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HEADQUARTERS XX CORPS  
Camp Campbell, Kentucky

15 January 1944

GENERAL ORDERS )

NUMBER 1 )

I ATTACHMENT OF TANK DESTROYER BATTALIONS: Effective upon S-2  
date of arrival at Camp Campbell, Kentucky the following units are attached  
to Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 14th Tank Destroyer Group, S-3  
same station:

692nd Tank Destroyer Battalion  
817th Tank Destroyer Battalion  
825th Tank Destroyer Battalion

II ATTACHMENT OF 14TH ENGINEER COMBAT BATTALION: The 44th  
Engineer Combat Battalion with station at Camp Breckinridge, Kentucky is  
attached to Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1140th Engineer Combat  
Group, same station.

By command of Major General WALKER:

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12 March 1944

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**I DETAIL IN GENERAL STAFF CORPS:** By direction of the President and under authority contained in paragraph 5, AR 605-145, COLONEL HENRY M. ZELLER 016843 Cavalry, Headquarters XX Corps is detailed in the General Staff Corps for duty with troops.

**II ANNOUNCEMENT OF GENERAL STAFF OFFICER:** The appointment of COLONEL HENRY M. ZELLER 016843 GSC as Assistant Chief of Staff G-2, XX Corps is hereby announced..

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3 March 1944

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**DETAIL IN GENERAL STAFF CORPS:** By direction of the President and under authority contained in paragraph 5, AR 605-145, MAJ MAX V KIRKBRIDE 0371720 INFANTRY, Headquarters XX Corps is detailed in the General Staff Corps for duty with troops.

By command of Major General WALKER:

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RELIEVED FROM GENERAL STAFF CORPS: LT COLONEL JOHN H HUCKINS 0251486 Cavalry, Headquarters XX Corps is relieved from detail in the General Staff Corps for duty with troops.

By command of Major General WALKER:

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26 June 1944

G-5 SECTION, CIVIL AFFAIRS: Effective this date, the G-5 Section, Civil Affairs, is established as a general staff section of this headquarters.

By command of Major General WALKER:

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17 August 1944

COLONEL WILLIAM B LEITCH 010058 GSC Hq XX Corps is hereby announced as Acting Deputy Chief of Staff in addition to his other duties.

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17 August 1944

AWARD OF THE BRONZE STAR

Under the provisions of Sec 1, Hq HHC U S Army, 20 Mar 1944, as amended by Sec 1, Cir 56, Hq HHC U S Army, 27 May 1944, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following:

STAFFORD LOR. IRWIN, 03303, USA, Major General, Commanding General, \* \* Infantry Division, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States from 8 August 1944 to 12 August 1944. Entered United States Military Academy from the United States at large.

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15 August 1944

AWARD OF THE BRONZE STAR

Under the provisions of Sec I, Cir 32, Hq ETO U S Army, 20 Mar 1944 as amended by Sec I, Cir 56, Hq ETO US Army, 27 May 1944, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following:

JAMES E. STIDHAM, 0453343, 1st Lieutenant, Signal Corps, \* \* \* Armored Signal Co., \* \* \* Armored Division, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States on 17 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

By command of Major General WALKER:

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GENERAL ORDER:  
NUMBER 15:

24 August 1944

I PURPLE HEART MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following for wounds received in action against the enemy on 23 August at \*\*\*\*\* France:

Cpl Rufus A. Bush  
Cpl Kenneth G. Kelly

6393262  
32391794

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28 August 1944

NUMBER 16)

LIEUTENANT COLONEL HOWARD McC. SNYDER, JR., 020213, INF is detailed in the General Staff Corps for duty with troops and announced as Asst C/S G-3.

By command of Major General WALKER:

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GENERAL ORDER:  
 NUMBER 17:

28 August 1944

I AWARD OF THE SILVER STAR: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended and pursuant to authority contained in paragraph 3c Section I, Circular Number 32, Headquarters ETO U. S. Army, 20 March 1944, as amended by Section I, Circular No. 56, Headquarters ETO U. S. Army, 27 May 1944, the Silver Star is awarded to the following named enlisted men:

EUGENE L. SETTE, 36037544, Master Sergeant, \*\*\*\*\* for gallantry in action in France on 23 August 1944. Entered military service from Illinois.

GEORGE A. BENLON, 53045098, Sergeant, \*\*\*\*\* for gallantry in action in France on 23 August 1944. Entered military service from Virginia.

RUFUS A. EUSH, 6393262, Corporal, \*\*\*\*\* for gallantry in action in France on 23 August 1944. Entered military service from Georgia.

WHITNEY P. PLAYSANCE, 14031615, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\*\* for gallantry in action in France on 23 August 1944. Entered military service from Mississippi.

KENNETH G. KELLY, 32391794, Corporal, Then Private First Class, \*\*\*\*\* for gallantry in action in France on 23 August 1944. Entered military service from New Jersey.

