

R E S T R I C T E DHEADQUARTERS 7TH ARMORED DIVISION
APO 257, U. S. ARMY

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7 May 1945

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NUMBER.....76)

AWARDS OF COMBAT INFANTRYMAN BADGE

I. VOCC 22 Aug 44 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 186, 11 May 1944, to the following named enlisted men, present and former members, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

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| Sgt Lloyd R. Hadley 37191119 Hq Co | Pvt Louis Harzstark 32228299 Co C |
| Pfc Kermit W. Smith 34263189 Co C | Pvt Robert J. Jones 39862902 Hq Co |
| Pvt Kenneth D. Partlett 38516307 Co C | Pvt Lee R. Potter 38075599 Co C |

II. VOCC 30 Sep 44 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 186, 11 May 1944, to the following named enlisted men, present and former members, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

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| T Sgt Howard E. Rary 34254895 | Pfc Michael L. Cahill 32257194 |
| S Sgt Leslie L. Herzog 37075759 | Pfc Gerard J. Lanthier 32214887 |
| S Sgt Andrew Renovitch Jr 32227545 | Pfc George G. Martin 35425512 |
| Sgt William P. Galligan 31063937 | Pfc Henry R. Taylor 38542769 |
| Tec 5 William F. Freeman 35475051 | Pfc James W. Valentine 34254385 |
| Tec 5 George Giza 32226222 | |

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| S Sgt Michael Pasternak 32253116 | Pfc Lora V. Sapp 35375131 |
| S Sgt Robert C. Pate 34253059 | Pfc Herman Smith 14017174 |
| S Sgt Thomas J. Price Jr 34254834 | Pfc Francis C. Throneburg 34254352 |
| S Sgt Randolph J. Reynolds 34240402 | Pfc Thomas E. Tramell 34498992 |
| S Sgt A. B. Wallace 38079269 | Pfc Edward H. Tyburski 35300063 |
| S Sgt Edward C. Wolf 36313867 | Pvt Eugene C. Baier 36621183 |
| Sgt Adam A. Iingo 36621207 | Pvt Harold Casden 32249327 |
| Sgt Domenico Perri 33161883 | Pvt Buster Chavis 34253669 |
| Tec 5 Daniel T. Riordan 32227501 | Pvt John F. Dubicki 32246526 |
| Pfc Louis Benedetto 31102789 | Pvt Albert J. Flintzer 42048698 |
| Pfc Clittles P. Burden 38152234 | Pvt Gordon L. Flohr 35456375 |
| Pfc Alvy L. Case 34272882 | Pvt Ernest S. Forbes 33158832 |
| Pfc Ralph R. DePlasio 32235002 | Pvt Charles H. Grooms 34007158 |
| Pfc Louis Einhorn 32247269 | Pvt Leroy Leach 14022126 |
| Pfc Benedict S. Gabriel 36706462 | Pvt Edward T. Lussa 36710381 |
| Pfc Mecom Gregory 14017236 | Pvt John J. McCarthy 32296489 |
| Pfc Adam Guillory 34236214 | Pvt Daniel J. McHugh 33139566 |
| Pfc Ralph D. Hartwell 36502056 | Pvt Milt H. Miller 34254566 |
| Pfc Thomas F. Kicos 35273872 | Pvt Nathan Milligan 34253497 |
| Pfc Ray Killian 34890281 | Pvt Peter Moschetta 32153573 |
| Pfc Fred J. Koster 36611594 | Pvt Mike R. Obrin 33168013 |
| Pfc Forrest R. Ludwig 33833177 | Pvt Luther F. Potts 34254717 |
| Pfc John B. McBurney 32140364 | Pvt Lawrence D. Schaffer 35274965 |
| Pfc William R. McShan 14071000 | Pvt John Soma 36037620 |
| Pfc Anthony T. Cleardi 32253359 | Pvt Harry E. Spieler 37534163 |
| Pfc John A. Farlier 34254249 | Pvt Samuel L. Stevens 34138930 |
| Pfc Maurice E. Robinson 32253197 | Pvt Charles D. Wyatt 37328669 |

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| S Sgt Charles T. Rushing Jr 38033137 | Pvt Elmer D. Connell 34254857 |
| Sgt Mathew J. Camilli 32227464 | Pvt Mason E. Darnell 15089881 |
| Pfc Thaddeus A. Babinski 35111617 | Pvt Julio J. Dicello 36883011 |
| Pfc William E. Daniels 34499074 | Pvt Herbert F. Evans 34262955 |
| Pfc Earl Charles 37108399 | Pvt Clarence L. Gerry Jr 32298861 |
| Pfc Louis J. Gamiere 35306839 | Pvt Frank G. Holmes 35300261 |
| Pfc Hubert L. Hale 34280726 | Pvt Harold G. Leibensberger 39244503 |
| Pfc Frederick R. Heintz 32268689 | Pvt Allen Moore 34138691 |
| Pfc Earnest L. Jackson 34263743 | Pvt Ellwood T. Mosley 34851842 |
| Pfc Willie S. Jarrell 34253403 | Pvt Coy Paramore 34197112 |
| Pfc Frank J. Kapica 35300466 | Pvt Grover C. Porder 14062500 |
| Pfc John A. Keller 32249190 | Pvt Fletcher J. Powell 34498876 |
| Pfc Steve J. Macucki 16064903 | Pvt Clarence F. Surline 16061745 |
| Pfc William A. Osborn 34262420 | |

III. WOCG 14 Oct 44 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 186, 11 May 1944, to the following named enlisted men, present and former members, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

HO CO

Sgt Joseph S. Calabrese 33328173

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| S Sgt Morris J. Chase 36148040 | Pfc William L. Walters 34262778 |
| S Sgt Joseph M. Doss 38043891 | Pvt Sterling L. Anderson 33141707 |
| S Sgt Ernest Rose 14092494 | Pvt Samuel E. Leeman Jr 38079304 |
| Pfc Louis Belaski 32247404 | Pvt Frank Jakubek 37176860 |
| Pfc Alfred R. Galasso 32257465 | Pvt John L. Marr 34263928 |
| Pfc Charles A. Garlington 37258337 | Pvt Roy Petty Jr 38533662 |
| Pfc Earl W. George 33148667 | Pvt James T. Sieber 33728958 |
| Pfc Norris C. Neek 14092477 | |

IV. WOCG 29 Oct 44 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 408, 17 October 1944, to the following named enlisted men, present and former members, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

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| Cpl Albert C. Brown 35425341 Co C | Pvt John S. Fuller 34263855 Co C |
| Tec 5 Fred W. Grabski 33149021 Co C | Pvt Lewis W. Peoples 34254867 Hq Co |
| Pfc Arles F. Perkins 36835677 Hq Co | |

V. WOCG 1 Nov 44 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 408, 17 October 1944, to the following named enlisted men, present and former members, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

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| T Sgt Stanley J. Siedlik 37120209 | Pfc George W. Lewis 35265115 |
| S Sgt Oliver B. Hayes 14011154 | Pfc Gari F. Miller 36883810 |
| S Sgt Hipolito G. Perez 36117974 | Pfc Edd McDonald 38079958 |
| S Sgt Carl E. Swanson 32253413 | Pfc Jerry W. Shanahan 37576668 |
| S Sgt John Zwieracki 32253090 | Pfc Jack R. Shook 34250270 |
| Sgt Jephthay W. Evans 39021440 | Pfc Luther Speight 34253077 |
| Cpl Joseph Terenna 32253372 | Pfc Joseph W. Tkacz 31103547 |
| Tec 5 John M. Chyzanoskae 31103443 | Pfc John F. Williams 34254203 |
| Tec 5 Vincent L. Lurdrigen 32249345 | Pfc Henry F. Wullschleger 38079984 |
| Tec 5 Joseph C. Vines 34253492 | Pvt Adrian S. Bronzell 36706562 |
| Tec 5 John Piraino 32288968 | Pvt Fatsy L. Ferraro 32248445 |
| Pfc Anthony Colon 32249315 | Pvt John R. Gonzales 39406068 |
| Pfc Jerome R. Downs 34273402 | Pvt Joseph O. Hilbert 35475008 |
| Pfc Dennis R. Flick 15101460 | Pvt Bill J. Jaeger 33899959 |
| Pfc Claf H. Hansen 32343022 | Pvt Stanley I. Jaroszewski 32264712 |
| Pfc Harley E. Inman 36169594 | Pvt Anthony J. Staats 12047026 |
| Pfc Ted Leffew 34499010 | Pvt Richard F. Williamson 39709040 |

VI. VOCC 21 Dec 44 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 408, 17 October 1944, to the following named enlisted men, present and former members, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

Sgt John T. Pszczolkowski 35023030 Co B Tec 5 James W. Foster 34191049 Co C
Tec 5 Lawrence T. Emily 37180275 Co C

VII. VOCC 20 Jan 45 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 408, 17 October 1944, to the following named enlisted men, present and former members, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

S. Sgt Leo B. J. Pogeler 37195828 Hq Co Pvt Patrick Ferreault 31064089 Co C
Pfc Lonnie C. Hinson 34263046 Co C

VIII. VOCC 27 Feb 45 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 408, 17 October 1944, to the following named enlisted men, present and former members, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

Tec 5 Raymond H. Neff 33136829 Co C Pvt Jesse T. Hinton 34264098 Co C

IX. VOCC 26 Mar 45 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 408, 17 October 1944, to the following named enlisted men, present and former members, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

HQ CO

Pfc Elmer A. Naibert 36278134

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| T Sgt Adolph Yackel 6934917 | Pfc Aloysius A. Szynal 36556502 |
| Sgt William B. Holser 37222434 | Pfc Leonides M. Villa 38104839 |
| Sgt Edmond F. McCabe 12092293 | Pfc Arthur Youngblood 38336633 |
| Sgt Estill Staples 35715835 | Pfc Wilbur R. Youngblood 34839694 |
| Sgt Eugene B. Wilson 34333799 | Pvt Virgil L. B. Capehart 34266050 |
| Cpl Stafford L. Edwards 34314057 | Pvt Carlos C. Carrillo 36992342 |
| Cpl Charles M. Robinson 39272973 | Pvt Manuel Freitas Jr 39040880 |
| Cpl Earl Whitwell Jr 20740319 | Pvt Morris L. Greenberg 36633393 |
| Pfc James C. Corley 34200097 | Pvt Willie A. Lucero 38166363 |
| Pfc Clark H. Dunlap 31401630 | Pvt Norman C. Polites 33923646 |
| Pfc Robert E. Harris 42024262 | Pvt Dean F. Potts 35906419 |
| Pfc Robert A. Higgins 31434267 | Pvt Arthur P. Roy 31434111 |
| Pfc Earl O. Hilton 31401657 | Pvt Robert H. Sherman 36473224 |
| Pfc George Kinney 38119635 | Pvt Clarence A. Siegworth 37697563 |
| Pfc Kenneth W. Larsen 17050255 | Pvt Bill Spradlin 38322523 |
| Pfc George L. Morgan 38166342 | Pvt Jesse W. Sutton 14031685 |
| Pfc Charles L. Petty 37723543 | Pvt Russell A. Wagner 36420591 |
| Pfc Robert M. Reed 31401641 | Pvt Edward R. Van Vliet 12165784 |
| Pfc Charles W. Russell 35906539 | Pvt John Welsh 15377031 |
| Pfc Fred B. Sherrill 33857986 | Pvt Homer T. Yawn 34357259 |

X. VOCCG 23 Apr 45 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 408, 17 October 1944, to the following named officer and enlisted men, present and former members, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

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| Sgt Felix T. Guerrieri 33169809 | Pfc Philip L. Vinkemulder 36474169 |
| Sgt Milburn Q. Wilson Jr 39699759 | Pfc Joseph J. Warrish 36910721 |
| Pfc Amon H. Adkins 36910499 | Pfc Murray K. Ward 39379081 |
| Pfc Wyatt G. Barlow 33857001 | Pfc Alvin Winegard 12110608 |
| Pfc Maurice W. Batman 36909307 | Pfc Florian S. Writz 36814248 |
| Pfc George O. Decker Jr 33909737 | Pvt James D. Burr 36474149 |
| Pfc Samuel Mozelman 32625584 | Pvt Theodore E. Dally 36474240 |
| Pfc Herman B. Seal 44015767 | Pvt William G. Walker 44010845 |
| Pfc William J. Upton 42186034 | |

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| 2D LT FRANCIS E. LAWRENCE 01327633 Inf | Cpl Leo E. Richmond 16168748 |
| Sgt Samuel J. Ditello 31347532 | Cpl Sylvester F. Rohling 37542284 |
| Sgt Ralph Grieco 31384291 | Cpl Charles R. Rowan 36123108 |
| Sgt Joseph E. Kent 6263061 | Cpl Paul Smith 31445940 |
| Sgt Loren M. Miller 38296307 | Tec 5 Joel W. Fewell 34189018 |
| Sgt James D. Nelson 35581490 | Tec 5 Robert A. Spinnerweber 33267857 |
| Sgt Gilbert B. Robichaud 11116968 | Pfc Dominick J. Babowicz 32749396 |
| Sgt Gerome R. Salito 34005412 | Pfc Manley E. Beggs 37189614 |
| Sgt Ted J. Younker 20624034 | Pfc John Budder 38695995 |
| Pec 4 Thomas E. Foss 36054450 | Pfc Marion E. Castle 17032078 |
| Pec 4 David R. Hyneman 35255155 | Pfc John V. Clark 36474009 |
| Pec 4 William A. Kinstler 20512121 | Pfc Howard R. Cline 35901705 |
| Cpl Langdon L. Morton Jr 14098570 | Pfc Willis A. Coapland 31376983 |

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| Pfc Judge Davis 36474025 | Pfc Chester J. Zepka 42019825 |
| Pfc Marcel B. Duguay 31401624 | Pvt Arshag Bezigian 31292332 |
| Pfc Halford P. French 39603747 | Pvt Thomas G. Freeman 34608575 |
| Pfc John L. Gray 31471642 | Pvt David F. Gaona 38455854 |
| Pfc Bernard E. Crover 31401656 | Pvt Laddie J. Jagos 36919640 |
| Pfc Joseph Hodal 33270409 | Pvt Thaddeus Janeczko 36919330 |
| Pfc Leo Jones 38444532 | Pvt Leroy Jirik 36919499 |
| Pfc Walter T. Killing 16146574 | Pvt John M. Kent 36919512 |
| Pfc Douglas S. Larson 33603796 | Pvt Irwin J. Kesner 36919495 |
| Pfc William P. Marino 39037941 | Pvt Robert J. Kesselring 36919271 |
| Pfc Charles H. Moody 38322579 | Pvt Joseph S. Kozbil Jr 36919513 |
| Pfc Vincent J. Morici 20261927 | Pvt Robert R. Kunz 36919529 |
| Pfc Norris J. Morin 31376986 | Pvt Leroy W. LaCroix 37549850 |
| Pfc Henry L. Munster 38495723 | Pvt Frederick G. Lewis 37712822 |
| Pfc Lawrence E. Murphy 31401640 | Pvt Robert A. Mabeley 36919487 |
| Pfc Cornelio S. Padilla 38165701 | Pvt John I. Majerus 37661532 |
| Pfc Elba F. Patch 35239496 | Pvt William C. Miller 34768445 |
| Pfc John W. Pile 35782078 | Pvt Alexander W. Nicki 42134805 |
| Pfc Carey W. Robertson 38286511 | Pvt Bioggi J. Piccione 33205730 |
| Pfc Roger L. Romine 37645633 | Pvt Frederick W. Palmer 31353006 |
| Pfc Lee O. Russell 38731931 | Pvt Richard T. Payment 37570831 |
| Pfc Andrew F. Scalisi Jr 32863775 | Pvt Mike Pevets 35271415 |
| Pfc Charles J. Schenk 35906018 | Pvt Willie A. Reeves 38463921 |
| Pfc Merle H. Shillington 17066849 | Pvt William H. Reynolds 33576979 |
| Pfc Kermit A. Schuler 33616244 | Pvt James A. Ricco 33432359 |
| Pfc Robert F. Schumacher 33923612 | Pvt Harry S. Ridge 17037937 |
| Pfc William J. Smith 34526958 | Pvt James W. Robblee 31139656 |
| Pfc Coleman Strickland 34625216 | Pvt Donald R. Shervey 19143368 |
| Pfc Herbert W. Strickland 35782127 | Pvt Charles V. Turner 36481820 |
| Pfc Cecil F. Swett Jr 31116707 | Pvt William M. Van Trump 33469539 |
| Pfc Harold E. Taylor 35239505 | Pvt Kenneth H. Varnum 31318557 |
| Pfc Frank D. Williams 33947965 | Pvt Michael G. Vento 31306161 |
| Pfc Cecil G. Wilson 37636611 | Pvt John P. Wakefield 12198581 |
| Pfc Harold H. Woodworth 33947807 | Pvt Jeff W. Whitfield 14125473 |
| Pfc Andrew J. Zelenak 31469923 | Pvt William W. Weidman 38105831 |

