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GENERAL ORDERS)
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ORIGINAL ORDER

I - AWARDS, POSTHUMOUS, OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individuals:

PAUL D WINTERS, 31149179, Technician Third Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 29 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pawtucket, Rhode Island. Next of kin: Mr Henry Winters, (Father), 18 Armistice Blvd, Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

BENJAMIN J GLOVER, 35810791, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, in Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Russell Springs, Kentucky. Next of kin: Mr Force Glover, (Father), Russell Springs, Kentucky.

LOWELL E PACELEY, 36763534, Private First Class, Company "B", 313th Medical Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 15 April 1945, near La Torre, Italy. Entered military service from Kenney, Illinois. Next of kin: Mrs Olive M Paceley, (Wife), Box 182, Kenney, Illinois.

RAYMOND E WILLET, 37489893, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, in Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Wymore, Nebraska. Next of kin: Mrs Lydia M Willet, (Mother), Wymore, Nebraska.

LYLE H WILKINS, 39296304, Private, Company "G", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, near Persicelo, Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California. Next of kin: Mrs Lucy Hazel Wilkins, (Wife), 1507 Duncan Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

SHERIDAN J FRELIN, 33337392, Staff Sergeant, Battery "B", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Williamsport, Pennsyl

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WILSON HARGREAVES, 0335346, Lieutenant Colonel, Field Art... Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat fro... 1945 to 9 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Elmhurs...

LAWRENCE E SOMMERS, 0320219, Lieutenant Colonel, Field Artillery, 91... Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Dallas, Texas.

RICHARD P LIVELY, 0283172, Lieutenant Colonel, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 10 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Dallas, Texas.

CARL I SEXTON, 34713929, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Ca David, Italy. Entered military service from Lafayette, Tennessee.

JOHN T SULLIVAN, 31334720, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Marion, Connecticut.

JAMES A FLANAGAN, 01165388, Major, General Staff Corps, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 21 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Anamosa, Iowa.

ALFRED L ALK, 01114341, First Lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 12 February 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

JOE O TODD, 38202891, Staff Sergeant, Battery "C", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Henderson, Texas.

JAMES P LYONS, 01285454, Major, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near Revere, Italy. Entered military service from Spokane, Washington.

JERRY J DE STEFANO, 32398395, Technician Fifth Grade, Battery "A", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

III- AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

HARRY M WHITE JR., 37530375, Private, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Marysville, Kansas.

FRANCIS W HANNON, 32407930, Private First Class, Company "A", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Long Island, New York.

EARL W ARRINGTON, 35084[illegible]1, Private First Class, (then Private), Company "A", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, at Ronco, Italy. Entered military service from Cincinnati, Ohio.

EUCLID T LE BLANC, 31425346, Private First Class, Company "D", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

LOUIS A CASTELLANO, 31143394, Staff Sergeant, (then Sergeant), Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, at Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from New Haven, Connecticut.

CHARLES F LOCKE, 42024745, Private, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Rochester, New York.

JOSEPH R BANKS, 34104866, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 15 April 1945 to 18 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Dora, Alabama.

JEROME J WILL, 37485054, Private First Class, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Le Mandrie, Italy. Entered military service from Crook, Nebraska.

GEORGE BENSON, 12092463, Staff Sergeant, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Casa di Mazza, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

CLIFFORD MILLER, 20631421, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Casa di Mazza, Italy. Entered military service from Monroe, Michigan.

HERMAN ZIEMER, 36761412, Private First Class, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Le Mandrie, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

HENRY C STRICKLIN, 15046993, Sergeant, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Le Mandrie, Italy. Entered military service from Bowling Green, Kentucky.

CLARENCE A BELL, 33410967, Staff Sergeant, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Le Mandrie, Italy. Entered military service from Erie, Pennsylvania.

MAURO I HERNANDEZ, 38109302, Private First Class, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Casa di Mazza, Italy. Entered military service from Canyon, Texas.

GORDON D HENSON, 6917112, Staff Sergeant, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Le Mandrie, Italy. Entered military service from Peoria, Illinois.

RICHARD D BENZEL, 39463157, Private First Class, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Le Mandrie, Italy. Entered military service from Spokane, Washington.

WILLIAM P TUTTLE, 01289168, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 and 19 April 1945, near Fazzano and Sasso Bolognese, Italy. Entered military service from Columbus, Georgia.

MELVIN J HODGKINSON, 39917952, Private First Class, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Le Mandrie, Italy. Entered military service from Salt Lake City, Utah.

HERBERT J STWALLEY, 35259779, Technical Sergeant, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Le Mandrie, Italy. Entered military service from Hymera, Indiana.

JAMES A BATES, 39582908, Private, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Le Mandrie, Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

CHESTER J WASILEWSKI, 11070594, Sergeant, (then Corporal), Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Fazzanello, Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

ALBERT R VARGAS, 39017380, Private, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

BENJAMIN F LAWSON, 33736210, Private, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, in the vicinity of Bassano del Grappa, Italy. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

RALPH DECKER JR., 01032272, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, in the vicinity of Arsie, Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

BILLY M CARROLL, 38482291, Private First Class, Company "K", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, in the vicinity of Salizzole, Italy. Entered military service from Tyler, Texas.

ARNOLD J WEBER, 36219022, Sergeant, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945 in the vicinity of Castel-Franco, Italy. Entered military service from Stratford, Wisconsin.

THOMAS D ARNOLD, 31359081, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, in Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Winchester, Massachusetts.

WALTER J MATTSON, 3937119, Sergeant, Company "A", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, near San Giovanni, Italy. Entered military service from Portland, Oregon.

ROBERT W HEUSER, 01306719, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 2 May 1945, in the vicinity of Ronsegno, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

JAMES E SIBLEY, 01315379, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Oakland, California.

WALTER C DOLDE, 01540678, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, in the vicinity of Ostiglia, Italy. Entered military service from Maple Shades, New Jersey.

KENNETH M WOOD, 01312072, Captain, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 2 May 1945, in the vicinity of Ronsegno, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

*WILLIAM H CLARK, ~~0412026~~ 0-292354, Major, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, in the vicinity of Bolognina, Italy. Entered military service from Joplin, Missouri. Sec of Army Ltr #79—June 19, 1945

RAYMOND GRECO, 33582255, Sergeant, Company "B", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 19 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

ALBERT E PRUNTY, 36690500, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, in the vicinity of Sasso Bolognese, Italy. Entered military service from Hudson, Illinois.

JAMES F PAVLINEC, 36768568, Private, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27 April 1945, in the vicinity of Batica, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

JOHN D MILLIKEN, 01327562, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, near Persicelo, Italy. Entered military service from Bellevue, Pennsylvania.

EIMER P BROWN, 37400687, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Irondale, Missouri.

LOUIS A RODRIQUEZ, 39138618, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, in the vicinity of Gesso (Mount Capra), Italy. Entered military service from Redwood, California.

GEORGE E VIA, 33535319, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, in the vicinity of Sasso Bolognese, Italy. Entered military service from Christiansburg, Virginia.

JULIUS AUTUNNO, 31251379, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Ca David, Italy. Entered military service from New Britain, Connecticut.

RAY A HUMMEL, 33832011, Private First Class, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 9 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

FRANK GULLEY, 33214493, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, near Ostiglia, Italy. Entered military service from Dryden, Virginia.

EDWARD VRABEL, 35586421, Private, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, in the vicinity of Gesso, Italy. Entered military service from Canton, Ohio.

JOHN J TYLER, 36567090, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 22 April 1945, in the vicinity of Caselle, Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

ROBERT A STALTER, 0445498, First Lieutenant, Corps of Military Police, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 23 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Decatur, Indiana.

JOSEPH T AUWERS JR., 36401124, Corporal, Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 15 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Grand Rapids, Michigan.

JOHN W GOMPPER, 01692963, First Lieutenant, Corps of Military Police, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

FREDERICK F PRATT, 19186185, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Infantry Division Band. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

CARL J FELDMAN, 32687086, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Special Troops, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 10 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Long Island City, New York.

WILLIAM M RAGAN JR., 33742032, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Special Troops, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 1 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Washington D C.

DEMPSEY J SHEPHERD, 36572079, Sergeant, Headquarters Special Troops, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 11 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

JOSEPH H WEHR, 35486348, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Evansville, Indiana.

ALBERT J BEDOLLI, 36427535, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Peoria, Illinois.

JOHN W POTTER, 31251251, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Special Troops, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 7 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

WILLIAM M HOLTFRETER, 36427522, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 1 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Corn Gordo, Illinois.

CLAYTON C OCHS, 32562648, Private First Class, 88th Infantry Division Band. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pine Island, New York.

MILTON B SLOANE, 0345509, Lieutenant Colonel, Medical Corps, Headquarters 313th Medical Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

MOSES SOMMER, C527187, Captain, Medical Corps, 313th Medical Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Staten Island, New York.

VERNON R PHILLIPS, 0465379, Captain, Medical Corps, 313th Medical Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Dalmatia, Pennsylvania.

CHARLES J BOBECK, O474957, Captain, Medical Corps, 313th Medical Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Canandaigua, New York.

RICHARD H BATES, 31127091, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Detachment, 313th Medical Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 27 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Haydenville, Massachusetts.

JAMES G CARROLL, 36645275, Private First Class, Company "B", 313th Medical Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 May 1944 to 30 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

IV - AMENDMENTS

1. So much of Section III, General Orders Number 64, this headquarters, cs, pertaining to the Award of the Bronze Star Medal to Captain Irley A Bonnette, 01165369, Field Artillery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion is amended to read Captain Irley A Bonnette, 01165369, Field Artillery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion.

2. So much of Section I, General Order Number 46, this headquarters, cs, awarding the Bronze Star Medal to Sergeant Robert F Walske, 362888162, Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment is amended to read Sergeant Robert F Walske, 36288162, Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL KENDALL:

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I - AWARD OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individual:

GARLAND C JORDAN, 01167927, Captain, Field Artillery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Bassano del Grappa, Italy. Entered military service from McAlister, Oklahoma.

II- AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

HOMER L EASON, 34768916, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Matthews, Georgia.

JOHN E RODGERS, 34769067, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oglethorpe, Georgia.

RENARD FRAZIA, 32410275, Private, Company "B", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Carmignano di Brento, Italy. Entered military service from Queens, Long Island, New York.

CLIFFORD B KLINE, 33760503, Private First Class, Company "B", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Carmignano di Brento, Italy. Entered military service from Clearfield County, Pennsylvania.

TRUMAN E WHITNEY, 32372906, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "B", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Carmignano di Brento, Italy. Entered military service from Massena, New York.

JOSEPH BELNICK, 32626549, Corporal, Medical Detachment, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Westbury, New York.

GEORGE S SCHNEIDER, 38251754, Private First Class, Company "C", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 28 January 1945, in the vicinity of La Tomba, Italy. Entered military service from Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

LEONARDO L MARTINEZ, 39260486, Corporal, (then Technician Fifth Grade), Company "C", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 28 January 1945, in the vicinity of La Tomba, Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

JAMIE COSTELLO, 37459521, Private First Class, Company "C", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 28 January 1945, in the vicinity of La Tomba, Italy. Entered military service from Fort Warren, Wyoming.

SALVATORE G ARTINO, 32960604, Private First Class, Company "C", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 28 January 1945, in the vicinity of La Tomba, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

REUBEN H JACOBY, 36529926, Sergeant, Company "C", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 28 January 1945, in the vicinity of La Tomba, Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

ERNEST OROSCO, 18186923, Private First Class, Company "C", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 28 January 1945 in the vicinity of La Tomba, Italy. Entered military service from Houston, Texas.

ANTON F HAESLER, 38250726, Sergeant, (then Corporal), Company "C", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 28 January 1945, in the vicinity of La Tomba, Italy. Entered military service from Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

VICTOR WOODWARD, 35753770, Private First Class, Company "C", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 28 January 1945, in the vicinity of La Tomba, Italy. Entered military service from Clarksburg, West Virginia.

HENRY L SCHUPPLE, 01108306, Captain, Corps of Engineers, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

ROBERT F SAWALLIS, 01165446. Captain, (then First Lieutenant), Field Artillery, Headquarters Fifth Army. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 31 December 1944, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

DOUGLAS R CARPENTER, 31149042, Technician Fifth Grade, Battery "B", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island

JIMMIE L GRIFFIN, 38192573, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chelsea, Oklahoma.

WILLIAM J CONKLIN, 32625970, Corporal, Battery "B", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Orange, New York.

DAVID L PRESSLY, 0439989, Captain, Medical Detachment, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Statesville, North Carolina.

WILLIAM STONE, 36572528, Sergeant, Battery "A", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

RILEY E HARRIS, 35102538, Private First Class, Battery "A", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 18 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Tambark, Kentucky.

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~~HERSHEL J WOOD~~, 38192381, Private First Class, Battery "A", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, in the vicinity of Di Sopra, Italy. Entered military service from Tulsa, Oklahoma.

LYNFORD M WRIGHT, 32377076, Technician Fourth Grade, Service Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Elmira, New York.

STERLING R DEATHERAGE, 38289033, Private First Class, Battery "B", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fifty Six, Arkansas.

WALTER W GROTH JR., 38250770, Private First Class, Battery "B", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brazoria, Texas.

STUART B ROUNDS, 32270957, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Trenton, New Jersey.

STANLEY A ROGINSKI, 36007010, Technician Third Grade, Headquarters Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

GERARD F FORTIN, 31117204, Technician Fifth Grade, Battery "B", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Winslow, Maine.

JULIO WILLIAMS, 32270575, Sergeant, Battery "A", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Tronton, New Jersey.

FRANK D LOWERY, 011654l6, Captain, Field Artillery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ocoee, Tennessee.

WALLACE E WATERS, 0538306, Second Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 April 1945 to 10 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Matthews, Missouri.

FRANCIS J P CLIFFORD, W2119318, Chief Warrant Officer, USA, Service Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Arlington, Massachusetts.

STEVE J WIECZOREK, 36105711, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Battery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 16 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Monroe, Michigan.

FREDERICK J ALSTON, 32661412, Technician Fifth Grade, Battery "A", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Watervliet, New York.

ROBERT C YETTER, 32386236, Sergeant, Battery "A", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Belvidere, New Jersey.

CHARLES F DUNN, 31001810, Sergeant, Battery "C", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 27 February 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rutland, Vermont.

EDWARD D GUINEY, 32372900, Sergeant, Battery "A", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 22 April 1945, near Bolognina, Italy. Entered military service from South Colton, New York.

ROBERT E EVERETT, 31000874, Sergeant, Battery "A", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, near Lama, Italy. Entered military service from Norway, Maine.

JOHN L RYAN, 11081156, Corporal, Headquarters Battery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 17 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cambridge, Massachusetts.

VERNON A JOSLYN, 01174334, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Saint Paul, Minnesota.

CHARLES H CORNELL, 12090527, First Sergeant, Battery "A", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat near Carabbio, Italy, on 24 April 1945. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

GRADY LEE, 34156060, First Sergeant, Battery "B", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Minden, Louisiana.

PETER ZERBA, 33165781, Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 19 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Cumberland, Pennsylvania.

JOHN L NICHOLS, 3123554, Technician Fourth Grade, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

CLAUBURN J ROLLINS, 38289113, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Paris, Arkansas.

JOHN R CRAYTHORNE, 32271144, Technical Sergeant, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Dix, New Jersey.

IRVIN E ROBERSON, 33217817, Private First Class, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Roanoke, Virginia.

HARRY S GOODWIN JR., 36528968, Technician Fourth Grade, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

DEEMER CAMPBELL, 34714357, Private First Class, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camp Forrest, Tennessee.

SIDNEY FEINSTEIN, 11087353, Technician Fourth Grade, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

ERNEST L MURRAY, 31115555, Technician Fourth Grade, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 11 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rutland, Vermont.

ANDREW TORRE, W2121074, Chief Warrant Officer, USA, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Haven, Connecticut.

ORRIN H BEATTIE, 31339687, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rutland, Vermont.

MICHAEL S MESI, 32386119, Staff Sergeant, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

WILLIAM A BILLINGSLEY, 35362618, Staff Sergeant, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Indianapolis, Indiana.

RAYMOND D BIXLER, 13006249, Master Sergeant, 88th Signal Company. For Meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

BEDFORD C STULL, 13018412, Technical Sergeant, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Covington, Virginia.

ROBERT S SHAFFER, 35746055, Corporal, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Clarksburg, West Virginia.

FREDERICK A MILLER, 32373604, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, near Zevio, Italy. Entered military service from Cohoes, New York.

PINCUS FINKELSTEIN, 32626282, Corporal, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 22 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Freeport, Long Island, New York.

ALAN L SENN, 32358127, Technician Fourth Grade, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 1 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Staten Island, New York.

CLINTON A BROWN, 32401219, Staff Sergeant, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Floral Park, New York.

RICHARD H BEALES, 33634895, Technician Fifth Grade, (then Private First Class), 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Leesburg, Virginia.

NOLEN S BROWN, 34819046, Private First Class, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Sheffield, Alabama.

THOMAS E DUFFY, 32403296, Technician Fourth Grade, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, in the vicinity of Lavino di Mezzo, Italy. Entered military service from Yonkers, New York.

JOHN W CEDER, 35462499, Private First Class, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 14 April 1944 to 30 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Indianapolis, Indiana.

CHARLES E YOUNG, 36810139, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Amery, Wisconsin.

RICHARD J NOWAK, 32708409, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Povolaro, Italy. Entered military service from Middle Village, New York.

JOSEPH J ZAJAC, 31313848, Private First Class, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 20 May 1944 to 30 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newington, Connecticut.

KENNETH S JAGO, 36529888, Technician Fourth Grade, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 11 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

DENNIS E FINN, 31325439, Private First Class, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Isola, Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

CECIL E BARTER, 31117698, Corporal, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near S Felice, Italy. Entered military service from Isle Au Haut, Maine.

FRANCIS K MILLER, 12122971, Technician Fourth Grade, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

LEONARD L JUBY, 32372576, Private First Class, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 3 March 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boonville, New York.

JACOB C CASS, 38251042, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop, For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, near Lavino di Mezzo, Italy. Entered military service from Comfort, Texas.

ELMER NELSON, 32626266, Private First Class, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 22 April 1945, near Casselle, Italy. Entered military service from Hempstead, Long Island.

JOHN L HUNT, 33383866, Private First Class, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, at Carpane, Italy. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

CHESTER F FISHER, 32401016, Technician Fourth Grade, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Valley Stream, Long Island, New York.

BRYAN BROWN JR., 35792043, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cincinnati, Ohio.

GEORGE E SEATON, 31141443, Private First Class, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 12 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

EDWARD J KELLY, 31250667, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 12 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Waterbury, Connecticut.

RAYMOND F HANDRIGAN, 31149216, Staff Sergeant, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 23 December 1944 to 12 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

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GENERAL ORDERS)
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I - AWARD OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individual :

WILLIS C JONES, 0470092, First Lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 25 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

II- AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

PHILLIP J McGUIRE, 33747825, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Washington, D C.

WILLIAM T GILKEY, 39545373, Private First Class, Company "A", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Inglewood, California.

MITCHAEL J ZRADICKA, 36703579, Private, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from North Chicago, Illinois.

WILLIAM E BROWN, 38606491, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Pampa, Texas.

ROBERT C HARSHBARGER, 33698905, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Luke, Maryland.

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CECIL C ARNETT, 35644295, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Epson, Kentucky.

CLIFFORD N NELSON, 16021146, Technical Sergeant, Company "A", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Spooner, Wisconsin.

RAYMOND CLOSE, 36902107, Private First Class, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, on Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

JOHN L WOLF, 33692107, Private First Class, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, on Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

FRANKLIN H REED, 20829126, Private First Class, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 15 April 1945, near La Torre, Italy. Entered military service from Ada, Oklahoma.

BERNARD H ROSE, 39212362, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Casa di Mazza, Italy. Entered military service from Seattle, Washington.

DEAN B HODGES, 34892043, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 19 April 1945 to ? May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from West Jefferson, North Carolina.

DANIEL J GOTWALT JR., 33215470, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Lupia, Italy. Entered military service from York, Pennsylvania.

SALVATORE FICARRA, 32386887, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, near Arsie, Italy. Entered military service from Elizabeth, New Jersey.

WILLIAM C SWAFFORD, 34397672, Sergeant, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, in the vicinity of Legune, Italy. Entered military service from Anniston, Alabama.

SHERMAN W EMERICK, 35933806, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, in the vicinity of Crevalcore, Italy. Entered military service from Confluence, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH M CANTY, 31214124, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 22 April 1945, in the vicinity of Poggio Rusco, Italy. Entered military service from Springfield, Massachusetts.

RENE E PELLETIER, 31430252, Private First Class, Company "A", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 22 April 1945, near C Colombaia, Italy. Entered military service from Fall River, Massachusetts.

HELLMUTH H SCHAEFER, 37610483, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near San Giovanni, Italy. Entered military service from Herman, Missouri.

JAMES C RIGNEY, 36955519, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, near Arsie, Italy. Entered military service from East Saint Louis, Illinois.

HENRY J STELLINE, 31138251, Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Detachment, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hamilton, Massachusetts.

ERNEST E SCHIEWEK, 6568892, First Sergeant, Battery "C", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ryder, North Dakota.

ANGELO P CHIORSE, 32387741, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

DANIEL F McKEOWN JR., 32386440, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Union, New Jersey.

EUGENE E CHIRAVALLI, 31142864, Staff Sergeant, Service Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

JAMES A EVANS, 38278922, Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 1 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Worth, Texas.

MILFORD J MOZINGO, 14028760, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, near Friola, Italy. Entered military service from Dudley, North Carolina.

EARL C CADY JR., 0537509, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 21 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Potterville, Michigan.

WILLIAM H SIEGRIST, 36401103, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lansing, Michigan.

JOSEPH P BANULSKI, 32906584, Private First Class, Battery "C", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

CARL W ROTHWELL, 31109631, Private First Class, Battery "C", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Concord, New Hampshire.

FREDERICK N VETTES, 32820765, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Battery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 27 February 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

BERNARD TRAPP, 32271143, First Sergeant, Battery "C", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camden, New Jersey.

GREGORY A KRAUS, 01110056, Captain, Corps of Engineers, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rochester, New York.

MARION F LUKASIK, 16111240, Private, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

JOHN R PUFFER JR., 0496318, First Lieutenant, Cavalry, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 8 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Mexico Military Institute, New Mexico.

LLOYD D SMITH, 0436837, First Lieutenant, Cavalry, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oklahoma Military Academy, Oklahoma.

JOHN J HALLOWS, 32379416, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, at Zevio, Italy. Entered military service from Perry, New York.

EARL C CADY JR., 0537509, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 21 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Potterville, Michigan.

WILLIAM H SIEGRIST, 36401103, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lansing, Michigan.

JOSEPH P BANULSKI, 32906584, Private First Class, Battery "C", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

CARL W ROTHWELL, 31109631, Private First Class, Battery "C", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Concord, New Hampshire.

FREDERICK N PETTES, 32320765, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Battery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 27 February 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

BERNARD TRAPP, 32271143, First Sergeant, Battery "C", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camden, New Jersey.

GREGORY A KRAUS, 01110056, Captain, Corps of Engineers, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rochester, New York.

MARION F LUKASIK, 16111240, Private, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

JOHN R PUFFER JR., 0496318, First Lieutenant, Cavalry, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 8 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Mexico Military Institute, New Mexico.

LLOYD D SMITH, 0436837, First Lieutenant, Cavalry, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oklahoma Military Academy, Oklahoma.

JOHN J HALLOWS, 32379416, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, at Zevio, Italy. Entered military service from Perry, New York.

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LESTER M COOPER, 32305297, Technical Sergeant, 88th Infantry Division Band. For meritorious service in combat from 24 August 1944 to 16 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Clifton, New Jersey.

ARTHUR C HOBGOOD, 01285422, First Lieutenant, Quartermaster Corps, 350th Infantry Regiment, (attached to 88th Military Police Platoon). For meritorious service in combat from 7 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Kentucky.

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GENERAL ORDERS)
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I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE PURPLE HEART.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the first bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

SAM F PALERMO, 38241065, Cpl, Co M, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 18 July 1944. Entered military service from Dickinson, Texas

RAY M CUTRIGHT, 01999151, 1st Lt, Inf, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Mill Creek, W.Va

CHRISTIAN F ALSEN, 36640826, Pfc, Co K, 351st Infantry Regiment Italy, 6 October 1944. Entered military service from Chicago, Ill.

HERMAN W ESCHENBACK, 33559714, Pvt, Hq Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 19 April 1945. Entered military service from Baltimore Md.

ALLEN S HALL, 36739051, Pfc, Hq Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 4 December 1944. Entered military service from Rockford, Ill.

MAURICE T JONES, 35874255, Pfc, Co G, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 30 October 1944. Entered military service from Cincinnati, Ohio.

FRED J RUSSELL JR, 32355631, Sgt, Btry B, 337th Field Artillery Battalion, Italy, 26 December 1944. Entered military service from Yonkers, N Y.

II - AWARDS OF THE PURPLE HEART.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

ROBERT A GILES, 38176829, S Sgt, Co C, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Paragould, Ark.

PATRICK J PACE, 32400850, Tec 3, Med Det, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Brooklyn, N Y.

JEROME J SCHROEDER, 36881350, S Sgt, Co B, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 17 April 1945. Entered military service from Wayne, Md

JAMES W CROCKER, 34779970, Pfc, Co B, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Spartanburg, S C

THOMAS J GONNELLA, 33746489, Pfc, Med Det, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 22 October 1944. Entered military service from Washington, D C.

HERMAN H KAMEN JR, 36983505, Pfc, Co B, 349th Infantry Regiment Italy, 15 April 1945. Entered military service from Gladwin, Mich.

ROBERT R SMITH, 34770122, Pfc, Co C, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Brevard, N C.

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~~THOMAS M THOMPSON, 37584239, Pfc, Co A, 349th Infantry Regiment~~ Italy, 17 April 1945. Entered military service from Garrison, N D.

BRUCE G WEBSTER, 36765787, Pvt, Hq Co 2d Bn, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 8 July 1944. Entered military service from Chicago, Il

RALPH W KAULL, 31289881, S Sgt, Co I, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 9 July 1944. Entered military service from Middletown, R I.

JOHN H MURCHIE, 38259222, S Sgt, Co K, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 7 October 1944. Entered military service from Mobile, Ala.

WILLIAM O BLUE, 37402918, Pfc, Co L, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 23 September 1944. Entered military service from Matthews, Mo.

ANDREW KORCHAK, 32657348, Pfc, Co K, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 9 October 1944. Entered military service from Brooklyn, N Y.

LAWRENCE S LAPORTE, 36880238, Pfc, Co I, 349th Infantry Regiment Italy, 24 October 1944. Entered military service from Detroit, Mich.

EDWARD A LONCZAK, 33896589, Pfc, Co K, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 18 October 1944. Entered military service from Baltimore, Md

HARRY M MILLER, 36782628, Pfc, Co L, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 7 October 1944. Entered military service from Bluffton, Ind.

JAMES F PUGH, 39621865, Pfc, Co L, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 8 October 1944. Entered military service from Fort Benton, Mont.

LEO B RANDALL, 36409928, Pfc, Co K, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 2 October 1944. Entered military service from Muir, Mich.

HELMER C STRAND, 37567971, Pfc, Co L, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 22 January 1945. Entered military service from Erskine, Minn.

NORMAN TAGGETTE, 31145925, Pfc, Co L, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 11 July 1944. Entered military service from St Francis, Mo.

GORDON S YOUNG, 34834878, Pfc, Co L, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 26 October 1944. Entered military service from Concord, Ga.

ANTHONY R MINOTTE, 37542002, Pfc, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 12 October 1944 . Entered military service from Duluth Minn.

BILLY D WILLIAMS, 35760592, Pfc, Hq Co, 351st Infantry Regiment Italy, 27 October 1944. Entered military service from Fairview, W. Va.

HAROLD J CORROW, 36640826, Pfc, Co K, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 27 September 1944. Entered military service from Millsboro, N Y.

JAMES H PRATT, 38599772, Pfc, Co C, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Reador, Ark.

JOHN H BUCHANAN, 39475005, Pfc, Co C, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from McCleary, Wash.

SAMUEL A HEDRICK, 34980941, Pfc, Co C, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Tampa, Fla.

THOMAS F AYERS, 34889279, Pfc, Co C, 313th Medical Battalion, Italy, 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Springfield, Tenn.

FRANK BOUNDS, 18179082, Tec 5, Co C, 313th Medical Battalion, Italy, 15 October 1944. Entered military service from Fort Worth, Texas.

NOLAN S BROWN, 34819046, Pfc, 88th Rcn Trp, Italy, 29 April 1945. Entered military service from Sheffield, Ala.

WILLIE IVY, 6262739, S Sgt, 88th Rcn Trp, Italy, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Pineland, Texas.

III - AMENDMENT.

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So much of Section II, General Orders Number 17, this headquarters, dated 11 February 1945 as pertains to the award of the Purple Heart to Pfc Manley L Brady, 31117884, Company "B", 351st Infantry Regiment is amended to read Award of the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart.

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I - AWARDS, POSTHUMOUS, OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individuals:

DONALD L HARRINGTON, 31382220, Private First Class, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near De Sopra, Italy. Entered military service from East Killingly, Connecticut. Next of kin: Mrs Agnes Harrington, (Mother), Box 134, East Killingly, Connecticut.

MORGAN J QUINN, 15342432, Private, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 17 August 1944 to 30 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Washington, D C. Next of kin: Mr Henry I Quinn, (Father), 4921 Rockwood Parkway NW, Washington, D C.

II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

NORMAN P HOEFLING, 35486288, Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16-17 April 1945, in the vicinity of Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Princeton, Indiana.

FRED K KRAUSS, 31251147, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 2 May 1945, near Borgo, Italy. Entered military service from Windsor Locks, Connecticut.

DONALD G STENQUIST, 39928555, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, in the vicinity of Ostiglia, Italy. Entered military service from Tremonton, Utah.

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III- AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

JAMES F STIRZAKER, 31137826, Sergeant, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 14 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hyde Park, Massachusetts.

CARL A RAFF, 36401267, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lansing, Michigan.

CHARLES D BYRD, 34497361, Private, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Covington, Pennsylvania.

JOHN R SMITH, 34302740, Sergeant, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Ruffin, North Carolina.

RUSSELL F ALT, 35031614, Private First Class, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, near Feltre, Italy. Entered military service from Youngstown, Ohio.

TROY E STACKS, 36901295, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Laglia, Italy. Entered military service from Buchanan, Michigan.

JOHN J BURNS, 31138319, Staff Sergeant, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near De Sopra, Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

ANDREW T NEDOROSCIK, 6710883, First Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 13 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Albany, New York.

ALLEN E HICKS, 33227237, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Richmond, Virginia.

GEORGE J BARTOLI, 36639603, Private First Class, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near Pianazza, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

MITCHELL M IAUFENBERG, 38414255, Staff Sergeant, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Port Arthur, Texas.

FLOYD J BLEAU, 33903966, Corporal, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 15 April 1945, near Fazzano, Italy. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

CARL F SCHAEFER, 36450253, Private First Class, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kalamazoo, Michigan.

THOMAS P HANLON JR., 33702175, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near Laglia, Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

RICHARD J GILBERT, 32400725, Sergeant, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

HAROLD F QUIGLEY, 31450234, Private, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near La Torre, Italy. Entered military service from Belfast, Maine.

BENJAMIN B CULP, 0325655, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Charlotte, North Carolina.

GEORGE W WHITNEY, 36409877, Private First Class, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Di Sopra, Italy. Entered military service from Mount Pleasant, Michigan.

ACIE W WRIGHT, 35776231, Private First Class, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near Mount Mario, Italy. Entered military service from Pikeville, Kentucky.

FELIX H BRILEY, 38479778, Private First Class, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near Mount Mario, Italy. Entered military service from Nacogdoches, Texas.

THOMAS C SANDERSON, 31250845, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, in the vicinity of Fazzano, Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

PHILLIP C FERNALD, 31175062, Private First Class, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 15 April 1945, near Casa di Massa, Italy. Entered military service from Dover, New Hampshire.

LEWIS SLADE, 31115788, Technical Sergeant, (then Corporal), Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rutland, Vermont.

WALTER J NEUMANN, 32335234, Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

MARTIN J GRIFFIN, 11098120, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, in the vicinity of La Torre, Italy. Entered military service from Livermore Falls, Maine.

LINUS J GRODEN, 32379394, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Casa di Mazza, Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

JAMES W DAVIS, 0399694, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Nashville, Tennessee.

GEORGE FUNICH JR., 0407787, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Pursglove, West Virginia.

RALPH J POWERS, 0366575, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, near Villa Quieta, Italy. Entered military service from Crookston, Minnesota.

JULIUS V LONG, 33532183, Staff Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Di Sopra, Italy. Entered military service from Abingdon, Virginia.

LAWRENCE R KIDDER, 31178354, Private First Class, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, on Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Lebanon, New Hampshire.

EDWARD T BEDNARZ, 37471726, Private First Class, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Omaha, Nebraska.

SAMUEL D WARD, 38319728, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, in the vicinity of Marzabotto, Italy. Entered military service from Finley, Oklahoma.

THADDEUS J WASZKIEWICZ, 32569487, Sergeant, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, in the vicinity of Marzabotto, Italy. Entered military service from Passaic, New Jersey.

JOHN J MAZETIS, 11087788, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, in the vicinity of Marzabotto, Italy. Entered military service from South Boston, Massachusetts.

JOHN A TARDI, 36639306, Private First Class, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

RICHARD F DILLON, 31637883, Private, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, in the vicinity of Bassano del Grappa, Italy. Entered military service from Saint Charles, Missouri.

ROBERT FORTHOFFER, 36877147, Private First Class, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wixom, Michigan.

THOMAS VODACEK, 36780881. Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, in the vicinity of Sasso Bolognese, Italy. Entered military service from Coal City, Illinois.

GEORGE J BOUCHARD, 31149647, Private, Company "A", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, in the vicinity of C Colombaia Italy. Entered military service from Barrington, Rhode Island.

SAMUEL S MOFFAT, 34842624, Private First Class, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Abbeville, South Carolina.

GARLAN T BELL, 34493137, Private First Class, Company "G", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, in the vicinity of Riale, Italy. Entered military service from Rockwood, Tennessee.

STANLEY J JAMROG, 36740177, Private First Class, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27 April 1945, in the vicinity of Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

IVAN E EPPERLEY, 18130577, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, in the vicinity of Marzabotto, Italy. Entered military service from Blackwell, Oklahoma.

JAMES SANTANGELO, 32386565, Technician Fifth Grade, Battery "C", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Paterson, New Jersey.

GALLIE E THOMASON, 6241433, Master Sergeant, Service Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

THOMAS A MEEHAN, 32357623, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 31 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ozone Park, New York.

OLIVER J BRASSARD, 31006623, First Sergeant, Battery "A", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Springfield, Massachusetts.

ANTHONY CICCARELLI, 33369872, Corporal, Headquarters Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 10 December 1944 to 1 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Allentown, Pennsylvania.

RICHARD C PETROCINE, 32356427, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 22 September 1944 to 1 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Peekskill, New York.

BERNARD J KREZELEWSKI, 36401177, Staff Sergeant, Battery "A", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Grand Rapids, Michigan.

WILLIAM GORMLEY, 32269771, Sergeant, Service Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Dix, New Jersey.

JAMES M SANDERS, 01185127, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 23 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Saint Louis, Missouri.

ROY S DETURCK, 33368551, Corporal, Battery "B", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oley, Pennsylvania.

SIDNEY SIMON, 32398759, Corporal, Service Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

ANTHONY R WALLACE, 32396530, Technician Fourth Grade, Battery "C", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 1 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

WALTER SHEREMETA, 36529164, Corporal, Battery "B", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 24 April 1945 to 25 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

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JOSEPH O JENNINGS, 38068149, Staff Sergeant, Medical Detachment, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 26 February 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sudan, Texas.

MILTON B DOLINGER, 13129610, Corporal, Battery "A", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from State College, Pennsylvania.

FRANCIS X EGGENSPILLER, 20535465, Private First Class, Battery "A", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Louisville, Kentucky.

LLOYD C ZILL, 36577351, Sergeant, Company "B", 313th Medical Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, at La Tomba, Italy. Entered military service from Ann Arbor, Michigan.

ERNEST G TINSLEY, 35044971, Private First Class, Headquarters Detachment, 313th Medical Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Waddy, Kentucky.

ATLAS D KNAPP, 35226892, Private First Class, Company "B", 313th Medical Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, at La Tomba, Italy. Entered military service from Wapakoneta, Ohio.

ROBERT E KUENZE, 32387576, Staff Sergeant, Company "B", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Carmignano di Brento, Italy. Entered military service from Elizabeth, New Jersey.

EUSTACE A CHASTAIN, 34043249, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from McDonald, Tennessee.

COLBY L CRANDALL, 31800901, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oakfield, Maine.

ROY T CUTLER, 36533341, Corporal, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, near Lavino di Mezzo, Italy. Entered military service from Moweaqua, Illinois.

VICTOR A BEDARD, 31293187, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near Ospetadilo, di Brenta, Italy. Entered military service from Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

FRANK J YARUTA, 33061592, Technician Fourth Grade, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, near Carpane, Italy. Entered military service from Lutherville, Maryland.

GERALD F ROBISCH, 32402783, Corporal, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, near Carpane, Italy. Entered military service from Hartonville, New York.

JAMES PASCOE, 01577665, First Lieutenant, Ordnance, 788th Ordnance (LM) Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Flint, Michigan.

MORRIS H BRAKEFIELD, 34931097, Private First Class, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Jackson, South Carolina.

SIDNEY STOVER, 34833669, Private First Class, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort McPherson, Georgia.

FRANKLIN N SAYLES, 32374074, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Albany, New York.

FRED S BODENHEIMER, 01945997, First Lieutenant, Transportation Corps., 2680th Headquarters Company, MTS. For meritorious service in combat from 1 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

IV AMENDMENT

So much of Section II, General Orders Number 65, this headquarters, dated 30 May 1945, as pertains to the Award of the Bronze Star Medal to Captain Robert F Moore, 01011291, Infantry, (Armored) 760th Tank Battalion, is amended to read Award of the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL KENDALL:

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ORIGINAL ORDER

I - AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individual:

JAMES WARD, 34464427, Private First Class, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Casa di Mazza, Italy. Entered military service from Parkersburg, North Carolina. Next of kin: Mrs Carrie M Ward, (Mother), Route #1, Parkersburg, North Carolina.

II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

CHARLES J BORG, 32298417, Sergeant, Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Astoria, Long Island, New York.

ROY E GRAY, 01217628, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cincinnati, Ohio.

GEORGE E DUFFY, 01540764, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 15 April 1945, near Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Westport, Connecticut.

JAMES V WOOLAVER, 01540617, First Lieutenant, (then Second Lieutenant), Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near La Torre, Italy. Entered military service from Dennison, Texas.

DOMINICK C PAPA, 32056608, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Secacus, New Jersey.

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RICHARD F DECKER, 01309156, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Highland, New York.

DAVID W HALDERMAN, 33337439, Sergeant, Company "B", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Carmignano, di Brenta, Italy. Entered military service from Fallsington, Pennsylvania.

WILLIAM E CAWOOD, 01013624, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 752d Tank Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, from Portovecchio to Borgofranc Italy. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

WILLIAM H SMITH, 01010808, Captain, Cavalry, 752d Tank Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 16 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

JOHN H McCLELLAND, 01823181, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 805th Tank Destroyer Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Dallas, Texas.

III- AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

WALLACE L PECK, 39545307, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

BURKE O WRIGHT, 39920255, Staff Sergeant, Company "A", 349th Infantry Regiment For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Blanding, Utah.

WILLIAM C REECE, 34720200, Private First Class, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Memphis, Tennessee.

JOSEPH P GROMATSKI, 32401102, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Garden City, New York.

WILLIAM G MURRAY, 38600900, Private, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Hot Springs, Arkansas.

EARL A GOULD, 31351722, Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 22 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Entered military service from Woodland, Maine.

JOHN S CHMIELINSKI, 12096304, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, at Cornuda, Italy. Entered military service from Schenectady, New York.

EUGENE VALERIO, 39459324, Private First Class, Company "A", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, at Lobia, Italy. Entered military service from Rociada, New Mexico.

ROBERT L KNOX JR., 0309378, Major, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lake Charles, Louisiana.

GEORGE F KEPCHAR, 31193343, Sergeant, (then Private First Class), Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Connecticut.

RAYMOND N MICHEL, 32006265, Private First Class, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near Finale, Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

CHARLES W MICHALOWSKI, 32386347, Staff Sergeant, Company "D", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 27 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oxford, New Jersey.

JOHN B HEFNER, 38228884, Sergeant, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, near Cornuda, Italy. Entered military service from Sweetwater, Texas.

HENRY CRUZ, 39545181, Private First Class, Cannon Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 10 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

DONALD V ANDREOTTA, 31142539, Technical Sergeant, (then Sergeant), Headquarter Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 8 March 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

CLARENCE G JOHNSON, 31371824, Technician Fourth Grade, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Omaha, Nebraska.

JAMES A BROWNING, 0442114, Captain, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, in the vicinity of the Po River, Italy. Entered military service from Raiford, Florida.

CHARLES H DORNACKER, 01315398, Captain, (then First Lieutenant), Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, on Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Minneapolis, Minnesota.

MARTIN BANYAI, 36576673, Private First Class, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near De Sotto, Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

GEORGE M TERJESEN, 12181356, Private First Class, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, near Prato del Migilo, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

CHESTER W PITUSZYNSKY, 029533, First Sergeant, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

FRANCIS P COSTELLO, 32398573, Master Sergeant, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Long Island City, New York.

ROY G MOORE, 35870317, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Mount Adone, Italy. Entered military service from Indianapolis, Indiana.

JOHN P HUNDLEY, 01318798, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, in the vicinity of Monterumici. Italy. Entered military service from Kyle, West Virginia.

FRANK A FURLO, 01316401, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, near Ca di Mazza, Italy. Entered military service from Granville, New York.

JULIUS B McWHORTER, 38608292, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, near Sasso Bolognese, Italy. Entered military service from Lubbock, Texas.

WILLIAM W LANE, 38047021, Private First Class, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Di Sopra, Italy. Entered military service from Dallas, Texas.

ALBERT MAXA, 33554681, Private First Class, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, in the vicinity of Monte Maro, Italy. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

JOSEPH BOBACK, 32386132, Technical Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near Mount Mario, Italy. Entered military service from Passaic, New Jersey.

ROBERT McCLANAGHAN, 19118513, Private First Class, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near De Sopra, Italy. Entered military service from Coruallis, Oregon.

JAMES D SHEA, 32397730, Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

JOHN G STANEIKA, 31338612, Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, near Casa Vota, Italy. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Connecticut.

WILLIAM E PERRIMAN, 37625871, Private First Class, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near Pianazza, Italy. Entered military service from Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

ARTHUR B SCOTT, 34369407, Corporal, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 15 April 1945, in the vicinity of C di Boschi, Italy. Entered military service from Knoxville, Tennessee.

ROBERT A JANELLE, 31398762, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, in the vicinity of Sasso Bolognese, Italy. Entered military service from Saco, Maine.

HOBART E KEES, 35653142, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, near Arsie, Italy. Entered military service from Burnwell, West Virginia.

JACOB SCHNABEL JR., 32573342, Private First Class, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Clifton, New Jersey.

FRANK J LEWANDOWSKI, 33426435, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Bassano, Italy. Entered military service from Natrona, Pennsylvania.

ELMER D WELLS, 35808454, Private First Class, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Bassano, Italy. Entered military service from Lewisburg, Kentucky.

EDWARD A Mc DERMOTT, 42008172, Staff Sergeant, Company "A", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Bassano, Italy. Entered military service from Coytesville, New Jersey.

FRANK E LIMBRUNNER, 31251160, Technical Sergeant, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

MICHAEL TOMASZEWSKI, 12081666, Staff Sergeant, Company "G", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, near Persicelo, Italy. Entered military service from Cheektowaga, New York.

BIONTI A PIZZI, 31384271, Sergeant, Company "A", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Bassano, Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

JOHN L WHITEHEAD, 34805515, Sergeant, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, near Legune, Italy. Entered military service from Cottonwood, Alabama.

JOHN P CAMPBELL, 01297157, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 13 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Dubuque, Iowa.

PETER KRAVACK JR., 33337583, Private First Class, Company "D", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945 and 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

LESTER W SPRAGUE, 32400996, Staff Sergeant, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, near Sasso Bolognese, Italy. Entered military service from Medford, New York.

EDWIN A KEROUAC, 36688438, Private First Class, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, in the vicinity of Mount Capra, Italy. Entered military service from Kankakee County, Illinois.

OFA C PARSONS, 35762065, Private, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Bassano, Italy. Entered military service from Spencer, West Virginia.

JOSEPH W ADAMS, 15046373, Technical Sergeant, Company "C", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Louisville, Kentucky.

JOHN H GREENE, 36577090, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Detachment, 313th Medical Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Van Dyke, Michigan.

ROBERT N AMOS, 34761098, Private First Class, Company "B", 313th Medical Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, at La Tomba, Italy. Entered military service from Darien, Georgia.

WALTER L Mc DONALD, 34547055, Private First Class, Company "B", 313th Medical Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, at La Tomba, Italy. Entered military service from Miami, Florida.

THOMAS G FERGUSON, 01999053, First Lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Little Falls, New Jersey.

WILLIAM H WHITE, 33309718, Sergeant, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 15 April 1945, near Vado, Italy. Entered military service from Armstrong County, Pennsylvania.

DONALD S BOURSCHEID, 32401584, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

WALTER G MARKOWSKI, 32376418, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

PRICE W JOHNSON, 18161360, Private First Class, Company "B", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 April 1944 to 1 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Miami, Oklahoma.

JOHN H VAUGHN, 14021217, Technician Third Grade, Headquarters Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 20 August 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Greenville, South Carolir

FRED N TOMASELLI, 32389176, Staff Sergeant, Service Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

EDWIN L MOIZAHN, 0398120, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 9 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

JAMES L FRAZIER, 01165389, Captain, Field Artillery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Alexandria, Indiana.

OLUS L CULPEPPER, 01171510, Captain, Field Artillery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 10 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lubbock, Texas.

ROY MARCUS, 36529867, Staff Sergeant, Medical Detachment, 913th Field Artill Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 26 February 1944 to 2 May 1945 in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

ANTHONY J DEL MONTE, 32379359, Staff Sergeant, Battery "A", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

ROLLAND C BECK, 0461493, Captain, Dental Corps, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division Artillery. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Minneapolis, Minnesota.

RICHARD E RICHARDS, 36529236, Corporal, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

JOHN N WATT, 0449288, Captain, Ordnance Department, 788th Ordnance (LM) Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Tulsa, Oklahoma.

MATTHEW SVILAR, 01552604, First Lieutenant, Ordnance Department, 788th Ordnance (LM) Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Flushing, Long Island, New York.

BERNARD M BROPHY, 01549667, First Lieutenant, Ordnance Department, 788th Ordnance (LM) Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from La Crosse, Wisconsin.

HAROLD GOLDFARB, 0510996, Captain, Corps of Chaplains, Headquarters Special Troops, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cleveland, Ohio.

JOSEPH PERRUZZI, 32202213, Technician Fourth Grade, Company "A", 752d Tank Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 19 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Paterson, New Jersey.

MARVIN M COX, 37205462, Master Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 752d Tank Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 27 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kingman, Kansas.

JOSEPH B DEETER, 35167591, Sergeant, Company "C", 752d Tank Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, in the vicinity of Arsie, Italy. Entered military service from Muncie, Indiana.

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* MORRIS H SNOW, 01540734, Second Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 805th Tank Destroyer Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, near Ronco, Italy. Entered military service from Clovis, New Mexico.

BAKER D NEWTON, 0412062, Major, (then Captain), Infantry, 805th Tank Destroyer Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ferriday, Louisiana.

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IV - AMENDMENT

So much of Section III, General Order Number 105, this headquarters, dated 18 November 1944, pertaining to the Award of the Bronze Star Medal to Sergeant Norman A White, 32376370, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment is amended to read Award of the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal.

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ORIGINAL ORDER

I - AWARDS, POSTHUMOUS, OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individuals:

JOHN J BANKO, 33947366, Private First Class, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 22 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Private BANKO displayed outstanding gallantry in attacking hostile positions at the cost of his life. As Private BANKO rode toward the town, enemy machine guns, machine pistols, and two tanks threw heavy fire into the attackers. Private BANKO immediately opened fire, killed eight and wounded several of the enemy. As the remaining Germans fled from the attack, machine pistol fire struck Private BANKO, who had continued forward, and killed him instantly. His fearless example and courageous action were important factors in the destruction of the hostile strongpoint, enabling his company to continue its advance. The gallant deed of Private BANKO won the praise of his fellow soldiers and reflects the fighting traditions of the American Infantry Soldier. Entered military service from Hazelton, Pennsylvania. Next of kin: Mrs Mary Banko, (Mother), 310 Putnam, Street, West Hazelton, Pennsylvania.