II AWARD OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDALS: Under the provisions of Section I, Circular 32, Headquarters ETO U. S. Army, 20 March 1944, as amended by Section I, Circular 56, Headquarters ETO U. S. Army, 27 May 1944, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following:

GEORGE A. BENLON, 53045098, Sergeant, \*\*\*\*\* for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States on 22 August 1944. Entered military service from Virginia.

RUFUS A. EUSH, 6393262, Corporal, \*\*\*\*\* for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States on 22 August 1944. Entered military service from Georgia.

BOYD G. SCHIEGEL, 19094584, Corporal, \*\*\*\*\* for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States on 22 August 1944. Entered military service from the state of Washington.

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HQ XX CORPS  
 APO 340

GENERAL ORDER )

31 August 1944

NUMBER 18 )

I. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL. Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, and pursuant to authority contained in paragraph 3d, Section I, Circular No. 32, Hq ETO U S Army, 20 March 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named Officers and Enlisted Men:

First Lieutenant John Bell, 01105992, CE, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered Military service from New York.

First Lieutenant John W. Keel, 01109400, CE, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered Military service from Georgia.

Sergeant Vincent D. Castiglione, 32852294, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered Military service from New York.

Sergeant George E. Schell, 32829300, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered Military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade Angelo R. D'Aurio, 32852202, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered Military service from New York.

Private First Class William R. Chase, 32851678, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered Military service from New York.

Private First Class Joseph A. Di Donato, 32860674, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered Military service from New York.

Private First Class Joseph G. Gleason, 32860689, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered Military service from New York.

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Private First Class Morris Hassen, 32860037, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered Military service from New York.

Private First Class George L. Off, 35143610, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Indiana.

Private First Class Richard J. Pokorny, 32828708, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered Military service from New York.

Private First Class Inkermann C. Scott, 32860500, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered Military service from New York.

Private Clifford F. Addelman, 13067004, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with Military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered Military service from Pennsylvania.

Private Martin J. Rosenstein, 32829125, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered military service from New York.

Private Charles W. Schwenk, Jr., 33783375, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France from 10 to 11 August 1944. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

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GENERAL ORDER)  
NUMBER 19)

31 August 1944

I AWARD OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL: Under the provisions of Section I, Circular 32, Headquarters ETO U S Army, 20 March 1944, as amended by Section I, Circular 56, Headquarters ETO U S Army, 27 May 1944, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following:

JACQUES GOMICHON les GRANGES, Lieutenant, Free French Army, \*\*\*\*\* for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States on 23 August 1944.

PAUL J. RETEK, 15082769, Technician Fourth Grade, \*\*\*\*\* for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States on 23 August 1944. Entered military service from Indiana.

HARRY A. SHOUP, 33264711, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\*\* for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States on 23 August 1944. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

ARTHUR L. BEHRENDT, 31344671, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\*\* for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States on 23 August 1944. Entered military service from Connecticut.

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3 September 1944

NUMBER 20)

I AWARD OF SILVER STAR: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to:

LEROY H. HAYNES, 31177369, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Treadway Bridge Company, for gallantry in action, in France on 10 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New Hampshire.

II AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following officers and enlisted men:

JOHN C. HILES, 0484351, Captain, CAC, \*\*\*\*\* Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Mobile), for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Ohio.

GUY PETITPAS DE LA VASSELAIS, 806, Captain, CAV, French Army, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 24 August 1944.

BILLIE C. BUTLER, 6241703, Master Sergeant, \*\*\*\*\* Engineer Topographic Company, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 27 July 1944 and 3 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Tennessee.

JOHN RICHARDS, 32830730, First Sergeant, \*\*\*\*\* Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion, (Mobile), for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

BOYCE C. CHANDLER, 34605103, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\*\* Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion, (Mobile), for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from North Carolina.

III AWARD OF PURPLE HEART: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to CHARLES F. BADGER, 01299352, First Lieutenant, INF, \*\*\*\*\*, for wounds received in action against the enemy 1 September 1944 at \*\*\*\*\* France. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

IV AWARD OF AIR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded to the following Officers:

EDWIN E. WHITNEY, 0347225, Captain, FA, Hq XX Corps Arty, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 5 August 1944 and 22 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Indiana.

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GO 20, Hq XX Corps, dtd 3 September 1944, (Cont'd)

JERRY L. CHURCH, 0887815, Second Lieutenant, FA, Hq XX Corps Arty, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France on 14 August 1944. Entered Military Service from California.

V AWARD OF OAK LEAF CLUSTER: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

JERRY L. CHURCH, 0887815, Second Lieutenant, FA, Hq XX Corps Arty, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 5 August 1944 and 15 August 1944. Entered Military Service from California.

