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I. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR: 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 Officers and Enlisted Men:

RUSSELL G. BURGHARDT, 01171931, 2d Lt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 17 August 1944, to 24 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Frank J. Calabrese, 32112261, T Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 6 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

Joseph S. Coniglio, 35312104, S Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 7 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. On 7 November 1944, S Sgt Coniglio, wire chief of an infantry regiment, was informed that his organization planned a river crossing and an attack upon enemy held ground east of the river the following morning. S Sgt Coniglio decided to reconnoiter that night the prospective routes of attack in an effort to locate the most practical and feasible route over which he could establish wire communications during the assault. Floating across the river on a log, he continued some thousand yards into the enemy territory, plotting the route he would utilize the following day. As a result of his courageous efforts, communication lines were established with outstanding speed and efficiency, and contributed greatly to the successful assault the following morning. The heroic devotion to duty displayed by S Sgt Coniglio is in keeping with the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

WILLIAM A. CRAWFORD, 0414605, Capt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 20 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Joseph E. Dabney, 33126307, S Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 12 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Virginia.

Gerard D. Deters, 35464275, S Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 25 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. On 25 November 1944, S Sgt Deters, as infantry squad leader, participated in an assault upon a heavily fortified enemy position. During the course of the at

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assaulting platoons were subjected to heavy machine gun fire. Causing particularly heavy casualties was an enemy bazooka team firing from a position near one of the concrete bunkers. Borrowing a grenade launcher, S Sgt Deters crawled some sixty yards toward the enemy bazooka team, and under intense fire from the enemy observing his advance, reached a position within firing range. With one accurately placed grenade, he destroyed the bazooka and killed its crew, thus enabling his company to continue the assault. The courage and aggressiveness displayed by S Sgt Deters are commensurate with the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

John E. Dwyer, 32037354, S Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 11 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

EARL B. EDWARDS, 0461877, Capt, Ch Corps, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 18 August 1944, to 10 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from North Carolina.

Paul H. Fate, 35385944, S Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 16 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

John W. R. Folkes, 33192197, Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 7 August 1944, to 5 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Washington, D. C.

HOWARD R. FORD, 01285566, Capt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 16 August 1944, to 25 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from New Jersey.

Siegmund Fuld, 32876807, M Sgt, CIC, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 7 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

STANLEY A. GOLDBERG, 01172464, 1st Lt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 20 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

Robert A. Hicks, 35434515, S Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 11 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from West Virginia.

Victor J. Hill, Jr, 35385896, 1st Sgt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 20 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

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Elmer Hogan, 6285936, S Sgt, FA, United States Army. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 20 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

John F. Holsworth, 15107660, S Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 22 August 1944, to 6 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Indiana.

Irvin S. Junghaene, 35483071, T Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 12 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Kentucky.

Frank C. Knott, 6458126, 1st Sgt, FA, United States Army. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 7 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.

Bernard F. Kocsik, 32924346, Tec 5, MD, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 17 September 1944, to 10 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from New Jersey.

ROBERT S. LARD, 0533560, 1st Lt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 29 September 1944, to 12 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Texas.

EDWARD V. LeBLANC, 0309595, Maj, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 16 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

John Lohigh, 13111702, S Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 18 August 1944, to 6 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

EDWARD B. LEROY, 01292014, Capt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 7 August 1944, to 5 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

JOHN C. LUMLEY, 01823453, Capt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 29 September 1944, to 12 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from New Jersey.

JAMES G. MARTIN, 01165906, 1st Lt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 29 September 1944, to 12 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Tennessee.

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Theodore M. McCarthy, 18001830, T Sgt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 8 August 1944, to 30 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Colorado.

Joseph M. McCorkle, 34287727, Pfc, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 11 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Tennessee.

Raymond W. Page, 18008575, S Sgt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 15 November 1944, to 20 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Texas.

WARREN M. PETTENGILL, 0425531, 1st Lt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 16 September 1944, to 20 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Rhode Island.

