs reflect high credit upon himself and the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Kentucky.

Private First Class JOHN McMANUS 11133363, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. When the forward elements of his unit unknowingly by-passed a large enemy force during a night movement near a German town, Private First Class McManus, disregarding serious wounds which he received en route and withering hostile fire, established contact with the forward echelons thereby avoiding possible encirclement. The determined spirit, unswerving devotion to duty and cool courage displayed by Private First Class McManus prevented the enemy from splitting the attacking forces and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Sergeant EDWARD C. MADLUNG 35044716, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. During a heavy enemy artillery barrage, when a number of men were wounded in the streets of a German town which his unit had occupied, Sergeant Madlung, completely disregarding his welfare, left his position of comparative safety in a building to rescue the injured soldiers. In the performance of this unselfish act, Sergeant Madlung lost his life when hit by hostile fire. The conspicuous courage, loyalty

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and exemplary conduct displayed by Sergeant Madlung reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Indiana.

Private THOMAS K MOURIN 42098437, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. While serving as a radio operator during an attack by his company over open and flat terrain, affording the enemy excellent observation, Private Mourin's platoon encountered heavy enemy tank, machine gun, mortar and grenade fire. In complete disregard for his own safety, Private Mourin, with another radio operator, faced withering enemy fire to maintain communication between his platoon and his company. During the attack, Private Mourin was mortally wounded in his efforts to maintain much needed communications. The courage, initiative and disdain for danger exhibited by Private Mourin were a source of inspiration to his fellow soldiers and are in accordance with the highest traditions of the United States Army. Entered military service from New York.

Private HARRY W NEAL jr 36913076, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When his company, making a frontal attack on a German town across open terrain, encountered intense enemy fire, Private Neal, courageously standing his ground, delivered effective fire on hostile positions which aided in relieving pressure on the remainder of the company and enabled it to complete its mission. In the heavy fighting which followed Private Neal was mortally wounded. The disdain for danger, determined fighting spirit and exemplary action displayed by Private Neal present an excellent example of those soldierly qualities which are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

Private EDWARD V SCHWARZ 42176304, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. After crossing the Weser River, where his unit was subjected to heavy enemy automatic weapons fire, Private Schwarz, an automatic rifleman in the unit, advanced ahead of the scouts and fired upon the hostile positions, completely disregarding his own personal safety. This quick action inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy and forced their withdrawal, enabling his unit to continue its advance. During subsequent action later in the day, Private Schwarz was killed by enemy sniper fire. The cool courage, initiative and superior performance of duty displayed by Private Schwarz contributed extensively to the success of military operations and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

Private ROBERT M STOUTENGER 42098405, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When his company, making a frontal attack on a German town across open terrain, encountered intense enemy fire, Private Stoutenger, courageously standing his ground delivered effective fire on hostile positions which aided in relieving pressure on the remainder of the company and enabled it to complete its mission. In the heavy fighting which followed Private Stoutenger was mortally wounded. The disdain for danger, determined fighting spirit and exemplary action displayed by Private Stoutenger present an excellent example of those soldierly

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qualities which are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Technical Sergeant WAYNE R KAGLE 13009368, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant MELVIN J KERSEY 33062944, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Staff Sergeant FRANK C MANGOLD 36512446, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Staff Sergeant JOHN D PIOTROWSKI 33404530, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant ALDEN M POWELL 39547754, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Iowa.

Technician Third Grade JOHN A QUINN 35573496, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

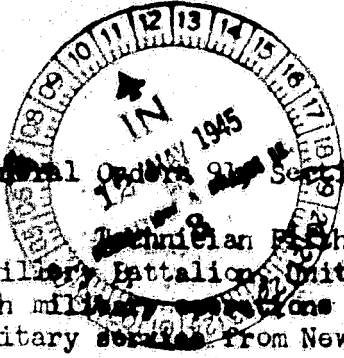
Sergeant HERBERT R JAHNGER 32781548, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Corporal MICHAEL D POPELAS 33404719, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Corporal LAVERN E RADEBAUGH 18163162, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 10 January to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Corporal JAMES C WARE 34029760, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

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Technician Fifth Grade RODERICK J KIRKPATRICK 42045555, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 23 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade RALPH J POFFENBAUGH 35617973, 84th Quartermaster Company, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, 22 - 25 December 1944. Entered military service from Ohio.

Private First Class ARLENE J HOUGHTON 35038744, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

Private First Class ANDREW KOWALCZUK 33925388, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class ALFRED S KURECK 12093593, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class IGNACIO C MORENO 39859897, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Arizona.

Private First Class WEBSTER C RANDALL 42028754, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class GEORGE P ZAHARIS 39548982, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 February to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private GILBERT M COMES 38304909, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private WAYNE J HIBBERT 39904184, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Utah.

Private VIRGIL R RICH 38471468, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Private THOMAS E TUCKLER 39547649, 84th Quartermaster Company, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, 22 - 25 December 1944. Entered military service from California.

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By command of Major General BOLLING:

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CG 84th Div Arty - - - - -	2	CO 84th CM Co - - - - -	1	CO 557th Ass AW Bn - - -	2
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CO Sp Trps - - - - -	1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - -	2	Attn: 37th MRU - - -	1
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28 April 1945.

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**ORIGINAL ORDER -**

- I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- II. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Technical Sergeant EUGENE D TENORIO 28339216, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Completely disregarding his safety under direct enemy tank, antiaircraft and small arms fire, Technical Sergeant Tenorio established an observation post in the attic of a building and although exposed to hostile observation and constant fire, adjusted the fire of his mortar and machine gun sections with such effectiveness that four enemy guns were destroyed and his company was able to attain its objective. The conspicuous courage, determined spirit and aggressive action displayed by Technical Sergeant Tenorio reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class DONALD JOHNSON 32529 8, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 25 February 1945. Discovering that the area in which his mortar section was being placed contained numerous enemy soldiers, Private First Class Johnson led a patrol which forced hostile troops to withdraw capturing six Germans. Despite an intense enemy barrage he then continued the preparation of his mortar position for an impending counterattack. Later volunteering as a member of a patrol to establish contact with a nearby unit, he courageously moved across open terrain exposed to enemy observation and direct fire to accomplish the mission, returning with vital information concerning enemy gun emplacements and troop concentrations. The aggressive spirit, disregard for danger and exemplary qualities displayed by Private First Class Johnson reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class EMIL A. SCHROEDER 36972768, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 23 February 1945. During a fierce enemy counterattack accompanied by a barrage of artillery and rocket launcher fire, Private First Class Schroeder, despite the fact that the walls of the building in which he was stationed were ripped apart by enemy shells, stubbornly continued to deliver withering automatic rifle fire on the hostile force. When his position was partially surrounded and the Germans demanded his surrender, he replied with a long burst of fire. After covering the movement of his squad to new positions, he then joined the unit in an attack which forced the withdrawal of the enemy. The conspicuous courage, high devotion to duty and fighting spirit displayed by Private First Class Schroeder reflect high credit upon himself and the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

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II. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDALS. By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain GERALD W FORBES 01169517, Field Artillery, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 2 - 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Maine.

Technical Sergeant MICHAEL MAKARON 13000406, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from District of Columbia.

Technical Sergeant JOHN R MARTIN 36654045, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Staff Sergeant ALBERT A KRUEGER 28359508, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 - 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Staff Sergeant THEODORE W LONG 39115317, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 28 November 1944 to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant SIDNEY HALTZMAN 37622479, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

Staff Sergeant LEO V R McGILLUM 19203177, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 20 November 1944 to 16 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant RAYMOND J NOLTE 38770861, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Iowa.

Staff Sergeant ALFRED SCHAEFFER 32091499, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Sergeant DOUGLAS W JACKSON 34022965, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.



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Sergeant ROBERT C WEIBERG 18148343, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Technician Fourth Grade LAWRENCE E BECKER 32131732, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 14 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technician Fourth Grade ISRAEL R BLANK 32091087, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technician Fourth Grade ALBERT G LARA 3, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Arizona.

Technician Fourth Grade LOUIS OFFICI 39034229, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Corporal FREDERICK S CICCHINO 32239871, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Corporal SHILTON F GETHRING 35265416, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

Corporal HARRY E MAXWELL 39322906, 84th Quartermaster Company, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, 22 - 25 December 1944. Entered military service from Oregon.

Corporal HURLEY A NICHOLS 37140485, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

Technician Fifth Grade MICHAEL J MARINO 32891177, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

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Technician Fifth Grade SAMUEL E SIEGEL 36646823, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Private First Class CLARENCE J JOHNSON jr 39000966, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

Private First Class JOHN S KURTYKA 6147489, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Private First Class JOHN F LEANEY 35789230, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Private First Class LAMBERT L LIMBEL 33950295, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class JOHN LIZUN 33185558, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class ODIE LOFTON 38303815, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class ALFRED D LOPEZ 38618357 (then Private), 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Private First Class ROBERT M LEBEUF 31413441, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Private First Class CLEO E McCUMBER 37745283, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 - 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

Private First Class RALPH K WERPILL 35884661, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

Private First Class JOHN A MICHELET jr 38373168, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Private First Class GORLON A MILLER 15362349, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

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By command of Major General ROLLING:

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CO Sp Trps - - - - - - - 1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Attn: 37th MRSU - - 1
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29 April 1945. 5/24/45

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- I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

First Lieutenant WILLIAM N CLARKE O1320152, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. When the leading element of his battalion was separated from the column by heavy fire from enemy self-propelled guns during an advance, First Lieutenant Clarke, completely disregarding his safety, moved through the intense hostile fire under observation and established contact between the two elements of the battalion. Enroute he assisted in administering medical aid and evacuating wounded men and then led the unit over an alternate route to its objective where the leading element was rejoined. The leadership, initiative and courage displayed by First Lieutenant Clarke reflect high credit upon himself and the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

First Lieutenant LOUIS W LEFOLET jr O1013872, Infantry (Armored), 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. When his company commander had been wounded, First Lieutenant Lefoldt, assuming command and reorganizing his unit, personally led his men in an attack with infantry troops on a strongly defended German town. When heavy enemy automatic weapons fire temporarily halted the advance of the infantry, First Lieutenant Lefoldt boldly led his tanks into the town and disrupted hostile opposition so successfully that the infantry unit entered and quickly overcame enemy resistance. The superior leadership, cool courage and aggressiveness displayed by First Lieutenant Lefoldt reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Mississippi.

First Lieutenant GEORGE A McINTYRE jr O535965, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 6 - 21 April 1945. Approached by a German soldier on 6 April 1945 and informed that the surrender of additional Germans could be obtained if an American would accompany him, First Lieutenant McIntyre voluntarily entered enemy territory and returned with forty-eight prisoners including five officers. On the following day, he courageously made his way across open terrain under hostile fire to see whether aid could be given to two fatally wounded soldiers. On 21 April 1945, when his platoon was cut off from the remainder of his company by an enemy pocket, he aggressively led his men in an attack neutralizing the pocket. The cool courage, leadership and exemplary qualities displayed by First Lieutenant McIntyre reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from South Carolina.

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Private First Class JOE T MADRIGAL 36947866, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. When he was ambushed by a German force as he was driving a vehicle loading gasoline trucks to his tank company and forced to take cover under withering small arms fire, Private First Class Madrigal, after locating a small group of the enemy by exposing himself to draw fire, killed the soldiers with a grenade. He then killed a German officer who was in the act of firing at a member of his party. As a result of Private First Class Madrigal's bold action eleven Germans were accounted for without loss to his own group. The courageous, aggressive spirit, loyalty and soldierly qualities displayed by Private First Class Madrigal reflect high credit upon himself and the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Corporal ANTHONY A. GOFFINET 35044853, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. During a heavy enemy artillery barrage, when a number of men were wounded in the streets of a German town which his unit had occupied, Corporal Goffinet, completely disregarding his welfare, left his position of comparative safety in a building to rescue the injured soldiers. In the performance of this unselfish act, Corporal Goffinet lost his life when hit by hostile fire. The conspicuous courage, loyalty and exemplary conduct displayed by Corporal Goffinet reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Indiana.

Technician Fifth Grade CLARENCE E BLAESSER 20640289, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. While serving as a radio operator during an attack by his company over open and flat terrain, affording the enemy excellent observation, Technician Fifth Grade Blaesser's platoon encountered heavy enemy tank, machine gun, mortar and grenade fire. In complete disregard for his own safety, Technician Fifth Grade Blaesser, with another radio operator, faced withering enemy fire to maintain communication between his platoon and his company. During the attack, Technician Fifth Grade Blaesser was mortally wounded in his efforts to maintain much needed communications. The courage, initiative and disdain for danger exhibited by Technician Fifth Grade Blaesser were a source of inspiration to his fellow soldiers and are in accordance with the highest traditions of the United States Army. Entered military service from Michigan.

III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain ARTHUR C TUTTLE 0537836, Medical Corps, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 21 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

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First Lieutenant KENNETH J ANDERSON 01319910, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 10 January to 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

First Lieutenant JOSEPH BOUHLARD 01300116, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany and Belgium, 29 November 1944 to 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Maine.