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GO 21, Hq XX Corps, dtd 5 Sept 44 (Cont'd)

JAMES T. MC CLAIN, 36118460, Master Sergeant, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

JOHN R. SWITHERS, 32330784, Master Sergeant, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

MILAN E. ENGEN, 36296739, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Wisconsin.

JOSEPH M. MESSNER, 33071430, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

WILLIAM K. FURBELL, 19119208, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from California.

RAYMOND E. CARBY, 32290827, Technician Third Grade, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

ALBERT K. POUNIAN, 16146148, Technician Third Grade, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Illinois.

ADOLFO PEREZ, 38157420, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

HENRY L. FERRY, 36297606, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Wisconsin.

GLEN APPLEMAN, JR., 35171021, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Indiana.



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GO 21, Hq XX Corps, dtd 5 Sept 1944 (Cont'd)

GEORGE W. WICKLIAN, 39676732, Private First Class, \*\*\*\*\* XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Washington.

CARL H. KELLY, 33538932, Private, \*\*\*\*\*, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Virginia.

RICHARD T. HOWELL, JR., 14095295, Private, \*\*\*\*\*, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Mississippi.

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5 September 1944

NUMBER 21)

I AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following officers and enlisted men:

JULIUS E. SLACK, 012271, Brigadier General, United States Army, Hq XX Corps Artillery, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

CHARLES G. LEEHAN, 015545, Colonel, GSC, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered United States Military Academy from New York.

CHESTER A. CARLSTEN, 014794, Colonel, Signal Corps, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Wisconsin.

ROBERT E. CULLEN, 015700, Colonel, AGD, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered United States Military Academy from New York.

WILLIAM B. LEITCH, 010058, Colonel, GSC, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Kentucky.

R. JOHN WEST, JR., 016925, Colonel, QMC, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered United States Military Academy from Kansas.

HENRY H. ZELLER, 016843, Colonel, GSC, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered United States Military Academy from Texas.

DELVILLE I. STARK, 0334783, Lieutenant Colonel, GSC, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Florida.

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GO 21 Hq XX Corps, Dtd 5 Sept 44 (Cont'd)

HAROLD C. PARSONS, 0283920, Lieutenant Colonel, GSC, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Idaho.

WILLIAM C. JAMES, 01104228, Captain, CE, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

WILLIAM H. LEE, 01109447, Captain, CE, Headquarters XII Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

CHARLES F. BADGER, 01299352, 1st Lieutenant, INF, \*\*\*\* XII Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

LEW M. CLINGAN, 01010353, 1st Lieutenant, CIE, \*\*\*\*\* XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Oklahoma.

JEROME BELSKY, 0916471, 1st Lieutenant, ORD, Headquarters XII Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New Jersey.

ALBERT R. PARSONS, W2106412, CWO, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

WALTER E. FLANIGAN, 36037484, Master Sergeant, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Illinois.

WILBUR W. HENISER, 13070658, Master Sergeant, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Maryland.

HANS W. HERRMENSEN, 36341022, Master Sergeant, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 26 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Illinois.

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HEADQUARTERS XX CORPS  
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5 September 1944

GENERAL ORDER.)

NUMBER 22)

It is particularly befitting that the XX Corps finds itself on its second anniversary on this historic battlefield of World War I. Since its activation as the IV Armored Corps in the Desert Theatre of Operations on 5 September 1942 it has seen service at Camp Campbell, Kentucky, in the United Kingdom and in France. Through the combined loyalty, valor and fortitude of all officers, warrant officers and enlisted men you have in those two short years created a cohesive organization that has already won itself a name on the battlefields of France.

Let us continue our efforts with renewed and greater vigor so that the Third Anniversary of the Corps will find us once again victorious.

*Walton H. Walker*

WALTON H. WALKER  
Major General, United States Army  
Commanding.

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14 September 1944

GENERAL ORDER )

NUMBER 23 )

I AWARD OF SILVER STAR: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to:

ROY L ABBOTT, 34162580, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for gallantry in action, in France on 13 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Alabama.

WILLIAM H UMLAUT, 36588149, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for gallantry in action, in France on 19 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

JOHN FAUCI, 36653363, Private First Class, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for gallantry in action, in France on 19 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Illinois.

II AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following officers and enlisted men:

ADOLPH K AXELSON, 01109796, First Lieutenant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 1 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Minnesota.

DONALD O KRUGER, 6864235, Staff Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from South Dakota.

RALPH E SCHROEDER, 36813213, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Wisconsin.

ROBERT W BROTT, 36460452, Private First Class, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 19 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

ELWOOD E HAUBRICH, 36813414, Private First Class, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Wisconsin.

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THOMAS D REITH, 42021309, Private, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

ARDALE H HUBBLE, 38375924, Private, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 7 August 1944 and 28 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Louisiana.

III. AWARD OF PURPLE HEART: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following officers and enlisted man:

RICHARD S OGLESBY, 01113377, Second Lieutenant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Technical Intelligence Team, for wounds received in action against the enemy on 9 September 1944 in France.

