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I. AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded the following named personnel:

WILLIAM C. CADMAN, 33276188, S Sgt (then Pfc), Co I, 317th Infantry, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in FRANCE on 5 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. When his assault boat was sunk by enemy fire while crossing the Moselle River at PONT-A-MOUSSON, FRANCE, S Sgt CADMAN swam to shore with a wounded comrade. Then under enemy artillery, mortar, and small arms fire he made three trips into the swollen river to rescue other wounded soldiers. The conspicuous bravery and zealous devotion to duty displayed by S Sgt CADMAN exemplify the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

JESSE M. DUNNAWAY, 33213264, Tec 5, Hq Co, 2d Bn, 317th Infantry, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in GERMANY on 10 April 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Near GISPERSLEBEN, GERMANY, the Battalion S-3 had been severely wounded while far in front of the riflemen. On his own initiative, Tec 5 DUNNAWAY charged through small arms, machine gun, and mortar fire to aid the officer and evacuate him over the same dangerous route. Tec 5 DUNNAWAY'S courage, aggressiveness, and devotion to duty saved the officer's life and are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Virginia.

JACK A. MARSHALL, 0451717, Capt, Infantry, 317th Infantry, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in LUXEMBOURG on 26 January 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Capt MARSHALL fearlessly occupied an observation post despite a severe concentration of enemy mortar and artillery fire. He gathered valuable information even though the enemy counterattacked twice, and then planned and gallantly led a night attack to successfully attain the battalion objective, BUCKHOLZ, LUXEMBOURG. Capt MARSHALL'S bravery and sincere devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Kentucky.



RANDALL C. PHILLIPS, 32663374, Pfc, Hq Co, 1st Bn, 317th Infantry, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in FRANCE on 10 October 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. While operating a forward observation post Pfc PHILLIPS and a companion were wounded. Although temporarily blinded he disregarded the enemy artillery barrage to grope his way to an infantry company to secure aid for his comrade. He then led litter bearers to his comrade and aided in his evacuation before submitting to treatment. Pfc PHILLIPS' devotion to duty is in keeping with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

JOHN WALSH, 12137593, Cpl (then Pfc), Hq Co, 317th Infantry, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in FRANCE on 12 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Near DIEULOUARD, FRANCE, Cpl WALSH volunteered to swim the Moselle River and to gain information. He made the crossing with the leading elements and gallantly disregarded enemy fire to cut wire entanglements leading to the objective. Cpl WALSH'S courage and devotion to duty are in keeping with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

II. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (OAK LEAF CLUSTER): By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, a bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded the following named personnel:

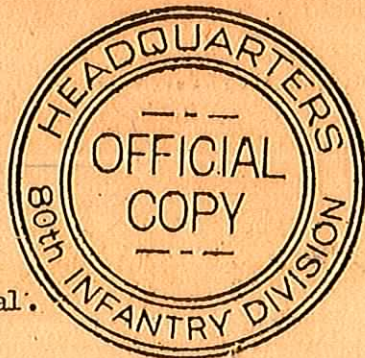
HENRY B. MINIER, JR, 01301858, 1st Lt, Infantry, 318th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in GERMANY on 29 March 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. While leading a motorized patrol near RAMBACH, GERMANY, Lt MINIER encountered a road block defended by a numerically superior force of enemy soldiers. Without hesitation he engaged them in a fire fight, killing two and dispersing them. After reorganizing he continued on to gain much valuable information needed for the successful completion of the Regimental Mission. His devotion to duty is in keeping with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

III. Sections III through XI published as extracts.

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III. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded the following named personnel:

RALPH G. BOLTZ, 33426865, S Sgt, Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, S Sgt BOLTZ, a Platoon Guide, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the almost fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

GEORGE CHIEKO, 36967521, Pfc, Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, Pfc CHIEKO, a rifleman, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the almost fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Michigan.

JAMES A. CONANT, 36053086, Sgt, Btry B, 315th FA Battalion, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in FRANCE on 1 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Sgt CONANT, a member of a forward observer party, during intense enemy artillery shelling voluntarily and without regard for personal safety left his shelter to repair vital communications paramount for the success of the infantry's advances. His bravery and devotion to duty exemplify the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

CHARLES C. COOK, 35842634, S Sgt, Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, S Sgt COOK, a squad leader, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the almost fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Indiana.