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| S Sgt Virgil A. Kuehn 37169333 | Cpl J. B. Baty 34989510 |
| S Sgt James F. Lyons 31353807 | Cpl William H. Davis 6399661 |
| S Sgt Jack B. Pierce 34895217 | Cpl Paul J. Dugas 34155574 |
| S Sgt Arlin C. Whittington 34254211 | Cpl Orville F. Thomas 15313073 |
| Sgt Coleman J. Baker 35452725 | Tec 5 Daniel M. Barber 34272767 |
| Sgt Jerome T. Krocheski 33066052 | Tec 5 Howard L. Hixon 33141877 |
| Sgt Frank J. Scapellitto 32253365 | Tec 5 Clyde L. Horner 33847574 |
| Sgt Richard C. Werwath 36800493 | Tec 5 Joseph A. Landry 31462999 |
| Sgt Jerome Wilmoth Jr 14019603 | Tec 5 Julio L. Leos 38086229 |
| Sgt Aloysius A. Zuresky 33359337 | Tec 5 Arthur L. Trussell 33634900 |
| Tec 4 Richard C. Walker 36162897 | Pfc Pierce L. Alexander 33908359 |

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| Pfc Charles E. Barry 33776465 | Pfc John W. Rice 33543778 |
| Pfc Fred W. Brown 34145326 | Pfc Dewey Richard 34737137 |
| Pfc Andrew E. Bruno 32209392 | Pfc Curtis Riley 35088396 |
| Pfc Henry F. Buback 32905620 | Pfc James A. Robinson 35239547 |
| Pfc Peter K. Christensen 36845557 | Pfc Everett A. Roman 37583944 |
| Pfc M. D. Cooper 34624685 | Pfc Emil P. Rossi 39134969 |
| Pfc Thomas L. Davis 33924239 | Pfc Dayton J. Rowbury 39341240 |
| Pfc Martin T. Doney 39622560 | Pfc Frank J. Schaffer 32612777 |
| Pfc Max Guhne 32248628 | Pfc Walter K. Schramm 33708510 |
| Pfc Lyle D. Guyer 36967161 | Pfc Delbert Scott 35816426 |
| Pfc James O. Halstead 35077713 | Pfc Nicholas T. Seaman 42109197 |
| Pfc James K. Harrison 34273571 | Pfc Isaac T. Simmons Jr 36988142 |
| Pfc Yves A. Hebert 38267174 | Pfc John H. Skoropat 37593434 |
| Pfc William N. Karppinen 36422939 | Pfc Harold L. Smith 37373975 |
| Pfc Herman H. Keifrider 32775524 | Pfc Melvin A. Smith 35931379 |
| Pfc Mike Korol Jr 33570596 | Pfc William L. Smith 33858122 |
| Pfc Stanley A. Kraieski 33832943 | Pfc Norman J. Stanhope 36842683 |
| Pfc Mike Lapceovich 33430753 | Pfc Florian P. Stott 35931402 |
| Pfc Fredric A. Laurion 31126047 | Pfc Deane W. Stewart 39208660 |
| Pfc Norman E. Libis 35531830 | Pfc John A. Szabo 35931403 |
| Pfc Carlos Lindsey 34804013 | Pfc Troy L. Taber 38699267 |
| Pfc Edward H. Madden 7071143 | Pfc Thaddeus O. Tanner 36988594 |
| Pfc John J. Mannion 32626666 | Pfc Roy L. Teague 34913538 |
| Pfc Leon G. McCarter 38127124 | Pfc Robert E. Towne Jr 31390221 |
| Pfc Louis A. McCreery 33257584 | Pfc William N. Waynert 36988578 |
| Pfc Charles L. McDaniel 34737243 | Pfc Arthur West Jr 35085796 |
| Pfc Edward J. Misiewicz 33704424 | Pvt Anthony L. Bautista 42132611 |
| Pfc Walter L. Mize Jr 34999066 | Pvt Henry E. Haas 34976253 |
| Pfc James W. Morgan 34987395 | Pvt James M. Miller 36673300 |
| Pfc Doyle D. Morris 34192146 | Pvt Robert P. Miller 31376985 |
| Pfc Franklin A. Neff 37737674 | Pvt Herman Y. Rhodes 34147474 |
| Pfc Norman J. Newman 39185802 | Pvt Charles A. Robb 34926804 |
| Pfc Ralph R. Fidecock 35931421 | Pvt LeRoy L. Smith 34937978 |
| Pfc Russell E. Redden 15090318 | Pvt Anson E. Snowden 31401950 |

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| S Sgt Roger H. Sargent 31026221 | Pfc Buell Henley 37380670 |
| Sgt Robert G. Mills 20939402 | Pfc Michael Kura 35043520 |
| Cpl Jack C. Deason 14184722 | Pfc Paul H. Lisko 36990722 |
| Cpl Eugene J. Gorski 36571479 | Pfc Ivan R. Masterson 6890685 |
| Tec 5 George E. Allen 35609478 | Pfc John R. McFalls 34990133 |
| Tec 5 Donald E. Kennedy 33148448 | Pfc Charles W. Olendorf 42097508 |
| Pfc Allan D. Aylsworth 39207999 | Pfc Francis J. Oneglia 31468377 |
| Pfc Wylie E. Ballew 34893016 | Pfc Charles E. Owen 35906598 |
| Pfc Gaudalupe M. Parajas 38678326 | Pfc Eugene O. North 35816377 |
| Pfc Thelmer L. Beverley 36910770 | Pfc Salvadore Palazzotto 38501288 |
| Pfc Anthony E. Dabrowski 33890308 | Pfc Charles O. Plummer 33858216 |
| Pfc James F. Gafford 34939672 | Pfc James C. Ponticos 35239536 |
| Pfc Sam Gatlin 34615522 | Pfc Donald T. Propes 35816441 |
| Pfc William T. Gill 35930892 | Pfc Charles R. Lyles 35816273 |

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| Pfc Russell E. Ranson 35239450 | Pfc Wilbur J. Staten 37730628 |
| Pfc William L. Papier 35816379 | Pfc Gerald B. Swails 38513225 |
| Pfc Edward C. Redden 42096725 | Pfc Earl S. Swift Jr 38700498 |
| Pfc Robert L. Robinson 19014828 | Pfc Kenneth Symons 36616351 |
| Pfc Ralph C. Schwab Sr 35239427 | Pfc Lemuel E. Tate 34913632 |
| Pfc James E. Scott 39591856 | Pfc James O. Tatum 34192274 |
| Pfc Frank J. Scridon 35931438 | Pfc Arnold H. Tonne 35555437 |
| Pfc John T. Sessoms 34868486 | Pfc William Tuskes 7031244 |
| Pfc Delwin C. Shaffer 36565016 | Pfc Henry A. Vrazel 38671874 |
| Pfc Guy Shirley 34939454 | Pfc James F. Wall 33921513 |
| Pfc Stephen Silverio 33815151 | Pfc Lee C. Wickenshiser 36543312 |
| Pfc Richard F. Sincavage 33876033 | Pfc Sanford L. Yarborough 34865736 |
| Pfc Earnest E. Sledge 18178808 | Pvt Paul E. Beirau 36910604 |
| Pfc Edward S. Smiecinski 33815185 | Pvt John E. Dinnen 35626619 |
| Pfc Edgar L. Smith 34928264 | Pvt J. D. Oberbee 35088354 |
| Pfc Robert E. Smith 33907908 | Pvt Russell C. Shaffer Jr 35601883 |
| Pfc Frank W. Snyder Jr 33833955 | Pvt Luther C. Shipman 39580818 |
| Pfc Robert H. Stanley 11055896 | Pvt Wallace W. Thompson 39018226 |

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SV CO

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| Tec 5 Marshall V. Mullin 35265446 | Pfc Reubin Pulley 34284234 |
| Pfc Frank M. Laino 31463197 | Pfc Harry L. Strohm 33030435 |
| Pfc James H. Laws 35266140 | Pvt Alfred E. Zeschin 36120775 |
| Pfc Monroe P. Partain 34166467 | |

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL HASBROUCK:

OFFICIAL:

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Lt. Col., A.G.D.
Adjutant GeneralJOHN L. RYAN, JR.
Colonel, G. S. C.
Chief of StaffDISTRIBUTION "A" (Plus)

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ASSUMPTION OF COMMAND *DSO*

Under the provisions of AR 600-20, as amended, the undersigned hereby assumes command of the 7th Armored Division, this date.

F. P. Tompkins
F. P. TOMPKINS
Col., Cav.
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APO 257, U. S. ARMY

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GENERAL ORDERS) I. AWARD OF AIR MEDAL
: II. AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL)
NUMBER.....78) III. POSTHUMOUS AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER
(AIR MEDAL)
IV. AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART
V. POSTHUMOUS AWARD OF PURPLE HEART
VI. AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (PURPLE HEART)
VII. AWARDS OF COMBAT INFANTRYMAN BADGE

I. AWARD OF AIR MEDAL: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded to:

SECOND LIEUTENANT WALTER E. HEUCKE (Army Serial Number 0531308), Field Artillery, 400th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 1 March 1945 to 25 March 1945. Entered the military service from Kentucky.

II. AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

FIRST LIEUTENANT AARON I. SPIEGEL (Army Serial Number 01176516), Field Artillery, formerly 400th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 15 January 1945 to 18 March 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

III. POSTHUMOUS AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is posthumously awarded to:

FIRST LIEUTENANT ANCIL W. KNIGHT (Army Serial Number 01168319), Field Artillery, formerly 400th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 1 January 1945 to 7 April 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

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SECOND LIEUTENANT AUGUST G. SITZMAN (Army Serial Number 01996423), Field Artillery, formerly 400th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 3 March 1945 to 28 March 1945. Entered the military service from Nebraska.

IV. AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant John Baracca (Army Serial Number 32227787), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 22 January 1945, in the Hunningen Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from New York.

Sergeant Leon T. Golt (Army Serial Number 33201279), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 22 December 1944, in the Lierneux Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Maryland.

Sergeant (then Private First Class) Faris S. Oldham (Army Serial Number 34273316), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 15 August 1944, in the Chateaudun Area, France. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Technician Fifth Grade Frank Parrillo (Army Serial Number 32235273), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 5 April 1945, in the Medebach Area, Germany. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class (then Private) Lawrence J. Bove (Army Serial Number 42083716), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 13 April 1945, in the Balve Area, Germany. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class (then Private) Rosario T. Calogero (Army Serial Number 42056727), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 19 December 1944, in the Hunningen Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from New York.

Private First Class James J. Esposito (Army Serial Number 32257170), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 14 August 1944, in the Bechereau Area, France. Entered the military service from New York.

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Private First Class Robert J. Frank (Army Serial Number 32253228), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 22 December 1944, in the Lierneux Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from New York.

Private First Class Carl B. Haydon (Army Serial Number 37641974), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 8 April 1945, in the Winkhausen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Missouri.

Private First Class Earl B. Hays (Army Serial Number 34936494), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 6 April 1945, in the Antfeld Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

Private First Class Jewell K. Jamison (Army Serial Number 38666951), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 4 April 1945, in the Kustelberg Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Arkansas.

Private First Class Roland H. Klein (Army Serial Number 35772335), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 5 October 1944, in the Brakkenhof Area, Holland. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Private First Class (then Private) Edward J. Kohut (Army Serial Number 32227630), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 18 December 1944, in the Hunningen Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from New York.

Private First Class Seymour Kossover (Army Serial Number 32972122), Infantry, formerly 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 4 April 1945, in the Kustelberg Area, Germany. Entered the military service from New York.

Private James E. Hightower (Army Serial Number 38692654), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 14 April 1945, in the Deilinghofen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Oklahoma.

Private Harry A. Lindberg (Army Serial Number 37501826), Infantry, formerly 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 6 April 1945, in the Antfeld Area, Germany. Entered the military service from North Dakota.

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Private John S. McCracken (Army Serial Number 34933912), Infantry, formerly 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 6 April 1945, in the Oberkirchen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from South Carolina.

Private Vincent V. Pepe (Army Serial Number 32257051), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 21 December 1944, in the Joubieval Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Private Albert D. Stone (Army Serial Number 14060079), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 5 April 1945, in the Kustelberg Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Georgia.

V. POSTHUMOUS AWARD OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is posthumously awarded to:

Staff Sergeant Raymond J. Bujan (Army Serial Number 36639659), Infantry, formerly 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 5 April 1945, in the Kustelberg Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Illinois.

VI. AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (PURPLE HEART): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, in addition to the Purple Heart previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Private First Class Iatsy Camiglio (Army Serial Number 35777937), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 22 December 1944, in the Lierneux Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from West Virginia.

VII. I. AWARDS OF COMBAT INFANTRYMAN BADGE: Under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 408, 17 October 1944, the Combat Infantryman Badge is awarded, for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, to the following named enlisted men, present and former members, organizations as indicated:

38TH ARMD INF BN

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| S Sgt John J. Howe 16146262 | Tec 5 Howard B. Funk 35264972 |
| S Sgt George Molnar 35273518 | Tec 5 Doy Harris 37108348 |
| Tec 4 Angelo Milazzo 33137074 | Tec 5 Harry H. Mott 39242217 |
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| Cpl Henry Shealy 34010944 | Pfc Cresti D. Maineri 32206313 |
| Tec 5 George O. Benz 35265024 | Pvt Robert Bealaw 42177450 |
| Tec 5 Chester F. Bilort 35111713 | Pvt Lewis M. Berrier 34869305 |

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| Cpl Carl L. Dean 33201311 | Pvt Santino Armenti 11063213 |
| Tec 5 Carl J. Dishong 37125214 | Pvt Robert L. Armstrong 33733020 |
| Tec 5 Floyd M. Grandjean 32253458 | Pvt Billy M. Barnes 38534432 |
| Tec 5 Glenwood M. Peterson 32253362 | Pvt Spencer J. Brown Jr 34273514 |
| Pfc Morris Alstadter 32701957 | Pvt John J. Burlak 36706502 |
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| Pfc Lonnie E. Garrett 35475047 | Pvt James M. Cobb 38072607 |
| Pfc Edward W. Gerk 18119877 | Pvt Abraham D. Cohen 32342917 |
| Pfc Samuel Goodman 31098321 | Pvt Paul F. Crawford 33732307 |
| Pfc Samuel Hartman 34253111 | Pvt John Downey Jr 35475032 |
| Pfc Ferdinand J. Haubert 32298829 | Pvt Harold Furnish 15101930 |
| Pfc Walter L. Kresica 36706327 | Pvt Fred W. Garrison 16071998 |
| Pfc Victor J. Lobdell 32227863 | Pvt Frank Grasso 32257052 |
| Pfc Nieves Martinez 32238050 | Pvt Weston H. Hebert 34273435 |
| Pfc Walter D. McLead 34138603 | Pvt Isidore Kleinman 32249867 |
| Pfc John E. Ondov 35306691 | Pvt Andrew O. Lee 38497131 |
| Pfc John C. Pettit 35456395 | Pvt Earnest E. Lott 34272963 |
| Pfc Robert D. Phiamlee 36621216 | Pvt Samuel McKinney 36628729 |
| Pfc Walter H. Redman 37275582 | Pvt Paul E. Piskla 33543449 |
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| Pfc John F. Strini Jr 33137017 | Pvt Walter G. Ritter 35734494 |
| Pfc Roger G. Trujillo 38072338 | ✓ Pvt LeRoy Robinson 6929551 |
| Pfc Clarence Walden 17045990 | Pvt Edward C. Russell 34498952 |
| Pfc James V. Wheeler 36313568 | Pvt William Travis 36342105 |
| Pfc George J. Wolff 35294123 | Pvt Orville J. Wenger 36023732 |
| Pfc Charlie O. Yawn 34351268 | Pvt George E. Wilson 36501631 |
| Pfc Sammy S. Young 35257528 | Pvt John Zendran 32227991 |
| Pvt Ralph G. Adams 32264799 | |

2. VOGC 18 Sep 44 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 186, 11 May 1944, to the following named enlisted men, formerly Company "A," 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

S Sgt William H. Barnica Jr 12060447 S Sgt John M. Sledobnik 36502021

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3. VOCCG 30 Sep 44 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 186, 11 May 1944, to T Sgt John R. Panzak 36034289, formerly Company "A," 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL TOMPKINS:

JOHN L. RYAN, JR.
Colonel, G. S. C.
Chief of Staff

OFFICIAL:

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DEAN G. OSTRUM
Captain, A.G.D.
Assistant Adjutant General

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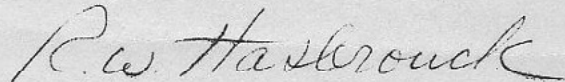
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RESUMPTION OF COMMAND

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-20, as amended, the undersigned hereby resumes command of the 7th Armored Division, this date.