Second Lieutenant WALTER P THOMPSON 02005544, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Warrant Officer (junior grade) ALLEN E LAW 7-2132131, U.S.A., 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

First Sergeant ALBERT E CHAMBERS 35162730, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

First Sergeant ALBERT E CLY 13010144, 784th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 16 January to 25 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant WILL J PRISTER 38359507, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 20 December 1944 to 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Staff Sergeant ADOLPH P CHELPPA Jr 32519015, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

Technician Third Grade HARL M GORMAN 37234603, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

Sergeant EZRA L ARNOFF 15558712, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Sergeant MARVIN D BADGER 35710822, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

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Sergeant ROBERT L BAKER 34592777, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 - 21 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

Sergeant VERNON E BARBER 38303833, Military Police Platoon, 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 February to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Sergeant LEON A BROWN 35569850, 84th Quartermaster Company, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, 22 - 25 December 1944. Entered military service from Indiana.

Sergeant BERNARD M GOLDSTEIN 34803075, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Alabama.

Technician Fourth Grade CLEO J FREYBERGER 35044801, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Corporal FRANCIS E DISCH 37271358, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 19 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

Technician Fifth Grade MORRIS M BERWALDI 13125102, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Colorado.

Private First Class WILLIAM G SCOTT Jr 14172209, 354th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Mississippi.

Private First Class LAUREN O SKREVE 10712827, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private HENRY M CHAVIS 34121313, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 22 April 1945. Entered military service from South Carolina.

Private JAMES W GUIN 34863264, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 30 March to 24 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

Private JOSEPH W KUSTERLE 33925852, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

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AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Major WALTER T TICE 01693071, Medical Corps, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 9 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

Captain ALONZO J GOLDEN 0393003, Field Artillery (TD), 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 1 December 1944 to 4 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

First Lieutenant ROBERT M KITTLE 01019271, Infantry (Armored), 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Wyoming.

Second Lieutenant JOHN J GOLDSMITH 01117270, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

First Sergeant VINCENT A BERNINI 32007356, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 15 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

First Sergeant BEN J HILL 38276373, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 9 November 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

First Sergeant RANDOLPH E KING 6923794, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Alabama.

Technical Sergeant JOHN L COUNSMAN 33081539, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 9 November 1944 to 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

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Staff Sergeant GEORGE M BOVERSON 39113822, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant ERNEST L MITCHELL 14024572, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Tennessee.

Staff Sergeant JOSEPH L MCCARTHY 11047268, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 - 15 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Staff Sergeant JAMES M GHERIDAN 32096933, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 - 17 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Sergeant FRANK S COLEMAN 38277121, Military Police Platoon, 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 February to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Sergeant EDWARD F HESTER 15076195, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Sergeant PAUL V SMILEY 33385037, Military Police Platoon, 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 February to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Technician Fourth Grade KARL K KEMMER 38337019, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Technician Fourth Grade MCCROW W KIRKPATRICK 38304198, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Technician Fourth Grade THERON B McELROY 38357307, 84th Reconnaissance Troop Mechanized, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 - 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

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Corporal OTTO D MADISON 39547514, Military Police Platoon, 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 February to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Corporal JUAN MONTALVO 38358385, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Technician Fifth Grade EDWIN S C. FRIGAN 39548816, 84th Quartermaster Company, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, 22 - 25 December 1944. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fifth Grade ELMER L CRASE 20538819, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Technician Fifth Grade REFUR L FORD 20538673, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Technician Fifth Grade ARNOLD M KOLKJEN 37570829, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 - 17 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

Private First Class H. R. ARENDS 37325066, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 19 April 1945. Entered military service from North Dakota.

Private First Class GEORGE C ARMSTRONG 12135403, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class JOHN H BENNETT 35817007, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

Private First Class PHILIP V BENZEL 42093410, Military Police Platoon, 34th Infantry Division, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class SALVATORE BILELLO 42075454, 84th Quartermaster Company, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, 22 - 25 December 1944. Entered military service from New York.

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Private First Class EVERETT E BURNS 36208412, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Private First Class THOMAS J BULSON 36465559, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Private First Class WILMER E BUNKELMANN 36973394, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Private First Class CLARENCE G GAULIER 33369914, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class SIDNEY B DUNBAR 42117822, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 20 December 1944 to 5 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class JOSEPH L FARRAR 34939978, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Mississippi.

Private First Class RALPH E FORD 37699068, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Iowa.

Private First Class KENNETH E GERMAIN 36296050, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Wyoming.

Private First Class HOWARD P GUYETT Jr 42098069, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class ARTHUR W PEARL 42020814, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class RICHARD J PEPPER 42134834, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class CECIL H HELPS 36376317, 771st Tank Battalion (attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 2 - 17 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

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- II - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- IV - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- V - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)

I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Staff Sergeant JOSEPH W HUMPHREY 34497194, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When his company, making a frontal attack on a German town across open terrain, encountered intense enemy fire, Staff Sergeant Humphrey, completely disregarding his safety, moved forward and delivered fire on the hostile positions in a manner which partially neutralized the enemy fire, enabling his platoon to move to new positions and relieving pressure on his company. In the performance of this brave act, Staff Sergeant Humphrey was mortally wounded. The aggressive fighting spirit, conspicuous courage and loyalty displayed by Staff Sergeant Humphrey present an excellent example of those soldierly qualities which are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Tennessee.

Private First Class ROY L McDOWELL 34845655, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When his platoon encountered heavy enemy mortar, machine gun and tank fire which made it necessary to change positions, Private First Class McDowell, with total disregard for his safety, courageously and successfully covered the unit's operation with withering fire from his automatic rifle. In the performance of this brave act, Private First Class McDowell was mortally wounded. The disdain for danger, unswerving devotion to duty and exemplary qualities displayed by Private First Class McDowell reflect the highest credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from South Carolina.

II - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Second Lieutenant CHARLES W MASON 02005285, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. When a fierce counterattack by a strong, well-armed enemy force made it necessary for an infantry battalion to move to new positions, Second Lieutenant Mason, an observer, who had been directing artillery

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fire for the unit, skillfully directed his section to another point from which he transmitted accurate information to his artillery commander who placed effective fire on the enemy enabling the infantry troops to reorganize and retake its former position. The bold, aggressive action, resourcefulness and superior performance of duty displayed by Second Lieutenant Mason were material factors in checking a strong enemy counter attack and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Second Lieutenant PAUL B RUPP 02012133 (then Technical Sergeant), Infantry 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When the advance of his company was temporarily halted by fire from a strong enemy defensive position, Second Lieutenant Rupp, with another soldier, completely disregarding his safety, moved forward under the heavy hostile fire and destroyed a machine gun position, killing five Germans and capturing three others by the use of hand and rifle grenades and small arms fire. The disdain for danger, aggressive spirit and exemplary qualities displayed by Second Lieutenant Rupp enabled the advance to continue and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant GERALD R NOBLE 35634937, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. When the security of a newly established bridgehead was threatened by an enemy machine gun emplacement scarcely 50 yards away, Staff Sergeant Noble and another soldier moved into a position from which they brought rifle fire to bear upon the enemy's position, killing the gunner, his assistant and wounding three ammunition bearers. Although exposed to direct enemy observation and intense small arms fire, Staff Sergeant Noble then voluntarily led a patrol into the enemy positions, capturing the three wounded ammunition bearers, the machine gun and twenty-five enemy soldiers in positions around the gun. The daring courage, initiative and skillful leadership displayed by Staff Sergeant Noble reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

Staff Sergeant WALTER J TRUAX 20748570, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When the advance of his platoon was temporarily halted by fire from an enemy machine gun, Staff Sergeant Truax, together with another soldier, boldly moved forward through heavy hostile fire and destroyed the position with grenades and rifle fire, killing five and capturing three of the enemy. The conspicuous courage, initiative and exemplary action displayed by Staff Sergeant Truax enabled his platoon to seize its objective and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Minnesota.

III - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

First Lieutenant WILLIAM F ANDERSON 0528586, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. When an enemy force infiltrated into town occupied by friendly troops and launched an attack, First Lieutenant Anderson,

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with total disregard for his safety, moved through heavy artillery and small arms fire and, after organizing his platoon, provided covering fire while the company changed positions. Having accomplished this mission, he was mortally wounded as he attempted to join the company. The disdain for danger, aggressive spirit and loyalty displayed by First Lieutenant Anderson enabled his company to avoid heavy casualties and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

IV - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Second Lieutenant WILLIAM L NELSON 0927122, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Master Sergeant LOUIS F SCHOLL 32241696, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 24 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Staff Sergeant MILTON M SCHULZ 15328010, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 - 19 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Staff Sergeant JOSEPH A STRIFLEN 39690440, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany and Belgium, 1 January to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Third Grade STEVE J RITTEL 36276059, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Staff Sergeant PETER J NOZDIN 31267649 (then Sergeant), 84th Reconnaissance Troop Mechanized, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Sergeant JOHN J RISKO 33411559, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Sergeant BUD H STEINBACH 39904557, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Idaho.

Technician Fourth Grade WILLIAM N ROBBINS 38357435, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.



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Technician Fifth Grade JOSEPH V SANTALUCIA 32546643, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 13 November 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class WILLIAM M REASONS 38355926, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

Private First Class LUIS S RENTERI. 39548730, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class JOHN J SALAND 32925036, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class LEO C SANTANA 33358927, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class HERVEY A SCHMIDT 38676152, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class HOWARD F SINGLES 36953643, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

V - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Captain ALONZO J GOLDEN 0393003, Field Artillery (TD), 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 - 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

First Lieutenant JOSEPH R MARRICO 01325278, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Connecticut.

First Lieutenant DONALD B DESAULNIERS 0557078, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

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Hist O, IG, JA - - - - -	1	CO 335d Inf - - - - -	2	CO 280th FA Bn - - - -	2
Ord O, PM, Post O - - - -	1	CO 34th Inf - - - - -	2	Each Off, EM concerned	1
PRO, CM - - - - -	1	CO 335th Inf - - - - -	2	TAG - - - - -	5
Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg - - -	1	CO Hq Bn, 84th Div Arty -	1	CG ETO, Attn: A&D Br,	
Hq Comdt - - - - -	1	CO 325th FA Bn - - - - -	2	AG Mil Pers - - - - -	2
CO 84th Reinf Cen - - - -	1	CO 326th FA Bn - - - - -	2	CG Twelfth A Gp,	
CO Sp Trps - - - - -	1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - -	2	Attn: 37th LIRU - - -	1
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ORIGINAL ORDER -

- I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)

I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel IVAN HARDESTY 0399704, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. When two volunteer patrols met determined resistance while attempting to liquidate a group of enemy soldiers, Lieutenant Colonel Hardesty, after efficiently supervising the evacuation of the wounded, daringly exposed himself to the enemy fire to lead the ensuing advance against the hostile positions. Directing effective and demoralizing automatic rifle fire upon the enemy concentrations, Lieutenant Colonel Hardesty calmly and courageously destroyed the enemy defenses and led his men in the successful accomplishment of their assigned mission. The aggressive leadership, bravery, and outstanding devotion to duty displayed by Lieutenant Colonel Hardesty reflect the highest credit upon himself and the military service. Entered military service from North Carolina.

Technical Sergeant HEROLD D GRANT 19124265, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. When the attack of his unit was temporarily delayed by intense enemy fire, Technical Sergeant Grant, disdaining danger, moved forward alone, and with a display of boldness and aggressiveness, captured six German soldiers and a large amount of German equipment. The cool courage, initiative and unswerving devotion to duty exhibited by Technical Sergeant Grant reflect high credit upon himself and the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Montana.

Staff Sergeant LEO R PEDROZA 39115225, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. When his platoon leader was seriously wounded during a strong concentration of enemy fire, Staff Sergeant Pedroza, assuming command, successfully led five of his men in an attack through the heavy fire to secure two buildings at the edge of a town, his company's objective. In this act he killed three German soldiers. After carrying his platoon leader to safety, he directed the clearing of a large area which his platoon killed twenty-seven enemy soldiers and captured four others. The superior leadership, conspicuous courage and aggressive fighting spirit displayed by Staff Sergeant Pedroza present an excellent example of those soldierly qualities which are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from California.

Corporal SAMUEL J DEFOY 37221924, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. When his tank destroyer was set afire by enemy

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fire and his gun commander wounded, Corporal Deboy, with total disregard for his safety, refused to abandon the vehicle and placed effective machine gun fire on enemy foot troops enabling members of his crew to dismount and move to safe positions. He left the vehicle only when ordered to do so. The determined fighting spirit, disdain for danger and loyalty displayed by Corporal Deboy prevented possible loss of life and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Kansas.

Technician Fifth Grade FLOYD E BURGESS 36361952, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When the infantry company with which he was serving as a medical aid man encountered heavy enemy resistance while crossing open terrain and several men were wounded, Technician Fifth Grade Burgess, disregarding his own safety, went to the aid of the casualties though exposed to the withering hostile fire. He exhibited tireless effort in administering first aid and making preparations for the evacuation of the wounded, declining an opportunity to obtain safety until physically forced to take shelter by other soldiers. The cool courage, exemplary action and unswerving devotion to duty displayed by Technician Fifth Grade Burgess reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Michigan.