LEROY A. DEGNER, 36809600, Pfc (then Pvt), Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, Pfc DEGNER, a rifleman, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the almost

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fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

ANTHONY C. DEMEO, 20214160, Pfc, Btry C, 314th FA Battalion, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in LUXEMBOURG on 8 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. As an instrument operator for a forward observer crew on 8 February 1945, Pfc DEMEO, in the absence of the forward observer, delivered artillery fire on the town of METTENDORF, GERMANY, displacing under heavy enemy fire to maintain proper observation. The courage and ability displayed by Pfc DEMEO exemplify the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

X ✓ JAMES G. EMANOUIL, 36871455, Pfc, Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, Pfc EMANOUIL, an automatic rifleman, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the almost fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Michigan.

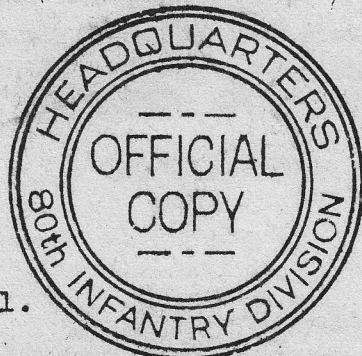
X ✓ PAUL P. GARST, 35359365, S Sgt, Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, S Sgt GARST, a squad leader, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the almost fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Indiana.

FRANCIS E. HALM, 01042589, 1st Lt, Infantry, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in GERMANY and AUSTRIA from 3 April 1945, to 8 May 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period Lt HALM has performed his duties as company executive officer with competence and outstanding ability. By his tactical knowledge, proven in many encounters, he has earned the confidence of his men. Such courage and leadership are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

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IV. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded the following named personnel:

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JOHN P. HANKINS, 38601083, Pfc, Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, Pfc HANKINS, an automatic rifleman, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the almost fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Arkansas.

CHARLES R. HARNER, 01823593, 1st Lt, Infantry, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG, GERMANY, and AUSTRIA from 24 January 1945, to 8 May 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period Lt HARNER performed the duties of Rifle Platoon Leader and Company Executive Officer with competence and outstanding ability. His courage and leadership gained him the respect of his men, were of great value to his unit's successful operations, and are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

ORVILLE L. HIKES, 35475896, Pfc, Co A, 811th TD Battalion, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in GERMANY on 6 April 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. After being cut off from supporting infantry, Pfc HIKES' tank destroyer was damaged by enemy fire which also injured two of the crew. After receiving orders to abandon the vehicle, he volunteered to remain and successfully brought it back through enemy lines to safety. Pfc HIKES' courage, bravery, and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Kentucky.

WOODROW W. HUSTON, 36980788, S Sgt (then Pfc), Co E, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in LUXEMBOURG on 22 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. After a heavy enemy barrage had wounded all of S Sgt HUSTON'S comrades, enemy infantry moved up a draw toward his position. During the ensuing fire-fight the force was defeated with heavy casualties due to the effectiveness of S Sgt HUSTON'S fire. Such aggressiveness and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

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FLOYD I. IVERSON, 37474653, S Sgt, Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, S Sgt IVERSON, a squad leader, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the

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almost fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from South Dakota.

JOHN J. KEEGAN, JR, 33598311, Sgt, Co A, 702d Tank Battalion, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in GERMANY on 14 March 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. At SCHIEDEN, GERMANY, Sgt KEEGAN displayed heroism and complete disregard for his own personal safety in achieving the rescue of friendly infantry troops from their vulnerability to enemy fire. By exposing his tank to draw fire he permitted the friendly troops to withdraw to comparative safety. His bravery and unselfish devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

CHESTER L. McCLEARY, 37628712, Pfc, Co C, 317th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in GERMANY on 13 March 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. When his company commander was wounded during an operation near OBER ZERF, GERMANY, Pfc McCLEARY, with three comrades, went forward under enemy artillery, mortar, and small arms fire and successfully evacuated the wounded officer. The initiative, courage, and devotion to his comrades displayed by Pfc McCLEARY are in keeping with the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Missouri.