Joseph F. Rizzone, 33436008, S Sgt, Inf (Armd), Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 7 August 1944, to 11 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

JOHN R. SINGLETON, 0533479, 1st Lt (then 2d Lt), Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious achievement in France on 2 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. On 2 December 1944, Lt Singleton led a patrol through heavily wooded territory known to contain enemy troops. He obtained valuable and necessary information which was of great importance in completing plans for the assault on the morning of 4 December 1944, and enabled the battalion to take its objective on that date. His initiative and untiring devotion to duty are in keeping with the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Texas.

ROY E. THACKER, 01285663, Capt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 7 August 1944, to 16 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

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II. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR: 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 Enlisted Men:

Benny L. Barnes, 38531182, Pvt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 11 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Texas.

Donald W. Brand, 35386549, Sgt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 20 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from West Virginia.

Theron C. Bridwell, 34125341, Tec 4, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 20 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from South Carolina.

Arthur G. Wilkinson, Jr, 33320507, Sgt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 20 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

III. 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 Officers and Enlisted Men for wounds received as a result of enemy action in France on dates indicated:

<u>RANK AND NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>ARM OR SERVICE</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Pfc Marion E. Polk	34547361	Inf	8 Nov 44
S Sgt Loren C. Turner	36416509	Inf	8 Nov 44
1ST LT FRANK J. CANGIOLOSI	01287303	Inf	9 Nov 44
1ST LT MICHAEL E. MAHONEY	01304755	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pfc Charles L. Gainor	33235189	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pfc John J. Osifchia	36728955	Inf	10 Nov 44
CAPT FREEMAN D. BOOTH	01289378	Inf	10 Nov 44
Sgt Steve M. Armata	36186083	Inf	12 Nov 44
1ST LT CHARLES R. CAIN	01183068	FA	13 Nov 44
Pfc Jenaro Camacho	38031219	Inf	28 Nov 44
#2D LT DAVID P. AIDE	01325622	Inf	3 Dec 44
Pfc Donald W. Swanson	36859807	Inf	6 Dec 44

IV. 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 Officers and Enlisted

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wounds received as a result of enemy action in France on dates indicated:

<u>RANK AND NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>SERVICE</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Pfc Edward L. Ivanonski	32926551	Inf	8 Nov 44
Pvt John Michna	42088703	Inf	8 Nov 44
Pvt David Hardt	6912645	Inf	8 Nov 44
Pvt Marcelino J. Rubio	38562384	Inf	8 Nov 44
Pfc John A. Sernes	37517917	Inf	8 Nov 44
Pvt Gerald E. Wood	35228791	Inf	8 Nov 44
Pfc Noel P. Basinger	35557374	Inf	8 Nov 44
Pfc John J. Krows	33025479	Inf	8 Nov 44
S Sgt John H. Neel	35435667	Inf	8 Nov 44
S Sgt Robert N. Mackey	35388079	Inf	8 Nov 44
Pvt John Max	37579929	Inf	8 Nov 44
Pvt Charles L. Schuppel	38097855	Inf	8 Nov 44
S Sgt Bruce E. Medley	34178698	Inf	8 Nov 44
Pfc Jack M. Witte	37472336	Inf	8 Nov 44
Sgt Henry Rzycki	36614468	Inf	8 Nov 44
Pfc Albert C. Zaccaria	42027701	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pvt Charles L. Summa	12085042	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pfc William F. Davis	37062435	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pvt Jack D. Clay	38147816	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pvt Joseph Morena	42126304	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pfc Werner A. Enderle	37572504	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pvt Luther H. Hill	34369673	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pfc Albert W. Van Beek	36872856	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pfc Henry F. Majkowski	33328268	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pvt Normand A. Langevin	31304840	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pvt Robert E. Clute	37671070	Inf	9 Nov 44
S Sgt William Athis	36678448	Inf	9 Nov 44
S Sgt Adolph W. Kaznowski	36510749	Inf	9 Nov 44
S Sgt Frank R. Powalowski	35330995	Inf	9 Nov 44
S Sgt James H. O'Neil	33670849	Inf	9 Nov 44
1ST LT WILLIAM F. WALKER	0506180	Inf	9 Nov 44
S Sgt Glenn W. Noland	35385813	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pfc Dominick M. Grande	33348103	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pfc Henry L. Poskey	38209338	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pvt Francis D. Tolle	36886534	Inf	9 Nov 44
Cpl Clyde R. Bean	38305692	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pfc Leonard P. Catron	35097924	Inf	9 Nov 44
T Sgt Robert Rice	35460384	Inf	9 Nov 44
1ST LT JOSEPH H. LINDLEY	0533456	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pvt Rogelio DeLeon	42126722	Inf	9 Nov 44
Pfc James M. Arnold	35436646	Inf	10 Nov 44
Pfc George H. Dodson	33126474	Inf	10 Nov 44
Pfc Irvin H. Witte	37692582	Inf	10 Nov 44
Pvt Harold C. Black	32407311	FA	10 Nov 44
Pfc Charlie L. Harris	34963578	Inf	10 Nov 44
Pvt Norman Bell	36955231	Inf	10 Nov 44
Pvt William P. Wolfe	33803043	Inf	11 Nov 44
Sgt Marvin R. Abrell	35359403	Inf	11 Nov 44
Pfc Ventura H. Delatore	39288077	Inf	11 Nov 44
Pfc Lloyd J. Frank	42026367	Inf	11 Nov 44

