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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 personnel:

JOHN K. BEARD, JR, Oll65472, Capt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France during the period 6 August 1944, to 5 November 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Washington, D. C.

Bruce E. Dunsha, 15104841, S Sgt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France and Luxembourg during the period 6 August 1944, to 1 February 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

FRANK H. RICH, 0367203, Capt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious service in France and Luxembourg during the period 6 September 1944, to 27 January 1945, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Florida.

II. AWARD OF AIR MEDAL (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 Air Medal and bronze Oak Leaf Cluster previously awarded, a second bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded the following named personnel:

Charles D. Chrosniak, 14092832, S Sgt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious achievement in France during the period 28 September 1944, to 8 November 1944, as an Artillery Liaison Pilot in successfully completing the required number of sorties while participating in aerial flight in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Tennessee.

III. AWARD OF AIR MEDAL: 3y direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded the following named personnel:

JACK J. FLYNN, Oll67838, 1st Lt, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious achievement in Luxembourg during the period 24 December 1944, to 6 February 1945, as an Artillery Air Observer in successfully completing the required number of sorties while participating in aerial flight in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from New Jersey.

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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 Pvt Francis A. Marion, 35313212, Inf, for wounds received as a result of enemy action in Luxembourg on 11 February 1945.

By command of Major General McBRIDE:

OFFICIAL:

S. P. WALKER Colonel, Cavalry, Chief of Staff.

J. W. TRONE

Lt Colonel, AGD,

Adjutant General.