R. W. HASBROUCK
Major General, USA
Commanding

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APO 257, U. S. ARMY

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16 May 1945

GENERAL ORDERS)

NUMBER.....80)

AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

✓ FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) JAMES H. FOX, JR. (Army Serial Number 0535900), Infantry, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from South Carolina.

✓ FIRST LIEUTENANT LLOYD D. ROBERTS (Army Serial Number 01031914), Cavalry, 507th CIC Detachment, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 28 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT) MELVIN E. WISCHMEIER (Army Serial Number 01016109), Infantry, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 7 April 1945. Entered the military service from Nebraska.

Technical Sergeant Raymond J. Guidroz (Army Serial Number 14040045), Signal Corps, 147th Armored Signal Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Technical Sergeant Ward P. Lanier (Army Serial Number 35457520), 507th CIC Detachment, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Technical Sergeant Robert W. Luley (Army Serial Number 32253150), Armored, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 27 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Technical Sergeant Joseph E. Morgan (Army Serial Number 34192592), Armored, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 27 April 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

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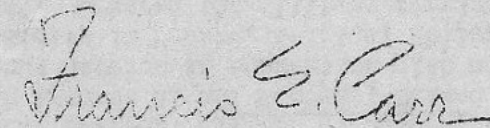
Technical Sergeant Bertine B. Steigerwalt (Army Serial Number 33136838), Signal Corps, 147th Armored Signal Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 26 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fourth Grade (then Technician Fifth Grade) Judson E. Kinberg (Army Serial Number 42067484), Armored, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 10 January 1945 to 28 March 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL HASBROUCK:

JOHN L. RYAN, JR.
Colonel, G. S. C.
Chief of Staff

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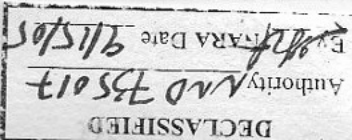
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Lt. Col., A.G.D.
Adjutant General

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GENERAL ORDERS) I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR
: II. POSTHUMOUS AWARDS OF SILVER STAR
NUMBER.....81) III. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (SILVER STAR)
IV. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
V. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (MISSING IN ACTION)
VI. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
VII. POSTHUMOUS AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
VIII. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL)
IX. AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART
X. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (PURPLE HEART)

I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to:

FIRST LIEUTENANT HAROLD H. CLARK (Army Serial Number 0381979), Infantry, formerly 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 28 March 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

FIRST LIEUTENANT SID L. KLINE (Army Serial Number 0470526), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 5 and 7 April 1945. Entered the military service from Oregon.

FIRST LIEUTENANT JOHN R. SMART (Army Serial Number 01295286), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 5 April 1945. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

Technical Sergeant William A. Proctor (Army Serial Number 34254446), Infantry, formerly 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 7 April 1945. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

Technical Sergeant Ralph M. Weisbard (Army Serial Number 32919008), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 5 April 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Technician Fourth Grade George B. Steele (Army Serial Number 34192563), Armored, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 26 March 1945 and 12 April 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

Corporal Francis Judkins (Army Serial Number 31408969), Armored, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 26 March 1945 and 12 April 1945. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

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Private First Class Paul T. Cardenas (Army Serial Number 38363932), Medical Department, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 5 and 7 April 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

Private First Class Robert E. Harris (Army Serial Number 42024262), Infantry, formerly 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 7 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Private First Class (then Private) Lones B. Prater (Army Serial Number 35774121), Armored, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 26 March 1945 and 12 April 1945. Entered the military service from Kentucky.

II. POSTHUMOUS AWARDS OF SILVER STAR: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star is posthumously awarded to:

SECOND LIEUTENANT AUBREY L. GREEN (Army Serial Number 02000443), Corps of Engineers, formerly 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 9 April 1945. Entered the military service from Arkansas.

Staff Sergeant William M. Lipscomb (Army Serial Number 37010847), Corps of Engineers, formerly 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 9 April 1945. Entered the military service from Kansas.

Private First Class Alvin T. Marhut (Army Serial Number 36959739), Infantry, formerly 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 5 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Private First Class Maynard L. Varney (Army Serial Number 42120202), Armored, formerly 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 26 March 1945 and 12 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

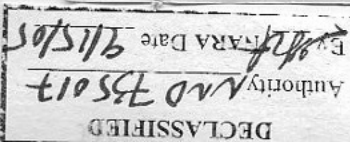
III. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (SILVER STAR): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Silver Star previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

CAPTAIN TRUMAN R. BOMAN (Army Serial Number 01018042), Cavalry, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 30 March 1945. Entered the military service from Kansas.

CAPTAIN (then FIRST LIEUTENANT and CAPTAIN) JOHN A. MEADS, JR. (Army Serial Number 01292036), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, from 29 March 1945 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from Maryland.

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FIRST LIEUTENANT FRANK R. CUNNINGHAM (Army Serial Number 01018443), Infantry, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 12 April 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

SECOND LIEUTENANT EDWARD D. HORN (Army Serial Number 01996556), Infantry, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 27 March 1945. Entered the military service from Wisconsin.

IV. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

CAPTAIN LAWRENCE E. AHEARN (Army Serial Number 01012627), Cavalry, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 23 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

CAPTAIN (then FIRST LIEUTENANT) EUGENE M. CORBIN (Army Serial Number 0545955), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 6 April 1945 to 9 April 1945. Entered the military service from Indiana.

CAPTAIN EMIL A. MISTEREK (Army Serial Number 01700983), Dental Corps, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 16 August 1944 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from South Dakota.

CAPTAIN THOMAS E. PETERSON (Army Serial Number 0428448), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from South Carolina.

FIRST LIEUTENANT MANUEL N. CEPEDA (Army Serial Number 01011280), Infantry, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 7 April 1945. Entered the military service from Florida.

FIRST LIEUTENANT HAROLD I. FIEDLER (Army Serial Number 01011020), Cavalry, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 7 April 1945 to 17 April 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) EIDEN H. FRENCH (Army Serial Number 01322540), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 25 September 1944 to 27 April 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

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FIRST LIEUTENANT PAUL E. GOOD (Army Serial Number 01283587), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 7 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

FIRST LIEUTENANT JOSEPH G. LORLAUX (Army Serial Number 01823900), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 10 March 1945. Entered the military service from Kansas.

FIRST LIEUTENANT THOMAS I. MORSE (Army Serial Number 0530684), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 4 April 1945 to 8 April 1945. Entered the military service from Nebraska.

FIRST LIEUTENANT WALTER E. NEUMANN (Army Serial Number 0425940), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 25 September 1944 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

FIRST LIEUTENANT ROBERT T. RENDIEN (Army Serial Number 0478996), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 24 March 1945 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Missouri.

FIRST LIEUTENANT EVAN C. REYNOLDS (Army Serial Number 01010177), Medical Administrative Corps, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 22 April 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

FIRST LIEUTENANT SAM H. SHARP (Army Serial Number 0518298), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 10 March 1945. Entered the military service from Oklahoma.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) MILTON SHILKROUT (Army Serial Number 01014964), Cavalry, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 22 August 1944 and from 14 December 1944 to 23 April 1945. Entered the military service from California.

SECOND LIEUTENANT CLAUDE H. LEMON (Army Serial Number 01327634), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 5 April 1945 to 13 April 1945. Entered the military service from Indiana.

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SECOND LIEUTENANT THOMAS E. SCALLEY (Army Serial Number 01019242), Infantry, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 15 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Technical Sergeant Phillip E. Bost (Army Serial Number 15101354), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 11 April 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Technical Sergeant Edward A. Fetcko (Army Serial Number 33153684), Armored, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 21 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technical Sergeant Gilbert W. Hamby (Army Serial Number 34191095), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 August 1944 to 19 April 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

Technical Sergeant (then Technician Fourth Grade and Technical Sergeant) James L. Petty (Army Serial Number 36043409), Armored, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Staff Sergeant Abram E. Acheson (Army Serial Number 33153386), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 20 October 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant (then Sergeant) Vernon L. Foy (Army Serial Number 35245484), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 10 April 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Staff Sergeant James L. Hopkins (Army Serial Number 37010816), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 August 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered the military service from Kansas.

Staff Sergeant (then Sergeant) Frederick A. Siino (Army Serial Number 31336873), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 30 March 1945. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

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Staff Sergeant Elmer E. Stauffer (Army Serial Number 38155100), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 10 April 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

Staff Sergeant Edward B. Timmons (Army Serial Number 15105425), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 5 April 1945. Entered the military service from Indiana.

Technician Third Grade Milton H. Crabb (Army Serial Number 34230871), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 24 March 1945 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Technician Third Grade Joe C. Hurt (Army Serial Number 34192447), Medical Department, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 16 August 1944 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

Technician Third Grade Ernest W. Schuler (Army Serial Number 33139719), Signal Corps, 147th Armored Signal Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 14 March 1945 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Sergeant Titus R. Crawford (Army Serial Number 34230635), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 28 March 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Sergeant Mike Marvis (Army Serial Number 35273822), Armored, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Sergeant William A. Winstead (Army Serial Number 34252962), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 24 March 1945 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

Technician Fourth Grade Jesse W. Bates (Army Serial Number 38071926), Armored, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 20 April 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

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Technician Fourth Grade Rosario J. Caruso, Jr. (Army Serial Number 33364920), Quartermaster Corps, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 September 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fourth Grade Kenneth K. Cowles (Army Serial Number 31103452), Quartermaster Corps, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

Technician Fourth Grade Joseph L. Lukac (Army Serial Number 36054121), Armored, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Technician Fourth Grade Donald Mendelson (Army Serial Number 32209018), Armored, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 2 September 1944 to 7 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Fourth Grade Marvin O. Syverson (Army Serial Number 17050960), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 24 March 1945 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

Corporal William J. DiCastro (Army Serial Number 31064475), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

Corporal Kenneth H. Parks (Army Serial Number 33709993), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 27 March 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade Roland I. McKenzie (Army Serial Number 38090179), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 27 March 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

Technician Fifth Grade J. P. Ticker (Army Serial Number 34192543), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 October 1944 to 27 April 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

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Private First Class Arlon B. Aldridge (Army Serial Number 36501492), Armored, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 27 July 1944 to 23 April 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Private First Class (then Private) John E. DiLisio (Army Serial Number 31333640), Medical Department, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 30 January 1945 to 27 April 1945. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

Private First Class Lewis D. Evans (Army Serial Number 39585133), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 30 March 1945. Entered the military service from California.

Private First Class Edward W. Gerk (Army Serial Number 18119877), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 12 April 1945. Entered the military service from New Mexico.

Private First Class (then Private and Private First Class) William F. Schaffer (Army Serial Number 37180310), Medical Department, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 22 April 1945. Entered the military service from Missouri.

Private First Class Kermit A. Schuler (Army Serial Number 33616244), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 7 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class (then Private) Edgar L. Smith (Army Serial Number 34928264), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 10 April 1945. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Private First Class Charley S. Strzelecki (Army Serial Number 35285954), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 13 April 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Private First Class (then Private) Dawson S. Wells (Army Serial Number 14059127), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 30 March 1945. Entered the military service from Georgia.

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Private First Class Lee C. Wickenhiser (Army Serial Number 36543312), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 10 April 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Private Frank D. Chiancone (Army Serial Number 32640590), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 30 March 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Private Lawrence J. Menke (Army Serial Number 37698416), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 30 March 1945. Entered the military service from Iowa.

V. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (MISSING IN ACTION): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named enlisted man, (Missing in Action):

Technical Sergeant Robert G. Anderson (Army Serial Number 36035747), Infantry, formerly 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium and Holland, from 14 August 1944 to 21 December 1944. Entered the military service from Illinois.

VI. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

CAPTAIN QUINTUS E. FREDRICKSON (Army Serial Number 01306403), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 26 March 1945 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

FIRST LIEUTENANT WILLIAM R. HART (Army Serial Number 01014942), Infantry, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 28 March 1945 to 30 March 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Sergeant Clifford R. Green (Army Serial Number 35275141), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 28 March 1945 to 30 March 1945. Entered the military service from West Virginia.

Sergeant Mack K. Overcash (Army Serial Number 34254466), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 28 March 1945 to 30 March 1945. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

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VII. POSTHUMOUS AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is posthumously awarded to:

Sergeant Raymond T. Loyd (Army Serial Number 36312940), Armored, formerly 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 29 March 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

VIII. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

FIRST LIEUTENANT ROBERT J. FLOOD (Army Serial Number 01184382), Field Artillery, 489th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 23 February 1945 to 12 April 1945. Entered the military service from Wisconsin.

FIRST LIEUTENANT AARON I. SPIEGEL (Army Serial Number 01176516), Field Artillery, formerly 400th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 19 March 1945 to 30 March 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

SECOND LIEUTENANT CLARENCE E. MICHAELS, JR. (Army Serial Number 0532148), Field Artillery, 489th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 28 February 1945 to 5 April 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

IX. AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

FIRST LIEUTENANT ROGER W. SPESWELL (Army Serial Number 01321023), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 19 January 1945, in the Deidenberg Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from California.

SECOND LIEUTENANT RUSSELL M. DORNFIELD (Army Serial Number 01171981), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 14 April 1945, in the Mellen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from North Dakota.

Master Sergeant Loyd C. Mescher (Army Serial Number 36042239), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 20 December 1944, in the Manhay Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Illinois.

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Master Sergeant Harold S. Taylor (Army Serial Number 35155654), Armored, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 19 December 1944, in the Spa Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Indiana.

First Sergeant Joseph Miller (Army Serial Number 33032511), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 4 April 1945, in the Ildfeld Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technical Sergeant Richard R. Peterson (Army Serial Number 17120130), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 10 April 1945, in the Kustelberg Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Nebraska.