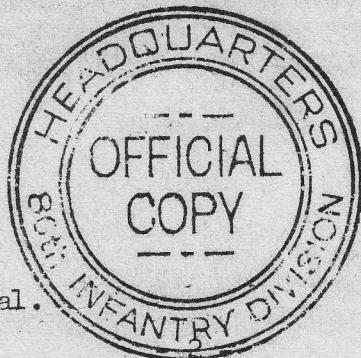
✓ WILLIAM F. McGEE, 34607230, T Sgt, Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, T Sgt McGEE, a Platoon Sergeant, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the almost fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from North Carolina.

XV JAMES P. McINTYRE, 39593603, Sgt, Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, Sgt McIntyre, a squad leader, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the almost fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from California.

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V. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded the following named personnel:

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✓ ARTHUR H. MILLER, 33906615, Sgt, Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, Sgt MILLER, a squad leader, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the almost fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Maryland.

JAMES L. RECTOR, 35576660, Sgt, Co A, 811th TD Battalion, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in GERMANY on 6 April 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. After being cut off from supporting infantry, Sgt RECTOR'S tank destroyer was damaged by enemy fire which also injured two of the crew. After receiving orders to abandon the vehicle he volunteered to remain and successfully brought it back through enemy lines to safety. Sgt RECTOR'S courage, bravery, and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Indiana.

WILLIAM J. SCHEEL, 35315052, T Sgt, Co I, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, and GERMANY from 7 August 1944, to 24 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. While serving as a platoon sergeant during this period T Sgt SCHEEL performed his duties with great efficiency. His individual initiative, tactical knowledge, and dependability under the most trying combat conditions have contributed immeasurably to the continued success of his company. His resourcefulness, disregard for personal safety, and sincere devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

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✓ JOE J. SENK, 36980902, Pfc, Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, Pfc SENK, an automatic rifleman, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the almost fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

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✓ ALEXANDER J. SENKOWSKI, 36978247, Pfc, Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, Pfc SENKOWSKI, a

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Platoon Runner, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the almost fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Michigan.

WILLIAM G. WADE, 13073902, Sgt, Btry A, 314th FA Battalion, Army of the United States. For heroic service in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, GERMANY, and AUSTRIA from 7 August 1944, to 8 May 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period Sgt WADE performed his duties as Chief of Howitzer Section in a superior manner. The accuracy and efficiency of his section and his own preciseness were excellent. Sgt WADE'S courage, efficiency, and devotion to duty are in keeping with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Maryland.

SCOTT E. WAGNER, JR, 6946319, Pfc, Co A, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY from 7 to 12 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period near WALLENDORF, GERMANY, Pfc WAGNER, a machine gunner, exhibited outstanding bravery and devotion to duty against the almost fanatical defense of the enemy. He frequently volunteered to assist the overburdened medical corpsmen in evacuating the many casualties. Such courage and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

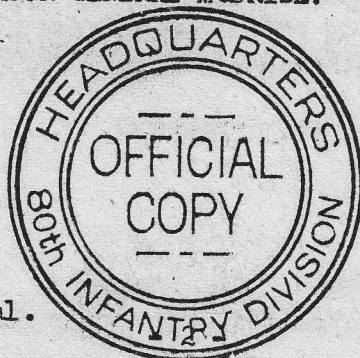
VERNON T. WILLIAMS, 35483323, Tec 5, Hq Co, 2d Bn, 317th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in FRANCE on 28 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. At FARBERSVILLER, FRANCE, after an intense artillery preparation, enemy troops and tanks surrounded the battalion in the town. When enemy infantry attempted to enter the Battalion Command Post, Tec 5 WILLIAMS, on guard at the main entrance, aided in driving off the attackers and pursued the retreating enemy troops to shoot down three more of them. His bravery and devotion to duty are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Kentucky.

CALVIN C. ZELLER, 36252637, Tec 5, Hq Btry, 315th FA Battalion, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in FRANCE on 1 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Tec 5 ZELLER, member of a forward observer party, during intense enemy artillery shelling voluntarily and without regard to personal safety left his shelter to repair vital communications paramount for the success of the infantry's advances. His bravery and devotion to duty exemplify the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

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VI. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL: By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded the following named personnel for meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States:

ALFRED B. COPPERS, 0554340, Capt, Infantry, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States, For the period 30 December 1944, to 8 May 1945, in LUXEMBOURG, GERMANY, and AUSTRIA. Entered military service from Washington.

PATRICK H. FENTON, 0416396, Major (then Capt), FA, 315th FA Battalion, Army of the United States. For the period 8 August 1944, to 29 December 1944, in FRANCE and LUXEMBOURG. Entered military service from Utah.