JOHN E MC CANN, 01179527, Second Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for wounds received in action against the enemy on 14 August 1944 in France.

JESSE S BURBAGE JR, 01558242, Second Lieutenant, ORD, \*\*\*\* Ordnance Bomb Disposal Squad, for wounds received in action against the enemy on 8 September 1944 in France.

HOWARD I STARR, 33567353, Private First Class, \*\*\*\* Engineer Topographic Company, for wounds received in action against the enemy on 10 September 1944 in France.

IV. AWARD OF AIR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded to the following officer and enlisted man:

RICHARD A JOHNSON, 01172095, Captain, FA, Headquarters XX Corps Artillery, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 5 August 1944 and 31 August 1944. Entered Military Service from California.

NORBERT SZABLA, 16082481, Staff Sergeant, \*\*\*\*\* United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in an aerial flight over France on 28 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

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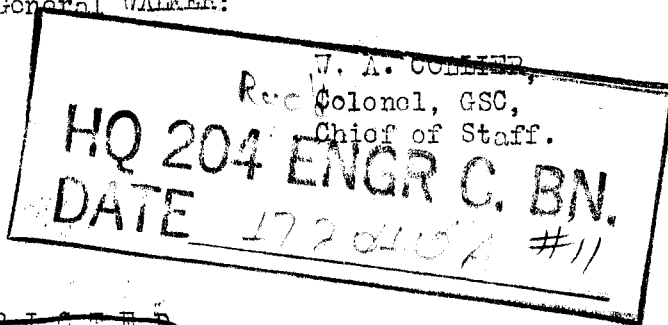
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I AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF SILVER STAR: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded posthumously to:

WELBOEN B GRIFFITH JR, 016194, Colonel, GSC, Headquarters XX Corps, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in France on 16 August 1944. Entered the United States Military Academy from Texas.

By command of Major General WALKER:

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AWARD OF SILVER STAR: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to the following officers:

WILLIAM A. COLLIER, 07598, Colonel, GSC, Headquarters XX Corps, for gallantry in action, from \*\*\*\* to \*\*\*\* in France. As Chief of Staff, XX Corps, Colonel Collier, with complete disregard for his own safety, almost daily visited forward units as well as division headquarters of the XX Corps to check the actual locations and dispositions of those units in order that he could more efficiently direct and supervise the execution of the directives of the Corps Commander. He was always keenly observant of the manner in which the units could be assisted in carrying out their missions. During this entire time he travelled through areas which had not been completely cleared of the enemy and on several occasions was exposed to enemy fire. Colonel Collier's accurate knowledge of conditions confronting the units together with his good judgment, leadership and persuasive method of encouraging the units to move forward aggressively and expeditiously contributed greatly to the rapid accomplishment of all the missions assigned to the XX Corps. Entered Military Service from Massachusetts.

HOWARD McC. SNYDER, JR., 020217, Lieutenant Colonel, GSC, Headquarters XX Corps, for gallantry in action on \*\*\*\* in France. On the night of \*\*\*\* 1944, the \*\*\*\* Infantry Regiment of the \*\*\*\* Infantry Division, was planning to cross the \*\*\*\* RIVER under cover of darkness in the vicinity of \*\*\*\*. The crossing of the \*\*\*\* Infantry Regiment the previous day had met very strong resistance, and the proposed crossing of the \*\*\*\* Infantry Regiment was a critical operation of the XX Corps. Lieutenant Colonel Snyder undertook to view the crossing in order to prepare plans for the river crossing under Corps control in the event the \*\*\*\* Infantry Regiment failed to cross. At approximately 0430, \*\*\*\* 1944, Lieutenant Colonel Snyder left his vehicle in the town of \*\*\*\* and without regard for his personal safety proceeded toward the crossing site. While so engaged he encountered heavy machine gun and mortar fire. Entered United States Military Academy from Wyoming.

By command of Major General WALKER:

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I AWARD OF SILVER STAR: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to:

OWAL H ROBINSON, 022938, Lieutenant Colonel, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for gallantry in action, on 16 August 1944 in France. Entered United States Military Academy from Texas.

GEORGE W MOYER, 01115359, First Lieutenant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Light Ponton Company, for gallantry in action, on 23 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Oregon.

DAVID S GAY, 01032708, Second Lieutenant, CAV, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for gallantry in action, on 28 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Kentucky.

JOHN B OROFINO, 36588157, Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for gallantry in action, in France. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

JOSEPH M FOX, 10235803, Corporal, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for gallantry in action, on 24 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Trinidad, British West Indies.

LYLE A KNUTSON, 37569426, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Engineer Light Ponton Company, for gallantry in action, on 23 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Minnesota.

