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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 Officers and Enlisted Men:

7 Jack Blankenship, 35210508, T Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in France on 10 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from West Virginia.

Red Robert Clayton, 33378383, Pfc, MD, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in France during the period 5 - 18 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Maryland.

CHARLES F. GAKING, 0314250, Capt, Inf, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in France on 13 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

5 out of 13 Adolph W. Kaznowski, 36510749, S Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in France on 2 October 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Michigan.

Loran May, Jr, 35434912, S Sgt, MD, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in France on 16 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Kentucky.

Kenneth D. Peterson, 13129192, Tec 5, FA, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in France during the period 14 - 16 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

ROBERT W. PHILLIPS, 0533498, 2d Lt, Inf, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in France on 2 October 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Texas.

FREDERICK F. PRICE, 0496461, Capt, MC, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in France on 26 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

Med William P. Rakestraw, 34343675, Pfc, MD, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in France on 20 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Mississippi.

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Med
Thomas W. Riddle, 13074285, Pvt, MD, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in France on 20 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Washington, D. C.

Med
ADELBERT P. SMITH, 01544167, 1st Lt, MAC, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in France on 20 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Virginia.

Thomas E. Whitman, 33253594, S Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in France on 2 October 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

EDGAR C. WILSON, 01165466, 1st Lt, FA, Army of the United States. For gallantry in action in France on 16 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Tennessee.

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 Officers and Enlisted Men:

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CYRUS C. ADDAMS, JR, 01296790, 1st Lt, Inf, Army of the United States. For heroic service in France on 27 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Missouri.

Med
JACK L. BIRKENSTOCK, 01543451, 2d Lt, MAC, Army of the United States. For heroic service in France on 27 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Iowa.

Med
Thomas C. Caldwell, 33684693, Pvt, MD, Army of the United States. For heroic service in France on 5 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

George L. Faust, 33186245, Tec 4, MD, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 16 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Lewis H. Freeman, 13074196, Tec 4, Cav, Army of the United States. For heroic service in France on 31 August 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

✓ HAROLD L. FRUITMAN, 0309372, Capt, San C, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 19 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from California.

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Med Anthony J. Giraudo, 35408239, Pvt, MD, Army of the United States. For heroic service in France on 5 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

Med Charles Hammen, 37660429, Pfc, MD, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 20 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Iowa.

Henry J. Hannon, 36833746, Pvt, Inf, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 18 August 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Darrell J. Higham, 37667534, Pvt, MD, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 16 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Iowa.

BUFORD D. HIXON, 01184667, 2d Lt, FA, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 18 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Kansas.

Paul A. Hopkins, 35618563, Pfc, MD, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 23 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

Lloyd Kesler, 34630177, Pvt, MD, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 23 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Mississippi.

Med Donald H. Levan, 33348390, Pfc, MD, Army of the United States. For heroic service in France on 5 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Christopher L. McConnell, Jr, 13146115, Tec 4, Inf, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 19 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Med Stanley J. Mydy, 36803362, Tec 5, MD, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 15 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Wisconsin.

Albert K. Pritchard, 37681212, Pvt, Inf, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 19 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Iowa.

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Robert D. Rackmyer, 32778225, Pfc, FA, Army of the United States. For meritorious achievement in France on 23 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from New Jersey.

B
Homer H. Schruers, Jr, 13111753, S Sgt, Inf, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 16 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

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Herbert Stewart, 33337058, Tec 5, MD, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 16 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Paul F. Weeks, 34732539, Pvt, MD, Army of the United States. For heroic service in France on 16 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Tennessee.

FRANK E. WILLIAMS, 01323054, 1st Lt, Inf, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 2 October 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Kansas.

B
William H. Wood, 39827853, Pvt, Inf, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 16 September 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Idaho.

Don E. Ziegler, 37466265, Pvt, Inf, Army of the United States. For heroic achievement in France on 18 August 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Nebraska.

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