Staff Sergeant (then Sergeant) Daniel W. Cantwell (Army Serial Number 36584025), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 19 January 1945, in the Deidenberg Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Staff Sergeant Carruth Lenoir (Army Serial Number 14010349), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 19 December 1944, in the St. Vith Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Sergeant (then Technician Fifth Grade) Ralph L. Davis (Army Serial Number 33149092), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 28 October 1944, in the Liesel Area, Holland. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Sergeant (then Private First Class) Leon E. Ostler (Army Serial Number 31068611), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 9 April 1945, in the Benghousing Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

Technician Fourth Grade Steve Delich (Army Serial Number 36234384), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 26 December 1944, in the Fays Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Technician Fourth Grade Jeff D. Steen (Army Serial Number 34138831), Armored, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 8 February 1945, in the Simmerath Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Corporal William E. Millstead (Army Serial Number 37632661), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 12 April 1945, in the Balve Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Missouri.

Corporal J. C. Watts (Army Serial Number 34886511), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 28 October 1944, in the Liesel Area, Holland. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

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Technician Fifth Grade (then Private) Woodrow W. Boles (Army Serial Number 34254925), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 30 August 1944, in the Warmeriville Area, France. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

Technician Fifth Grade Louis J. DeLilla (Army Serial Number 31064327), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 4 April 1945, in the Wiemeringhausen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

Technician Fifth Grade Andrew H. DiForca (Army Serial Number 32228320), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 28 September 1944, in the Mont St. Martin Area, France. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade (then Private First Class) Herron H. Thornton (Army Serial Number 34263873), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 28 October 1944, in the Meijel Area, Holland. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Private First Class (then Private) Arthur L. Bentley (Army Serial Number 34702261), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 15 July 1944, in the St. Lo Area, France. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Private First Class Brenton Franklin (Army Serial Number 38337454), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 30 November 1944, in the Gereonsweiler Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Private First Class Robert J. Newton (Army Serial Number 35632464), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 28 October 1944, in the Liesel Area, Holland. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Private First Class Vernon M. Spates (Army Serial Number 38155610), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 5 April 1945, in the Assinghausen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Texas.

Private First Class (then Private) Dawson S. Wells (Army Serial Number 14059127), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 6 April 1945, in the Assinghausen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Georgia.

Private First Class Cecil G. Wilson (Army Serial Number 37636611), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 8 April 1945, in the Schmallenberg Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Missouri.

Private Vincent J. Baldelli (Army Serial Number 33602779), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 15 April 1945, in the Apricke Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

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Private Gabrielle M. Bove (Army Serial Number 12229357), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 12 April 1945, in the Kustelberg Area, Germany. Entered the military service from New York.

Private Kenneth C. Farr (Army Serial Number 35067632), Infantry, formerly 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 19 January 1945, in the Diedenisberg Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Private Layon Purdue (Army Serial Number 35904627), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 16 April 1945, in the Hennen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Indiana.

Private Gunther F. Regitz (Army Serial Number 32976152), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 27 October 1944, in the Neerkant Area, Holland. Entered the military service from New York.

X. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (PURPLE HEART): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, in addition to the Purple Heart previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

CAPTAIN JOE V. WHITEMAN (Army Serial Number 0523298), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 6 April 1945, in the Assinghausen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from New Mexico.

First Sergeant Marion L. Pees (Army Serial Number 6255541-RAR), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 5 April 1945, in the Assinghausen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Texas.

Corporal Paul J. Dugas (Army Serial Number 34155574), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 6 April 1945, in the Oberkirchen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Technician Fifth Grade Louis J. DeLilla (Army Serial Number 31064327), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 10 April 1945, in the Wormbach Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

Technician Fifth Grade Joseph S. Horton (Army Serial Number 34138453), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 13 March 1945, in the Oberwinter Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Technician Fifth Grade James C. Pickrel (Army Serial Number 37706768), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 1 May 1945, in the Lohnsen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Colorado.

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Technician Fifth Grade (then Private First Class) Herron H. Thornton (Army Serial Number 34263873), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 22 December 1944, in the Rodt Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Private First Class James A. Venezia (Army Serial Number 31461964), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 6 April 1945, in the Antfeld Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

Private Delbert C. Dixon (Army Serial Number 34885022), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 12 March 1945, in the Oberwinter Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

Private Roger L. Vaillancourt (Army Serial Number 31401105), Infantry, formerly 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 28 March 1945, in the Giessen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Maine.

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GENERAL ORDERS)

19 May 1945

: I. AWARDS OF COMBAT INFANTRYMAN BADGE
NUMBER.....82) II. AWARD OF MEDICAL BADGE

I. AWARDS OF COMBAT INFANTRYMAN BADGE: 1. Under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 408, 17 October 1944, the Combat Infantryman Badge is awarded, for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, to the following named officers and enlisted men, present and former members, organizations as indicated:

23D ARMD INF BN

CAPT WILLIAM D. TOMMEY 0437745 Inf Co C 2D LT LIN W. REED 01327660 Inf Hq
1ST LT KARL G. FORGES 01638285 Inf Co A

38TH ARMD INF BN

CAPT CYRUS LARMOYEUX 0354120 Inf Co B Pvt Joseph P. Bilka 33931880 Co B
1ST LT GARNET E. MERCER 01313770 Inf Co A Pvt John L. Hall 17032276 Hq Co
Tec 5 Charles W. Dennis 39110435 Hq

48TH ARMD INF BNHQ

Pfc James D. Hobby 31259749

HQ CO

Pfc Arthur T. Gonzales 39272299 Pvt Samuel Segal 13001523
Pfc James B. Wilson 13102093 Pvt Jarvis B. Suggs 34118417
Pvt Walter C. Feick Jr 33038589 Pvt Byron B. Thomas 19003647
Pvt Paul R. Johnson 13191005

CO A

1ST LT JAMES S. MARSHALL 02041113 Inf Pfc Ralph T. Hans 32076215
Pfc Sebastian Buono 12050836 Pvt William C. Holbrook 35073481

CO B

1ST LT WILLIAM E. BOYCE 01322762 Inf Tec 5 Matthew Podlaski 11019645
S Sgt Paul Mirakovits 33141851 Tec 5 George J. Frindle 36620979
S-Sgt Thomas J. Terrell 33155083 Tec 5 Nixie F. Robbirds 38079821
Tec 4 Merrill H. Lachelt 36212933 Tec 5 Dalton L. Roberts 6259437
Tec 4 Richard E. Lindner 38090569 Tec 5 Lenoir W. Smathers 34254557
Tec 4 James W. Nicholson 33148552 Tec 5 Willie E. White 36079769
Tec 4 Jacob P. Smolinski 32233709 Pfc Michael J. Backes 42072738
Tec 5 Donald F. Bell 39139722 Pfc Charlie E. Holt 34977662
Tec 5 Verlin L. Boyd 35931927 Pfc Joseph Lipai 36576371
Tec 5 James M. DiRienzo 33143802 Pfc James T. Schoenbrod 12143718
Tec 5 Henry E. Garbrick 33141721 Pfc Don A. Stogsdill 39208644
Tec 5 Wesley P. Jackson 38095192 Pfc William G. Stolle 18103669
Tec 5 Joseph Krajecic 33039738 Pfc George W. Studnicka 36988618
Tec 5 Samuel H. Maples 34492690 Pfc Lyle H. Tirpe 36989205
Tec 5 Dennis A. McDonald Jr 38495323 Pfc Vincent J. Vander Venter 36988559

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CO B (Cont'd)

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| Pvt Anthony Aquilino 33143591 | Pvt William J. Mitchell 34210774 |
| Pvt John Belluomo Sr 32814127 | Pvt James M. Parker Jr 33656883 |
| Pvt William J. Bowen 6148011 | Pvt Alfred H. Schietzelt 6650632 |
| Pvt Norman L. Gleave 37642242 | Pvt Walter K. Shell 33663346 |
| Pvt Augustus L. Lyons Sr 34973702 | Pvt Donald P. Sheridan 36722222 |
| Pvt John A. Mercurio 15134491 | Pvt Vincent Silvaggi 33162289 |
| Pvt Carson Mitchell 33888734 | Pvt A. W. Smalley 18217798 |

CO C

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| Sgt French S. Sammons Jr 35239435 | Pfc Thomas R. Shoop 33906364 |
| Tec 4 Alvin Nelson 34263645 | Pfc Andy B. Shupe 33907700 |
| Tec 4 Frank W. Potter Jr 34240334 | Pfc Homer H. Sutherland Sr 34971057 |
| Tec 5 William D. Allen 14080337 | Pfc John S. Trainer 35237868 |
| Tec 5 Frank G. Carey 33148935 | Pvt Charles L. Cain 34950255 |
| Tec 5 Dewey C. Conrad 34192156 | Pvt Conrad J. Lang 32176814 |
| Tec 5 Will E. Gordon 34264035 | Pvt John H. Lueck 37635238 |
| Tec 5 Augustus L. Hughes Jr 34089155 | Pvt Robert J. Murphy 32769754 |
| Tec 5 Harold R. Worthington 39925502 | Pvt James T. Osborn 35239471 |
| Pfc Jerome Ehrlich 42014103 | Pvt Everett D. Pollard 36486002 |
| Pfc John A. Henson 34262962 | Pvt Theodore J. Popinski 11070636 |
| Pfc James C. Lehr 14004427 | Pvt Richard J. Schweining 35547525 |
| Pfc George M. Limon 31456762 | Pvt Michael Y. Semerjian 33815187 |
| Pfc Francis J. Murphy 31143591 | |

SV CO

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| Lst Sgt Albert C. Kyser 36154989 | Tec 5 Carmine A. Donofrio Jr 32209923 |
| S Sgt Frank E. Schwarz 33267736 | Tec 5 Lewis H. Hauser 12085528 |
| Sgt Joseph A. Catterall 32235267 | Tec 5 Joseph R. McElroy 34124049 |
| Tec 4 Anthony Bonacassio 31064278 | Tec 5 Anthony F. Rychtarczyk 36706147 |
| Tec 4 Roland H. Tanguay 31100789 | Pfc William F. Madden 33363970 |
| Cpl Thomas S. Allen 34138512 | Pfc James D. Ward 33119850 |

2. VCOG 20 Sep 44 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 186, 11 May 1944, to the following named enlisted men, present and former members, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

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| Pfc Fred E. Henicle 33845253 Co B | Pvt Keith Settlenyre 35737812 Co A |
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3. VCOG 25 Oct 44 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 408, 17 October 1944, to the following named enlisted men, formerly 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

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| Pfc Hubert R. Martin 34263740 Hq | Pvt Paul G. Leatherman 34783647 Co A |
| Pfc Jesse C. Miller 37529189 Co A | |

4. VCOG 1 Mar 45 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 408, 17 October 1944, to S Sgt George T. Duncan 32006837, Co A, 48th Armd Inf Bn, for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record.

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5. VOGG 15 Apr 45 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 408, 17 October 1944, to the following named enlisted men, present and former members, Company "A," 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record:

S Sgt Robert Kahn 12095184
Tec 4 King D. Smith 34102425

Pvt Ernest V. D'Onofrio 32510182
Pvt Douglas B. Robinson 39185940

II. AWARD OF MEDICAL BADGE: VOGG 1 Oct 44 awarding the Medical Badge under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 66, 1 March 1945 to CAPTAIN MAURICE E. LINDEN, 0426751, Medical Corps, Medical Detachment, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, for satisfactory performance of duty under actual combat conditions, are hereby confirmed and made of record.

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24 May 1945

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AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

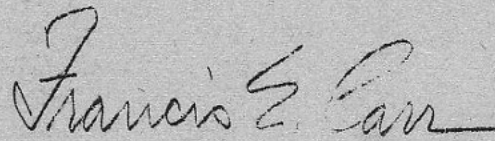
LIEUTENANT COLONEL JESSE P. BELLAMY (Army Serial Number 0177755), Finance Department, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from Indiana.

LIEUTENANT COLONEL (then MAJOR AND LIEUTENANT COLONEL) CHARLES R. GRANT (Army Serial Number 0384097), General Staff Corps, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 24 January 1945 to 15 May 1945. Entered the military service from California.

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GENERAL ORDERS)

26 May 1945

NUMBER.....84)

AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

LIEUTENANT COLONEL JOHN P. WEMPLE (Army Serial Number 0177564), Infantry, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

CAPTAIN ROBERT E. GARHART (Army Serial Number 0496345), Adjutant General's Department, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 18 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

SECOND LIEUTENANT (then Master Sergeant and Second Lieutenant) GORDON O. JOHNSON (Army Serial Number 02008545), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Wisconsin.

Master Sergeant (then Technical Sergeant and Master Sergeant) John M. Ray (Army Serial Number 14095122), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Technical Sergeant (then Technician Third Grade and Technical Sergeant) Joseph P. Wallace (Army Serial Number 32249337), Armored, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 18 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

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Staff Sergeant Edward W. Rudnick (Army Serial Number 36056569), Armored, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

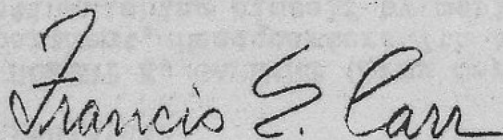
Technician Third Grade Edmund J. Bliley (Army Serial Number 37016774), Armored, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 18 May 1945. Entered the military service from Missouri.

Technician Fourth Grade Ambrose J. Kelly (Army Serial Number 36706305), Armored, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

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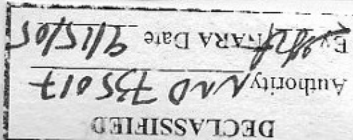
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ANNOUNCEMENT OF AIDE-DE-CAMP

1ST LT PAUL A. MACK O2 005 511, AITIS, is announced as Aide-de-Camp to BRIG GEN
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HEADQUARTERS 7TH ARMORED DIVISION
APO 257, U. S. ARMY

28 May 1945

GENERAL ORDERS) I. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
: II. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)
NUMBER.....86) III. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL)
IV. AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART
V. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (PURPLE HEART)
VI. RESCISSION

I. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

MAJOR OTTO E. McBRIDE (Army Serial Number 0316013), Cavalry, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 1 February 1945 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

CAPTAIN ROBERT L. SIMON (Army Serial Number 01014063), Infantry, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Oregon.

CAPTAIN BENJAMIN C. WATKINS (Army Serial Number 0390424), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 July 1944 to 12 October 1944 and from 20 January 1945 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Virginia.

CAPTAIN (then FIRST LIEUTENANT and CAPTAIN) SAMUEL R. WEINTRAUB (Army Serial Number 01533703), Medical Administrative Corps, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

CAPTAIN LEONARD A. ZERULL (Army Serial Number 0327411), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Kansas.

FIRST LIEUTENANT EVAN R. BARTLESON (Army Serial Number 01166431), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

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FIRST LIEUTENANT LEE J. CRAFT (Army Serial Number 0450116), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 19 September 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Rhode Island.

FIRST LIEUTENANT CHARLES R. HORTON (Army Serial Number 01043669), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Nebraska.

FIRST LIEUTENANT NORMAN G. J. JONES (Army Serial Number 01591226), Quartermaster Corps, 446th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 25 March 1945 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

FIRST LIEUTENANT ROBERT E. MILLER (Army Serial Number 01012744), Infantry, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 19 April 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

FIRST LIEUTENANT LAWRENCE W. ZETZMAN (Army Serial Number 01047005), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 October 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

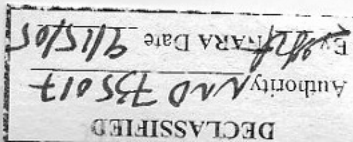
CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER ALOYSIUS J. BEIDLER (Army Serial Number W2106429), NMB, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 28 April 1945. Entered the military service from Iowa.

Technical Sergeant Wallace M. Simonar (Army Serial Number 36201105), Signal Corps, 147th Armored Signal Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 6 January 1945. Entered the military service from Wisconsin.