WILLIAM J GIBSON, JR., 36588170, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for gallantry in action, on 11 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

ERNEST T CERASO, 33686959, Private First Class, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for gallantry in action, on 25 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

DANIEL H KLUCK, 38535781, Private, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for gallantry in action, on 1 September 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Texas.

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II AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to:

JOHN D ZURCHER, 20245316, Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Armored Field Artillery Battalion, for heroism not involving actual conflict with the enemy on 22 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from New Jersey.

MARION A REED, 37203754, Corporal, \*\*\*\* Armored Field Artillery Battalion, for heroism not involving actual conflict with the enemy on 22 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Missouri.

JAMES C TURNER, 33694797, Private, \*\*\*\* Medical Clearing Company (Sep), for heroism not involving actual conflict with the enemy on 5 September 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

III AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

HAROLD T RICHARDS, 01031753, First Lieutenant, C.V, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 11 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Illinois.

CHARLES A COLLINS, W2109943, Warrant Officer Junior Grade, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 28 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

JOSEPH D DONAHUE, 39575247, Private First Class, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 28 August 1944. Entered Military Service from California.

IV AWARD OF PURPLE HEART: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

CHARLES E ZEIGER, 35162268, Technical Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for wounds received in action against the enemy on 10 September 1944 in France.

LEON PINI, JR., 31241556, Corporal, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for wounds received in action against the enemy on 9 September 1944 in France.

V AWARD OF AIR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded to:

NEIL R SHELL, 01178335, Second Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 2 August 1944 and 12 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Arkansas.

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VI AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

NEIL R SHELL, 01178335, Second Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 13 August 1944 and 28 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Arkansas.

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I AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

FRANK P CORBIN, JR., 018402, Colonel, JAGD, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 27 August 1944 and 15 September 1944. Entered United States Military Academy from West Virginia.

WILLIAM E HELTZEL, 0271928, Lieutenant Colonel, SC, \*\*\*\* Signal Battalion, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 15 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Indiana.

JOHN H HUCKINS, 0251486, Lieutenant Colonel, CAV, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 27 August 1944 and 15 September 1944. Entered Military Service from New Hampshire.

JOHN W LIBCKE, 0233642, Lieutenant Colonel, GSC, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 27 August 1944 and 15 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

NAPOLEON A RACICOT, 0169276, Lieutenant Colonel, QMC, Headquarters Company XX Corps, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 27 August 1944 and 15 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Massachusetts.

LESTER C AYERS, 0241069, Major, INF, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 27 August 1944 and 15 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Massachusetts.

JAMES S BRANCH, 0348783, Captain, SC, \*\*\*\* Signal Battalion, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 26 August 1944 and 27 August 1944. Entered Military Service from South Carolina.

WILLIAM R BURTON, 0498676, Captain, SC, \*\*\*\* Signal Battalion, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Ohio.

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JAMES E COX, 0419160, Captain, CE, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 27 August 1944 and 15 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

MELVAN M JACOBS, 01280616, Captain, FD, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 27 August 1944 and 15 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Missouri.

VICTOR D NORALL, 0310148, Captain, MC, Medical Detachment, Headquarters Company XX Corps, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 27 August 1944 and 15 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Nebraska.

WILLIAM P MULLEN, 38120670, Master Sergeant, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 27 August 1944 and 15 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

RICHARD C GREENE, 37071603, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 27 August 1944 and 15 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Nebraska.

SIEGFRIED BORNSTEIN, 32805425, Technician Third Grade, Headquarters XX Corps, for heroic action in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 13 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

ALFRED J OTTOSON, 34546070, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 27 August 1944 and 15 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Florida.

WOODROW W JENNINGS, 34273580, Private, \*\*\*\* Quartermaster Car Company, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 27 August 1944 and 15 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Mississippi.

By command of Major General WALKER:

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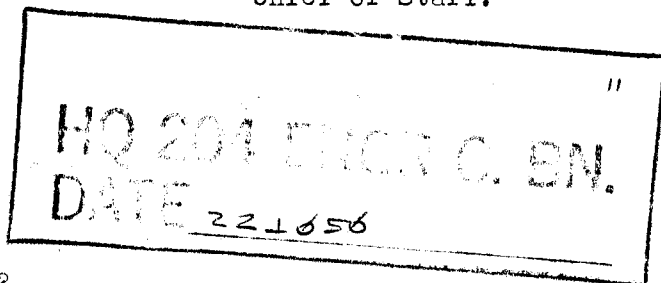
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I AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF SILVER STAR: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded posthumously to:

TED G BYRD, 01640291, Second Lieutenant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for gallantry in action, on 16 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Arkansas.

HOWARD W BURR, 36587885, Private First Class, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for gallantry in action, on 19 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

II AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

ALFRED J SCOTT III, 0358215, Major, INF, Headquarters XX Corps, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 7 August 1944 and 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from California.

WILLIAM W TAYLOR, 36652687, Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Illinois.