JOHN L. GANN, 01285569, Capt, Infantry, 318th Infantry, Army of the United States. For the period 17 March 1945, to 8 May 1945, in GERMANY and AUSTRIA. Entered military service from New York.

CECIL J. HARLESS, 01184061, 1st Lt, FA, 315th FA Battalion, Army of the United States. For the period 17 August 1944, to 8 May 1945, in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, GERMANY, and AUSTRIA. Entered military service from Texas.

CLIFTON C. NUCKOLS, 33219865, Tec 5, Btry C, 314th FA Battalion, Army of the United States. For the period 7 August 1944, to 8 May 1945, in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, GERMANY, and AUSTRIA. Entered military service from Virginia.

PAUL F. ROBERTS, 0371693, Lt Col, Infantry, 317th Infantry, Army of the United States. For the period 6 August 1944, to 8 May 1945, in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, GERMANY, and AUSTRIA. Entered military service from Texas.

VII. AWARD OF PURPLE HEART (OAK LEAF CLUSTER): By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, in addition to the Purple Heart and two bronze Oak Leaf Clusters previously awarded, a third bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded 1ST LT CHARLES A. S. RIGG, 0539186, Infantry, for wounds received as a result of enemy action in Belgium on 25 December 1944.

VIII. AWARD OF PURPLE HEART (OAK LEAF CLUSTER): By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, in addition to the Purple Heart and bronze Oak Leaf Cluster previously awarded, a second bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded the following named personnel for wounds received as a result of enemy action in countries and on dates indicated:

<u>RANK AND NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>ARM OR SERVICE</u>	<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>DATE</u>
T Sgt Joseph J. Falzone	33354666	Inf	France	3 Dec 44
1ST LT JAKE D. HODGES	0533446	Inf	Luxembourg	23 Dec 44
S Sgt Amos N. King Jr	35460305	Inf	Germany	3 Apr 45

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IX. AWARD OF PURPLE HEART (OAK LEAF CLUSTER): By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, in addition to the Purple Heart previously awarded, a bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded the following named personnel for wounds received as a result of enemy action in countries and on dates indicated:

<u>RANK AND NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>ARM OR SERVICE</u>	<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>DATE</u>
S Sgt Sol Brautigam	37331356	Inf	France	17 Sep 44
T Sgt Wallace N. Kershner	35632488	Inf	Luxembourg	1 Jan 45
Pfc H. K. Crouch	38549079	Inf	Germany	10 Feb 45
Pfc Gino L. Minoletti	36887865	Inf	Germany	11 Feb 45
Pfc Edd Hall	11002103	Inf	Germany	1 Mar 45
Pfc Joseph T. Siddons	33367753	Inf	Germany	16 Mar 45
Cpl Bertram O. Cave	34948908	Inf	Germany	1 Mar 45
S Sgt Francis E. Nimblett	31456152	Inf	Germany	3 Apr 45

X. AWARD OF PURPLE HEART: By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded the following named personnel for wounds received as a result of enemy action in countries and on dates indicated:

Pfc William H. Velotte Jr	32549449	Inf	France	24 Sep 44
Tec 4 Walter O. Johnson	35464401	Inf	France	4 Dec 44
S Sgt Raymond A. Johnson	38602437	Inf	France	4 Dec 44
Pfc Ralph A. Tito	13185169	Inf	France	4 Oct 44
Sgt Paul S. Snock	33279049	Inf	Luxembourg	22 Dec 44
T Sgt Albert W. Fischbeck	38113528	Inf	Luxembourg	23 Dec 44
Sgt Frank S. Zablocki	42055469	Inf	Belgium	23 Dec 44
Pfc Edward H. Otto	32702281	Inf	Belgium	25 Dec 44
Pfc Roy M. Bly	33235118	Inf	Belgium	25 Dec 44
Pfc Garfield L. Green	38400210	Inf	Belgium	25 Dec 44
Sgt Rocco A. Patricia	42118450	Inf	Belgium	27 Dec 44
Pfc Alfred M. DeVito	31469367	Inf	Luxembourg	31 Dec 44
Cpl Bertram O. Cave	34948908	Inf	Luxembourg	21 Jan 45
S Sgt Joseph Tichy	16002729	Inf	Luxembourg	13 Feb 45
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