Private First Class JAMES W HENDRICKSON 39593513, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. When the advance of his unit was temporarily halted by intense enemy rocket and small arms fire, Private First Class Hendrickson left his place of comparative safety and boldly pushed forward in a manner that inspired the entire unit to follow his example. As a result, the objective was taken, many casualties were inflicted on the enemy and a large amount of enemy equipment captured. The disdain for danger, initiative and courage displayed by Private First Class Hendrickson reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class ROBERT F MURO 39039745, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. When several men of his company were wounded and lying in an exposed position during an enemy counterattack, Private First Class Muro, completely disregarding his safety, advanced seventy-five yards across open terrain under hostile sniper fire and administered medical aid to five wounded soldiers. He then made three trips through the exposed area to remove the more seriously wounded to safety. The conspicuous courage, unselfishness and commendable conduct displayed by Private First Class Muro undoubtedly resulted in saving the lives of the stricken soldiers and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class JOHN L PURDY Jr 38699780, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 23 February 1945. During a fierce enemy counterattack accompanied by a barrage of artillery and rocket launcher fire, Private First Class Purdy, despite the fact that the walls of the building in which he was stationed were ripped apart by enemy shells, stubbornly continued to deliver withering automatic rifle fire on the hostile force. When his position was partially surrounded and the Germans demanded his surrender, he replied with a long burst of fire. After covering the movement of his squad to new posi-

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tions; he then joined the unit in an attack which forced the withdrawal of the enemy. The conspicuous courage, high devotion to duty and fighting spirit displayed by Private First Class Purdy reflect high credit upon himself and the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Texas.

II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of J.F. 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant LINDEN I VAN BUREN 12172932, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant HAROLD T WILLIAMS 34496770, 84th Reconnaissance Troop Mechanized, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 - 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Tennessee.

Corporal JOHN C TRACY 39459994, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 20 December 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Washington.

Corporal JAMES B THOMT 39325025, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 - 17 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Private First Class FREDERICK J SMITH 36568968, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Private First Class CHARLES S SPEICE 18193620, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Private First Class DONALD R STARR 20931237, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Oregon.

Private First Class HENRY FARVER 28303679, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 - 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

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Private First Class **WILLIAM J. TOWNS** 35376341, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Private First Class **GEORGE R. VEG**, 39352477, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class **ALBERT B. WILKER** 31925620, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Mississippi.

Private First Class **FRED W. WALTER** 33973594, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private **HAROLD W. WITMAN** 30141146, 84th Quartermaster Company, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, 22 - 25 December 1944. Entered military service from Texas.

Private **GUY L. FALCHER** 34836261, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 19 April 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

III - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of Act 60045, as amended, and Executive Order 74, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant **NORMAN B. MacFARLSON** 31002806, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Sergeant **WALTER R. BARNETT** 37562429, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Kansas.

Private First Class **JAMES E. SANDLER** 32131875, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Private **ROBERT W. SCHLOSSTEIN** 39160054, 335th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Washington.

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Hist O, IG, JA	- - - 1	CO 333d Inf	- - - 2	CO 280th FA Bn	- - - 1
Ord C, PM, Post O	- - - 1	CO 334th Inf	- - - 2	Each Off, EM concerned	- - - 1
PRO, CM	- - - 1	CO 335th Inf	- - - 2	TAG	- - - 1
Sig O, Sp Sv O, Sarg	- - 1	CO Hq Btry, 84th Div Arty	- 1	CG ETO, Attn: A&D Br	- - - 1
Hq Comdt	- - - 1	CO 325th FA Bn	- - - 2	AG Mil Pers	- - - 1
CO 84th Reinf Can	- - - 1	CO 326th FA Bn	- - - 2	CG Twelfth A Gp,	- - - 1
CO Sp Trps	- - - 1	CO 909th FA Bn	- - - 2	Attn: 37th MFU	- - - 1
Surg, Sp Trps	- - - 1	CO 327th FA Bn	- - - 2	CG Ninth U. S. Army,	- - - 1

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I - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (SILVER STAR MEDAL)  
II - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)

I - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (SILVER STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Silver Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

First Lieutenant DAVID H GIBSON 01103651, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 - 13 April 1945. In charge of a group of engineers attached to an infantry battalion during a swift moving advance, First Lieutenant Gibson, completely disregarding his safety, personally checked bridges for explosives. On one occasion when the unit was delayed by a destroyed bridge, he conducted a reconnaissance through enemy territory under sniper fire to locate an alternate route. On another occasion, discovering four bridges with aerial bombs at the foot of each structure, First Lieutenant Gibson unhesitatingly assumed the hazardous task of removing the detonators rather than lose valuable time waiting for demolition squads. The disdain for danger, superior performance of duty and initiative displayed by First Lieutenant Gibson contributed materially to the rapid advance of the battalion and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Utah.

Corporal MAURICE FORGOTSON (then Private First Class) 32736730, 820th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. When the observation post on the second floor of a building, to which he had made his way under direct hostile machine gun fire, was hit by an enemy rocket shell, Corporal Forgetson though knocked down and temporarily blinded in one eye, quickly recovered his position, killed the German firing the weapon and coolly continued to adjust the fire of his mortar platoon. When a second rocket burst demolished his position, Corporal Forgetson moved to the ground floor of the building and continued to direct mortar fire which killed 27 Germans, forced the remainder to withdraw and enabled his company to press forward and successfully complete its mission. The tenacious fighting spirit, calm courage and superior performance of duty displayed by Corporal Forgetson reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from New Jersey.

II - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel MARIO DEAMIO 0297860, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Rhode Island.

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Major GORDON L CUNNING 0352936, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Major WILLIAM R JOHNSON 0395244, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 20 March to 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Tennessee.

Major MILTON P LEWIS 0337224, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 - 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Captain HUGH B DARDEN jr 0372729, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 4 - 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

Captain FERRILL B EARLY 01172845, Field Artillery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Captain GORDON W FOSTER 01168668, Field Artillery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Captain HERMAN L GLISBY 01169532, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 4 March 1945, and 5 - 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Captain WILLIAM R MULL 01292737, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 20 March to 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Captain FRED H STEFFENS jr 01169755, Field Artillery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Captain RAYMOND M WESTMORELAND 01169789, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

First Lieutenant JOHN F BOLIND 01794217, Corps of Military Police, Military Police Platoon, 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

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First Lieutenant ARTHUR J BURLIND 01314877, Infantry, 784th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 - 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

First Lieutenant WILLIAM H McDONALD 01051283, Coast Artillery Corps, 557th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Mobile) (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 25 November 1944 to 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

First Lieutenant RUSSELL R PEGHAM 01326197, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 3 January to 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

First Lieutenant CHARLES H WEBER 01015172, Infantry (Armored), 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

First Lieutenant ROBERT C WUEPPER 01183003, Field Artillery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Second Lieutenant ALVIN E JONES 01996647, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Technical Sergeant JOSEPH C MARTINEZ 32042351, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant JOHN V MILLER Jr 32596426, 325th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Staff Sergeant SAMUEL J CLISON 39267710, 84th Reconnaissance Troop Mechanized, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant WILLIAM C SENKE 33404632, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Sergeant JACOB C CORNELL 13004681, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

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Sergeant VINCENT A. PARNZ 39269200, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Sergeant ROBERT K. NELSON 39269790, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Sergeant HAROLD V. NEVARD 39547280, Military Police Platoon, 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Sergeant JOHN J. SECRET jr 16143795, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Sergeant JOHN SMULLIGAN 13029339, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 24 March 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fourth Grade HERMAN P. TIMELI 6998594, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Corporal GEORGE K. TIMELI 36576662, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Technician Fifth Grade EMILIO V. CONCI 39115118, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class BENJAMIN R. D'AMATO 32921481, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class ALFRED E. GERNHARDT 42004711, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class ISACCEL GRCSCHIN 39232235, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

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Engr, Lia O, GRO - - - - -	1	CO 84th Sig Co - - - - -	1	CO 771st Tk Bn - - -	2
Hist O, IG, JA - - - - -	1	CO 333d Inf - - - - -	2	CO 280th FA Bn - - -	2
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Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg - - - - -	1	CO Hq Btry, 84th Div Arty -	1	CG ETO, Attn: A&D Br,	
Hq CofS - - - - -	1	CO 325th FA Bn - - - - -	2	AG Mil Pers - - - - -	
CO 84th Reinf Cen - - - - -	1	CO 326th FA Bn - - - - -	2	CG Twelfth A Gp,	
CO SF Trps - - - - -	1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - -	2	Attn: 37th MHU	
Surg, Sp Trps - - - - -	1	CO 327th FA Bn - - - - -	2	CG Ninth U. S. Army,	
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ORIGINAL ORDER -

AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel RIDGLEY B BOND jr 0237069, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 3 January to 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Captain WALTER L FORTSON jr 0384580, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Florida.

Captain HARRY A GASCHO 0348570, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Captain JAMES R KNEPPELY 01103735, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany. 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Captain FRANK T KOHL 01169604, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 16 April 1945. Entered military service from New Mexico.

Captain ANDREW B SHELTON 01175309, Field Artillery, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 2 - 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

First Lieutenant NATHAN N APT 01010894, Cavalry (Armored), 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 February to 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

First Lieutenant GILSON W CLARKE 01299851, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

First Lieutenant GEORGE L J DALFERES 0556663, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 1 January to 16 April 1945. Entered military service from New Hampshire.

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First Lieutenant ANTHONY T DEGUSTI 01577086, Ordnance Department, 724th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 16 January to 25 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

First Lieutenant JOHN J ENNIS 01306397, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 13 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

First Lieutenant CRAIG FLEMING 02049550, Medical Administrative Corps, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

First Lieutenant HANS R HAUFF 0552558, N.M.B., Interrogation of Prisoner of War Team Number 110 (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

First Lieutenant ARNOLD T KEENE 01169592, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Maine.

First Lieutenant JOHN H KIRBY 01317402, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

First Lieutenant CLIFFORD L KNIGHT 01172953, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

First Lieutenant ROBERT E REKER 01322610, Field Artillery, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 1 December 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

First Lieutenant JOHN A SIZEL 0513551, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 29 November 1944 to 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Iowa.

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First Lieutenant KENRIC D SPEED 01169751, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Mississippi.

First Lieutenant ALLEN H VAN DYKE 01055177, Coast Artillery Corps, 507th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Mobile) (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 24 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

Second Lieutenant JEROME F MILLNORTH 02000490, Ordnance Department, 78th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 16 January to 25 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Second Lieutenant WALLACE R McLEOD 0547339, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from South Carolina.

Second Lieutenant MARTIN F SHEWTER 01039915, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Warrant Officer (junior grade) JACK A SKELTON W2119338, U.S.A., 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Warrant Officer (junior grade) OLEN STEPHENS W2126674, U.S.A., 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 25 April 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

First Sergeant JOSEPH L CASEY 20536997, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

First Sergeant JAMES J CATHEN 35034433, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

First Sergeant JOHN A CINCILLI 33472662, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

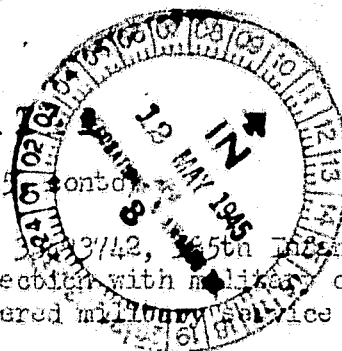
First Sergeant RAY M WINCHESTER 34592819, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

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Technical Sergeant FRANK M. HANCOCK jr 39117442, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant ARNOLD O GENTRY 39117444, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 10 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant RUSSELL DAVID 3373495, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany, 23 November 1944 to 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant ALBERT J. ELSPER 39927309, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 - 19 April 1945. Entered military service from Utah.

Sergeant MORRIS H HERRING 35044737, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 34th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Sergeant HOMER L LEROER 35740761, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 34th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from West Virginia.

Sergeant JOSEPH L. SSKELI 32607424 (then Private First Class), 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 3 March 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technician Fourth Grade GEORGE E. JILLY 34448816, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

Technician Fourth Grade FRANK J. ZIFA 39044239, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 34th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Corporal HOWARD S. HELMICKSEN 39618620, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 34th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 25 February to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Montana.

Corporal OLIVER W. FLEER jr 33628677, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 34th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

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**ORIGINAL ORDER**

- I. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)  
II. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL  
III. AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)

I. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Private First Class EUGENE LAMB 35780530, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When his company, making a frontal attack on a German town across open terrain, encountered intense enemy fire, Private First Class Lamb, courageously standing his ground, delivered effective fire on hostile positions which aided in relieving pressure on the remainder of the company and enabled it to complete its mission. In the heavy fighting which followed Private First Class Lamb was mortally wounded. The disdain for danger, determined fighting spirit and exemplary action displayed by Private First Class Lamb present an excellent example of those soldierly qualities which are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Kentucky.

II. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel HENRY A. BURSTEIN 0908182, Medical Corps, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium, Holland and Germany during the period 17 November 1944 to 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Captain FRANK W. FAGAN Jr 0405025, Coast Artillery Corps, 557th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Mobile) (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Sergeant LOUIS W. BENTZ 37609298, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 3 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

Private First Class JOHN H. CAZORT 20741033, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

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Private First Class MILTON HOFFMAN 3288277, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class LARVIN O SCHIER 38287530, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class JAMES T WARD 34589144, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Alabama.

Private First Class EARL L WELDNER 33834714, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 3 March 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class ROBERT K WOOD 35239489, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Private First Class HENRY YRICOYEN 19186117, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 21 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class EPHRAIM ZINKOWSKY 42175864, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private LENOPIES MILLER 35449882, 668th Quartermaster Truck Company (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from West Virginia.

III. AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Captain ROBERT R KLINE 01167072, Field Artillery, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Captain RAYMOND R LATVALAKI 01011829, Cavalry, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 - 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Captain CHARLES E PHILLIPS 0305856, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

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Captain ARTHUR G WETZ jr 0367220, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Florida.

Captain ROBERT P WILDES 01292797, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 1 - 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Connecticut.

First Lieutenant JOHN A BURNS 01323534, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

First Lieutenant ROBERT R DUNLAP 02049533, Medical Administrative Corps, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

First Lieutenant HILL I FLETCHER 01304744, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Vermont.