CHARLES K FELVER JR., 42006773, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New Jersey.

ROBERT S SAVLEY, 34501143, Private First Class, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 12 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Tennessee.

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HOMER C STURGILL, 35202703, Private First Class, \*\*\*\* Quartermaster Car Company, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Kentucky.

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I AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

✓ WILLIAM K. JACKSON, 0328228, Major, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 9 August 1944 and 27 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Florida.

ROBERT S. GREER JR., 01100125, Captain, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 17 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Oklahoma.

WALTER C KMECIK, 01113787, Second Lieutenant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 17 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

✓ CHARLES W. WALTERS, 33042091, Master Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 25 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Virginia.

✓ SAMUEL A. VILLANI, 32214786, First Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 14 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

ROBERT R. ALLEN, 17011983, Staff Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 24 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Nebraska.

CHARLES BLANKENSHIP, 33046811, Staff Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 24 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Virginia.

CLAYTON V. CROSS, 34785441, Staff Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 22 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Florida.

JACK DOTTA, 37076202, Staff Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 25 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Missouri.

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JAMES K DUNCAN, 35254586, Staff Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 17 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Indiana.

EUGENE A. HOLLY, 38057750, Staff Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Engineer Treadway Bridge Company, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 27 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

LOUIS C. HALL, 32550791, Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

EDWARD J THOMAS, 31302116, Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 10 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Massachusetts.

WILDER V. LOVELESS, 34579525, Technician Fourth Grade, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 17 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Georgia.

JIMMIE H. CHILTON, 34774217, Corporal, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 25 August 1944. Entered Military Service from North Carolina.

FLOYD F. GREENE, 34774062, Corporal, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 24 August 1944. Entered Military Service from North Carolina.

JESSE W. L. WRIGHT, 33644950, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 23 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Virginia.

GEORGE L. STONE, 31320041, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Engineer Light Equipment Company, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 30 July 1944. Entered Military Service from Maine.

JAMES J. ROMANIELLO, 31326538, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Engineer Light Equipment Company, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 30 July 1944. Entered Military Service from Connecticut.

JOSEPH MILLIOTO, 31296032, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Engineer Light Equipment Company, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 30 July 1944. Entered Military Service from Massachusetts.

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RUSSELL H JORDON, 31291015, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Engineer Light Equipment Company, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 30 July 1944. Entered Military Service from Rhode Island.

GEORGE P HAHN, 33558485, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Engineer Light Equipment Company, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 30 July 1944. Entered Military Service from Maryland.

ROBERT F FARRELL, 31300732, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Engineer Light Equipment Company, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 30 July 1944. Entered Military Service from Massachusetts.

JESS C. MICHALOWSKI, 42006218, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 23 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

WALTER C BENACK, 39121681, Private First Class, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 17 August 1944. Entered Military Service from California.

DENNIS H. EDGE, 34030612, Private, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 17 August 1944. Entered Military Service from North Carolina.

GRANVILLE T. USSERY, 39692928, Private, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 17 August 1944. Entered Military Service from California.

SAMUEL COURTURIER, 31445142, Private, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 24 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Rhode Island.

DONALD J. HAAPALA, 39911357, Private, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 10 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Utah.

HORACE E. LEWIS, 33644983, Private, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 23 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Georgia.

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I. AWARD OF SILVER STAR: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to:

WILLIAM O. HOWE, 09031353, Captain, GAV, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for gallantry in action on 25 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Missouri.

II. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

CHARLES A. PYLE, 012281, Colonel, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 7 September 1944 and 12 September 1944. Entered United States Military Academy from Indiana.

JAMES J. FOGARTY, 0239139, Lieutenant Colonel, FA, XX Corps Artillery, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 31 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

✓ GEORGE H WALKER, 020617, Lieutenant Colonel, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Group, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 12 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Oklahoma.

HOWARD W. CLARK, 023698, Major, CE, Headquarters XX Corps, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 25 August 1944. Entered United States Military Academy from the United States at Large.

VINCENT L COATES, 024954, Captain, INF, \*\*\*\* Tank Destroyer Group, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 7 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Massachusetts.

HAROLD D LANCHAM, 0344788, First Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from California.

WILLIAM E. McGAUGHY, 01644580, First Lieutenant, SC, \*\*\*\* Signal Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 24 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Massachusetts.

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KENNETH C PIERSON, 16085392, Technical Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Signal Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 24 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

IVAR L IVERSON, 16152253, Staff Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Signal Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 24 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

THOMAS WILLIAMS, 20204916, Staff Sergeant, XX Corps Artillery, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 31 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

DON L. DOIN, 15106486, Staff Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Signal Battalion, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Indiana.

LEO W. PHELPS, 36109796, Sergeant, \*\*\*\* Medical Collecting Company, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 9 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

CLARENCE H HUGGER, 16152309, Technician Fourth Grade, \*\*\*\* Signal Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 24 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

HARRY ABRAMS, 37153975, Technician Fourth Grade, \*\*\*\* Signal Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 24 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Nebraska.

