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I. AWARD OF SILVER STAR: 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:

Frank Amorelli, 31262084, Pfc, MD, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in Belgium on 27 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. While serving as an ambulance driver with an infantry battalion aid station on 27 December 1944, Pfc Amorelli voluntarily drove his ambulance onto the battlefield to successfully evacuate seriously wounded comrades. With the aid of an assistant driver Pfc Amorelli litter carried eight casualties to safety despite the heavy enemy rocket launcher and artillery fire and remained on duty assisting in the care of the wounded for forty eight hours without relief. The personal bravery, resourcefulness, and zealous devotion to duty displayed by Pfc Amorelli exemplify the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

Charles H. Roser, 33321234, Pfc, MD, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in Belgium on 27 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. While serving as an assistant ambulance driver with an infantry battalion aid station on 27 December 1944, Pfc Roser voluntarily accompanied the ambulance onto the battlefield to successfully evacuate seriously wounded comrades. Together with the ambulance driver Pfc Roser carried eight casualties to safety despite the heavy enemy rocket launcher and artillery fire and remained on duty assisting in the care of the wounded for forty eight hours without relief. The personal bravery, resourcefulness, and zealous devotion to duty displayed by Pfc Roser exemplify the highest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

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 personnel:

CAPT JAMES A. BENFORD, 0316650, Capt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France and Luxembourg during the period 1 October 1944, to 31 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Alabama.

CLARENCE E. BOSTON, JR, 0383227, Capt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France and Luxembourg during the period 1 October 1944, to 31 December 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Rhode Island.

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JOHN G. HARDY, 0212436, Lt Col, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France and Luxembourg during the period 6 August 1944, to 31 January 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Maine.

EUGENE P. HAMSEY, 01032732, 1st Lt, Cav, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France and Luxembourg during the period 1 October 1944, to 1 January 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Edward L. Sholly, 13097489, M Sgt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France and Luxembourg during the period 6 August 1944, to 8 January 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

GEORGE F. SPAYD, 01285652, 1st Lt, Inf, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France and Luxembourg during the period 6 August 1944, to 16 January 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

Gerald E. Wenzel, 35385894, M Sgt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France and Luxembourg during the period 6 August 1944, to 15 January 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

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 2D LT JOHN S. INGLES, 0550672, FA, for wounds received as a result of enemy action in France on 4 November 1944.

IV. Section IV, General Orders Number 32, this Headquarters, dated 1 February 1945, pertaining to the Award of the Purple Heart, as reads "1ST LT ROBERT L. MOYE 01315193 Inf 31 Jan 45" is amended to read "1ST LT ROBERT L. MOYE 01315193 Inf 4 Oct 44".

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