Technical Sergeant Theodore C. Tewes (Army Serial Number 32688112), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

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Technical Sergeant Carl W. Wiborg (Army Serial Number 36043715), Signal Corps, 147th Armored Signal Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Staff Sergeant Charles C. Cook (Army Serial Number 32206689), Signal Corps, 147th Armored Signal Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Staff Sergeant Clayton A. Danielson (Army Serial Number 32200991), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant August H. Lentz (Army Serial Number 34230728), Signal Corps, 147th Armored Signal Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Technician Third Grade Gray C. Currin (Army Serial Number 34254407), Medical Department, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

Technician Third Grade Ray D. Potts (Army Serial Number 16053505), Signal Corps, 147th Armored Signal Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Technician Fourth Grade Edward R. Snow (Army Serial Number 35273865), Signal Corps, 147th Armored Signal Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

II. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

MAJOR (CHAPLAIN) OLIN A. LEWIS (Army Serial Number 0414232), Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 25 October 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

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MAJOR CLEMENT O. STEVENSON (Army Serial Number 0341290), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 5 April 1945 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from South Carolina.

CAPTAIN FRANCIS A. WATSON (Army Serial Number 0310959), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 26 March 1945 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

III. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

FIRST LIEUTENANT MARVIN L. GRAFF (Army Serial Number 0542419), Field Artillery, formerly 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 17 March 1945 to 15 April 1945. Entered the military service from Wisconsin.

SECOND LIEUTENANT RICHARD E. VASICEK (Army Serial Number 01181790), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 October 1944 to 10 April 1945. Entered the military service from Nebraska.

IV. AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

FIRST LIEUTENANT ROBERT C. WELLS (Army Serial Number 0548201), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 27 March 1945, in the Oberhausen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Washington.

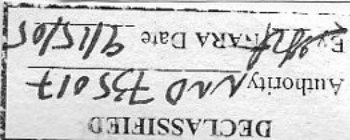
FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT) JOSEPH A. ZANG (Army Serial Number 01322663), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 26 August 1944, in the Melun Area, France. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

WARRANT OFFICER (JUNIOR GRADE) ROBERT A. MCENROE (Army Serial Number W2106432), NMB, Headquarters, Combat Command "A," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 5 April 1945, in the Elleringhausen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from New York.

Sergeant John E. Boyle (Army Serial Number 32257098), Infantry, formerly 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 20 January 1945, in the Deidenberg Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from New York.

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Sergeant Harry C. Fitch (Army Serial Number 31070190), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 2 April 1945, in the Giessen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

Sergeant (then Private First Class) Vincent D. Wagner (Army Serial Number 42108319), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 24 December 1944, in the Manhay Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Fourth Grade James F. McCue (Army Serial Number 32249707), Medical Department, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 8 September 1944, in the Dornot Area, France. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Technician Fifth Grade Edward G. Meeks (Army Serial Number 38337309), Medical Department, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 13 April 1945, in the Hovel Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Private First Class Vito T. Ciaramella (Army Serial Number 42077114), Infantry, formerly 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 20 January 1945, in the Deidenberg Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from New York.

Private First Class Herman J. Dupleis (Army Serial Number 34230758), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 22 December 1944, in the St. Vith Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Private First Class (then Private) Allen D. Lawrence III (Army Serial Number 34845712), Medical Department, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 28 March 1945, in the Giessenger Area, Germany. Entered the military service from South Carolina.

Private First Class Anthony J. Mandile (Army Serial Number 42186208), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 4 April 1945, in the Bronebach Area, Germany. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class John C. Turner (Army Serial Number 34192498), Medical Department, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 9 April 1945, in the Felbecke Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

Private First Class (then private) Charlie Whitehead, Jr. (Army Serial Number 34499509), Military Police, Military Police Platoon, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 21 October 1944, in the Amerika Area, Holland. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

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V. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (PURPLE HEART): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, in addition to the Purple Heart previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

CAPTAIN (then FIRST LIEUTENANT) VERNON FILES (Army Serial Number 0534363), Infantry, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 14 April 1945, in the Dilinghofen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Arkansas.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT) ISHMAEL E. FINNELL (Army Serial Number 01825607), Infantry, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 29 March 1945, in the Giessen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Kentucky.

Technical Sergeant Frank S. Dzierlinga (Army Serial Number 36037517), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 6 April 1945, in the Helmeringhausen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Staff Sergeant (then Sergeant) Vester Ashmore (Army Serial Number 34273349), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 7 April 1945, in the Gleidorf Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Private First Class John F. Cox (Army Serial Number 39087687), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 25 January 1945, in the Wallerode Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from California.

Private First Class Morse W. Gamble (Army Serial Number 36517396), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 6 April 1945, in the Kustelberg Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Michigan.

VI. RESCISSION: So much of Section III, General Orders No. 81, this headquarters, c.s., as pertains to the awarding of an Oak-Leaf Cluster (Silver Star) to CAPTAIN JOHN A. MEADS, JR. (Army Serial Number 01292036), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, is rescinded.

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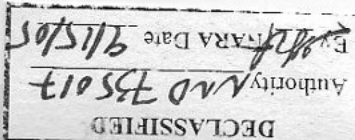
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GENERAL ORDERS) I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR
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 VI. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (PURPLE HEART)

I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to:

CAPTAIN (then FIRST LIEUTENANT) ROBERT E. HUTCHINS (Army Serial Number 01019175), Infantry, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Belgium, on 19 January 1945. Entered the military service from Kentucky.

CAPTAIN (then FIRST LIEUTENANT AND CAPTAIN) JOHN A. MEADS, JR. (Army Serial Number 01292036), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, from 29 March 1945 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from Maryland.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT) HARRY D. SWEENEY (Army Serial Number 01313819), Infantry, formerly 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in France, from 16 August 1944 to 18 August 1944. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Sergeant Herbert H. Roberts (Army Serial Number 37066571), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 30 March 1945. Entered the military service from Arkansas.

Technician Fifth Grade Melvin D. Tester (Army Serial Number 36241552), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 30 March 1945. Entered the military service from Wisconsin.

II. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (SILVER STAR): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Silver Star previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

MAJOR WILLIAM F. BEATY (Army Serial Number 022672), Cavalry, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 2 May 1945. Entered the military service from Kansas.

CAPTAIN MALCOLM O. ALLEN, JR. (Army Serial Number 01010686), Infantry, formerly 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 29 March 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

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III. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

MAJOR (then CAPTAIN and MAJOR) RUSSELL F. KAISER (Army Serial Number O320009), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 16 December 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

CAPTAIN JOHN E. KENNEDY, JR. (Army Serial Number 024659), Corps of Engineers, Headquarters, Combat Command "A," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the United States Military Academy from Louisiana.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) WILLIAM H. ESKRIDGE (Army Serial Number O1183284), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

FIRST LIEUTENANT JOHN C. HIPSON (Army Serial Number O1173644), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 September 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) HERBERT F. MEYER (Army Serial Number O1181958), Field Artillery, 489th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

FIRST LIEUTENANT HERBERT F. MILLER, JR. (Army Serial Number O466019), Ordnance Department, formerly 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 25 August 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

FIRST LIEUTENANT CECIL S. MIZE (Army Serial Number O445710), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 23 March 1945 to 21 April 1945. Entered the military service from Georgia.

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FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) ALBERT C. WELLING (Army Serial Number O1170244), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER EDWARD H. ROGERS (Army Serial Number W2114446), NMB, 37th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

Master Sergeant LeRoy J. Clark (Army Serial Number 36043094), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 18 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Master Sergeant Heinz O. Peuler (Army Serial Number 32680167), I. P. W. Team Number 73, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 15 January 1945 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Master Sergeant Kenneth R. Reinke (Army Serial Number 36234079), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Wisconsin.

Technical Sergeant Lucius D. DeRouen (Army Serial Number 14010457), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 23 March 1945 to 21 April 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Technical Sergeant Julius Erlich (Army Serial Number 37076215), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 4 May 1945. Entered the military service from Missouri.

Technical Sergeant Walter W. Fett (Army Serial Number 36036699), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Technical Sergeant John P. Flanagan (Army Serial Number 32249615), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

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Technical Sergeant Joseph C. Prosek (Army Serial Number 36043579), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Technical Sergeant Willis W. Rivenburg (Army Serial Number 39378919), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Washington.

Technical Sergeant Glenn F. Wahlquist (Army Serial Number 37032604), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

Staff Sergeant Harry J. LeBlanc (Army Serial Number 38264782), Armored, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 September 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Staff Sergeant George A. Shropshire (Army Serial Number 16066669), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 23 March 1945 to 21 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Technician Fourth Grade Carl H. Amelang (Army Serial Number 37110484), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Iowa.

Technician Fourth Grade Quita C. Thompson (Army Serial Number 38022929), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 18 April 1945. Entered the military service from Oklahoma.

Technician Fifth Grade Kenneth V. Keller (Army Serial Number 42065927), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 September 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Private First Class Ciro Gaudesi (Army Serial Number 39563196), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 October 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from California.

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Private First Class Eugene J. McCormack (Army Serial Number 32214116), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 15 December 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Private First Class Joseph P. Worley (Army Serial Number 35452939), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 23 March 1945 to 21 April 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

IV. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

LIEUTENANT COLONEL ROBERT L. RHEA (Army Serial Number 0300084), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

CAPTAIN ROBERT M. DAVIS (Army Serial Number 0440411), Field Artillery, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "B," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 27 March 1945 to 2 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

CAPTAIN (then FIRST LIEUTENANT and CAPTAIN) VERNON FILES (Army Serial Number 0534363), Infantry, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 1 March 1945 to 6 May 1945. Entered the military service from Arkansas.

SECOND LIEUTENANT HARRY J. CLARK (Army Serial Number 0551376), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 2 and 3 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Mexico.

Technician Fifth Grade Jacob A. Smegoski (Army Serial Number 32214377), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

V. AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

Corporal Anthony J. Domino (Army Serial Number 32239960), Armored, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 25 January 1945, in the St. Vith Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

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Corporal Kenneth H. Parks (Army Serial Number 33709993), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 27 March 1945, in the Oberbiel Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade Osmond H. Howard (Army Serial Number 32253353), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 5 April 1945, in the Elleringhausen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade Edward T. Kopecky (Army Serial Number 32249332), Ordnance Department, 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 3 November 1944, in the Lille St. Hubert Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade Roland D. McKenzie (Army Serial Number 38090179), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 28 March 1945, in the Heuchelheim Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Texas.

Technician Fifth Grade Michael B. Palys (Army Serial Number 32199562), Medical Department, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 4 April 1945, in the Kustelberg Area, Germany. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade Alex J. Scott (Army Serial Number 34138530), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 8 September 1944, in the Dornot Area, France. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Technician Fifth Grade Charles N. Simpson (Army Serial Number 34273186), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 22 January 1945, in the St. Vith Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Private First Class Norwood L. Conant (Army Serial Number 37242569), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 10 April 1945, in the Obr Marpe Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Kansas.

Private First Class Walter E. Hill (Army Serial Number 39146497), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 9 September 1944, in the Rezonville Area, France. Entered the military service from California.

Private First Class William Sachau (Army Serial Number 37656165), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 15 April 1945, in the Brockhausen Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Iowa.

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Private First Class Walter C. Topel (Army Serial Number 36820162), Armored, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 19 December 1944, in the Poteau Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Wisconsin.

Private Nicholas J. Davoney (Army Serial Number 33774308), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 29 October 1944, in the Liesel Area, Holland. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

VI. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (PURPLE HEART): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, in addition to the Purple Heart previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant Benedict D. Posch (Army Serial Number 37174695), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 24 September 1944, in the Longville Area, France. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

Private Treffley N. Bourdeau (Army Serial Number 32214400), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 10 April 1945, in the Obr Marpe Area, Germany. Entered the military service from New York.

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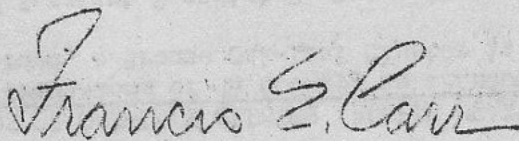
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Private Peter Sottile (Army Serial Number 42086163), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 22 January 1945, in the Deidenberg Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from New York.

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APO 257, U. S. ARMY

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31 May 1945

GENERAL ORDERS) I. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
: II. POSTHUMOUS AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL
NUMBER.....88) III. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL)
IV. AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART
V. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (PURPLE HEART)

I. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

CAPTAIN GEORGE W. BAIRD (Army Serial Number 0358345), Infantry, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

FIRST LIEUTENANT JOHN C. LOVING (Army Serial Number 0390109), Cavalry, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 18 April 1945. Entered the military service from Arizona.

FIRST LIEUTENANT ANTHONY M. LUDAS (Army Serial Number 01016153), Infantry, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

FIRST LIEUTENANT LEON J. MINVIELLE, JR. (Army Serial Number 0012165), Infantry, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER JAMES W. WEBB (Army Serial Number W2119663), NMB, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Kentucky.

WARRANT OFFICER (JUNIOR GRADE) HENRY J. SOLARES (Army Serial Number W2132799), NMB, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Florida.

Master Sergeant Jerry M. Denike (Army Serial Number 38079027), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

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Technical Sergeant Anthony T. O'Malley (Army Serial Number 36118138), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Technician Fourth Grade Ceslie M. Carpenter (Army Serial Number 35264973), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from West Virginia.

Technician Fourth Grade B. J. Craft, Jr. (Army Serial Number 34138920), Medical Department, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Technician Fourth Grade Rudolph A. Ptacin (Army Serial Number 36037568), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 8 September 1944 to 14 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Technician Fourth Grade John H. Vincent (Army Serial Number 36313509), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

II. POSTHUMOUS AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is posthumously awarded to:

COLONEL CHURCH M. MATTHEWS (Army Serial Number 017129), General Staff Corps, formerly Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, on 17 December 1944. Entered the United States Military Academy from District of Columbia.

III. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

CAPTAIN (then FIRST LIEUTENANT and CAPTAIN) CHARLES I. ALTON (Army Serial Number 0462810), Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, Division Artillery, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 4 November 1944 to 22 March 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

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FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) DAVID W. CROCKATT (Army Serial Number 0516996), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 27 January 1945 to 2 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

IV. AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

FIRST LIEUTENANT WILLIAM D. ARBUTHNOT (Army Serial Number 01014068), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 17 September 1944, in the Lorry Area, France. Entered the military service from Florida.

Technician Fourth Grade B. J. Craft, Jr. (Army Serial Number 34138920), Medical Department, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 8 September 1944, in the Hagendingen Area, France. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Private First Class John T. Geisler (Army Serial Number 33668215), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 1 October 1944, in the Doxmeer Area, Holland. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Private First Class Charlie Pennell (Army Serial Number 6730042), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 27 March 1945, in the Kirchhain Area, Germany. Entered the military service from New York.

Private First Class Albert Pontseele (Army Serial Number 36512192), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 17 January 1945, in the Born Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Michigan.

V. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (PURPLE HEART): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, in addition to the Purple Heart previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant Charles E. Golden (Army Serial Number 14017178), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 24 December 1944, in the Regne Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Sergeant Elmer L. Goode (Army Serial Number 36313676), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 24 January 1945, in the St. Vith Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Illinois.

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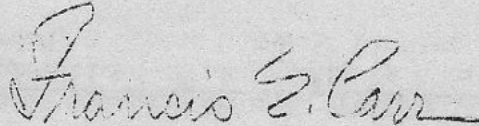
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Sergeant William J. O'Hara (Army Serial Number 12071793), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 24 January 1945, in the St. Vith Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from New York.

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By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

MAJOR (then CAPTAIN) WILLIAM D. BROWNE (Army Serial Number 0287697), Specialist Reserve, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 15 February 1945 to 20 April 1945. Entered the military service from Oregon.