LOUIS G TOROK, 33370251, Private First Class, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Private TOROK displayed outstanding gallantry at the cost of his life in an attack against German positions. When Company "G" had taken a house beyond Furcoli Ridge, the enemy was firmly entrenched in fortified caves. The intense German fire had cut off most of the company from the house. Private TOROK went to a window facing the German caves. As the enemy fired mortars, automatic weapons, and rifle grenades from all sides, Private TOROK poured fire into the hostile emplacements, inflicting many casualties. In spite of the heavy barrage, he continued firing into the caves, forcing the enemy to withdraw, until a rocket tore through the wall near this courageous soldier, killing him instantly. His fearlessness and the withering fire of his weapon were important factors in the weakening and ultimate withdrawal of the enemy from nearby positions in the hitherto impregnable German line. The gallantry of Private TOROK has brought high praise from all who know of his deed and his gallant action upholds the best traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. Next of kin: Mrs Magdalena Torok, (Mother), 520 Hayes Street, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.

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JOSEPH BROWN, 37523576, Staff Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 17 April 1945, on Monterumici, Italy. On this morning Company "C" attacked a cemetery on Monterumici, an objective which had withstood the constant attack of a battalion of our men for two full days. Sergeant BROWN, a squad leader, was assigned the difficult task of movin his squad forward to protect the left flank of the skirmish line. He skillfull deployed his men and then boldly moved into the attack in the lead of his squad The strongly entrenched enemy forces placed the murderous machine gun, machine pistol, and rifle fire on our men but, using his well-learned principles of fire and movement, Sergeant BROWN cleverely led and directed his men towards their objective. While moving forward the squad came upon an enemy minefield which, in combination with the devastating enemy mortar and small arms fire temporarily disorganized the men. Sergeant BROWN, exhibiting sterling qualities of leader ip, quickly reorganized the squad and bravely led his men on toward the enemy osition. After passing this deadly obstacle the squad was again pinned dow by heavy enemy fire from a nearby machine gun. Disregarding the danger, he led his men in the charge and wiped out the enemy nest. Together they worked their way forward, destroying many enemy positions, but just as they neared the final objective, Sergeant BROWN was shot down and killed by a sudden burst of enemy machine gun fire. Nevertheless the momentum which he had given the squad carried his men forward to the accomplishment of their mission. Sergeant BROWN, by his able leadership, gallant actions, and willingness to make the supreme sacrifice of giving his life for his country, has won the respect and admiration of all those who knew this brave soldier. Entered milit service from Kansas City, Missouri. Next of kin: Mr Arthur H Brown, (Father), Route #1, Lucas, Kansas.

GEORGE W BLESSING, 38299308, Corporal, Company "B", 752d Tank Battalion. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near Ospitalo di Brenta, Italy. A determined enemy counterattack threatened to break through and isolate armored and infantry positions. Selecting the strongest point of resistance, Corporal BLESSING poured an accurate hail of fire on the enemy troops creating heavy casualties and forcing the attack to falter. Regrouping, the fanatical enemy pressed forward and succeeded in engaging the defenders at close quarters. Although in a precarious position, Corporal BLESSING remained cool and continued to operate his weapons. The sustained and accurate fire routed the enemy with heavy casualties. During the final rout a bazooka gunner, unobserved, moved in close and destroyed the tank, seriously wounding Corporal BLESSING who later died of his wounds. Corporal BLESSING'S valiant deed, at the sacrifice of his life, merits the highest praise and is a worthy example of the American soldier Entered military service from Jacksonville, Texas. Next of kin: Mrs Bertha Blessing, (Mother), Route #1, Jacksonville, Texas.

ROBERT T USBORNE, 36043805, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near Monterumici, Italy. Entering combat for the first time with Company "F", Sergeant USBORNE, this night was advancing as point with his squad across an open field when suddenly three enemy machine guns and a machine pistol opened fire, killing one and wounding many others in the platoon. Calmly, though exposed to scorching enemy fir , Sergeant USBORNE personally placed each man in his squad in position and assigned them sectors of fire. Ignoring the ever present danger of mines, and with the knowledge that enemy gunners would observe his every move, Sergeant USBORNE left his comparatively safe shell hole to place his BAR team where they could best give supporting fire to the manouvering platoons. Observing that his first scout had been trapped and exposed to a hail of enemy fire, Sergeant USBORNE bravely moved forward to lead him to safety. After this he again started for h shell hole, from which he could command the fire of his squad, when he was kill by a storm of enemy machine gun fire. Sergeant USBORNE, in putting duty and concern for his men above life itself, demonstrated those qualities of manliness and conspicuous bravery which reflect credit upon the American soldier. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois. Next of kin: Mrs Mine T Usborne, (Mother), 205 North State Street, Marengo, Illinois.

II - AWARD OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Silver Star is awarded to the following named individua

HARRY H JACKSON, 01325650, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 17 April 1945, near De Sopra, Italy. Early on this morning, Lieutenant JACKSON led his platoon of Company "C" in the attack against the enemy strongpoint of De Sopra. While advancing toward this village, Lieutenant JACKSON'S platoon was subjected to a heavy mortar barrage and deadly machine gun fire. Two men were killed and seven were wounded by the fierce enemy fire which forced the platoon to halt and seek shelter. Without regard for his life, Lieutenant JACKSON refused to take cover and directed the immediate evacuation of the seriously wounded men. Moving amongst the reluctant men, he succeeded in reorganizing the platoon and exhorted them to follow him. Then, despite the storm of enemy fire, Lieutenant JACKSON fearlessly led his men in their relentless effot to drive the enemy from the town. Many more of our soldiers were killed or wounded and, when they successfully took their objective, only five men remained in the platoon. After placing his men under cover, Lieutenant JACKSON went well forward of his platoon to an exposed position where he directed artillery and mortar fire which made possible our successful advance to the next objective. Lieutenant JACKSON'S fearless leadership and superb employment of tactics was a genuine inspiration to his men and won him the respe and admiration of all who know him. Entered military service from Jackson, Michigan.

III- AWARDS OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to the following named individuals:

ERNEST R FRAZIER, 35778800, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 22 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Sergeant FRAZIER displayed outstanding gallantry in attacking German positions although wounded by hostile fire. As Sergeant FRAZIER and his squad rode toward the town, their tank was fired upon. As Sergeant FRAZIER dismounted, he led his squad into the face of the deadly hostile fire in a furious assault. With his weapon blazing, he killed five of the enemy before he was shot in the leg. Unable to walk, he continued firing forcing the Germans to withdraw, ten of them being taken prisoner. With the aid of his remaining three men, he crawled on top of the tank to guard the prisoners, maintained covering fire from his positic killed one more of the enemy and aided in forcing twenty-three more of the Germar to surrender. His fearless example and courageous leadership were important factors in the destruction of the hostile strongpoint, enabling his company to continue to advance. The gallant deed of Sergeant FRAZIER has won the praise of his fellow soldiers and reflects the fighting traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Catlettsburg, Kentucky.

ROBERT E RICHARD, 01285500, Captain, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Captain RICHARD displayed outstanding gallantry in enemy fire when he reorganized elements of an attacking company and then, although severely wounded, directed tank fire on German positions. When Company "B" attacked Furcoli Ridge, a number of soldiers were unable to move forward as hostile machine gun fire covered all approaches. Without thought for his own safety, Captain RICHARD exposed his life in the continuous fire as he moved among the men reorganizing and urging them to join their comrades who then had only a precarious foothold on the objective. Under the impetus of his courageous leadership, the soldiers worked their way forward in sufficient strength to hold the ridge against a fanatical counterattack. When they were fired upon by well-dug in German machine guns, Captain RICHARD ran back to secure tank support. As he moved through a minefield, still under murderous fire, a mine exploded. Although he suffered the loss of a foot, this officer dragged himself to the tank and, clinging to its side, directed effective fire, knocking out the enemy machine guns which were inflicting casualties. Only then did Captain RICHARD consent to be evacuated. By his outstanding gallantry in risking his life to make secure an important objective, Captain RICHARD has upheld the proudest traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

JOHN D AUSTIN, 0531817, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment For gallantry in action on 22 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Lieutenant AUSTIN displayed outstanding gallantry in attacking hostile positions while exposed to heavy enemy fire. When his company had passed the town, it was fired upon by tanks and a company of enemy. In spite of the intense volume of hostile fire,

Lieutenant AUSTIN led the assault squads forward. Never seeking cover, Lieutenant AUSTIN charged the emplacements with his weapon blazing, killed four of the enemy and overran the defenses. Directing the launching of rockets, he routed the two tanks, then searched a building where he took two German officers prisoner. The fearlessness and intrepid leadership of Lieutenant AUSTIN were determining factors in the destruction of the hostile strongpoint which cleared all resistance in the sector and enabled his company to continue its advance. The gallant action of Lieutenant AUSTIN was an inspiration to his men and upheld the fighting traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Columbus, Texas.

CHARLES C HAYNES JR, 01032590, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 22 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Lieutenant HAYNES displayed outstanding gallantry in attacking hostile positions while exposed to heavy enemy fire. As Lieutenant HAYNES and his platoon rode toward the town, their tanks were fired upon. Dismounting, Lieutenant HAYNES led his platoon in a furious assault, as machine gun fire tore about him. Seeing that the hostile force would not surrender, Lieutenant HAYNES and his men, with fixed bayonets, stormed the emplacements. After killing five of the enemy, he engaged in hand-to-hand combat with a German, killing him also. Then his platoon having routed the enemy's force and captured seventy prisoners, directed their fire on a German tank, destroying it. His fearless example and courageous leadership were important factors in the elimination of the hostile strongpoint and enabled his company to continue the advance. The gallant action of Lieutenant HAYNES has won him the praise of his men and his deed upholds the fighting traditions of the infantry troopleader. Entered military service from Durham, North Carolina.

HYMAN BERGMAN, 33565379, Sergeant, (then Private), Company "B", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 15 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Sergeant BERGMAN displayed outstanding gallantry in attacking German positions while exposed in hostile fire. When Company "B" attacked Furcoli Ridge, the enemy was firmly entrenched in caves. As Sergeant BERGMAN'S platoon advanced, the intensity of fire became so terrific that the platoon was unable to move. Disregarding his own safety, Sergeant BERGMAN made his way forward alone, hostile fire cutting about him and shells bursting close by. Near the machine gun emplacement, he poured his fire into the dugout, killing one of the enemy, wounding and driving the others away in disorder. By his fearlessness in extreme danger and intrepid leadership, Sergeant BERGMAN destroyed the German machine gun position and enabled his platoon to advance. His gallant action has won the praise of his fellow soldiers and has reflected the fighting traditions of the American infantry soldier. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

JAMES T DUNCAN, 34137240, Sergeant, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 22 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Sergeant DUNCAN displayed outstanding gallantry in attacking German positions while exposed to hostile fire. As Sergeant DUNCAN, riding a tank with four members of his squad approached a town, they were fired upon by the enemy. On his own initiative, Sergeant DUNCAN had his four men dismount and led them forward in an assault through heavy enemy machine gun and small arms fire. His weapon blazing as he advanced, Sergeant DUNCAN killed two of the enemy and forced the others to withdraw from the fury of his assault. Immediately reorganizing his men, Sergeant

DUNCAN led them in beating off a counterattack in which three Germans were taken prisoner and the others driven off in disorder. His fearless example and courageous leadership were important factors in the quick elimination of the strongpoint without a single casualty, enabling his company to continue its advance. The gallant deed of Sergeant DUNCAN has won him the praise of his fellow soldiers and reflects the fighting traditions of the American Infantry soldier. Entered military service from Memphis, Tennessee.

JOSEPH A REILLY Jr, 0351992, Captain, Infantry 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, at Furcoli, Italy. Captain REILLY performed with outstanding gallantry and exemplary leadership when he led his company in the attack on Furcoli Ridge. As his company neared the German-held ridge, the troops were subjected to murderous mortar and machine gun fire. From both flanks the Germans directed vicious crossfires and dropped hundreds of mortar shells. With complete disregard for his own personal safety, Captain REILLY moved among his men, encouraging them and urging them forward. Standing upright, completely exposed to the shell fragments that filled the air around him, this courageous officer so inspired his men that they resumed the advance and slowly worked their way forward. When a machine gun opened fire from the front, Captain REILLY unhesitatingly moved ahead of his men and killed two Germans manning the gun. Against fanatical resistance, Captain REILLY and his men drove the enemy from the crest of the ridge and seized an objective of major importance. By his personal gallantry in the face of almost certain death this officer has reflected great credit upon himself and upon the military service. Entered military service from Springfield, Massachusetts.

HAROLD F GOLDSBOROUGH, 35352088, Private, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Private GOLDSBOROUGH displayed unusual gallantry in treating and rescuing wounded soldiers while exposed to hostile fire. Private GOLDSBOROUGH was attached to Company "C" which attacked the high ground of Hills 375 and 403. The enemy was firmly entrenched in fortified caves invulnerable to mortar shells, and with good field of fire across the barren ground. As the troops assaulted, the Germans resisted fiercely, directing an intense mortar and artillery barrage on the company throughout the attack, causing many casualties. During the attack, Private GOLDSBOROUGH constantly exposed himself to the hostile fire without thought for his own safety while aiding wounded comrades. As men were hit by the shell fragments cutting about him, he quickly treated them and took them into a cave for protection. Machine gun fire hit into the slope about him, artillery blasted the area showering him with rocks and debris, but Private GOLDSBOROUGH worked unceasingly to give aid to the wounded and to carry them to safety. For two days and two nights with no sleep he treated twenty-one casualties and took care of twelve seriously wounded men who could not be evacuated, doing everything possible to bolster their morale and encourage them. Through his tireless efforts the lives of several men were saved and all the men evacuated safely. His courage and devotion to his comrades have won him the respect and admiration of his fellow soldiers. The actions of Private GOLDSBOROUGH uphold the most gallant traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Indianapolis, Indiana.

WILLIAM F BRENNAN, 01540606, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 26 April 1945, near Oppeano, Italy. Lieutenant BRENNAN performed with unusual gallantry in hostile fire when he led a squad in an assault on enemy forces. The battalion column was moving along a road when a group of Germans on the left opened fire with rifles, machine pistols and an eighty-eight millimeter gun. Lieutenant BRENNAN immediately ordered a squad from Company "C" to follow him as he advanced toward the enemy. Through a withering hail of bullets which narrowly missed him on all sides, this courageous officer led his men, driving the Germans toward a group of houses. Realizing that the enemy forces outnumbered his own, Lieutenant BRENNAN sent a man back for reinforcements. Without waiting for help to arrive, he continued the attack. Breaking into houses, fighting from building to building, Lieutenant BRENNAN and his men assaulted through murderous fire. Between two buildings they discovered the eighty-eight millimeter gun, drove the crew off and destroyed it. After six Germans had been killed and seven wounded, the rest withdrew. By his inspiring gallantry this officer neutralized an enemy strongpoint and permitted the advance of his battalion to continue without interruption. The actions of Lieutenant BRENNAN have reflected great credit upon himself and upon the military service. Entered military service from Maspeth, Long Island, New York.

JOSEPH H MICHETTI, 35743704, Private First Class, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 15 April 1945 near Casa di Massa, Italy. On this night, Private MICHETTI was a radioman moving with the point of his company during its attack on the well entrenched enemy at Casa di Massa. When they were about halfway to the platoon objective, the enemy opened fire with several machine guns and a heavy barrage of artillery and mortars. The point was cut off from the remainder of the company and Private MICHETTI saw that several men had been painfully wounded. Despite the lack of cover or concealment in the area, Private MICHETTI courageously moved through the intense enemy artillery, mortar and small arms fire to the aid of the wounded soldiers, and then, without regard for his life, helped them to safety, although the only route was through a known mine field. Knowing that each step might be his last, Private MICHETTI boldly returned through the continuous enemy small arms and mortar fire to the remaining wounded. Without pause, Private MICHETTI carefully guided them over the bullet-swept, mine-infested trail to safety and then calmly led the company forward to regain vital control between their forward elements. The fact that no casualties were suffered in either the evacuation or withdrawal can be attributed to the caution with which Private MICHETTI selected the route. His extraordinary initiative and splendid conduct under fire was an inspiration to the members of his platoon and spurred them to a successful accomplishment of their mission. Entered military service from Wellsburg, West Virginia.

DUANE N CORDINER, 01052613, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near Monterumici, Italy. Lieutenant CORDINER was a platoon leader in Company "G" during its attack on the well fortified enemy positions at Monterumici. Two enemy machine guns, situated on a cliff, opened fire and wounded five of our soldiers and pinned down the company. A heavy enemy mortar barrage was them directed at the helpless men. Lieutenant CORDINER unhesitatingly volunteered to go forward alone and knock out the enemy positions. He boldly crawled forward under the murderous cross fire of the flanking machine guns until he reached a spot directly under one of

the enemy weapons. By utilizing tree branches, brush and rocks, Lieutenant CORDINER scaled the steep cliff and then, without regard for his life, he charged fearlessly toward the gun position. Tossing two well aimed hand grenades into this strongpoint, he succeeded in wiping out the machine gun, killing one enemy soldier and wounding another. An enemy soldier in a nearby position observed the action and hurled hand grenades at him. One grenade wounded him and when the concussion of its explosion blew him off the cliff, Lieutenant CORDINER'S leg was broken. Despite his great pain, Lieutenant CORDINER grimly dragged himself back to our lines. His heroic act had destroyed the enemy position and enabled the company to move forward and rout the enemy from their well prepared positions Such magnificent courage and intrepid heroism in the face of almost certain death is displayed only by the bravest of soldiers, and Lieutenant CORDINER has won the admiration and esteem of his entire platoon. Entered military service from Laramie, Wyoming.

JAMES M HEARNE, 39286426, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near Monterumici, Italy. Private HEARNE was a BAR man in his company which attacked a strongly defended enemy position on Monterumici. Private HEARNE'S squad, in lead of the company, was continually subjected to machine gun, mortar, and small arms fire but succeeded in working its way to within grenade throwing distance of the enemy positions. While charging the enemy positions they were pinned down by heavy enemy machine gun fire. When Private HEARNE realized that his squad could not advance or withdraw, he gallantly moved forward to an exposed position and delivered fire on the enemy machine gun emplacement. In this open position he was fired upon by another enemy machine gun on his flank. With great daring Private HEARNE raised himself and tossed a hand grenade into the enemy position to his front, completely wiping out the enemy nest. Then placing accurate fire into the enemy machine gun nest on his flank, Private HEARNE killed one and wounded two of the enemy soldiers manning this gun. Although wounded in this encounter, he bravely stayed in this exposed position to give covering fire until every man in his squad reached safe positions. Private HEARNE then rejoined his squad and after receiving first aid, immediately moved forward in another attack. In this second action, although wounded again, Private HEARNE performed with gallantry as he provided covering fire in support of the platoon's aggressive action Private HEARNE'S superb devotion to duty, magnificent courage and gallantry in action was truly an inspiration to all the men in his company and reflects great credit upon this brave soldier. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

FRANK A REYNOLDS, 31338736, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 17 April 1945 at Le Mandrie, Italy. Private REYNOLDS was a medical aid man attached to Company "B" during its attack upon the heavily defended enemy positions at Le Mandrie, Italy. The company was ambushed and the enemy mortars, machine guns, machine pistols and rifle fire killed and wounded many of our men. Despite the shell fragments and bullets flying all about him, Private REYNOLDS unhesitatingly moved forward to give aid to the casualties. Private REYNOLDS administered quick and efficient first aid to the men in his own platoon and, when another aid man was wounded, redoubled his efforts to care for others. He constantly exposed himself to the unceasing enemy fire in order to carry casualties to cover and to supervise their evacuation. When a second aid man was wounded, Private REYNOLDS was forced to take charge of all the company's casualties, but he worked so fearlessly and

efficiently that all the wounded received prompt and expert care. All men in the most forward positions were either killed or wounded and although each move was at the risk of certain death, Private REYNOLDS made three separate trips int this heavily shelled and unprotected area to treat wounded soldiers and carry them to safety. When the company was ordered to withdraw, Private REYNOLDS refused to leave until he was certain that all the wounded had received medical attention and had been evacuated. Then only did he move to a position of safety. Private REYNOLDS aided at least twenty men during this action, definitely saved the life of one soldier and probably saved the lives of several others. His magnificent courage and sincere devotion to duty have contributed immeasurably to the morale of his fellow soldiers and have won him their great respect and admiration. Entered military service from New Haven, Connecticut.

BERNARD J WILD, 36299468, Sergeant, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 19 April 1945, near Mt Albano, Italy. On this day, Sergeant WILD led his squad in the difficult mission of clearing a river delta hemmed in by mountain slopes on both sides. After some buildings to the direct front were cleared, the enemy entrenched in dugouts on a mountain to the right, began to spray the group with a deadly hail of machine gun bullets. Disregarding his life, Sergeant WILD fearlessly and calmly moved among his men, directing them to the best possible positions, but before the whole squad could get into position, enemy mortars and snipers opened fire from a wooded bank to their right. Seeing that three men were seriously wounded, Sergeant WILD immediately rushed to them and while administering first aid, he became the target of enemy snipers. Displaying exceptional calm, he continued in his desperate efforts to save the three soldiers, but in vain. Reforming his men into a skirmish line and exhorting them to hold their ground, Sergeant WILD worked his way through the flying bullets and shrapnel to report his desperate situation. Directed to withdraw, Sergeant WILD returned once more through the hail of lead and mortar fire to guide his men to safety. In this action, three more men were wounded, but Sergeant WILD'S skillful maneuvering enabled all his men to reach the platoon. By his gallant and aggressive action, Sergeant WILD was able to divert the enemy fire, enabling the remainder of the platoon to advance and to achieve their ultimate objectives. His superb and skillful leadership aroused the respect and admiration of his entire company and is a reflection of the finest traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

MARSHALL R WEIGOTT JR, 35467721, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near DeSopra, Italy. On this night Private WEIGOTT was a medical aid man attached to Company "B" during its attack on the well defended enemy positions at DeSopra. The company received heavy fire as they approached the objective and was soon engaged in a fierce fire fight with the enemy. After a few minutes, the call for aid men came from the most forward position. Private WEIGOTT rushed forward without hesitation. The wounded man lay on an exposed knoll, bleeding from severe wounds in the legs. While bullets struck around him, one even puncturing his pack, he worked swiftly and efficiently on the wounded soldier. Then, unaided, he dragged the man to safety of cover and returned to treat others. That same night, working in total darkness and in the midst of a hail of deadly machine gun and small arms fire, he gave aid to no less than twenty wounded. Although physically exhausted by his efforts, he helped carry wounded men from the field, working until he collapsed from exhaustion. Private WEIGOTT refused to be evacuated and rejoined the company the following day and continued to

perform his duties with courage, valor, and honor to the Medical Corps. Entered military service from Cincinnati, Ohio.

ERNEST C HARDESTY, 38501683, Staff Sergeant, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near Monterumici, Italy. On this night, Sergeant HARDESTY was leading his squad in the attack on the commanding heights of Monterumici. The cleverly concealed enemy gunners allowed the squad to come close to their positions and then suddenly opened fire with three machine guns and several automatic weapons. Sergeant HARDESTY instantly deployed his squad to bring the utmost effective fire upon the enemy, and as a fire fight developed, another machine gun opened fire from the left rear, cutting the squad off from any possible escape. Gallantly Sergeant HARDESTY worked his way around to a more effective position in complete view of the enemy, where, with bullets churning the ground about him, he fired two well-aimed rifle grenades and completely wiped out the enemy position. Overwhelming enemy superiority made the position untenable and the order came to withdraw. Sergeant HARDESTY, realizing that the trail back was under enemy observation, led his platoon by a different route, when he abruptly came upon an enemy minefield. After locating the first trip wire which was attached to a large charge of TNT, he calmly disarmed the fuse. Then, despite the violent mortar barrages falling in the area, he continued to neutralize the rest of the mines and led the squad to safety. After the company re-grouped and it was discovered that several of the wounded men had not been able to withdraw, Sergeant HARDESTY retraced his steps over the dangerous trail with a few men and assisted in carrying the wounded to safety. Sergeant HARDESTY'S intrepid leadership and inspiring courage in the face of enemy fire adds great glory to the gallant deeds of American fighting men. Entered military service from Tulsa, Oklahoma.

REFUGIO C BALDIVIA, 39582340, Private First Class, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 18 April 1945, near De Sotto, Italy. On this day, Private BALDIVIA was a platoon runner with Company "A" when it assaulted enemy positions on strongly fortified Monterumici. In this attack, contact by radio was broken between his platoon and the company command post, necessitating the delivering of messages by runner. Private BALDIVIA volunteered twice on this morning to deliver messages between the command post and platoon, even though the trail was constantly grazed with sniper and machine gun bullets and subjected to the storm of mortar shells. Later in the day, in the assault on De Sotto, Private BALDIVIA joined the forward wave and when an enemy gun position held up their advance, he boldly rushed the machine gun nest, capturing four surprised enemy soldiers. Shortly after the capture of this objective, the enemy directed a powerful counterattack against our hard-won positions. Private BALDIVIA, while delivering messages to the squads, was wounded by enemy mortar fire and even while awaiting evacuation, his good spirits and cheerfulness still served as an inspiration to his comrades. Entered military service from Upland, California.

GEORGE A FARWELL, 36450144, Private First Class, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 18 April 1945 at La Torre, Italy. On this day the lead platoon of Company "K", which was attacking the strongly defended enemy positions at La Torre, was pinned down by heavy mortar and machine gun fire as they moved between deadly minefields toward their objective. Rifle and hand grenades, thrown by a well concealed enemy on the right flank, landed among the men in their open positions and inflicted many casualties on our troops. Realizing the desperate plight of the platoon Private FARWELL bravely moved

through the storm of shrapnel in a desperate attempt to root out this menace to the platoon. He quickly located the enemy outpost and immediately charged the position. In complete defiance to danger, he hurled a well placed hand grenade and destroyed the enemy position, killing two enemy soldiers and probably wounding two others who hastily retreated. Private FARWELL, then remained in his completely exposed position, under incessant enemy mortar and machine gun fire, and courageously placed accurate rifle fire on the enemy positions until he had successfully eliminated all remaining enemy resistance in this area. As a resul of his magnificent courage, and great personal initiative another platoon was enabled to move up on the right flank and greatly strengthen the attack, which forced the enemy to withdraw from the area. By his calmness in the face of heavy enemy fire, and gallant actio - in the face of grave danger, Private FARWELL, insured the success of the hazardous undertaking and has won for himsel the praise and esteem of all the officers and men of his company. Entered military service from Benton Harbor, Michigan.

CARL M MILOSLAVICH, 39143938, Private First Class, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near La Torre, Italy. On this day, Private MILOSLAVICH'S squad had succeeded in reaching a barren and exposed ridge seventy-five yards from the enemy positions when they were suddenly pinned down by three snipers who were concealed on the reverse slope of the hill. Observing the squad's helpless position, the enemy smothered the area wit concussion hand grenades and the fire of two machine pistols. A savage fire fig developed and Private MILOSLAVICH calmly returned the enemy fire with such deadl accuracy that three of the enemy were killed immediately. All but three of his squad were either killed or wounded but Private MILOSLAVICH was determined that the enemy should not take this hard-won ground. Holding his position in the fac of overwhelming odds Private MILOSLAVICH continued to fire his weapon and in a desperate effort he threw hand grenades and fired rifle grenades to blast the enemy from their positions until finally his ammunition was exhausted. Still under the storm of enemy machine pistol fire, Private MILOSLAVICH withdrew 800 yards to a shell crater where artillery and mortar fire boxed him in for three hours. Private MILOSLAVICH'S brave actions in face of almost certain death held this important ground long enough to enable other units later to crush all enemy resistance. His superb courage and magnificent determination are worthy of the finest traditions of the Infantry soldier. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

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I - AWARDS, POSTHUMOUS, OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individuals:

REESE V ASTON, 01320500, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 23 April 1945, in the vicinity of Villa Poma, Italy. On 23 April 1945, in the vicinity of Villa Poma, Italy, when the Third Battalion was continuing the attack after having passed through the 351st Infantry Regiment, Captain ASTON, the Battalion S-3, voluntarily moved forward with the leading elements to keep the battalion commander informed of the situation. As the leading elements rounded a curve in the road, Captain ASTON was observed by six enemy soldiers engaged in setting up a road block and he was immediately fired upon. Several men who were close to Captain ASTON were killed or wounded, but he never faltered and courageously moved forward in an attempt to destroy the overwhelming enemy force in spite of the deadly fire directed at him. Even though the bullets sprayed the entire area about him, Captain ASTON continued forward, and with his accurate fire, killed one enemy soldier at the road block. Immediately an anti-tank weapon was fired directly at Captain ASTON, killing him instantly. This brave captain's actions and extreme gallantry in the face of overwhelming odds, was an inspiration to all who witnessed his death, and reflect the highest traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Tulsa, Oklahoma. Next of kin: Mrs Burdeen H Aston, (Wife), 3533 E 11th Street, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

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JOHN O JOHNSON, 36809603, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For gallantry in action on 30 April 1945, near Carpane, Italy. The first and third platoons of the troop had the difficult task of opening Highway 47 from Bassano to Fonzaso, Italy. The point armored car was knocked out and set on fire by an enemy anti-tank gun as it approached the village of Carpane, killing one man and seriously wounding the other three occupants. Corporal JOHNSON the gunner, suffering from a severed foot on one leg, and complete severance of the other leg, began to fire his thirty-seven millimeter gun at the enemy position giving protection to the armored car in his rear. With utter disregard for his own critical condition, which was progressively aggravated by the loss of blood, Corporal JOHNSON continued to fire at the enemy. Unable to stand, and barely able to hold himself in the seat, Corporal JOHNSON loaded and fired his gun by using the hand trigger, fully aware that his injuries should be attended to before complications set in. It was through such gallant courage as displayed by Corporal JOHNSON, that the crew of the second car escaped injury and was able to withdraw to safety. Corporal JOHNSON'S courage and high

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sense of duty exemplifies the highest traditions of the United States Army. Entered military service from Jeffris, Wisconsin. Next of kin: Mrs Jenny Johnson, (Mother), Route #1, Jeffris, Wisconsin.

II - AWARDS OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to the following named individuals:

RAY B STROUP, 0403164, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 15 April 1945, near La Torre, Italy. On this day Captain STROUP led Company "K" in the attack on the well-defended enemy positions at La Torre, Italy. When the company had reached within assaulting range, they were met by a terrific concentration of machine gun and small arms fire. Mortar fire was directed at the company, wounding many men, and when they desperately sought cover, hidden minefields added to the numerous casualties. After supervising the movement of the wounded, Captain STROUP attempted a bold but unsuccessful attack on the enemy from the right flank. Undaunted however, he directed his platoon to follow him and cleverly maneuvered them in still another attack from the left. Again they were met by enemy machine gun fire but without hesitation, Captain STROUP crawled forward to the crest of the hill where he succeeded in knocking out the enemy nest. After capturing Di Sopra and La Torre, Italy the next morning, the company was suddenly fired upon by hidden machine guns from the rear. Captain STROUP immediately opened fire with his "tommy" gun, wounding two of the enemy and forcing the remainder to retreat. In subsequent action, this courageous commander was wounded in both legs by fragments of a mortar shell and although in great pain, he worked his way back alone down the steep mountain to the aid station. These brave actions reflect great credit upon this officer and the fine traditions of the United States Army. Entered military service from Dallas, Texas.

DONALD A YONGUE, 0427994, Lieutenant Colonel, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 18-20 April 1945, in Italy. Colonel YONGUE commanded the Second Battalion in the offensive through the Po Valley. On the morning of the 18th of April 1945, near Badola, Italy, Colonel YONGUE was leading a platoon in the attack when they were surprised by machine pistol fire from the defilade of a huge rock directly to their front. Although the sudden burst of enemy fire gave Colonel YONGUE no time to draw his pistol, he rushed boldly forward, vaulted over the rock and after delivering two staggering blows, tore the machine pistol from the soldier. This gallant action saved the leading element of his battalion from suffering severe casualties. When the battalion was later ordered to continue the attack and the lead company was halted by crossfire of concentrated machine guns and rifles, Colonel YONGUE moved fearlessly from his place of safety to an exposed knob to direct the fire on the enemy. Although bullets chewed the ground about him and even ripped his clothing, Colonel YONGUE directed such accurate machine gun and rifle fire that ten enemy soldiers were killed, seven wounded and more than three hundred forced to surrender. On 20 April 1945, Colonel YONGUE, leading two squads of riflemen moved upon a house in the path of the battalion's advance. When, within fifty yards of the building, the group was met by terrifying blasts from machine gun

and machine pistols, Colonel YONGUE calmly placed his men in position and directed fire on the house while he worked his way around to within fifteen yards of the structure. He then leaped out in full view of the enemy and charged on the house firing his pistol as he ran. The surprised enemy were forced to surrender as a result of this daring action and the battalion objective achieved without a single casualty. Such inspiring leadership and conspicuous gallantry has gained the respect and admiration of his fellow officers and enlisted men and is worthy of the honor and glory of the United States Army. Entered military service from Summerville, South Carolina.

OSVALDO BECERRA, 42126714, Private, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 19 April 1945, near Badala, Italy. On this morning Company "F" attacked a strongly defended enemy position. As the company neared its objective two enemy machine guns suddenly delivered intense, deadly fire among our troops pinning down the leading elements and forcing the others to disperse and take cover. Private BECERRA, an automatic rifleman, acting on his own initiative immediately assumed control of the four men nearest him and led them into an attack on the closer of the two enemy guns. Under continued enemy fire, he skillfully led his men and crawled to a mound a short distance from the enemy gun from which point an assault could be made. Having exhausted his supply of grenades in a previous firefight Private BECERRA cleverly tossed a rock into the machine gun nest as he boldly rushed the enemy position. Firing his BAR as he charged forward, Private BECERRA killed one enemy soldier, wounded one other, and forced the remainder to flee in disorder. Private BECERRA, however, was seriously wounded in the leg and while he waited for medical aid he saw another automatic rifleman whose weapon had ceased to function. In spite of his great pain and the constant enemy fire, Private BECERRA crawled to the side of his comrade, exchanged guns with him before permitting himself to be evacuated. Private BECERRA, by his display of outstanding initiative, and remarkable gallantry under enemy fire, materially aided in the success of the company's mission and has merited the respect and admiration of all the officers and men of his company. Entered military service from Pennsauken, New Jersey.

ELTON F CAMPBELL, 34581126, Private First Class, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 18 April 1945, in the vicinity of Mount Adone, Italy. On this day Company "F"was the leading company in the assault on the deeply-entrenched enemy in this sector. Private CAMPBELL was lead scout of the battalion with the hazardous mission of seeking out enemy and selecting a path for the battalion through the mine-strewn road. An enemy machine gun opened fire upon the leading elements from commanding ground. Private CAMPBELL with no regard for his safety immediately returned the enemy fire. He then crawled forward alone through the hail of bullets and threw hand grenades at the enemy nest. His actions so seriously threatened the enemy position that all its fire was concentrated on Private CAMPBELL, but he boldly continued his advance. Heedless of bullets churning the ground about him, Private CAMPBELL crawled to within twenty yards of the enemy weapon and assaulted the machine gun single-handedly, causing the enemy soldier manning the gun to surrender. His daring action enabled the battalion to continue its rapid advance with no casualties. Private CAMPBELL'S splendid courage, magnificent aggressiveness and superb initiative was an inspiration to all who witnessed his deeds. Entered military service from Cordova, Alabama.

STEPHEN S LOWICKI, 31020842, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 20 April 1945, in the vicinity of Sasso Bolognese, Italy. While acting as first scout for his platoon in the attack, Private LOWICKI rounded the corner of a hill and instantly came under intense fire from two machine guns and many snipers in a house a hundred and fifty yards to his right front. He took cover and passed word back for the second scout to join him and for the rest of his squad to give his fire support from the knoll. The two scouts then dashed straight forward for fifty yards through grazing machine gun fire to a ditch, and followed this covered route to the rear of the house. They boldly broke in a rear door and surprised and disarmed three German riflemen on the ground floor. Enemy soldiers on the upper floor, however, rolled hand grenades down the stairway and tried to hit the two scouts with ricochet fire off the stone walls of the house. Realizing that quick action was necessary, Private LOWICKI boldly stepped outside and fired a rifle grenade directly through an upstairs window. He then dashed back into the hallway and climbed the stairs alone, holding his rifle above his head and firing as he progressed. Nearing the top, Private LOWICKI hurled a hand grenade into a room, killing one German, wounding four, and forcing twenty more to surrender. His gallant act resulted in the capture of two machine guns in the upper floor which had stopped the advance of his platoon, and with these guns eliminated, his company was able to push rapidly forward. Private LOWICKI'S determination to close in and destroy the enemy in spite of the odds against him won the respect and admiration of every officer and soldier in his company, and he clearly reflects the fighting spirit of the Army of the United States. Entered military service from Bristol, Connecticut.

JOHN E PRANGE, 31251566, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 25 April 1945, in the vicinity of Ca David, Italy. While driving his jeep for the Ranger Platoon, Private PRANGE suddenly received intense machine gun fire from his immediate left front. Jumping from his jeep, Private PRANGE made a ferocious lunge at the position, killing the German gunner with his "tommy" gun. Then, noticing four Germans moving into position between himself and the troops behind him, Private PRANGE charged straight toward them through a hail of withering machine gun and rifle fire and killed two more Germans and wounded the other two. This gallant action of Private PRANGE in thus risking his life for his comrades has won their esteem and admiration. Private PRANGE is an outstanding example of the American infantryman and reflects great credit upon his platoon and the finest traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from New Britain, Connecticut.

JOHN E TAKACH, 32609284, Private, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment For gallantry in action on 26 April 1945, in Verona, Italy. Private TAKACH, a medical aid man, was with the first platoon of Company "F", when the platoon was ambushed by a strong enemy force of approximately twenty Germans who were well-equipped with an armored car, machine guns, machine pistols and rifles. The first burst of withering, deadly enemy fire scattered the platoon and caused four casualties. Private TAKACH had dropped in a safe position and from his vantage point saw a member of his platoon severely wounded, in the direct line of heavy enemy fire. In order to reach this soldier it was necessary for Private

TAKACH to cross under the direct fire of a German machine gun firing from very close range. Undaunted, though under the direct observation and fire of the enemy manning this weapon, Private TAKACH worked his way to the seriously wounded man, applied a tourniquet, then removed him to a safe position from where he could be evacuated. This prompt action on the part of Private TAKACH saved the man's life. Observing two more men in the center of the road, Private TAKACH, with no regard for his own safety, again worked his way through the heavy German fire only to find that the two men were dead. Private TAKACH'S courage, devotion to duty, calmness and disregard for his personal safety are characteristic of his work throughout the entire period of his service. Private TAKACH'S actions in the face of this extremely heavy and accurate enemy fire were an inspiration to all the members of the platoon. His heroic and gallant actions have been in the true tradition of the Medical Corps of the United States Army. Entered military service from Clifton, New Jersey.

DONALD L KING, 39334387, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 26 April 1945, in Verona, Italy. As his squad approached an intersection in the city it was ambushed by a strong enemy force backed by an armored car. The first blasts of automatic fire wounded the officer and the leading squad leader and several men, and scattered the platoon. Some soldiers sought protection in doorways, some tried to pull back, while a few were pinned down in the center of the street. Private KING, an automatic rifleman with the leading squad unhesitatingly stood upright in the center of the street and fired burst after burst of automatic fire at the Germans. Since he was the only one who returned fire during the early stages of the fight, the muzzle flash of his BAR attracted a storm of German bullets. Private KING boldly advanced to the street intersection, whirled to his right, and killed two Germans at their machine gun. He shouted for his comrades to build up a firing line and close with the enemy. Although their leaders had become casualties, Private KING'S fellow riflemen followed his outstanding example and drove the enemy back. The armored car retired several blocks along the street, sometimes firing in the center, sometimes ricocheting bullets off the walls, but in spite of the danger, Private KING ran to his wounded squad leader and carried him two blocks to the aid station. Private KING then returned with litter bearers to help in the evacuation of the other wounded. Private KING'S initiative and gallant conduct throughout this action provided the leadership and spirit to his squad that enabled them to successfully complete their mission, and by his valor he reflects great credit on himself and the United States Infantry. Entered military service from Milwaukee, Oregon.

JOSEPH J BARAN, 01999079, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 19 April 1945, in the vicinity of Legune, Italy. Lieutenant BARAN, Third Battalion S-2, and his section who were screening the battalion's forward movement, neared the town when several enemy machine guns opened fire from what appeared to be fortified buildings. Quickly deploying his men, endeavoring to outflank the emplacements from both the right and left sides, Lieutenant BARAN crawled along a small embankment and reached the first building. As his other men reached their objective, Lieutenant BARAN ordered them to open fire simultaneously. From his position twenty yards ahead of his men,

Lieutenant BARAN spotted a German machine gun in a building to his left firing back at his men. Without hesitating, Lieutenant BARAN stood up in full view of the enemy and charged straight toward the house, firing his carbine from the hip. He broke into the first room, killed two Germans at their weapon, and wounded three others. Lieutenant BARAN then rushed through a doorway into the next room and captured twelve more Germans. Through the fierceness of his single-handed attack and brilliant timing, he completely neutralized this strong defense point. Lieutenant BARAN'S gallantry, his magnificent courage and outstanding leadership not only permitted his battalion to move forward without casualties and take their objective, but exemplifies the finest traditions of the Infantry troop leader. Entered military service from Wilkes Barre, Pennsylvania.

ALBERT F REINWART, 01296902, Captain, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 19 April 1945, in the vicinity of Legune, Italy. When he and his assaulting elements reached the crest of an important ridge, a surprise blast of machine gun fire from the right rear stopped his men and forced them to seek protection. Captain REINWART, realizing that this moment was the critical instant and that the assault must not be halted, called to his platoons to go forward and drive the Germans from the ridge, and then he whirled and ran alone directly toward the machine gun position, throwing grenades and firing his carbine as fast as he could pull the trigger. Faced by this audacious assault, the Germans fired three bursts from their machine gun, sending tracer bullets between his legs and ripping his map case to shreds. But with complete devotion to the mission he started, this gallant captain leaped into the position and killed the three-man crew with his carbine. His gallant act not only served to stimulate and inspire his fighting men, but also eliminated a serious menace to his company. Captain REINWART added new laurels to the fighting history of his regiment and his gallantry reflects great credit upon himself. Entered military service from Saint Louis, Missouri.

EDWARD E WAISH, 01317690, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Sandrigo, Italy. While leading a five man reconnaissance patrol, Lieutenant WAISH met the intense fire of a large number of German soldiers. He dispatched two men to bring the rest of his platoon, while he slowly advanced upon the Germans, calling on them to surrender. Although four enemy soldiers came forward with their hands raised, a large number of others opened fire on him and Lieutenant WAISH engaged them in a brisk firefight until his ammunition was exhausted. He then dashed to where he knew an abandoned German rifle lay and secured it in time to kill three enemy soldiers who attempted to rush him. When his platoon arrived he designated two squads to form a base of fire while he personally led the third squad around to the rear of the enemy force. Surprised and disorganized by this sudden fire from the front and rear, one hundred and forty-three Germans surrendered when Lieutenant WAISH called upon them to do so. Through the courage displayed by this gallant officer in the face of great odds a potentially serious threat to the regiment's flank was eliminated. Lieutenant WAISH set a high standard for the men and officers of his regiment. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

ANTHONY J RILA, 12090576, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 1 May 1945, near Arsie, Italy. On 1 May 1945, the Ranger Platoon of Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment was engaged in a vicious fight with the enemy. Private RILA, a member of the Ranger Platoon, observed that ammunition was almost exhausted. Determined to secure a re-supply at any cost, Private RILA immediately headed for the supply dump. Suddenly he was fired upon by enemy small arms fire from every direction. Dropping to one knee, Private RILA completely disregarded his personal safety and returned this enemy fire with deadly accuracy. Observing four Germans attempting to move to a new position, Private RILA shot and killed all four. He forced the remaining enemy to take cover and then took advantage of this lull to dash the remaining few yards to the ammunition supply point. He immediately gathered together as much as he could carry, and began the return trip. By keeping up a constant fire with his carbine, Private RILA was successful in re-passing the enemy ambush and he reached his platoon at the crucial moment when their ammunition had just been exhausted. As a result, his platoon was enabled to beat back a ferocious counterattack, killing three more Germans and taking nine prisoners. His dauntless courage and gallant concern for the well-being of his comrades marks Private RILA as an outstanding American infantryman. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

W W RICHARD, 36424578, Staff Sergeant, Company "C", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near Nove, Italy. While scouting ahead of his platoon for a route of advance, Sergeant RICHARD and another noncommissioned officer were pinned down by incessant and murderous grazing machine gun fire, which also forced the platoon behind them to take cover. Sergeant RICHARD crawled toward the enemy under the intense fire, while his companions circled around the right flank. When Sergeant RICHARD observed that the bulk of the enemy fire was being directed at his comrades, he rose to his feet, and firing his rifle from his hip, he walked right in among the enemy instantly killing a German machine gunner and wounding two others. By this time his fighting companion had dashed up to join him, and the two of them, side by side, rushed a second machine gun emplacement, maintaining rapid assault fire and throwing hand grenades ahead of them. When the smoke of this battle cleared they found five dead and six wounded Germans. Sergeant RICHARD'S gallant action allowed his platoon to knife quickly into the town, where they surprised the garrison and captured five hundred and twelve prisoners. Sergeant RICHARD'S remarkable initiative and willingness to close with the enemy in this action, added new laurels to the fighting traditions of the Army of the United States. Entered military service from Kalamazoo, Michigan.

THOMAS F MOFFETT, 32911027, Sergeant, Company "C", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near Nove, Italy. While scouting ahead of his platoon for a route of advance, Sergeant MOFFETT and another noncommissioned officer were pinned to the ground by incessant and murderous machine gun fire which also forced the platoon behind to take cover. While his comrades crawled straight towards the enemy, Sergeant MOFFETT worked his way to the right flank of the German positions and stood up in full view of the enemy, firing his

rifle in their direction and shouting at them. He received a storm of concentrated fire in return, but he continued to expose himself to draw their fire away from his gallant team mate. When the other sergeant rushed the first machine gun, Sergeant MOFFETT ran at top speed through withering small arms fire to join him in the assault. Side by side, these gallant soldiers charged a second and more elaborate machine gun emplacement, throwing hand grenades ahead of them and maintaining rapid assault fire with their rifles. When the smoke of this battle cleared they found five dead and six wounded Germans. Sergeant MOFFETT'S gallant action allowed his platoon to knife quickly into the town, where they surprised the garrison and captured five hundred and twelve prisoners. Sergeant MOFFETT'S remarkable initiative and willingness to close with the enemy in this action added new laurels to the fighting traditions of the Army of the United States. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

GEORGE E IANCTO, 31214234, Staff Sergeant, Company "A", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near Bassano del Grappa, Italy. While clearing a group of houses on his platoon's right flank, Sergeant IANCTO and three of his men became involved in a fierce firefight with a large number of Germans. Sergeant IANCTO, disregarding his own personal safety, crawled under the heavy fire to a better position where with eight shots from his rifle, he killed five and wounded two Germans, causing the balance of the enemy to scatter in disorder. Continuing aggressively to the banks of the Brenta River, Sergeant IANCTO seized an automatic rifle, ran to the top of the dike, and from his completely exposed position, calmly and coolly as though he were on a target range, fired his weapon, killing three more Germans. Confronted by this deadly marksman, a large number of Germans threw down their weapons in terror and with uplifted arms, came toward him in surrender. By his daring and gallant actions, his aggressive courage, Sergeant IANCTO set an outstanding example for the officers and men of his company, and is a credit to his unit. Entered military service from Pittsfield, Massachusetts.

HAROLD L Mc DANNALD, 37502023, Sergeant, Company "B", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 2 May 1945, near Borgo, Italy. As he was leading his squad along a road ahead of a group of tanks, Sergeant Mc DANNALD was seriously wounded in the leg and knocked into a roadside ditch by a sudden burst of machine gun fire. Although bleeding profusely and in great pain, he dragged himself to the edge of the road, directed his men into firing positions, and himself took up the firefight. He instantly killed an enemy soldier as he endeavored to fire a Panzerfaust at the leading American tank. Although German machine gun bullets kicked dirt and pebbles into his face, this gallant sergeant continued to fire his rifle back at the enemy until he collapsed from loss of blood. His conspicuous grit and outstanding gallantry were an inspiration to all who saw him fight in this action, and Sergeant Mc DANNALD'S bravery is a fine tribute to himself and his unit. Entered military service from Kansas City, Missouri.