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Pfc Grover C. Babb	34764258	Inf	11 Nov 44
Sgt George C. Dambach	33305047	Inf	11 Nov 44
Pfc Milton Muncy Jr	35776527	Inf	11 Nov 44
Pvt Abe L. Seidler	42087595	Inf	11 Nov 44
Pvt Joseph Reilly	35880067	Inf	11 Nov 44
Pvt Lennon B. Fowler	34844991	Inf	11 Nov 44
Pfc Albert H. Coomer	35097923	Inf	11 Nov 44
S Sgt Malmin O. Walstad	37291925	Inf	11 Nov 44
S Sgt Ellery L. Hatton	35461765	Inf	11 Nov 44
Pfc William V. Thonton	38535903	Inf	11 Nov 44
Pvt Lawrence Meston	37487150	Inf	11 Nov 44
Pvt Norman V. Dilgard	32989766	Inf	11 Nov 44
Pvt William C. Bockewitz	37635243	Inf	12 Nov 44
Pvt Russell L. Waldrum	38662222	Inf	12 Nov 44
Pvt John F. Hass	37589047	Inf	12 Nov 44
Pfc Paul E. Haney	34464038	Cav	12 Nov 44
Sgt Herbert E. Nixon	36323319	Inf	12 Nov 44
Pfc Frank W. Jenkins	32593413	Inf	13 Nov 44
Tec 5 Ervin Kruger	16094043	FA	15 Nov 44
Tec 5 Ernest R. Guarro	33186324	Inf	17 Nov 44
Pvt Soren C. Pedersen	36697786	MD	17 Nov 44
Pvt Fred A. Hutzenlaub	42130156	Inf	17 Nov 44
Pvt Marion D. Newport	34287135	MD	17 Nov 44
Pfc Arthur R. Godinez	39159020	Inf	22 Nov 44
Pvt John E. Lynch	31465114	Inf	24 Nov 44
Pvt Kenneth E. Salsbury	38654306	Inf	27 Nov 44
S Sgt Wallace H. Woodrum	35434681	Inf	27 Nov 44
Pvt Stanley F. Zelenka	35832644	Inf	27 Nov 44
Pvt Van B. Tucker	38641344	Inf	27 Nov 44
Pvt Allan K. Bachelor	35847460	Inf	27 Nov 44
T Sgt Raymond F. Sevin	33282396	Inf	27 Nov 44
Pvt Basil G. Ladd Jr	42118148	Inf	27 Nov 44
2D LT EDWARD C. BROWN	0507468	Inf	27 Nov 44
Cpl Clarence E. Fink	32445310	Inf	27 Nov 44
1ST LT DANIEL M. MOYER	01308999	Inf	28 Nov 44
Pvt Perry A. Boukind	39929056	Inf	29 Nov 44
Pvt Paul W. Bergeron	34153344	Inf	29 Nov 44
Pvt Guy A. Lantrip	36778973	Inf	30 Nov 44
M Sgt William F. Henning	6976095	Inf	30 Nov 44
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Pvt Lee O. Richards	35826727	Inf	30 Nov 44

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