First Lieutenant ALLEN L SPAFFORD jr 0528983, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

Second Lieutenant THEODORE S MARTYNO ICZ 02012177, Infantry (Armored) (then Staff Sergeant), 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Second Lieutenant CHARLES W NELSON 02005285, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Technical Sergeant JOHN D NIGHT 33082024, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant RAIF K BECKLEY 39084965, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant WILLIAM H LAMPHIN jr 14192176, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 April 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

Sergeant THOMAS HOLCUBLY 6879334, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

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Technician Fourth Grade CURTIS O KING 34029804, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Mississippi.

Corporal STANLEY J JACKSON 33404655, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class WILBUR L ESKILSON 36742871, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany; 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Private First Class TOM W HUNT 38355996, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany; 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

Private First Class FOSTER E KREISER 33510783, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class FRED C LOSEE 6555281 (then Private), 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. Entered military service from Oregon.

Private First Class RUSSELL C MORGAN 33842002, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Private First Class ROBERT P MADEAU 31450185, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Maine.

Private First Class CHARLES S MYERS 34043485, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 11 April 1945. Entered military service from Tennessee.

Private First Class JIMMY SMITH 39116354, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class ROY B TURNER 33822348, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

Private First Class DELBERT G WILLIAMS 36236160, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

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By command of Major General FOLLING:

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CG 24th Reinf Cen - - - - 1	CG 326th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Twelfth A Sp,
CG Sp Trps - - - - - 1	CG 309th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Attn: 37th LAW - - 1
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ORIGINAL ORDER -

- I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- II - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
- IV - AWARD OF SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
- V - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (SILVER MEDAL)
- VI - AWARDS OF SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (SILVER MEDAL)

I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

First Lieutenant ALLEN L SPAFFORD jr 0528983, Corps of Engineers, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 4 - 6 April 1945. During this period, First Lieutenant Spafford personally conducted numerous reconnaissance missions under enemy fire prior to a river crossing securing an advantageous site for the proposed operation and directing the placing of engineer equipment. During the actual crossing, he repeatedly exposed himself to intense hostile fire to check the positions of his men and on two occasions assisted in the evacuation of wounded personnel under artillery and sniper fire. His outstanding work in removing mines and demolitions from bridges and roadblocks was a vital factor in the advance of the entire division. The superior performance of duty, conspicuous courage and resourcefulness displayed by First Lieutenant Spafford contributed materially to the success of the operation with minimum casualties and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Minnesota.

II - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Private LOUIS D DURBIN 14023982, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Mississippi.

III - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

First Lieutenant ROBERT F RUSSELL jr 01306756, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Maine.

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Sergeant LOUIS W HENNE 37609298, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

Private First Class MILTON HOFFMAN 32882707, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

IV - AWARD OF SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal and Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster previously awarded, a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant ALEXANDER C GLOUCH 37542073, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from North Dakota.

V - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

First Lieutenant HAROLD E BARNES 0519261, Field Artillery, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 27 February to 11 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

First Lieutenant ROYDEN E BOWEN Jr 01184018, Field Artillery, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 11 March to 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

First Lieutenant CHARLES W CLAYTON Jr 0536164, Field Artillery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 19 March to 15 April 1945. Entered military service from Florida.

First Lieutenant WILSON M CLAYTON 0536165, Field Artillery, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 21 March to 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Florida.

First Lieutenant HEROLD R HITZ 01181909, Field Artillery, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 23 February to 19 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

First Lieutenant ROBERT A YOUNG 01184760, Field Artillery, 280th Field Artillery Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 28 February to 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

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Private First Class CARL J LEMRY 39548976, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 28 February to 9 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

VI - AWARDS OF SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal and Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster previously awarded, a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

First Lieutenant JAMES S FORD 01166710, Field Artillery, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 2 March to 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Iowa.

First Lieutenant ELVIS A MCCOY 01169239, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 28 February to 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Mississippi.

First Lieutenant ROBERT W MILLER 0555413, Field Artillery, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 2 March to 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

First Lieutenant GEORGE J VAN MEETER 01173378, Field Artillery, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 28 February to 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Kansas.

Corporal ALFRED A PARSONS 18194386, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 10 March to 13 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Corporal HENRY WILLIAMS 33457050, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 9 March to 11 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

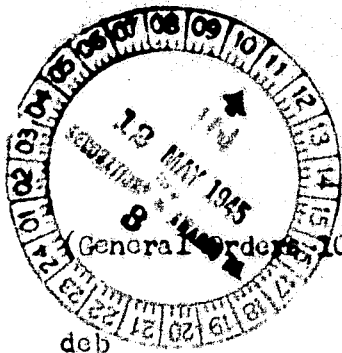
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CG 84th Div Arty - - - - -	2	CO 325th FA Bn - - - - -	2
AG, Ch, CIC, Comd O - - - - -	1	CO 326th FA Bn - - - - -	2
Engr, Fin O, GRO - - - - -	1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - -	2
Hist O, IG, JA - - - - -	1	CO 327th FA Bn - - - - -	2
Ord O, PM, Post O - - - - -	1	CO 309th Engr C Bn - - - - -	2
PRO, Mi - - - - -	1	CO 309th Med Bn - - - - -	2
Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg - - - - -	1	CO 280th FA Bn - - - - -	2
Hq Comdt - - - - -	1	CO 557th AAA Bn - - - - -	2
CO 84th Reinf Cen - - - - -	1	CO 638th TD Bn - - - - -	2
CO Sp Trps - - - - -	1	CO 771st Tk Bn - - - - -	2
Surg, Sp Trps - - - - -	1	Each Off, EM concerned - - - - -	1
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ORIGINAL ORDER 3

- I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- II - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (SILVER STAR MEDAL)
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- IV - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (MISSED IN ACTION)
- V - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- VI - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
- VII - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL

I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Second Lieutenant VALERIE H. AYERS 0251972, Infantry (Armored), 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. When an enemy road block was encountered during an attack by an infantry platoon supported by tanks, Second Lieutenant Ayers directed the fire of his armored vehicles to destroy the obstacle, killing and wounding several Germans. Boldly commanding in the advance, Second Lieutenant Ayers was seriously wounded when his tank was hit by point-blank fire from an antitank gun. The leadership, courage and aggressive spirit displayed by Second Lieutenant Ayers enabled the unit to attain its objective and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade JOHN A. REGO 31068992, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. When his tank received a direct hit from an enemy antitank gun, wounding two members of the crew, Technician Fifth Grade Rego, while other members of the crew evacuated the wounded soldiers, courageously remained with his vehicle and drove it to a sheltered position although the tank received several more hits from hostile fire. The unswerving devotion to duty, intrepidity and exemplary conduct displayed by Technician Fifth Grade Rego prevented loss of valuable government property and reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Private First Class LOUIS T. MASON 35044830, 631st Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. While performing duty as a machine gunner during the evacuation of two disabled Tiger tanks, Private First Class Mason and his convoy were attacked by a Mark V Tiger Tank. He quickly adjusted his machine gun and began firing at approximately 75 yards. The tank returned the fire but he manned the machine gun, which had jammed three times, until his comrades cleared the vehicle and was himself forced to withdraw. One man was wounded and six others captured by the enemy, but Private First Class Mason escaped through the woods and returned to his company two days later. The fighting spirit, courage and bravery under fire displayed by Private First Class Mason reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Indiana.

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II - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (SILVER STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Silver Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant ALFRED H CAMPBELL 32254228, 771st Tank Battalion (attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. When an enemy road block was encountered during an attack by an infantry platoon supported by tanks, Staff Sergeant Campbell, a tank commander, skillfully directed the fire of his armored vehicle to destroy the obstacle, killing and wounding several Germans. Though painfully wounded by shrapnel in this action, he continued to advance in the attack. The leadership, courage and aggressive spirit displayed by Staff Sergeant Campbell enabled the unit to attain its objective and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Sergeant WILLIAM L CRANE 39271316, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. After his company had captured a German town, Sergeant Crane, with another soldier, was assigned a mission of repairing a broken telephone line outside of the town. While they were on this mission, the enemy made a counter-attack and the two men, disregarding their personal safety, successfully defended their position against the attacking hostile force. Sergeant Crane was subsequently killed in action. The cool courage, initiative, and superior performance of duty displayed by Sergeant Crane reflect high credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class ODIS O GRAIN 38353755, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. After his company had captured a German town, Private First Class Grain, with another soldier, was assigned a mission of repairing a broken telephone line outside of the town. While they were on this mission, the enemy made a counterattack and the two men, disregarding their personal safety, successfully defended their position against the attacking hostile force. Private First Class Grain was subsequently killed in action. The cool courage, initiative, and superior performance of duty displayed by Private First Class Grain reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Arkansas.

IV - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (MISSING IN ACTION): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Private First Class LEONARD R OLSON 39614725, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

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V - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant JOHN J NYLAND 33792154 (then Private First Class), 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant CHARLEY L MIX 38699435 (then Private First Class), 333d Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Staff Sergeant ROBERT E ST CYR 31373617 (then Sergeant), 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from New Hampshire.

Technician Third Grade DAVID J RYAN 32311050, Headquarters 34th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 13 November 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

X Sergeant LEE R HARTSELL 39269584, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

X Technician Fourth Grade JOSEPH F HANOSIK 35525401, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

X Corporal ERNEST R COOPER 39269615, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

X Corporal OPLES LUKINS 34560930, 4044th Quartermaster Truck Company (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Alabama.

X Technician Fifth Grade WILLIAM REID 34662042, 4044th Quartermaster Truck Company (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

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Technician Fifth Grade THOMAS F ROBINSON 38296022, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

Private First Class JESSIE L MCKENZIE 34311091, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

Private First Class WALTER D ROBERTSON 37744163 (then Private), 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 8 April 1945. Entered military service from Kansas.

Private First Class EDWARD F SERVIS jr 37390095, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

Private First Class WALTER THOMAS 33387311, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Private ELLIS SPOTTERS 34877753, 4044th Quartermaster Truck Company (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Mississippi.

Private LAWRENCE B SPRIGGS 37633424, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

VI - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BELOW STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

First Lieutenant GEORGE W BUSBY 0517647, Cavalry, 84th Reconnaissance Troop Mechanized, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

VII - AWARDS OF SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal and Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster previously awarded, a second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Captain V L WILD 01173060, Field Artillery, Headquarters 84th Division Artillery, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 7 March to 19 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

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First Lieutenant CLAYTON B. WIKINS 0519180, Field Artillery, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 13 March to 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

First Lieutenant JULIUS J. DURANT 01169038, Field Artillery, Headquarters 84th Division Artillery, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 3 March to 24 April 1945. Entered military service from South Carolina.

By command of Major General EOLLE G.

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CG 84th Div Arty	- - - - - 2	CO 84th QM Co	- - - - - 1	CO 557th AAA AW Bn	- - - - -
AG, Ch, CIC, Cml O	- - - - - 1	CO 84th Gen Trp Mecz	- - - - - 1	CO 63rd TD Bn	- - - - -
Engr, Fin O, GRO	- - - - - 1	CO 84th Sig Co	- - - - - 1	CO 771st Tk Bn	- - - - -
Mist O, IG, JA	- - - - - 1	CO 333d Inf	- - - - - 2	CO 4014th 3d Trk Co	- - - - -
Ord O, PM, Post O	- - - - - 1	CO 334th Inf	- - - - - 2	Each Off, AM concern	- - - - -
PRO, H	- - - - - 1	CO 335th Inf	- - - - - 2	TAG	- - - - -
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CO Sp Trps	- - - - - 1	CO 909th F. Bn	- - - - - 2	Attn: 37th LRU	- - - - -
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AGO 84, U. S. Army  
6 May 1945

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ORIGINAL ORDER # 226

- I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
- IV - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL)
- V - AWARDS OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL
- VI - AWARD OF PURPLE HEART

I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain JAMES M BRADFORD 0352603, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Seriously wounded when he was leading his company in the establishment of a bridgehead across a river, Captain Bradford, unable to walk, nevertheless crawled to a vantage point and directed artillery fire on hostile positions in the path of his unit's advance. He then gave complete and accurate information concerning the tactical situation to his executive officer and platoon leaders before submitting to evacuation. The determined spirit, leadership and grim courage displayed by Captain Bradford enabled his company to accomplish its mission and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Maryland.

Technical Sergeant JOSEPHY E BROWN jr 14023385, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 4 April 1945. When heavy enemy machine gun and small arms fire temporarily halted the advance of his platoon during an attack on a road block, Technical Sergeant Brown, with complete disregard for his safety, boldly leading his men forward through the intense hostile fire, destroyed the machine gun position with a hand grenade, killing one German and wounding two. Advancing to an enemy-held hill protecting the road block, he again led his men in an encounter during which he killed three hostile soldiers, captured ten prisoners and directed the reduction of the position. In this action, Technical Sergeant Brown was seriously wounded. The aggressive fighting spirit, disdain for danger and soldierly qualities displayed by Technical Sergeant Brown enabled his unit to continue its advance and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Louisiana.

II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain FRANK Y DUNCAN 0322318, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 13 November 1944 to 28 April 1945. Entered military service from South Carolina.

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✓ Captain WILLIAM B WOOD 01286406, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 - 26 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

✓ First Lieutenant WALTER A BROOME 01169440, Field Artillery, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 1 December 1944 to 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

✓ First Lieutenant JACK A BUTLER 0547367, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 19 November 1944 to 29 April 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

✓ First Lieutenant CHARLES H HENRY 01545963, Medical Administrative Corps, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 2 May 1945. Entered military service from Idaho.