JOHN E ANDERSON, 02001714, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 25 April 1945, in the vicinity of Bizzola, Italy. While reconnoitering ahead of his platoon during an encircling attack around to the rear of the town, Lieutenant ANDERSON was suddenly subjected to intense machine gun fire from an emplacement near his objective, and although the bullets cracked all about him, he crawled forward with only the protection afforded by foot-high grass until he was within twenty-five yards of the position. Then with complete disregard for the devastating enemy fire, Lieutenant ANDERSON stood upright and, firing his carbine as he ran, he charged the position, killing two Germans, seriously wounding another, and forcing the remaining two to surrender. As soon as this menace was removed Lieutenant ANDERSON placed his men in German foxholes and awaited developments. After the firefight in the town had gained momentum a signal flare went up and a large number of the enemy began to pour out of the town toward his road block. Lieutenant ANDERSON called for simultaneous rifle and automatic fire from every weapon in his platoon, and his magnificent control and fire direction inflicted terrible casualties on the enemy. Calling to his men to follow him, Lieutenant ANDERSON led them boldly forward in the assault to exploit their advantage to the utmost. He courageously charged one group of Germans, killing two, wounding five more with his carbine. Forty Germans, caught between two assaults, threw down their arms and surrendered. By his magnificent display of leadership and personal gallantry Lieutenant ANDERSON not only accounted for ten Germans, but he provided the inspiration that sparked his platoon in this highly successful attack. Lieutenant ANDERSON set a fine example to the men and officers of his company, and reflects great credit on his fighting regiment. Entered military service from Cleveland Ohio.

[illegible]NOR S WORKMAN, 15054266, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 19 April 1945, in the vicinity of Sasso Bolognese, Italy. While leading his point squad in the battalion attack, Sergeant WORKMAN suddenly came upon a mortar section in the act of firing on the battalion column. Realizing the need for immediate action this gallant sergeant charged down the slope firing his sub-machine gun. This sudden act drew the intense fire of enemy riflemen, but undaunted, Sergeant WORKMAN continued to charge, killing two and forcing the remainder to abandon their mortars and flee to a partially demolished bunker approximately seventy-five yards to their rear. Sergeant WORKMAN carried his courageous assault right up to the bunker where he killed one more and wounded several and captured the remainder. By his gallant and courageous act Sergeant WORKMAN rendered an invaluable service to his battalion and reflects great credit on himself and on his unit. This action is typical of Sergeant WORKMAN'S battlefield conduct and he exemplifies the finest traditions of the combat infantryman. Entered military service from Wharton, West Virginia.

ERWIN H BENDER, 35261743, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 25 April 1945, in the vicinity of Verona, Italy. While leading his squad during its remarkable drive from the Po River to Verona, Sergeant BENDER repeatedly displayed his characteristic gallantry and aggressiveness under fire. At Buttapietra when his squad encountered a

strongly defended road block Sergeant BENDER immediately dismounted his men from their armored vehicles and initiated a vicious frontal attack. Calling to the tank destroyer commander to give him covering fire, Sergeant BENDER deployed his men into a skirmish line and stepped out ahead of them to lead the assault across the flat, fire-swept terrain. He ran forward throwing hand grenades into a German automatic cannon position and cut down a German in his foxhole with his "tommy" gun. Then Sergeant BENDER shouted to his riflemen to spread out and mop up the remaining resistance, and in a few minutes they had killed three more enemy soldiers and had captured twenty. A few miles further north at Magnano, Sergeant BENDER led his men in a flanking assault on a fortified house, part of another elaborate road block. He ran forward to the side of the house and threw four hand grenades into it, after which he stepped inside and sprayed the ground floor with his sub-machine gun, killing three Germans and forcing fourteen to surrender. After dark, in the city of Verona, Sergeant BENDER again displayed outstanding valor when he killed two more of the enemy in all-out fighting at a road block. Throughout this day of savage fighting and rapid maneuver, Sergeant BENDER was an inspiration to the men of his squad by his utter fearlessness under fire and by his outstanding aggressiveness and courage, he was in a large part responsible for the success of his task force in its vital mission. Entered military service from Hamilton, Ohio.

ARTHUR CHARTIER JR., 36456347, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 30 April 1945, in the vicinity of Marostica, Italy. As he led his squad to within fifty yards of a house reported to be in German hands, Sergeant CHARTIER and his men were met by a withering hail of rifle grenade, sniper and machine gun fire that killed one man and forced the squad to pull back to the protection of a ditch. After maintaining a brisk fire-fight for twenty minutes without apparent effect on the enemy, Sergeant CHARTIER ordered his men to increase their rate of fire while he rushed close to the wall of the house. As he prepared to rush inside, a German grenade dropped from a window, exploded beside him, knocking him to the ground but otherwise leaving him unhurt. Sergeant CHARTIER then deliberately ordered his rifle grenadier to fire a grenade through the window, although a slight error would have seriously endangered him. Taking full advantage of the exceptional skill of the grenadier and the confusion of the explosion inside, Sergeant CHARTIER signaled his men to follow him as he kicked open the door and rushed inside, firing his rifle from the hip. In the short, savage fight that followed, Sergeant CHARTIER killed three Germans and wounded one, while his squad accounted for many more. His cool and daring leadership plus his determination to eliminate the enemy is a splendid example of the highest traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Vulcan, Michigan.

BERNARD TRAPP, 32271143, First Sergeant, Battery "C", 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Sergeant TRAPP displayed his outstanding capabilities commensurate with his assignment when he led a small group of men against a superior enemy force in this vicinity. Under his leadership twelve men aggressively met the enemy, and they were responsible for the capture of about one-fourth of the estimated three hundred troops. This soldier captured the enemy troops by capitalizing on the

infantry tactics he had been taught. His action resulted in the surrender of the troops occupying a building. His exceptionally outstanding devotion to duty with unswerving determination to accomplish his mission parallel the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Camden, New Jersey.

ROBERT J Mc CONLOGUE, 32626252, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For gallantry in action on 24 April 1945, near Revere, Italy. Sergeant Mc CONLOGUE was sent out with a reconnaissanc team to locate a suitable route of approach to the Po River, and if possible to determine whether the road and rail bridge at Revere, Italy could be put to any immediate use in assisting contemplated river crossing operations. After completion of their reconnaissance for approach roads, the team attempted to approach the bridge at Revere, but was driven off by small arms fire from the far shore. Unable to make a thorough reconnaissance from their covered positions, Sergeant Mc CONLOGUE volunteered to attempt to cross the bridge to determine the extent of the damage and the possibility of repairing it for use as a footbridge. At this time an infantry patrol of approximately ten men and an officer approache the bridge with the mission of attempting to cross the river. Sergeant Mc CONLOGUE accompanied this patrol, stopping frequently to make notes on the condition of the bridge, and returned with only the fire protection of the other members of his party. The information obtained by Sergeant Mc CONLOGUE was of immediate assistance in the initial crossing in strength. Sergeant Mc CONLOGUE'S gallantry in this action brings credit to himself and the military service. Entered military service from Hollis, New York.

HENRY C PERCHALSKI, 32759322, Private, Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For gallantry in action on 26 April 1945, near San Giovanni Lupatoto, Italy. While Private PERCHALSKI was posted at a traffic post, about twenty-five to thirty German soldiers in a truck approached the post, directing a withering hail of machine gun and rifle fire at civilians and soldiers along the road. Displaying exceptional courage, determined aggressiveness, and superb initiative, Private PERCHALSKI intrepidly faced the impending danger, firing a number of rounds into the truck as it passed him. Completely cognizant of the precariousness of the situation, Private PERCHALSKI assumed command and readily dispatched a jeep occupied by four infantrymen armed with rifles after the fleeing truck. Simultaneously he pursued the truck, and without delay or concern for his personal safety, commenced firing bursts from the sub-machine gun at the Germans attempting to abscond, severely wounding two of them. Upon prompt surrender of the Germans, Private PERCHALSKI readily assisted in the loading of them into the captured truck and immediately transported them to the division Prisoner of War Cage. The magnificent courage, determined aggressiveness, and conspicuous gallantry displayed by Private PERCHALSKI are characteristic of his entire service and are in keeping with the finest and highest traditions of the Army of the United States. Entered military service from Hightstown, New Jersey.

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16 June 1945

GENERAL ORDERS)
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ORIGINAL ORDER

I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE PURPLE HEART.

1. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the second bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

MICHAEL FERRARO, 32389164, Pfc, Co A, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 18 October 1944. Entered military service from Hackensack, N J.

JACOB SEIDENFELD, 32399774, T Sgt, Co I, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 11 October 1944. Entered military service from Tulsa, Okla.

2. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the first bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

ALEXANDER J GRABOWSKI, 32400182, S Sgt, Co F, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 8 October 1944. Entered military service from Sea Cliff, L I, N Y.

RALPH W KAULL, 31289881, S Sgt, Co I, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 25 October 1944. Entered military service from Middletown, R I.

MICHAEL J SABO, 31143026, Sgt, Co F, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 9 October 1944. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Conn.

CHARLES C KNOWLES, 33521112, Pfc, Co K, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 5 November 1944. Entered military service from Matoaca, Va.

JOSEPH E MARINACCI, 32400292, Pfc, Co M, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 5 October 1944. Entered military service from Brooklyn, N Y.

HERBERT J McCARTHY, 31148673, Pfc, Co F, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 7 October 1944. Entered military service from Providence, RI.

NORMAN TAGGETTE, 31145925, Pfc, Co L, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 9 October 1944. Entered military service from St Francis, Mo.

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OTHA O WATSON, 35761229, Pfc, Co I, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 2 October 1944. Entered military service from Weirton Heights, W Va.

GERMAIN L DES ROSIERS, 31141381, Sgt, Co F, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 8 July 1944. Entered military service from Jewett City, Conn.

LARRY R BOWEN, 39335765, Pfc, Hq Co 1st Bn, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 24 October 1944. Entered military service from Wood, Calif.

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*JOHN H CARTER, 01030457, 1st Lt, Inf, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Springfield, Ga.

JAMES R BELCHER, 35486386, Pfc, Co F, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 5 November 1944. Entered military service from Washington, Ind.

HAROLD HOWARTH, 31381574, Pfc, Co F, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 5 October 1944. Entered military service from Plainfield, Conn.

PAUL R CASTONGUAY, 31370313, Sgt, Co A, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Dorchester, Mass.

ROBERT L CLARK, 34826756, Pfc, Co C, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 17 April 1945. Entered military service from Tunnel Hill, Ga.

CHARLES B KULITT, 42144071, Pfc, Co A, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Woodbine, Cape May, N J.

JOHN H BERNING, 35554738, Pfc, Co E, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 5 October 1944. Entered military service from Toledo, Ohio.

MICHAEL FERRARO, 32389164, Pfc, Co A, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Hackensack, N J.

STANLEY J ZMITREWICZ, 31126940, T Sgt, Co K, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 17 July 1944. Entered military service from Holyoke, Mass.

ALBERT E STREETT, 34516045, Pfc, Co H, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 22 September 1944. Entered military service from Florence, S C.

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*RAY M CUTRIGHT, 01999151, 1st Lt, Inf, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy 18 April 1945. Entered military service from Mill Creek, W Va.

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THOMAS C TRACY, 32271576, Cpl, A-T Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Collingswood, N J.

VERDETT E SHOEMAKER, 13010710, Tec 5, 88th QM Co, Italy, 31 October 1944. Entered military service from Hilliards, Pa.

II - AWARDS OF THE PURPLE HEART.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations, 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

EMMANUEL H GAMBONI, 37542588, Sgt, Co F, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Nono Hugo, Minn.

MITCHELL S JASINSKI, 31130769, Sgt, Co F, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 8 July 1944. Entered military service from New Bedford Mass.

MICHAEL J SABO, 31143026, Sgt, Co F, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 13 July 1944. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Conn.

EARL G BLEDSOE, 33532322, Pfc, Co C, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 21 May 1944. Entered military service from Jonesville, Va.

GERALD J BURFORD, 35779907, Pvt, Co L, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 17 October 1944. Entered military service from Elkview, W Va.

BRUCE HUGHES, 34374327, Pvt, Co K, 349th Infantry Regiment, Ital 17 May 1944. Entered military service from Ervin Tenn.

CHESTER J IANNOLI, 31149374, Pvt, Co K, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 1 October 1944. Entered military service from Woonsocket, R I.

CARL TRIANGOLO JR, 31387678, Cpl, Co A, 349th Infantry Regiment 2 October 1944. Entered military service from Providence, R I.

BERNARD BARSH, 33515053, Pfc, Hq 3d Bn, 349th Infantry Regiment Italy, 2 October 1944. Entered military service from Detroit, Mich.

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FRANCIS J ARNTFIELD, 36411275, Pfc, Hq 3d Bn, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 July 1944. Entered military service from Alpena, Mich.

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JOHN H CARTER, 01030457, 1st Lt, Inf, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 28 February 1945. Entered military service from Springfield, Ga.

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ARTHUR J BUCHANNAN, 39722509, Pfc, Co F, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 4 October 1944. Entered military service from Nottleton, Miss.

ROBERT L HOOSE, 33611560, Pfc, Co G, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 10 January 1945. Entered military service from Milan, Pa.

PAUL E CASTONGUAY, 31370313, Sgt, Co A, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 27 September 1944. Entered military service from Dorchester, Mass.

LEONARD L BARTH, 36767194, Pfc, Co C, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 25 September 1944. Entered military service from Morgan, Ill.

MONTSAUL F BROWN, 31318331, Pfc, Hq 1st Bn, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 7 October 1944. Entered military service from Houlton, Maine.

BILLY A MAHONEY, 36805004, Pfc, Co A, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 July 1944. Entered military service from Stoughton, Wisc.

ZACARIAS MARTINEZ, 38167635, Pfc, Hq 1st Bn, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 28 April 1945. Entered military service from Pleasldo, N Mex.

LAWRENCE PINCUS, 42007828, Pfc, Co C, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 July 1944. Entered military service from Trenton, N J.

KENNETH E ZEIDERS, 33251563, Pvt, Co A, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 17 April 1945. Entered military service from Youngertown, Pa.

ELMER E VOCKEL, 33581249, Sgt, Co E, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Collingsdale, Pa.

EVERETTE W ARTER, 35228612, Sgt, Co E, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 13 July 1944. Entered military service from Crestline, Ohio.

JOHN H BERNING, 35554738, Pfc, Co E, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 13 July 1944. Entered military service from Toledo, Ohio.

WALTER D EZYK, 36548945, Pfc, Co E, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 13 July 1944. Entered military service from Detroit, Mich.

STANLEY P SIWEK, 36686261, Pfc, Co E, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 5 October 1944. Entered military service from Cicero, Ill.

CECIL D ASHBY, 39473342, Pvt, Co E, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Seattle, Wash.

DANIEL H SWETT, 01312248, 1st Lt, Inf, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Winnipeg, Canada.

LON F BENDS, 01054908, 1st Lt, Inf, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 15 April 1945. Entered military service from Omaha, Neb.

VESTAL F McCOLLUM, 01999189, 1st Lt, Inf, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Stanoville, N C.

ARCHIE W GILLETTE, 0404277, 1st Lt, Inf, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 15 April 1945. Entered military service from Plainville, Conn.

DOMINICK D DeCELLES, 32386553, Pvt, Sv Co, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 27 May 1944. Entered military service from West Orange, N J.

NICHOLAS F ZACCARIO, 32390715, Cpl, Sv Co, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 23 May 1944. Entered military service from Newark, N J.

EDWARD A DeSANTIS, 31234953, Pfc, Co I, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 26 April 1945. Entered military service from Boston, Mass.

ADRIAN A COUSINA, 36529603, Cpl, Co I, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 28 April 1945. Entered military service from Erie, Mich.

GERMAIN L DES ROSIERS, 31141381, Sgt, Co F, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 15 May 1944. Entered military service from Jewett City, Conn.

FRANK A TREPASSO, 35411417, S Sgt, Co H, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 22 September 1944. Entered military service from Columbus, Ohio.

ROBERT L WISSELMAN, 33500203, Pfc, Hq 2d Bn, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 17 April 1945. Entered military service from Mercersburg, Pa.

ALBERT O TITANO, 33934828, Pfc, Co G, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Wyncote, Pa.

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~~ROBERT A WILES~~, 38176829, S Sgt, Co C, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Paragould, Ark.

Rescinded by Ltr 87-July 7, 1945

~~EDWARD J LICE~~, 32400350, Tec 3, Med Det, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 27 April 1945. Entered military service from Brooklyn, N Y.

Rescinded by Ltr 87-July 7, 1945

~~HAROLD J SCHROEDER~~, 36881350, S Sgt, Co B, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 17 April 1945. Entered military service from Wayne, Mich.

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*JAMES A STOCKER, 34779970, Pfc, Co B, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Spartanburg, S C.

Rescly Go 87- July 7, 1945
*THOMAS J GOMILLA, 36710699, Pfc, Med Det, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 22 October 1944. Entered military service from Washington, D C.

Rescly Go 87- July 7, 1945
*HENRY H [illegible], 36983505, Pfc, Co B, 349th Infantry Regimen Italy, 15 April 1945. Entered military service from Gladwin, Mich.

Rescly Go 87- July 7, 1945
*LOBERT L SMITH, 34770122, Pfc, Co C, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Brevard, N C.

Rescly Go 87- July 7, 1945
*THOMAS H THOMPSON, 37584239, Pfc, Co A, 349th Infantry Regimen Italy, 17 April 1945. Entered military service from Garrison, N D.

Rescly Go 87- July 7, 1945
*BRUCE G WEBSTER, 38763787, Pvt, Hq 2d Bn, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 8 July 1944. Entered military service from Chicago, I

EDWARD E WALSH, 01317960, 1st Lt, Inf, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 25 October 1944. Entered military service from Tuckahoe, N

JOHN F STEBE, 02039410, 2d Lt, Inf, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 12 July 1944. Entered military service from Brooklyn, N Y.

THOMAS F GRACE, 32308981, 1st Sgt, A-T Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 2 June 1944. Entered military service from Jersey City N J.

TONY MURRIETA, 39260547, Tec 4, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regimen Italy, 12 October 1944. Entered military service from Santa Ana, Calif.

GABRIEL FALZERANO, 31143162, Tec 4, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 June 1944. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Conn.

JOHN A ROBINSON, 32855050, Tec 4, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 11 October 1944. Entered military service from Warrensburg, N Y.

HUBERT LOGAN, 35134692, Pfc, Hq 3d Bn, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 19 April 1945. Entered military service from Load, Ky.

DONALD H STRONG, 33934204, Pfc, Co K, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 8 December 1944. Entered military service from East Fultonham, Ohio.

DAVID J LYNCH, 31131964, Pfc, Hq Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 3 June 1944. Entered military service from Milford, Mass.

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FRANK J MASIN, 32006047, Pfc, Hq Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 3 June 1944. Entered military service from Bronx, N Y.

HARRY WEBBER, 32386054, T Sgt, Sv Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 12 October 1944. Entered military service from Elizabeth, N J.

RICHARD BARROWS, 31251436, Tec 4, Hq Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 27 September 1944. Entered military service from New Britain, Conn.

RAYMOND E QUINN, 31142054, Tec 4, Hq Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 27 October 1944. Entered military service from Hartford, Conn.

VIRGLE T WARF JR, 36036748, Pfc, Co E, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 28 February 1944. Entered military service from Pooposton, Ill.

III - AMENDMENT

So much of Section IV, General Orders No 60, this headquarters, dated 8 August 1944, awarding the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart to Pvt Germain L Des Rosiers, 31141318, Co F, 349th Infantry Regiment is rescinded.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL KENDALL:

R. J. McBRIDE,
Colonel, G.S.C.,
Chief of Staff

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W. J. ZERGER,
Major, A.G.D.,
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7 October 1949

WITHDRAWAL OF GENERAL ORDER

So much of General Order 77, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division, dated 16 June 1945, as pertains to the award of the Purple Heart to Lawrence Pineus, 42 007 828, is withdrawn.

The above General Order represents a duplicate award of the Purple Heart as announced in General Order 13, Headquarters 12th General Hospital, dated 1 August 1944.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

W. A. Leary

Adjutant General

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19 June 1945

GENERAL ORDERS)
NUMBER 79)

I - AWARDS OF THE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

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FREDERICK [illegible], 31138395, Staff Sergeant, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment, for heroic achievement in action on 15-17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Stoughton, Massachusetts.

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II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

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EUGENE J ADAMS, 0304485, Major, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Birmingham, Alabama.

ROY V BALLARD, 35653107, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 18 June 1944 to 22 March 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Gallagher, West Virginia.

JOHN D MAST, 6566145, Sergeant, Company G, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Orville, Kentucky.

JOSE R ORTIZ, 38167605, Staff Sergeant, Company M, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Keenesburg, Colorado.

CLIFTON M LAROCKE, 31253668, Pfc, Company C, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Barton, Vermont.

EMERY F WILLIAMS, 31100386, Staff Sergeant, Company C, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Selden, Maine.

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JOHN R BENNETT, 38684029, Private First Class, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 22 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Entered military service from McKenney, Texas.

THOMAS H BELL, 33938713, Private First Class, (then Private), Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 8 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Entered military service from Osterly, Pennsylvania.

JOHN W BLACK, 33307130, Private First Class, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Purcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Library, Pennsylvania.

ROBERT A CALLISON, 38228750, Staff Sergeant, (then Sergeant), Company "H", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 September 1944 to 14 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Comanche, Texas.

THOMAS E CARROLL, 32389473, Technician Third Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Weehawen, New Jersey.

ALPHONSE B CONGELIO, 33704150, Staff Sergeant, Company "B", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Purcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Norristown, Pennsylvania.

JOE E COULSTON, 38341647, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 22 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Entered military service from Suden, Texas.

NORMAN J DECOST JR., 31137780, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 14 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Plymouth, Massachusetts.

JOSEPH [illegible]Z, 32270654, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. Fo[illegible]cus service in combat fro[illegible] 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Ent[illegible]ary service from Trenton, New Jersey.

CLIFFORD R[illegible]89045, Technician Fourth Grade, Service Company, 349th Infantry R[illegible] For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in [illegible] Entered military service from Irvington, New Jersey.

ALBERT L FISH[illegible]45010, Private, Cannon Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meri[illegible]ervice in combat from December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered m[illegible]service from Rome, New York.

EMANUEL H GIBBO[illegible]2588, Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic [illegible]ent in action on 22 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Entered military [illegible] from Hugo, Minnesota.

VICENTE GARDUNO, 38167695, Corporal, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bernalillo, New Mexico.

BYRON W GARDINER JR., 31143367, Technical Sergeant, (then Staff Sergeant), Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 August 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Haven, Connecticut.

HENRY F GOLEMBIEWSKI, 33707038, Private First Class, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Entered military service from Manilla, Iowa.

ALEXANDER J GRABOWSKI, 32400182, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 22 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Entered military service from Glen Cove, Long Island, New York.

IRVING H HILL, 32823399, Private First Class, (then Private), Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, at Ronco, Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

EARL A HINKLE, 38288348, Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Jonesboro, Arkansas.

CHARLES H HOFFMAN, 32801845, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 16 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

RAYMOND J JORGENSEN, 37418619, Technical Sergeant, (then Sergeant), Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Entered military service from Manilla, Iowa.

ALFRED KIERMAN, 32377456, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Trumansburg, New York.

FRED J LECLAIRE, 36529749, Staff Sergeant, (then Sergeant), Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

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*ROY A LOCKE JR., 35772353, Private, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Bainbridge, Ohio.

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EDWARD A LONCZAK, 33896589, Private First Class, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, near Cormuda, Italy. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

VERNON R MARTIN, 34891608, Private First Class, (then Private), Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 13 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hurby, North Carolina.

OSCAR MAHLUM, 6931251, Private First Class, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near Pecina, Italy. Entered military service from Ettrick, Wisconsin.

WILLIAM H AULT, 33947465, Private First Class, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, near Mount Albano Italy. Entered military service from Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

RUSSELL AUSTIN, 36691244, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near Villa Pona, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

RUDOLPH BAUER, 36881545, Private First Class, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27 April 1945, in the vicinity of San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

CURTIS P CAMPBELL, 32400365, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Williston Park, New York.

JOSEPH J CHOYNESKY, 33832735, Private, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near Di Setta, Italy. Entered military service from Allentown, Pennsylvania.

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CHARLES H DONNACHER, 01315396, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Minneapolis, Minnesota.

JOSEPH V FERGUSON, 33082476, Staff Sergeant, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Roschi, Italy. Entered military service from Albion, Pennsylvania.

THOMAS GALLO, 32767547, Private First Class, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near Padola, Italy. Entered military service from Haledon, New Jersey.

LINO GARCIA, 38559290, Private First Class, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, near Ca Volta, Italy. Entered military service from Rio Grande City, Texas.

THOMAS F GRUNWALD, 32397749, Corporal, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

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MICHAEL HALIKIAS, 11070619, Private First Class, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near De Cepra, Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

FRED HOUSE, 36689032, Private First Class, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, in the vicinity of Olmo, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

JOSEPH L HULT, 20705762, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28-29 April 1945, near Armodola and Ospitalo di Br Caufriolo, Italy. Entered military service from Centerville, Iowa.

LEONARD JACKSON, 34374768, Technical Sergeant, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.

JAMES H JENNINGS, 39215664, Private First Class, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 15 April 1945, near Fazzano, Italy. Entered military service from Kirkland, Missouri.

LLOYD D KING, 31234823, Staff Sergeant, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, near Sasso Bolognese, Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

ROBERT R KLEIN, 39688593, Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of S Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Fresno, California.

LELAND L LEE, 36368928, Sergeant, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27 April 1945, near San Bonafacio, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

WILLIAM B ALEXANDER, 34854948, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, in the vicinity of Arsio, Italy. Entered military service from Faulkville, Alabama.

BENJAMIN H ALLEN, 33540106, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Alexandria City, Virginia.

ESTIL ANDERSON, 35844635, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, in the vicinity of Arsie, Italy. Entered military service from Owensboro, Kentucky.

EDWARD L BOHN, 31143342, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Haven, Connecticut.

CLAYTON G BRANCH JR., W2120983, Chief Warrant Officer, USA, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from West Collingswood, New Jersey.

RUSSELL L BRYAN, 18052873, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Durant, Oklahoma.

GILBERT H CLOUSE, 02001739, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Duncannon, Pennsylvania.

HARRY J COSTELLO, 31309609, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, in Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Somerville, Massachusetts.

TONY D'ANDREA, 32389371, Private First Class, Company "K", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

JOHN A EULIANO, 33111289, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Crawford, Pennsylvania.

ARLAND J FABRIZIO, 32681326, Corporal, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, near Sasso Bolognese, Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

HECTOR G FERNANDEZ, 32720013, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Queens, L I, New York.

TED E FISHER, 37477200, Sergeant, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Winner, South Dakota.

ERNEST H FLINT, 38372640, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Vernon, Texas.

FREDERICK C GIBSON, 31127042, Private First Class, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from South Vernon, Massachusetts.

GEORGE W GOSA, 38357371, Private, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from De Witt, Arkansas.

GABRIEL G GUITERREZ, 36581453, Private First Class, Company "D", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 19 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

ROBERT A HASTINGS, 31266644, Staff Sergeant, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Manchester, New Hampshire.

ORLAND W HAYS, 39459488, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Colville, Washington.

JOHN HEEB, 32399156, Private First Class, Anti-tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

PAUL HENDRICKSON, 35792287, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Harlan, Kentucky.

ARTHUR C HOLLERMAN, 33675063, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Butler, Pennsylvania.

ALVIN L HUTSON JR., 39464748, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Spokane, Washington.

DONALD J IVERSON, 37585119, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Minneapolis, Minnesota.

GEORGE H JOHNSON, 39247051, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

JAMES L JUSTICE, 38502567, Private, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Cretina, Louisiana.

WALTER A KOTLARZ, 36730719, Private First Class, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

JOHN E LANCE, 33832764, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.

WILLIAM H LYNCH, 33679227, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, in the vicinity of Mount Capra, Italy. Entered military service from Aliquippa, Pennsylvania.

NORMAN HANSEN, 32660068, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Easton, New York.

JOHN H GOLDEN, 32626524, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Roosevelt, Long Island, New York.

DOUGLAS R FULLER, 34769036, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Greenville, Georgia.

WILLARD D GATES, 32660161, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from White Creek, New York.

FERMIN R ESCANUELAS, 39260506, Private, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ontario, California.

PHILIP A DAVOLA, 32625622, Private, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

JAMES B COOPER, 37522052, Private First Class, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Winfield, Kansas.

JOSEPH E BOMBARDIER, 31139531, Technician Fourth Grade, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Raynham, Massachusetts.

JOSEPH J ALEFFI, 32307933, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Winter Harbor, Maine.

THOMAS BACKOS, 36528870, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

BERNARD GOODMAN, 36529701, Private, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

ALBERT J MEEKE JR., 37668229, Corporal, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Muscatine, Iowa.

WALTER P PATER, 16025771, Corporal, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Petoskey, Michigan.

THOMAS A ROSATO, 32626522, Private First Class, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Westbury, New York.

FRANCIS E SILVA, 31138275, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Provincetown, Massachusetts.

VINCENT PEDRO, 35173699, Private, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Youngstown, Ohio.

WARREN K TROTTER, 0554219, Second Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, in the vicinity of Ostiglia, Italy. Entered military service from Largo, Florida.

NEAL N JOHNSON, 38251125, Sergeant, Battery "B", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Duncan, Oklahoma.

ALPHONSE L SCHOPPE, 38250706, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 December 1944 to 1 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sommerville, Texas.

AYNE A JAEKE, 01181644, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 30 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Clearwater, Nebraska.

HOWARD SAILS, 01170545, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kansas City, Missouri.

HERSHEL J WOOD, 38192381, Private First Class, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, in the vicinity of Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Tulsa, Oklahoma.

LLOYD W QUIMBY, 31013500, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 88th Infantry Division Artillery. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Manchester, New Hampshire.

ALANDA F HENDERSON, 34686160, Private First Class, [illegible] "A", 313th Medical Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 2[illegible] April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Jasper, Georgia.

WAYNE H AVIRETT, 34761464, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Medical Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Donalsonville, Georgia.

JOHN ZARR JR., 37284855, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Medical Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Devils Lake, North Dakota.

PHILIP BAI ROSSI, 11085856, Special Agent, 88th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment. For meritorious service in combat from July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Barre, Vermont.

JOSEPH P LUONGO, 31335093, Special Agent, 88th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Haven, Connecticut.

WILLIAM H LUCAIRE, 02039558, 2d Lt, 88th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment. For meritorious service in combat from March 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

NORMAN G NASH, 32626255, Private First Class, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Seaford, Long Island, New York.

ROBERT P MORRIS, 39903616, Technician Third Grade, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Salt Lake City, Utah.

THOMAS H MC DANIEL, 38238841, Technician Third Grade, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Little Rock, Arkansas.

WALDO J ZERGER, 01000198, Major, Adjutant General's Department, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cleveland, Kansas.

JACK C MILLER, 023406, Major, General Staff Corps, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 11 March 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Missoula, Montana.

WALLACE H HALE, 022758, Lieutenant Colonel, Corps of Chaplains, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kemp, Texas.

IRVING COHEN, 32702915, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 752d Tank Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 15 April 1945, near Grossetta, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

BRAINARD L AUMENT, 13154417, Sergeant, Company "D", 752d Tank Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, near San Giovanni, Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

III - AMENDMENTS

OK So much of Section III, General Orders Number 69, this headquarters, dated 4 June 1945 awarding the Bronze Star Medal to members of this command as reads " Major William H Clark, 0412026, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment" is amended to read "Major William H Clark, 0292354, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment".

OK So much of Section I, General Orders Number 76, this headquarters, dated 14 June 1945, as pertains to the Award of the Silver Star, posthumously, to Technician Fifth Grade John O Johnson, 36809605, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop, is rescinded.

G.O. #79 - Continued 19 June 1945

BY ORDER OF COLONEL FIRY:

R. J. McBRIDE,
Colonel, G.S.C.,
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GENERAL ORDER

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I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

RICHARD L ROSE, 35627657, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, near Vagnacavallo, Italy. Entered military service from Folkodotte, Ohio.

TEDDIE S VAN MATRE, 35486420, Technical Sergeant, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27 April 1945, near Montbello, Italy. Entered military service from Evansville, Indiana.

MOODY I PARKER, 31080047, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Shirley, Massachuset

II- AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

WILLIAM E SPICER, 32704108, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 15 to 18 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

DONALD L WOOD, 39379939, Staff Sergeant, Company "A", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, Italy. Entered military service from Mitchell, South Dakota.

WILLIAM R VINEK, 38250532, Sergeant, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 14 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ganado, Texas.

JOSEPH VITTORIO, 35604425, Technician Fifth Grade, (then Private First Class Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Youngstown, Ohio.

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H D WALKER, 34373907, Sergeant, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, near Cornuda, Italy. Entered military service from Humboldt, Tennessee.

GEORGE T WALLACE, 35878113, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Covington, Kentucky.

GERALD WARREN, 35759723, Technical Sergeant, (then Staff Sergeant), Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Vado, Italy. Entered military service from Doanville, Ohio.

ARTHUR W WINEBRENNER, 6884338, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sand Springs, Oklahoma.

ROBERT F WOODMAN, 31371791, Private First Class, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 13 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Salem, Massachusetts.

EDDIE YECNY, 39114262, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Turlock, California.

ALBERT H CLEVELAND, 33610518, Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 24 March 1944 to 14 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Susquehanna, Pennsylvania.

GEORGE R MIKELSKAS, 31122204, Technical Sergeant, Company "A", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Union City, Connecticut.

JOE J BIELUSIAK, 36896563, Private First Class, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Vado, Italy. Entered military service from Lincoln, Michigan.

JOHN F FOSTER, 42081748, Sergeant, (then Private First Class), Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, near Magnacavallo, Italy. Entered military service from Pine Hill, New Jersey.

HARLEY E HANKE, 37583275, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Capitilla, Italy. Entered military service from Brownsville, Minnesota.

EDWARD W GARLICK, 31415016, Private, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, near Cornuda, Italy. Entered military service from Williamstown, Massachusetts.

THOMAS W HEBERLE, 32938652, Sergeant, (then Private First Class), Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in actio. on 22 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Entered military service from Rochester, New York.

ALBERT L JOHNSON, 37547348, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 22 April 1945, near Decima, Italy. Entered military service from Battle Lake, Minnesota.

NEIL M MUNTZ, 33683216, Private First Class, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 September 1944 to 14 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sugar Grove, Pennsylvania.

LOUIS A MAZUR, 32373878, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 14 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Amsterdam, New York.

RICHARD T MULLIN, 42012507, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 24 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Milford, New Jersey.

STANTON J PERHAM, 31314250, Sergeant, (then Private), Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Connecticut.

FRANK H PARENT JR., 18008616, Private, Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, at Ronco, Italy. Entered military service from League City, Texas.

CLIFFORD O SCHILL, 39114380, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 15 and 16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Brentwood, California.

JOHN. [illegible]INK, 34607980, Technician Fourth Grade, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

STANLEY P SIWEK, 36686261, Private First Class, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 13 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cicero, Illinois.

CLAYTON E SMITH, 31374718, Private, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Hudson, New Hampshire.

EDWARD C SMITH, 12092072, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27 April 1945, near Ronco, Italy. Entered military service from Ozone Park, Long Island, New York.

PRESTON L SMITH, 17000553, First Sergeant, (then Technical Sergeant), Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kansas City, Missouri.

JOSEPH A SORTINO, 37124251, Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, near Bassano, Italy. Entered military service from Omaha, Nebraska.

WILLIAM E STEELNACK, 33424455, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from McKeesport, Pennsylvania.

JEREMIAH P SULLIVAN, 32398777, Technical Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

ALEXANDER E SUSS, 31389954, Private First Class, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, near Bassano, Italy. Entered military service from Woonsocket, Rhode Island.

RICHARD M TERRELL, 35772891, Technician Fifth Grade, Anti-Tank Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 24 March 1944 to 14 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Charles West Virginia.

LAWRENCE THOMAS, 34827619, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 6 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Valdosta, Georgia.

EARL L TOMES, 36581366, Private First Class, (then Private), Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

JOHN D TOOLE, 12162166, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, at Cornuda, Italy. Entered military service from Point Pleasant Beach, New Jersey.

WILLIAM J TRACEY, 32395895, Staff Sergeant, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, near Cornuda, Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

ROY L SANDERS, 38278988, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Smithfield, Texas.

CARL E SABO, 35045637, First Sergeant, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Youngstown, Ohio.

ALBERT E RINKER, 01031754, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 22 and 23 April 1945, in the vicinity of the Po River, Italy. Entered military service from Bartlesville, Oklahoma.

RALPH R LYNCH, 32400441, Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, in the vicinity of the Bronte River, Italy. Entered military service from East Hampton, New York.

JOHN B MAHONEY, 31234945, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Woburn, Massachusetts.

CHARLES MASON, 31363176, Private First Class, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near De Sopra, Italy. Entered military service from North Attleboro, Massachusetts.

WILLIAM T MAXWELL, 33686916, Private First Class, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near Badlo, Italy. Entered military service from Tyler, Texas.

WAYLAND MAY, 38185263, Private First Class, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near Badlo, Italy. Entered military service from Columbia, Louisiana.

HOWER D MORRISON, 01318999, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near De Sopra, Italy. Entered military service from Sherman Oaks, California.

JOSEPH S NASH, 01063043, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27-28 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

OWEN O'HANLON, 38156559, Corporal, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from San Antonio, Texas.

HUBERT A SHIPMAN, 39259883, Technician Fourth Grade, Cannon Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 30 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Diego, California.

ALLEN E VINER, 32387183, Sergeant, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

VALENTINE WELINSKY, 35229525, Private First Class, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Toledo, Ohio.

JAMES E WHEAT, 37067089, Technical Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near Villa Poma, Italy. Entered military service from Mena, Arkansas.

FRED J WOLBER, 32657345, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

LEO C ZLOTOWSKI, 32392827, Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

PHILIP K McCRAVEN, 31138053, Staff Sergeant, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Beverly, Massachusetts.

JOHN M MAC DONALD, 33586854, Private, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

LEE MARTIN, 37586255, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Foley, Minnesota.

WILLIAM L MILLER, 35882971, Private, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Cincinnati, Ohio.

EDWARD J MURPHY, 32386612, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Paterson, New Jersey.

ANDY PAPP, 33701935, Private First Class, Company "K", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, in the vicinity of Zevio, Italy. Entered military service from McKeesport, Pennsylvania.

ROMEO O PECK, 31284694, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, in the vicinity of Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Springfield, Massachusetts.

CLARENCE L PILLARD, 32379381, Sergeant, Company "G", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, in the vicinity of Ostiglia, Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

RAYMOND E PREDAINA, 35110888, First Sergeant, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 16 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Gary, Indiana.

FRANCIS L PROCTOR, 33656556, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Woodstock, Virginia.

HERSCHEL L QUARLES, 38383895, Sergeant, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, in the vicinity of Arsie, Italy. Entered military service from Beardon, Arkansas.

HARVEY P QUAYLE, 36730798, Private, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

GILBERT A SCHEDTZ, 33836308, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Allentown, Pennsylvania.

BERTRAM O SCHNEIDER, 42055020, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

MICHAEL J SHALATA, 33173869, Private, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Wyoming, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH S SOPCZAK, 31264026, Private First Class, Company "A", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Bassano, Italy. Entered military service from Worcester, Massachusetts.

GILBERT A THEISS, 37632820, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st. Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Saint Louis, Missouri.

MEYER H SLATKIN, 0478701, Captain, Medical Corps, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 16 October 1944 to 15 January 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

FRED L PIWONKA, 6262253, First Sergeant, Company "D", 351st Infantry Regimen For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Houston, Texas.

FRANCIS J MORIARTY, 31214116, Private First Class, Company "D", 351st Infant Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Springfield, Massachusetts.

MARK L LUTHER, 32957009, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Trenton, New Jersey.

JOHN R WHALEN, 35604363, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Youngstown, Ohio.

ROBERT P WILHELM, 33706444, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, in the vicinity of Sassc Bolognese, Italy. Entered military service from Coraopolis, Pennsylvania.

WILBUR H WRIGHT, 34738410, Technical Sergeant, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Nashville, Tennessee.

ALBERT G YANKE, 31251448, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from New Britain, Connecticut.

PAUL H TIGHE, 31256358, Corporal, Company "H", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, in the vicinity of Revere, Italy. Entered military service from Lowell, Massachusetts.

JESSE L TRIBBLE, 36690932, Private, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, in the vicinity of San Giacomo di Martignone, Italy. Entered military service from Perkin, Illinois.

LOUIE TYRA, 34374136, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oakville, Tennessee.

LEO A USCIO, 31246059, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

HARRY T WEBBER, 32386054, Technical Sergeant, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Elizabeth, New Jersey.

SIDNEY WEINER, 11089968, Private, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

ROBERT E TAYLOR, 35581336, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, in the vicinity of Artega, Italy. Entered military service from Thorntown, Indiana.

ARDIS E STRICKLAND, 38547916, Private, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Houston, Texas.

JOSEPH F STONE, 31421313, Sergeant, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

PHILLIP J SPINALE, 37627156, Private, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Saint Louis, Missouri.

PAUL A GALLUCCIE, 35228405, Private, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Columbus, Ohio.

ARMSTEAD HARRISON, 39268123, Private First Class, Company "D", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

NICHOLAS E HESS, 31214245, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Pittsfield, Massachusetts.

JOSEPH A FISHER JR., 37502233, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Saint Joseph, Missour

GEORGE T SLIFKO, 35060190, Private, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cleveland, Ohio.

GEORGE H WILKES, 34820155, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Indian Springs, Georgia.

VICTOR G SMALLIDGE, 31117389, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Winter Harbor, Maine.

WILLIAM C PARKER, 34769659, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Charlotte, North Carolina.

MAURO A MARATEA, 32625811, Private, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

GEORGE W MITCHELL, 35753692, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Deer Run, West Virginia.

GEORGE LUCYSZYN, 12097895, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

JOSEPH F JOHNSON, 33800232, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

SAMMUEL H LEEDHAM, 39538931, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

FRANCIS A HERMUS, 32626456, Private First Class, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bellport, New York.

HALDEAN W HUBBARD, 39326109, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Coquille, Oregon.

KENNETH C WILBUR, 32660104, Private First Class, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Greenwich, New York.

MERRILL B WALL, 31117703, Private First Class, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Saint George, Maine.

ELVIN J YOUNG, 39850874, Private, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 29 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lakeside, Arizona.

JOHN S RUGGIERO, 32398391, Corporal, Battery "B", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

DONALD T BELDEN, 38688574, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

GEORGE J DIAKOMIS, 42035371, Private First Class, 88th Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 22 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

KENNETH R VERMILION, 35095153, Private First Class, 88th Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 22 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Anderson, Indiana.

JOHN B TERRIS, 12098374, Private First Class, 88th Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 22 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Elmira, New York.

GEORGE E LITTRELL, 35216032, Private First Class, 88th Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lancaster, Ohio.

DANA B JACOBS, 31141849, Technician Fifth Grade, 788th Ordnance (M) Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL FRY:

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I -- AWARDS, POSTHUMOUS, OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individuals:

ALFRED F HOLLAND, 36550657, Staff Sergeant, Company "B", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Sergeant HOLLAND displayed outstanding gallantry in repulsing a hostile counter-attack at the cost of his life. When Company "B" had reached an objective near Furcoli, the Germans counterattacked, causing many casualties and forcing the company to withdraw to reorganize. In order to cover the withdrawal, Sergeant HOLLAND remained at his post alone, pouring incessant fire into the enemy emplacements. As the hostile forces advanced, they directed small arms and mortar fire on the exposed position. In spite of the extreme danger, this intrepid sergeant continued to fire his weapon and throw hand grenades at the advancing Germans, cutting them down, repulsing their attack. Then, as his comrades launched an assault which gained the objective, Sergeant HOLLAND was struck by enemy fire and instantly killed. His gallant action enabled his company to reorganize and seize the objective. The heroism of Sergeant HOLLAND has won the gratitude and respect of his fellow soldiers and reflects the fighting traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Monroe, Michigan. Next of kin: Mrs Lucy M Holland, (Mother), 508 E Caswell Street, Kingston, North Carolina.

ARTHUR K PHILLIPS, 32386846, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 22 April 1945, near Cavazzona, Italy. Sergeant PHILLIPS performed with exceptional gallantry at the cost of his life in destroying an enemy machine gun that was menacing his company's advance. When Company "F" was advancing along a road, carefully concealed enemy machine guns and snipers opened fire against the leading elements. Without hesitation, Sergeant PHILLIPS led his squad in a flanking movement. Maneuvering his men he worked them toward the hostile positions and then, in advance of his squad, led the rush on one of the machine guns. Disregarding heavy machine gun fire, this sergeant assaulted the position, destroyed the weapon and killed two Germans. Immediately reorganizing his men, he led the advance against the second gun. With fearless courage, advancing into the withering fire, Sergeant PHILLIPS was killed by enemy bullets as he neared the hostile position. The courageous action of this soldier in attacking strong enemy positions enabled his company to continue the advance and his heroic deed upholds the highest traditions of the military

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service. Entered military service from Allentown, Pennsylvania. Next of kin: Mrs Hannan Phillips, (Mother), 40th North Tenth Street, Allentown, Pennsylvania.

CHARLES P LYNCH JR., 01308527, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near De Sopra, Italy. On this night, Captain LYNCH, in command of Company "C", was assigned the mission of seizing Monterumici Ridge, the Corps objective, and the heavily fortified village of De Sopra, Italy. Acting as a lead scout, Captain LYNCH skillfully led his men up the steep slope toward the stubbornly defended peak that had withstood almost two days of repeated attacks. When a minefield was encountered that closed all approaches to the enemy, Captain LYNCH moved fearlessly forward and, unaided, cleared a path to place the company in assaulting position. Machine gun fire from De Sotto wounded several of his men and halted further movement, but Captain LYNCH directed accurate fire to neutralize the gun and then bravely led his men in routing the enemy from caves and dugouts and finally seized De Sopra. Twice, the enemy launched fierce counterattacks to regain this summit and each time Captain LYNCH deliberately exposed himself to rally his men and direct such accurate mortar and artillery fire that the enemy were beaten off with heavy losses. Reorganizing his men, Captain LYNCH continued his relentless drive and after silencing the machine gun in De Sotto, he led his company in a final assault on the enemy-held ridge. Concentrated fire from countless enemy weapons was directed on the brave group but Captain LYNCH encouraged his men to follow him and, in a daring charge, succeeded in overpowering the superior foe, only to be brought down by a fanatical enemy soldier at a distance of less than ten yards. Such inspiring leadership, superb courage and admirable determination is a glorious tribute to the gallant achievements of the United States Army. Entered military service from Atlanta, Georgia. Next of kin: Mrs Martha F Lynch, (Wife), 1320 Reeder Northeast, Atlanta, Georgia.

ANTHONY TRILONE, 32387210, Technical Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 28 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. On 28 April 1945, Sergeant TRILONE and his platoon were riding on one of the tanks advancing in column along the highway in the vicinity of Grantorto, Italy. Suddenly he noticed a convoy of five enemy trucks, all heavily loaded with riflemen, approaching our task force from an obscured cross-road. Sergeant TRILONE instantly realized that an attack from the flank was imminent, and to prevent the enemy's severing our column, he ordered the men off the tank and into positions along the highway. He quickly organized his platoon and when the enemy concentrated their initial assault fire upon his men, they were prepared. Hesitating only momentarily in order to gauge the enemy's strength and to determine their positions, Sergeant TRILONE ordered his men to follow him into the attack. Calm and unafraid, through the hail of bullets and blasts of exploding rifle grenades, he charged forward boldly, firing his rifle as he advanced. Suddenly, as he neared the enemy positions, a vicious burst from a near-by machine gun killed him. The dauntless spirit with which their fallen platoon sergeant led them into the assault so inspired the men to avenge his death that they continued the attack with greatly increased fervor, and in the final engagement they killed eighteen of the enemy, captured eighty-five, and destroyed all five vehicles. Sergeant TRILONE'S intrepid leadership and resolute courage in the face

of such devastating fire is in keeping with the magnificent achievements of the American infantryman. Entered military service from Somerset, New Jersey. Next of kin: Mr Louis Trilone, (Father), 54 Knopp Street, Somerset, New Jersey.

