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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 S Sgt Arlo Z. Estabrook, 31221540, Inf, for wounds received as a result of enemy action in Germany on 9 February 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 France on dates indicated:

<u>RANK AND NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>ARM OR SERVICE</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Pfc Frank E. Wendt.	36275620	Inf	8 Nov 44
Sgt James F. Jameison	33320960	Inf	22 Nov 44

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 Pfc Joe G. Cruz, 39860159, Inf, for wounds received as a result of enemy action in Belgium on 25 December 1944.

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 previously awarded, a bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded S Sgt Stanley L. Biedron, 32389759, Inf, for wounds received as a result of enemy action in Luxembourg on 17 January 1945.

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 the following named personnel for wounds received as a result of enemy action in Germany on dates indicated:

S Sgt Anthony J. Mitch	32734631	Inf	9 Feb 45
S Sgt Thomas W. Samson	16006963	Inf	12 Apr 45

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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 France on dates indicated:

<u>RANK AND NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>ARM OR SERVICE</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Pfc Frank E. Wendt	36275620	Inf	18 Aug 44
Cpl Willard L. Smathers	35407982	Inf	16 Sep 44
Tec 5 Peter W. Klebauskas	33348134	FA	9 Oct 44

VII. 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 Belgium on dates indicated:

Pfc Michael A. Tanzella	12131390	Inf	25 Dec 44
1ST LT GEORGE W. KANE	01058859	Inf	26 Dec 44

VIII. 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 Germany on dates indicated:

Pfc John H. Riley	32213745	Inf	9 Feb 45
Pfc Harry V. McFadden	33277355	Inf	9 Feb 45
Pfc Glen L. Launderville	37594859	Inf	9 Feb 45
Pfc Edward W. Timpone	37626380	Inf	9 Feb 45
Sgt Ralph Di Palma	12008606	Inf	13 Feb 45
Pfc Neil K. Rammelsberg	35239839	Inf	22 Feb 45
Pvt Joe E. Esquibel	38581956	Inf	2 Mar 45
1ST LT HAROLD L. RIVES JR	0523070	Inf (Armd)	16 Mar 45
Pfc James E. O'Daniel	6286583	Inf	2 Apr 45
Pfc Robert D. Hillmer	36917852	Inf	9 Apr 45

IX. Section IX, General Orders Number 6, this Headquarters, dated 6 January 1945, as awards the Purple Heart to Pfc George Fluture, 36887831, Inf, is amended to award enlisted man a bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart. Enlisted man was awarded the Purple Heart per GO #28, Hq 99th Gen Hosp, dated 13 Oct 44.

X. Section VI, General Orders Number 80, this Headquarters, dated 21 March 1945, as awards the Purple Heart to Cpl Frank J. Phillips, 33761935, Inf, is amended to award enlisted man a bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart. Enlisted man was awarded the Purple Heart per GO #45, Hq 74th Gen Hosp.

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