CAPTAIN CLARENCE F. HARRINGTON (Army Serial Number 0508270), Dental Corps, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 27 April 1945. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

CAPTAIN (CHAPLAIN) RAPHAEL C. O'BRIEN (Army Serial Number 0426596), Headquarters Combat Command "B," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

CAPTAIN ISAMU OZAMOTO (Army Serial Number 0529419), Medical Corps, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Colorado.

CAPTAIN WILLIAM B. SHEVELAND (Army Serial Number 0393466), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 29 April 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

CAPTAIN RICHARD F. YORK (Army Serial Number 0500023), Medical Corps, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 20 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

FIRST LIEUTENANT JAMES W. BARTHOLOMEW (Army Serial Number 01011066), Infantry, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Holland, from 11 October 1944 to 20 December 1944. Entered the military service from New York.

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FIRST LIEUTENANT RAYMOND A. FUGA (Army Serial Number 01824848), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 September 1944 to 10 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) FREDERICK C. GALLE (Army Serial Number 0524123), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 4 January 1945 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

FIRST LIEUTENANT KENNETH A. HILL (Army Serial Number 01825274), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 25 September 1944 to 10 May 1945. Entered the military service from Iowa.

FIRST LIEUTENANT WILLIAM R. HOFF (Army Serial Number 01015708), Infantry, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 5 December 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

FIRST LIEUTENANT RICHARD L. KARCHER (Army Serial Number 01825227), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) PETER J. McKEON JR. (Army Serial Number 01173708), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

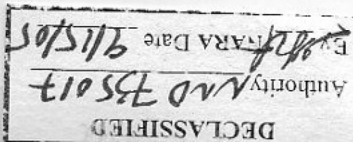
FIRST LIEUTENANT GERALD A. PERSON (Army Serial Number 01542042), Medical-Administrative Corps, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 27 April 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

FIRST LIEUTENANT PAUL A. SMITH (Army Serial Number 0355396), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

SECOND LIEUTENANT (then Master Sergeant) ERNEST J. COLTON (Army Serial Number 02026358), Military Intelligence, I. P. W. Team Number 70, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 October 1944 to 16 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

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SECOND LIEUTENANT (then Technical Sergeant and SECOND LIEUTENANT) MELVIN M. O'NEAL (Army Serial Number 02005257), Military Intelligence, 507th C. I. Co Detachment, United States Army; for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 9 December 1944 to 16 May 1945. Entered the military service from Kentucky.

CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER LYNDON M. ROTHWELL (Army Serial Number W2111578), NMB, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Virginia.

CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER KIT J. STUTT (Army Serial Number W2106428), NMB, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

WARRANT OFFICER (JUNIOR GRADE) LEWIS A. YOUNG (Army Serial Number W2128045), NMB, Headquarters Battery, Division Artillery, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Master Sergeant Francisco A. Gomes (Army Serial Number 6085154), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

Master Sergeant William F. Murphy, Jr. (Army Serial Number 32257361), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

First Sergeant Anthony Dombkowski (Army Serial Number 32214212), Medical Department, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 16 August 1944 to 16 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

First Sergeant Francis L. Fennessey (Army Serial Number 11009968), Medical Department, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

First Sergeant Sheldon J. Landry (Army Serial Number 6384348), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

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First Sergeant Reuben J. McBride (Army Serial Number 36042934), Medical Department, 77th Medical Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 27 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

First Sergeant James R. Murphy (Army Serial Number 32257373), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Technical Sergeant Albert T. Bareis (Army Serial Number 33083580), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 10 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technical Sergeant Ralph Bickel (Army Serial Number 13054843), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 19 December 1944, and from 18 March 1945 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

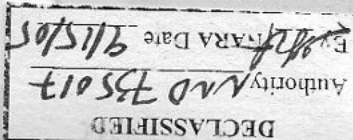
Technical Sergeant George E. Chipei (Army Serial Number 36621242), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Technical Sergeant David W. Grupe (Army Serial Number 36313799), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Technical Sergeant Oliver L. Kutscher (Army Serial Number 33172366), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technical Sergeant Edward W. Rutkowski (Army Serial Number 36116486), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 26 August 1944, and from 10 December 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Technical Sergeant Albert Williams (Army Serial Number 34003880), Quartermaster Corps, 446th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.



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Technical Sergeant Lester H. Woodrum (Army Serial Number 37015721), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Kansas.

Staff Sergeant John R. Adams (Army Serial Number 36176752), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Staff sergeant Herbert S. Dana (Army Serial Number 33003143), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "B," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 20 September 1944 to 16 May 1945. Entered the military service from Maryland.

Staff Sergeant Walter F. Drehner (Army Serial Number 32209913), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant Raymond E. Duke (Army Serial Number 14022728), Medical Department, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 27 April 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Staff Sergeant William G. Dukes, Jr. (Army Serial Number 34263025), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Georgia.

Staff Sergeant Joseph A. Galardy (Army Serial Number 33070268), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant Frederick I. Kirchner, Jr. (Army Serial Number 36169833), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 7 December 1944, and from 2 April 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Staff Sergeant Roscoe J. Knoderer (Army Serial Number 20538823), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Indiana.

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Staff Sergeant Carl Leuthner (Army Serial Number 32227448), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 27 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant Joseph E. Long (Army Serial Number 6945306), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant Elridge L. Provost (Army Serial Number 34233054), Quartermaster Corps, 446th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Staff Sergeant Robert J. Smalls (Army Serial Number 34252247), Quartermaster Corps, 446th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

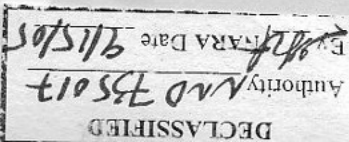
Staff Sergeant Monroe O. Stabeno (Army Serial Number 38155364), Armored, formerly Headquarters Company, Combat Command "B," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 2 May 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

Staff Sergeant Eugene J. Tally (Army Serial Number 37010561), Medical Department, 489th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Missouri.

Staff Sergeant William Weeks (Army Serial Number 34560150), Quartermaster Corps, 446th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Technician Third Grade Clarence E. Evenson (Army Serial Number 39171697), Medical Department, 489th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Montana.

Sergeant James E. Addington (Army Serial Number 33047279), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Virginia.



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Sergeant Donald F. Armstrong (Army Serial Number 32253056), Medical Department, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 19 November 1944 to 14 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Sergeant Joseph F. Benben (Army Serial Number 36503010), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Sergeant Carrol E. Christmas (Army Serial Number 37492711), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 September 1944 to 10 May 1945. Entered the military service from Missouri.

Sergeant Arnold I. Cleveland (Army Serial Number 37544945), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Indiana.

Sergeant Ray A. Collins (Army Serial Number 35302168), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "B," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 16 May 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Sergeant Kenneth I. Cooper (Army Serial Number 37467568), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 8 August 1944 to 10 May 1945. Entered the military service from Nebraska.

Sergeant Robert T. Corrigan (Army Serial Number 37493085), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Kansas.

Sergeant John C. Dinke (Army Serial Number 37467922), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Nebraska.

Sergeant Leroy C. Flick (Army Serial Number 33266945), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 25 September 1944 to 10 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

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Sergeant Charles E. Forsch (Army Serial Number 35284629), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 11 May 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Sergeant Ieo J. Fox (Army Serial Number 36504753), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Sergeant Edward W. Goacher (Army Serial Number 36061845), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 September 1944 to 10 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Sergeant Allan M. Lundberg (Army Serial Number 37544762), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

Sergeant Clinton Shaw (Army Serial Number 37492631), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 October 1944 to 10 May 1945. Entered the military service from Missouri.

Sergeant Tom Shofner (Army Serial Number 38072415), Medical Department, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

Sergeant Wilfred E. Spencer, Jr. (Army Serial Number 36167670), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, and Holland, from 11 October 1944 to 19 December 1944. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Sergeant John L. Yound (Army Serial Number 37430287), Medical Department, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 November 1944 to 25 December 1944, and from 13 February 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Iowa.

Technician Fourth Grade Louis J. Achille (Army Serial Number 36169885), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "B", 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 16 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

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Technician Fourth Grade Frederick J. Allen, Jr. (Army Serial Number 35539253), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Indiana.

Technician Fourth Grade Glenn E. Bailey (Army Serial Number 33162298), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fourth Grade Thomas D. Clark (Army Serial Number 35156608), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 10 May 1945. Entered the military service from Indiana.

Technician Fourth Grade Russell T. Costello (Army Serial Number 36169638), Medical Department, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Technician Fourth Grade Forrest L. Flynn (Army Serial Number 35044773), Infantry, formerly 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Indiana.

Technician Fourth Grade Sol Meyers (Army Serial Number 32249847), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "B," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 16 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Fourth Grade John W. Ruth (Army Serial Number 35721734), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion, (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Kentucky.

Technician Fourth Grade Clifford M. Sherwood, Jr. (Army Serial Number 32227370), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "B," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 September 1944 to 16 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

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Technician Fourth Grade Ansel M. Smith (Army Serial Number 37119244), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 8 August 1944 to 10 May 1945. Entered the military service from Nebraska.

Technician Fourth Grade James R. Whalen (Army Serial Number 32213495), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Corporal Elmer J. Barrett (Army Serial Number 37545318), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 October 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

Corporal Joseph P. Doboze (Army Serial Number 32233868), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Corporal Myron W. Furnish, Jr. (Army Serial Number 37492376), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 25 September 1944 to 15 March 1945. Entered the military service from Kansas.

Corporal Janier F. Johnson (Army Serial Number 34574325), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Georgia.

Corporal Floyd W. Washington (Army Serial Number 32968639), Quartermaster Corps, 446th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Corporal Chester Ziemba (Army Serial Number 36706511), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Technician Fifth Grade Jessie A. Cook (Army Serial Number 35578780), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Indiana.

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Technician Fifth Grade William S. Deala (Army Serial Number 39242446), Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, Division Artillery, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 4 May 1945. Entered the military service from California.

Technician Fifth Grade John P. McCue (Army Serial Number 32249860), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade Verl Swonger (Army Serial Number 35596344), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Technician Fifth Grade Elmer L. White (Army Serial Number 34575890) Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Private First Class Robert L. Martin, II (Army Serial Number 38471647), Armored, Reserve Command, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 8 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Oklahoma.

Private First Class Vernon M. Spates (Army Serial Number 38155610), Infantry, formerly 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

Private First Class Robert L. Swanson (Army Serial Number 33479854), Medical Department, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

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- GENERAL ORDERS) I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR
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VII. AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART

I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to:

CAPTAIN WILLIAM W. POWER (Army Serial Number 01011668), Infantry, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 27 and 28 March 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Sergeant Ernest J. Hasznos (Army Serial Number 15320466), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 3 May 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Sergeant Benjamin Wenal (Army Serial Number 33143905), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 2 and 3 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

II. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

CAPTAIN FRED W. MOYE, JR. (Army Serial Number 0394753), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

FIRST LIEUTENANT DONALD V. MCKINLEY (Army Serial Number 01106355), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

FIRST LIEUTENANT RALPH L. PELLERITO (Army Serial Number 01010835), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Master Sergeant (then Technical Sergeant) Clifford J. O'Shea (Army Serial Number 36037433), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "A," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 18 March 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

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First Sergeant Michael J. Bartosz (Army Serial Number 36054104), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 6 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

First Sergeant Roy F. Garrison (Army Serial Number 37076199), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Missouri.

First Sergeant Clarence G. Katzke (Army Serial Number 36706310), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 3 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

First Sergeant John J. Link (Army Serial Number 6932577), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Nebraska.

First Sergeant Braxton Newman (Army Serial Number 34179152), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

First Sergeant Irvin A. Pugh (Army Serial Number 20360600), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Virginia.

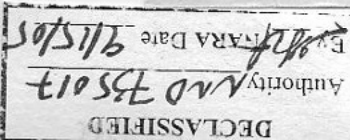
First Sergeant Stanford Valdetero (Army Serial Number 14017295), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "A," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Technical Sergeant James R. Carlin (Army Serial Number 33005712), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Maryland.

Technical Sergeant Homer A. Douglass (Army Serial Number 33153687), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

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Technical Sergeant Kenneth J. Jennings (Army Serial Number 32227793), Armored, Headquarters, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Technical Sergeant Arnold M. Munkel (Army Serial Number 37032050), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 14 May 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

Technical Sergeant Albert W. Zwirner (Army Serial Number 36119743), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 September 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Staff Sergeant Raymond H. Ayres (Army Serial Number 33005970), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Maryland.

Staff Sergeant Ira M. Baker (Army Serial Number 34138883), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Staff Sergeant Wilbur H. Brooks (Army Serial Number 36165154), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Staff Sergeant Charles D. Decker (Army Serial Number 32227765), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 14 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant Alvin M. Dodds (Army Serial Number 20757046), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 September 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Arkansas.

Staff Sergeant Howard L. Everett (Army Serial Number 34252984), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

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Staff Sergeant Bernard J. Fallon (Army Serial Number 31180337), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 25 November 1944, and from 21 January 1945 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Rhode Island.

Staff Sergeant Harold E. Honchen (Army Serial Number 33136812), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "A," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant Oliver I. Johnson (Army Serial Number 37046536), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Iowa.

Staff Sergeant Rocco A. Ranaudo (Army Serial Number 31064448), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 10 May 1945. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

Staff Sergeant Mariano M. Spatafora (Army Serial Number 3224222), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant Thomas J. Terrell (Army Serial Number 33155083), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 November 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Virginia.

Staff Sergeant Mario Trombetta (Army Serial Number 32249872), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant Wilbur F. Walker (Army Serial Number 14012193), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Georgia.

Staff Sergeant Forrest H. Zirkle (Army Serial Number 33006189), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Virginia.

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Sergeant Dominic A. Gigliotti (Army Serial Number 33150635), Corps of Engineers, 38d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 2 November 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Sergeant Elmer L. Goode (Army Serial Number 36313670), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 2 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Sergeant Leroy Jackson (Army Serial Number 34562737), Quartermaster Corps, 3967th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 18 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Georgia.

Sergeant Carlo J. Lucito (Army Serial Number 38264721), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Sergeant Francis F. Richardson (Army Serial Number 33554116), Quartermaster Corps, 3967th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 21 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Maryland.

Technician Fourth Grade Clarence L. Cook (Army Serial Number 13057596), Quartermaster Corps, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 September 1944 to 25 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fourth Grade Arthur H. Dietz (Army Serial Number 52235135), Corps of Engineers, 38d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 10 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Technician Fourth Grade Louis H. Dragon (Army Serial Number 11063207), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Rhode Island.

Technician Fourth Grade John H. Durba (Army Serial Number 32249387), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "A," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

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Technician Fourth Grade William K. Markwell (Army Serial Number 35806816), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "A," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Indiana.

Technician Fourth Grade James K. McCollum (Army Serial Number 34191086), Armored, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

Technician Fourth Grade Morris H. McPhail (Army Serial Number 37522222), Armored, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 20 September 1944 to 26 April 1945. Entered the military service from Kansas.

Technician Fourth Grade John J. H. Raunio (Army Serial Number 36234518), Armored, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Wisconsin.

Technician Fourth Grade Wade M. Slaughter (Army Serial Number 38079827), Medical Department, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 2 October 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

Technician Fourth Grade Ray W. Soule (Army Serial Number 36522898), Armored, Headquarters, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Technician Fifth Grade Kelsey Bellows, Jr. (Army Serial Number 33179981), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 14 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade Arthur L. Brown (Army Serial Number 32227652), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade James R. Eard (Army Serial Number 34254251), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

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Technician Fifth Grade Willard R. Daniel (Army Serial Number 34262445), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Georgia.

Technician Fifth Grade Henry E. Garbrick (Army Serial Number 33141721), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 20 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade Raymond E. Green (Army Serial Number 30178653), Medical Department, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 October 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Washington.

Technician Fifth Grade Joseph M. Kaelin (Army Serial Number 35475046), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Kentucky.