LOUIS E WINESETT JR., 33532310, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 17 April 1945, in the vicinity of Monterumici, Italy. On this day Private WINESETT was with the lead platoon of Company "L" when it attacked strongly-fortified and stubbornly-defended enemy positions near Monterumici. As they neared the objective after a slow hazardous advance, the men were pinned down by a murderous concentration of enemy mortar, machine gun, sniper and rifle grenade fire from well-concealed positions, which inflicted numerous casualties on our troops. Because of its untenable position, the platoon was ordered to withdraw, but the constant enemy fire made movement across the thirty yards of completely exposed terrain an impossibility. Private WINESETT saw that the protective fire of the other two platoons was ineffective and, although seriously wounded, bravely crawled forward to a dangerously exposed knoll placed accurate fire on nearby emplacements, and inflicted several casualties. Private WINESETT'S heroic action caused the enemy to concentrate their heavy fire on his position, which killed him, but permitted the rest of the platoon to reach cover safely. The magnificent courage and supreme devotion to duty displayed by Private WINESETT will long be remembere by the officers and men in his company. Entered military service from Abingdon, Virginia. Next of kin: Mrs Bessie V Winesett, (Mother), Route #2, Galax, Virginia.

BILL D SHAW, 36589639, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 30 April 1945, in the vicinity of Marostica, Italy. When an Italian Partisan brought word that a three-story farm house some distance away was occupied by a large number of Germans, and that they were blocking the supply road with machine gun fire, Private SHAW, an automatic rifleman, immediately requested permission to join a combat patrol to clear the resistance. As the patrol advanced across the flat, open fields to within a hundred and fifty yards of the house, it was suddenly fired upon by a storm of plunging machine gun fire from the upstairs window of the house, wounding one man and forcing the bulk of the patrol to fall back to the protection of a small ditch. Private SHAW, however, never halted or faltered for an instant. He savagely returned assault fire with his automatic rifle, deliberately advancing alone straight toward the enemy. When a burst of machine gun fire struck all around him and half-obscured him with dust, his patrol leader called for him to take cover. But Private SHAW fanatically continued forward, firing every step of the way, until he was instantly killed, thirty-five yards from his objective. Private SHAW provided the spark of inspiration to his fellow men by his sacrifice of his life, and his gallantry in the face of certain death spurred the seven remaining men to launch a savage attack and kill or capture thirty-five Germans. Private SHAW upheld the most glorious traditions of the Army of the United States, and he reflects the greatest credit upon his division. Entered military service from Grosse Point Park, Michigan. Next of kin: Mrs Vera Rose Haley, (Mother), 1166 Maryland Avenue, Grosse Point Park, Michigan.

DAVID D WILLIAMS, 35701278, Private First Class, Company "G", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 24 April 1945, in the vicinity of Ostiglia, Italy. Company "G", 351st Infantry Regiment, had crossed the Po River on the wreckage of a demolished railroad bridge at Ostiglia, Italy. Fierce enemy fire covered the bridge. Private WILLIAMS, first scout for the second platoon, courageously picked his way through the twisted girders and rails, finding the path for those to follow. After negotiating the broken span in the center, Private WILLIAMS was pinned down by heavy sniper fire. Private WILLIAMS located the enemy sniper and began to return the fire, at the same time shouting the location of the enemy to the men who followed. He again proceeded on his way across the bridge, when he was fired on by a second sniper. Private WILLIAMS started for the third time, and was killed by another sniper just as he neared the end of the bridge. Private WILLIAMS provided a magnificent example of courage and inspiration to those who came after him to carry on with the attack and overwhelm the German resistance. Entered military service from Flint, Michigan. Next of kin: Mr Tullie Williams, (Father), 215 East Patterson Street, Flint, Michigan.

II- AWARD OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Silver Star is awarded to the following named individual:

PAUL RIVIERS, 01321582, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 26 April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. On this day, Lieutenant RIVIERS' platoon was the advance element in the attack on enemy positions at San Martino. When information revealed that the enemy were manning a strongpoint in buildings of the town, Lieutenant RIVIERS immediately deployed his platoon and advanced on the enemy position. Personally leading one squad in a bold frontal attack, Lieutenant RIVIERS succeeded in working to within one hundred yards of the enemy when they were met by a devastating hail of bullets from machine guns and machine pistols. Lieutenant RIVIERS instantly directed his men to cover while he engaged one of the enemy guns in a fierce firefight. When his accurate fire silenced the gun and killed the gunner, Lieutenant RIVIERS called on his men to follow him and suddenly rushed the strongest of the enemy positions. Firing his weapon as he charged forward he cleverly maneuvered his men until the enemy were trapped in one of the buildings. Again fearlessly pressing the attack, Lieutenant RIVIERS succeeded in killing four of the enemy and after a short but fierce firefight forced the remainder to surrender. His gallant action and magnificent leadership resulted in twenty-four of the enemy being killed and the capture of eighty, among which was one captain, one major and three lieutenants. Such outstanding gallantry and determination inspired the respect and admiration of all who witnessed this deed and exemplifies the highest traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Fond du Lac, Wisconsin.

III- AWARDS OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to the following named individuals:

NIEL F LUCKIE, 38579020, Sergeant, (then Private First Class), Company "B", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 15 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Sergeant LUCKIE displayed outstanding gallantry in assaulting German positions while exposed to hostile fire. When Company "B" attacked Furcoli Ridge, the enemy resisted fiercely from caves dug into the hill. All approaches were mined and covered by machine gun and mortar fire. As the attackers moved across the barren ground to the base of the slope, heavy enemy defensive fire pinned down the men, flares made any movement conspicuous. Leaving his covered position in the face of extreme danger, Sergeant LUCKIE took his machine gun to a bare knoll and put it into action. Fully exposed to terrific enemy shelling, he poured devastating fire from his gun into the German emplacements, killed four of the hostile gunners and silenced three machine guns. When his gun was sighted by the enemy, an intense mortar barrage was directed at his position, but in spite of the shells blasting close to him, this courageous soldier continued to deliver withering fire into the German strongpoints, enabling his comrades to continue the assault and aiding greatly in the successful seizure of the objective. The gallant action of Sergeant LUCKIE has won him the high regard of all who know of his deed and his heroism upholds the fighting traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Artesia, New Mexico.

NICHOLAS R BROOKS, 01285183, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 15-18 April 1945, near Monterumici, Italy. When the battalion crossed the line of departure to attack Monterumici on 15 April 1945, Captain BROOKS, the Second Battalion S-3, was with the point of the leading company. The enemy directed a heavy artillery and mortar barrage which inflicted heavy casualties on the advancing troops and enemy mines caused several more killed and wounded. Among the casualties were several officers, and without proper leadership the two leading companies became disorganized. Captain BROOKS ignored the danger of the shell fragments that filled the air and calmly moved about reorganizing the troops and directing evacuation of the wounded. Throughout the next two days of the attack, Captain BROOKS was with the leading troops and brilliantly maneuvered the battalion into strategic positions for the final assault. In an all out effort he led the final charge against fanatical enemy resistance. Enemy soldiers in a group of houses threatened to halt the advance, but Captain BROOKS rushed headlong toward the enemy positions and exhorted the men to follow him. He killed or wounded four enemy soldiers and led the inspired troops who completely destroyed enemy defenses. Captain BROOKS was wounded later in the day and repeatedly refused to be evacuated until forced by the battalion surgeon. His inspiring courage and magnificent leadership aroused the respect and admiration of all who witnessed his deeds and exemplifies the finest tradition of the infantry officer. Entered military service from Houston, Texas.

FRED W MAIER, 35771709, Private First Class, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 19 April 1945, near Badala, Italy. On this morning Private MAIER was an automatic rifleman with Company "F" as it advanced on its objective near Badala, when suddenly two enemy machine guns opened up with intense deadly crossfire, pinning down the leading elements and forcing the others to cover. Private MAIER, and four others voluntarily assaulted the closest machine gun nest and silenced it, but not before the leader of the group had been wounded. Placing him in the safety of the cleared emplacement, Private MAIER then took command of the group and led them in the advance on the second gun. There, while the three men placed harassing fire on the enemy, he daringly attempted to flank the position and assault it from the rear. He came within striking distance of the enemy position, when another machine gun cleverly directed bursts of withering fire at him, but refusing to be turned from his original objective he fearlessly charged forward, firing his BAR from the hip, killing the enemy gunner, wounding another and forcing the third to surrender. From his new vantage point Private MAIER observed other enemy positions, and, despite the enemy machine gun and small arms fire covering the area, he remained in position and guided the company's advance so effectively that they captured the hill, killed a number of enemy soldiers and took thirty-four prisoners. Private MAIER'S peerless initiative and magnificent courage has won him the respect and admiration of his fellow soldiers. Entered military service from Huntington, West Virginia.

FRANCIS CAPECE, 31250830, Sergeant, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 27 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. On this day, the First Battalion was making a rapid advance along Highway Eleven. Sergeant CAPECE'S squad was among the leading elements of the battalion as the task force moved forward, when it was met by withering machine gun and rifle fire from the front and both flanks. Sergeant CAPECE immediately ordered his squad to dismount and take up covered positions along the highway, while he remained atop the tank, completely exposed to the enemy fire, and directed the fire of his men as well as the tank. Suddenly the tank became the target of an enemy bazooka and, although badly stunned by the explosion of a shell that hit dangerously close to him, Sergeant CAPECE quickly dismounted and boldly led two of his men in an assault on the bazooka nest. Armed only with rifles, Sergeant CAPECE and his two men succeeded in killing the four enemy occupying the position, and the column, with its obstacles removed, was able to again move forward. It was while continuing the advance that this courageous leader was painfully wounded in the foot by an enemy sniper, but Sergeant CAPECE refused to be evacuated until he had reorganized the squad and chosen a new leader. Through Sergeant CAPECE'S heroic actions and most intelligent decisions, the entire task force was able to continue the advance at maximum speed and with minimum casualties. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

FRANK J TUCCIARONE, 12088611, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 14 April 1945, near Fazzanello, Italy. On this day, Private TUCCIARONE was a member of Company "L" whose attack had been halted by overwhelming enemy firepower. The men were ordered to dig defensive positions near Fazzanello, when suddenly, a heavy mortar

barrage was directed at the company's positions and casualties became alarmingly high. Private TUCCIARONE heard a shell coming toward his position in which a BAR was strategically located. Realizing that the whole platoon would be endangered by the loss of this weapon, he threw himself over the gunner and was wounded by many mortar fragments which would otherwise have hit the BAR man. He then saw the platoon aid man who was wounded and lying in the direct field of fire of an enemy machine gun. Despite the intense pain that accompanied his every movement and the mortar and machine gun fire all about him, Private TUCCIARONE crawled through the withering enemy fire and, after applying first aid, boldly carried the wounded aid man to a place of safety. His daring acts inspired the men who witnessed his deeds to hold their ground against overwhelming odds. Private TUCCIARONE'S splendid courage and superb initiative reflect the greatest credit upon himself and is in keeping with the highest traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

JOE SOLOSKI, 35925748, Private, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 20 April 1945, near Sasso Bolognese, Italy. On this day, Company "G" was attacking fanatically defended Sasso Bolognese and Private SOLOSKI was with the leading elements when the enemy directed machine gun fire at them from the village. As Private SOLOSKI'S platoon cautiously advanced through this hail of fire and maneuvered to enter the town, other machine guns and small arms opened fire upon them from both flanks. Although the platoon was pinned down and unable to move, Private SOLOSKI succeeded in entering the town by snaking his way through the storm of bullets until he was within grenade range of an enemy machine gun. Then, raising himself in full view of the enemy and taking deliberate aim, he scored a direct hit on the nest killing the four men manning the gun. Private SOLOSKI'S action immediately drew heavy enemy fire from the front and both flanks, but he remained in his exposed position returning their fire until ordered to withdraw. While crawling to safety, he was wounded by small arms fire and hand grenades, but Private SOLOSKI grimly dragged himself back to our lines where he was soon evacuated. Private SOLOSKI'S courageous action enabled his platoon to continue on to its objective with a minimum amount of casualties. His magnificent courage and superb initiative won the respect of all who witnessed his actions and add glory and honor to the history of the American soldier. Entered military service from Cleveland, Ohio.

FLOYD E SUTTERFIELD, 37601115, Technical Sergeant, (then Staff Sergeant), Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 2[illegible] April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. On this day, Sergeant SUTTERFIELD was a machine gun section leader of Company "I" during its attack on the town of San Martino, and volunteered to take his section and set up a road block on the outskirts while rifle troops cleared the town of enemy resistance. Sergeant SUTTERFIELD placed his gun where he had an excellent field of fire and, less than an hour later the enemy made a savage counterattack from the front and both flanks. Without regard for the machine gun and small arms fire all about him, Sergeant SUTTERFIELD left his safe position and placed his ammunition bearers in positions guarding the flanks. He then moved to an exposed position where he could direct fire on the enemy although he became the target of most of their fire. The enemy moved to

within fifty yards of his position when Sergeant SUTTERFIELD'S machine gun jammed but he poured rifle fire upon them until the stoppage was cleared. Resuming fire with the machine gun he killed seven enemy soldiers and forced the others to flee in disorder. Through his calm and gallant action the counterattack was repulsed without a casualty to his men. Entered military service from Corridon, Missouri.

LUCEIN W GIERCZAK, 36110441, Technical Sergeant, (then Staff Sergeant), Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 20 April 1945, at Sasso Bolognese, Italy. On this day Company "G", attacked the strong enemy defenses at Sasso Bolognese. The company slowly advanced in spite of the intense machine gun fire directed at them and reached the outskirts of the town. Here, Sergeant GIERCZAK and his squad were pinned down by murderous fire directed at them from a machine gun in one of the strongly defended enemy dugouts to the direct front. Sergeant GIERCZAK skillfully directed his BAR team to a strategic point where they returned accurate fire and silenced the enemy machine gun as he took three members of his squad and charged forward to wipe out the menace. When he was within fifteen yards of the objective an enemy soldier threw a hand grenade but Sergeant GIERCZAK gallantly rushed on, firing his "tommy" gun and killed one of the enemy soldiers and wounded another. He then led his squad swiftly through near-by dugouts and captured eighteen prisoners. Sergeant GIERCZAK dispatched two men to the rear with the prisoners and then led his men into the village where again they were met by fierce enemy machine gun and machine pistol fire from a position located in a house at the far end of the street. Fearlessly Sergeant GIERCZAK moved forward ably directing the movements of his men so they could take advantage of the covered approaches using nearby buildings and drainage ditches, until he was at last able to accurately bring the full firepower of the squad against the enemy position. In the sharp firefight which followed one enemy soldier was killed, two wounded and the other three surrendered. The sterling qualities of leadership, high personal courage and exceptional initiative displayed by Sergeant GIERCZAK were a vital factor in the successful seizure of the objective. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

GEORGE FUMICH JR., 0407787, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near Monterumici, Italy. On this evening, Company "G" successfully captured a hill feature near Monterumici after a fierce firefight with the stubborn enemy. In the early morning hours, Lieutenant FUMICH heard the burst of hand grenades and rattle of machine guns, as the fanatical enemy began counterattacking to recapture the vital hill. Instantly, Lieutenant FUMICH leaped out of his foxhole and dashed to the top of the hill, where, in full view of the enemy, he began throwing hand grenades at them. Undismayed by the bullets cracking by him or the blasting of the enemy hand grenades, Lieutenant FUMICH, holding his grenades for a few seconds, arched them into the air, achieving the effect of an air burst as they exploded. Courageously he stood in complete view of the enemy, throwing grenade after grenade until he emptied a box. Then, confidently, he went around to each of his men, directing their fire and encouraging them. After the attack was thrown back, four enemy dead and several wounded were found lying in front of

Lieutenant FUMICH'S position. Later that morning the company again began its advance, and Lieutenant FUMICH saw a number of enemy soldiers on the flank, and ordered them to surrender. When they scattered he opened fire, killing two and forcing the surrender of fifteen others. Lieutenant FUMICH'S peerless leadership and superb courage in the face of enemy fire, reflects great credit upon the American infantry officer. Entered military service from Pursglove, West Virginia.

THEODORE FRITZLER, 36831140, Private First Class, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Ospitale, Italy. Early on this morning Company "M" had overrun enemy strongpoints and was setting up defensive positions on the southern banks of River Brenta. Private FRITZLER, a heavy machine gunner, was digging in when the enemy suddenly launched a fierce counterattack from the woods on the right flank and rear of the battalion. Firing machine guns, automatic weapons and bazookas, a withering hail of fire was directed on the startled troops on the highway. Private FRITZLER immediately saw the serious situation, and fearlessly set up his heavy machine gun on commanding but exposed ground, returning heavy fire on the advancing enemy. His deadly, accurate fire caused numerous casualties and momentarily halted their advance, but wave after wave continued to press forward and concentrated most of their fire on him. Private FRITZLER defiantly held his advantageous position, pouring murderous blasts of fire, killing and wounding many of the enemy. His position was then subjected to a self-propelled gun at point blank range and even when the machine gun and small arms fire increased in intensity, Private FRITZLER grimly clung to his position. Private FRITZLER alone accounted for at least twenty enemy killed and countless wounded. His daring action kept the enemy from advancing any further and enabled our tanks to move into position, and rout the rest of the fanatical enemy. Private FRITZLER'S calmness under fire, grim determination and bold aggressiveness has won the respect and admiration of all who witnessed his actions. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

BERNARD E DORKEN, 36614460, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 30 April 1945, at Cornuda, Italy. Sergeant DORKEN acted with unusual gallantry when he rescued a trapped patrol and inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy. When a patrol from Company "I" had become trapped in a house and was surrounded by a large force of Germans, Sergeant DORKEN willingly organized a volunteer rescue party. In the face of enemy mortar and small arms fire, this soldier led his party forward. Suddenly a machine gun opened fire. Sergeant DORKEN, without hesitation or regard for his own personal safety, charged to within thirty feet of the gun. Throwing a hand grenade, he assaulted the position with his "tommy" gun killing four and wounding two more of the enemy. Reorganizing his force, he continued his way into the town against fierce resistance. Under the courageous leadership of Sergeant DORKEN, they broke the enemy resistance around the house and freed the patrol. In this action five more Germans were killed, three were seriously wounded and two were taken prisoner. The initiative and courage of Sergeant DORKEN in this action was responsible for the release of the trapped comrades. His unusual gallantry was an inspiration to his men and was a credit to the

highest standards of the military service. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

IV - AWARDS OF THE SOLDIER'S MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

WILLIAM C. PIPER JR., 33667703, Private First Class, Company "A", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroism not involving actual conflict with the enemy on 2 May 1945, near Feltre, Italy. Private PIPER heroically risked his life when he saved an unconscious comrade from drowning. In fording the Piane River, a soldier of Company "A" fell, was stunned and was swept into the deep water. Private PIPER, noticing the accident, and without thought to his own safety, dashed to his assistance. In imminent danger of being crushed against the sharp rocks by the racing river, or being dragged down by his heavy equipment, this soldier fought his way to the drowning man. Burdened by the additional weight of his comrade, Private PIPER towed him to shallow water and carried him up on the river bank. This soldier's courageous action in saving the life of a fellow soldier at imminent danger to his own life, won the admiration of all who witnessed the act which has reflected great credit upon the military service. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

BERNARD E DORKEN, 36614460, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroism not involving actual conflict with the enemy on 21 May 1945, near Solderno, Italy. Sergeant DORKEN displayed outstanding heroism at great risk to his own life in rescuing a fellow soldier from a burning building stored with ammunition. Having been given the assignment of storing captured German arms and ammunition in a temporary storehouse, Sergeant DORKEN together with his two comrades were fulfilling their task. Sergeant DORKEN and one man were unloading a truck outside the building when a sudden and violent explosion wrecked the building. Though dazed and cut by flying fragments, this sergeant, realizing that his comrade was trapped in the building, heroically went to his rescue. Without regard for his own life, this man braved the raging inferno, entered the building and though blinded by smoke, located the unconscious man. Realizing that a second explosion would demolish the building, this sergeant carried the man through bursting grenades and small arms ammunition to safety. Though his efforts were not successful and his comrade was too badly injured to survive, Sergeant DORKEN'S courageous and unselfish attempt to save a comrade at the greatest risk to himself has won for him the admiration of his fellow soldiers and his actions reflect the best traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

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I - AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individual:

LEFTREDGE W HONEYCUTT, 0330378, Captain, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, at Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Dalton, Georgia. Next of kin: Mrs Agnes Honeycutt, (Wife), Box 214, Dalton, Georgia.

II - AWARDS, POSTHUMOUS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individuals:

BILLY J EDMUNDSON, 37501955, Staff Sergeant, Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 14 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Linneus, Missouri. Next of kin: Mr Joe Edmundson, (Father), Route #3, Linneus, Missouri.

ALFRED SHERIDAN, 42091840, Private First Class, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Casa di Mazza, Italy. Entered military service from Oswego, New York. Next of kin: Mrs Lillie Geers, (Mother), 209 East Second Street, Oswego, New York.

GLENN L BOWERSOCK, 35809023, Private First Class, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, on Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Indianapolis, Indiana. Next of kin: Mrs Charolette R Bowersock, (Wife), 3220 West Michigan Street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

BERNARD J JAJKO, 36548813, Private First Class, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near S Cecilia, Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan. Next of kin: Mr George Jajko, (Brother), 4155 30th Street, Detroit, Michigan.

SIGMUND WEINTRUB, 31390640, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near Villa Poma, Italy. Entered military service from Spencer, Massachusetts. Next of kin: Mrs Anita Weintrub, (Wife), 230 West 99th Street, New York City, New York.

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BILL D SHAW, 36589639, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan. Next of kin: Mrs Vera Rose Haley, (Mother), 1166 Maryland Avenue, Grosse Point Park, Michigan.

KENNETH PEPPER, 38477091, Staff Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Tyler, Texas. Next of kin: Mrs Mira M Pepper, (Mother), 709 Level Street, Longview, Texas.

JOHN KEDZUH, 36603763, Private, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, in the vicinity of Ostiglia, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois. Next of kin: Anna Milewski, (Sister), 4350 South Honore Street, Chicago, Illinois.

III- AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

WILLIE J IVY, 6262739, Staff Sergeant, 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 1 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bronson, Texas.

DAVID STEIN, 01695667, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, in the vicinity of Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

IV - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

HENRY C WITHAM JR., 35699370, Private, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Seminary, Kentucky.

ROBERT W THOMPSON, 37500336, Private First Class, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Coffeyville, Kansas.

ALFONS J VANDRIES, 39266944, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 26 February 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pacoima, California.

CHAN G WING, 32388151, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Orange, New Jersey.

LEE POSKEY JR., 38290218, Sergeant, (then Private First Class), Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Nacogdoches, Texas.

PATRICK J PAGE, 32400850, Technician Third Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

GLENN O NEIL, 39266799, Technician Fourth Grade, (then Technician Fifth Grade), Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brawley, California.

JAMES H MYLOTT, 31259656, Sergeant, (then Private First Class), Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 15 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fitchburg, Massachusetts.

HERMAN I LEGNER, 33034025, Sergeant, (then Private First Class), Company "B", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Barnville, Pennsylvania.

DANIEL R DOBBINS, 32179356, Private First Class, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Tacoma, Washington.

EDWARD P ESTY, 42015052, Private First Class, (then Private), Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 13 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Clinton, New Jersey.

JOHN E BERNENG, 35554733, Private First Class, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Toledo, Ohio.

J D BELCHER, 38607643, Private, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Lubbock, Texas.

MARK W TAYLOR, 02001699, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, near Mount Albano, Italy. Entered military service from Houston, Texas.

HELMUT A METZ, 39195319, Private First Class, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945 to 19 April 1945, near Sasso Bolognese, Italy. Entered military service from Tacoma, Washington.

JEROME R NEMBERG, 32398603, Private, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near De Sotta, Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

FRED E PADILLA, 38167[illegible]6, Sergeant, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, near C Nuova, Italy. Entered military service from San Miguel County, New Mexico.

CESARO L LOMBARDI, 32377753, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Canastota, New York.

FERDINAND J NICHOLSKI, 33621078, Private First Class, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, at Cornuda, Italy. Entered military service from Cumbola, Pennsylvania.

WAYNE E JOHNSON, 39137855, Staff Sergeant, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near De Sotta, Italy. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

ROBERT D GAUL, 13112552, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near De Sotta, Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

LLOYD W FISHER, 01290922, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27 April 1945, in the vicinity of Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Daytona Beach, Florida.

DALE E BOLING, 35173183, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wadsworth, Ohio.

LOUIS A COENEN, 36216764, Sergeant, Service Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 20 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from West De Pere, Wisconsin.

NORMAN BOISVERT, 31269324, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 November 1944, in the vicinity of Mount Belmonte, Italy. Entered military service from Manchester, New Hampshire.

THOMAS E BAIR, 0132573, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near De Sotta, Italy. Entered military service from Eureka, California.

JOHN A MATTHEWS, 32032484, First Sergeant, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 10 October 1944 to 6 January 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Binghamton, New York.

JOSEPH J SHERLIN, 13007561, Staff Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Shenandoah, Pennsylvania.

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PETER P PAWELCZAK, 32373630, Sergeant, Company "D", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Albany, New York.

LAWRENCE PENZEIL, 32396112, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

ANDREW T PERCY, 33692264, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

MARTIN CHARLES, 13186637, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

RICHARD L McCLAY, 31216951, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Portland, Maine.

THEODORE P LORENC, 31142069, Private First Class, Company "K", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Middletown, Connecticut.

HAROLD KATZ, 42043105, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, in the vicinity of San Giacomo di Martignone, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

WILLIAM H HARRIS, 31235517, Staff Sergeant, Company "H", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 14 April 1944 in the vicinity of Revere, Italy. Entered military service from Roxbury, Massachusetts.

LESTER R HUTHER, 35235709, Private First Class, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Canton, Ohio.

LEROY C GOODING, 33515415, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 8 January 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Seven Valleys, Pennsylvania.

CHARLES CONTI, 36529400, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

NICHOLAS BUKOVESKY, 31143079, Sergeant, Company "D", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

GEORGE H BELLESHEIM, 32403444, Private First Class, Company "A", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, in the vicinity of San Giovanni, Italy. Entered military service from Yonkers, New York.

JOSEPH G AHERN, 31138206, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

FRANCIS X MINOGUE, 32396423, Staff Sergeant, Service Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

FRANK C McWHORTER, 38192081, Technician Third Grade, Medical Detachment, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Tulsa, Oklahoma.

LOUIS J BONCOMPAGNI, 32626538, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Westbury, Long Island, New York.

JOSEPH O WELLS, 31005071, Master Sergeant, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fitchburg, Massachusetts.

MICHAEL F CURTIN, 01633150, First Lieutenant, Signal Corps, 229th Signal Operatio Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

ROBERT W STEWART, W2129248, Warrant Officer, Junior Grade, USA, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Martinsburg, West Virginia.

ARTHUR F McGRATH, 39103193, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 1 March 1944 to 1 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Eureka, California.

EDGAR A HOUGH, 31141604, Technician Third Grade, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 8 February 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bristol, Connecticut.

COLIN F HAMLIN, 31143000, Technical Sergeant, 88th Infantry Division Band, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 17 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Stratford, Connecticut.

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G RNER L RICE, 34507934, Corporal, (then Private First Class), Company "C", 752d Tank Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 24 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Waverly, Texas.

WILLIAM G PHILLIPS, 13170762, Sergeant, Company "A", 752d Tank Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, near Feltre, Italy. Entered military service from Cumberland, Pennsylvania.

ALFRED FONTANA, 39128168, Corporal, Headquarters Company, 752d Tank Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 15 April 1945, in the vicinity of Grossetta, Italy. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

HOWARD P DEAN, 01014624, First Lieutenant, Infantry, (Armored), 752d Tank Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 16 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bennington, Vermont.

ARTHUR P DALY, 31141919, Sergeant, Division Headquarters, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 1 February 1944 to 1 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

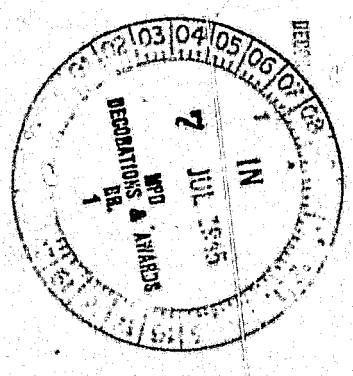
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I - AWARDS, POSTHUMOUS, OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individuals:

BUSTER KING, 35667173, Private First Class, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near Cornuda, Italy. When a superior force of the enemy successfully attacked and overran Company "K" outpost positions, Private KING'S platoon, which had been attached to Company "K", retired to the protection of a building. Aware of their superiority in numbers, the Germans stormed the house with grenades, rockets, and automatic weapons. This soldier firing his carbine furiously from the second story window helped beat back the assault. In the heat of battle one German had gained admittance to the house and was in the act of throwing a hand grenade when private KING saw him. Without hesitatio or regard for his own safety, this soldier hurled himself at the German and in a fierce hand to hand struggle tore the grenade from hi and killed him. Returning to his post to meet another enemy assault he w - firing at the Germans and inflicting casualties when he received a fatal wound from a rocket. The singular courage of this man in the face of the enemy and his supreme sacrifice at the call of duty reflect great credit on the Armed Forces of the United States. Entered military service from Tootersville, Kentucky. Next of kin: Mrs Sally King, (Mother), Corron, Kentucky.

CLIFFORD W HENTGES, 37579202, Private, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. When Company "F" attacked Furcoli Ridge, two previou attempts had been repulsed by the enemy who were firmly entrenched in concealed caves on high ground. The hostile emplacements were protected by mine fields and interlocking machine gun fire. As the company neared the base of the hill the soldiers were pinned to the ground by heavy machine gun fire and bursting mortar shells. Private HENTGES, as first scout, made his way forwarded into enemy observatio With no thought of his own safety, he moved across the barren slope until he sighted the enemy gun. As he pointed out the German gun to his squad leader, he was struck by the intense fire. In spite of his wound this courageous soldier continued to direct the fire of his squad into the enemy position, until he was again struck and instantly killed. His gallant action was an important factor in the successful seizure of the objective and the heroism of private HENTGES is in

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keeping with the fighting traditions of the Infantry soldier. Entere military service from Delano, Minnesota. Next of kin: Mrs Bertha Hentges, (Mother), Delano, Minnesota.

STEVE DeMAGGIO, 39226657, Staff Sergeant, Company "B", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 22 April 1945 near Luna, Italy. Company "B" was advancing into Luna when heavy machine gun fire and tank artillery pinned the troops down. Sergeant DeMAGGIO, with complete disregard for his own safety, advanced 300 yards over open terrain into the face of a blazing machine gun and blew up the emplacement with a hand grenade killing both occupants. Noticing another active position, this sergeant continued his movement forward, and, ignoring the desperate concentration of bullets about him, stormed the site forcing the two gunners to flee. He continued the pursuit and succeeded in killing one of the fleeing Germans. Still exposed to the fire of hostile machine guns and tanks this courageous soldier was killed when a shell exploded close by. Sergeant DeMAGGIO'S gallant action in neutralizing two German machine guns at the cost of his own life typifies the highest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California. Next of kin: Mrs Gussie DeMaggio, (Wife), 451 Mississipoi Street, San Francisco, California.

CARL B W STRATHMANN, 35793213, Private First Class, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 17 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. When Company "F" attacked Furcoli Ridge, two previous attempts had been repulsed by the enemy who were firmly entrenched in concealed caves on high ground. The hostile emplacements were protected by mine fields and interlocking machine gun fire As the company neared the base of the hill the soldiers were pinned to the barren ground by heavy machine gun fire and bursting mortar shells. Private STRATHMANN returned the enemy fire with his automatic rifle while he and his squad moved forward. Finding no covered position where he had a good field of fire, he crawled out in the open. As he made his way out into enemy observation, he was struck by the terrific fire. Although wounded, he continued on, full exposed to the enemy gunners and poured fire into the German emplacements. Forcing the enemy to seek cover from the devastating fire of his weapon, he enabled the company to manouver onto the flank of the hostile positions. Without regard for the extreme danger he kept up incessant fire into the enemy strongpoint. While his comrades assaulted and knocked out the German machine gun nests, this courageous soldier was again struck and wounded mortally. His gallant actio was an imprtant factor in the successful seizure of the objective and the heroism of Private STRATHMANN is in keeping with the fighting traditions of the Infantry soldier. Entered military service from Cincinnati, Ohio. Next of kin: Mrs Ella Strathmann, (Mother), 22 Juergens Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio.

CLARENCE WEBB, 34882998, Staff Sergeant, Company "B", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 22 April 1945 at Luna, Italy. Sergeant WEBB displayed the utmost devotion to duty when he assaulted enemy positions in the face of intense fire. When Company "B" attacked the town, the troops were held up by fire from well

emplaced machine guns and from a tank which shelled the soldiers at close range. Sergeant WEBB crawled forward 300 yards through the enemy fire. Nearing a machine gun position he fired a rifle grenade, destroyed the gun and inflicted several casualties. As he advanced further the German fire reached its full fury with bullets ripping into the earth only inches from his body. Sergeant WEBB assaulted another machine gun position, drove the enemy from behind the weapon and killed one German. Still pressing forward, Sergeant WEBB was attempting to knock out the enemy tank when he was killed by an exploding shell. By his inspiring deed of gallantry, Sergeant WEBB made a vital contribution to the success of the attack which was resumed a short time later and his actions reflect great credit on the armed forces. Entered military service from Kingsport, Tennessee. Next of kin: Mrs Elizabeth D Webb, (Mother), 1917 Pierce Street, Kingsport, Tennessee.

GEORGE W ALLEN, 38431114, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 26 April 1945 near San Martino, Italy. On the outskirts of the village partisans told of enemy soldiers, with automatic weapons, who were in a building commanding the road over which the company had to pass. Unhesitatingly, Sergeant ALLEN volunteered to neutralize the enemy strongpoint, and directing one man to cover him, crawled to within twenty yards of the building, unobserved by the enemy. Suddenly, a withering burst of machine gun fire scorched the air about him, as the enemy discovered him. Undismayed, Sergeant ALLEN fearlessly dashed toward the building, fired his rifle from the hip and killed a sniper in the doorway, and then, knowing he was outnumbered, he still forced his way into the house. Inside, spinning and dodging about, Sergeant ALLEN, by his deadly and accurate fire, killed four more of the enemy. A sudden burst of machine pistol fire from another room killed him, but he had so disorganized and confused the enemy that they soon surrendered to his comrades who were now free to advance up the road. His fearless courage and superb initiative, has won for Sergeant ALLEN the admiration and gratitude of all who witnessed his action. Entered military service from Dallas, Texas. Next of kin: Mrs Mary A ALLEN, (Wife), Glen Rose Star Route, Cleburne, Texas.

LAURIN G COOK, 39317523, Sergeant, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 25 April 1945, near Gazzo, Italy. Sergeant COOK'S squad, the leading elements of the battalion, were fired upon from the left by an enemy machine gun. Sergeant COOK immediately ordered his squad to dismount and skillfully deployed his men to advance on the position, all the time exposing himself to the withering hail of bullets that filled the air about him. Ordering two of his men to cover him and the remainder of the squad as they advanced on the nest, Sergeant COOK fearlessly led his men forward. The enemy fire became so intense that two men with him desperately sought for cover but Sergeant COOK remained and fired his tommy gun from a standing position. A fierce fire fight ensued but Sergeant COOK still refused to seek shelter and directed such accurate fire into the machine gun nest that two of the gunners were killed. He

then continued boldly leading his men towards a house behind the destroyed machine gun nest. While advancing, Sergeant COOK observed two enemy soldiers coming from the rear of the house, and with a burst from his "tommy" gun, he wounded one of the enemy. Immediately the second fired so accurately at Sergeant COOK that he was severely wounded in the neck. Although his wound was so serious as to require immediate evacuation, Sergeant COOK courageously and vigorously continued the firefight, and eventually forced the remaining enemy to surrender. Sergeant COOK'S wound proved fatal the next day, but his brave spirit, unselfish courage, and intrepid leadership are indelibly imbedded within the hearts of his men and were a great inspiration to them in the continuance of the attack. Entered military service from Portland, Oregon. Next of kin: Mrs Nora E Cook, (Mother), Route 12, Box 844, Milwaukee, Oregon.

JAMES V HYCHE, 34317439, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters ompany, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in ction on 29 April 1945 near Vicenza, Italy. Corporal HYCHE was with he battalion rear when partisans came in with information that a umber of enemy soldiers were in a house. Corporal HYCHE immediately oluntoered to go forward with four men to wipe out this ambush, but oy reached the building only to discover that the enemy had moved to house 500 yards further on. Undismayed, Corporal HYCHE led his men orward in a deployed formation, and as they neared the building he alled on them to continue firing, and started forward, moving between ows of grape vines. Suddenly, the enemy opened fire with machine istols and automatic weapons, but Corporal HYCHE continued fearlessly, iring his carbine as he moved. As he neared the house, an enemy oldier cleverly concealed at Corporal HYCHE'S rear, fired a murderous urst of machine gun fire at him, and killed him instantly. The acrifice of Corporal HYCHE'S life made possible the location of the emy machine gun and its ultimate destruction, together with the killng of seven enemy and capture of 58 others. His superb daring and etermined aggressiveness has won for Corporal HYCHE the acclaim and miration of all his comrades. Entered military service from Quinton, labama. Next of kin: Mrs Mary L M Hyche, (Wife), Route 1, Quinton, labama.

I - AWARDS OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the ilver Star is awarded to the following named individuals:

WILLIAM T KETTERING JR, 0511283, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 9th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 18 April 1945, r Poggiale, Italy. Lieutenant KETTERING performed with outstanding llantry when he established and held defensive positions to the rear the enemy. When a patrol from another unit had been surrounded by e Germans, Lieutenant KETTERING led his platoon to their assistance. dway across a minefield, enemy flares illuminated the patrol and emy mortar, machine gun and small arms fire scattered the men. eutenant KETTERING ran through the minefield, under murderous fire,

and personally contacting his men he reorganized the platoon. Moving forward with his men he forced entry towards the trapped patrol's position only to find it reduced to rubble and all of the patrol dead or missing. In the face of numerically superior forces and completely surrounded by the enemy, he established a defensive position. By radio he directed artillery fire against the enemy stronghold facilitating the break-through of a strong enemy fortification. Lieutenant KETTERING'S heroic determination to hold a defensive position in the face of almost impossible odds, and his gallant action throughout the operation, reflects the highest traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Oak Park, Illinois.

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✓ HOWARD MILLER, 36689004, Private First Class, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 20 April 1945 near Sasso Bolognese, Italy. On this day, Private MILLER was with the leading elements of Company "G" when they launched an attack against enemy positions in the vicinity of Sasso Bolognese. The platoon slowly advanced through the town against intermittent machine gun fire, when, just outside the town, they were met with a deadly hail of bullets from an automatic weapon on the left. Private MILLER immediately observed the enemy's position and went boldly forward, alone, in an attempt to destroy the nest. Firing a rifle grenade into the nest, Private MILLER dazed the enemy and immediately he fired again, killing one and wounding two others. No sooner had Private MILLER silenced this machine gun then another opened fire from his direct front, wounding him severely in the leg Nevertheless, he stayed at his position when ordered to withdraw and returned the enemy's fire. Finally, Private MILLER was so weak from the loss of blood and the pain from the wound that he was forced to leave his exposed position to search for cover. After receiving first aid, he was evacuated to the rear. Private MILLER'S unflinching devotion to duty and his magnificent courage won for him the respect and highest esteem of the men with whom he serves. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

✓ ORVILLE F BARRON, 37605900, Private First Class, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 17 April 1945, near Pianazza, Italy. On this night, Private BARRON was a BAR man in the assault group of Company "G", advancing on the enemy strongly entrenched on a hill near Pianazza, when suddenly heavy machine gun and small arms fire from the extreme left front pinned down the advance element. Private BARRON realized the seriousness of the situation and volunteered to go forward to clear the enemy from their strongpoint, and despite the fierce fire covering the area he succeeded in reaching a point where he had direct observation on the enemy. Although murderous fire of machine guns and machine pistols was directed at him, Private BARRON stayed in his exposed position and fired his automatic rifle with devastating effect, wounding a number of enemy soldiers. When he ran out of ammunition, he crawled determinedly forward to within striking distance of the enemy emplacement, where he boldly stood up in full view of the enemy,

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threw two grenades with deadly accuracy, and silenced the opposing gunners. With the removal of this strong enemy threat, Private BARRON'S comrades were able to advance and secure their objective. The daring action and superb courage of Private BARRON is in keeping with the highest traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

JAMES L BULLOCK, 36460107, Staff Sergeant, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near La Torre, Italy. After a fierce but unsuccessful attack of the previous night during which many men were killed and wounded, Company "K" was directed to hold their ground. When ordered to continue their attack, Sergeant BULLOCK voluntarily crept seventy-five yards through the deadly enemy mortar and machine gun fire to establish a forward observation post. From this position Sergeant BULLOCK sighted an enemy machine gun to his front pouring murderous fire into the advancing platoon. Without hesitation, Sergeant BULLOCK worked his way forward to a commanding but exposed position where, with the entire crew present, he forced them to retreat wounding the enemy gunner. Sergeant BULLOCK then spotted four enemy riflemen firing upon the advancing troops and fearlessly moved to remove this added threat. In spite of the overwhelming odds, Sergeant BULLOCK again opened fire with his rifle and with deadly accuracy, killed all four of the enemy soldiers and enabled his platoon to capture their objective. Sergeant BULLOCK'S superb initiative and conspicuous bravery aroused the sincere admiration of all who know him and reflect the finest spirit of the American soldier. Entered military service from Kalamazoo, Michigan.

HENRY G NESSEN, 36977350, Private, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 17 April 1945, near Le Mandrie Italy. On this night, Private NESSEN was a BAR man with Company "B" when it attacked enemy positions in the vicinity of Le Mandrie, Italy. The platoon had advanced to within one hundred and fifty yards of this village when enemy machine guns from the dominating heights laid down a deadly concentrating fire on our positions. Private NESSEN began to maneuver toward the left flank to determine the exact location of the enemy lines when he was fired on by several machine guns from his left. He immediately returned the fire and, when wounded in the jaw, he bravely continued the fierce firefight. The platoon received orders to withdraw, but Private NESSEN refused to leave his position and continued firing his weapon to cover the withdrawal. He was wounded again in the right arm, but he doggedly clung to his position. He did not leave until his comrades had successfully withdrawn. This gallant action saved the platoon from complete annihilation and won for Private NESSEN the respect and admiration of his entire company. Entered military service from Boyne City, Michigan.

GEORGE D KUNKEL, 01692077, First Lieutenant, Corps of Engineers 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near Carmingano di Brento, Italy. Lieutenant KUNKEL and his platoon were part of a task force crossing the Brenta River at Citadella, Italy. The task force was in motorized column moving

up the main highway. At about 0600B the tail of the task force had halted, when suddenly, with no previous warning, the enemy attacked in force from the far side of the railroad which ran parallel to the highway. The full weight of this attack was concentrated on Lieutenant KUNKEL'S platoon. Lieutenant KUNKEL immediately set about organizing the forces at his disposal into a defensive unit. Lieutenant KUNKEL deployed his troops and directed the placing of machine guns and automatic rifles for the most effective fire on the enemy's line of attack. The enemy fire of small arms, rockets and machine guns mounted in intensity as the attack was launched. Ignoring the fire, Lieutenant KUNKEL ranged up and down his lines, offering encouragement and indicating targets to his non-commissioned officers. Lieutenant KUNKEL, realizing the advantageous position of a house that was some twenty yards from the highway ordered his men from the ditch which he had previously set up as his main line of resistance, and into the house. Word had been dispatched to the head of the column requesting tank support. However, it was more than three hours after the attack had begun that the tanks arrived. As soon as the tanks appeared, Lieutenant KUNKEL procured additional ammunition and distributed it to his men. He then returned and personally directed the fire, pointing out the best targets. Several of the enemy managed to get close enough to the house and to a tank that was firing from a position directly next to the house, and knocked out the tank. Lieutenant KUNKEL, seeing the knocked-out tank and the fifty caliber machine gun mounted on it, dashed from the house and climbed aboard the tank in an attempt to secure the machine gun and set it up in the house. The enemy concentrated every bit of his power on Lieutenant KUNKEL, and in so doing damaged the machine gun to such an extent that it could no longer be removed or fired. The gallantry and courage of this officer's deed inspired everyone who saw it. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Connecticut.

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I - AWARD OF THE SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individual:

JACOB E FINK, 34827655, First Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Augusta, Georgia.

II- AWARD OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individual:

MELVYN S STILWELL, 0326986, Captain, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

III- AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

RICHARD D EDMUNDS, 31072255, Sergeant, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Milbham, Massachusetts.

JOSEPH H ZION, 20533892, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Wayne, Indiana.

LAWRENCE J ZIMMER, 32400382, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Glen Cove, Long Island, New York.

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SAMUEL J ZANE, 13007202, First Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 25 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HAMER S STUMBO, 39260411, Private First Class, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

JOHN J SUSNICK, 32271026, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Paulsboro, New Jersey.

NATHAN TERRELL, 37230135, Private First Class, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Independence, Missouri.

JACK THOMAS, 35464024, Technician Third Grade, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 19 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Mount Sterling, Kentucky.

ROSCOE W THORNHILL, 34057675, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from White Haven, Florida.

FLOYD WAGNER, 37341499, Private First Class, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Norton, Kansas.

EDWARD P WEBER SR., 33703160, Private First Class, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 6 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

JAMES T WILSON, 38289297, Corporal, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Little Rock, Arkansas.

WILLIE P SHARPTON, 34530499, Private First Class, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 13 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chattahoochee, Florida.

STANLEY M SHOSTAK, 31374090, Sergeant, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 20 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Manchester, New Hampshire.

BERNARD C SHRIRO, 31216855, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Waterville, Maine.

FRANCIS W SOUTHER, 31115613, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rutland, Vermont.

"ILLIE" V SPENCER, 32401100, Staff Sergeant, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

GEORGE M SPENCER, 12110381, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

GUS SCLAFANI, 32397332, Private First Class, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

JOHN M SCRO[illegible], 32057229, Staff Sergeant, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

MANUEL M SELBERA, 38250923, Private First Class, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bastrop, Texas.

ROBERT W SEWELL, 36401081, Sergeant, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lansing, Michigan.

*amended award: 1LT to BSM 4 May to 8 July 6 45

*FRED W BOTH, 01999115, First Lieutenant, Medical Administrative Corps, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 14 April 1945 to 18 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lowell, Michigan.

FREDERICK M BOULEAU, 31138106, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Beverly, Massachusetts.

JOHN RUSSO, 39259865, Staff Sergeant, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

BILL H NICHOLSON, 34890795, Sergeant, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near La Torre, Italy. Entered military service from Rosman, North Carolina.

JOHN P O'BRIEN, 32271486, Private First Class, Cannon Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Millville, New Jersey.

JUNIOR E OLDHAM, 37243677, Technical Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

HIRSH E MORTON, 34792595, Private First Class, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 27 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

JAMES N MITCHELL, 34607887, Private First Class, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Madison, North Carolina.

LAWRENCE C MIDDLEBROOK, 6661510, First Sergeant, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 14 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana.

ARTHUR M MARQUEZ, 39857001, Private First Class, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. Entered military service from Phoenix, Arizona.

FRANCIS J MAC DONALD, 31235036, Technical Sergeant, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Woburn, Massachusetts.

LEROY E JOHNSON, 36227505, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ellsworth, Wisconsin.

JAMES P HARRIS JR., 39420587, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 16 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sacramento, California.

JAMES GOLDEN, 31149350, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Woonsocket, Rhode Island.

ELISEO M GARZA, 38413939, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Stafford, Texas.

WEBB J GARNETT, 33524691, Private First Class, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu Italy. Entered military service from Bowling Green, Virginia.

WOODROW I FORTUNE, 34705298, Staff Sergeant, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort McClellan, Alabama.

JOSEPH W FORBES, 38279889, Technical Sergeant, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Greenville, Texas.

EARL W FOLSOM JR., 31366239, Corporal, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 9 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from West Roxbury, Massachusetts.

GILBERT FLEISCHER, 32161592, Corporal, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camp Upton, New York.

BERNARD T DOONER, 32270695, Sergeant, Cannon Company, 350th Infantry Regiment For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Trenton, New Jersey.

JOHN R COOPER, 32270708, Technician Fifth Grade, Cannon Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pennsgrove, New Jersey.

MERICUS CONTI, 32001750, Master Sergeant, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

FRANCIS V BURKE, 32398704, Corporal, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

CHESTER W BRADY, 31149005, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

CHARLES J BLANKS, 33530146, Private First Class, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. Entered military service from Roanoke, Virginia.

