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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:

JACK E. HAGER, 35645575, Cpl, Co A, 811th Tank Destroyer Battalion, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in GERMANY on 10 April 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During the attack on ALACH, GERMANY, Cpl HAGER, and members of his tank destroyer crew, maneuvered their vehicle in a courageous manner through direct fire from enemy artillery, rocket, and small arms to overrun 22 machine gun positions. His courage, bravery, and devotion to duty exemplify the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from WEST VIRGINIA.

RICHARD J. HENRY, 35407908, Pfc, Hq Btry, 314th Field Artillery 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. Pfc HENRY performed his duties as instrument operator and computer in a superior manner during this entire period. His technical skill, sound judgment, and unflinching accuracy under hazardous combat conditions have made him an indispensable member of his section. His courage and loyal devotion to duty exemplify the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from OHIO.

FRANKLIN C. HUNTER, 31308638, Cpl, Btry C, 314th Field Artillery 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 Cpl HUNTER performed his duties as instrument operator with an artillery forward observation team in a superior manner. On numerous occasions he operated the observation post, directing effective fire on the enemy while under direct observation and fire. Cpl HUNTER'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 MASSACHUSETTS.

THOMAS H. MILLION, 35576667, S Sgt, Co B, 811th Tank Destroyer Battalion, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG, BELGIUM, GERMANY, and AUSTRIA from 20 January 1945 to 8 May 1945, against an enemy of the United States. During this period, while serving as Gun Commander and Platoon Sergeant, S Sgt MILLION demonstrated initiative and outstanding ability in maintaining a high standard of efficiency in his platoon. The determination, resourcefulness, and sincere devotion to duty displayed by S Sgt MILLION are in keeping with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from INDIANA.

FRANCIS E. MOON, 35114495, Pfc, Hq Btry, 314th Field Artillery Battalion, Army of the United States. For heroic service in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, GERMANY, and AUSTRIA from 8 August 1944 to 8 May 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Pfc MOON performed his duties as tape man and instrument operator in a superior manner during this period. His technical skill, sound judgment, and unflinching accuracy under hazardous combat conditions have made him an indispensable member of his section. His courage and loyal

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devotion to duty exemplify the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from INDIANA.

GEORGE M. SCHMUHL, 35351107, Pfc, Co A, 811th Tank Destroyer Battalion, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in GERMANY on 10 April 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During the attack on ALACH, GERMANY, Pfc SCHMUHL, and members of his tank destroyer crew, maneuvered their vehicle in a courageous manner through direct fire from enemy artillery, rocket, and small arms to overrun 22 machine gun positions. His courage, bravery, and devotion to duty exemplify the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from INDIANA.

PRESTON H. SHARP JR, 39406280, Sgt, Co C, 319th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in LUXEMBOURG from 7 January 1945 to 17 January 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During the severe fighting around DAHL, LUXEMBOURG, Sgt SHARP, despite intense enemy fire and frequent fierce counterattacks, courageously repaired severed wires. His courage, resourcefulness and sincere devotion to duty contributed greatly to the success of his company and are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from CALIFORNIA.

STUART E. SMITH, O1175319, 1st Lt, FA, 905th Field Artillery Battalion, Army of the United States. For heroic service in GERMANY from 7 February 1945 to 16 April 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During this period Lt SMITH performed his duties as forward observer in a superior manner. At BERGER, GERMANY, when he was wounded and his radio destroyed, he continued to skillfully direct artillery fire on enemy positions. Lt SMITH'S courage, technical skill, and sincere devotion to duty contributed greatly to the success of his unit and are commensurate with the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from NEW YORK.

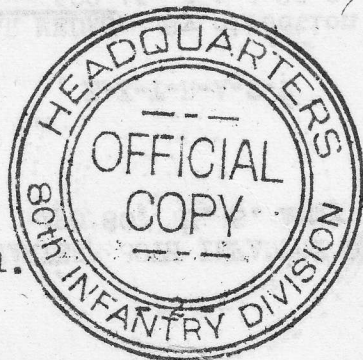
WARREN C. TROUP, 33368290, T Sgt, Co A, 317th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in LUXEMBOURG on 27 January 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. While on a reconnaissance patrol near DORSCHIED, LUXEMBOURG, T Sgt TROUP unexpectedly came upon an enemy position. Quickly, he persuaded two of the enemy to surrender by using his knowledge of the German language. Then, by using one of the prisoners as a decoy he effected the capture of twenty-eight more enemy soldiers. T Sgt TROUP'S courage, initiative, and devotion to duty exemplify the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from PENNSYLVANIA.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL McBRIDE:

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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 for meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States:

RALPH B. ANTHONY, 18001447, T Sgt, Hq 314th Field Artillery 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 COLORADO.

V. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL, POSTHUMOUSLY: 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, posthumously, to the following named personnel:

EDWARD A. PUGH, 33296786, Cn Co, 317th Infantry, Army of the United States. For heroic service in GERMANY on 14 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Cpl PUGH, serving as a radio-telephone operator with a forward observer during the attack on NUSBAUM, GERMANY, courageously relayed fire data which resulted in neutralizing two enemy tanks, and enabled our forces to capture the town without suffering any casualties. Cpl PUGH'S courage, initiative and devotion to duty exemplify the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from PENNSYLVANIA.

VI. 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:

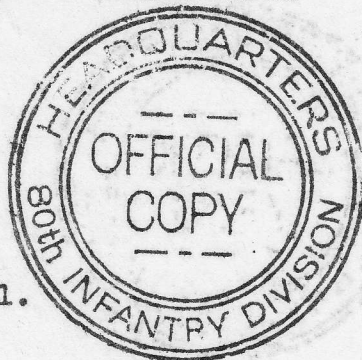
<u>RANK AND NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>ARM OR SERVICE</u>	<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Pfc James E. Mason	35842907	Inf	Luxembourg	8 Feb 45

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