Technician Fifth Grade David H. Keating (Army Serial Number 13056959), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 3 October 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade Clarence E. McHoe (Army Serial Number 34100263), Quartermaster Corps, 3967th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 16 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Technician Fifth Grade Mack P. Nikles (Army Serial Number 34254475), Cavalry, 37th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 9 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

Technician Fifth Grade Arden W. Potter, Jr. (Army Serial Number 32214860), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade Robert R. Rabbitt (Army Serial Number 36157666), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "A," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

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Technician Fifth Grade Robert F. Ryan (Army Serial Number 32055245), Cavalry, 37th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 18 September 1944 to 14 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Technician Fifth Grade Thomas R. Serus (Army Serial Number 11064845), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

Technician Fifth Grade Anthony R. Smith (Army Serial Number 32213613), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Private First Class Harry L. Erickson (Army Serial Number 37559420), Medical Department, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 20 September 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

Private First Class Harry A. Nelson (Army Serial Number 37654935), Medical Department, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 7 April 1945. Entered the military service from Iowa.

Private First Class George Woods (Army Serial Number 33289489), Quartermaster Corps, 446th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Arkansas.

Private Thomas K. Gilday (Army Serial Number 32727185), Infantry, formerly 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 20 September 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Private John W. Karl, Jr. (Army Serial Number 42065522), Armored, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 12 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

III. POSTHUMOUS AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of PR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is posthumously awarded to:

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Technician Fifth Grade Ralph T. Gengler (Army Serial Number 36313649), Cavalry, formerly 37th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 14 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

IV. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

MAJOR (then CAPTAIN and MAJOR) GEORGE L. TRNECE (Army Serial Number 01821934), Field Artillery, Headquarters, Combat Command "B," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 5 November 1944 to 2 May 1945. Entered the military service from Indiana.

FIRST LIEUTENANT WILLIAM J. SULLIVAN (Army Serial Number 01012527), Cavalry, 37th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 2 and 3 May 1945. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

Corporal John R. Bottenus (Army Serial Number 32314016), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, on 8 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

V. AWARD OF AIR MEDAL: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded to:

MAJOR WILLIAM W. RAFLINGS, JR. (Army Serial Number 01010049), Field Artillery, Headquarters, Division Artillery, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 August 1944 to 11 April 1945. Entered the military service from Kentucky.

VI. AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Corporal Walter K. Blackburn, Jr. (Army Serial Number 39527614), Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, Division Artillery, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 2 January 1945 to 16 March 1945. Entered the military service from California.

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VII. AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

CAPTAIN ISAMU OZAMOTO (Army Serial Number 0529419), Medical Corps, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 17 March 1945 in the Poch Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Colorado.

Staff Sergeant Ralph H. Stanifer (Army Serial Number 34937853), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 14 April 1945 in the Neuenrade Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Georgia.

Technician Fifth Grade Robert R. Rabbitt (Army Serial Number 36157666), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "A," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 12 April 1945, in the Balve Area, Germany. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Private Francis H. Jannicelli (Army Serial Number 42165782), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 3 May 1945, in the Dassow Area, Germany. Entered the military service from New York.

Private Jeremia J. Naimoli (Army Serial Number 31410134), Medical Department, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 25 January 1945, in the St. Vith Area, Belgium. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF COMBAT COMMANDER

VOCG 4 Jun 45 announcing LIEUTENANT COLONEL ROBERT B. JONES, O 294 455, FA (TD), as Commanding Officer, Combat Command "B," 7th Armored Division, during the temporary absence of COLONEL JOSEPH F. HASKELL, O18 197, Cav, are hereby confirmed and made of record.

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MAJOR DAVIS FITZHUGH, O1 312 531, Inf, is announced as Military Government Officer, this headquarters.

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: II. AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL)
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IV. AWARD OF GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL

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I. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

CAPTAIN KENNETH L. JONES (Army Serial Number 01300044), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Missouri.

CAPTAIN EDGAR R. KADEL, JR. (Army Serial Number 0442888), Field Artillery, 814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 9 August 1944 to 12 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

FIRST LIEUTENANT BENJAMIN F. HUGHES (Army Serial Number 01014559), Cavalry, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Maryland.

CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER JOHN P. MOYLE (Army Serial Number W2110473), NMB, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Wisconsin.

WARRANT OFFICER (JUNIOR GRADE) (then Technical Sergeant). JOHN G. FARLEY (Army Serial Number W2120333), NMB, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

Master Sergeant James E. Fisher (Army Serial Number 36118272), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 19 September 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Master Sergeant Leonard G. Pease (Army Serial Number 36158085), Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, Division Artillery, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

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First Sergeant Roy A. Clayton (Army Serial Number 14017550), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Georgia.

First Sergeant William J. Kelly (Army Serial Number 34197075), Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, Division Artillery, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Technical Sergeant Raymond M. Protasiewicz (Army Serial Number 32339856), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Technical Sergeant Reuben J. Sather (Army Serial Number 37032709), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from South Dakota.

Technical Sergeant Philip G. Sheridan (Army Serial Number 32227807), Medical Department, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 10 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant John A. Duryea (Army Serial Number 12077536), Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, Division Artillery, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Staff Sergeant Samuel G. Gay (Army Serial Number 34263994), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 August 1944 to 24 August 1944, and from 10 October 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Staff Sergeant Henry J. Golub (Army Serial Number 32106748), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant James W. Male (Army Serial Number 35535398), Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, Division Artillery, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

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Staff Sergeant Frank E. Schwarz (Army Serial Number 33267736), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant Nicholas W. Zasorin (Army Serial Number 32248668), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Sergeant Joseph A. Catterall (Army Serial Number 32235267), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Sergeant William J. Cohan (Army Serial Number 33141409), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Sergeant Edward F. Johnson (Army Serial Number 31064242), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 8 November 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

Sergeant Fred H. Kelsey (Army Serial Number 15101334), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Technician Fourth Grade Marx A. Bledsoe (Army Serial Number 38084241), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Colorado.

Technician Fourth Grade Vincent D. Hayes (Army Serial Number 32233942), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "B," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 22 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Fourth Grade Richard H. Landers, Jr. (Army Serial Number 38138470), Armored, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 15 February 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

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Technician Fourth Grade Lester L. Walker (Army Serial Number 34123279), Field Artillery, 489th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from South Carolina.

Technician Fifth Grade George B. Bettle (Army Serial Number 31064555), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "B," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 15 May 1945. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

Technician Fifth Grade Allan B. Cumberbatch (Army Serial Number 39406484), Quartermaster Corps, 3967th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 16 August 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from California.

Technician Fifth Grade Thomas E. Dearman (Army Serial Number 34272959), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Technician Fifth Grade Wallace V. Eisenstat (Army Serial Number 13055997), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "B," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 2 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade William K. Gordon (Army Serial Number 20227647), Armored, Headquarters Company, Combat Command "B," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 22 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade Joseph Lepore (Army Serial Number 31064605), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

II. AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

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Corporal Walter K. Blackburn, Jr. (Army Serial Number 39527614), Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, Division Artillery, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 16 March 1945 to 7 April 1945. Entered the military service from California.

III. AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

SECOND LIEUTENANT GEORGE A. PATTEN (Army Serial Number 0547326), Infantry, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 27 March 1945, in the Berghausen area, Germany. Entered the military service from New Hampshire.

Staff Sergeant William A. Miele (Army Serial Number 32249432), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 17 August 1944, in the Chartres area, France. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Technician Third Grade Walter E. Best (Army Serial Number 35284650), Medical Department, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 20 August 1944, in the Chartres area, France. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Technician Third Grade William H. Easton (Army Serial Number 36169642), Medical Department, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 14 April 1945, in the Elleringhausen area, Germany. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Technician Third Grade John C. Reynolds (Army Serial Number 32249737), Medical Department, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 8 September 1944, in the Dornot area, France. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Sergeant Josh C. Edwards (Army Serial Number 38043874), Field Artillery, 489th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 2 December 1944, in the Geronsweiler area, Germany. Entered the military service from Texas.

Sergeant Owen H. Witt (Army Serial Number 36158016), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 4 November 1944, in the Nederweert area, Holland. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Technician Fourth Grade Sam M. Rosen (Army Serial Number 37076212), Medical Department, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 23 August 1944, in the Melun area, France. Entered the military service from Missouri.

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Corporal Paul Bagshaw (Army Serial Number 31119984), Medical Department, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 19 August 1944 in the Dreux area, France. Entered the military service from Rhode Island.

Technician Fifth Grade William V. Anderson (Army Serial Number 38090166), Medical Department, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 17 March 1945, in the Pech area, Germany. Entered the military service from Texas.

Technician Fifth Grade Gerald P. Blackwell (Army Serial Number 34138448), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 15 August 1944, in the Lavel area, France. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Private First Class Earl H. Darnold (Army Serial Number 39715789), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 28 October 1944, in the Meijel area, Holland. Entered the military service from California.

Private First Class Howard McNemar (Army Serial Number 35264984), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 21 December 1944, in the St. Vith area, Belgium. Entered the military service from West Virginia.

Private First Class Elmer A. Naibert (Army Serial Number 36278134), Infantry, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 6 April 1945, in the Oberkirchen area, Germany. Entered the military service from Wisconsin.

Private Charles M. Morgan (Army Serial Number 34254796), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for wounds received as a result of enemy action on 20 October 1944, in the Asten area, Holland. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

IV. AWARD OF GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-58, as amended, the Good Conduct Medal is awarded to Pfc Sidney S. Geroe, 32888378, IPW Team No. 70.

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AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

CAPTAIN (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) WILLIAM K. ALLEY (Army Serial Number 01015982), Infantry, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

CAPTAIN (then FIRST LIEUTENANT and CAPTAIN) LLOYD W. GOEPPERT, JR. (Army Serial Number 0443956), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from California.

FIRST LIEUTENANT JOSEPH B. CROOKS (Army Serial Number 0379247), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 20 November 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) WILBUR F. MUNCH (Army Serial Number 01012308), Cavalry, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER JACK H. WOLT (Army Serial Number W2110511), NMB, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Oklahoma.

Master Sergeant John H. Belt (Army Serial Number 36041996), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

First Sergeant Thomas F. Trello (Army Serial Number 36313058), Armored, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

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Technical Sergeant Edgar L. Bledsoe (Army Serial Number 20845465), Armored, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Arkansas.

Technical Sergeant Marion F. Peterson (Army Serial Number 34078481), Medical Department, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Staff Sergeant Edward T. Frey (Army Serial Number 36054071), Armored, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Staff Sergeant Charles A. Glasen (Army Serial Number 33172462), Armored, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant Clarence T. Lane (Army Serial Number 36621240), Chemical Warfare Service, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

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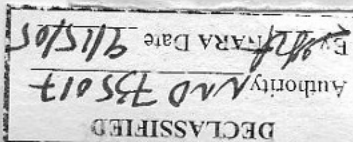
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AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL*W.S.O. [initials]*

By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Memorandum No. 34, Headquarters Ninth United States Army, 8 September 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

CAPTAIN JAMES H. CHEEK, JR. (Army Serial Number 0390775), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Virginia.

CAPTAIN BYRON D. McLELLAN, JR. (Army Serial Number 01280225), Finance Department, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from Maine.

Master Sergeant Adeo Hollier (Army Serial Number 14031920), Finance Department, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

First Sergeant Horace L. Lindsey (Army Serial Number R-3911115), Armored, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 2 March 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Oklahoma.

Technical Sergeant Charles A. Jorgenson (Army Serial Number 20120724), formerly 507th C.I.C. Detachment, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 23 February 1945 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

Staff Sergeant John A. Vaughn (Army Serial Number 34138726), Armored, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

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Technician Fourth Grade Roy W. Bell (Army Serial Number 34192161), Armored, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

Technician Fourth Grade Anthony A. DelCasino (Army Serial Number 32249566), Infantry, 7th Armored Division Band, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

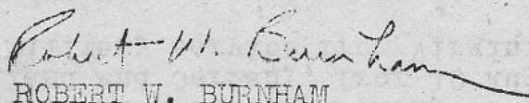
Technician Fourth Grade Haywood P. Waller (Army Serial Number 34192334), Finance Department, Headquarters 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 12 May 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

Corporal Jack Merchant (Army Serial Number 36877556), M.I.I. Team 441-G, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 23 February 1945 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

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AWARDS OF COMBAT INFANTRYMAN BADGE

1. Under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 408, 17 October 1944, the Combat Infantryman Badge is awarded, for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, to the following named enlisted men, present and former members, Company "A," 23d Armored Infantry Battalion:

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| S Sgt Pearley A. Buchanan 31099453 | Pfc George J. Derderian 36993869 |
| S Sgt Carl H. Greenwood 33772970 | Pfc Alan Dickson 38521569 |
| S Sgt Frederick A. Siino 31336873 | Pfc Albert P. Dishon 35463052 |
| Tec 4 Clarence M. Davis 37139910 | Pfc Graham R. Eason 34899202 |
| Tec 5 Edward I. Hill 39041250 | Pfc Wilbur K. Fenske 36986608 |
| Tec 5 William T. Mathis 34329747 | Pfc Gilberto G. Gonzalez 18158031 |
| Pfc Donald P. Bergen 37552013 | Pfc Garland C. Greathouse 35435397 |
| Pfc Max R. Carlton 37746699 | Pfc Tommie Harris 35873442 |
| Pfc Kenneth P. Clark 31401503 | Pfc Rolland A. Jolin 31416126 |
| Pfc John J. Crowley 36845551 | Pfc William Mitchell 32409871 |
| Pfc Antone M. Costa 31434156 | Pfc James V. Mondo 37563504 |
| Pfc Benancio Carrisalez 39616645 | Pfc Soilo G. Montes 38122242 |
| Pfc Frank D. Chiancone 32640590 | Pfc Salvatore F. Naturile 32450830 |

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| Pfc Edgar A. Smart, Jr. 34253998 | Pvt Elmer E. Ertel, Jr. 36911182 |
| Pfc Thomas P. Snellings 13118363 | Pvt George L. Fansler 6256158 |
| Pfc Howard C. Venable 38633622 | Pvt Ernest Finley 38657889 |
| Pfc Herman R. Warrington 38687516 | Pvt George I. Gordon 38570597 |
| Pfc Ernest L. Weldon, Jr. 38571368 | Pvt Albert F. Guglietti 33939307 |
| Pfc Dawson S. Wells 14059127 | Pvt Julian S. Herz 32179964 |
| Pfc Lawrence J. Menke 37698416 | Pvt Albert D. Stone 14060079 |
| Pvt Carl D. Charbonnet 18152622 | Pvt William F. Woodside, Jr. 31401616 |
| Pvt Ralph L. Christie 16178011 | Sgt Walter D. Johnson 37568971 |
| Pvt James E. Cruce 36907465 | |

2. VOCC 25 Aug 44 awarding the Combat Infantryman Badge, under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 186, 11 May 1944, to Pfc Italo J. Cosenza, 32334227, formerly Company "C," 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy, are hereby confirmed and made of record.

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AWARDS OF MEDICAL BADGE

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VOCG 25 Nov 44 awarding the Medical Badge under the provisions of War Department Circular No. 66, 1 March 1945 to the following named officers for satisfactory performance of duty under actual combat conditions are hereby confirmed and made of record:

CAPTAIN MORTON S. BRYER, 0469386, Medical Corps
CAPTAIN JOHN S. DeSIMONE, 0500409, Medical Corps

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NUMBER.....99) III. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL)

I. AWARDS OF SILVER STAR: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Circular No. 25, Headquarters Seventh United States Army, 7 November 1944, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to:

FIRST LIEUTENANT ODE ODENS (Army Serial Number 01174091), Field Artillery, formerly 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, from 28 November 1944 to 30 November 1944. Entered the military service from South Dakota.