ALBERT L BENWAY, 31149837, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

EMIL J BAVASI, 42049159, Staff Sergeant, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 22 August 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

ELDON E BARTLEY, 31216821, Technician Fifth Grade, Cannon Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Clinton, Maine.

STEPHEN J BARNETT, 32401229, Staff Sergeant, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 6 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

RALPH A BARRA, 32817805, Private First Class, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

JEROME GOLD, 02121118, Chief Warrant Officer, USA, Headquarters 473d Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Union City, New Jersey.

THOMAS E COLLINS, 32373530, Sergeant, Battery "A", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Albany, New York.

BENJAMIN A GELLER, 32357173, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

WILLIAM M GRUNER, 32858395, Corporal, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Highland, New York.

EDGAR E JAMES, 38239191, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Monette, Arkansas.

RICHARD L LAWRENCE JR., 38253044, Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Antonio, Texas.

WALLACE R MARSH, 20847515, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Lincoln, Texas.

HUGH H McKEE, 01181372, Second Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 31 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hope, Arkansas.

DONALD L MERCHANT, 31016621, Staff Sergeant, Battery "A", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Amesbury, Massachusetts.

JER[illegible] F MILLER, 01177093, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

ROBERT W NILLIKIN, 38289230, Private First Class, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 22 April 1945, near Castelle, Italy. Entered military service from Knobel, Arkansas.

JOSEPH C MITCHELL, 14021059, Staff Sergeant, Battery "C", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Six Mile, South Carolina.

THOMAS F PALMER JR., 31198075, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Beverly, Massachusetts.

ARTHUR J QUINN, 32388023, Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from West Orange, New Jersey.

GEORGE R SCHMITT JR., 32387706, Technician Third Grade, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Paterson, New Jersey.

ARTHUR L WYLIE JR., 18110336, Corporal, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Petersburg, Texas.

MILTON S COHEN, 01644719, First Lieutenant, Signal Corps, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oroville, California.

HUBERT LEE, 01296224, Captain, (then First Lieutenant), Adjutant General's Department, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 25 January 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wedowee, Alabama.

ALEX D MENZ, W212262, Warrant Officer, Junior Grade, USA, 88th Infantry Division Band. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Schoharie, New York.

DONALD K MOSES, 33115506, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Special Troop, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Cumberland, Pennsylvania.

PAUL A DUFRAS, 39563777, Corporal, Headquarters Company, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Long Beach, California.

EDWARD W FOLEY, 32396718, First Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

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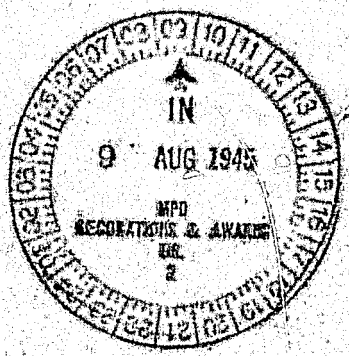
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I - AWARDS, POSTHUMOUS OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individuals:

HARRY LEVY, 12088016, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near Lizeria, Italy. On this day the motor pool and battalion rear was moving to the forward command post when they were told that several enemy soldiers were hiding in a house nearby. Sergeant LEVY then set out with four others to capture them, but as they approached the house, they were met with a withering volley of machine gun and small arms fire, which wounded one of his men. Sergeant LEVY immediately replied with a concentrated volley of rifles and carbines which forced the enemy to flee to a house five hundred yards down the road. The small party saw that they were greatly outnumbered but they stubbornly continued the attack. Again they were met with the concentrated firepower of many enemy weapons as they closed in on the enemy. Another of Sergeant LEVY'S men was wounded but he defiantly moved up a row of vines in a last desperate effort to rout the enemy from the house. Every burst of fire was answered by repeated fire from his carbine and as they moved relentlessly toward the house one of his men was instantly killed by fire from a concealed machine gun in a draw to the rear. Further advance was impossible with this threat and Sergeant LEVY moved to wipe out this enemy gun. Working his way toward the gun from his completely exposed position, he fired round after round until his ammunition was almost exhausted. Then, with only a few rounds left, he leaped from his position and fearlessly charged the enemy position, but before he could close with the enemy he was killed instantly by murderous bursts of machine gun fire. The sacrifice of his life was not all in vain since Sergeant LEVY'S audacious act made possible the complete destruction of the enemy gun and the subsequent killing of six of the enemy and the capture of fifty-eight others. Sergeant LEVY'S outstanding courage and superb determination won the admiration and respect of all who knew him and exemplifies the brave spirit of the American infantry soldier. Entered military service from New York City, New York. Next of kin: Mr Jacob Levy, (Father), 770 Faile Street, New York City, New York.

WALTER W SCOTT, 0574482, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 17 April 1945, near De Sopra, Italy. After two days of

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unsuccessful attempts of other units and after many hours of bitter fighting, Company "C" succeeded in capturing the fanatically defended village of De Sopra. As they moved to continued their attack, they were pinned down by a terrific enemy machine gun fire from their right flank and suffered severe casualties. Captain SCOTT, commanding Company "A" was ordered to attack De Sotto and relieve the almost unbearable pressure on Company "C" who had already lost their company commander and many men killed or wounded. In a bold and daring maneuver, Captain SCOTT, acting as first scout, led his men in an attack on the enemy flank. His encouraging leadership and grim determination so inspired his men that they decisively routed the enemy in a ferocious but well-directed battle. Captain SCOTT so skillfully planned and executed the maneuver that his men killed twenty-one of the enemy, wounded sixteen and captured twenty-six while his company suffered only one casualty. In this and subsequent actions shortly thereafter, Captain SCOTT personally killed eight enemy soldiers and captured over thirty, and his company accounted for fifty killed and more than five hundred prisoners. Captain SCOTT'S daring but intelligent leadership and his sincere devotion to duty excited the deep respect of all who knew him and add glory and honor to the finest traditions of the United States Army. Entered military service from Jackson, Mississippi. Next of kin: Mrs Frank T Scott, (Mother), 918 North Street, Jackson, Mississippi.

CHARLES A TETTING, 36278313, Private First Class, Company "A" 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 19 April 1945 near Prato del Micio, Italy. On this day Company "A"'s advance was halted in the vicinity of Prato del Micio by enemy rear guard fire from tanks, machine guns, bazookas and rifles. Casualties were extremely high in the first platoon, which was the leading element, and it was necessary for the company to withdraw and reorganize. Private TETTING, acting entirely upon his own initiative and with complete disregard for his safety, placed himself in an exposed position where he could effectively cover the withdrawal with his BAR. Although he became the target of two enemy machine guns that sprayed the entire area about him, in addition to the tank shells that were falling dangerously close, Private TETTING courageously continued at his post and kept up a continuous stream of fire. The platoon had almost completed the withdrawal when Private TETTING was fatally wounded by a machine gun bullet while at his post. Private TETTING'S superb initiative and magnificent courage served as an inspiration to the entire company and the heroic sacrifice of his own life for those of his comrades, add honor and glory to the finest traditions of the United States Army. Entered military service from Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Next of kin: Mrs Bertha Tetting, (Mother), 3157 North Eigth Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

II - AWARD OF THE SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the second bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Silver Star is awarded to the following named individual:

JOHN W LYON, 01285259, Lieutenant Colonel, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 23 April 1945, between the Panaro River and the Po River, in Italy. Colonel LYON performed with outstanding gallantry

in enemy fire when he led the Second Battalion, supported by tanks and tank destroyers in an advance of thirty miles to capture more than five thousand Germans, killing many hundreds and seizing the vast stores of supplies and equipment. During the entire advance, Colonel LYON rode on the leading tank and under the impetus of his inspiring courage, a lightning pace was maintained. Constantly exposed to enemy machine gun, rifle and rocket fire, this officer led his men in repeated attacks, personally killing and wounding more than twenty-five Germans. South of San Martino, when heavy enemy tank fire was received, Colonel LYON ordered his men to dismount and with the attached armor giving close support, he led his men in the attack against fierce resistance. In a fight that raged for six hours, nine Mark IV Tanks were destroyed and heavy losses were inflicted on the enemy. Exposed constantly in the hostile fire, Colonel LYON directed the engagement, urging his troops forward. When Borgofranco was reached, an enemy demolition crew, attempting to blow up a bridge, was annihilated and Colonel LYON led his men across the vital span in a final surge that carried the battalion to the banks of the Po River. There, more than one thousand Germans were taken prisoner and many who attempted to escape across the river were killed or wounded. The fighting spirit, aggressiveness and outstanding gallantry exhibited by Colonel LYON served as the driving force that maintained the devastating pace of the attack and the heavy losses in men and material suffered by the enemy are a tribute to the brilliant leadership of this intrepid officer. By his deeds, Colonel LYON has won the admiration of the entire command and his actions have upheld the proudest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Bellingham, Washington.

III- AWARDS OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to the following named individuals:

OMAR D RICHARDSON, 37503164, Technical Sergeant, Company "B", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, at Furcoli, Italy. Sergeant RICHARDSON performed with unusual gallantry in hostile fire when he led a squad into the town and destroyed a German machine gun, killing two of the enemy. During the attack on Furcoli Company "B" sustained severe casualties in the intense mortar and machine gun fire. When the attack was held up and the troops disorganized, Sergeant RICHARDSON, courageously exposing himself in full view of the Germans, moved among the soldiers of his platoon reorganizing them and urging them forward. Then, with the leading squad, this sergeant worked his way into the town. Machine gun and mortar fire narrowly missed him on all sides as Sergeant RICHARDSON advanced toward the nearest enemy position. Unmindful of the great risk to his life this gallant sergeant, moving ahead of his men, assaulted the emplacement destroyed the enemy machine gun and killed two Germans who manned the weapon. The courageous actions of Sergeant RICHARDSON reduced the volume of enemy fire and permitted his platoon to advance through the town to make a final assault on Furcoli Ridge to the north. By his inspiring display of gallantry and exemplary leadership, Sergeant RICHARDSON made a vital contribution to the success of the company mission and his deed reflects the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Hamilton, Missouri.

LOUIS ROSNER, 32805152, Private First Class, Company "D", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near Ronco, Italy. Private ROSNER performed with exceptional gallantry in enemy fire when he inflicted casualties on hostile forces while patrolling the approaches to the Adige River. When the First Battalion was nearing the river, this soldier volunteered to accompany the patrol to select the possible crossing site. At Ronco a German armored car was encountered and although armed only with a carbine, Private ROSNER dashed out on the road, surprised the enemy, captured the vehicle and four Germans. Moving on, the patrol neared the river bank. When the men came under heavy machine gun fire, Private ROSNER courageously advanced ahead of his comrades and in a sharp firefight, inflicted several casualties on a group of Germans attempting to cross the river. Later, as the patrol started to withdraw, Private ROSNER with another soldier, encountered a party of seven Germans. Fully exposed in heavy fire, Private ROSNER killed one of the enemy and forced the rest to scatter. By his gallantry and aggressiveness in hostile fire, Private ROSNER made a vital contribution to the success of the reconnaissance mission and his actions have typified the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

DAVID E QUIROZ, 38370597, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near Monzuno, Italy. Sergeant QUIROZ displayed outstanding gallantry in assaulting German positions while exposed to hostile fire. When Company "I" was advancing toward heavily defended strongpoints on a mountain, the enemy resisted fiercely from fortified positions. Artillery and mortar shells, rifle grenades and machine gun fire caused casualties and forced the attackers to seek cover. In spite of the murderous fire Sergeant QUIROZ exposed himself, going from man to man giving encouragement and preparing to advance. As he led his men forward, he saw that they could not move farther without suffering casualties. Halting his men, he had them provide covering fire, while he crawled alone toward the German machine gun nest. With no regard for the extreme danger, this courageous sergeant moved across the barren ground through deadly automatic fire. In spite of the intense fire cutting into the earth about him, he made his way to the enemy position, threw two grenades into the hostile emplacement, killed the crew of three gunners and destroyed the gun. His gallant action was an important factor in the successful advance of his company and the gallantry of Sergeant QUIROZ has reflected the fighting traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Fort McKauatt, Texas.

WILLIAM A MIDDLETON, 37546275, Sergeant, (then Private First Class), Company "B", 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 25 April 1945, near Luna, Italy. Sergeant MIDDLETON displayed outstanding gallantry in assaulting enemy positions while exposed to hostile fire. When Company "B" was advancing through the flat farm lands of the Po Valley near Luna, it was halted by heavy mortar and grazing machine gun fire. Leaving his covered position, Sergeant MIDDLETON made his way toward the German emplacements alone. With complete disregard for his own safety, he launched a rifle grenade at a machine gun position, knocking out the gun and killing the two German gunners. Fully exposed to the deadly fire, he continued to advance, working himself

close to the second emplacement. With another rifle grenade he killed one of the gunners, forced the other to run into a house. Charging after the German, this intrepid sergeant burst into the building, threw hand grenades into the rooms, killed four more of the enemy and forced the remaining ten to give themselves up. His gallant action destroyed the hostile strongpoint and enabled his company to continue its advance. The gallantry of Sergeant MIDDLETON has won him the praise of his fellow soldiers and upholds the fighting traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Minot, North Dakota.

KENEIMN H EDEN JR., 01999102, First Lieutenant, (then Second Lieutenant), Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 26 April 1945, near Ronco, Italy. Lieutenant EDEN displayed exceptional gallantry in leading a motorized patrol against the enemy. As he neared the town of Ronco, enemy machine guns opened up on the patrol but, under this officer's courageous leadership, they were driven off. Taking a small foot patrol with him, Lieutenant EDEN entered the town through a hail of sniper fire and advanced toward the river bank. When enemy machine gun fire pinned down the group, Lieutenant EDEN left his men in a covered position and worked his way alone to the river. In heavy enemy fire, he approached the levee, killing a German motorcyclist, then reconnoitering for a possible crossing site. After completing his reconnaissance he worked his way back to his men and started to withdraw. When one of his men was wounded, this lieutenant crawled through heavy fire to the wounded man's assistance and carried him back to safety. Choosing to hold his ground, he ordered his patrol to continue withdrawing and gallantly covered their movements with heavy fire. Returning alone through the town, Lieutenant EDEN observed an enemy truckload of soldiers. He killed the driver, wounding two Germans and taking eight prisoners. Joining his men he supervised the installation of a road block which was successfully held until the main body arrived. By his gallant aggressiveness, this officer obtained valuable military information and inflicted severe casualties on the enemy. His courageous deeds in performing a dangerous mission and in saving the life of a fellow soldier typifies the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Great Neck, Long Island, New York.

CHARLES H BAEHNER JR., 01296634, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Lieutenant BAEHNER performed with conspicuous gallantry and exemplary leadership in the face of hostile fire while leading an attack on the town of Vicenza. Spearheading the battalion advance, the men of Company "I" were riding on tanks as they advanced on their objective. Lieutenant BAEHNER, Executive Officer of the company, was on one of the tanks when the troops were suddenly subjected to severe machine gun and sniper fire from the front and both flanks. In full view of the enemy gunners, Lieutenant BAEHNER moved forward alone more than three hundred yards up the road seeking a covered route of approach to the objective. Finding none, this intrepid officer returned to his troops and by sheer leadership and his example of courage in the hostile fire about him, induced his men to follow him. Enemy gunners desperately tried to stop the attackers but the lieutenant by his gallant leadership, succeeded in getting

his men into position. As the tanks poured a steady stream of lead into the enemy positions, Lieutenant BAEHNER led the assault on the enemy, killed five and took fourteen prisoners. Through his high courage and intrepidity at the risk to his life, Lieutenant BAEHNER inspired his men to follow him and his outstanding leadership was the vital factor in the seizure of the battalion objective. The deeds of Lieutenant BAEHNER typify the gallantry of the infantry troopleader, reflecting great credit upon the armed forces. Entered military service from Norwood, Ohio.

MELVIN A. HANGER, 36751620, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 28-29 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. On this night, Sergeant HANGER was with the leading elements of his company in the battalion's advance in the vicinity of Grantorto. As the column moved forward, a murderous hail of machine gun and small arms fire was laid down by an enemy motorized column concealed on their flank, inflicting casualties on our men. Sergeant HANGER immediately organized his platoon and acting as platoon leader and first scout, directed them to follow him. Then firing his "tommy" gun as he fearlessly moved forward, Sergeant HANGER skillfully led his men toward the enemy and upon observing four hostile machine gunners, he dropped to the ground and crawled toward them. Sergeant HANGER unerringly continued forward through the deadly fire directed at him until he reached a position thirty yards from the enemy. From this point, he suddenly lunged forward, and with accurate fire from his "tommy" gun, killed all four of the enemy machine gunners. Then, turning right to rejoin his company, Sergeant HANGER noticed six more of the enemy firing from concealed positions around one of the motorized vehicles. Firing his gun from a standing position, Sergeant HANGER walked boldly towards the enemy, and his accurate fire was responsible for killing two of the enemy and wounding the remaining four. Sergeant HANGER'S superb initiative and calmness in the face of fierce enemy fire, was responsible for destroying this serious threat, capture of sixty-four prisoners and kept the company from being surrounded and almost certain annihilation. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

DONALD B BAILER, 16148154, Sergeant, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. On this day, Sergeant BAILER, a machine gun section leader, had the mission of protecting the left flank and rear of the Second Battalion task force in its assault on Grantorto. As it neared the objective, a surprise attack by the enemy in almost battalion strength cut the column and isolated Company "H". Seizing this opportunity, the enemy opened upon the helpless company with murderous fire from many automatic weapons and the men hastily sought cover. But Sergeant BAILER and his section leaped from their vehicles and dashed forward with their weapons, completely unmindful of the hail of bullets. He immediately placed his machine guns in action but saw that they were unable to completely cover the area under attack. Fearlessly, Sergeant BAILER moved to a commanding but completely exposed position where he was able to fire his "tommy" gun with such devastating fury that he singlehandedly killed three and wounded six of the enemy. Sergeant BAILER exhausted his "tommy" gun ammunition, and although his dangerous position drew the brunt of the enemy fire, he instantly grabbed a carbine and laid down a steady stream of fire at the enemy forces until they

were forced to flee in disorder. The magnificent gallantry of Sergeant BAUER and his calm courage against almost overwhelming odds aided immeasurably in beating off this fanatical enemy attack and assured the subsequent success of the battalion. Entered military service from Saginaw, Michigan.

ROBERT C CLINE, 33307716, Technical Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. On this day, Sergeant CLINE was platoon sergeant of the Anti-Tank Company when the enemy launched a strong counterattack against our positions in the vicinity of San Pietro in Gu, Italy. The men of the platoon were fast becoming confused and disorganized because of the suddeness and fierceness of the counterattack. Sergeant CLINE, displaying exceptional initiative and complete calm, immediately began reorganizing the men with little regard for the devastating barrage of mortars and terrific hail of machine gun bullets spraying the entire area. He directed bazooka men and machine gunners into position with their weapons and when a machine gun jammed, Sergeant CLINE personally cleared it and fired it with such accuracy that the enemy was halted and forced to seek cover. While unerringly continuing at his position, Sergeant CLINE observed an enemy bazooka man that had reached a point approximately one hundred yards from him, near the road. A tank refused to aid the platoon unless this menace was destroyed, and to permit the tank to move forward, Sergeant CLINE valiantly crossed the road, under direct observation of the enemy. Solely through Sergeant CLINE'S intrepid leadership and outstanding valor, the enemy counterattack was repulsed with only four casualties inflicted on his platoon. His magnificent courage and superb initiative have won for Sergeant CLINE the sincere respect and highest esteem of the men of his company and add honor and glory to the finest traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

SAVINO DELBIANCO, 31250614, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near the Brenta River, in Italy. Sergeant DELBIANCO had moved his mortar platoon into position near the town of Ospitale de Brenta and prepared to give defensive fire for the Third Battalion, when suddenly the enemy attacked in force. Sergeant DELBIANCO quickly moved his platoon into a building seventy-five yards northwest of the highway and placed his men at windows from which they had fields of fire on the attacking enemy. He selected a window which commanded the highway and began to place a steady stream of fire upon the enemy riflemen and bazooka teams who were desperately trying to cross the road to knock out our tanks coming to the battalion's aid. When Sergeant DELBIANCO spotted an enemy bazooka team which had moved unobserved to a commanding position safe from his rifle fire, he called upon his men to continuing firing while he dashed out to the lead tank. Despite a hail of bullets about him, he reached the tank and directed their fire, silencing the bazooka team. After he had returned to the house, he saw one of our abandoned light machine guns, and again Sergeant DELBIANCO left the comparative safety of the building, picked up the machine gun and returned to the house. There he placed the weapon in a window, and when the enemy attempted to flank the building, Sergeant DELBIANCO let loose a vicious burst of machine gun fire, which disorganized and broke up the enemy attack. Sergeant DELBIANCO'S superb courage and efficient performance is in keeping with the high traditions of the infantry soldier. Entered military service from Waterbury, Connecticut.

HAROLD L FICK, 33366546, Private First Class, Anti-Tank Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. On this morning Private FICK, driver of an Anti-Tank weapons carrier, was moving in convoy along the highway when suddenly enemy machine guns, automatic weapons and small arms fire grazed the road. The enemy had attacked from a side road on the right and forced our men to scatter and take up firing positions on the left side of the highway. When his platoon sergeant asked for someone to cross the road and assist in silencing an enemy bazooka, Private FICK immediately volunteered, although the highway was under complete enemy observation and fire. Just as he was about to cross, Private FICK spotted an enemy soldier who had reached the roadside, and with one accurate shot, killed him. Then, with the aid of the platoon sergeant, Private FICK killed the enemy bazooka man and thus made it possible for one of our tanks to move up the road. He then began to search the area and in a bomb crater he found one wounded enemy soldier and two machine gunners. Unassisted Private FICK killed the two gunners and disarmed the wounded man, but another wounded enemy soldier nearby was making ready to hurl a hand grenade. Speaking the soldier's language, Private FICK warned him not to throw the grenade and when the enemy soldier attempted to toss it, Private FICK killed him instantly. Then by speaking to other enemy soldiers in their native tongue, he caused them to disclose their positions and succeeded in killing two more. Private FICK killed at least six enemy soldiers, prevented the enemy from crossing the highway which would have meant the death or capture of many of our men. Private FICK'S superb determination is in keeping with the magnificent achievement of the American soldier. Entered military service from Allentown, Pennsylvania.

JULE C HAGMANN, 42013354, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 28 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Private HAGMANN, a radio jeep driver, had been ordered to make contact with the rear elements of the battalion, when he came upon a group of men loading vehicles. Private HAGMANN thinking it was the rear section of the battalion, halted his jeep and with his passengers dismounted, when suddenly they realized it was an enemy group. Instantly, Private HAGMANN directed his comrades to positions on the side of the road, and after a fierce firefight, they killed eleven enemy soldiers. But despite the heavy toll, Private HAGMANN saw the enemy had them greatly outnumbered and almost encircled. He called on his comrades to continue firing while he leaped boldly to his feet and dashed toward his jeep. Keeping up a steady volley of carbine fire, he scrambled into his vehicle, and with one hand firing his weapon and the other on the wheel, backed his jeep into position where his comrades could jump in. After a rapid exchange of shots they sped down the road toward the battalion, when Private HAGMANN observed an enemy motorcycle messenger coming towards him. By cleverly maneuvering his vehicle he forced the motorcycle against a building and captured the messenger. Private HAGMANN'S fast thinking and quick action prevented the capture of two radios and a jeep and his information enabled the battalion rear to get the tank aid they needed. His resourcefulness and efficient performance has won him the praise and acclaim of all who know him. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

JACK J MEFFORD, 19012474, Staff Sergeant, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 26 April 1945, near Villanova, Italy. On this day, Sergeant MEFFORD was leading his platoon in an attack on an enemy road block, when it was ambushed by a suicide force deployed on both sides of the highway. Cross fire from machine guns and small arms forced his men to scatter and desperately seek cover, but Sergeant MEFFORD repeatedly exposed himself to the murderous fire of the enemy to cross the road and organize his platoon. After calming their fears, he called on them to follow him and led them boldly across an open field where he observed a number of enemy soldiers moving around a house to his flank. Taking six riflemen with him to destroy this threat, Sergeant MEFFORD skillfully led them unobserved through an irrigation ditch to the enemy position. The enemy, surprised by the sudden appearance of Sergeant MEFFORD, hastily fled to an adjoining woods, with Sergeant MEFFORD in swift pursuit. Heedless of the fact that his speed took him far ahead of his platoon, he charged two bunkers with hand grenades and captured two enemy soldiers, who were in the act of firing an anti-tank weapon. Continuing his one man assault, Sergeant MEFFORD pushed relentlessly forward, capturing several other prisoners and delivering deadly accurate fire on the now disorganized enemy. The platoon was so inspired by these acts of bravery, that they quickly routed the remaining enemy from the area. Solely through his courageous actions, which accounted for five enemy killed and fifteen captured, the platoon was able to advance without a casualty. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

GEORGE E MEADOWS, 01306125, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of the Brenta River, in Italy. On this day, Company "I", mounted on tanks, was the leading element in the Third Battalion's attack, its mission being to force a bridgehead on the Brenta River. The column was advancing steadily when, suddenly, an enemy convoy of nine trucks halted them and the men dismounted and hastily scattered to take up positions to engage the enemy. An enemy officer leaped from the first vehicle and aimed his pistol at the captain of Company "I" who was completely unaware of his danger. With superb presence of mind and without thought of his own safety, Lieutenant MEADOWS instantly leaped in front of his commanding officer, and with unerring accuracy quickly shot and killed the enemy major. The enemy had all dismounted to place their many weapons into action and during the savage battle that followed, Lieutenant MEADOWS observed three enemy soldiers moving into position with bazookas in an apparent attempt to destroy our tanks. Without hesitation, Lieutenant MEADOWS charged on them firing his carbine as he rushed forward and killed all three enemy soldiers. Then, amid murderous fire of machine pistols, Lieutenant MEADOWS hastily reorganized his platoon and, after directing his men to follow him, led them in an assault against the enemy. So well-directed and accurate was the platoon's fire power that thirty enemy soldiers were killed and fifty taken prisoner. The intrepid leadership and outstanding bravery displayed by Lieutenant MEADOWS excited the respect and esteem of all who witnessed his deeds and adds glory to the achievements of the infantry officer. Entered military service from Lake Wales, Florida.

EARL C WINTER, 01691798, First Lieutenant, Medical Administrative Corps, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 28 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. On this day, Lieutenant WINTER was assistant battalion surgeon when the First Battalion was in a combined operation with tanks and tank destroyers attacking the town of Vicenza. The leading rifle company and the tanks were engaged in a fierce firefight on the outskirts of the town where the enemy had converted stone houses into pill boxes. Heavy enemy mortar and bazooka fire critically wounded two men who had to be evacuated immediately if their lives were to be saved. Without hesitation, Lieutenant WINTER drove the ambulance up into the midst of the firefight and calmly placed the wounded men on stretchers. He ignored the shells falling all about him and drove the jeep slowly and carefully to the rear. An hour later the enemy scored a direct hit on the lead tank and severely wounded the entire crew. With no regard for the danger, Lieutenant WINTER again voluntarily evacuated the wounded soldiers while under incessant mortar, machine gun, and small arms fire. The fearless actions of Lieutenant WINTER undoubtedly saved the lives of several of the critically wounded men. His splendid courage and his willingness to risk his life to save that of others won him the gratitude and admiration of all who witnessed his actions. Entered military service from Hepburn, Iowa.

ROY H LUSK, 20418751, First Sergeant, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Early on this morning, Company "K" had moved into position in the vicinity of San Pietro in Gu when the enemy launched a strong counterattack. Sergeant LUSK, in a house ahead of the remainder of the battalion, saw the strong forces of the enemy could not be driven off unless they received prompt supporting fire. Acting quickly and on his own initiative, Sergeant LUSK rushed out of the building into the face of murderous machine gun and small arms fire, and raced to the rear to secure the much needed tanks. Miraculously evading being wounded or killed, Sergeant LUSK succeeded in reaching the tanks and directed them to his company which was almost completely surrounded. Casualties were alarming and wounded poured into the aid station, when Sergeant LUSK heard that vitally needed blood plasma, in an ambulance to the rear was cut off by an enemy flanking movement. Sergeant LUSK commandeered one of the tanks and volunteered to lead a group in breaking through to the ambulance to bring the precious blood plasma to the aid station. Moving alongside a tank, this courageous leader directed such accurate fire that the group completely overwhelmed the enemy and forced them to withdraw beyond the ambulance. The desperately needed blood plasma was secured and it was through Sergeant LUSK'S gallant actions and intrepid leadership that many lives were saved and his company was able to stem the enemy counterattack. Entered military service from Miami, Florida.

ROBERT RICCIO, 32885443, Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regimemt. For gallantry in action on 28 April 1945, near Cittadella, Italy. On this day, Sergeant RICCIO was with his squad acting as point for the battalion moving along the highway toward the town of Cittadella. Coming to a bend in the road, Sergeant RICCIO signaled to his squad to advance cautiously behind him, when suddenly two enemy soldiers came around the turn. Quickly they whipped out their machine pistols and directed a sharp burst of fire at the

surprised squad, which scrambled for cover, but defiantly, Sergeant RICCIO stood his ground and with two well-aimed rifle shots killed the enemy. Before he could reorganize his squad to move forward again, eight more enemy soldiers, attracted by the sound of the rifle fire, came running toward him. Despite the almost overwhelming odds facing him, Sergeant RICCIO daringly stood his ground and with accurate shots killed five of the enemy. The three remaining soldiers, awed and frightened by the death of seven of their number, scattered and escaped, but Sergeant RICCIO'S decisive, unerring fire removed the threat of the battalion's advance, and the column continued on toward its objective. His quick thinking and calm actions in the face of such great danger has won for Sergeant RICCIO the acclaim and approval of all his comrades. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

FLOYD L PADDICK, 38167912, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near Liziera, Italy. On the morning of 29 April 1945, near Liziera, the rear command post and motor pool of the First Battalion, were moving up to rejoin the forward elements of the battalion, when it was learned that there were several soldiers in a nearby house. Corporal PADDICK voluntarily went forward with four comrades to attack the house but was met by withering enemy machine gun and rifle fire which seriously wounded one of our men. Corporal PADDICK bravely continued to move forward firing his rifle as he did so and forced the enemy to withdraw to another house some five hundred yards away. Gathering his three remaining companions he relentlessly continued the attack against the enemy's new position, but as he neared the objective he was slightly wounded. Corporal PADDICK, realizing that his small party were greatly outnumbered, he gallantly disregarded his injury and continued to attack the strongly-defended enemy. In the short, savage firefight which followed, Corporal PADDICK killed one enemy sniper who was guarding the approaches to the house but was seriously wounded by a murderous burst of machine gun fire as he charged on the enemy positions. The splendid courage, and determined aggressiveness of Corporal PADDICK materially assisted in the killing or capture of more than fifty of the enemy and has won for him the respect and admiration of all who witnessed his brave act. Entered military service from Melrose, New Mexico.

MAX SCHREIR, 32398869, Staff Sergeant, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Sergeant SCHREIR a platoon sergeant, was moving his platoon through an open field when suddenly the enemy began a vicious attack of about battalion strength. Instantly Sergeant SCHREIR set up a point, himself out in front, and when he sighted the enemy, he called on them to surrender, but when there was no response he ordered his men to deploy and fire. The intensity of the enemy offensive mounted and the platoon was pinned down by the fierce machine gun, machine pistol and bazooka and rifle fire. Sergeant SCHREIR realized he faced overwhelming odds and ordered his men to make a dash of fifty yards to the comparative safety of the command post set up in a building. He then moved forward under a terrific hail of enemy fire toward an enemy machine gun, firing his rifle as he advanced, and covering the movement of his men. Four men reached the building while he kept up a heavy volley of covering fire. He re-

mained silent in a ditch for almost an hour as the enemy closed in from all sides, when he spied an enemy soldier with a machine pistol about to fire, moving up on the flank of the command post. Although it meant the exposure of his position, Sergeant SCHREIR killed the enemy, and silenced this threat to the company's flank. His heroic action delayed the enemy's advance long enough to allow our tanks to break through and destroy the entire enemy attack. Sergeant SCHREIR'S magnificent courage and superb resourcefulness is in keeping with the high standards set by American infantrymen. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

RAYMOND J HAMILTON, 36831671, Sergeant, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 19 November 1944, in the vicinity of Castel del Zena, Italy. On the night of 19 November 1944, Sergeant HAMILTON, acting machine gun section sergeant, was in a building near a key position outpost when a wire team came by repairing communications which were very often disrupted by enemy mortar shells. Working about one hundred and seventy-five yards from the building, the party was caught in a terrific enemy mortar barrage. One of the group was killed outright and the other two members were seriously wounded. Sergeant HAMILTON witnessing the incident from his place of safety within the building, completely disregarded his own personal safety and went out to give aid to his stricken comrades. Sergeant HAMILTON succeeded in carrying one of the men to safety but before he could return for the remaining survivor a strong enemy combat patrol attacked the building. Sergeant HAMILTON manned one of the machine guns and laid down such an effective fire that he succeeded in killing four and wounding several other Germans. The attack successfully repulsed, Sergeant HAMILTON, without delay, went out for the other wounded wireman, Again he brought a comrade through an enemy mortar barrage to safety. Later when another party of wiremen attempted to establish communications they were caught in the impact area, and three of them were wounded. Sergeant HAMILTON again disregarded the personal hazards involved and carried these men to safety. The courage, valor and deep concern for his comrades manifested by Sergeant HAMILTON made a profound impression on the men serving with him and won for him their undying admiration and respect. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

ANDY F HENRY, 01321182, First Lieutenant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 26 April 1945, in the vicinity of Verona, Italy. As Lieutenant HENRY rode through the streets of Verona, Italy, he spotted two large German truck-trailers parked on the right of the street and surrounded by about sixty enemy personnel. Immediately dismounting from the tank he had been riding on, he ordered the tank to take cover while he approached the Germans on foot. Caught flat-footed by the Americans, who had advanced thirty-seven miles in one day, the Germans surrendered without resistance. Although enemy snipers and small arms fire harrassed both the Second Battalion personnel and the tanks, Lieutenant HENRY reconnoitered the location for a road block in the southwest part of town. He then proceeded eastward through unexplored territory to establish a battalion command post in a house, the front door of which he blasted open with tank fire. He then proceeded south through scattered enemy sniper fire to establish a battalion assembly area. Several minutes later he took control of a patrol

and started north to search out the source of heavy German shells landing in the area. Moving up the road that he had already traversed twice, he was ambushed by twenty Germans armed with machine pistols. Although badly hit in the legs by the first burst of lead, he realized the vital necessity of leadership and rallied his men and led them in finding cover and establishing a line of fire. One German was killed and the others quickly driven off before Lieutenant HENRY collapsed from loss of blood. His heroic performance of duty on this night of the capture of Verona was an inspiration to the entire battalion. Hardly an operation took place in which he did not have a leading and courageous part and his gallantry reflects the fine traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Columbus, Ohio.

WALTER J MILLER, 36738647, Corporal, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 23 April 1945, in the vicinity of Casello, Italy. While on a motorized patrol with the 351st Infantry Regiment Rangers, Corporal MILLER and his men came under the fire of a twenty millimeter anti-aircraft gun, mounted so that it controlled the southern approaches of the town. Quickly deploying his men, Corporal MILLER attacked the emplacement from the left flank, his sudden rush taking the enemy by surprise, causing approximately twenty of them to surrender when confronted by Corporal MILLER and his sub-machine gun. After questioning the prisoners, Corporal MILLER realized that if his small group was to take the town, speed and aggressiveness were essential. While being covered from the rear Corporal MILLER entered the first building and trapped a German who had a concealed grenade and when he threw it, tried to escape but Corporal MILLER quickly overpowered him. Turning his prisoner over to his group, he continued searching the buildings, resulting in the capture of eleven Germans in the first three houses. Sending his prisoners to the rear, Corporal MILLER started to advance when a machine gun opened up on his group from another house. With utter disregard for his own safety, he advanced where he came under the fierce fire of Germans concealed in a shed which was attached to the house. Fearlessly and gallantly, Corporal MILLER charged the shed, kicked open the door, and with a burst of his machine gun killed the two German occupants. Without stopping his charge, he continued on to the house firing his weapon as he advanced, where his swift aggressiveness so demoralized the enemy that thirty-three Germans in the house surrendered to him. His gallant actions, quick thinking and absolute fearlessness, made it possible for the twenty-six men to kill eleven, wound seven and capture one hundred and thirty-seven Germans. Corporal MILLER'S gallantry, aggressiveness and consideration for the men of his group has made him an outstanding figure among the men of his regiment and reflects great credit upon himself and his branch of service, the infantry. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

RUSSELL C ORTON, 0546900, First Lieutenant, (then Second Lieutenant), Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Bassano del Grappa, Italy. On the morning of 29 April 1945, Company "C", 351st Infantry Regiment, the assault company had taken the town of Bassano del Grappa, Italy. While rounding up all the prisoners, five hundred in number, the company was notified that a group of Germans were progressing down the road towards the town and on the left flank of the company. The first

platoon was dispatched to investigate the report while Lieutenant ORTON led his men to the high ground just west of the town. As they neared the high ground they were pinned down by heavy fire from hostile emplacements in a house. Lieutenant ORTON built up a base of fire, constantly exposing himself and drawing the fire of snipers by his movements. With enemy automatic weapons continually sweeping his position and bullets spattering into the earth beside him, Lieutenant ORTON raced through the hostile fire, moved throughout the entire area, bolstering the weak, shouting words of encouragement and directing fire against enemy targets. Picking out the squad nearest him, Lieutenant ORTON led an attack against the three enemy machine gun emplacements. In the fierce firefight that ensued, Lieutenant ORTON personally accounted for the death of seven of the enemy, forcing the remainder of them to flee, making them open targets for his platoon. By his agressiveness and gallant actions, the enemy became completely disorganized and were easy prey for his men to capture one hundred and seventeen of them. His determined leadership, high personal valor, and calmness in the face of fierce enemy fire did much to buoy the fighting spirits of his men. Entered military service from Ashland, New Hampshire.

JOHN W THOMPSON, JR., 31110416, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 1 May 1945, in the vicinity of Arsie, Italy. On this day a force of Intelligence and Reconnaissance men and Rangers of the 351st Infantry Regiment encountered a large number of Germans in the vicinity of Arsie, Italy. While following his platoon leader in the attack, Sergeant THOMPSON noticed several Germans setting a machine gun into action on a hill to the right flank. He immediately killed the gunner with his automatic weapon and drove the others away from their weapon. Then realizing that there might be more Germans further up the hill where he could not see them, Sergeant THOMPSON immediately started up the hill alone to clear it. Half way up the terraced slope he was suddenly fired on by two machine guns and several riflemen from a range of only seventy-five yards. He took partial cover behind a small pile of rocks and returned the fire with his carbine. For ten minutes Sergeant THOMPSON repeatedly risked his life in the face of heavy odds to shoot it out with the enemy, wounding three with his deadly fire. Joined by his comrades, Sergeant THOMPSON formed his men into a skirmish line and led them straight up the hill, firing their weapons as fast as they could. Under his leadership and direction, and paced by his magnificent example, Sergeant THOMPSON and his men killed five more Germans and captured eighteen, along with three machine guns. With this key terrain feature in friendly hands, the other rangers were able to continue a savage attack and deliver a devastating blow to a German battalion. Entered military service from Plymouth, New Hampshire.

ROBERT E WHITE, 35741338, Corporal, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 25 April 1945, in the vicinity of Ca David, Italy. On 25 April 1945, a force of the Intelligence and Reconnaissance men and the Rangers of the 351st Infantry Regiment were pushing forward in their pursuit of the enemy in the vicinity of Ca David, Italy. Suddenly they came under the intense fire of three enemy twenty millimeter guns, a machine gun, and several snipers armed with rifles and machine pistols. Our troops

instinctively sought cover in a nearby ditch. Corporal WHITE, who was riding in one of the leading vehicles, immediately sized up the situation. Completely disregarding the personal dangers involved, Corporal WHITE, without any help, manned the fifty caliber machine gun mounted on his vehicle. He began firing deadly bursts from his weapon at the enemy positions. Despite the fact that the jeep was hit several times, and the spare gas can shot completely off, Corporal WHITE maintained his post and so effectively returned the fire that he succeeded in neutralizing one of the twenty millimeter guns killing one and wounding three of its crew. The courageous action of Corporal WHITE so inspired his companions that they succeeded in capturing the enemy position. The elimination of this barrier to the progress of our troops was due largely to the courage of Corporal WHITE. His actions throughout the entire campaign reflected great credit on himself and were a constant source of inspiration to the men serving with him. Entered military service from Clarksburg, West Virginia.

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I - AWARD OF THE MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE

Under the provisions of Section I, Circular Number 345, War Department, 23 August 1944, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to the following unit:

SERVICE BATTERY, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For exceptionally meritorious service in the performance of outstanding duty from 11 May 1944 to 18 March 1945, in Italy. SERVICE BATTERY has repeatedly demonstrated superior technical skill in the performance of normal duties. The organization accomplished its combined functions of supply and maintenance continuously in a thorough and effective manner, supporting the firing batteries ably in spite of grave and discouraging obstacles. It was due to the tireless efforts of SERVICE BATTERY that the forward troops of the battalion were adequately supplied at all times in spite of road conditions which exacted the utmost wear and tear on vehicles and personnel. The organization repeatedly gave evidence of outstanding devotion to duty in the performance of exceptionally difficult tasks. During the periods of lengthy combat performances the 339th Field Artillery Battalion fired approximately one hundred thousand rounds of 155mm ammunition, the equivalent of two thousand truckloads. At one time each truck had to complete a ninety-five mile round-trip to keep the ammunition supply up to requirements. During the flood season of the fall it was often necessary to carry shells by hand through wash-outs. No matter what obstacles intervened, supplies were invariably delivered promptly and without complaint. Throughout the period the morale of the men of the battery was excellent, and no matter what the assignment was, it was done faithfully, energetically and efficiently.

II - AWARD OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individual:

NEIL KELLER, 01305262, Captain, General Staff Corps, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 21 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Norman, Oklahoma.

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III- AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

RAYMOND A O'CONNELL, 15343503, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oak Park, Illinois.

WALTER F ROGERS JR., 15342431, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oak Park, Illinois.

LOUIS BERNSTEIN, 32402739, Corporal, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Monticello, New York.

DOMINICK D DE CELLE, 32386553, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

HOWARD W KARCHER, 32376375, Staff Sergeant, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

JAMES F KEMP, 15056130, Staff Sergeant, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bud, West Virginia.

GLENN S KING, 35874626, Private First Class, Cannon Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Winchester, Kentucky.

BRUCE R KOOPMAN, 32388834, Sergeant, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

JAMES L MARKELL, 33309684, Private First Class, Anti-Tank Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH V PETRATUONA, 39114740, Private First Class, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

ALBERT R TAYLOR JR., 15046884, Staff Sergeant, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Charleston, West Virginia.

JOHN D STEVENSON, 37327559, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. Entered military service from Minneapolis, Minnesota.

THOMAS J TUFFIN, 39384917, Private, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Dallas, Oregon.

JOHN C WALL, 42024501, Corporal, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 9 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rochester, New York.

MICHAEL D WHALEN, 32374135, Staff Sergeant, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Albany, New York.

ALEXANDER J BONAR, 32386341, Sergeant, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 23 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

AMERIGO GASPARRA, 32376880, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Binghamton, New York.

EMANUEL GOLDSTEIN, 32399876, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

JAMES A HARGRAVE, 36401312, Corporal, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lansing, Michigan.

RAYMOND JANOWSKI, 35062687, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cleveland, Ohio.

EDWARD JARVIS, 36713721, Private First Class, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 23 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

JOHN D KESSLER, 0443137, First Lieutenant, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 25 May 1944 to 26 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

WILFRED T KOENIG, 32389538, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Coytesville, New Jersey.

BUREN E LEWIS, 20537379, Private First Class, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 23 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lebonon, Indiana.

HARRY A LIEBERMAN, 01315847, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 23 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

JOHN M MORIARTY, 31126955, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Springfield, Massachusetts.

JOSEPH W O'BRIEN, 32377106, Corporal, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Elmira, New York.

DAVID C ROGERS, 01325671, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 23 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

JEROME I SOLOMON, 32386163, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

IAN W THOM, 32355334, Corporal, Company "G", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

PAUL C WATTS, 39538321, Corporal, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pasadena, California.

ARCHIBALD WOODS, 32397613, Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

EUGENE A ATKINS, 39289375, Corporal, Headquarters Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 14 February 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Diego, California.

FREMONT F GETZ, 36125081, Master Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brown City, Michigan.

EDGAR A TERRELL, 35362623, Corporal, Battery "A", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Indianapolis, Indiana.

JOSEPH T BARONE, 32141485 Sergeant, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rochester, New York.

JOHN J BIALY, 39837069, Sergeant, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

LLOYD D DAVISSON, 17040160, Sergeant, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Franklin, Nebraska.

RAYMOND E SOMMER, 31148981, Sergeant, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from North Providence, Rhode Island.

BERNARD L SCHULTZ, 17024860, Staff Sergeant, 788th Ordnance (LM) Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cheyenne, Wyoming.

DEAN C GROSS, 357[illegible]03, Technician Fourth Grade, G-1 Section, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oxford, Ohio.

LINDSAY P NORTHAM, 12091037, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Special Troops, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

IV - AMENDMENTS

So much of Section III, General Order No 59, this headquarters, 19 May 1945, pertaining to the Award of the Bronze Star Medal to Corporal John C Parnell, 33827899, Company "K", 351st Infantry Regiment is amended to read, "Award, Missing in Action, of the Bronze Star Medal".

So much of Section III, General Order No 84, this headquarters, 30 June 1945, pertaining to the Award of the Bronze Star Medal to First Lieutenant Fred W Roth, 01995[illegible], Medical Administrative Corps, 350th Infantry Regiment, is amended to read, "Award of the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal".

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I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE PURPLE HEART.

1. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amende the second bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

EDWARD PETROWSKI, 12092388, Pfc, Co A, 349th Infantry Regiment Italy, 1 March 1945. Entered military service from Brooklyn, N Y.

LOUIS H JEANNETTE, 32398628, S Sgt, Co C, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 26 September 1944. Entered military service from Long Island City, N Y.

ANDY F HENRY, 01321182, 1st Lt, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 12 July 1944. Entered military service from Pataskala, Ohio.

2. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the first bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

DONALD E SYMONDS, 31079601, Pfc, Co D, 349th Infantry Regiment Italy, 15 October 1944. Entered military service from Methuen, Mass.

VICENTE F HUERTA, 38240504, Sgt, Co L, 349th Infantry Regiment Italy, 24 October 1944. Entered military service from New Gulf, Texas.

BENJAMIN F McOMBER, 31250847, Sgt, Co F, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 11 July 1944. Entered military service from Oakville, Conn.

JOHNNY P HUTCHISON, 34779966, Pvt, Co M, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 11 July 1944. Entered military service from Greer, S C.

ROSCOE A WEBB, 15012216, T Sgt, Co L, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 17 October 1944. Entered military service from Omar, W Va.

ARNOLD R FRIEDMAN, 32094086, Sgt, Hq 2d Bn, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 15 July 1944. Entered military service from Bronx N Y.

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ANTONIO MIRANDA, 31250843, Pvt, Co F, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 12 May 1944. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Conn.

BERNARD P TANSEY, 32398465, Pfc, Co M, 351st Infantry Regiment Italy, 9 February 1945. Entered military service from Brooklyn, NY

LEO J KERNESS, 32411306, S Sgt, Co C, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 26 April 1945. Entered military service from New York City N Y.

WILLIAM C HENDERSON, 31842768, Pfc, Co K, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 24 October 1944. Entered military service from Beaufort, S C.

JOHN J DEDIO, 36638617, Pfc, Hq 1st Bn, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 11 October 1944. Entered military service from Downers Grove, Ill.

JAMES F PAVLINEC, 36763568, Pvt, Co L, 351st Infantry Regiment Italy, 26 September 1944. Entered military service from Chicago, Ill.

CLAYTON H SIEQUIST, 31409096, Pvt, Co I, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 21 October 1944. Entered military service from Nagatuck, Conn.

FLOYD C COLBECK, 37326929, Pfc, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 24 September 1944. Entered military service from Prostono, Minn.

STUART NIDITCH, 31370437, Tec 5, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment, 25 April 1945. Entered military service from Brookline, Mass.

DOUGLAS E PASHBY, 37447650, Pfc, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 2 December 1944. Entered military service from Cedar Falls, Iowa.

NEEL J PRICE, 0469721, Captain, Med Corps, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 28 October 1944. Entered military service from Oklahoma City, Okla.

HENRY DEGREGORIO, 31353316, Tec 5, Hq Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 29 September 1944. Entered military service from Franklin, Mass.

