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SECTION

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*K* I. 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 Pfc Albert N. Anderson, 37277716, Inf, for wounds received as a result of enemy action in Luxembourg on 18 January 1945.

II. 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 Luxembourg on dates indicated:

<u>RANK AND NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>ARM OR SERVICE</u>	<u>DATE</u>
<i>K</i> Sgt George J. Kennedy	33323276	Inf	18 Jan 45
<i>G</i> Pvt Edwin G. Wampler	37742746	Inf	18 Jan 45
<i>K</i> Pfc Clyde E. Evans	38671313	Inf	18 Jan 45
<i>M</i> 2D LT MICHAEL MIKETINAC	0540035	Inf	18 Jan 45
<i>F</i> Sgt Lewis P. Crittenden	36723730	Inf	18 Jan 45
<i>L</i> Pfc Henry Bulwin	32609195	Inf	19 Jan 45
<i>K</i> Pfc Robert H. Griffieth	35085419	Inf	19 Jan 45
1ST LT MITCHELL ENICH	01822256	FA	19 Jan 45
<i>L</i> Pfc George R. Anderson	36456440	Inf	19 Jan 45
<i>G</i> Pfc Ole Fosback	39333286	Inf	19 Jan 45

III. 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 Luxembourg on dates indicated:

Pvt Paul F. Weeks	34732539	MD	18 Jan 45
<i>G</i> Pvt William Brakefield	34931958	Inf	18 Jan 45
<i>M</i> Pvt Dudley J. Blouin	38657460	Inf	18 Jan 45
<i>G</i> Pvt Elmer Schwien	37639088	Inf	18 Jan 45
<i>G</i> Pfc Lester S. Cook	34679067	Inf	18 Jan 45
Pvt William G. Campbell	39709958	Inf	18 Jan 45
Pvt Cecil L. Gilmer	34950412	Inf	18 Jan 45
<i>/</i> Sgt Vernon H. Lockard	33247280	Inf	18 Jan 45
<i>M</i> S Sgt William H. Parent	35594212	Inf	18 Jan 45
<i>K</i> Pfc Frank Kuzuoka Jr	38352394	Inf	18 Jan 45

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	<u>RANK AND NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>ARM OR SERVICE</u>	<u>DATE</u>
	AT Pfc Daniel J. Pace	32273147	Inf	18 Jan 45
	5 Pvt Albert A. Reynolds	36196561	Inf	19 Jan 45
3rd	Pfc Henry M. Everidge	20403490	Inf	19 Jan 45
	K Sgt Neil A. Eschelbach	36883808	Inf	19 Jan 45
	L Pfc Thomas B. Consford	18008654	Inf	19 Jan 45
	/ Pfc Samuel W. Ferguson	37746016	Inf	19 Jan 45
	/ Pfc Wilfred C. Despines	36053165	Inf	19 Jan 45
	1ST LT HOWARD M. ROSENBLUM	0447230	Inf	19 Jan 45
3rd	Pvt Otis E. Petty	14130041	Inf	19 Jan 45
6	Pfc Robert W. Graeff	33951104	Inf	19 Jan 45
6	Pfc Philip F. Brunner Jr	33891947	Inf	19 Jan 45
	/ Pfc Robert E. Cole	35169914	Inf	19 Jan 45
6	Pfc Walter R. Carman Jr	39587874	Inf	19 Jan 45
	Pvt Joseph P. Ragland	36479723	FA	19 Jan 45
	/ Pfc Russell W. Fisher	36986964	Inf	19 Jan 45
	Sgt Paul F. Stader	15105038	Cav	19 Jan 45
	2D LT KEITH E. EILER	026533	CE	19 Jan 45
	L Pfc Paul H. Legates	42145864	Inf	19 Jan 45
	L Pfc Clarence D. Amstutz	35842220	Inf	19 Jan 45
	Tec 5 James W. Burns	33368241	CE	19 Jan 45
	/ Pfc Kenneth Eicher	33571627	Inf	19 Jan 45
6	S Sgt Ernest C. Negus	39905008	Inf	19 Jan 45
	T Sgt Leon F. Hardy	34354333	Inf	22 Jan 45

*Incl* IV. 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 Pfc James M. Morgan, 35463100, MD, for wounds received as a result of enemy action in Luxembourg on 18 January 1945.

*CN* V. 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 2D LT WALTER C. LOWRY, JR, 0535966, Inf, for wounds received as a result of enemy action in Luxembourg on 9 January 1945.

VI. So much of Section VI, General Orders Number 5, this Headquarters, dated 5 January 1945, pertaining to the Award of the Purple Heart, as reads "Pfc Earl L. Darling 20270606 Inf 26 Dec 44" is rescinded. Soldier was awarded Purple Heart per GO #2 Hq 280th Sta Hosp, dated 7 Jan 45.

VII. So much of Section VIII, General Orders Number 15, this Headquarters, dated 15 January 1945, pertaining to the Award of the Purple Heart (Oak Leaf Cluster), as reads "Pfc Lewis F. Evans 35313103 Inf 11 Jan 45" is rescinded.

VIII. So much of Section II, General Orders Number 23, this Headquarters, dated 23 January 1945, pertaining to the Award of the Purple Heart, as reads "2D LT WALTER C. LOWRY JR 0535966 Inf 9 Jan 45" is rescinded.

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IX. So much of Section I, General Orders Number 23, this Headquarters, dated 23 January 1945, pertaining to the Award of the Purple Heart, as reads "Pfc James M. Morgan 35463100 MD 18 Jan 45" is rescinded.

By command of Major General McBRIDE:

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