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<u>SECTION I AWARD OF SILVER STAR MEDALS</u>	

Under the provisions of Cir 32, Hq European Theater of Operations U. S. Army, 20 Mar 44, as amended, the Silver Star Medal is awarded to the following named Officers and Enlisted Men:

ALFORD C. BOATSMAN, 0244530, Lt. Col., Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action on 15 Sep 44 in connection with military operations, in France, against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Nebraska.

DALE M. GODWIN, 0298291, Major, Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action on 16 Sep 44 in connection with military operations, in France, against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Nebraska.

FREEMAN SAM, 18128479, S/Sgt., Corps of Engineers, United States Army. For gallantry in action on 16 Sep 44 in connection with military operations, in France, against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Oklahoma.

SECTION II AWARD OF OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO SILVER STAR

Under the provisions of Cir 32, Hq European Theater of Operations U. S. Army, 20 Mar 44, as amended, in addition to the Silver Star Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to the following named Officer:

WARREN C. WOOD, 0295588, Major, Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action on 15-16 Sep 44 in connection with military operations, in France, against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Nebraska.

SECTION III AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL

Under the provisions of Cir 32, Hq European Theater of Operations U. S. Army, 20 Mar 44, as amended, the Soldier's Medal is awarded to the following named Enlisted Man:

JAMES B. Mc CARTHY, 32660210, Sgt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroism, not involving action against the enemy, on 22 Sep 44, in France. Entered military service from New York.

SECTION IV AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDALS

Under the provisions of Cir 32, Hq European Theater of Operations U. S. Army, 20 Mar 44, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named Officers and Enlisted Men:

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✓ HAROLD G. DEMPSEY, 0416077, Captain, Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious service during the period 20 Sep 44 to 24 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Georgia.

MERRILL B. RUBINOW, 0367858, Captain, Medical Corps, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement during the period 31 Jul 44 to 11 Aug 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Connecticut.

✓ ELMER L. O'DELL, 01167565, 1st Lt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious service on 13 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Oregon.

ROBERT E. FORD, 01038378, 1st Lt., Chemical Warfare Service, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroic service on 29 Jun 44 in the English Channel, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from New Jersey.

WARREN B. HINCHCLIFF JR., 0446704, 1st Lt., Chemical Warfare Service, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroic service on 29 Jun 44 in the English Channel, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Mississippi.

JAMES W. QUINN, 01105749, 1st Lt., Corps of Engineers, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement on 27 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from California.

✓ 410 ✓ RAYMOND E. CULBERSON, 34190039, S/Sgt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious service during the period 20 Sep 44 to 24 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Tennessee.

JAMES R. MAUCK, 13063045, Sgt., Chemical Warfare Service, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroic achievement on 29 Jun 44 in the English Channel, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Virginia.

HAROLD F. BRANDT, 33494485, Tec 4, Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious service during the period 20 Apr 44 to 30 Aug 44 in the United Kingdom and France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

✓ 410 ✓ THURMAN J. BROWN, 34090864, Cpl., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious service on 14 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from North Carolina.

JAMES M. HART, 33565179, Cpl., Cavalry, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroic achievement on 18 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Maryland.

✓ 410 ✓ ROBERT E. LEE HICKS, 20443461, Cpl., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious service during the period 20 Sep 44 to 3 Oct 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Georgia.

JOHN A. WILCOX, 35552272, Cpl., Chemical Warfare Service, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroic service on 29 Jun 44 in the English Channel, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

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✓ WALTER T. EASDALE, 35521989, Tec 5, Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroic achievement on 22 Aug 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Ohio.

✓ G. B. HELMS, 34090518, Tec 5, Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious service on 14 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from North Carolina.

JAMES T. LONG, 35561380, Tec 5, Medical Department, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroic achievement on 24 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Indiana.

JAMES H. JOHNSON SR., 34710275, Pvt., Medical Department, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroic achievement on 24 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Tennessee.

MAX W. ROBOTNICK, 31241250, Pvt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroic achievement on 26 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Massachusetts.

#### SECTION V AWARD OF OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO BRONZE STAR

Under the provisions of Cir 32, Hq European Theater of Operations U. S. Army, 20 Mar 44, as amended, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster is awarded to the following named Officer:

DOUGLAS G. DWYRE, 017535, Lt. Col., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroic achievement on 15 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from California.

#### SECTION VI AWARD OF THE AIR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Cir 32, Hq European Theater of Operations U. S. Army, 20 Mar 44, as amended, the Air Medal is awarded to the following named Officers and Enlisted Men:

✓ RODNEY K. BERG, 01178412, 1st Lt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement during the period 16 Aug 44 to 14 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Washington.

✓ GORDON G. BULLOCK, 01536098, 1st Lt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement during the period 28 Aug 44 to 4 Oct 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Utah.

✓ DOUG V. FONDA, 01176337, 1st Lt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement on 16 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from New York.

✓ ERNEST B. JACKSON, 01179462, 1st Lt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement on 15 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Utah.



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✓ EVAN F. MAGNEY, 01183353, 1st Lt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement during the period 25 Aug 44 to 1 Oct 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Minnesota.

✓ JACOB L. PACKER, 0400694, 1st Lt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement on 15-16 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from New Jersey.

✓ GEORGE H. ROBERTSON, 01167183, 1st Lt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement on 16 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Mississippi.

✓ EUGENE K. STONE, 01173799, 1st Lt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement during the period 25 Aug 44 to 7 Oct 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from North Dakota.

✓ JOHN W. HOLTON, 01177458, 2nd Lt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement on 15 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

✓ RICHARD V. MASON, 36160348, S/Sgt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement during the period 17 Aug 44 to 14 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Michigan.

SECTION VII AWARD OF OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO AIR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Cir 32, Hq European Theater of Operations U. S. Army, 20 Mar 44, as amended, in addition to the Air Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal is awarded to the following named Officers:

✓ CEDRIC D. GLICK, 01176350, 1st Lt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement during the period 6 Sep 44 to 24 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Iowa.

✓ WILLIAM E. POSTON, 0887971, 2nd Lt., Field Artillery, United States Army, who distinguished himself by meritorious achievement during the period 3 Aug 44 to 15 Sep 44 in France, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Iowa.

SECTION VIII AWARD OF THE PURPLE HEART. POSTHUMOUSLY

Under the provisions of Cir 32, Hq European Theater of Operations U. S. Army, 20 Mar 44, as amended, the Purple Heart Medal is awarded, posthumously, to the following named Enlisted Man:

AARON W. PERRY, 35253983, Tec 5, Infantry, United States Army. For wound received in action on 30 Sep 44.

SECTION IX RESCISSION OF GENERAL ORDER

So much of Section IV, General Order No. 19, this Headquarters, dated 11 Oct 44 that pertains to the award of the Bronze Star Medal to S/Sgt. FREEMAN SAM, 18128479, Corps of Engineers, is rescinded.

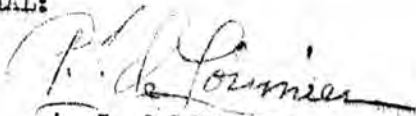
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