Staff Sergeant Harold J. Gill (Army Serial Number 32209402), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by gallantry in action in Germany, on 3 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

II. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Circular No. 25, Headquarters Seventh United States Army, 7 November 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

CAPTAIN OLAF W. CHRISTOPHERSON (Army Serial Number 0330492), Infantry, Headquarters, 9th Armored Group, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 10 January 1945 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from District of Columbia.

CAPTAIN JAMES W. GOOLEY, JR. (Army Serial Number 01014974), Infantry, Headquarters, 9th Armored Group, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 10 January 1945 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

CAPTAIN (then FIRST LIEUTENANT and CAPTAIN) HENRY J. HERZOG (Army Serial Number 0534994), Medical Corps, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 15 February 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

CAPTAIN (then FIRST LIEUTENANT and CAPTAIN) MALCOLM A. MCKELLAR (Army Serial Number 01012159), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

CAPTAIN ROY W. NELSON (Army Serial Number 01010242), Infantry, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, from 18 December 1944 to 23 December 1944. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

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CAPTAIN (then FIRST LIEUTENANT and CAPTAIN) LEO J. SAMETZ (Army Serial Number O1013960), Infantry, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

CAPTAIN ARTHUR R. SLADE, JR. (Army Serial Number O456136), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

CAPTAIN HARLAN C. STINE (Army Serial Number O1010888), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Maryland.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) FLOYD C. BECK (Army Serial Number O1017177), Cavalry, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 1 January 1945 to 4 May 1945. Entered the military service from Colorado.

FIRST LIEUTENANT WALTER R. BUTT, JR. (Army Serial Number O1018594), Infantry, Headquarters Company, 9th Armored Group, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 10 January 1945 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Kentucky.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) J. HAROLD POLAND (Army Serial Number O1031435), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 27 October 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

SECOND LIEUTENANT ALTON F. JAYROE (Army Serial Number O2005639), Cavalry, 750th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 25 February 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

WARRANT OFFICER (JUNIOR GRADE) ROY W. BEERS (Army Serial Number W2129536), NMB, Headquarters, 9th Armored Group, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 25 March 1945 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

Master Sergeant Leonard K. Sedge (Army Serial Number 36169318), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 2 March 1945, and from 20 March 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

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First Sergeant Frank W. DeFratus Jr. (Army Serial Number 38041138), Armored, 750th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 11 November 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

Technical Sergeant Michael G. Furlich (Army Serial Number 37071659), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Nebraska.

Technical Sergeant John B. Hogue (Army Serial Number 32227710), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant Frank B. Eilzey, Jr. (Army Serial Number 34138470), Armored, formerly 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 18 September 1944, and from 24 September 1944 to 9 April 1945. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Staff Sergeant Salvatore Giangregio (Army Serial Number 36036663), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 17 August 1944 to 13 April 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Staff Sergeant Clarence R. Hupp (Army Serial Number 35270587), Armored, 750th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 17 November 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Staff Sergeant Peter L. Lisewski (Army Serial Number 31087916), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 20 January 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Massachusetts.

Staff Sergeant David G. Mitchell (Army Serial Number 36117993), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 September 1944 to 2 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Staff Sergeant Francis L. Sutton (Army Serial Number 13145834), Armored, Headquarters Company, 9th Armored Group, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 10 January 1945 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

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Technician Third Grade Ervin B. Flencher (Army Serial Number 38099879), Medical Department, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

Technician Third Grade Thomas L. Henicsek (Army Serial Number 33148823), Armored, Reserve Command, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 15 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Third Grade Samuel Marcus (Army Serial Number 32228154), Medical Department, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Third Grade Richard M. Rudinger (Army Serial Number 32208862), Medical Department, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 4 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Sergeant James O. Corbin (Army Serial Number 32485017), Quartermaster Corps, 3967th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 16 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Delaware.

Sergeant Earl C. Daniels (Army Serial Number 33005934), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from District of Columbia.

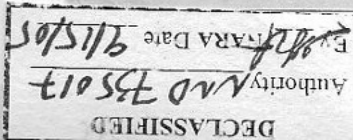
Sergeant Pascal J. Claviano (Army Serial Number 34230598), Military Police, Military Police Platoon, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 2 January 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Sergeant Herbert C. Hinrichs (Army Serial Number 36077943), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 4 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Sergeant Orville F. Howard (Army Serial Number 35124543), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Holland, on 28 October 1944. Entered the military service from Kentucky.

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Sergeant Michael F. Iocco (Army Serial Number 36036381), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Sergeant August Rasin (Army Serial Number 36078229), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Sergeant Peter J. Sena, Jr. (Army Serial Number 42006263), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 25 October 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Sergeant James Watson (Army Serial Number 34058315), Quartermaster Corps, 446th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Florida.

Technician Fourth Grade John J. Adams (Army Serial Number 33139587), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fourth Grade Clifford E. Cole (Army Serial Number 37047280), Armored, 750th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 4 November 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

Technician Fourth Grade Ross E. Fleisher (Army Serial Number 33149309), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fourth Grade Peter J. Hornstein (Army Serial Number 37278226), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 4 May 1945. Entered the military service from North Dakota.

Technician Fourth Grade Ellis H. Macey (Army Serial Number 32235597), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 November 1944, and from 9 January 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

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Technician Fourth Grade Jesse H. Scruggs (Army Serial Number 34191523), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

Technician Fourth Grade Walter A. Tyson (Army Serial Number 38447337), Quartermaster Corps, 446th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Arkansas.

Technician Fourth Grade Harry A. Wagner (Army Serial Number 34254578), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from West Virginia.

Corporal Dale M. Jones (Army Serial Number 38149421), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, on 19 December 1944. Entered the military service from Oklahoma.

Corporal Horace E. Morton (Army Serial Number 32249308), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Corporal John R. Watson (Army Serial Number 18073087), Armored, Reserve Command, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

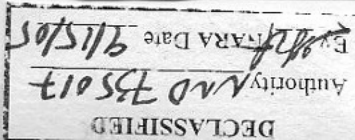
Technician Fifth Grade James L. Barnes (Army Serial Number 34273418), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Technician Fifth Grade Leonard D. Brown (Army Serial Number 37282180), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 19 March 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

Technician Fifth Grade Arnold E. Hansvold (Army Serial Number 37275440), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

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Technician Fifth Grade Lloyd B. Harp (Army Serial Number 38189744), Armored, 750th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 16 November 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Oklahoma.

Technician Fifth Grade William T. Kennedy (Army Serial Number 32227413), Armored, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Technician Fifth Grade William J. Malesic (Army Serial Number 33148414), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade James L. Robinson (Army Serial Number 39692200), Quartermaster Corps, 3967th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 16 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from California.

Technician Fifth Grade Peter F. Sunich (Army Serial Number 36234672), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Private First Class Edwin S. Dobyms (Army Serial Number 33846479), Armored, Reserve Command, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 November 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from District of Columbia.

Private First Class Harvey T. Hill (Army Serial Number 36436836), Armored, Headquarters Company, 9th Armored Group, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 22 December 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Private First Class Gerald P. Lipstein (Army Serial Number 12060430), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

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Private First Class Arthur H. Patten (Army Serial Number 32268318), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Private First Class Kersey A. Pruitt (Army Serial Number 36054134), Military Police, Military Police Platoon, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 21 August 1944 to 15 March 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Private First Class Edward L. Ryalls (Army Serial Number 33093217), Military Police, Military Police Platoon, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 September 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Virginia.

Private First Class Loyd J. Smith (Army Serial Number 30342374), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 31 December 1944 to 9 May 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

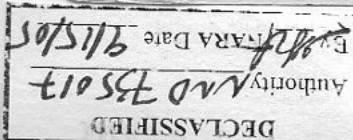
Private First Class Buster J. Tims (Army Serial Number 37125739), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 27 October 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

III. AWARDS OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (BRONZE STAR MEDAL): By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Circular No. 25, Headquarters Seventh United States Army, 7 November 1944, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

CAPTAIN HAROLD E. EVERETT (Army Serial Number 01695854), Medical Corps, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 23 March 1945 to 15 April 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) ROBERT F. ELLIS, JR. (Army Serial Number 0592130), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 2 September 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Florida.

FIRST LIEUTENANT GEORGE B. RICHMOND (Army Serial Number 0449071), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from West Virginia.



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AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

By direction of the President, and under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, and Circular No. 25, Headquarters Seventh United States Army, 7 November 1944, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

CAPTAIN GLENN W. GRIER, JR. (Army Serial Number 01011403), Infantry, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

CAPTAIN EVERETT ROBERTS (Army Serial Number 0374550), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

CAPTAIN DAVID J. TRAYNHAM (Army Serial Number 01168954), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, from 17 December 1944 to 21 December 1944. Entered the military service from Virginia.

FIRST LIEUTENANT REINHARDT W. BOGER (Army Serial Number 01015082), Infantry, 750th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 1 February 1945 to 3 May 1945. Entered the military service from Kansas.

FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) ROBERT E. DAVID (Army Serial Number 01012836), Infantry, 40th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from South Carolina.

FIRST LIEUTENANT EDWARD N. GILBERT JR. (Army Serial Number 01041560), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

FIRST LIEUTENANT LEO SHER (Army Serial Number 0454790), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 September 1944 to 22 December 1944 and from 1 February 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

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FIRST LIEUTENANT (then SECOND LIEUTENANT and FIRST LIEUTENANT) HENRY E. TEMPLE (Army Serial Number O1017292), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 24 August 1944 to 12 September 1944 and from 8 November 1944 to 10 April 1945. Entered the military service from Colorado.

SECOND LIEUTENANT (then First Sergeant and SECOND LIEUTENANT) BERNARD E. SCHOONBEEK (Army Serial Number O1996555), Medical Administrative Corps, 77th Medical Battalion, Armored, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 5 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Master Sergeant Robert H. Webb (Army Serial Number 39301576), Armored, Headquarters Company, 9th Armored Group, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 12 January 1945 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Oregon.

First Sergeant Owen D. Herrin (Army Serial Number 34138175), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

First Sergeant William T. Probst (Army Serial Number 35326466), Armored, Headquarters Company, 9th Armored Group, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 10 January 1945 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Indiana.

Technical Sergeant Dayton C. Hutchins (Army Serial Number 36173032), Armored, Headquarters Company, 9th Armored Group, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 10 January 1945 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Technical Sergeant Virgil L. Mansfield (Army Serial Number 38020451), Armored, 750th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 11 November 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Oklahoma.

Staff Sergeant John L. Beam (Army Serial Number 14015887), Infantry, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

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Staff Sergeant Charles M. Heacox (Army Serial Number 39013297), Armored, Headquarters Company, 9th Armored Group, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 10 January 1945 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from California.

Staff Sergeant Edward F. Heary (Army Serial Number 32739520), Armored, Headquarters Company, 9th Armored Group, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 16 December 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant Chester R. Howell (Army Serial Number 38355595), Armored, Headquarters Company, 9th Armored Group, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 12 January 1945 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Arkansas.

Staff Sergeant Victor Macek (Army Serial Number 37192380), Armored, 750th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 11 November 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Iowa.

Staff Sergeant John A. Powell (Army Serial Number 36077991), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Staff Sergeant Gerald J. Sanders (Army Serial Number 33061068), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 14 October 1944 and from 3 January 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Maryland.

Staff Sergeant John P. Speck (Army Serial Number 35410824), Armored, 750th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 11 November 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Ohio.

Staff Sergeant Edward G. Stein (Army Serial Number 36042656), Medical Department, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

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Sergeant Anthony R. Brandofino (Army Serial Number 32228117), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 23 August 1944 and from 9 January 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Sergeant Cecil O. Brown (Army Serial Number 34254248), Infantry, 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from North Carolina.

Sergeant Herbert Fontenot (Army Serial Number 14059635), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 20 March 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Louisiana.

Sergeant William H. Hinton (Army Serial Number 34272969), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Sergeant Clarence L. Mason (Army Serial Number 39610965), Armored, 750th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 16 November 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Montana.

Sergeant John H. Metcalf (Army Serial Number 31275655), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Connecticut.

Sergeant Christian Stager, Jr. (Army Serial Number 32248592), Armored, Reserve Command, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 December 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from New Jersey.

Sergeant Bronk Vidovich (Army Serial Number 15090001), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 30 August 1944 and from 10 December 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from West Virginia.

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Technician Fourth Grade William W. Blakney (Army Serial Number 39406348), Quartermaster Corps, 3967th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 16 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from California.

Technician Fourth Grade Anton I. Boston (Army Serial Number 36053877), Corps of Engineers, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 14 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Technician Fourth Grade Mike Bushko, Jr. (Army Serial Number 33153198), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 27 October 1944 to 18 December 1944 and from 20 January 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fourth Grade Curtis F. Caldwell (Army Serial Number 34191062), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

Technician Fourth Grade Dave P. Coscia (Army Serial Number 34192323), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

Technician Fourth Grade Elmer W. Frances (Army Serial Number 31112551), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, on 19 December 1944. Entered the military service from Rhode Island.

Technician Fourth Grade Ollie W. Grey (Army Serial Number 36300102), Quartermaster Corps, 446th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 December 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Illinois.

Technician Fourth Grade Joseph G. Jalsevac (Army Serial Number 33148431), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fourth Grade George L. James (Army Serial Number 34262719), Armored, 17th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Georgia.

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Technician Fourth Grade Kenneth K. Kromer (Army Serial Number 33136814), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Germany, from 6 May 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fourth Grade John D. Lockler (Army Serial Number 38054738), Armored, 750th Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 16 November 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

Technician Fourth Grade Benjamin F. Taylor (Army Serial Number 35121066), Quartermaster Corps, 446th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 13 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Kentucky.

Technician Fourth Grade Wesley N. Workman (Army Serial Number 36167623), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 30 April 1945. Entered the military service from Michigan.

Corporal Helmuth Handte (Army Serial Number 19071100), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 4 May 1945. Entered the military service from Montana.

Corporal Albert G. Home (Army Serial Number 34240256), Armored, Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division Trains, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from Florida.

Corporal Robert A. Hulen (Army Serial Number 33079496), Military Police, Military Police Platoon, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 21 August 1944 to 15 March 1945. Entered the military service from Texas.

Corporal Joseph B. Libonati (Army Serial Number 32687879), Coast Artillery Corps, 203d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (SP), United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 7 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Corporal Robert P. Muldoon (Army Serial Number 32207757), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 4 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

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Corporal Andrew J. Pierce (Army Serial Number 13079332), Military Police, Military Police Platoon, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 16 December 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Corporal Kenneth L. Roberts (Army Serial Number 14121381), Field Artillery, 434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 10 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Tennessee.

Corporal Alfred E. Van Laecken (Army Serial Number 37123837), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from South Dakota.

Corporal George Watson (Army Serial Number 34562579), Quartermaster Corps, 3967th Quartermaster Truck Company, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 16 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Georgia.

Technician Fifth Grade Gerald P. Blackwell (Army Serial Number 34138447), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Technician Fifth Grade William C. Bowdoin (Army Serial Number 34273322), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Technician Fifth Grade Joseph J. Brislin (Army Serial Number 33148841), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 12 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Pennsylvania.

Technician Fifth Grade James F. Higginbotham (Army Serial Number 34582932), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 15 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Alabama.

Technician Fifth Grade Walter Langford (Army Serial Number 37032594), Cavalry, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Holland, on 14 October 1944. Entered the military service from Minnesota.

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Technician Fifth Grade Louis E. Walker (Army Serial Number 39401902), Armored, 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from California.

Private First Class Edward H. Dixon (Army Serial Number 34138693), Military Police, Military Police Platoon, 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 16 December 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from Mississippi.

Private First Class Steve J. Nezezon (Army Serial Number 32233684), Armored, formerly 31st Tank Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 11 August 1944 to 8 May 1945. Entered the military service from New York.

Private Frank W. Dozier (Army Serial Number 35265922), Field Artillery, 440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany, from 1 September 1944 to 1 May 1945. Entered the military service from Kentucky.

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