HAROLD J ENGELSON, 32398416, Tec 5, Hq Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 27 October 1944. Entered military service from Brooklyn, N Y.

MICHAEL DZALOVSKY, 33309625, S Sgt, Co K, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 9 July 1944. Entered military service from Pittsburgh,

LOYAL E NOLA[illegible], 33124281, Sgt, Co A, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 28 September 1944. Entered military service from Lootsdale, Pa.

JOSEPH J TOMASKOVICH, 33764845, Pfc, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 29 November 1944. Entered military service from Franklin Boro Conemaugh, Pa.

ERNEST E HOWARD, 35702555, Pfc, 88th Rcn Trp, Italy, 29 April 1945. Entered military service from Bardstown, Ky.

II - AWARDS OF THE PURPLE HEART.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

JOHN J WALKIEWICZ, 31382148, T Sgt, Co K, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 26 November 1944. Entered military service from Hartford, Conn.

JOHN R GREEN, 33571704, S Sgt, Co K, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 28 April 1945. Entered military service from Altoona, Pa.

WILLIAM J TRACEY, 32395895, S Sgt, Co K, 349th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 23 May 1944. Entered military service from Bronx, NY.

ROY E GRAY, 01317628, Captain, Inf, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 23 September 1944. Entered military service from Cincinnati, Ohio.

CARMINE J FREDA, 32388156, Pfc, Hqs 2d Bn, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 11 May 1944. Entered military service from Orange, N J.

HYMAN H SCHWARTZ, 36715640, Pvt, Co K, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 11 May 1944. Entered military service from Chicago, Ill.

HENRY O SCHWARZ, 12051070, S Sgt, Co K, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 April 1945. Entered military service from Union, N J.

ROCCO A CALDERONE, 32270943, Tec 5, Hq Co, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 1 October 1944. Entered military service from Trenton, N J.

FRANK E BARNETT JR, 32369507, Tec 5, Co A, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 12 May 1944. Entered military service from Long Island, N Y.

JERRY A BUCCELLI, 31144157, Tec 5, Hq 3d Bn, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 6 November 1944. Entered military service from New Haven, Conn.

LOUIS A STUEBER, 32400920, Pvt, Cn Co, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 14 July 1944. Entered military service from New York, N Y.

CARL C KENNEDY, 38241031, Pvt, Med Det, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 17 October 1944. Entered military service from Houston, Texas.

ERNEST C SUMMAR, 34882303, Pvt, Co L, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 5 November 1944. Entered military service from Murfreesboro, Tenn.

BIGE GAINES, 35123069, Pvt, Co G, 350th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 30 April 1944. Entered military service from E Bernstadt, Ky.

ANDREW HAYDUK JR, 31143207, T Sgt, Co H, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 25 April 1945. Entered military service from Stratford Conn.

ADOLPH RUOCCO, 32388852, S Sgt, Hq 1st Bn, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 26 April 1945. Entered military service from Montclair, N J.

ALBERT ALTWARG, 32403289, Tec 4, Cn Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from New York, N Y.

JOHN P CARDONE, 32398[illegible], Tec 5, Cn Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from New York, N Y.

EDMUND P FERRINGTON, 36684620, Pfc, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Chicago, Ill.

HAROLD I SCHWEIN, 33936620, Pfc, Co C, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from Shenendoah, Pa.

VINCENT F MARINO, 31079537, S Sgt, Hq 2d Bn, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 16 July 1944. Entered military service from Clinton, Mass.

WILLIAM H STARLING, 37054238, Tec 4, Co A, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 9 October 1944. Entered military service from Eldon, Mo.

BURKE COMERFORD, 36581435, Pfc, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 23 October 1944. Entered military service from Detroit, Mich.

CHARLES C BALDRIDGE, 39342948, Pfc, Co L, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 14 October 1944. Entered military service from Schuyler, Neb.

RALPH S MULLENS, 35932082, Pfc, Co G, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 28 July 1944. Entered military service from Huntington, W Va.

CECIL L RICKMAN, 38279008, Pfc, Co K, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 10 June 1944. Entered military service from Pecos, Texas.

BENJAMIN F LAWSON, 33736210, Pvt, Co L, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 14 July 1944. Entered military service from Los Angeles, Calif.

ARDUS VEILLON, 18187177, Pfc, Co I, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 7 June 1944. Entered military service from Villa Platte, Va.

JOHN M THEOFILOPOULOS, 31137011, Cpl, Co E, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 27 December 1944. Entered military service from Peabody, Mass.

ROBERT R WEBSTER, 37549251, Tec 5, Sv Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 10 October 1944. Entered military service from Minneapolis, Minn.

MILTON H GOLDSTEIN, 32398444, Pfc, Co K, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 10 June 1944. Entered military service from New York, N Y.

DAVID C ROGERS, 01325671, 1st Lt, Inf, 351st Infantry Regiment Italy, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Los Angeles, Calif.

ALEXANDER NORKUS, 31143080, 1st Sgt, Cn Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 29 April 1945. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Conn.

JAMES J FUCCI, 32389690, Sgt, Cn Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Cliffside, N J.

JAMES F MCMAHON, 32373978, Tec 4, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Watervliet, N Y.

JAMES D PARKS, 38566068, Pfc, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment Italy, 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Oklahoma City, Okla.

PETER L TUCCILLO, 32395232, Pfc, Hq 1st Bn, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 22 April 1945. Entered military service from New York, N Y.

ROGER K BRENNAN, 32564341, Pfc, Cn Co, 351st Infantry Regiment Italy, 23 April 1945. Entered military service from Jersey City, N J.

GLENN R BOWLES, 01285365, Captain, Inf, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 29 April 1945. Entered military service from Des Moines, Iowa.

CARROLL G MAYNARD, 31145960, Pfc, Hq 3d Bn, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 19 April 1945. Entered military service from Lincoln, Maine.

RUFUS M CUPIT, 38264220, Pfc, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Jackson, Miss.

ROSS E WILLIAMS, 34710716, Pfc, Hq Co, 351st Infantry Regiment Italy, 8 October 1944. Entered military service from Algood, Tenn.

TONY A NOVACK, 39903419, Pfc, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment Italy, 25 July 1944. Entered military service from San Francisco, Calif.

RAY E TAYLOR, 39563557, Pfc, Sv Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 24 September 1944. Entered military service from Long Beach Calif.

CHARLES F COOMBS, 20528862, Pfc, Sv Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 29 March 1944. Entered military service from Merryville, La.

CALVIN W PERMAN, 39614701, Pfc, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 13 October 1944. Entered military service from Billings, Mont.

LEO J GENDRON, 31208553, Pfc, Hq 3d Bn, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 3 December 1944. Entered military service from Hudson, N H.

STANLEY C BIERNAT, 36576776, Pfc, Hq 3d Bn, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 3 December 1944. Entered military service from Detroit, Mich.

TRUMAN M HUFFMAN, 01285242, Captain, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 8 October 1944. Entered military service from Hartford, Conn.

WILLIAM M THOMPSON, 0435510, Captain, Inf., 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 10 June 1944. Entered military service from Beeville, Texas.

THOMAS F MCDONOUGH, 31138370, 1st Sgt, Hq 3d Bn, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 14 May 1944. Entered military service from Dorchester, Mass.

ELIAS J GOLDWAG, 12087481, S Sgt, Hq 3d Bn, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 8 October 1944. Entered military service from New York, N Y.

RUSSELL MCKINLEY, 39258490, S Sgt, Co K, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 11 July 1944. Entered military service from Long Beach, Calif.

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ALBERT W RABINOWE, 32403307, Sgt, Co H, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 24 April 1945. Entered military service from Yonkers, N Y.

THEODORE J BENGFORT, 37113955, Tec 4, Sv Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 7 February 1945. Entered military service from Des Moines, Iowa.

ARTHUR G TROPIANO, 32386976, Cpl, Co H, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 25 February 1945. Entered military service from Raritan, N J.

JOSEPH T HYDE, 31135869, Cpl, Co C, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 23 September 1944. Entered military service from Cambridge, Mass.

BUDDE P SMITH, 31136381, Tec 5, Co H, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 5 December 1944. Entered military service from Fall River, Mass.

JOHN J PETUKONIS, 31356566, Tec 5, Hq Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 9 October 1944. Entered military service from Boston Mass.

DWAYNE HODGE, 39459638, Tec 5, Sv Co, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 27 October 1944. Entered military service from Spokane, Wash.

ALBERT F REINMAN, 01296902, Captain, Inf, 351st Infantry Regiment, 16 July 1944. Entered military service from St Louis, Mo.

ISAAC C COOK, 36412337, Pfc, Med Det, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 24 September 1944. Entered military service from Flint, Mich

LEONARD A J HEDVALL, 33633237, Pfc, Hq 3d Bn, 351st Infantry Regiment, Italy, 27 October 1944. Entered military service from Sheffield, Pa.

HENRY S CHUDY, 32376295, Pfc, Btry C, 913th FA Bn, Italy, 16 December 1944. Entered military service from Buffalo, N Y.

EARLE T EDGIL , 34803845, Cpl, Btry B, 913th FA Bn, Italy, 22 October 1944. Entered military service from Sumiton, Ala.

NOEL B BEEDE, 32372982, Sgt, 88th QM Co, Italy, 4 June 1944. Entered military service from Keene Valley, N Y.

III - AMENDMENTS.

1. So much of section II, General Orders No 72, this headquarters, dated 9 June 1945, awarding the Purple Heart to Pfc Thomas N Thompson, 35584239, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment, is rescinded.

2. So much of Section I, General Orders No 68, this headquarters, dated 3 June 1945, awarding the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart to Pfc George E Littrell, 35216032, Hq 1st Bn, 349th Infantry Regiment, is rescinded.

3. So Much of Section I, General Orders No 77, this headquarters, dated 16 June 1945, pertaining to the award of the first bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart to 1st Lt Ray M Cutright, 01999151, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment, is rescinded

4. So much of Section II, General Orders No 77, this headquarters, dated 16 June 1945, pertaining to the award of the Purple Heart to 1st Lt John H Carter, 01030457, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment, is amended to read award of the first Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart.

5. So much of Section I, General Orders No 77, this headquarters, dated 16 June 1945, pertaining to the award of the first Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart to 1st Lt John H Carter, 01030457, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment, is amended to read award of the second Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart.

6. So much of Section II, General Orders No 77, this headquarters, dated 16 June 1945, pertaining to the award of the Purple Heart to Pfc Francis J Arntfield, 36411275, Hq 3d Bn, 349th Infantry Regiment, is amended to read award of the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart.

7. So much of Section II, General Orders No 68, this headquarters, dated 3 June 1945, as pertains to the award of the Purple Heart to S Sgt Philip Franklin, 38412799, Company "D", 349th Infantry Regiment, is rescinded.

8. So much of Section II, General Orders No 77, this headquarters, dated 16 June 1945, pertaining to the award of the Purple Heart to the following named individuals is rescinded.

S Sgt Robert A Giles, 38176829, Co C, 349th Infantry Regiment.
Tec 5 Patrick J Page, 32400850, Med Det, 349th Infantry Regiment.
S Sgt Jerome J Senroeder, 36881350, Co B, 349th Infantry Regiment.
Pfc James W Crocker, 34779970, Co B, 349th Infantry Regiment.
Pfc Thomas J Connelly, 33746489, Med Det, 349th Infantry Regiment.
Pfc Herman H Kamen Jr, 36983505, Co B, 349th Infantry Regiment.
Pfc Robert R Smith, 34770122, Co C, 349th Infantry Regiment.
Pfc Thomas N Thompson, 37584239, Co A, 349th Infantry Regiment.
Pvt Bruce G Webster, 36763787, Hq 3d Bn, 349th Infantry Regiment.

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WILLIAM A WALDNER, 13001557, Technician Fifth Grade, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 20 April 1945 to 26 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvan

JOHN V BETLEY, 31148386, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "C", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

MAURICE H GEHM, 32387538, Corporal, Company "C", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Elizabeth, New Jersey.

ALFRED F NAWOJSKI, 32376440, Private First Class, Company "C", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

EARL A CARTER, 01641148, First Lieutenant, Signal Corps, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Reidsville, North Carolina.

Grade Amended by GO 102 - July 28, 1945 PFC
ALBERT F GERLOVICH, 37575213, ~~Technician Fifth Grade~~, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 3 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Duluth, Minnesota.

ALBERT WALZ, 32270672, Technical Sergeant, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Trenton, New Jersey.

KARL F FEHRLE, 32389530, Staff Sergeant, 88th Infantry Division Band. For meritorious service in combat from 24 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Lee, New Jersey.

III- AMENDMENTS

OK So much of Section II, General Orders No 79, this headquarters, dated 19 June 1945, awarding the Bronze Star Medal to Captain Charles H Dornacker, 01315398, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment is amended to read "Award of the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal".

OK So much of Section II, General Orders No 79, this headquarters, dated 19 June 1945, awarding the Bronze Star Medal to Private First Class Michael Holloran, 11070619, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment is amended to read "Private First Class Michael Halloran, 11070619, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment.

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GENERAL ORDERS)
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ORIGINAL ORDER

I - AWARD OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individual:

MYER FIELD, 31142049, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, in the vicinity of Arsie, Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

IRVING F BERNHARDT, 32403440, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 24 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bethel, New York.

MILTON A BARTHELL, 36688251, Private First Class, (then Private), Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

ROY R BARRATT, 37501855, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 27 Apr 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cainsville, Missouri.

JOHN AIELLO, 35771295, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Carbondale, West Virginia.

ANTHONY J CARILLE, 32001424, Technician Fourth Grade, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Tuckahoe, New York.

GEORGE A DUNN JR., 35602924, Private First Class, (then Private), Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Akron, Ohio.

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CARL G EYGNOR, 42023565, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 23 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wolcott, New York.

ARTHUR W FARRINGTON, 32405907, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Compan First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat fro 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rye, New York.

WILLIAM R FERRIES, 36805938, Private First Class, Company "E", 349th Infantr Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Beaver Dam, Wisconsin.

CLARENCE W FOOS, 37245597, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Russell, Kansas.

NORMAN L FUSON, 38109132, Staff Sergeant, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantr Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lamesa, Texas.

WILLIAM P GEROME, 39032876, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Thir Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 14 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

RALPH C GREENE, 36640959, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 Mar 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Galena, Illinois.

ANTHONY C GUARINO, 37245726, Technical Sergeant, (then Staff Sergeant), Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kansas City, Missouri.

WILLIAM C JENKINS, 0406366, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jacksonville, Florida.

ARTHUR KAPLAN, 32400401, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

JOSEPH E LAGESSE, 31142773, Staff Sergeant, (then Sergeant), Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jewett City, Connecticut.

ALBERT J LEBLANC, 31317334, Private First Class, Company "K", 349th Infantr Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Haverhill, Massachusetts.

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ARTHUR A LOVELL, 16016814, Staff Sergeant, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Perl, Illinois.

IRVIN P MARSHALL JR., 33525156, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Richmond, Virginia.

JOFFRE LESERVIER, 31117347, Staff Sergeant, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lewiston, Maine.

DONALD R MOORE, 15303582, Private First Class, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Tipton, Indiana.

CHARLES RIDDLE, 32034880, Technical Sergeant, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from South Ozone Park, Long Island New York.

EUGENE C SMITH, 36738278, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Benton, Illinois.

EIMER E VOCKEL, 33581249, Sergeant, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Collingdale, Pennsylvania.

HARRY WEXLER, 32089087, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Farmindale, New Jersey.

DOYLE H WILSON, 38192415, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Baxter Springs Kansas.

JAMES D CUNNINGHAM, 35427999, Sergeant, Company "A", 351st Infantry Regiment For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cairo, West Virginia.

RAYMOND L DU BOIS, 32388932, Corporal, Company "D", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from South Orange, New Jersey.

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PAUL EICHELBERGER, 33725213, Private First Class, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

JOSEPH T HYDE, 31135869, Corporal, Company "C", 51st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cambridge, Massachusetts.

LIONEL R KAYE, 0381635, Captain, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, in the vicinity of Ostiglia, Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

CASIMER S KOBYLINSKI, 36289001, Private First Class, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

MELVIN M LAVIN, 31138747, Private First Class, Cannon Company, 351st Infant Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 23 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

EARL C MORFORD, 39000127, Technician Fourth Grade, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

TONY M MURIETTA, 39265347, Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351 Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 25 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Santa Ana, California.

ERIK H PERSSON, 35882603, Private First Class, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 25 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hamilton, Ohio.

JOSHUA L ROSEN, 31149086, Corporal, Company "K", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

ADOLPH RUCCO, 32388852, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Montclair, New Jersey.

MITRO L SALO, 33428067, Private First Class, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

MICHAEL J STEFANELLI, 32389142, Corporal, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Orange, New Jersey.

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10 July 1945

GENERAL ORDERS)
NUMBER 89)

ORIGINAL ORDER

I - AWARD OF THE MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE

Under the provisions of Section I, Circular Number 345, War Department, 23 August 1944, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to the following unit:

MEDICAL DETACHMENT, 351st Infantry Regiment. For exceptionally meritorious service in the performance of outstanding duties from 26 March 1944 to 8 May 1945, in Italy. During this period, the officers and men of the MEDICAL DETACHMENT performed an outstanding job under the most trying field conditions. Working night and day in the muddy mountains from Minturno to the end of hostilities, the personnel of the MEDICAL DETACHMENT tackled every assignment given them in a cheerful and conscientious manner. Although continually under small arms, machine gun and heavy enemy artillery fire, and on several occasions enemy air attacks, the MEDICAL DETACHMENT operated at all times on the front lines with the fighting troops. Meeting one contingency after another, no effort was too great for the well-being of their fighting comrades. Despite heavy demands on the officers and enlisted personnel they always maintained peak operating efficiency. During the Italian Campaign this regiment suffered three thousand one hundred and fifty-five casualties. Each casualty was treated by the MEDICAL DETACHMENT of this regiment. In their efforts to expedite their work, the men of the MEDICAL DETACHMENT found many expedients and improvised new methods in caring for their wounded comrades which have won widespread approval and have been copied by other units of this theater. The high devotion to duty, resourcefulness and courage displayed by the officers and men of the MEDICAL DETACHMENT have played an important role in the victorious campaigns and battles of their regiment and are decidedly deserving of high praise and commendation for their part in the tremendous onslaught and final and glorious victory.

II - AWARDS, POSTHUMOUS, OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individuals:

ALEX J BATHORY, 35587070, Private First Class, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 2 May 1945, near Fener, Italy. Entered military service from Campbell, Ohio. Next of kin: Mr Peter Bathory Jr. (Father), 40 Hampden Avenue, Campbell, Ohio.

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GEORGE FREW, 33707092, Private, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, near Fener, Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Next of kin: Mrs Henrietta Frew, (Mother), Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania.

III- AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

HENRY E PRESSLY, 0462087, Captain, Corps of Chaplains, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 21 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Anderson, South Carolina.

FREDERICK A BLANCHE JR., 0438887, Captain, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 23 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Shreveport, Louisiana.

ROBERT W HEUSER, 01306719, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 29 July 1944 to 30 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

ERNEST J MERCER JR., 31149185, Staff Sergeant, Company "C", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, at San Giovanni, Italy. Entered military service from Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

EDWARD P TOOMEY, 01540779, First Lieutenant, Infantry; 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, in the vicinity of Legune, Italy. Entered military service from West Forest Hills, New York.

JOHN T RIELLY, 32373965, First Sergeant, (then Staff Sergeant), 88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop. For meritorious service in combat from 8 March 1945 to 12 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Watervliet, New York.

IV - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

ALBERT H DEVOE, 33581301, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 34[illegible]th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bristol, Pennsylvania.

WALTER F FILIPEK, 35914534, Technician Fifth Grade, (then Private), Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 25 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lakewood, Ohio.

RUSSELL A PELL, 36529421, First Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, near Cappano, Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

PAUL J [illegible] 33872196, Private First Class, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. Entered military service from Lykons, Pennsylvania.

CARL KRUEGER, 36760515, Staff Sergeant, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

ROBERT L LAIRD, 33048490, Private, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. Entered military service from Mount Union, Pennsylvania.

JOHN O'CONNOR, 31407126, Sergeant, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. Entered military service from New Haven, Connecticut.

FRANK J BARBACCIA, 32399786, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Jay, New York.

JOSEPH H KANE, 31109651, Staff Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Sandrigo, Italy. Entered military service from Manchester, New Hampshire.

STEPHEN W RHOTEN, 37473931, Sergeant, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 22 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Blue Springs, Nebraska.

RAYMOND E ECHARD, 35231471, Staff Sergeant, Company "K", 351st Infantry Regiment For meritorious service in combat from 13 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Columbiana, Ohio.

CLIFFORD G EBERSOLD, 32141425, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rochester, New York.

JAMES H CRAW, 32400616, Technical Sergeant, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Jay, New York.

GERALD R HOGAN, 31079222, Staff Sergeant, Company "A", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 10 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Salem, Massachusetts.

DAVID H GOSSEEN, 42045617, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

MICHAEL P DZADOVSKY, 33309625, Staff Sergeant, Company "K", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

PETER ORLOFF, 31149203, Staff Sergeant, Company "H", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

EDWARD E PETERSON, 31148483, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

NORMAN E OUELLETTE, 31138432, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945 in Italy. Entered military service from Fall River, Massachusetts.

ARTHUR E FONTAINE, 11070148, Technical Sergeant, Company "B", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

LEX V MAPLES, 37060946, Technical Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pine Bluff, Arkansas.

EUGENE O WRIGHT, 38077177, Technical Sergeant, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 20 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

CARL E FOX, 11064976, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 9 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

HENRY M DONELSON JR., 01322531, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Huntsville, Texas.

RUSSELL G SMITH, 39459622, Technician 4th Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Spokane, Washington.

JOSEPH F MILLER, 36427416, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Collinsville, Illinois.

CLAYTON PRATHER, 35487970, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jonesboro, Texas.

REGINALD W POWERS, 33637264, Sergeant, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bedford, Virginia.

ROBERT G VAN BRUNT, 33174764, Private First Class, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 9 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Moscow, Pennsylvania.

JOHN H MURPHY, 31079590, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Maynard, Massachusetts.

WAYNE BURNHAM, 36080129, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

NORMAN W DAY, 35618311, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Washington Court House, Ohio.

ALFRED R JOHNSON, 18130043, Sergeant, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Muskogee, Oklahoma.

WILLIAM F PARTRIDGE, 01287369, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Mobile, Alabama.

HARVEY E LOCKLIN, 6274953, Staff Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sacramento, California.

HECTOR R LAMBERT, 31079343, Sergeant, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Salem, Massachusetts.

GEORGE R GROTE, 32387671, Technician Fourth Grade, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Maywood, New Jersey.

GEORGE O BALL, 20729975, Private First Class, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 9 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brandsville, Missouri.

BILLY C RODUCK, 38278488, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jonesboro, Texas.

EDWARD D HANCOCK, 12099012, Corporal, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camden, New Jersey.

MARCEL J DIONNE, 31420798, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 18 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

MICHAEL J BASINSKI, 32376400, Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

CHARLES J BAUER, 20535718, Sergeant, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Louisville, Kentucky.

WALTER J GUINARD, 31235692, Private First Class, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

FRANCIS M MURPHY, W2121394, Chief Warrant Officer, USA, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Waterbury, Connecticut.

PAUL MESKO, 36529389, Sergeant, Battery "C", 338th Field Artillery Battalion For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, at San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

RAYMOND A GRIFFIN JR., 32663465, Corporal, Battery "C", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Castleton, New York.

JOHN J DAWSON, 31016511, Staff Sergeant, Service Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Belmont, Massachusetts.

JOHN J SNEE, 31110295, Corporal, Service Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 19 August 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Manchester, New Hampshire.

ALVIN E PAPPERT, 32399389, Corporal, Battery "A", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

ROBERT J GAUTHIER, 32662511, Corporal, Battery "B", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritoricus service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Schenectady, New York.

DOMINIC F PICARELLA, 32055932, Technical Sergeant, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

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MILTON F LAWANDUS, 32376359, Technician Fourth Grade, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

BERNARD L EPSTEIN, 32396469, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

MAX I DENES, W2124126, Warrant Officer, Junior Grade, USA, 788th Ordnance (LM) Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

HARRY J SCHENCK, 32306470, Master Sergeant, Division Headquarters, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Orange, New Jersey.

LOUIS F SKOREPA, 32398638, Sergeant, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Astoria, Long Island, New York.

FRANK T LONG, 32386431, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Union, New Jersey.

HAROLD W KENNEDY, 32386373, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hackettstown, New Jersey.

V - AMENDMENTS

So much of Section III, General Orders Number 74, this headquarters, dated 12 June 1945, pertaining to the award of the Bronze Star Medal to Second Lieutenant Morris H Snow, 01540734, Field Artillery, (TD), 805th Tank Destroyer Battalion is amended to read "Award of the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal."

So much of Section III, General Orders Number 74, this headquarters dated 12 June 1945, as amended, pertaining to the award of the Bronze Star Medal to Second Lieutenant Morris H Snow, 01540734, Field Artillery, (TD), 805th Tank Destroyer Battalion is further amended to read "Second Lieutenant Morris H Snow, 01540734, Field Artillery, (TD), 804th Tank Destroyer Battalion".

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL FRY:

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GENERAL ORDERS)
NUMBER 90)

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I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

WILLIAM G BELL, 01031383, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 15 April 1945, near Fazzano, Italy. Entered military service from Larchmont, New York.

LAWRENCE J MILLER, 39566474, Staff Sergeant, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near Monterumici Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

FRANK J MATTEY, 01318316, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Zanesville, Ohio.

II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

ROBERT C JOHNSTON, 32396[illegible], Technical Sergeant, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

OTIS T HOUSLEY, 01999141, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Winnsboro, Louisiana.

FRANK AGRESTA, 31079608, Staff Sergeant, (then Technician Fourth Grade), Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Malden, Massachusetts.

WILLIAM O BLUE, 37402928, Private First Class, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Matthews, Missouri.

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OSCAR D BURGAN, 38232184, Staff Sergeant, (then Sergeant), Company "D", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Daffau, Texas.

CLARENCE E DUPRAY, 31349751, Private First Class, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hinsdale, Massachusetts.

JAMES H HAMRICK, 38213742, Private First Class, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 20 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hagerman, New Mexico.

GEORGE J HOFMANN, 42032351, Private First Class, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Richmond Hill, New York.

ROBERT H JONES, 35029088, Sergeant, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Akron, Ohio.

ALBERT P MICHAUD, 31145943, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Keegan, Maine.

ANGELO MINETTI, 39688304, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Merced, California.

EDWARD R OWEN, 37655161, Private First Class, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Mason City, Iowa.

JOHN S REZENDES, 31424293, Corporal, (then Private First Class), Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 8 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fairhaven, Massachusetts.

HAROLD F TOBIN, 39903073, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Idaho Falls, Idaho.

HOWARD F AWTRY, 33106973, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. Entered military service from Lubbock, Texas.

CHARLES J BEWALDER, 32398329, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near the Brenta River, Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

LOUIS V BONGIOVI, 32398648, Technician Fourth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Long Island City, New York.

JOSEPH E BOST, 01691800, First Lieutenant, Medical Administrative Corps, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 18 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Corpus Christi, Texas.

MONTE A BROWN JR., 35362634, Technician Third Grade, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Indianapolis, Indiana.

HAROLD AHRENS JR., 36638733, Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Libertyville, Illinois.

ROBERT H ALBRIGHT, 36038484, Corporal, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 12 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bluffs, Illinois.

CHARLES T ANTHONY, 31125161, Corporal, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Danielson, Connecticut.

GEORGE H BROOKS, 36529886, Staff Sergeant, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

HARRY BURNS, 32370365, Private First Class, Anti-Tank Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Utica, New York.

RAYMOND P CANFIELD, 33610492, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Lizziera, Italy. Entered military service from Wilkes Barre, Pennsylvania.

EUGENE J CRUGNOLA, 42019636, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Union City, New Jersey.

EVERETT A CULBERTSON, 37214710, Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kansas City, Missouri.

THOMAS B CURIEE, 01294629, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Itasca, Texas.

EARL E DANLEY, 0465134, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Lincoln, Nebraska.

EDWARD A DESANTIS, 31234953, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

SHELBY D DYE, 34139365, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, near Sasso Bolognese, Italy. Entered military service from Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

JOHN EDER, 32998765, Private First Class, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

MICHAEL L ELAND, 36287286, Corporal, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

ALEC ERMACOFF, 39102951, Corporal, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

NORMAN T EVANS JR., 32271463, Sergeant, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Millville, New Jersey.

JOSEPH J FINT, 32400006, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Waspeth, New York.

JOSEPH L GUERRA, 38607295, Staff Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kingsville, Texas.

RAYMOND L HERRMANN, 35472862, Private First Class, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Cincinnati, Ohio.

JAMES G HOLLAND JR., 024573, Lieutenant Colonel, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27-28 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Marquette, Michigan.

MAURICE A HOLLON JR., 35486452, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 and 17 April 1945, near Monterumici, Italy. Entered military service from Evansville, Indiana.

STEPHEN F HORVATH, 32386203, Corporal, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

FRED E ISHAM, 39194769, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Tacoma, Washington.

GILBERT H KINCAID, 35813606, Private, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near the Brenta River, in Italy. Entered military service from Evansville, Indiana.

WALTER G KOSIBA, 32387069, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

ROY E KRUEGER, 37583327, Private First Class, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27 April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Fredonia, North Dakota.

JAMES J MAERS, 32399543, Technician Fifth Grade, Cannon Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Woodside, New York.

HARRY P MARELLI, 31109932, Sergeant, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Manchester, New Hampshire.

JOHN B MITCHELL, 31079542, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Isidoro, Italy. Entered military service from Fort Devens, Massachusetts.

L D ODELL, 34815611, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 28 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort McClellan, Alabama.

JOSEPH J PELLETIER, 31145937, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wallagrass, Maine.

HENRY O PERKINS, 33810129, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

ALBERT H REDLING, 32373810, Technician Fourth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fultonham, New York.

Mc CUNE J ROSE, 36716517, Private First Class, Anti-Tank Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

ALFRED B ROSMAN, 32960674, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

GEORGE M RUPPEL, 32400415 Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Southampton, Long Island, New York.

ERNESTUS F SKINNER, 32403431, Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Otisville, New York.

CLAYTON H SIACK, 36803107, Staff Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rhinelander, Wisconsin.

WILLIAM C SMITH, 32373797, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Liziera, Italy. Entered military service from Albany, New York.

JOHN J SOLDRA, 31125390, Staff Sergeant, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ansonia, Connecticut.

CECIL W THOMPSON, 7020151, Private First Class, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near De Sopra, Italy. Entered military service from Richmond, Virginia.

JOHN B TOBIAS, 35226665, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Springfield, Ohio.

KENNETH E VANCE, 16114774, Technician Third Grade, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Mount Pleasant, Michigan

JOHN H VAN HOUTEN, 32386261, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Passaic, New Jersey.

GORDON G VAN REMMEN, 01320263, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Racine, Wisconsin.

VICTOR V VERONKO, 32355971, Private, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

EARL J WEAVER, 0452654, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 17 April 1945, near Casa di Mazza, Italy. Entered military service from Sheboygan, Wisconsin.

ARTHUR ZIEHN, 39039849, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Ospetvale, Italy. Entered military service from Piedmont, California.

NORMAN E BROWN, 32386414, Sergeant, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regimen For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

JOSEPH A CARVER, 31138050, Private First Class, Company "C", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Nove, Italy. Entered military service from Charlestown, Massachusetts.

HENRY COHN, 36736109, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

ROBERT C EANES, 33656468, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 20 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camp Lee, Virginia.

ROGER H FOX, 11045252, Technical Sergeant, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 9 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

HOWARD R GAY, 33707294, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 19 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

DEWEY R GREGORY, 38250564, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Edna, Texas.

ADOLFO GURULE, 38167433, Private First Class, Company "C", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Nove, Italy. Entered military service from Santa Fe, New Mexico.

ALLEN S HALL, 36739051, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

CECIL P HARRIS, 39459486, Private, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Spokane, Washington.

WOODROW W HINTON, 32386333, Staff Sergeant, Company "A", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Blairstown, New Jersey.

EDWARD F JOHNSON, 32357340, Sergeant, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

STEPHEN C KAWA, 36413282, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 26 February 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kalamazoo, Michigan

JAMES F MC MAHON, 32373978, Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 12 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Albany, New York.

EDGAR R MILLER, 31295127, Private First Class, Company "I" 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wilmington, Massachusetts.

WILLIAM R MUNDELL, 33489670, Staff Sergeant, Company "C", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, in the vicinity of Caselle, Italy. Entered military service from Allentown, Pennsylvania.

NICHOLAS PELES, 32646113, Sergeant, Company "H", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 August 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

LEON PETTIT, 32271442, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Dix, New Jersey.

AUBREY PURDY, 34592764, Corporal, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Leaksville, North Carolina.

IRA J T REED, 38279995, Sergeant, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Dallas, Texas.

GENE L WALSH, 39023455, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 25 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Mac Arthur, California.

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JOHN F BAGLEY, 32398434, Sergeant, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

JOHN P GANCH, 31[illegible]945, Technician Fourth Grade, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Connecticut.

OSCAR A WESTERGREN, 37119569, Private First Class, Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Holdrege, Nebraska.

GEORGE R DAVIS, 35142970, Sergeant, Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 2 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Clayfield, Indiana.

ELISHA L BATES, 6913052, Sergeant, Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

ERNEST L LEHMANN JR., 35[illegible]39541, Corporal, Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Houston, Texas.

JOSEPH b HILL JR., 36728661, Private First Class, Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Calumet City, Illinois.

HENRY V WINNICKY, 32309177, Corporal, Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 22 January 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bayonne, New Jersey.

HAROLD N TYLER JR., 33229904, Sergeant, Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Richmond, Virginia.

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I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

JOHN B HELNER, 38228884, Sergeant, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sweetwater, Texas.

WESLEY D HOYER, 37265500, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hitchcock, South Dakota.

HYMAN SURITZ, 32161277, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

HOWARD M SOPER, 01030191, Captain, Cavalry, 88th Reconnaissance Troop. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, at San Felice, Italy. Entered military service from Jackson Heights, New York.

II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

STEWART C ACKMAN, 01054462, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, near Ronco, Italy. Entered military service from Naperville, Illinois.

HAROLD H ADAMS, 34893236, Private First Class, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Andrews, North Carolina.

RAOUL J BERGERON, 31381136, Sergeant, Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Britain, Connecticut.

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RALEIGH J RODENBACH, 36782684, Private First Class, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sparks Hill, Illinois.

FRANK BROCHERT JR., 36548437, Private First Class, (then Private), Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Mount Clemens, Michigan.

EDWARD E BREEDEN, 34665486, Private First Class, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Erwin, North Carolina.

DOMINIC CANNILLO, 33672307, Sergeant, (then Private First Class), Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 21 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Trafford, Pennsylvania.

CHARLES H COFFEY, 32395893, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

THOMAS E COX, 38288302, Private First Class, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jonesboro, Arkansas.

WILLIAM R CRATER, 32389487, Technician Third Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ridgefield, New Jersey.

WILLIAM V DAIBER, 32270887, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Gloucester, New Jersey.

THOMAS DE COTEAU, 31463163, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Springfield, Massachusetts.

LOUIS DOORNBOS, 32386654, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Paterson, New Jersey.

LEONARD R FISH, 39562716, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Van Nuys, California.

MARTIN M GEIS, 39459056, Private First Class, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 20 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Greencreek, Idaho.

FOSTER GREEN, 34374061, Sergeant, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Trenton, Tennessee.

THOMAS J GONNELIA, 33746489, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Washington, D C.

BERNARD GROUS, 31381736, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rockville, Connecticut.

EARL V HOFFNER, 33736036, Private First Class, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kennedyville, Maryland.

RICHARD F KALTWASSER, 16177486, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 27 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kirkland Lake, Ontario, Canada.

HENRY A KELLY, 38279927, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Waxattachie, Texas.

EARL W KING, 36454830, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 16 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lansing, Michigan.

RAYMOND R KOFFROTH, 35581574, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

BRUCE E LAMB, 39902774, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jerome, Idaho.

JOHN A LEE, 31424521, Private First Class Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Attleboro, Massachusetts.

THOMAS J MAY, 35656887, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ethel, West Virginia.

ANDREW L Mc NAUGHTON, 31397185, Private First Class, Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 23 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

JOHN F Mc ILROY, 31125576, Private First Class, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Waterbury, Connecticut.

JOSEPH D RUSSO, 42012187, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Phillipburg, New Jersey.

WAYNE E SHERMAN, 31115422, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 24 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Duxbury, Vermont.

JOHN L TAYLOR, 32402633, Sergeant, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hempstead, Long Island, New York.

THOMAS W VANDYGRIFF, 38279728, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ben Franklin, Texas.

EDWARD C WHITE JR., 31255476, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fall River, Massachusetts.

JOHN WORTH JR., 32957220, Staff Sergeant, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Osbornville, New Jersey.

ARNOLD W BIANCHI, 32141265, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rochester, New York.

GLENN H BRUTON, 14128250, Corporal, Anti-Tank Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camp Blanding, Florida.

FRANK CATANZARO, 31148739, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

ROBERT P CHAPMAN, 36614344, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Joliet, Illinois.

ALFRED E CLAUSS, 01557262, First Lieutenant, Military Intelligence Service, 2680 Headquarters Company, (attached 350th Infantry Regiment). For meritorious service in combat from 28 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

NEIL O CLUTE, 38240360, Corporal, Cannon Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Marquez, Texas.

FUGH A DE FILIPPIS, 32386361, Staff Sergeant, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

GLENN DE ZWAAN, 36412046, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Allegan, Michigan.

ALFRED O FINDEISEN, 33797446, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chester County, Pennsylvania

WALTER T HALL JR., 13121087, Sergeant, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 26 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Emory, Virginia.

HENRY A JUSKAITICAS, 31244897, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

STANLEY R KNIGHT, 39402820, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Weaverville, California.

JOHN E LAMSA, 36529559, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

NEWTON B RESH, 32386704, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newton, New Jersey.

CARL F SPATH, 32307879, Technician Fourth Grade, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

WILLIE S STUDSTILL, 34830331, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Telfair County, Georgia.

JOHN W TIBBEIS, 34374737, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Memphis, Tennessee.

PAUL H TWIGG, 35894242, Private First Class, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. Entered military service from Portland, Indiana.

PAUL BELCHER, 35630537, Corporal, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 18 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Crab Orchard, Kentucky.

JOE V CACIAS, 38252780, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Antonio, Texas.

LEWIS J CASPER, 32373544, Technician Fourth Grade, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Glens Falls, New York.

JAMES H EDWARDS, 34373868, Technical Sergeant, Company "H", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Dyer, Tennessee.

JEFF P ENOCHS, 0465348, Captain, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 26 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from El Dorado, Texas.

JAMES J FUCCI, 32389690, Sergeant, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 12 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cliffside, New Jersey.

JAMES T GLYNN, 31390461, Staff Sergeant, Company "H", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, near Revere, Italy. Entered military service from Worcester, Massachusetts.

BERNARD GOLDSTEIN, 32825631, Corporal, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

THOMAS F GRACE, 32308961, First Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Jersey City, New Jersey.

HANS W HOLBEIN, 32944036, Corporal, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 9 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Albany, New York.

ARCHIE KANE, 12019605, Staff Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 21 April 1945, in the vicinity of San Giacomo del Martignano, Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

CLIFFORD O LOBERG, 37561938, Corporal, Company "D", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Snelling, Minnesota.

PATRICK J MALONEY, 32387570, Technical Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Sandrigo, Italy. Entered military service from Elizabeth, New Jersey.

GORDON K MARCUS, 01030303, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 23 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hornell, New York.

VINCENZO MARIANO, 31148503, Technical Sergeant, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cranston, Rhode Island.

DOMINICK MASCERA, 32388836, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

JOHN J MULLIGAN, 32399992, Technical Sergeant, Company "D", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28-29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Bassano del Grappa, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

RAYMOND E QUINN, 31142054, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

TERRANCE J QUINN, 32376945, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Binghampton, New York.

ARNOLD J ROSSI, 32387538, Corporal, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 20 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

RICHARD A RUNCI, 31138353, Sergeant, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

JOHN H SCHOEPPNER, 12091926, Corporal, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

LAWRENCE L SHAW, 31142859, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

WILLIAM R SPRAGUE JR., 31255486, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

NORMAN W STEINACHER, 37480456, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Milligan, Nebraska.

WILTON A WOODCOCK, 34686562, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 27 February 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Glennville, Georgia.

JOHN M DZIALUK, 01178131, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cleveland, Ohio.

DALLAS C HARDCASTLE JR., 01167883, Captain, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from McAlester, Oklahoma.

KENNETH C HERBERT, 16111285, Private First Class, Battery "A", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Port Huron, Michigan.

HAROLD E KRAM, 36450065, Private First Class, Service Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kalamazoo, Michigan.

DONALD K MACAULAY, 32386393, Sergeant, Battery "B", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Phillipsburg, New Jersey.

JOSEPH D MORTON, 01165426, Captain, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Aurora, Illinois.

JAMES F O'REAR, 38240328, Private First Class, Service Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Franklin, Texas.

LAVERNE R BARNETT, 36529478, Corporal, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

RAYMOND E BONES, 32326416, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Beaver, Oregon.

VINCENT J DEMATTEIS, 32401169, Staff Sergeant, Company "B", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

FRANCIS R HART, 11054377, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Medford, Massachusetts.

STANLEY N McLEOD, 31005105, Staff Sergeant, Medical Detachment, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Worcester, Massachusetts.

JAMES H OGDEN, 31138161, Technician Fourth Grade, Company "B", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Middleton, Massachusetts.

JOHN R WOODS, 31142083, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wethersfield, Connecticut.

EDWIN J BRADLEY, 31149359, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Signal Company. For meritorious service in combat from 12 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

RUBIN COHEN, 32396670, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Infantry Division Band. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

ALBERT J SHARFF, 16127024, Staff Sergeant, 88th Infantry Division Band. For meritorious service in combat from 20 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cincinnati, Ohio.

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I - AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individual:

MANUEL E MACIAS, 39282660, Private First Class, Company "C", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Marostica, Italy. Entered military service from Redlands, California Next of kin: Mrs Seferina Ramirez, (Mother), 137 Erwin Street, San Bernardino, Californi..

II - AWARD OF THE SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the second bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individual:

ALBERT C STANDISH, 0375519, Captain, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 16 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Akron, Ohio.

III - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

RUSSELL F SCHIESSLER, 01304796, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Reading, Pennsylvania.

RALPH M SMALLIDGE, 01170561, Captain, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lansing, Michigan.

FRANK N WRIGHT, 0390160, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 9 February 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Eldon, Missouri.

IV - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

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RAYMOND ADAMS, 39459244, Private First Class, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Yakima, Washington.

EVERETTE W ARTER, 35228612, Sergeant, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Crestline, Ohio.

RAYMOND C BANASZ, 32271126, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camden, New Jersey.

SAMUEL BLUEDORN JR., 33434633, Private First Class, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Castle, Pennsylvania.

WILFRED J BUTKOFSKI, 37548150, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Paynesville, Minnesota.

LOUIS R CEDRONE JR., 33555008, Private First Class, Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 14 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

GREGORY A CE[illegible]UNI, 31013453, Private First Class, Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 22 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kittery, Maine.

JOHN E CUDDY, 32387188, Sergeant, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bound Brook, New Jersey.

SAMUEL G DEEM, 35438108, Private First Class, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ronceverte, West Virginia.

MICHAEL J GERAMBIA, 36706273, Corporal, Company "D", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

ALFRED E GREGORY, 39402858, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

MARTIN J KELLEY, 33785301, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

EUGENE G MADISON, 32402670, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Hempstead, New York.

ELEA S MIRANDA, 35770322, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ashland, Kentucky.

LOUIS PHILLIPS, 32389338, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Nutley, New Jersey.

GROVER L PRITCHETT, 34102326, Technical Sergeant, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Gadsden, Alabama.

WILLIAM M PURTILL, 31142745, Technical Sergeant, (then Staff Sergeant), Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Stonington, Connecticut.

PERRY S ROSE, 35653136, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wevaco, West Virginia.

ALFRED R RUEFF, 39114165, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Santa Barbara, California.

EDWARD SHABRONSKY, 32400041, Private First Class, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

FRANCIS A SMITH JR., 15342449, Corporal, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Worcester, Massachusetts.

FRANK P TURICH, 35361154, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Chicago, Indiana.

JACK G VAN DEVENTER, 33749526, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 20 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Washington D C.

ROY L BLACKWELL, 38192499, Private First Class, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Miami, Oklahoma.

FRANK J CACCIATORE, 32376868, Corporal, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Endicott, New York.

GEORGE E CAREY, 32386890, Staff Sergeant, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Somerville, New Jersey.

JOHN A CARRINO, 32400923, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

CROCKETT B COX, 33214589, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Abingdon, Virginia.

HERBERT H CROSSON, 37579474, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Saint Paul, Minnesota.

ROBERT J CUSTER, 35472744, Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 August 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cincinnati, Ohio.

VAN S ECKLES, 34871626, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jackson, Mississippi.

NORMAN G ERIKSEN, 02001735, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Foster, Virginia.

VINCENT J ESPOSITO, 12092163, Corporal, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

MOSES FARHAT, 36401093, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lansing, Michigan.

THOMAS F FAY, 31138321, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

GARVIN L GRANT, 38213990, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rogers, New Mexico.

JOHN GRISCAVAGE, 32393983, Staff Sergeant, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

JAMES J HUGHES, 42034362, Private First Class, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 27 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

ROBERT W KOCHENOUR, 13094259, Sergeant, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 6 August 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

EDWARD J KOSINSKI, 36877574, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 8 December 1944, near Spettra, Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

JERRAL E LANCASTER, 38279314, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sanger, Texas.

EINO E LATVA, 31079559, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Concord, Massachusetts.

CLARENCE LEESON, 35395305, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Clarksburg, West Virginia.

JOHN J MACKIN, 35708943, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 27 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Louisville, Kentucky.

FREDDIE L MARTIN, 34022475, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Dyersburgh, Tennessee.

EDWARD S MATTOON, 31250672, Corporal, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Thomaston, Connecticut.

JOSEPH M MC DERMOTT, 32388174, Corporal, Anti-Tank Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

GEORGE E MEADOWS, 01306125, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cochran, Georgia.

FRANK W MILLER, 32376884, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Endicott, New York.

ROGER P MILOT, 31250678, Sergeant, Company "F", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Watertown, Connecticut.

GEORGE PAPPAPETROU, 3[illegible]079733, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lowell, Massachusetts.

JOHN PEYRON JR., 39539881, Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Diego, California.

GEORGE F PUPVIS, 33539853, Technical Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Shipman, Virginia.

CHARLES E RADER, 34720968, Technical Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Knoxville, Tennessee.

CHESTER E ROMELAD, 31149406, Private First Class, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

JOSEPH A SIEPIETOWSKI, 31126997, Technical Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 26 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Thompsonville, Connecticut.

EDWIN K SMITH, 31393622, Private First Class, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 13 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Portland, Maine.

CURTIS R STANLEY, 38279005, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Renner, Texas.

JOHNIE STEPHENS, 3829823[illegible], Private First Class, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Tyler, Texas.

MILO E TOWNS, 36453218, Private First Class, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 19 April 1945, near Prato del Miglio, Italy. Entered military service from Kalamazoo, Michigan.

FREDERICK W THRIFT, 37148697, Private, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

NICHOLAS A DATTILLIO, 20226487, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Riverside, New Jersey.

JOHN J DEDIO, 36638617, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

STUART R NIDITCH, 31379437, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

JOHN A SUHY, 31143151, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 26 February 1944 to 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

GILBERT S FIELD, 15116724, Corporal, Battery "A", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Charleston, West Virginia.

JESSE A TODD, 01168110, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 18 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

JOSEPH F BUCIOR, 31020671, Staff Sergeant, Battery "B", 338th Field Artiller Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

JOSEPH H MISSALE, 32398939, Sergeant, Battery "A", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Jay, New York.

EDWARD S MATYJASIK, 32379365, Technician Fourth Grade, Battery "B", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

EUGENE B SZUTA, 16006442, Sergeant, Battery "B", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

JOHN J ARCURI, 32373589, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Edwards, New York.

JOSEPH J CHERON, 32403368, Sergeant, Battery "B", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Yonkers, New York.

WILLIAM T CUNNINGHAM, 32398699, Sergeant, Battery "B", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Long Island City, New York.

ALBERT L FESSARD, 32376331, Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Detachment, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Williamsville New York.

ABRAHAM GOODMAN, 36529931, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

HARRY R KRAUSE, 33337557, Corporal, Service Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Langhorne, Pennsylvania.