✓ First Lieutenant ROBERT E RASMUSON 01545642, Medical Administrative Corps, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 2 May 1945. Entered military service from Kansas.

✓ First Lieutenant LE ROY W ULLRICH 01534176, Medical Administrative Corps, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 2 May 1945. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

✓ Second Lieutenant CHARLES A FOREMAN 01060445, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 19 January to 28 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

✓ Master Sergeant JOHN E YIEGER 35209735, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered military service from West Virginia.

✓ Staff Sergeant ROBERT M FLOWERS 37326193, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 - 30 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

✓ Sergeant LAWRENCE W BOYD 35157557, 638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

✓ Sergeant NORBERT C BURLINSKI 36645580, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

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Sergeant VIRGIL C CRIPPIN 19162441, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 11 December 1944 to 29 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Sergeant ANTHONY R TROWANT 32162156, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technician Fourth Grade HAROLD W SIEDENBURG 37191433, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 28 February to 30 April 1945. Entered military service from Iowa.

Corporal ROBERT L JORDAN 35690269, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

Technician Fifth Grade CHARLES E BREISE, On 33612626, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class RODNEY V BOND 33949970, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class MONICO FLORES 38360041, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 3 March 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class DONALD D HINKS 37746098, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Kansas.

Private First Class JOSEPH HOUBARY 32266457, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 6, 8 and 21 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class MICHAEL KOZILKO 33457205, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class EDWARD T LEED 20606899, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Private First Class STEPHEN R RALSEY 42136325, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 24 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

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Private First Class ARTHUR F REOME 6903622, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class EDWIN H SCHULDT 37771402, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Minnesota.

Private First Class RAYMOND L WITHEM 35844228, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Private JOSEPH J MCKITCHEN 31243372, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Rhode Island.

Private HERBERT R WILEORN 35513232, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

III - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Major HOWARD MANDEL 01292728, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 15 January to 25 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant VINCENT C LITTLE 33907100, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Sergeant HOWARD L SMITH 34637019, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 28 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Mississippi.

Private First Class KENNETH E GERMAIN 36296050, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Private First Class GORDON G KELLY 31471997, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Maine.

IV - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

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Sergeant THOMAS T JOHNSON 35634094, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 25 March to 26 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

V - AWARDS OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to:

Sergeant JOHN P GEIGER 39604357, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroism in Germany, 25 April 1945. When the clothing of a soldier became ignited as he was draining oil from a vehicle and gasoline stored in the immediate vicinity was set afire, threatening valuable government property, Sergeant Geiger, with another soldier, completely disregarding his safety and risking his life, rushed to the scene and smothered the burning clothes on the soldier with his body. He then moved equipment from the dangerous area as his companion secured medical aid for the injured man. The intrepid, unselfish action, loyalty and commendable conduct displayed by Sergeant Geiger prevented the soldier from receiving fatal burns and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Montana.

Technician Fifth Grade WILEY CLEMENS 35206066, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroism in Germany, 25 April 1945. When the clothing of a soldier became ignited as he was draining oil from a vehicle and gasoline stored in the immediate vicinity was set afire, threatening valuable government property, Technician Fifth Grade Clemens, with another soldier, completely disregarding his safety and risking his life, rushed to the scene and after smothering the burning clothes on the soldier with his body, secured medical aid. The intrepid, unselfish action, loyalty and commendable conduct displayed by Technician Fifth Grade Clemens prevented the soldier from receiving fatal burns and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from West Virginia.

VI - AWARD OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

Captain JOSEPH WALKER jr 01324118, Aide-de-Camp (Infantry), Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army, for wounds received in action against the enemy in Germany, 23 February 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

By command of Major General POLLING:

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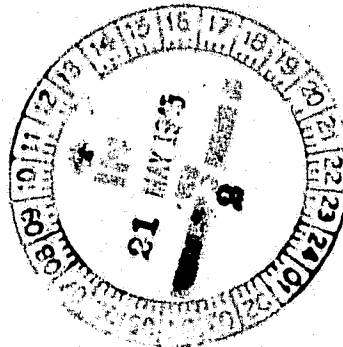
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HEADQUARTERS 82<sup>ND</sup> INFANTRY DIVISION

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APO 84, U. S. Army,  
9 May 1945.

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ORIGINAL ORDER # 7776

- I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
- IV - AWARD OF SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
- V - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL)

I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain GEORGE B FELTON 01294285, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 22 November 1944 to 28 April 1945. During this period, Captain Felton has led his company with a display of daring and skill which has served as an inspiration to his men and been a major factor in the success of his regiment's military operations. On one occasion when enemy automatic weapons fire was harassing his men, he personally destroyed a machine gun position, capturing eight Germans. On another occasion when his interrogation of prisoners revealed the presence of a battery of entrenched enemy rocket launchers, Captain Felton led his company in an attack, capturing twenty Germans, the entire battery of rocket launchers, seven armored vehicles and a large supply of ammunition. The leadership, aggressiveness and soldierly qualities exhibited by Captain Felton reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

Private First Class JOHN F WETZSTEIN 37772668, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. When his company was making a withdrawal to more advantageous positions during an enemy counterattack, Private First Class Wetzstein voluntarily remained to administer aid to five seriously wounded soldiers, despite the danger of the attacking hostile forces. As the enemy reached his position, he feigned death, continuing to treat the wounded after the Germans had passed on. Again when the hostile attack was repulsed and enemy troops withdrew past his position, Private First Class Wetzstein feigned death and then carried one of the wounded men to a medical aid station, directing a litter jeep to the location of the only other surviving casualty of the original group of five. The cool courage, daring action and unswerving devotion to duty displayed by Private First Class Wetzstein reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from North Dakota.

II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain STUART H CATRON Jr 0513270, Medical Corps, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

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Captain WALTER C JESSEL 01296330, Infantry, Order of Battle Team Number 55 (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Master Sergeant HOWARD L BAYNE, Jr 37235290, Photo-Interpretation Team Number 114 (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered military service from Kansas.

Master Sergeant HERMAN F CROSSKOPF 3257246, Order of Battle Team Number 55 (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Staff Sergeant JULIUS V CORNETT 6277157 (then Sergeant), 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

Technician Fourth Grade JOHN L BARRETT 36065390, Headquarters Company, 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Corporal NICHOLAS A CIPIZI 15373980, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Private First Class WILLIAM E KIRK 39460019, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Washington.

**III - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL):** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Technical Sergeant JOSEPH L MCCARTHY 11047262 (then Staff Sergeant), 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Private First Class MONICO FLORES 38360041, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

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Private First Class VERNON P PROETT 38634118, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

IV - AWARD OF SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal and Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster previously awarded, the Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

First Lieutenant ROBERT F RUSSELL 01306756, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Maine.

V - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Second Lieutenant WILLIAM T LOHSE, Jr 02016475 (then Corporal), Field Artillery, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 24 March to 26 April 1945. Entered military service from Montana.

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Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg - - - 1	CG ETO, Attn: A&D Br,
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HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION

General Orders )

Number.....106 )

AFO 84, U. S. Army,  
11 May 1945.

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REVOCATION OF AWARD

*OK* ✓ So much of Section I, General Orders 76, this headquarters, 20 April 1945, awarding the Silver Star Medal, as pertains to Technical Sergeant HOUSTON B JONES 38323343, 935th Infantry, is revoked.

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Hist O, IG, JA - - - - -	1	CO 333d Inf - - - - -	2	CO Co A, 505th MP Bn - - -	1
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HEADQUARTERS SEVENTH INFANTRY DIVISION

APD 81, U. S. Army,  
13 May 1945.

General Orders )

Number.....107 )

ORIGINAL ORDER -

- I - AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT (OFFICER)  
II - AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT (LEGISLAIRE)  
III - AWARD OF BRASS STAR MEDAL

I - AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT (OFFICER): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VCGG, Ninth United States Army, the Legion of Merit (Officer) is awarded to:

Major General PAUL PORFARYEVICH ERUEBL, 6th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

II - AWARDS OF LEGION OF MERIT (LEGISLAIRE): By direction of the president and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VCGG, Ninth United States Army, the Legion of Merit (Legislaire) is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel NICKOLAS PETROVICH LALIN, 6th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Lieutenant Colonel MAVLID ALFREYVICH VISAITOV, 6th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Major IVAN SERGEIEVICH BAILNOV, 6th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Major GREGORY ANDREYEVICH KOLUJNOV, 6th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Major TIMOTHY ILYICH MOSKLIENKO, 6th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

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**III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL:** By direction of the president and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VOCC, Ninth United States Army, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

First Sergeant VLAMDIR MAKIMOVICH CHEREVKO, 6th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

First Sergeant PAUL VASSILYEVICH SUBOTIN, 6th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

First Sergeant IVAN VASSILYEVICH ZAITSEV, 6th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Private First Class TИHON TИHONOVICH LAYMAN, 6th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Private First Class MICHAEL PROKOFIEVITCH PADIN, 6th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Private MALAKY PAVALOVITCH TELAVADZEY, 6th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION

APC 84, U. S. Army  
13 May 1945

General Orders )

Numbers: 108 )

ORIGINAL ORDER -

- I - AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT (OFFICER)
- II - AWARDS OF LEGION OF MERIT (LEGIONNAIRE)
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I - AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT (OFFICER): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VCGG, Ninth United States Army, the Legion of Merit (Officer) is awarded to:

Major General NIKOLAI STEPANOVICH CHIPURKIN, 5th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

II - AWARDS OF LEGION OF MERIT (LEGIONNAIRE): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VCGG, Ninth United States Army, the Legion of Merit (Legionnaire) is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel IVAN VASSILYEVICH PLAUTIN, 5th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Lieutenant Colonel MIHAIL TIMOFEYEVICH SHEVCHENKO, 5th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Lieutenant Colonel VASSILY PETROVICH SUHANOV, 5th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Lieutenant Colonel BETR FEDOTTICH TKALENKO, 5th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Major VASSILY PETROVICH NEVEROV, 5th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

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III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VCGG, Ninth United States Army, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Master Sergeant FYDOR VASSILYEVICH SILIVEROV, 5th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

First Sergeant SEMYON DIMITRIYEVICH NEDOSEKOV, 5th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

First Sergeant IVAN FEDOROVICH NYEMOV, 5th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Sergeant IVAN IVANOVITCH GORBUNKOV, 5th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Sergeant ALEXEI ALEXEYEVICH MAZUR, 5th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Private PAVAL IOSIFOVICH KIREYEV, 5th Guard Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

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HEADQUARTERS 34TH INFANTRY DIVISION

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- I - AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT (OFFICER)
- II - AWARDS OF LEGION OF MERIT (LEGIONNAIRE)
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I - AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT (OFFICER): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VCCG, Ninth United States Army, the Legion of Merit (Officer) is awarded to:

Major General IVAN PROCOFY KILUCNY, 32d Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

II - AWARDS OF LEGION OF MERIT (LEGIONNAIRE): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VCCG, Ninth United States Army, the Legion of Merit (Legionnaire) is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel PHILIP IVANOVITCH ARTIUSHIN, 32d Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the outstanding performance of duty in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Lieutenant Colonel KASPOLIT MOSIOVICH ECENOFF, 86th Cavalry Regiment, 32d Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Lieutenant Colonel GREGORY IVANOVICH KOSTENICH, 65th Cavalry Regiment, 32d Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Lieutenant Colonel NIKOLAI MIHAILOVICH POTESKIN, 121st Cavalry Regiment, 32d Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Lieutenant Colonel MICHAEL YAKOVLEVITCH SHOBOCHKIN, 32d Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the outstanding performance of duty in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VCCG, Ninth United States Army, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

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Senior Sergeant BASILI TROFIMOVICH KROSHENIN, 32d Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Senior Sergeant ALEXANDER NIKOLAEVICH SHROVLA, 207th Red Order Tank Regiment, 32d Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against Germany, 28 April 1945.

Junior Sergeant IVAN PHILEPOVICH KRAVCHENKO, 65th Red Order Cavalry Regiment, 32d Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against Germany, 26 April 1945.

Private ANDREY ANDREYANOVITCH KITKOV, 121st Cavalry Regiment, 32d Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Private ALEXANDER NIKOLAEVITCH PROMOROV, 86th Cavalry Regiment, 32d Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against Germany, 28 - 29 April 1945.

Private ALEXANDER STEFANOVITCH RIEZNIKOFF, 32d Cavalry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with Allied military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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CG 84th Reinf Con	- 1	CO 909th FA Bn	- 2	37th MRU	- 1
CG Sp Trps	- 1	CO 327th FA Bn	- 2	CG Ninth U. S. Army,	
Engr, Sp Trps	- 1	CO 309th Engr C Bn	- 2	Attn: A&D Br, AG-M	- 1
CO Hq Co, 84th Inf Div	- 1	CO 309th Med Bn	- 2	CG XIII Corps	- 1
				CG 32d Cav Div	- 5

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QUARTERS, 23d INFANTRY DIVI

ORIGINAL ORDER - 226

APO 24, U. S. Army,  
14 May 1945.