ROBERT J. EISENHUT, 32670389, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Signal Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 24 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

ANDREW C SANTANA, 20204085, Technician Fifth Grade, XX Corps Artillery, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 1 August 1944 and 31 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

ROMAN J. LERCZAK, 16065084, Technician Fifth Grade, \*\*\*\* Signal Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 12 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

JOHN L MALINOWSKI, 32730951, Private First Class, \*\*\*\* Signal Battalion, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 16 August 1944 and 4 September 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

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CARL W BIRD, 38506917, Private First Class, \*\*\*\* Tank Destroyer Group, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 7 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Arkansas.

RALPH P CANNIZZARO, 32868386, Private, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

STANLEY C. BURROUSKI, 31315780, Private, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Massachusetts.

III AWARD OF PURPLE HEART: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

GEORGE W. ELKINS JR, 0410783, Major, FA, XX Corps Artillery, for wounds received in action against the enemy on 24 August 1944 in France.

EDWIN F WHITNEY, 0347225, Captain, FA, XX Corps Artillery, for wounds received in action against the enemy on 24 August 1944 in France.

ALDEN L. NOYD, 32829831, Technician Fourth Grade, \*\*\*\* Engineer Maintenance Company, for wounds received in action against the enemy on 22 August 1944 in France.

RICHARD D. DeBOY, 32830345, Private, \*\*\*\* Engineer Maintenance Company, for wounds received in action against the enemy on 22 August 1944 in France.

JAMES N MOORE, 34704793, Private, \*\*\*\* Engineer Maintenance Company, for wounds received in action against the enemy on 22 August 1944 in France.

CHARLES R TIDWELL, 16076301, Private, \*\*\*\* Engineer Maintenance Company, for wounds received in action against the enemy on 22 August 1944 in France.

IV AWARD OF AIR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded to:

LOUIS B. SMITH, 01174976, Captain, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 12 August 1944 and 24 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Florida.

JAMES A. RUTHERFORD, 0380568, First Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 5 August 1944 and 23 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

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JOHN W. BERGEN, 01182062, Second Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 5 August 1944 and 23 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Arizona.

CHARLES J. CAPALANO, 01176277, Second Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 5 August 1944 and 1 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Maryland.

EUGENE H. SCOTT, JR., 0542125, Second Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight over France on 27 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Georgia.

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I AWARD OF SILVER STAR: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to:

JAMES R. MAJOR, 0410060, First Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for gallantry in action on 8 September 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Virginia.

JAMES R. MOODY, 6889537, First Sergeant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for gallantry in action on 16 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

II AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

ROBERT H. LATIMER, 0317831, Lieutenant Colonel, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Group, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 10 September 1944 and 12 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Oklahoma.

WILLIAM W. RINGER, 0244460, Lieutenant Colonel, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 6 August 1944 and 1 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Kansas.

MARSHALL WALLACH, 021977, Lieutenant Colonel, C.V, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 28 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Virginia.

THOMAS L. HOWARD, 0266720, Major, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 10 September 1944. Entered Military Service from California.

EDWIN R. SLEAR, 0403412, Major, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Group, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 7 September 1944 and 11 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

RICHARD S. VAUGHAN, 0315674, Major, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 6 August 1944 and 1 September 1944. Entered Military Service from South Carolina.

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CHESTER D. TUCKER, 0317283, Captain, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 6 August 1944 and 1 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Iowa.

ARNOLD MAEKER, 0471377, Captain, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Treadway Bridge Company, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 10 September 1944 and 12 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

ANTONIO V. REYES, 0182485, Captain, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 18 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

ROBERT HARTWICK, 0115738, First Lieutenant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 11 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

✓ SPENCER R. LEWIS, 0115904, Second Lieutenant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 10 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

JAMES F. FLYNN, 6855765, Technical Sergeant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 11 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Minnesota.

JAMES C. RAYBON, 6397019, Staff Sergeant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 24 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Mississippi.

EMIL R. WESSELS, 38056927, Staff Sergeant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Treadway Bridge Company, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 29 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

✓ JOSEPH BRANCH, 32856696, Staff Sergeant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 12 September 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

HARRY A. CANNON, 6918132, Sergeant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 14 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Illinois.

EARL W. STANLEY, 34054839, Sergeant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 14 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Florida.

EDWIN N. BLASINGAM, 34286720, Sergeant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 11 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Tennessee.



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JAMES R. DURBIN, 35020370, Sergeant, FA\*\*\* Tank Destroyer Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 8 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Ohio.

LAWRENCE D. JEFFERSON, 37531962, Sergeant, CE\*\*\* Engineer Light Ponton Company, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 12 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Missouri.

HELMAN S. LANDRETH, 34774384, Sergeant, CE\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 11 September 1944. Entered Military Service from North Carolina.