PAUL J MILLER, 33254314, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cleveland, Ohio.

FRED MISSON, 32400700, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

ALBERT E OTTERSTROM, 39043043, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Berkeley, California.

FRANK L PULICE, 32659953, Private First Class, Service Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Athens, New York.

PAUL E REECE, 37223215, Technician Third Grade, Medical Detachment, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 9 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Falls City, Nebraska.

FRANCIS H REILEY, 32374002, Staff Sergeant, Battery "A", 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Albany, New York.

RUPERT C TUCKER, 38086397, Technician Fourth Grade, Service Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Claude, Texas.

MARK L VERDIER, 33503931, Technician Fourth Grade, Service Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Waynesboro, Pennsylvania.

RAYMOND S WOOTWARE, 31001820, First Sergeant, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Grand Isle, Vermont.

WILLIAM GARRAMONE, 32373715, Staff Sergeant, Company "B", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Albany, New York.

MAURICE GAUDREAU, 31110288, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Manchester, New Hampshire.

SIDNEY GOODMAN, 0463212, Captain, Dental Corps, Headquarters 87th Ordnance Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

SIGURD S JOHNSEN, W2122660, Warrant Officer, Junior Grade, USA, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

SALVATORE V NANIA, 32626463, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Freeport, Long Island, New York.

MILTON MYKYTOW, 31016784, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

WALTER W POST, 13095816, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 August 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Montclair, New Jersey.

GEORGE C STOWITTS, 32659785, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Albany, New York.

HOWARD D WALKER, 16111163, Corporal, Company "C", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Marlette, Michigan.

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I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

KING J BOGARDUS JR., 01291941, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near Cittadella, Italy. Entered military service from East Hartford, Connecticut.

JAMES V GAUT, 01999054, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 14 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Delaware, Oklahoma.

II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

ROBERT P BADMAN, 33489701, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bechtelsville, Pennsylvania.

EMERY J BALES, 39407433, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Willows, California.

MERRIL O BATTS, 33410876, Sergeant, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Emporium, Pennsylvania.

WALLACE C BELSON, 32837660, Private First Class, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fulton, New York.

WALTER T BENNETT, 38669477, Private First Class, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Redfield, Arkansas.

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JOHN F AUSTIN, 34088285, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Orange, New Jersey.

ALEXANDER BARKOWSKY, 32271385, Technician Fourth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camden, New Jersey.

GEORGE H BEDALL, 20361431, Technical Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 9 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Blackstone, Virginia.

WILLIAM R BISHOP, 33095879, Corporal, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Richmond, Virginia.

GEORGE D BOBIK, 32270618, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 28 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Trenton, New Jersey.

JOSEPH F BOYLE, 32388071, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Orange, New Jersey.

DONALD L BUCHANAN, 32379310, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

WILLIAM H BULLARD, 34684380, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Julian, North Carolina.

CARMELO C BURGIO, 32358900, Staff Sergeant, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

RAYMOND J BYLO, 31125279, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Norwalk, Connecticut.

ARTHUR A CACKO, 32387091, Sergeant, Anti- Tank Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

PASQUALE CAIAGNA, 38241148, Private First Class, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Houston, Texas.

ANTHONY A CALIENDO, 32395378, Technician Fourth Grade Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

DAVID B CARLISLE, W2131648, Warrant Officer, Junior Grade, USA, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Passaic, New Jersey.

DAVID J CARRINGTON, 34881116, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment For meritorious service in combat from 12 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Memphis, Tennessee.

LAWRENCE CHAREK, 39538295, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

HARDY R CHANDLER, 31079534, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Clinton, Massachusetts.

LEON G CHRISTIAN, 31079580, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Concord, Massachusetts.

DEAN B COEN, 01318607, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Champaign, Illinois.

CORBLE L COOPER, 34374302, Sergeant, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Memphis Tennessee.

ROBERT E CRANE, 32385443, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

DAN CURREN, 34106797, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bessemer, Alabama.

ANTHONY DEMMI, 33485863, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Shenandoah, Pennsylvania.

DAMIANO DISTEFANO, 31234867, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

WALTER H DIXON, 12091925, Technical Sergeant, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

CHARLES A DONDERO, 12086406, Staff Sergeant, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Closter, New Jersey.

JOSEPH J DOROSZ, 36549289, Private First Class, Cannon Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

JAMES E DUNAWAY, 34373951, Private, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Selmer, Tennessee.

WILLIAM S DWYER, 32001868, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

JOHN E EASTRIDGE, 33554873, Technical Sergeant, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

HENRY F EGER, 32489457, Technician Fifth Grade, Cannon Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Moorestown, New Jersey.

VICTOR A ESPOSITO, 31235022, Corporal, Cannon Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

GUSTAV H FAGERHOLM, 32386310, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

JAMES C FARMER, 34887306, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 28 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Knoxville, Tennessee.

FRANCIS J FARRARA, 32407937, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Rochelle, New York.

SAMUEL W FITZPATRICK, 34374246, Sergeant, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Memphis, Tennessee.

HERBERT L FOSTER, 32400232, Technician Fourth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Manor, New York.

ROLAND J FREGEAU, 31115732, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Saint Albans, Long Island, New York.

THEODORE W GAIDA, 31127044, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Miller Falls, Massachusetts.

MARTIN A GINSBURG, 12096063, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Glens Falls, New York.

HOWARD S GUTTMAN, 13256000, Corporal, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 22 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from State College, Pennsylvania.

HARRY H JACKSON, 01325650, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Jackson, Michigan.

DONALD J HAMMOND, W2121077, Warrant Officer, Junior Grade, USA, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Burlington, Vermont.

ERALD W HANSCOM, 31115596, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lamoille, Vermont.

LEO F LAWRENCE, 31127232, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Springfield, Massachusetts.

STANLEY G LOFQUIST, 32388058, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from West Orange, New Jersey.

JOSE M F LOMBRANA, 38249960, Corporal, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sonora, Texas.

ANTHONY L LUCCA, 32271348, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Ospitale di Brenta, Italy. Entered military service from Maple Shade, New Jersey.

JOHN F MEEHAN, 31233655, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cambridge, Massachusetts.

JOHN J NOONAN, 32400601, Technical Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

HERBERT H REYNOLDS, 36672847, Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from El Dorado, Illinois.

GERALD S ROOT, 36877538, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 26 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

ERVIN J ROPP, 35486454, Private First Class, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Gleaen, Indiana.

WALTER H SCHWARTZ, 38370839, Private First Class, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Abilene, Texas.

JAMES R SIM, 31234892, Sergeant, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

ARLON L SMITH, 38369583, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

ROSCOE A STEVENS, 31100663, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bangor, Maine.

THEODORE J VAN DUZEE, 31250702, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Milford, Connecticut.

JOHN E WALLACE, 34874674, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

JOSEPH M WELCH, 31137712, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Dorchester, Massachusetts.

HOWARD F WHITE, 33699529, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 23 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

JOHN C ANTHONY, 31139277, Private First Class, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Boston, Massachusetts.

FLOYD O SEVERTSON, 37162514, Sergeant, Battery "A", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Blooming Point, Minnesota.

DWIGHT E WALKER, 38277623, Corporal, Battery "C", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Snyder, Oklahoma.

MALCOLM B MC DONALD, 0366803, Major, Field Artillery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 8 August 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Birmingham, Alabama.

THOMAS L KNOX, 38109298, Corporal, Battery "C", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Happy, Texas.

PAUL GERVASI, 32633106, Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 13 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

EMERY A BREAULT, 37015705, Corporal, Headquarters Battery, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 20 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Concordia, Kansas.

FLOYD G CHAPMAN, 38202971, Technician Fifth Grade, Battery "B", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brownsboro, Texas.

WILLIAM S BROOKS, 01167751, Captain, 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from McAlester, Oklahoma.

BILL COMBS, 35128153, Staff Sergeant, Battery "B", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Juan, Kentucky.

CHARLES G DREISS, 32626004, Staff Sergeant, Battery "A", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Forest Hills, Long Island, New York.

ANTHONY F PUGLIESE, 32012916, Corporal, Battery "A", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Meadowmers, New York.

ELVIDO D DEBELLIS, 32141658, Staff Sergeant, Battery "B", 337th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rochester, New York.

FRANK C LOVULLO, 32421460, Staff Sergeant, Service Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

FERNAND J BARRON, 31126912, Sergeant, Battery "C", 338th Field Artillery, Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Holyoke, Massachusetts.

IRVING BIANK, 12090999, Staff Sergeant, Battery "B", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

ROBERT W ROSS, 38109158, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Delwin, Texas.

RILEY L WYATT, 18158778, Private First Class, Battery "C", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from San Antonio, Texas.

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~~LUZ SALINAS~~, 38250623, Private First Class, Battery "C", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

VINCENT H CARLSON, 32395903, Sergeant, Service Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Jay, New York.

CHESTER PREECE, 35652868, Private First Class, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Philips, Kentucky.

ARTHUR H BARKER, 33566005, Private First Class, Battery "B", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Baltimore, Maryland.

WILLIAM B BOYLE, 37244844, Technician Fifth Grade, Battery "B", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kansas City, Missouri.

ANGELO INTEGLIA, 31148417, Staff Sergeant, Service Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

PATRICK J SCHAVONI, 31079670, Private First Class, Battery "B" 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 5 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Haverhill, Massachusetts.

ELI J ZIMMERMAN, 36528826, Private First Class, Battery "A", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 12 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kawkawlin, Michigan.

LAWRENCE HERMAN, 31372406, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brighton, Mass.

GORDON SNYDER, 32270754, Private First Class, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Penns Grove, New Jersey.

FRED J BORN, 32401009, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hempstead, Long Island, New York.

HOWARD A LEE, 32377463, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Syracuse, New York.

FOY ODOM, 38228691, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Abilene, Texas.

JAMES D DELGARDO, 31138412, Sergeant, Service Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fall River, Massachusetts.

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I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

JOHN J RIORDAN, 01170536, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 12 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

THOMAS W NUGENT, 01285481, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 9 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

GEORGE R BREHENY, W2121104, Warrant Officer, Junior Grade, USA, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rochester, New York.

EDWIN E BRANDLI, 34374253, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Memphis, Tennessee.

FRANCIS J BRADY, 32397134, Sergeant, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

ROBERT L BRISTOW, 33645954, Sergeant, (then Private First Class), Company "D", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cologne, Virginia.

MONTSAUL F BROWN, 31318331, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Houlton, Maine.

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ALEJANDRO G GONZALES, 38111366, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sonora, Texas.

OLEN BLACKWELL, 34976337, Private First Class, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Scott-Dale, Georgia.

MANICK J ASHEKIAN, 42035630, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

DEAN A SPULER, 39159002, First Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 10 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

VICTOR J SAVIANO, 31137582, Technician Fifth Grade, Anti-Tank Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Boston, Massachusetts.

KENNETH A SAUNDERSON, 35914535, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cleveland, Ohio.

EDWARD R MOLEY, 32389691, Corporal, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Grantwood, New Jersey.

ROCCO MOSCARITOLO, 32386875, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Elizabeth, New Jersey.

ARTHUR P MULVEHILL, 32396573, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

HENRY W MUNDHENK, 32925630, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Orange, New Jersey.

GEORGE K NEISON, 01700687, Captain, Dental Corps, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Saint Paul, Minnesota.

STEPHEN V OBAROWSKI, 32309207, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bayonne, New Jersey.

ALBERT S OSTRANDER, 01298748, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 27 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

WILLIAM PALEVITZ, 32401013, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Great Neck, Long Island, New York.

JAMES O PAPPAS, 31235087, Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lynn, Massachusetts.

EDGAR PITTS, 32141912, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New York.

CHARLES S PIETROWSKI, 33337600, Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

MIKE E PLEZIA, 36528828, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

CLYDE F POPE, 01695634, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 28 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Birmingham, Alabama.

WILLIAM F PRAHL JR., 32401081, First Sergeant, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Port Jefferson Station, New York.

ROBERT L PRIOR, 35868705, Private First Class, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 8 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cincinnati, Ohio.

THOMAS RAINEY, 31141320, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "B", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

MARIO J REGOLI, 32386229, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

JOHN E REILLY JR., 31138023, Private First Class, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Everett, Massachusetts.

GLEN E REISINGER, 32241519, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Mechanisburg, Pennsylvania.

JOHN W REMISH, 01316585, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bentleyville, Pennsylvania.

CLYDE R REYNOLDS, 38251724, Sergeant, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kiowa, Oklahoma.

JOSEPH SAMPSON, 34466333, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lumberton, North Carolina.

ROBERT H SANFORD, 01316675, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 20 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Washington, D C.

JESSE F DARNELL, 02039442, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cadiz, Kentucky.

DONALD J BOYD, 15076446, Private First Class, Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Steubenville, Ohio.

WARREN G ADAMS, 37540146, Private First Class, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

CARMEN T ALLOGIO, 32385706, Sergeant, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hashill, New Jersey.

ORA W ABERNATHY, 33044878, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from March 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Richmond, Virginia.

JAMES E HURST, 35486295, Private First Class, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Evansville, Indiana.

NICHOLAS HUPKA, 15012979, Sergeant, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service in combat from Wheeling, West Virginia.

MAX T HULBERT, 0393105, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lincoln, Nebraska.

JOHN D HIRES, 32957551, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camden, New Jersey.

FRED HERRIGEL, 32388216, Private First Class, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

RICHARD B HENDRICKSON, 35894502, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 16 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Indianapolis, Indiana.

EDWARD V HEALEY, 31387827, Technical Sergeant, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 9 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

ROY R HALEY, 37244681, Private First Class, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chillicothe, Missouri.

KENNETH E HALE, 37246515, Private First Class, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Linneus, Missouri.

DONALD J GRACE, 32397257, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

JOE GOSTECNIK, 38091226, Technician Third Grade, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Houston, Texas.

THOMAS ~~F GALLAGAN~~, 31148566, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cranston, Rhode Island.

NICHOLAS JASWELL, 31244935, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

JOSEPH N MARTIN, 33439956, Staff Sergeant, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

RICHARD J MAC IVOR, 32399462, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

NORBERT E MACINTOSH, 31298689, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 31 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Somerville, Massachusetts.

FRANCIS M KING, 0364490, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fredericksburg, Virginia.

ROY F KAYS, 35038136, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cambridge, Ohio.

DELMAR C KING, 35593834, Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 16 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Liverpool, Ohio.

DONALD A KING, 36106509, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 9 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

WALTER R KLICK, 31142143, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Middletown, Connecticut.

DALLAS E KRANZ, 35362554, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Indianapolis, Indiana.

JOSEPH KUBEK JR., 32399751, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

JAMES R KURZ, 01296390, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 17 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Frankford, Missouri.

ROBERT D LANZ, 39325846, Private First Class, Anti-Tank Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Portland, Oregon.

FRANK A LIBORDI, 32141322, Staff Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hornell, New York.

VESTAL P MC COLLUM, 01999189, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 16 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Reidsville, North Carolina.

HAROLD R MCKENNA, 32397854, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

GERARD J JEAN, 31138451, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fall River, Massachusetts.

FREDERICK L HOUCK, 01285426, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Catawissa, Pennsylvania.

ALBERT E JOHNSON, 31137603, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brockton, Massachusetts.

ARTHUR H KAHN, 32396426, First Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

JOSEPH R KLEMENT, 32056320, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

FRANCIS J MAHER, 31234808, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Woburn, Massachusetts.

JOSEPH W KALADA, 33935772, Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 25 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Allentown, Pennsylvania.

ROBERT MC MULLEN, 32386218, Corporal, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Clifton, New Jersey.

EDWARD J MATTIES, 32392886, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

ALBERT J MILLER, 32386600, Technician Fourth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

MICHAEL KNEISS, 33084340, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Taylor, Pennsylvania.

JOHN L LA FORTUNE, 33324077, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 26 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Tulsa, Oklahoma.

RUSSELL E IAWES, 31115605, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Orleans, Vermont.

MARTIN C LEOGRANDE, 32386557, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Paterson, New Jersey.

FLOYD J MC CONNAUGHEY, 36547366, Corporal, Cannon Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Davisburg, Michigan.

TERENCE P MC CORMICK, 32728506, Corporal, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 26 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

GEORGE E MC MAHON, 32400410, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hampton Bays, New York.

ROBERT E JONES, 36625940, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Freeport, Illinois.

ARTHUR HANSEN, 32308905, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jersey City, New Jersey.

JOSEPH C ISAAC, 34374071, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jackson, Tennessee.

DOUGLAS P ARMSTRONG, 31234971, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Melrose, Massachusetts.

JESS W AMICK, 35437960, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cairo, West Virginia.

DANIEL DAVIDSON, 32355587, Corporal, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from North Pelham, New York.

BOYD H ARMSTRONG, 39403577, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Greenville, California.

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ROY G ASHTON, 36425962, Sergeant, Cannon Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Peoria, Illinois.

LOREN E ATKINSON, 20737372, Sergeant, Company "E", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 25 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Poplar Bluff, Missouri.

ANDREW J BANAS, 31127061, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Easthampton, Massachusetts.

CLARENCE F CLEMENTS, 34495480, Sergeant, Battery "C", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.

ANDREW OCHOA, 38240590, Sergeant, Battery "A", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Galveston, Texas.

HERMAN J KLOEPPER, 38109325, Sergeant, Battery "A", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Farwell, Texas.

BILLY H CHESNUTT, 38240619, Corporal, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bangs, Texas.

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I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

EDWARD C MONTANO, 38213807, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Anthony, New Mexico.

FRANK J TAYLOR, 0410920, Major, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Queens Village, Long Island, New York.

EARL J WEAVER, 0452654, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28-29 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. Entered military service from Sheboygan, Wisconsin.

DONALD A YONGUE, 0427994, Lieutenant Colonel, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 25 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Summerville, South Carolina.

II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

EVERETT W STANABACK, 32386651, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Paterson, New Jersey.

JOHN J YEAGER, 01326039, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 10 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newport, Kentucky.

ROLAND D WHITE, 32271528, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Audubon, New Jersey.

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BURTON J WHEELER, 31115181, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wilder, Vermont.

JESSE N TRUESDELL, 35875043, Sergeant, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Springdale, Kentucky.

LOREDO TROIANI, 31149299, Private First Class, Company "D", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

MELVIN E THOMPSON, 38332880, Private First Class, Company "M", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 14 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Paragould, Arkansas.

JOSEPH W THOMPSON, 34491833, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Memphis, Tennessee.

STANLEY J SZUREK, 31126850, Sergeant, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Springfield, Massachusetts.

HUGH G STAMPS, 14194325, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 August 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Poplarville, Mississippi.

EUGENE SZATMARY, 31233656, Corporal, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cambridge, Massachusetts.

THOMAS J SULLIVAN, 31234866, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Melrose, Massachusetts.

BERNARD R SULLIVAN, 31148884, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

CLAYTON M SMITH, 36401277, Corporal, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lansing, Michigan.

DONALD E SKOGAN, 36290438, Technical Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 13 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Janesville, Wisconsin.

HENRY O SCHWARZ , 12051070, Staff Sergeant, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

JOSEPH F SILVA, 39403569, Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Marysville, California.

ALBERT RUSIN, 12085973, Technical Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 13 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

EDWARD J RUMANOWSKI, 01298298, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 17 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicopee, Massachusetts.

EDWARD E SMITH, 32074068, Private First Class, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camden, New Jersey.

WILBUR G VANDERBECK, 32386673, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Paterson, New Jersey.

DAN M WEBSTER, 36685378, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

DONALD F WILLIAMS, 02001734, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Grand Rapids, Michigan.

RAYMOND C WISSEL, 15363194, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cincinnati, Ohio.

HARVEY D TOWNER, 01319977, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 6 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Tulsa, Oklahoma.

JOSEPH A URE, 01290160, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 20 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Syosset, New York.

JOHN J TILTON, 32401270, Pfc, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newburgh, New York.

OVILA A TESSLER, 31421185, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 22 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fall River, Massachusetts.

EDGAR G STELLWAY, 39538344, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pasadena, California.

ROSS E WILLIAMS, 34710716, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cookeville, Tennessee.

CHARLES VOTAW, 39459595, Staff Sergeant, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Seattle, Washington.

GEORGE T CARLSON, 32388843, Corporal, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

JOHN P STAAB, 02039401, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

HORACE SORENSEN, 39903387, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Salt Lake City, Utah.

RICHARD D SNYDER, 35092196, Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 12 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Indianapolis, Indiana.

LAWRENCE E SIMMONS, 33783924, Corporal, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

GEORGE L BRUCE, 01323531, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 25 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Saint Louis, Missouri.

WILIARD D BROOKS, 35103279, Staff Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Louisville, Kentucky.

RALPH G BLACK, 31351196, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 12 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Houlton, Maine.

PETER J KONIER, 32390506, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wood Ridge, New Jersey.

HOWARD J LESTER, 34689810, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Atlanta, Georgia.

IRVING A LEWIS, 42033687, Private First Class, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 19 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

MARVIN C SIEGEL, 16170981, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

GEORGE SHEPPL, 35609407, Corporal, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Akron, Ohio.

ANTHONY J ROSSI, 31149174, Corporal, Company "D", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

IRVING ROSENBAUM, 32396225, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

LOUIS W LIESNER, 35411526, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Columbus, Ohio.

JAMES MC CARTHY JR., 32309073, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Orange, New Jersey.

JOHN F MANCINI, 32386925, Technical Sergeant, Company "C", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 6 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Somerville, New Jersey.

BILLY B MIIAM, 35773638, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 12 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Herndon, West Virginia.

ANTHONY R MINOTTE, 3754002, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Duluth, Minnesota.

CALVIN W PERMAN, 39614701, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Billings, Montana.

ELBERT M PERRY, 39903511, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Spanish Fork, Utah.

EDWARD E WALSH, 01317960, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 22 April 1945, near San Giovanni in Perscieto, Italy. Entered military service from Yonkers, New York.

FRANK J AFFENSELLER, 12091407, Sergeant, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

JAMES E BERRY, 36414336, Private First Class, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lake Odessa, Michigan.

CLARENCE A WHITE, 31178365, Technician Fourth Grade, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hanover, New Hampshire.

WONG Y YOUNG, 32376224, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Tonawanda, New York.

JOHN BACHISM, 33430327, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Monessen, Pennsylvania.

JOHN J JAVOROSKI, 32924923, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Elizabeth, New Jersey.

JOSEPH R JOIE, 32064492, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Williamstown, New Jersey.

JOHN A JASKOLSKI, 33411029, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Corry, Pennsylvania.

THOMAS S GREEN, 36488823, Technical Sergeant, Company "K", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Bassano del Grappa, Italy. Entered military service from Atlanta, Georgia.

BILLIE A GUILES, 38128315, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Porter, Oklahoma.

JOHN G HORNAK, 31143182, Sergeant, Company "L", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Connecticut.

DONALD W FOSTER, 36527477, Corporal, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ann Arbor, Michigan.

LONNIE G FERGUSON JR., 34[illegible]663, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 13 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Charleston, South Carolina.

ROBERT C FIEGELIST, 35[illegible]38[illegible], Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 13 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cleveland, Ohio.

FREDERICK T FINNETTY, 12091379, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Ca David, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

CHESTER H EDWARDS, 39902209, Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Reno, Nevada.

JOHN J ERRGONG, 12096342, Sergeant, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Auburn, New York.

GEORGE C BRETT, 12094717, Staff Sergeant, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

OSCAR A KISTLE, 39403546, Technician Fourth Grade, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sacramento, California.

ROBERT H PALMER, 13185732, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

JOHN C MILLER, 33254295, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Schellsburg, Pennsylvania.

FRANK MARTINI, 12057599, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 27 February 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

HARRY M LEGGETT, 20532688, Staff Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Bassano del Grappa, Italy. Entered military service from Portland, Indiana.

GILBERT F KRAUS, 32402676, Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Yonkers, New York.

FREDERICK J KRAICS, 02001777, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Central Islip, New York.

FREDERICK J KORNOELJE, 33011975, Private First Class, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Sandrigo, Italy. Entered military service from Kalamazoo, Michigan.

FRANCIS A KLER, 32271048, Technician Fourth Grade, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Collingswood, New Jersey.

ALFRED J BUONINCONTRI, 32400481, Corporal, Company "B", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Glen Cove, Long Island, New York.

MARION D BURRELL, 36241229, Technical Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Beaumont, Texas.

ERNEST L CASE, 36580879, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

CHESTER Z CHOJNOWSKI, 36287913, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Athens, Wisconsin.

ISAAC COOK, 36412337, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Flint, Michigan.

GERARD L GIRARD, 13061065, Corporal, Company "H", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 26 February 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lowell, Massachusetts.

EDWARD J GODEK, 31251571, Technician Fifth Grade, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Britain, Connecticut.

BRADFORD HUGHES, 32374234, Technician Fifth Grade, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hudson Falls, New York.

WALTER JURASZ, 31109835, Staff Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Manchester, New Hampshire.

HENRY KEANE, 32395350, Technician Fourth Grade, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

ARTHUR H ROHLIK, 15322382, Private First Class, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 9 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cleveland, Ohio.

THOMAS A SULLIVAN, 31426261, Sergeant, Company "H", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 10 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Salem, Massachusetts.

EDWIN E VERSPOOR, 36401220, Sergeant, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 25 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Grand Rapids, Michigan.

COLMON T WATTS, 37326849, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 12 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Minneapolis, Minnesota.

HAROLD E WHITEHAT, 37477324, Sergeant, Company "H", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 16 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rosebud, South Dakota.

ABRAHAM PEPPER, 32377418, Private First Class, Cannon Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Syracuse, New York.

EUGENE PETERS, 36400969, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kalamazoo, Michigan.

EUGENE A RIZZUTI, 32387871, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

GARLAND S RED, 38241125, Private, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Texas City, Texas.

HERBERT E PRATHER, 33411130, Technical Sergeant, Company "C", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 6 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Union City, Pennsylvania.

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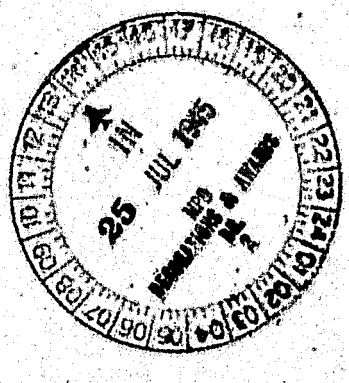
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I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

MARTIN G MC CUE, 02001727, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 February 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

WILLIAM E SPICER, 32704108, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 25 April 1945, near Revere, Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York;

CLAUDE F THOMPSON, 14021268, Corporal, Battery "B", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy- Entered military service from Landrum, South Carolina.

JACOB L MOREHEAD, 01165425, Captain, Field Artillery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Tulsa, Oklahoma.

II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

ANTHONY P CIRILLO, 12092307, Private First Cl., Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

LAWRENCE E COOK, 35492608, Sergeant, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hopkinsville, Kentucky.

JOHNNIE H COX, 34763256, Corporal, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Swainsboro, Georgia.

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EUGENE W CRISP, 34604866, Private First Class, Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Stecoah, North Carolina.

J S CROFT, 34572421, Private First Class, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ellabell, Georgia.

WILLIAM DEST, 01540609, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 20 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Haven, Connecticut.

WILLIAM R DENNY, 01287845, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Milwaukee, Oregon.

CLYDE M DAVIS, 01285211, Captain, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Union, South Carolina.

HERBERT B WACASTER, 32399602, Technician Fourth Grade, (then Technician Fifth Grade), Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

WALTER F WASKEL, 42037447, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 21 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

SAMUEL R MORALES, 39852451, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pirtleville, Arizona.

RAYMOND N NELSON JR., 01322582, Captain, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Elkhorn, Wisconsin.

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* ALONZO R NEWMAN, 01316580, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Washington, D C.

JOHN I NORTHRUP, 36424216, Corporal, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Ionia, Michigan.

AMERICO VIERA, 31236053, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 28 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from South Dartmouth, Massachusetts.

MICHAEL URGO, 32386291, Corporal, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Passaic, New Jersey.

ELBERT J VOLLMER, 37201617, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Neodasha, Kansas.

LESTER F WEIKUM, 36768596, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Custer Park, Illinois.

ALFRED E WATKINS, 31145975, Private First Class, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Millinocket, Maine.

STANLEY J ZMITREWICZ, 31126940, Technical Sergeant, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Holyoke, Massachusetts.

RALPH D WILSON, 34883572, Staff Sergeant, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chatanooga, Tennessee.

DOUGLAS C MAXAM, 39267324, Corporal, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

HARRY A MILLER, 32402436, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

CHESTER L MARSTON, 35464651, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Owenton, Kentucky.

ADOLPH P MARTINEZ, 39403447, Technician Fifth Grade, (then Private First Class), Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Firebaugh, California.

HARRY A MAHAR, 01030905, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 25 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brownsville, Texas.

JOSEPH H MILLER, 32386377, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Washington, New Jersey.

CLEMENT H MAREK, 32373865, Private First Class, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Amsterdam, New York.

MICHAEL WEINCH, 33707962, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 25 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Avella, Pennsylvania.

ABDON A SULAK, 38433586, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hillsboro, Texas.

ALFRED STIEFEL, 32388925, Sergeant, Company "B", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Irvington, New Jersey.

CECIL E SHEPHERD, 39112907, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sacramento, California.

MARCUS SONENSCHEIN, 32399060, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

LEO M ULLMANN, 38250808, Private First Class, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 14 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Yoakum, Texas.

WILLIAM B TUREK, 32385244, Staff Sergeant, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Perth Amboy, New Jersey.

WILLIAM F TURTON, 32407946, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wayside, Long Island, New York.

WILLIAM J DONNELLY, 31149177, Sergeant, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

VERDON J DOUD, 37473008, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oyens, Iowa.

GEORGE F DURYEA, 32396672, Private First Class, Company "D", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

ROBERT J MAHANEY, 01999150, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 February 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Batavia, New York.

JOHN EISENZIMMER, 39458917, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Yakima, Washington.

EUGENE ENGELEN JR., 36730555, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

GERARD L FERLAND, 31149180, Sergeant, Company "C", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

CHARLES J FERRERA, 32400581, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment. 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

DAVIS A MC CARTHY, 39014640, Technician Third Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

CHARLES J LYONS, 31294978, Private First Class, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Somerville, Massachusetts.

JOHN LYNN, 01305447, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Des Moines, Iowa.

GEORGE D LINVILLE, 39620258, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 18 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Billings, Montana.

FRANCIS A LAPHAM, 39114538, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Eureka, California.

ROLAND A FONTAINE, 31149093, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pawtuckett, Rhode Island.

RALPH L FRAY, 11072935, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Waterbury, Connecticut.

EDWARD H FUNCHAR, 36567865, Private First Class, Company "A", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

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X GEORGE T GATELY, 31137294, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 24 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Roxbury, Massachusetts.

JOHN J GAVIN, JR., 31138399, Sergeant, Company "H", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Dorchester, Massachusetts.

MELVIN F LANG, 39403593, Staff Sergeant, Company "D" 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lodi, California.

GEORGE E LANE, 31115483, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from East Montpelier, Vermont.

CHARLES LANE, 35099297, Private First Class, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Anderson, Indiana.

EDWARD J KOSTECKI, 32309514, Staff Sergeant, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bayonne, New Jersey.

FRANK KIM, 39266548, Corporal, Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

OWEN H KEELER, 39902074, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Salt Lake City, Utah.

GEORGE F KALEL, 31100540, First Sergeant, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bangor, Maine.

AMOS B KABLE, 33241500, Private First Class, Company "A", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lemoyne, Pennsylvania.

DEWEY M JOYNER, 14004137, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Sylvania, Georgia.

HERMAN H JONES, 34607001, Staff Sergeant, (then Sergeant), Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Unaka, North Carolina.

RALPH W JOHNSON, 36808314, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

JOHN T GINTER, 35636211, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Mount Sterling, Kentucky.

DENNIS A GRADY, 32372910, Private First Class, Cannon Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 10 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Norfolk, New York.

CHARLES H GRIFFIN, 39267158, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 14 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Deming, New Mexico.

JACK B HALL, 36738438, Corporal, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Saint Francisville, Illinois.

GLENWOOD HOYT, 31100688, Private First Class, (then Private), Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Monticello, Maine.

JOSEPH D HUFFNAGLE, 33053979, Technical Sergeant, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

DORSEY R JOHNSON, 35761494, Private First Class, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newburg, West Virginia.

HOWARD M JAGGER, 35539839, Staff Sergeant, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 10 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Columbia City, Indiana.

ARTHUR T HUNTER, 31127029, Private First Class, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Easthampton, Massachusetts.

JOE M CAMPOS, 39687752, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Modera, California.

ODEN A CAPPS, 39545270, Technician Third Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Puxico, Missouri.

JAMES E HENDERSON, 021327, Lieutenant Colonel, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Oil City, Pennsylvania.

IVON C CASE JR., 38109207, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lipscomb, Texas.

JOHN CHALAKEE JR., 38192521, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Atoka, Oklahoma.

EMIL A NOBILE, 36639692, Technical Sergeant, Company "A", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Bassano del Grappa, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

ALBERT D ROBESON, 01301883, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 8 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

PABLO R OLIVAS, 38347650, Private First Class, Company "D", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lubbock, Texas.

ANDREW J TROCCHIO, 32398088, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Long Island City, New York.

JOHN L CHOATE, 38192328, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Medical Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Vado, Italy. Entered military service from Wagoner, Oklahoma.

ROBERT L CURRAN, 35235061, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Medical Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Vado, Italy. Entered military service from Akron, Ohio.

JOSEPH S KORPALSKI, 36642540, Private First Class, Company "A", 313th Medical Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 23 April 1945, near San Martino, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

SAMUEL D GLAUS, 01688013, Captain, Medical Corps, 339th Field Artillery Battalion, For meritorious service in combat from 27 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Avon, New Jersey.

ROY M YOUNG, 38250366, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Battery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 27 February 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Antonio, Texas.

TILLEY B AKIN, 37137069, Technician Third Grade, 788th Ordnance (LM) Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

JOHN M WENGER, 36426012, Technician Fourth Grade, 788th Ordnance (LM) Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Peoria, Illinois.

ROBERT J BOLD, 32075276, Staff Sergeant, 788th Ordnance (LM) Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camden, New Jersey.

PATRICK R BURKE, 17072670, Technician Third Grade, 788th Ordnance (LM) Company. For meritorious service in combat from 7 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

GEORGE W BENSON JR., 32387888, Technician Fourth Grade, 788th Ordnance (LM) Company. For meritorious service in combat from 1 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

JOHN A SNYDER, 33309701, Technician Fourth Grade, 788th Ordnance (LM) Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

ANTHONY J POLIZZI, 32386288, Sergeant, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Passaic, New Jersey.

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GENERAL ORDERS)
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ORIGINAL ORDER

I - AWARDS OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to the following named individuals:

JAMES DODARO, 36642961, Corporal, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 19 May 1945, near Siusi, Italy. Corporal DODARO, a member of the 88th Infantry Division Counter Intelligence Corps, set out with two others in search of the chief of the SS Forces in Italy, who had thus far escaped capture. This desperate criminal had been hunted for many months and was known to have attempted to leave the country with forged papers. Corporal DODARO arrived at the house occupied by the criminal and his mistress. After repeated knocking failed to bring a response, Corporal DODARO and the other two men with him broke into the house by smashing a glass panel. A rapid search was made of the premises when suddenly the party burst into one of the rooms and surprised Carita and the woman hurriedly rising from bed. When called upon to surrender, the hunted man suddenly whipped out a pistol from beneath his pillow and desperately fired at the three searchers. Two of the men were wounded by the lightning move and, as Corporal DODARO rushed past his companions in an attempt to return the fire, he was seriously wounded in the stomach when less than six feet from the assasin's weapon. Maintaining admirable presence of mind in spite of the horrible pain, Corporal DODARO remained erect with a superhuman effort and boldly fired at both the murderer and the woman. Carita was killed instantly by Corporal DODARO'S deliberate aim and the woman severely wounded. Thus was eliminated the notorious brigand who had brought suffering and agony to so many. Such fearless actions and quick thinking despite intense pain, are a credit to the glorious achievements of the American soldier. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

VINCENT M WITTER, 0354594, Lieutenant Colonel, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 28 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. On this night, Colonel WITTER was at the head of a Third Battalion task force moving along Highway 53 towards the Brenta River. Heavily fortified enemy strongpoints halted the column but Colonel WITTER repeatedly braved the storm of machine gun and small arms fire to lead in wiping out all enemy resistance. When the speeding vehicles suddenly engaged an enemy convoy, Colonel WITTER directed the fire with such telling accuracy that all nine enemy trucks were completely demolished and all the occupants killed. Soon afterwards, the direct fire of a self-propelled gun scattered the task force and drove them to cover. Colonel WITTER, however, displaying exceptional calm, bravely exposed himself to the enemy fire to rally his men to their vehicles. Then, with shells bursting about him, he cleverly

directed a tank into position where it wiped out this added threat. Colonel WITTER'S fearless and inspiring leadership assured the battalion's advance and the final capture of this important objective. The superb initiative and determined aggressiveness displayed by Colonel WITTER is a fitting tribute to the glorious traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Berlin, New Hampshire.

NELSON G CLARK, 33764082, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 7 October 1944, in the vicinity of Fontenilice, Italy. Private CLARK'S company was attempting for the fourth time, to take a prominent hill feature. Surprising the enemy, they succeeded in reaching the crest of the hill. Private CLARK immediately put his gun into action on top of an open knoll, from which he could best observe the enemy positions. At this time the Germans launched an extremely heavy counterattack, firing heavy machine guns and mortar fire on our positions. The enemy fire was so heavy that our troops were forced to move to better positions. Private CLARK, realizing the seriousness of the situation , remained in his exposed position, covering the withdrawal of his men. He succeeded in knocking out one of the enemy weapons and forcing another to be withdrawn. Private CLARK remained in his position for four hours, during which time he fired one thousand seven hundred and fifty rounds of ammunition, holding the enemy back until reinforcements were able to force them to withdraw. The entire actions of Private CLARK have reflected courage and devotion to duty, and are in keeping with the fine traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

PABLO DELGATO, 38250178, Private, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 1-2 June 1944, in the vicinity of Cori, Italy. Private DELGATO was on an outpost in the vicinity of Cori, Italy. The town had been only recently captured when he heard someone approaching, and upon investigation discovered a heavily armed enemy patrol, advancing towards him. With fearless courage, Private DELGATO opened fire on them with his automatic rifle. So accurate and deadly was his fire that he killed eight of the surprised enemy. When his ammunition was exhausted, he threw hand grenades, which wounded four more of the Germans. The remainder of the patrol fled in terror. Early on the morning of 23 April 1945, in the vicinity of Revere, Italy, Private DELGATO was on an outpost position, his company having dug in the night before. Hearing a noise to his immediate front, he went forward to investigate. He was fired on by an enemy party of twenty men. Without hesitation, he returned the fire, emptying two magazines of ammunition from his automatic rifle. He then threw a hand grenade into their midst. In the courageous action four Germans were killed and several wounded. The remainder of the enemy immediately fled in disorder. The courageous actions of Private DELGATO in combat reflects great credit upon himself. Entered military service from Enchial, Texas.

HAROLD F ELMORE, 33554923, Private First Class, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 28 April 1945, in the vicinity of Bassano del Grappa, Italy. Private ELMORE was first scout of a squad assigned to clear the east bank of the Brenta River when his company ran into intense machine gun fire in the vicinity of Bassano del Grappa. While three of his squad mates covered him with rifle fire, Private ELMORE crawled toward a sniper, and thrust his bayonet clear through the German's body, killing him instantly. With this

source of trouble eliminated, Private ELMORE crawled toward the machine gun, which was still firing at his squad. Bracing himself, he threw a grenade into the foxhole, killing one and wounding the other two of the crew members. Still determined to complete the magnificent job he had started, Private ELMORE jumped into the position, firing at likely hiding spots. He followed a connecting trench to a dugout and captured ten Germans who had huddled inside to take protection from his rapid shooting. By the time his fellow men had reached him, Private ELMORE had completely eliminated this extensive German strongpoint and had disarmed the prisoners. In accomplishing this gallant feat, Private ELMORE upheld the finest traditions of his company, and he brought great credit to both the armed forces and to himself. Entered military service from Chrisfield, Maryland.

ANDREW TELL JR., 35932652, Private First Class, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 22 October 1944, in the vicinity of Mount Grande, Italy. On this day, a bitter counterattack was launched by a battalion of enemy troops. During the course of bitter fighting, Private TELL was manning a machine gun, and remained at his post even after his assistant gunner had been wounded, and thirty out of the thirty-five supporting riflemen had became casualties. During this action, Private TELL killed fifteen Germans and wounded thirty-five others, causing the enemy to withdraw in utter confusion. Throughout the entire action Private TELL was constantly exposed to the enemy. On 27 April 1945, while moving up a road into position, enemy guns suddenly opened fire on Private TELL from the rear. He and his squad immediately moved to the rear of the column and placed their guns into action. Locating the enemy position, Private TELL placed such a deadly volume of fire upon the enemy, that they were forced to surrender, after several had been killed and wounded. On 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Marostica, Italy, Private TELL was interrogating a German prisoner. He learned that there were approximately fifty Germans in a house not far from the road where they were advancing. With the prisoners as a guide, Private TELL went to the house and forced the occupants to surrender immediately. He returned to his company with thirty-five prisoners. Private TELL's actions of gallantry have been outstanding. He has constantly been a source of inspiration to the men serving with him. Entered military service from Akron, Ohio.

WILLIAM H VANDERBERG, 32386564, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of Bassano del Grappa, Italy. On 29 April 1945 while Sergeant VANDERBERG'S company was in a perimeter defense position near Bassano del Grappa, a force of seventy-four Germans, armed with a high number of automatic weapons, attacked. Because the enemy had already infiltrated the company's positions, it was impossible for him to use his mortars. Immediately he ordered his men to secure their individual weapons and follow him in a counterattack on the enemy. During the following fight that lasted over an hour, Sergeant VANDERBERG led his squad gallantly, deploying them and directing their fire power as to get the maximum results. Spotting three machine guns, Sergeant VANDERBERG directed fire on each one and with complete disregard for his own safety, crawled to the flank and from close range, effectively fired his carbine. In the first enemy emplacement, Sergeant VANDERBERG killed the gunner and wounded another member of the crew. The remainder of the crew quickly surrendered. When sergeant VANDERBERG fired from his exposed position on the second enemy position, the enemy gun was directed on him. This change in the field of fire enabled one of Sergeant VANDERGERG'S

men to get within rifle grenade range and neutralized the weapon. Firing from the flank on the third position, Sergeant VANDERBERG'S acts were a great inspiration to his men which are in keeping with the fine traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Paterson, New Jersey.

CLARENCE B DOUGLAS, 0534991, Second Lieutenant, Tank Destroyers, 805th Tank Destroyer Battalion. For gallantry in action on 27 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. On this night, a platoon of three tank destroyers, led by Lieutenant DOUGLAS, was attached to the Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment, its mission being to assist in the capture of Grantorto and to clear the road east to the Brenta River. Just before the battalion's entry into Grantorto, an enemy convoy of six vehicles tried to cut into the side of the column, but Lieutenant DOUGLAS so skillfully deployed and led his platoon that the entire convoy was destroyed with heavy casualties inflicted. The platoon was quickly re-formed and when they entered Grantorto, were engaged immediately by enemy tanks and self-propelled guns. Lieutenant DOUGLAS instantly led his platoon forward, and after a bitter forty-five minute fire fight, succeeded in clearing the enemy from the town, suffering only two casualties. Shortly afterwards, Lieutenant DOUGLAS received word of an isolated company engaged in a firefight with an enemy force of more than two hundred and fifty. With two tank destroyers, he unhesitatingly moved to assist them and in the fierce battle that followed, he killed an estimated sixty of the enemy and captured twenty-two others, enabling the rifle company to rejoin the remainder of the battalion. Lieutenant DOUGLAS' outstanding leadership, magnificent courage, and superb initiative were greatly responsible for the swift advance of the battalion, and exemplify the glorious traditions of the armed forces. Entered military service from Garden City, New York.

II - AWARDS OF THE SOLDIER'S MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

ROBERT E ARNDT, 37294054, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroism not involving actual conflict with the enemy on 21 May 1945, at Solderno, Italy. Private ARNDT, an aid man, displayed unusual heroism in saving the lives of two fellow soldiers while his own life was in danger. When an ammunition dump in a building exploded, two men were injured. The explosion started a fire in the building which set off more of the ammunition. Although he was warned not to enter the blazing structure, Private ARNDT gave no heed to the extreme danger and went inside to find the soldiers who had been hurt. In spite of the smoke and flame this courageous aid man found his two comrades and immediately administered aid. Working swiftly, totally disregarding the peril from exploding ammunition, Private ARNDT treated the men and removed them from the building to an aid station. His quick action and unselfish devotion to the welfare of his fellow soldiers brought prompt aid to the injured men and was a vital factor in saving their lives. The heroic deed of Private ARNDT has won the respect and admiration of those who know him and enhances the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Minneapolis, Minnesota.

LE ROY A SANDLIER, 32270896, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroism not involving actual conflict with the enemy on 10 May 1945, at Predazzo, Italy. On this morning Private SANDLIER, with a group of other soldiers, was guarding a captured enemy dump. Amongst this pile of ammunition were stacked some American phosphorous grenades. In the course of his rounds, Private SANDLIER suddenly noticed that one of these grenades was smoking. Without hesitation and with admirable calm, Private SANDLIER dashed towards the pile of grenades, picked up the smoking menace and hurled it out of danger, where, only a split second later, it exploded harmlessly. This instantaneous action averted a horrifying disaster and saved the lives of a number of soldiers on duty in the immediate vicinity. The superb initiative and astounding audacity of Private SANDLIER won the undying gratitude of his comrades and portrays the spirit of courage and self sacrifice of the American soldier. Entered the military service from Camden, New Jersey.

RICHARD G HALL, 35555246, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroism not involving actual conflict with the enemy on 1 June 1945, near Salo, Italy. Corporal HALL was laying a wire in this vicinity when one of the wiremen made the mistake of throwing the wire over a high tension line, causing a short circuit. When he picked up the wire, three thousand two hundred volts surged through his body, knocking him unconscious. As he fell, the line remained touching his body, seriously burning his arms. Corporal HALL took prompt action and jumped to the man's rescue. He removed the wire from the victim, at great risk to his own life, and then found that the shock had stopped the man's breathing. Calling for help, he proceeded to give him artificial respiration and succeeded, with the help of a nearby aid man, in bringing the man back to consciousness. Corporal HALL'S prompt action and cool thinking in an emergency, undoubtedly saved his fellow soldier's life, and his courage has earned him the admiration of his men. Entered military service from Toledo, Ohio.

PAUL J HASTINGS, 32377473, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroism not involving actual conflict with the enemy on 6 June 1945, in Italy. Corporal HASTINGS was on duty with the Battalion Wire Section, installing a line at the switchboard, when the line came in contact with a high tension power line. A short circuit resulted with almost explosive force, and the telephone line was charged with a current of twenty-two thousand volts or more. The switchboard operator had this line in his grasp at the time and was in danger of death by electrocution because he could not let go of it by reason of temporary paralysis. Analyzing the situation instantaneously, Corporal HASTINGS at great risk to his own life, seized the wire from the operator's hands and flung it to the ground, throwing the victim off balance at the same time so that he fell away from the area of danger. Corporal HASTINGS' prompt, courageous and effective action saved his fellow soldier from serious injury and possible death. His conduct was in accordance with the highest traditions of the service and is eminently worthy of commendation. Entered military service from Carthage, New York.

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III- AMENDMENT

So much of Section I, General Orders Number 83, this headquarters, dated 27 June 1945, awarding the Silver Star as reads: " Howard Miller, 36689004, Private First Class, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment" is amended to read Harold A Miller, 36689004, Private First Class, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment".

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ORIGINAL ORDER

I - AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individual:

CHESTER V HOYDA, 37708502, Staff Sergeant, Company "C", 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Burlington, Colorado. Next of kin: Mr John Hoyda, (Father), Star Route, Stratton, Colorado.

II - AWARD OF THE SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the second bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individual:

OSCAR E THOMAS, 1180363, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, in the vicinity of San Pietro, Italy. Entered military service from Oakdale, Nebraska.

III- AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

FRANK TORRES, 32357200, Staff Sergeant, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

JOSEPH V FERGUSON, 33022476, Staff Sergeant, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 17 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Albion, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH GRABELSKY, 42044561, Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 18 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

CARL W JOHNSON, 31138034, Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Detachment, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 12 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Beverly, Massachusetts.

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FRANCIS J MAC DONALD, 31235036, Technical Sergeant, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Woburn, Massachusetts.

DUNCAN H BEERS, 36826037, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. Entered military service from Racine, Wisconsi

THOMAS E BAIR, 01302573, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 3 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Eureka, California.