General Orders )

Number ..... 110 )

- I - AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT (OFFICER)  
II - AWARDS OF LEGION OF MERIT (LEGIONNAIRE)  
III - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I - AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT (OFFICER): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VOCC, Ninth United States Army, the Legion of Merit (Officer) is awarded to:

Major General PAUL P. VACHRMEEV, 89th Infantry Corps, performing duty with the 23d Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union, distinguished himself by exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

II - AWARDS OF LEGION OF MERIT (LEGIONNAIRE): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended; and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VOCC, Ninth United States Army, the Legion of Merit (Legionnaire) is awarded to:

Colonel GEORGY SERGEEVITCH HOLIN, Chief of Staff of the 23d Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in a position of great responsibilities in connection with Allied military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Lieutenant Colonel FREDOR IVANOVICH VINOKUROV, 117th Regiment, 23d Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Major PANTELEIMON NICKOLAEVITCH ZAHAROV, 106th Tank Destroyer Battalion, 23d Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Captain IVAN FILLIPOVICH KOJOUHOV, 117th Regiment, 23d Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Captain STEPAN STEPANOVITCH NOCHNOY, battalion commander of the 211th Artillery, Army of the Soviet Union, distinguished himself by exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

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**III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of Act 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VOGC, Ninth United States Army, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant GRIGORY IVANOVICH HARCHENKO, 117th Regiment, 23d Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Staff Sergeant STANISLAV ANDREEVITCH ROELISKY, 117th Regiment, 23d Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Sergeant NICOLAI LIEKEYEVITCH BOBANSKI, 45th Separate Communications Battalion, 23d Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Sergeant ALEXANDR NIKOLEVITCH POMOLOV, 23d Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Sergeant EDWARD VLADIMIROVITCH SKARINSKY, 45th Separate Communications Battalion, 23d Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Private First Class VLADIMIR SAVELYEVITCH BOLHOVITIN, 211th Artillery Regiment, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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- Surg, Sp Trps - 1 CO 309th Engr C Bn - 2 Attn: A&D Br, AG-M - 1
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HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION

ORIGINAL ORDER -

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APO 84, U. S. Army,  
14 May 1945

General Orders )

Number.....111 )

- I - AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT (OFFICER)
- II - AWARDS OF LEGION OF MERIT (LEGIONNAIRE)
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I - AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT (OFFICER): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VOCC, Ninth United States Army, the Legion of Merit (Officer) is awarded to:

Major General NIKOLAY FELOROVITCH ANDONIEV, Commanding General, 397th Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service in a position of great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

II - AWARDS OF LEGION OF MERIT (LEGIONNAIRE): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VOCC, Ninth United States Army, the Legion of Merit (Legionnaire) is awarded to:

Colonel GEORGY PETROVITCH BOOLATOV, Commanding Officer of the 397th Infantry Division Artillery, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the outstanding performance of duties involving great responsibility in operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Captain KIRIL IGNATIEVITCH VOLOSHENKO, 1015th Artillery Regiment, 397th Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the outstanding performance of duties involving great responsibility during operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VOCC, Ninth United States Army, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Private GREGORY MATVEVITCH ARTMENKO, 448th Regiment, 397th Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Private NIKOLAI SERGETEVITCH ROMANCHOK, 447th Regiment, 397th Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Private SERGEY LEONTEVITCH ULYANETS, 446th Regiment, 397th Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

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By command of Major General BOLLING:

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Engr, Fin O, GRO - - - - - 1	CO 333d Inf - - - - - 2	CO 3d Chem Mo
Hist O, IG, JA - - - - - 1	CO 334th Inf - - - - - 2	Each Off, M Co
Ord O, PM, Post O - - - - - 1	CO 335th Inf - - - - - 2	T.G. - - - - -
PRO, Q, I&E O - - - - - 1	CO 784 Btry, 84th Div Arty. 1	CG ETO, Attns: A&D, one in
Sig. O, Sp. Sv. O, Surg - - - 1	CO 325th FA Bn - - - - - 2	AG Mil Pers - - - - -
Hq Comdt - - - - - 1	CO 326th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Twelfth A Gp, - - - - -
CO 84th Rainf Cen - - - - - 1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Attns: 37th BRU - - - - -
CO Sp. Trps - - - - - 1	CO 327th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Ninth U. S. Army, - - - - -
Surg, Sp. Trps - - - - - 1	CO 309th Engr C Bn - - - - 2	Attns: A&D Br, AG-M - - - 1
CO Hq Co, 84th Inf Div - - - 1	CO 309th Med Bn - - - - - 2	CG XIII Corps - - - - - 1
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HEADQUARTERS 311TH INFANTRY DIVISION

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General Orders )

**ORIGINAL ORDER**

APO 84, U. S. Army,  
14 May 1945.

Number.....112 )

- I - AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT (OFFICER)
- II - AWARDS OF LEGION OF MERIT (LEGIONNAIRE)
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

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I - AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT (OFFICER): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VCOG, Ninth United States Army, the Legion of Merit (Officer) is awarded to:

Major General **BORIS ALEXANDROVITCH VLADIMEROV**, Commanding General of the 311th Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the outstanding performance of duties involving great responsibility in connection with Allied operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

II - AWARDS OF LEGION OF MERIT (LEGIONNAIRE): By direction of the president and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VCOG, Ninth United States Army, the Legion of Merit (Legionnaire) is awarded to:

Major **EVDOKIM IVANOVICH SIDOROV**, Commanding Officer of the 311th Infantry Division Artillery, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the outstanding performance of duties involving great responsibility in operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Captain **DMITRY EGOROVITCH SAVOTIN**, 106th Regiment, 311th Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the outstanding performance of duties involving great responsibilities in operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, and VCOG, Ninth United States Army, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant **DZIOCRA TOPILOV**, 1071st Infantry Regiment, 311th Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Sergeant **ALEKSEY ALEXSEEVITCH LEKODOOH**, 855th Artillery Regiment, 311th Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For heroic service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

Private **IVAN ANDREEVITCH SHASHKO**, 595th Engineer Battalion, 311th Infantry Division, Army of the Soviet Union. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against Germany, 1 January to 2 May 1945.

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Hist O, IG, JA	1	CO 334th Inf	2	Each Off, EM concerned	1
Ord O, PM, Post O	1	CO 335th Inf	2	TIG	3
PRO, QM, ICE O	1	CO Hq Btry, 84th Div Arty	1	CG ETO, Attn: A&D Br,	
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Hq Comdt	1	CO 326th FA Bn	2	CG Twelfth A Gp	
CO 84th Reinf Con	1	CO 909th FA Bn	2	Attn: 37th MRU	1
CO Sp Trps	1	CO 327th FA Bn	2	CG Ninth U. S. Army,	
Surg, Sp Trps	1	CO 309th Engr C Bn	2	Attn: A&D Br, AG-M	1
CO Hq Co; 84th Inf Div	1	CO 309th Med Bn	2	CG XIII Corps	1
				CG 311th Inf Div	5

HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION

WFO 84, U. S. ARMY,  
15 May 1945.

General Orders )

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Number.....113 )

- I - AWARDS OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE
- II - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (SILVER STAR MEDAL)
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- IV - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- V - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
- VI - AWARD OF SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL)
- VII - AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL

I - AWARDS OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE: Under the provisions of Section I, War Department Circular 245, 23 August 1944, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to:

Medical Detachment, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks, 18 November 1944 to 30 April 1945. During this period, the members of this unit, maintaining a high standard of discipline and displaying loyalty, courage and tireless effort, performed their multiple duties under the hazards of combat conditions and adverse weather in a manner which contributed materially to the success of the regiment's military operations. The exemplary action and commendable conduct of the members of the Medical Detachment, 333d Infantry, reflect high credit upon the unit and the armed forces of the United States.

Company A, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks, 13 November 1944 to 8 May 1945. During this period, the members of this unit, maintaining a high standard of discipline and displaying loyalty, courage and tireless effort, performed their multiple duties under the hazards of combat conditions and adverse weather in a manner which contributed materially to the success of the battalion's military operations. The exemplary action and commendable conduct of the members of Company A, 309th Medical Battalion, reflect high credit upon the unit and the armed forces of the United States.

II - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (SILVER STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of Act 500-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Fifth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Silver Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Technician Fourth Grade ROSEN A DIAZ 39262993, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. When sixteen were wounded by enemy artillery fire, Technician Fourth Grade Diaz, a surgical technician, disregarding his safety under heavy hostile fire, administered medical aid to the soldiers and removed them to the cellar of a nearby building. While attending the wounded, two trucks loaded with demolitions were hit and set afire blocking the exit of the building. Technician Fourth Grade Diaz successfully removed the casualties through a window to another place of safety despite the exploding demolitions and continuing enemy fire. The bold, rapid actions, initiative and unswerving devotion to duty displayed by Technician Fourth Grade Diaz undoubtedly saved the lives of the six men and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from California.

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III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to posthumously to:

Sergeant JOHN L WISCH 3334330, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Maryland.

Private First Class JAMES B GIBSON 3663666, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

IV - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Chaplain (Captain) CHARLES C COMBERT 0544742, United States Army, 333d Infantry. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 19 November 1944 to 4 May 1945. Entered military service from Tennessee.

Captain VICTOR E HILBERS 0393956, Medical Corps, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 15 December 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

First Lieutenant ANDREW J GADEK 01323824, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 10 March to 1 May 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

First Lieutenant WENDELL R GILL 01341236, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

First Lieutenant LEO H STILLE 0513555, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 2 May 1945. Entered military service from Iowa.

Second Lieutenant JOSEPH T ERNENEN jr 01328220, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 29 January to 7 May 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

First Sergeant FRANK SOLIMODA 32022635, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 29 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

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Technical Sergeant CHARLES D HAUSL 38304012 (then Staff Sergeant), 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 13 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Technical Sergeant CLOVIS F WOOLARD 37495870, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

Staff Sergeant JOHN T REDEUX 38373145 (then Sergeant), 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Staff Sergeant ELLI L YLICH 33483560, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Sergeant DAVID R ELSTER 33077378, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Sergeant TERENCE J HILDEN 36208404 (then Technician Fifth Grade), 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Technician Fifth Grade HARRY F JENSEN 36541822, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 13 November 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Technician Fifth Grade WILLIAM V PARKS 38353045, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

Private First Class JAMES L BONES 39927476, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Idaho.

Private First Class HUBIE L DEJUNON 6255635, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

Private First Class STEVE A MCGY 36486555, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Private First Class HAROLD K TOLIN 31413339, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Maine.

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V - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel WILLIAM O STONE jr 022075, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

Second Lieutenant MICHAEL CIEHLAK 02000516, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Technical Sergeant JIMMIE H COYAN 39267973, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Staff Sergeant STANLEY A HUDZIK 33937628, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant SIDNEY MALTZMAN 37622479, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

VI - AWARD OF SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal and Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster previously awarded, the Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Private First Class RICHARD C DAVIS 19177317, Headquarter Battery, 84th Division Artillery, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 7 - 30 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

VII - AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to:

Private First Class DOMINGO RANO 38376559, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For heroism in Germany, 2 May 1945. When a boat loaded with American soldiers capsized while crossing the Elbe River, Private First Class Rano, observing the mishap from the shore, proceeded to the struggling victims with another boat. Noticing his squad leader was unable to stay afloat, Private First Class Rano dived from the rescue boat and helped his comrade to safety, returning to rescue another infantryman. The prompt action, courage and superior performance of duty displayed by Private First Class Rano saved two soldiers from drowning and reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Louisiana.

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CG 84th Inf Div Band - - - - -	1	CG 909th FA Bn - - - - -	2	Attn: 37th MRU - - -	1
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- I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- II - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- IV - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- V - AWARD OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
- VI - AWARD OF PURPLE HEART

I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Sergeant GEORGE M. DUGAS 11136330, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. When a soldier in his company was severely wounded during an attack on a German town, Sergeant Dugas, with utter disregard for his safety, made his way to the stricken man under enemy fire to administer medical aid. In the performance of this brave act, he was hit by sniper fire. With grim determination, he nevertheless crawled to a building with his wounded companion and as he reached the doorway of the structure, he was mortally wounded by a second shot from an enemy sniper. The conspicuous courage, unselfish spirit and soldierly qualities displayed by Sergeant Dugas resulted in saving the life of the wounded man and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Rhode Island.

Private First Class FENION C. PERRY 31435349, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. When numerous casualties were inflicted on his company by hostile sniper fire during an attack by his company, Private First Class Perry killed two Germans with fire from his automatic rifle and when his weapon failed to function, he boldly charged the enemy positions armed only with a pistol and two hand grenades, and captured ten German soldiers. Private First Class Perry was subsequently killed in action on 22 April 1945. The aggressive, fighting spirit, disdain for danger and soldierly qualities displayed by Private First Class Perry reflect high credit upon himself and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

II - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Private First Class RAYMOND E. DI BIAGIO 13186590, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. During an attack against heavy enemy resistance, Private First Class DiBiagio, though shot through the right arm, crawled approximately 15 yards under continuing

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enemy artillery and automatic weapons fire to administer first aid to a more seriously wounded soldier in his platoon. After treating the soldier and removing him to a place of shelter, Private First Class DiBiagio returned to his platoon, refusing to be evacuated until the enemy resistance was neutralized and the mission of his platoon completed. The unselfish action, commendable conduct and unswerving devotion to duty displayed by Private First Class DiBiagio reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class HARRY GUBINO 33842010, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Observing twenty enemy soldiers crossing a captured German town during a counterattack at night, Private First Class Gubino, using deception and with complete disregard for his safety, moved boldly from one position to another, firing upon the hostile forces, killing seven, wounding five others and forcing the remaining troops to retreat. The daring action, cool courage and initiative displayed by Private First Class Gubino contributed materially to the success of his unit in repelling the counterattack and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private LENOIRS MILLER 35449882, 668th Quartermaster Truck Company (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. When a convoy of the Division rear command post was ambushed by an enemy force and subjected to mortar and small arms fire, Private Miller, driving one of the trucks, coolly operated the machine gun mounted on his vehicle, directing fire upon the enemy despite the intense hostile fire while other members of the column sought cover. An enemy mortar shell landing near the truck knocked him from the position, but Private Miller continued his heroic actions when, being informed that one of the trucks contained funds of the Division Finance Office, he again exposed himself to the hostile fire to move the vehicle to safety. The conspicuous courage, initiative and loyalty displayed by Private Miller saved large sums of money from capture by the enemy and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from West Virginia.