JOHN W. CARROLL, 31302475, Technician Fourth Grade, CE\*\*\* Engineer Light Equipment Company, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 10 September 1944 and 12 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Massachusetts.

OWEN J. KARIMANN, 36812582, Technician Fourth Grade, CE, \*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 12 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Wisconsin.

WILLIAM F. GRIFFIN, 31300730, Technician Fourth Grade, CE, \*\*\* Engineer Light Equipment Company, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 10 September 1944 and 12 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Massachusetts.

HARRY CACALI, 33110108, Technician Fourth Grade, CE \*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 12 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

GLENN J. MULLIS, 34775746, Technician Fourth Grade, CE \*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 11 September 1944. Entered Military Service from North Carolina.

JOHN W. GOLDEN, 32955309, Technician Fifth Grade, CE \*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 23 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New Jersey.

JULIUS E. ARONOW, 32967604, Private First Class, CE \*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 12 September 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

MYRVIN H. DeJARNETTE, 35730464, Private First Class, CE \*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 11 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Kentucky.

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ROY F. McCASLAND, 38428697, Private First Class, CE, \*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 24 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

RICHARD W. BRADY, 32828630, Private First Class, CE, \*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 11 September 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

ALFRED W. KEMP, 35753733, Private First Class, CE, \*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 11 September 1944. Entered Military Service from West Virginia.

ODDIE L. SWIFT, 35143693, Private, CE, \*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 11 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Indiana.

III AWARD OF AIR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded to:

ANTONIO V. REYES, 0422493, Captain, FA, \*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 1 August 1944 and 9 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Texas.

THOMAS A. RANDO, 01174115, First Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 1 August 1944 and 9 August 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

DONALD L. WAGNER, 01174464, First Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 10 August 1944 and 1 September 1944. Entered Military Service from the state of Washington.

PAUL B. WHERLEY, 01174864, First Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 1 August 1944 and 9 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Ohio.

HERMAN P. WINTERER, 01174197, Second Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 10 August 1944 and 1 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

GEORGE W. OLLIVER, JR., 17061881, Staff Sergeant, FA, \*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 10 August 1944 and 1 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Missouri.

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I AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF SILVER STAR: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded posthumously to:

GEORGE P. SAULTER, W-2124555, Chief Warrant Officer, AUS, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for gallantry in action, on 17 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from New York.

FRED W. T. BAKER, 6864208, Staff Sergeant, CAV, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for gallantry in action, on 1 September 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from South Dakota.

KENNETH J. SHINKO, 13133140, Private First Class, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for gallantry in action, on 25 August 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

II AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded posthumously to:

WALLACE R. CUMBO, 36588126, Corporal, CAV, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 28 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

JOHN D. SMITH, 36585986, Technician Fifth Grade, CAV, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 28 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Michigan.

FOREST E. TURNER, 35164304, Private, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 28 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Indiana.

III AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded posthumously to:

GLENN D. WICKER, 02055199, First Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 2 August 1944 and 12 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Kansas.

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GLENN D. WICKER, 02055199, First Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Group, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 13 August 1944 and 1 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Kansas.

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I AWARD OF SILVER STAR: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to:

LEONARD O. BOUGHTON, 32835206, Technician Fifth Grade, CAV, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for gallantry in action, on 1 September 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from New York.

JAMES J. HICKMAN, 33791304, Technician Fifth Grade, CAV, \*\*\*\* Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, for gallantry in action, on 1 September 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

HENRY J. CRUCY, 32828385, Private, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for gallantry in action, on 11 September 1944 in France. Entered Military Service from New York.

II AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

PETER FOX, 0413916, Major, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 1 September 1944. Entered Military Service from California.

GEORGE VELKAS, 32829180, Sergeant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 11 September 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

ALEX C. BONGIORNO, 36813044, Sergeant, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 11 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Wisconsin.

ANTHONY PUNTORIERO, 20215612, Sergeant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 1 September 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

WILLIAM C. GEMMELL, 20233273, Technician Fifth Grade, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 1 September 1944. Entered Military Service from New York.

HENRY D. RENOOLD, 11010175, Private First Class, CE, \*\*\*\* Engineer Combat Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 16 August 1944. Entered Military Service from Connecticut.

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RICHARD PARADIS, 31317233, Private First Class, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in France between 2 July 1944 and 20 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Maine.

JOHN H. SMITH, 17129705, Private First Class, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France on 1 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Kansas.

III AWARD OF AIR MEDAL: Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded to:

ROBERT HUBER, 01181914, First Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 8 August 1944 and 12 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Kansas.

RALPH E. MUNTZEL, 01169264, First Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 15 August 1944 and 16 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Missouri.

ERNEST L. WAGNER, 0435620, First Lieutenant, FA, \*\*\*\* Field Artillery Battalion, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights over France between 8 August 1944 and 7 September 1944. Entered Military Service from Oregon.

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