ROBERT A CALLISON, 38228750, Staf. Sergeant, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27 April 1945, near St Bonaficio, Italy. Entered military service from Comanche, Texas.

ALEX W DENYS, 01317501, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

ALFRED A GELINA, 36803423; Staff Sergeant, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Park Falls, Wisconsin.

EDWARD G SAUTTER, 01300715, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 10 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

FREDERICK C SPANN, 025561, Captain, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

LESLIE K SMITH, 32400956, Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, in the vicinity of Verona, Italy. Entered military service from Fort Jay, New York.

IV - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

JESSE J SMITH, 01293330, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 20 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jacksonville, Florida.

JOHN SELEWAY, 12098972, Sergeant, Company "A", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Syracuse, New York.

MORRIS SCHWARTZ, 33428042, Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Braddock, Pennsylvania.

LOUIS C UNREIN, 0482350, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hays, Kansas.

HENRY P RONALDO, 33337572, Corporal, (then Private First Class), Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Yardley, Pennsylvania.

HARRY L RICE, 32824518, Private First Class, (then Private), Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 18 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

HARRY C RASBACH JR., 32065392, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Merchantville, New Jersey.

ROBERT E PHIPPS, 16011167, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Saint Paul, Michigan.

ARTHUR J PHAIAH, 31141373, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Danielson, Connecticut.

ROBERT E HOOBLER, 01320325, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Waynesburg, Indiana.

EARL T VINCENT, 35362708, Private First Class, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 20 February 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Gary, Indiana.

FRANCIS M DOAN, 36585917, Private First Class, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

BERNHARD F DAVIS, 6907770, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Westfield, New Jersey.

JOHN V MOLINARO, 32398662, Technical Sergeant, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Long Island City, New York.

LARRY S BEST, 01300585, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Long Beach, California.

HOWARD N BRIGHT, 39852873, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, near Ronco, Italy. Entered military service from Pima, Arizona.

HERBERT R GARNER, 34871744, Private First Class, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 15-16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Aberdeen, Mississippi.

GUIDO R CLEMENTE, 32270711, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 27 April 1945, near Ronco, Italy. Entered military service from Pennsgrove, New Jersey.

GERMAIN L DESROSIERS, 31141381, Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, near Feltre, Italy. Entered military service from Jewett City, Connecticut.

MILTON W MC WAREN JR., 01032225, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 26 April 1945, near Ronco, Italy. Entered military service from Yuma, Arizona.

WALTER F BIGGINS, 31389703, Technician Fifth Grade, (then Private First Class), Company "B", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Worcester, Massachusetts.

JEFFERSON W CLARK, 34793009, Sergeant, (then Private First Class), Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 18 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from De Land, Florida.

PHILIP A KOVACS, 01798792, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, at Cornuda, Italy. Entered military service from Long Island City, New York.

WILLIAM T JOHNSON, 18159671, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Friona, Texas.

ALVIN L LEIMBACK, 36577199, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wyndotte, Michigan.

EDWARD J MASI, 31143441, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Haven, Connecticut.

JAMES J HUGHES JR., 32271520, Sergeant, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Runnemede, New Jersey.

HOMER F RCBERSON, 33532088, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Falls Mills, Virginia.

JAMES L HOPE, 34687492, Staff Sergeant, (then Sergeant), Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jesup, Georgia.

LEO P BUONO, 6141844, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 June 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wilbraham, Massachusetts.

NORVAL C GRANT, 7009780, Staff Sergeant, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kinston, North Carolina.

DONALD G COOPER, 38499674, Private, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 20 April 1945, near the Panaro, River, in Italy. Entered military service from New Orleans, Louisiana.

ALFRED J ZIELINSKI, 32376307, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

JOHN SHUMANSKI, 32403339, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Yonkers, New York.

NICHOLAS J KLEIN, 32388956, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from South Orange, New Jersey.

RALPH F CURREN, 36412965, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Marshall, Michigan.

VERNALD R HANSON, 36690491, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 7 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

CARLO J SPANO, 32987659, Private First Class, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

ESTON GIPSON, 38033281, Technician Fourth Grade, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Silver Valley, Texas.

JOSEPH G URBAN, 31124130, Corporal, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Connecticut.

NORMAN R NELSON, 16174308, Sergeant, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Morris, Illinois.

JOSEPH V VILLA, 39114250, Private First Class, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 15-16 April 1945, near Furcoli, Italy. Entered military service from Salinas, California.

PHILIP L WYMAN, 34980753, Private, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 1 May 1945, near Fener, Italy. Entered military service from Oneco, Florida.

EDWARD R ZAWILA, 32387104, Private First Class, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Elizabeth, New Jersey.

PAUL E LIENHARD, 32402679, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hempstead, New York.

KENNETH R DOWNS, 33561307, Sergeant, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Thurmont, Maryland.

WILBUR E KUHLENSCHMIDT, 35538594, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Garfield Heights, Ohio.

NORMAN JONKMAN, 32386115, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Paterson, New Jersey.

HERBERT C DECKER, 36738396, Staff Sergeant, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Flat Rock, Illinois.

ROGER R MARCEAU, 31110022, Technician Third Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Franklin, New Hampshire.

WALLACE H MARQUARDT, 36577340, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Deaborn, Michigan.

DONALD A BAUDER, 12096445, First Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Schenectady, New York.

ANTHONY M COPPOLA, 12058682, Private First Class, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Mount Vernon, New York.

FRANK H PICKERELL, 37663360, Staff Sergeant, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, at Cornuda, Italy. Entered military service from Saint Louis, Missouri.

REINHOLD A KOENIG, 39154508, Private First Class, Company "M", 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 30 April 1945, at Cornuda, Italy. Entered military service from Baldwin Park, California.

DANIEL F NEWMAN, 01317657, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from South Orange, New Jersey.

WALTER E BROOKER, 01285370, Captain, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Denmark, South Carolina.

WILLIAM F TRACY, 01302390, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945; near Borgofranco, Italy. Entered military service from Newport, New Hampshire.

JOHN E EMERSON JR., 01289711, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Diego, California.

WILLIAM H JONES, 32271485, Private First Class, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 14 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Port Norris, New Jersey.

LUTHER D WATKINS, 34497363, Private First Class, Company "K", 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 29 July 1944 to 14 April 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Palmersville, Tennessee.

JOSEPH H MILLER, 01285472, Captain, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lehighton, Pennsylvania.

JOHN R O'CONNOR, 16131796, Technical Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Green Bay, Wisconsin.

WILLIAM F VAN VELZOR, 36401088, Technician Fifth Grade, Service Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 23 April 1944 to 1 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lansing, Michigan.

ARTHUR T PARADIS, 15343528, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from South Bend, Indiana.

ARTHUR P RUBEN, 32683012, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Camp Upton, New York.

WELDON L GOSSETT, 38279890, Technical Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Dallas, Texas.

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GEORGE D BOBIK, 32276618, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Trenton, New Jersey.

DUNCAN H BEERS, 36826037, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 27 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Racine, Wisconsin.

CHARLES E HERBERT, 01296692, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near Vicenza, Italy. Entered military service from Rillton, Pennsylvania.

ANTHONY P CALIGIURI, 01319176, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 28-29 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. Entered military service from Hibbing, Minnesota.

CLAUDE L ABEL, 6794065, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 10 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Saint Paul, Minnesota.

RICHARD HASTINGS, 33337543, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat on 26 April 1945, near Verona, Italy. Entered military service from New Cumberland, Pennsylvania.

LORRAINE J RIBLE, 32388873, Staff Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat on 29 April 1945, near Maroctica, Italy. Entered military service from Irvington, New Jersey.

EDWARD D [illegible]EK, 12097787, Private First Class, Company "G", 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 24 April 1945, near the Po River, in Italy. Entered military service from Lackawanna, New York.

JOHN R DOWD, 42000758, Private First Class, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

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LEO J KERNESS, 32411306, Staff Sergeant, Company "C", 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat on 26 April 1945, in the vicinity of Caselle, Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

ALFRED WOLKOWICZ, 36549985, Corporal, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat on 2 May 1945, near Borgo, Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

* Awarded 1st Oak Leaf Cluster to Bronze Star Medal by G.O. 101 - July 24, 1945
FRANK J YARZYNSKI, 31143155, Staff Sergeant, Battery "A", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 12 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Connecticut.

BERNARD J KNABLE, 35107101, Staff Sergeant, Service Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Albany, Indiana.

JOHN J CHRZANOWSKI, 31006760, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 21 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Palmer, Massachusetts.

DONALD J BUTTENBERG, 32388055, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bloomfield, New Jersey.

WILLIAM G DOW, 39688620, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Wray, Colorado.

WILLIAM G FREEMON, 38506920, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Fort Smith, Arkansas.

THOMAS A LUCID, 01540669, Special Agent, 88th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jersey City, New Jersey.

DOMINICK J PASCUCCI, 33325050, Special Agent, 88th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment. For meritorious service in combat from January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

GEORGE J GENADOPOULAS, 35637488, Corporal, 379th Medical Collecting Company, 54th Medical Battalion, (then attached to 350th Infantry Regiment). For heroic achievement in action from 29 September 1944 to 4 October 1944, in Italy. Entered military service from Anawalt, West Virginia.

WALTER SELIMA, 31405824, Private First Class, Battery "C", 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat on 29 April 1945, near San Pietro in Gu, Italy. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Connecticut.

V - AWARD OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the first bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individual:

JAMES V MASONE, 01322352, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment, 7 October 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Maspeth, L. I., New York.

VI - AWARD OF THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individual:

EDWARD E MISENICZ, 33180733, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "B", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion, 22 April 1945, Italy. Entered military service from Scranton, Pennsylvania.

VII - AMENDMENTS

So much of Section II, General Orders No 93, this headquarters, dated 13 July 1945, awarding the Bronze Star Medal to Private First Class Luz Salinas, 38250623, Battery "C", 338th Field Artillery Battalion, is rescinded.

So much of Section II, General Orders No 79, this headquarters, dated 19 June 1945, awarding the Bronze Star Medal to Private Roy A Locke, Jr., 35772353, Company "I", 349th Infantry Regiment, is amended to read: Award, Posthumously, of the Bronze Star Medal.

So much of Section II, General Orders No 70, this headquarters, dated 5 June 1945 awarding the Bronze Star Medal to Private First Class Hershel J Wood, 38192381, Battery "A", 338th Field Artillery Battalion, is rescinded.

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GENERAL ORDERS)
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I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

JOHN P DELANEY, 31135666, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 21 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New Bedford, Massachusetts.

CHESTER L DOUGLAS, 38269682, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Custer City, Oklahoma.

II - AWARD OF THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individual:

WILLIAM F BERZINSKY, JR, 0344071, Captain, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion, 19 April 1945, Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

III - AMENDMENTS

So much of Section IV, General Orders Number 98, this headquarters, c.s., awarding the Bronze Star Medal to Staff Sergeant Frank J Yarzynski, 31143155, Battery "A", 338th Field Artillery Battalion is amended to read: Award of the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal.

So much of Section III, General Orders Number 98, this headquarters, c.s., awarding the Bronze Star Medal to Technical Sergeant George D Bobik, 32278618, Headquarters Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment is amended to read: Award of the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal.

So much of Section II, General Orders Number 96, this headquarters, c.s., awarding the Bronze Star Medal to First Lieutenant Alonzo R Newman, 01316580, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment is amended to read: Alonzo R Newnam, 01316580, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment.

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So much of Section II, General Orders Number 96, this headquarters, c.s., awarding the Bronze Star Medal to Technician Fifth Grade George T Gatley, 31137294, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment is amended to read: George T Gately, 31137294, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment.

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GENERAL ORDERS)
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I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

ARCHIE D. HOLTON, 0350609, Major, Infantry, 350th Inf. Regt. For heroic achievement in action on 28 April 1945, near Grantorto, Italy. Entered military service from Macon, Georgia.

ROBERT L. MEICHER, 0294980, Major, Infantry, G-3 Section, Hq. Repl. and Tng Comd., Mediterranean Theater of Operations. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 1 December 1944, in Italy. Entered military service from La Grange, Texas.

MANUEL MARTINEZ, W2120984, Warrant Officer Junior Grade, USA, Adjutant General's Office, Headquarters, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

THOMAS F. TURNER, W2121095, Warrant Officer Junior Grade, USA, Adjutant General's Office, Headquarters, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

JOHN W. SULLENBERGER, 34240808, Master Sergeant, Adjutant General's Office, Headquarters, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Miami, Florida.

JOHN F. KELLY, 32396561, Technical Sergeant, Adjutant General's Office, Headquarters, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

HAROLD W. POST, 32400975, Technical Sergeant, Adjutant General's Office, Headquarters, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Mineola, Long Island, New York.

CLEMENT F. HEISER, 37268978, Technician Third Grade, Adjutant General's Office, Headquarters, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Devils Lake, North Dakota.

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JACK M. STONE, 35626726, Technician Fourth Grade, Finance Office, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 22 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Columbus, Ohio.

EDMUND A. MAZUR, 32527605, Technician Fifth Grade, Finance Office, Headquarters, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 22 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military Service from Brooklyn, New York.

LEONARD G. MOSS, 01304772, First Lieutenant, Infantry, Headquarters Company, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 April 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Astoria, Long Island, New York.

II - AMENDMENTS

So much of Section IV, General Orders Number 98, this headquarters, cs, awarding the Bronze Star Medal to Private First Class Herbert R. Garner, 34872744, Company G, 349th Infantry Regiment is amended to read: Herbert R. Garner, 34874744, Private First Class, Company G, 349th Infantry Regiment.

So much of Section III, General Orders Number 102, this headquarters, cs, as pertains to Technical Sergeant George D. Bobik, 32278618, Headquarters, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment is rescinded.

So much of Section IV, General Orders Number 98, this headquarters, cs, awarding the Bronze Star Medal to Technical Sergeant George D. Bobik, 32278618, Headquarters, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment is amended to read: Award of the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal to Technical Sergeant George D. Bobik, 32270618, Headquarters, Second Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment.

So much of Section II, General Orders Number 88, this headquarters, cs, awarding the Bronze Star Medal to Albert F. Gerlovich, 37575213, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Signal Company is amended to read: Albert F. Gerlovich, 37575213, Private First Class, 88th Signal Company.

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I - AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individual:

JAMES E MILLER, 34827791, Staff Sergeant, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 16 April 1945, near Fazzanello, Italy. On this day, Sergeant MILLER voluntarily led an assault squad against fiercely defended enemy positions above Fazzanello after his company, in three unsuccessful attacks, had been thrown back with heavy losses. With admirable calm and superb skill, Sergeant MILLER brought his small but resolute group to within grenade range of several enemy dugouts when a cleverly concealed machine gun abruptly opened fire in an attempt to foil this bold maneuver. Undaunted, Sergeant MILLER ordered his men to take cover, and inched his way forward. Then with one well-aimed grenade tossed from a standing position, he silenced the gun. Following up this momentary advantage, he quickly grabbed a bazooka, moved through the hail of fire directed at him, and with unerring accuracy fired one round to completely destroy another emplacement. Only then did the full fury of the deeply entrenched foe break loose upon Sergeant MILLER and his squad. It was now clear that the enemy were greatly superior to his small force and he ordered them to withdraw to safety. Sergeant MILLER, however, moved boldly to the flank and by firing his rifle into the enemy positions succeeded in drawing the brunt of the enemy fire upon himself, distracting their attention from his squad. Suddenly he fell to the ground, shot by an unseen sniper. His outstanding initiative and superb courage coupled with his magnificent leadership not only saved the lives of his nine men but completely wiped out two dangerous enemy strongpoints. His actions add glory and honor to the gallant exploits of the fighting American Infantryman. Entered military service from Ft. McPherson, Georgia. Next of kin: James H Miller (Father), Rt #1, Dallas, Georgia.

II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

WILLIAM O HAGER, 35621327, First Sergeant, (then Sergeant), Company "I", 473d Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 22 October 1944, near Vedriano, Italy. Entered military service from Dayton, Ohio.

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NORRIS H STANSFIELD, 31215960, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 473d Infantry Regiment. For heroic achivement in action on 21 October 1944, near Vodriano, Italy. Entered military service from Sanford, Maine.

ROBERT A GURNEY, 31150180, Technical Sergeant, Company "H", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Vassalborough, Maine.

III AWARD OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individual:

CONSTANT SHISSIAS, 32597010, Private First Class, Company "A", 349th Infantry Regiment, 21 October 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Rutherford, New Jersey.

IV - AWARDS OF THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

GEORGE W KING, 34703912, Private First Class, Company "D", 349th Infantry Regiment, 17 July 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Bessemer, Alabama.

ORRIS E BOYD, 37677600, Private, Company "D", 349th Infantry Regiment, 17 May 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Radcliffe, Iowa.

GERALD J BURFORD, 35779907, Private, Company "L", 349th Infantry Regiment, 17 October 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Elkview, West Virginia.

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I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

SIDNEY HEYMAN, W2114343, Chief Warrant Officer, USA, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 15 November 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jersey City, New Jersey.

THOMAS F GRACE, 32303961, First Sergeant, Anti-Tank Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 28 February 1944 to 28 February 1945, in Italy.

II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

HUGO D SMELSER, 35505523, Sergeant, Office of the Commanding General, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Celina, Ohio.

ANTHONY J NARDI, 36533344, Technician Fourth Grade, Office of the Chief of Staff, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

JAMES W KIESLE, 01304533, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Indianapolis, Indiana.

WILLIAM T GRAHAM, 34374379, Technician Fourth Grade, Adjutant General's Section, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Memphis, Tennessee.

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CHARLES C POHLOD, 39385252, Technician Third Grade, Adjutant General's Section, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Helena, Montana.

JOSEPH E DROCCO, 39103732, Technician Fourth Grade, Adjutant General's Section, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

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I - AWARD OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to the following named individual:

RUDOLPH PASSERI, 33612739, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action from 6 October to 19 April 1945, in Italy. On the night of 6 December 1944, Private PASSERI's platoon was the objective of a strong enemy raiding party near Cassetta, Italy. The enemy attacked with full support, which isolated the platoon on the forward slopes of Mount Delle Formiche ridge line. When the enemy closed in, Private PASSERI was seen hurling grenades, firing his rifle and shouting challenges to the Germans. His outstanding conduct served as an inspiration to the men around him and the enemy was soon pushed back. On 9 December 1944, the platoon command post was set fire during a chemical barrage. The fire illuminated the area making it an easy target for further shelling. Private PASSERI climbed the broken timbers and proceeded to smother the fire with his jacket. Although severely burned on both hands and arms, he refused to be evacuated and accepted treatment from the company aid-man rather than leave his fighting comrades. Again on 7 January 1945 one man of a nearby combat patrol stepped on a mine which blew a foot off and seriously wounded him. When he heard the explosion, Private PASSERI started out into no-man's-land to give what aid he could. With the help of another soldier he found the two wounded men and carried them through the German mine fields in spite of heavy fire falling in the area. On the night of 19 April 1945, his company led the Second Battalion in attack near Marzabotto, Italy. The trails were narrow and treacherous and the night was very dark. Private PASSERI volunteered to be the guide for this operation. All night he kept the battalion moving at a rapid pace through the unknown territory. Within a hundred yards of his objective, an enemy machine gun opened fire on Private PASSERI, striking him in both legs and ankles and forcing him to the ground. With a great display of courage he returned the fire with his rifle and called the location of the enemy back to the platoon, although seriously wounded and unable to move. His fighting reputation remains an outstanding example to those who served with him. Entered military service from New Cumberland, Pennsylvania.

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II - AWARD OF THE SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to the following named individual:

WILLARD C STONER, 0438680, Captain, Medical Corps, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chagrin Falls, Ohio.

III - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

LOUIS R BUCKNER, 01285374, Captain, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 4 March 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Savannah, Georgia.

DAVID H SADLER, 0390044, Major, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rock Hill, South Carolina.

CICERO H DANIEL, 01165380, Major, Field Artillery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 April 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Mission, Texas.

HERBERT L SALISBURY, 31149033, Technician Fourth Grade, Company "B", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 February 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Providence, Rhode Island.

EDWARD F [illegible]TSCHLER, 32403438, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 2 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Nassau, New York.

LEO B LEONARD, 01691780, First Lieutenant, Corps of Military Police, Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 6 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Prince, Utah.

IV - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

ANTHONY J RODRIGUES, 31079571, Staff Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Clinton, Massachusetts.

ROBERT P WALLEK, 32013805, Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy.

LESTER C MOELLER, 32030041, Staff Sergeant, Company "A", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Buffalo, New York.

LEO F ECHALK, 13007712, First Sergeant, Service Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 1 May 1944 to 31 March 1945 in Italy. Entered military service from Duryea, Pennsylvania.

HAROLD B BARTLETT, 31115510, Technician Fourth Grade, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bennington, Vermont.

WILLIAM L McDOWELL, 01577548, Captain, Quartermaster Corps, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 6 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Okolona, Mississippi.

LEON H PHELPS, 32377464, Master Sergeant, Headquarters Company, II Corps, (formerly Headquarters 88th Infantry Division). For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Adams Center, New York.

THEODORE F EGLEN, 11103406, Staff Sergeant, (then sergeant), Company "B", 313th Medical Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 1 September 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Madison, Connecticut.

STANLEY F GADINSKI, 32403432, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 313th Engineer Combat Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Greenport Head, New York.

EMIL F ST[illegible]41042, Master Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

WILLIAM K CURRIE, 35175094, Technician Third Grade, Battery "B", 338th Field Artillery Battalion, (formerly 910th Field Artillery Battalion). For meritorious service in combat from 7 January 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Kendallville, Indiana.

CHARLES W MACCABEE, 32404901, Technical Sergeant, Service Battery, 339th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 7 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Tarrytown, New York.

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JOSEPH J DEMICHELE, 12091312, Technical Sergeant, Service Battery, 913th Field Artillery Battalion. For meritorious service in combat from 15 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Utica, New York.

V - AWARD OF THE SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individual

WILLIAM R BRAND, 38341559, Tecnician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment, 23 October 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Lakeford, California.

VI - AWARD OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individual:

WILLIAM R BRAND, 38341559, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment, 6 October 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Lakeford, California.

VII - AWARDS OF THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

WALTER L ALLEN, 6967723, Private First Class, Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division, 24 July 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Birmingham, Alabama.

WILLIAM G MURRAY, 38600900, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment, 29 December 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Hot Springs, Arkansas.

WALTER J MARLOWE, 01300670, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment, 27 September 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

JOHN F DIEPOLD, 33797164, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 349th Infantry Regiment, 23 October 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

EDWARD C PUJDA, 31143198, Private First Class, Company "H", 351st Infantry Regiment, 1 October 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Bridgeport, Connecticut.

HERMAN J KRONBACH, 37283339, Technician Fifth Grade, Company "A", 313th Engineer Combat Battalion, 16 April 1945, Italy. Entered military service from Lamberton, Minnesota.

VIII AMENDMENT

No action taken - previously Amended by GO 152, 28 July 45

So much of Section IV, General Orders No. 98, this headquarters, c.s., pertaining to Pfc Herbert R Garner, 34672744, Company "G", 349th Infantry Regiment is amended to read Pfc Herbert R Garner, 34374744, Company "G" 349th Infantry Regiment.

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I - AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF THE SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded, posthumously, to the following named individual:

HYMAN MARKEL, O-[redacted]58, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 351st Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action on 2 May 1945 near Roncegno, Italy. The first platoon of Company "L" was pinned down by heavy machine gun and rifle fire. The third platoon was on the right and although they were receiving a great deal of fire, Lieutenant MARKEL, leader of the third platoon, saw fit to maneuver elements of his platoon into position to relieve fire on platoon on the left. After the movement had started, Lieutenant MARKEL spotted a machine gun position directly to his front, which was laying down such deadly fire it was delaying the maneuver. Without regard for his personal safety, Lieutenant MARKEL rushed the firing machine gun and in so doing was wounded in the leg from sniper fire coming from his right flank. He fearlessly turned in the direction of the sniper and even though wounded, eliminated him with accurate carbine fire and continued on his assault of the machine gun position. Being handicapped by his painful wounds Lieutenant MARKEL'S movement was a little slow which allowed the enemy machine gunner to fire on him. Lieutenant MARKEL was again wounded, this time in the abdomen. Disregarding his serious wounds, he then directed the movement of one squad of his platoon in such a manner as to eliminate the enemy machine gun positions without casualties to his platoon. It was not until the enemy machine gun position was knocked out and his squad reorganized that Lieutenant MARKEL submitted himself to medical aid. He later died of his wounds, while being evacuated to the hospital. His gallantry and devotion to duty has won him the respect and admiration of all who fought with him. Entered military service from Rochester, New York. Next of kin: Mrs Celia B Markel, (wife), 137 Frederick Park, Rochester, New York.

II - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

FRANK A SCORZATO, 31251455, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 351st Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hartford, Connecticut.

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SALVATORE A MARTORANA, 12135733, Sergeant, Headquarters Special Troops, Fifth Army, (formerly Company "D", 313th Medical Battalion). For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Newark, New Jersey.

NOEL E BEEDE, 32372992, Sergeant, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Keene Valley, New York.

MICHAEL L EVANGELISTA, JR., 33489703, Staff Sergeant, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Allentown, Pennsylvania.

RAYMOND J SCHULER, 35486404, Private First Class, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 4 March 1944 to 5 February 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Evansville, Indiana.

THOMAS F O'KEEFE, 12091152, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Rye, New York.

CLINTON H EIGHTON, 31139402, Sergeant, 88th Quartermaster Company. For meritorious service in combat from 23 December 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Lynn, Massachusetts.

HAROLD STAFFU, 32002108, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from New York City, New York.

III AWARDS OF THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

JAMES L FERRIS, 36625046, Technician Fifth Grade, 88th Signal Company, 5 April 1945, Italy. Entered military service from Plano, Illinois.

RALPH M JENNINGS, 36686902, Private, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment, 9 July 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Streator, Illinois.

SYLVIA H SIMMONS, 40290, American Red Cross, 4 August 1944, Italy. Home address: Brooklyn, New York.

IV - AMENDMENT

So much of Section II, General Orders Number 112, this headquarters, dated 1 December 1944, awarding the Purple Heart to Private Ralph M Jennings, 36686902, Company "F", 349th Infantry Regiment is amended to read "Award of the bronze oak leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart".

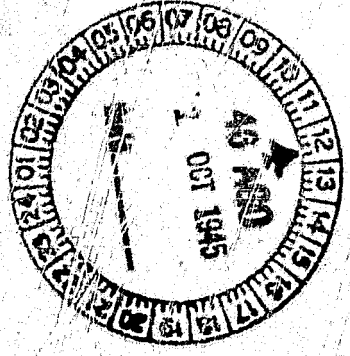
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I - AWARD OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individual:

SAMUEL LEIBMAN, W2114349, Chief Warrant Officer, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Bronx, New York.

II - AWARDS OF THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

JOSEPH H BURGERT, 36297327, Sergeant, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment, 29 April 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

JOHN H BISHOP, 01062468, First Lieutenant, Infantry, 350th Infantry Regiment, 17 April 1945, Italy. Entered military service from Mansfield, Ohio.

JOSEPH E SILVA, 32400856, Technical Sergeant, Medical Detachment, 350th Infantry Regiment, 2 October 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Brooklyn, New York.

WILLIAM R ZION, 39119669, Private First Class, Company "F", 351st Infantry Regiment, 27 November 1944, Italy. Entered military service from San Mateo, California.

III - AMENDMENT

So much of Section II, General Orders Number 121, this headquarters, dated 26 December 1944, as pertains to the Award of the Purple Heart to Sergeant Joseph H Burgent, 36297327, Company "M", 351st Infantry Regiment, is amended to read: "Award of the bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart".

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I - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

OLIVER O STOUT, 0392192, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 5 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Seattle, Washington.

LEO RABENS, 36764563, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Special Troops, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 10 July 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

DONALD E REARDON, 36641933, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 11 May 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

JOHN GRAY, 19109387, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Warren, Arizona.

BILLIE CLARK, 38289289, Technician Fourth Grade, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Little Rock, Arkansas.

BENJAMIN R TOWNSEND, 01289511, First Lieutenant, Judge Advocate General's Department, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 1 January 1945 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Haverford, Pennsylvania.

RALPH J JORDAN, 35438359, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Beckley, West Virginia.

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II - AWARD OF THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individual:

EDWARD A CHINART, 33700244, Private First Class, Company "G", 350th Infantry Regiment, 6 October 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

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I - AWARDS OF THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS

By direction of the President and by authority of Commanding General MTOUSA, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Distinguished Service Cross is awarded to the following named individual:

SHER ALI, 23254, Sepoy, 1st Battalion, 2nd Punjab Regiment, for extraordinary heroism in action against the enemy on 22 February 1945 in the vicinity of San Clemente, Italy. A patrol of the 1st Battalion of the Punjab Regiment was ordered to raid an enemy post in a haystack which was on a ridge, the forward slopes of which were covered by heavy enemy artillery fire. This ridge was in commanding position on the main road of San Clemente and Castel San Pietro and held by a strong enemy force. After very difficult movement over the exposed terrain, the patrol was able to reach the rear of the haystack where three enemy slit trenches were located. The patrol commander divided his party into three groups of two men each and ordered them to attack these trenches. Sepoy SHER ALI was in the center group. He valiantly rushed to the middle slit trench and killed one occupant with his bayonet, forcing the other occupants to surrender. On the return journey towards their own lines, they were confronted by fifteen enemy soldiers heavily armed with machine pistols and grenades. This valiant patrol immediately took up the attack and Sepoy SHER ALI at great risk to his own life rushed forward bayonetting two of the enemy while his fellow patrol members killed three others. In the furious fighting that ensued one member of the patrol was killed and two wounded and it was at once apparent that the patrol must withdraw or be completely annihilated by the enemy. Sepoy SHER ALI, taking the initiative, told his two remaining comrades to get away while he covered their withdrawal. Remaining behind in the advance of desperate odds and almost certain death, he managed to repel this superior force of the enemy who outnumbered him five to one, and then made his own escape to rejoin his comrades. Sepoy SHER ALI's magnificient display of conspicuous gallantry was a source of pride and inspiration to all members of his regiment. His leadership was of a very high order and his risk of life in the performance of these acts was in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service. His actions were of material assistance to the advancement of the Allied cause and reflects great credit upon himself and the Allied Forces.

II - AWARDS OF THE SILVER STAR

By direction of the President under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45 the Silver Star is awarded to the following named individuals:

D. S. ALLHUSEN, 62875, Major, 9th Queen's Royal Lancers. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Italy on 7 December 1945. On the 7th of December 1945 "B" Squadron 9th Lancers was supporting the 169th Infantry Brigade in their advance on Faenza. The enemy was contacted in force some 500 yards north and northeast of the main crossroads south of Faenza. Heavy losses were inflicted on the infantry forces and they were not able to provide adequate protection for the tanks. Major ALLHUSEN knowing the importance of the vital road junction determined to hold it at all costs. Organizing his tank crews in a defensive position he secured the position throughout the night until 0400 when the infantry arrived with assistance. At that time the advance was continued. On one occasion the forward tank was knocked out by a German Tiger tank. Major ALLHUSEN at once drove his tank forward in the open and engaged the Tiger tank at point blank range, forcing the German tank to withdraw. For the next four days Major ALLHUSEN led his tanks in continous and close contact with the enemy, often making reconnaissance under heavy fire. His gallantry throughout this engagement was an inspiration to all those who witnessed his action and reflects great credit upon himself and the military service.

JOHN PETER DU CROZ, 113192, Major, 15th Field Regiment, ROYAL ARTILLERY. The Silver Star for gallantry in action against the enemy in Italy. Since the 10th Indian Division came to Italy, Major DU CROZ has commanded the battery normally in support of the 2/4 GURKHA RIFLES. He has been responsible for the control of fire plans and artillery support in all battles which his battalion has been engaged. During this time Major DU CROZ made frequent reconnaissance of the frontline areas under heavy enemy shell fire in order to secure fire control data and to insure that the infantry troops he was supporting received a maximum effect of artillery support. Throughout the entire period in combat Major DU CROZ has exhibited outstanding gallantry in action and has shown utter disregard for his own personal safety. His service under fire and devotion to duty reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

LT. MARTIN RICHARD HARRIS, 228660, Reconnaissance Officer, 578 Field Company, 13th Corps Engineers. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Italy on the 29th of October 1944, and the 24th of August 1944. Lieutenant HARRIS' duties as reconnaissance officer required him to go with the leading elements of friendly troops in order to collect and send back engineer information to his company to enable it to prepare for the many and varied engineer tasks required to maintain the forward movement of the fighting troops. On the 29th of October 1944, Lieutenant HARRIS went forward to reconnoiter and plans for a bridge over the Montone River at Rocca S. Cascinno on route 67 which had to be opened as soon as possible to effect communications with the British 8th Army. Lieutenant HARRIS with his party arrived at the river bank and began preparations for passing a line across the river to the opposite bank held by the enemy. The party embarked in a boat carrying the line. As they proceeded across the river under direct observation from the enemy who began laying down a concentration of artillery fire., several shells landed in the river in close proximity to the boat, but despite the danger from the exploding shells and shell fragments, Lieutenant HARRIS by his splendid example led his men across the river, successfully passing the line to the enemy bank and making the necessary measurements and design for a new bridge. Previously on the 24th of

August 1944, Lieutenant HARRIS again displayed gallantry in action when an enemy heavy calibre shell concentration caused seven casualties to a construction party on the Ponte Vittoris, Florence, Italy. Lieutenant HARRIS immediately took command of the situation and despite the continued shelling organized the evacuation of the wounded. His courage and example were at all times an inspiration to his men and are in keeping with the best traditions of the military service.

SAPPER WILLIAM JAMES PAUL, 14514785, 578 Field Company, 13th Corps Troop Engineers. For gallantry in action against the enemy in ITALY early in the evening of 14 August 1944. Sapper PAUL was a member of a working party engaged in construction of the final pier of a 420 foot span bridge on highway 2 over the ARNO River in FLORENCE at the site of the PONTE VITTORIA. The enemy held the high ground to the north overlooking FLORENCE and possessed excellent observation of the bridge site. Sapper PAUL had been engaged in the construction of this bridge for ten days. During this time intermittent shell fire made the work extremely hazardous. Early in the evening of 14 August 1944, the enemy laid down a heavy concentration of fire on the site. Several rounds landed in and around the partially completed bridge, the officer in charge was killed instantly, three non-commissioned officers and four other men were seriously wounded. Sapper PAUL took charge of the situation supervising the evacuation of the wounded men to the south side of the river where it was possible to procure medical aid. Sapper PAUL immediately rejoined a new working party and returned to the bridge site even though enemy shells were still falling in the area. His unflinching courage and devotion to duty aided materially in accomplishing this important mission. His actions reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

WILLIAM LINDSAY STEELE, 32152, Lt. Colonel, then Major, 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards. Major STEELE was acting commanding officer of the 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards which relieved elements of the 88th American Infantry Division MT. BATTAGLIA on the night of 3 October 1944. Lt. Col. STEELE had insisted on going to the forward company positions during the day in order to carry out a successful reconnaissance. On several occasions enemy artillery shells exploded close by narrowly missing him. The relief was accomplished that night while rain was falling and visibility was extremely limited and while the Germans were launching a counter attack against the American troops. Despite these difficulties, Lt. Col. STEELE calmly completed his orders to his operations group and set up his command post. The relief was effectively completed although numerous casualties were sustained. For the next 20 days elements of his battalion were continuously in these positions, exposed to almost constant harrassing artillery fire and small arms fire. He and his men living in mud, rain, cold, and fog. Yet despite all these difficulties and adverse conditions Lt. Col. STEELE maintained an encouraging and cheerful attitude. On many occasions he went long hours without sleep in order to insure that everything possible was being done for the comfort of his men and every provision made for defending and holding this important terrain feature. When the battalion was relieved on the night of 23-24 October, Lt. Col. STEELE organized the evacuation of casualties from his command post which had received a direct hit during the relief. He was the last man to walk off MT. BATTAGLIA and he completed his task by seeing that all of his men were made as comfortable as possible in their reserve area before he himself would consent to rest. During this whole operation Lt. Col. STEELE time and again showed absolute disregard for his own safety in his efforts to encourage his men and to make

certain that this vital feature was withheld from the enemy. His actions reflect credit upon himself and typify the finest traditions of the military service.

Capt. (via citation)

ROBERT BATESON SMITH, 134646, 75th Heavy Regiment, Royal Artillery, for gallantry in action against the enemy in the vicinity of Marradi, Italy. On the night of 7 October 1944, the 504 Battery was engaged in an all night fire mission in support of attacks launched by the 8th Indian and 1st British Divisions. Rain was falling almost continuously and the night was cold. The enemy harassed the battery area with heavy and medium shells during the entire night and laid down two heavy concentrations during the second of which a shell landed close to one of the gun positions slightly damaging the gun, killing one man and wounding several others. Despite other shells falling in the immediate vicinity Captain SMITH left his covered position and went to the aid of his injured men. Throughout the night he displayed the same utter disregard for his life and exhibited outstanding coolness and bravery under fire by going from one gun position to another encouraging his men by his personal example of energy and cheerfulness. It was largely due to his efforts that fire missions were sucessfully completed notwithstanding the appalling weather conditions and extreme fatigue of all the men. His actions reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

JOHN PAIN, 1459598, Lance Sergeant, 2/6th Battalion, Queen's Royal Regiment. For gallantry in action during the period of 1 March 1945 and 3 March 1945. On the 1st of March, Lance Sergeant PAIN was ordered to dig a hole through the Senio River dyke with the object of obtaining a position from which he could observe the enemy on the other side of the dyke. After making a tunnel several yards long Lance Sergeant PAIN broke through the bank on the enemy side in close proximity to a German soldier who was manning a machine gun. Before the German could get his gun in operation Lance Sergeant PAIN rushed the position armed only with a shovel. In the face of this heroic charge, the German retreated leaving the gun which Lance Sergeant PAIN picked up and carried back through the tunnel. Two days later Lance Sergeant PAIN was commanding his section which was occupying a position the the Senio dyke on the extreme left of his battalion. The battalion on his left was carrying out an attack on the river line when a German machine gun about 100 yards to the left of Lance Sergeant PAIN opened fire on the attacking infantry. The enemy gun was well dug in and there was no cover between the dyke and the ground. Notwithstanding the fact that the enemy had excellent observation, Lance Sergeant PAIN advanced toward the gun and threw two grenades into the enemy position, killing one German, wounding another, and forcing two to withdraw. He advanced on the position firing his tommy gun at the retreating Germans, then picked up the enemy gun and carried it back to his own section. Lance Sergeant PAIN's complete disregard for his own personal safety and his devotion to duty have been an inspiration and example to all those who know of his deeds. His actions reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

JOHN MONTAGU SUTTON, 948192, Sergeant, 3rd Survey Regiment, Royal Artillery. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Italy. Sergeant SUTTON was the non-commissioned officer in command of a Flash Spotting Observation Post established on M. CECO in Italy from the 15th to the 20th of October 1944. At this time the Germans were harrassing our troops with artillery fire. It was of the utmost importance that hostile batteries responsible for this fire be silenced. As a result of Sergeant SUTTON's efforts, 120 hostile batteries were located. His work was accomplished under extremely adverse weather conditions and under prolonged periods of artillery and mortar fire. In addition he was frequently subjected to small arms fire from enemy snipers. In spite of all these difficulties Sergeant SUTTON remained at his post continously and his flash spotting of enemy batteries was of great assistance in lessening hostile artillery fire on friendly troops. His courage and bravery were an inspiration to all those who witnessed his accomplishments. His action reflects great credit upon himself and the military service.

THINGARJU, 13178, Subedar, 61st Indian Field Company, IE. For gallantry in action against the enemy in Italy. On October 8 1944, in the vicinity of Sogliano Subedar THINGARJU was with a detachment engaged in the construction of a Bailey bridge. The enemy succeeded in pushing back the covering parties and the bridge was subject to accurate and intense mortar and small arms fire. At this time the bridge was in process of being launched and the officer in charge decided that the bridge must be completed at all cost. Subedar THINGARJU stood on the bridge fully exposed to the enemy fire transmitting the officer's orders and encouraging the men. It was largely due to his personal efforts that the bridge was completed. Again on the night of 28 February 1945 when company headquarters was located in a Nisson hut in the Sillaro Valley, the hut received a direct hit killing five and wounding twelve others. In spite of the continued shell fire Subedar THINGARJU rushed immediately to the aid of the wounded personnel. This utter disregard for his own personal safety and his calm bearing under enemy fire have been an inspiration to all ranks. His actions reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

III - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

By direction of the President the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individuals:

EVAN ELLIS ANTHONY, 3960765, War Substantive Sergeant, Royal Armored Corps, 44th Reconnaissance Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 5-6 February 1944, in the vicinity of Casa Manorosi, Italy.

FREDERICK WILLIAM BROCKWAY, 2035035, Lance Sergeant, 13 Corps Engineers. For meritorious service in combat from 1 September 1944 to 31 October 1944, in Italy.

R. G. S. FARRANTS, 166734, Captain, R E Engineer Intelligence Section 13th British Corps. For meritorious service in combat from 18 August 1944 to 15 October 1944, in Italy.

JOHN MARTIN HESKETH, 86373, T/Captain, 78 (DLOY) Medium Regiment Royal Artillery. For meritorious service in combat during the advance from Florence through the Gothic Line in Italy.

MIAN KHAN, 28205-IO, Subedar, 4th Battalion, 10th Baluch Regiment. For heroic achievement in combat from 8 October 1944 to 19 October 1944 in the vicinity of Monte Reale, Italy.

SHAMURGH KHAN, 21097, Sepoy, 3rd Battalion, 1st Punjab Regiment. For heroic achievement in action against the enemy in the vicinity of Cesena, Italy on 17 October 1944.

GEORGE LECKEY, 344230, Sergeant, 9th Battalion Royal Fusiliers. For heroic achievement in combat on 23 December 1944 in the vicinity of Caseba, Italy.

SAMUEL MITCHELL, 974895, L/Bdr, 78th Medium Regiment Royal Artillery. For meritorious service in combat in Italy.

H. R. WATTS, 932454, W/Bdr, 3rd Survey Regiment Royal Artillery. For meritorious service in combat from 18 August 1944 to 15 December 1944 in Italy.

ROBERT VICTOR WORSFOLD, 941891, W/Sgt, 113th Field Regiment Royal Artillery. For meritorious service in combat from 1 September 1944 to 31 December 1944 in Italy.

HUGH ARNOLD VAN ZWANENBERG, 137973, W/Lt., CRO 13 Corps Royal Artillery. For meritorious service in combat from 18 August 1944 to 12 December 1944 in Italy.

EDWARD L CIEJEK, 31127031, Sergeant, 88th QM Company, 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 3 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Springfield, Massachusetts.

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16 October 1945

ORIGINAL ORDER

I - AWARD OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individual:

ELLER B HOOVER, 0516713, Chaplain (Captain), First Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in combat from 30 [illegible] to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Altoona, Pennsylvania.

II - AWARD OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individual:

JOSEPH BARCIAK, 11072838, Technician Fourth Grade, Office of the Assistant Division Commander, Headquarters 88th Infantry Division. For meritorious service in combat from 5 March 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy.

III - AWARDS OF THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

SHERRILL H CARVER, 36888098, Private First Class, Company "L", 350th Infantry Regiment, 18 October 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

LESLIE WHITE, 35437813, Private First Class, Company "K", 350th Infantry Regiment, 15 April 1945, Italy. Entered military service from Chapmansville, West Virginia.

EDWARD STUPKA, 35765522, Sergeant, Service Company, 135th Infantry Regiment, 34th Infantry Division, 15 July 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Cleveland, Ohio.

IV - AWARD OF THE COMBAT MEDICAL BADGE

Under the provisions of WD Circular Number 229, dated 28 July 1945, the Combat Medical badge is awarded to the following named individuals for satisfactory performance of duty under actual combat conditions.

DAVID BENETSKY, 32821256, Private First Class, Co A, 313th Medical Battalion.

THOMAS G DI SILVESTIO, 36648112, Private First Class, Co A & B, 313th Medical Battalion.

GLEN E J OSICKA, 36735697, Technician Fifth Grade, Co A 313th Medical Battalion.

JACOB L BELGEY, 33831473, Private First Class, Co C 313th Medical Battalion.

V - AMENDMENTS

So much of Section IV, General Orders Number 16, this headquarters, dated 10 February 1945, as rescinded the award of the Bronze Star Medal heretofore awarded to Master Sergeant Emil F Stoklasa, 36074[illegible], Headquarters Battery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion, by Section IV, General Orders Number 93, this headquarters, dated 30 October 1944, is rescinded.

So much of Section I, General Orders Number 55, this headquarters, dated 14 May 1945, which posthumously promoted Technician Fifth Grade Bernard Stach, [illegible] Artillery, as reads, "[illegible] April 1945, is amended to read, killed in action on 21 [illegible]."

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GENERAL ORDERS)
: 15 November 1945
NUMBER 120)

ORIGINAL ORDER

I - AWARD OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named individual:

LEO J CROWLEY, 0525206, Captain (Chaplain), Headquarters, 349th Infantry Regiment. For meritorious service in support of combat operations from 15 October 1944 to 2 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Syracuse, New York.

II - AWARD OF THE SECOND BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individual:

RICHARD P LIVELY, 0283172, Lieutenant Colonel, Field Artillery, 338th Field Artillery Battalion, 8 January 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Dallas, Texas.

III - AWARD OF THE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart is awarded to the follwoing named individual:

JOHN E DWYER, 42092313, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment, 19 November 1944, Italy.

IV - AWARDS OF THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

ROBERT A WALCHSHAUSER, 37623142, Private First Class, Headquarters, First Battalion, 349th Infantry Regiment, 31 May 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Affton, Missouri.

DOUGLAS CAMPBELL, 32388961, Private First Class, Company "E", 349th Infantry Regiment, 1 November 1944, Italy. Entered military service from South Orange, New Jersey.

DONACIANO D MONTOYA, 39390662, Private First Class, Company "I", 350th Infantry Regiment, 29 September 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Manassa, Colorado.

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JOHN E DWYER, 42092313, Private First Class, Company "E", 351st Infantry Regiment, 26 October 1944, Italy.

FELIX P BURAKIEWICZ, 32392661, Staff Sergeant, Company "G", 351st Infantry Regiment, 12 May 1944, Italy.

V - AWARD OF THE SOLDIER'S MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to the following named individual:

JOSEPH DEL MEDICO, 35604325, Private First Class, Military Police Platoon, 88th Infantry Division. For heroism not involving actual conflict with an enemy on 22 July 1945 near Desenzano, Italy. Private DEL MEDICO and three comrades were bathing in a lake. While the other three soldiers were scattered about out in deep water about 60 yards from shore, one of them was suddenly overcome by severe cramps in his body which rendered him incapable of reaching shallow water under his own volition. Only one soldier was near at the time and did not realize the danger the disabled soldier was in. Private DEL MEDICO who was on the lake shore became actutely aware of the perilious circumstances, and dived into the water to go to the drowning man's rescue. In the meantime, one of the other soldiers became aware of the man's completely helpless and dazed condition but his efforts of rescue were to no avail. Private DEL MEDICO speedily reached the man and with skill quickly towed him to the beach. Because of Private DEL MEDICO'S quick action the fellow soldier quickly regained consciousness and artificial respiration was not necessary. Private DEL MEDICO'S prompt action, alert thinking, and outstanding heroism undoubtedly saved his fellow soldier's life and is in keeping with the highest and finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Akron, Ohio.

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I - AWARDS OF THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45 as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individuals:

PRESTON K HENDRIX, 38250560, Corporal, Company "I", 351st Infantry Regiment, 14 May 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Ganago, Texas.

GEORGE D RODARTE, 39547523, Private, Company "K", 351st Infantry Regiment, 25 July 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

II - AWARD OF THE COMBAT MEDICAL BADGE

Under the provisions of WD Circular Number 229, dated 28 July 1945, the Combat Medical Badge is retroactively awarded to the following named officer for satisfactory duty performed under actual combat conditions from 4 March 1944 to 14 April 1944, in Italy.

CAPT GILBERT O SEWALL 0484625 Hq 88th Inf Div

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AWARD OF THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45 as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individual:

VICTOR J YUODZUKINAS, 36856673, Private First Class, 788th Ordnance Company, 20 October 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan.

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ORIGINAL ORDER [illegible] 24 December 1945

AWARD OF THE PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following named individual:

GEORGE R SINGLETON JR, 0533728, Captain, 313th Engineer Battalion, 11 October 1944, Italy. Entered military service from Jacksonville, Texas.

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