**III - AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS):** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Staff Sergeant JEFF M PARKER 34582971, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Alabama.

**IV - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star is awarded to:

Master Sergeant EDD HUDSON 6730581, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations

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against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

Master Sergeant JOHN T JONES 38282967, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland and Germany, 1 February to 6 May 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

First Sergeant ROBERT J INGOLDSBY 31052615, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Staff Sergeant KENNETH E FRY 33939119, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant HERMAN HOBBS jr 38393435, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 17 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

Staff Sergeant NAPOLEON T NELSON jr 20341303, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 29 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade FLOYD E BURGESS 36861952, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Private First Class WILLIAM C ARNETT 34977581, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Alabama.

Private First Class PHILLIP L BACCARI 31455318, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Rhode Island.

Private First Class ANDREW H BARTZ 36833131, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Private First Class JEROME E BUDNIK 33427107, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class GARRET H HESS 36586533, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

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Private First Class RAYMOND J HONZA 38634729, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class PAUL K LOUHAN 36294016, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Private First Class ALEXANDER F McCURDY 33950213, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class IRVIN I SACKS 39589261, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class LINDA R WELDON 18243242, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class LT IS J WILLIAMSON 33763143, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private JAMES F KLINE 33941765, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

V - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel ALFRED MARTIN 023629, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 28 February to 28 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Master Sergeant JOSEPH E ADAMS 6940779, 325th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 9 April 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

Sergeant MAX W WELLS 36312213, 771st Tank Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 14 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

VI - AWARD OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

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Staff Sergeant MELVIN E RICHER 35805023, Headquarters Company 84th Infantry Division, United States Army, for wounds received in action against the enemy in Belgium, 14 January 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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Asst Ch, CIG, Cnl O - - - -	1	CO 84th Ren Trp Meaz - - -	1	CO 771st Tk Bn - - - -	2
Trng, Ptn O, GRO - - - - -	1	CO 84th Sig Co - - - - -	1	CO Co L, 505th MP Bn -	1
Dist O, I&O, IG, JA - - - -	1	CO 333c Inf - - - - -	2	CO 3d Qnl Mort Bn - -	2
Ord O, PW, Post O - - - - -	1	CO 334th Inf - - - - -	2	CO 668th Ql Trk Co - -	1
HQ, Q - - - - -	1	CO 335th Inf - - - - -	2	Each Off, FM concerned	1
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Hq Comdt - - - - -	1	CO 325th FA Bn - - - - -	2	CG STO, Attn: A&D	
CO 84th Reinf Cen - - - - -	1	CO 326th FA Bn - - - - -	2	Br, AG Mil Pers - - -	2
84th Inf Div Band - - - - -	1	CO 309th FA Bn - - - - -	2	CG Twelfth A Gp,	
CO S. Trps - - - - -	1	CO 327th FA Bn - - - - -	2	Attn: 37th MRU - - -	1
Surg, Sp Trps - - - - -	1	CO 309th Engr C Bn - - - -	2	CG Ninth U. S. Army,	
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AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

First Lieutenant NORMAN D DOBIE O545578, Aide-de-Camp (Infantry), Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 27 February 1945. Entered military service from South Dakota.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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CG 84th Div Arty - - - - - 2	CO 84th M Co - - - - - 1	CO 638th TD Bn - - - - - 2
AG, Ch, CIC, Oal O - - - - 1	CO 84th Ren Trp Mecz - - - 1	CO 771st Tk Bn - - - - - 2
Engr, Fin O, PRO - - - - - 1	CO 84th Sig Co - - - - - 1	CO Co 4, 505th MP Bn - 1
Hist O, T&E O, IG, JA - - - 1	CO 333d Inf - - - - - 2	CO 3d Qnl Mort Bn - - - 2
Ord O, PM, Post O - - - - - 1	CO 334th Inf - - - - - 2	1ST LT DOBIE - - - - - 1
PRO, QM - - - - - 1	CO 335th Inf - - - - - 2	TAG - - - - - 3
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Hq Comdt - - - - - 1	CO 325th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Br, AG Mil Pers - - - 2
CO 84th Reinf Gen - - - - - 1	CO 326th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Twelfth A Gp,
84th Inf Div Band - - - - - 1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Attns: 37th MRU - - - 1
CO Sp Trps - - - - - 1	CO 327th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Ninth U. S. Army,
Surg, Sp Trps - - - - - 1	CO 309th Engr C Bn - - - - 2	Attns: A&D Br, AG-M 1

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- I - AWARD OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE
- II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
- IV - AWARD OF AIR MEDAL

I - AWARD OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE: Under the provisions of Section I, War Department Circular 345, 23 August 1944, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to:

Headquarters Company, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks, 18 November 1944 to 8 May 1945. During this period, the members of this unit, maintaining a high standard of discipline and displaying loyalty, initiative and tireless effort, performed their multiple duties under the hazards of combat conditions and adverse weather in a manner which contributed materially to the success of military operations against the enemy. The unswerving devotion to duty and commendable conduct of the members of Headquarters Company, 334th Infantry, reflect high credit upon the unit and the armed forces of the United States.

II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AP 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel VICTOR L GROFF 0239282, Coast Artillery Corps, 557th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Mobile) (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 22 November 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

Lieutenant Colonel BIRDSEY L LEARMAN 021324, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 15 January to 25 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Chaplain (Captain) ALONZO T BAILEY 0542377, United States Army, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 19 November 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Captain ROBERT W COPLIN 0385312, Medical Corps, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered military service from West Virginia.

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First Lieutenant FREDERICK L GRAY 01325291, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 19 November 1944 to 6 May 1945. Entered military service from California.

First Lieutenant GEORGE C MacCONNELL Jr 01322565, Infantry, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Warrant Officer (Junior Grade) JOHN N McGRATH #2129284, U.S.A., 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

First Sergeant JOSEPH F BRADSHAW 39405164, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technical Sergeant HENRY E TURNER 35161785, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Indiana.

Staff Sergeant HARRY M JOHNSTON 38247676, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Staff Sergeant ARTHUR D LEWIS 39116389, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Third Grade CHRISTOPHER W MARTIN 31053185, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Sergeant LOUIS J FRISCO 12087845, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered military service from New York.

Sergeant KENNETH L SEMAN 39404173, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 6 May 1945. Entered military service from California.



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Technician Fourth Grade WILLIAM J L. GRANT 33078974, 84th Infantry Division Band, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade WILLIAM J GARDNER 33216758, 309th Medical Battalion United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

Private First Class EVETTE C ATKINS 34494816, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

Private First Class MICHAEL A SANTORO 31413262, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Private First Class PHILIP J SPAMPINATO 39712881, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 14 November 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class ALBERT C STRYKER 31465832, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Private First Class WILLIAM R WERNICK 36742175, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 12 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

III - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-42, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 2 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Major HARRY J BEST jr 0339062, Infantry, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 21 March to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Captain JOHN J RIDGE 01292124, Corps of Military Police, Military Police Platoon, 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 4 December 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

IV - AWARD OF AIR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provision of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 2 September 1944, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded to:

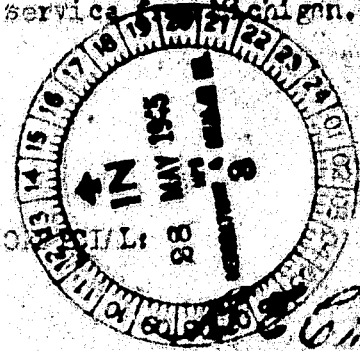
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Private First Class SAMUEL J MUCARLA, 36109217, Headquarters Battery, 84th Division Artillery, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in Germany, 23 March to 30 April 1945. Entered military service in foreign assignment.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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JG, Ch, OIC, Cml O - - - - 1	CG 84th Rec Trp Mecz - - - 1	CG 771st Tk Bn - - - - - 2
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Hist C, I&R C, IG, JA - - - 1	CG 333d Inf - - - - - 2	CG 3d Cml Mort Bn - - - 2
Ord O, FM, Post O - - - - - 1	CG 334th Inf - - - - - 2	Each Off, M concerned 1
PRO, QM - - - - - 1	CG 335th Inf - - - - - 2	TAG - - - - - 3
Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg - - - 1	CG Hq Btry, 84th Div Arty 1	CG WFO, Attns A&D
Hq Comdt - - - - - 1	CG 325th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Br, AG Mil Pers - - - 2
CG 84th Reinf Csq - - - - - 1	CG 326th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Twelfth A Co,
84th Inf Div Band - - - - - 1	CG 909th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Attns 37th MRSU - - - 1
CG Sp Trps - - - - - 1	CG 327th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Ninth U. S. Army,
Surg, Sp Trps - - - - - 1	CG 309th Engr C Bn - - - - 2	Attns A&D Br, AG-M 1

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HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION

AFO 84, U. S. Army,  
20 May 1945.

General Orders.)

Number.....118 )

ORIGINAL ORDER 2

- I - AWARD OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE
- II - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- IV - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)

I - AWARD OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE: Under the provisions of Section I, War Department Circular 345, 23 August 1944, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to:

Headquarters Company, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks, 19 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. During this period, the members of this unit, maintaining a high standard of discipline and displaying loyalty, initiative and tireless effort, performed their multiple duties under the hazards of combat conditions and adverse weather in a manner which contributed materially to the success of military operations against the enemy. The unswerving devotion to duty and commendable conduct of the members of Headquarters Company, 333d Infantry, reflect high credit upon the unit and the armed forces of the United States.

II - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Captain ROBERT P WILDES 01292797, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 22 - 23 April 1945. During an attack on two German towns, Captain Wildes, a battalion S-3, completely disregarding his safety under heavy enemy fire, personally directed the capture of the two towns. He then directed the leading elements of an infantry company in a successful attack on a third German town against strong resistance under heavy artillery and mortar fire and when a fierce counterattack was launched by the Germans on one of the captured towns, Captain Wildes quickly reorganized his men and personally led them in the successful repulse of the hostile assault. The courage, aggressive spirit and leadership displayed by Captain Wildes reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Connecticut.

III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel ROBERT C TWBANK 0334569, Finance Department, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 15 November 1944 to 15 March 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

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Captain **WALTER H MALLINGER** 01326191 (then First Lieutenant), Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 14 April to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Missouri.

First Lieutenant **CLAUDE J. SCOTT** 01547784, Medical Administrative Corps, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 14 November 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Kentucky.

Staff Sergeant **LESTER F DASSE** 36417067, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Staff Sergeant **RAMOND M MEIER** 36319272, 6th Tactical Air Communications Squadron, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 February to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Technician Fourth Grade **UFEMA J PETROFF** 36111760, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Michigan.

Corporal **CHARLES B HITT** 35437712, 74th Engineer Light Ponton Company (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 5 April 1945. Entered military service from Ohio.

Private First Class **PHILIP COSTANZO Jr** 33941743, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class **CARL C REIMER** 13177420, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 19 November 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

IV - AWARDS OF BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Major **ROBERT J GIBSON** 024405, General Staff Corps, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 March to 7 May 1945. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Major **FRANCIS X LEARY** 024427, General Staff Corps, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 4 December 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

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CG 84th Div Arty - - - - - 2	CG 84th Ren Trp Mecz - - - - 1	CG 771st Tk Bn - - - - - 2
AG, Ch, CIC, Cal O - - - - 1	CG 84th Sig Co - - - - - 1	CG Co A, 505th MP Bn - 1
Engr, Fin O, GPO - - - - - 1	CG 333d Inf - - - - - 2	CG 6th Tactical Air Comm Sq - - - - - 2
HNst O, I&E O, IG, JA - - 1	CG 334th Inf - - - - - 2	CG 74th Engr L Ponton Co - - - - - 1
Ord O, PE, Post O - - - - 1	CG 335th Inf - - - - - 2	Each Off, EM concerned 1
PRO, QM - - - - - 1	CG Hq Btry, 84th Div Arty 1	TAG - - - - - 1
Sig O, Sp sv O, Surg - - 1	CG 325th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG ETO, Attns A&D
Hq Comdt - - - - - 1	CG 326th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Br, AG Mil Pers - - 2
CG 84th Reinf Cen - - - - 1	CG 909th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Twelfth A Gp, Attns 37th MRU - 1
CG 84th Inf Div Band - - 1	CG 327th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CG Ninth U. S. Army, Attns A&D Br, AG-M 1
CG Sp Trps - - - - - 1	CG 309th Engr C Bn - - - - 2	
Surg, Sp Trps - - - - - 1	CG 309th Med Bn - - - - - 2	
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HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION

AFD 84, U. S. Army,  
23 May 1945.

General Orders )  
Number.....119 )

ORIGINAL ORDER -

- I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

First Lieutenant LEROY PECK 0546256, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 29 April 1945. When an enemy paratrooper fired upon and wounded one of his men while he was leading a patrol to clear hostile paratrooper resistance from a town on the east side of the Elbe River and to make possible the surrender of other German forces, First Lieutenant Peck quickly disarmed and captured a second paratrooper and fired on the other until he withdrew to shelter. He then successfully carried the wounded man in his patrol to a boat which he forced his prisoner to row back across the river. The cool courage, initiative and daring action displayed by First Lieutenant Peck reflect the highest credit upon himself and the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Wyoming.

II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

*Amend by Do 227-2504*  
★ Lieutenant Colonel BERTIE T CRAIG 0322720, Adjutant General's Department, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland and Belgium, 20 November 1944 to ~~27 April 1945~~. Entered military service from Indiana.

*1 December 1944*  
Captain JOSEPH WALKER jr 01325118, Aide-de-Camp (Infantry), Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

First Sergeant ELBERT S LAUCHERTY 16054451, 557th Antiaircraft Artillery Ammunition Weapons Battalion (Mobile) (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 13 April to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Technical Sergeant EASTLY L MOORE 13014341, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 5 December 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Virginia.

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Sergeant JOHN CHUBIRKO 32674855, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 23 April to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class GARRETT ARNELL 38357398, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

Private First Class ROYCE R. ALLEN 3376449, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 19 November 1944 to 29 April 1945. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Private First Class SIDNEY B. WOOD 38356004, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Arkansas.

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CC 84th Div Arty - - - - 2	CC 84th QM Co - - - - - 1	CC 633th TD Bn - - - - 2
AG, Ch, CIG, Qnl O - - - 1	CC 84th Ren Trp Mecz - - - 1	CC 654th TD Bn - - - - 2
Trqr, Fin O, GRO - - - - 1	CC 84th Sig Co - - - - - 1	CC 771st Tk Bn - - - - 2
Asst C, Int O, IT, JA - - 1	CC 333d Inf - - - - - - 2	CC Co A, 505th MP Bn - 1
Ord C, PM, Post O - - - - 1	CC 334th Inf - - - - - - 2	Each Off, FM concerned 1
PRO, M - - - - - - - - - 1	CC 335th Inf - - - - - - 2	TAG - - - - - - - - - 3
Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg - - - 1	CC Hq Btry, 84th Div Arty 1	CC WFO, Attn: A&D
H. Comdt - - - - - - - - - 1	CC 325th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Br, AG Mil Pers - - - 2
CC 84th Reinf Cen - - - - - 1	CC 326th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CC Twelfth A Gp,
CC 84th Inf Div Band - - - 1	CC 309th FA Bn - - - - - 2	Attn: 37th MRU - - - 1
CC Sp Trps - - - - - - - - 1	CC 327th FA Bn - - - - - 2	CC Ninth U. S. Army,
Surg, Sp Trps - - - - - - - 1	CC 309th Engr C Bn - - - - 2	Attn: A&D Br, AG-M 1

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HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION

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General Orders )

ORIGINAL ORDER :

APO 84, U. S. Army,  
26 May 1945.

Number.....121 )

- I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

I - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Sergeant LEWIS L BECKEN 35623989, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany. 22 April 1945. When it was necessary to make a reconnaissance of a highly dangerous area under intense enemy fire, Sergeant Becken voluntarily led a patrol and successfully completed the mission. Later in the engagement, when his unit was assaulting a German town, Sergeant Becken, with complete disregard for his safety, delivered automatic rifle fire from an exposed position to clear enemy resistance which temporarily delayed the attack. Sergeant Becken lost his life during this daring action. The cool courage, initiative and determined fighting spirit displayed by Sergeant Becken contributed materially to the success of the operation and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

II - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Major CHARLES E McARTHUR 0292369, Medical Corps, Special Troops, 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered military service from Georgia.

Major MAURICE A MEADOR 0345478, Dental Corps, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered military service from Arizona.

First Lieutenant ROBERT L BRICE 01594061, Quartermaster Corps, 84th Quartermaster Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered military service from Iowa.

*Amend by No 243-29 Nov 45*  
\* First Lieutenant STANLEY K BROOKS 01316526, Infantry, Headquarter Company, 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, ~~18 November 1944 to 7 May 1945~~ *18 Nov 1944 to 31 Jan 45*. Entered military service from Georgia.

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First Lieutenant GEORGE W DENTON 01593539, quartermaster Corps, 84th Quartermaster Company, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered military service from Kansas.

Sergeant JOHN J DUNOVAN 3661251, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Illinois.

Technician Fifth Grade RUSSELL R JENSEN 39904230, 334th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Utah.

Technician Fifth Grade JOHN A WPREN 39116339, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from California.

Private First Class WERNER H EUSH 38266736, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

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CG 84th Div Arty	2	CO 84th QM Co	1	CO 638th TD Bn	2
IG, Ch, CIC, Ord O	1	CO 84th Ren Trp Mecs	1	CO 654th TD Bn	2
Engr, Fin O, GHO	1	CO 84th Sig Co	1	CO 771st Tk Bn	2
Hist O, I&E O, IG, JA	1	CO 333d Inf	2	CO 784th Tk Bn	2
Ord O, FM, Post O	1	CO 334th Inf	2	CO Co A, 505th MP Bn	1
PRO, QM	1	CO 335th Inf	2	Each Off, EM concerned	1
Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg	1	CO Hq Btry, 84th Div Arty	1	TIG	3
Hq Condt	1	CO 325th FA Bn	2	CG ETO, Attn: A&D Br,	
CG 84th Reinf Con	1	CO 326th FA Bn	2	AG Mil Pers	2
CG 84th Inf Div Band	1	CO 309th FA Bn	2	CG Twelfth A Gp,	
CG Sp Trps	1	CO 327th FA Bn	2	Attn: 37th MRC	1
Surg, Sp Trps	1	CO 309th Engr C Bn	2	CG Ninth U. S. Army,	
		CO 309th Med Bn	2	Attn: A&D Br, AG-M	1

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HEADQUARTERS 84TH INFANTRY DIVISION

ORIGINAL ORDER -

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APO 84, U. S. Army, 7/1/45  
26 May 1945.

General Orders )  
Number.....122 )

- I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS)
- II - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL
- III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
- IV - AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL

I - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL (POSTHUMOUS): By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

Second Lieutenant WILLIAM S HENLEY Jr 01328257, Infantry, 333d Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 12 April 1945. Personally leading a squad of his platoon into a German town where the remainder of his company was engaged in clearing enemy resistance, Second Lieutenant Henley, with complete disregard for his safety, boldly exposed himself to enemy fire to enable his men to direct fire upon the hostile positions. During this daring action, which resulted in the successful capture of the town, Second Lieutenant Henley lost his life when he was hit by withering enemy fire. The cool courage, initiative and leadership displayed by Second Lieutenant Henley reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Mississippi.

Technical Sergeant FREDERICK L GREENBACK 16E25215, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 20 November 1944 to 26 April 1945. During the Ardennes counter-offensive, Technical Sergeant Greenback, with complete disregard for his safety under withering hostile fire, approached the most advanced positions of his unit to render medical treatment to a wounded soldier. Moving to another position, Technical Sergeant Greenback directed the placing of artillery fire and smoke shells upon enemy positions, thereby reducing the casualties within his unit. Later, Technical Sergeant Greenback led his platoon in the capture of an enemy machine gun emplacement and the infliction of heavy casualties on the hostile forces. During the drive through Germany, Technical Sergeant Greenback was instrumental in the organization of his unit to successfully repulse an enemy counterthrust and succeeded in capturing a number of German soldiers. Technical Sergeant Greenback died on 5 May 1945, not as the result of enemy action. The courage, initiative and determined fighting spirit displayed by Technical Sergeant Greenback reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

II - AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant CHARLES J YACOVELLI 42041375, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 21 April 1945. When three enemy snipers fired upon him while he was leading his platoon in clearing

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hostile resistance from a German town, Staff Sergeant Yacovelli, with complete disregard for his safety, dashed 40 yards to the building where the snipers held positions and threw two hand grenades to kill the German soldiers. The daring action, initiative and cool courage displayed by Staff Sergeant Yacovelli enabled his platoon to continue, resulting in the annihilation of five more Germans and the capture of six others, and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

**III - AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

Major **ALBERT J NAUTA** O474693, Sanitary Corps, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

First Lieutenant **CHESTER L BROOKS** O1824126, Field Artillery, 654th Tank Destroyer Battalion (Attached 84th Infantry Division), United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France, Luxembourg, Belgium, Holland and Germany, 1 September 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

First Lieutenant **CLARENCE W DRYE** O1326222, Aide-de-Camp (Infantry), Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 10 November 1944 to 27 April 1945. Entered military service from North Carolina.

First Lieutenant **RAYMOND MINOR** O1822301, Infantry, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 16 April to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Florida.

Master Sergeant **TERENCE J FITZPATRICK** 32308775, Headquarters 84th Infantry Division, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Holland, Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Technical Sergeant **ROBERT L BREWER** 39545967, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 30 April to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from California.

Technician Fourth Grade **CLYDE R SCHERTZ** 38359493, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, 30 April to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from Texas.

Technician Fifth Grade **PAUL R WALL** 39271104, 309th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations

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against the enemy in Belgium and Germany, 18 November 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered military service from California.

**IV - AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL:** By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to:

Technician Third Grade JAMES P MONTGOMERY 38232418, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For heroism in Germany, 2 May 1945. When one of five soldiers suffered cramps and was unable to swim to shore when the boat in which they were crossing the Elbe River capsized and sank, Technician Third Grade Montgomery, disregarding his safety, dived into the water and rescued the drowning man, despite suffering cramps himself while returning to shore with the stricken soldier. The unselfish, prompt action, initiative and superior performance of duty displayed by Technician Third Grade Montgomery saved the soldier's life and are in accordance with the finest traditions of the military service of the United States. Entered military service from Texas.

By command of Major General BOLLING:

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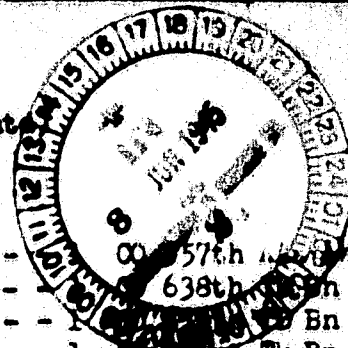
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CO 84th Div Arty - - - - -	2	CO 84th Recon Trp Mecz -	1	CO ... Bn - - - - -	2
AG, Ch, CIC, Cml O - - - -	1	CO 84th Sig Co - - - - -	1	CO ... Tk Bn - - - - -	2
Engr, Fin O, CFO - - - - -	1	CO 333d Inf - - - - -	2	CO 784th Tk Bn - - - -	2
Hist O, L&O, IG, JA - - - -	1	CO 334th Inf - - - - -	2	CO Co A, 505th MP Bn -	1
Ord O, PM, Post O - - - - -	1	CO 335th Inf - - - - -	2	Each Off, QM concerned	1
FRO, Q - - - - -	1	CO Hq Btry, 84th Div Arty	1	TAG - - - - -	3
Sig O, Sp Sv O, Surg - - - -	1	CO 325th FA Bn - - - - -	2	CG ETO, Attn: A&D	
Hq Comdt - - - - -	1	CO 326th FA Bn - - - - -	2	Br, AG Mil Pers - - -	2
CO 84th Reinf Cen - - - - -	1	CO 909th FA Bn - - - - -	2	CG Twelfth A Gp,	
CO 84th Inf Div Band - - - -	1	CO 327th FA Bn - - - - -	2	Attn: 37th MRU - - -	1
CO Sp Trps - - - - -	1	CO 309th Engr C Bn - - - -	2	CG Ninth U. S. Army,	
Surg, Sp Trps - - - - -	1	CO 309th Med Bn - - - - -	2	Attn: A&D Br, AG-M	1
CO Hq Co, 84th Inf Div - - -	1	CO 448th ... AW Bn - - -	2		

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I - AWARD OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE: Under the provisions of Section I, War Department Circular 345, 23 August 1944, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to:

Medical Detachment, 335th Infantry, United States Army. For superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks, 9 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. During this period, the members of this unit, maintaining a high standard of discipline and displaying loyalty, courage and tireless effort, performed their multiple duties under the hazards of combat conditions and adverse weather in a manner which contributed materially to the success of the regiment's military operations. The exemplary action and commendable conduct of the members of the Medical Detachment, 335th Infantry, reflect high credit upon the unit and the armed forces of the United States.

II - AWARDS OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to:

Technician Fourth Grade MORTIMER SIMON 33456947, 909th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 23 April 1945. Serving as a forward observer when the infantry unit to which he was assigned was delayed by enemy fire during an attack upon a German town, Technician Fourth Grade Simon, with complete disregard for his safety, crawled to a vantage point in front of the infantry positions. Although wounded by an intense and continuing barrage of hostile artillery and small arms fire, Technician Fourth Grade Simon directed effective artillery fire upon the enemy to neutralize the German guns and enable the infantry to continue its advance and secure its objective. The dauntless courage, intrepid action and exemplary conduct displayed by Technician Fourth Grade Simon reflect high credit upon himself and the military service. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade ANTHONY F MATRANGO 31286721, 326th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany, 7 April 1945. When the infantry unit to which he was assigned as a radio operator with a forward observer was delayed by heavy enemy fire, Technician Fifth Grade Matrango, disdaining the danger about him, moved forward to a point of vantage. Working under intense artillery fire from fourteen enemy guns, Technician Fifth Grade Matrango established a position from which he directed effective artillery fire to neutralize the enemy guns and enable the infantry to continue its advance. The courage, initiative and superior performance of duty displayed by Technician Fifth Grade Matrango reflect high credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

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