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HEADQUARTERS 35TH INFANTRY DIVISION  
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I - AWARDS OF THE PURPLE HEART. Pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, and Circular 6, Headquarters Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following officers and enlisted men of this command, for wounds received in action against the enemy on dates indicated in France:

<u>RANK, NAME, ASN AND BRANCH</u>	<u>DATE WOUNDED</u>	<u>ENTERED MILITARY SERVICE FROM</u>
Major William G Gillis Jr 023909, Infantry	13 August	Texas
Captain Charles W Bothwell Jr 0375976, Infantry	8 August	Pennsylvania
Captain Merle R Carroll 0380135, Infantry	12 August	Indiana
Captain John E Davis 0327717, Infantry	14 August	North Dakota
Captain Charles E Hake 0420091, Infantry	13 August	Nebraska
Captain Elbert B O'Keeffe 0416856, Infantry	12 August	Nebraska
First Lieutenant Robert W Adams 01306046, Infantry	12 August	Illinois
First Lieutenant Victor K Cooper 01307803, Infantry	11 August	Oklahoma
First Lieutenant Sidney K Strong 0440501, Infantry	13 August	Montana
Second Lieutenant Samuel P Bakwell 01310671, Infantry	12 August	South Dakota
Second Lieutenant Bernard F Herbert 01015937, Infantry	11 August	Washington, DC
Second Lieutenant Conard R Thompson 01325421, Infantry	11 August	California
First Sergeant Earl R Flory 20725771, Infantry	11 August	Kansas
Technical Sergeant Thelbert R Cheatum 20726387, Infantry	13 August	Kansas
<del>Technical Sergeant Edwin A Volk 37035010, Infantry</del>	<del>13 August</del>	<del>Nebraska</del>
Staff Sergeant Orion E Dunster 42090160, Infantry	8 August	New Jersey
Staff Sergeant Earl T Ferari 39088827, Infantry	9 August	California
Staff Sergeant Clair A Hunt 20726164, Infantry	11 August	Kansas
Staff Sergeant Delbert F Oxley 20721143, Infantry	9 August	Nebraska
Staff Sergeant Frank Pyler 34096960, Infantry	13 August	South Carolina
Staff Sergeant George B Talley 6923145, Field Artillery	13 August	Tennessee
Staff Sergeant George Theurer Jr 20724375, Infantry	13 August	Kansas
Staff Sergeant Claude W Thom 37070557, Infantry	24 July	Kansas
Sergeant Cyril J Barta 37162732, Infantry	12 August	North Dakota
Sergeant Roy A Dorman 20734404, Field Artillery	12 August	Kansas
Sergeant Harry C Hartwig 37272153, Infantry	11 August	Minnesota
Sergeant Lawrence W Kelly 37070498, Infantry	23 July	Kansas
Sergeant Robert A Meier 37530918, Infantry	11 August	Kansas
Sergeant Albert E Olson 39305803, Infantry	13 August	Oregon

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<u>RANK, NAME, ASN AND BRANCH</u>	<u>DATE WOUNDED</u>	<u>ENTERED MILITARY SERVICE FROM</u>
Sergeant Harold A Folzin 36116900, Infantry	7 August	Michigan
Sergeant Lloyd R Richereek 36420382, Infantry	16 August	Michigan
Sergeant Maynard W Senter 20725916, Infantry	26 July	Kansas
Sergeant Gleason F Sharp 34013862, Field Artillery	10 August	Tennessee
Sergeant Virgil P Stephan 37150004, Field Artillery	10 August	Kansas
Sergeant Walter Taylor 34504624, Infantry	11 August	Tennessee
Sergeant John R Welch 15215559, Infantry	12 August	Indiana
Sergeant Paul A Wettstein 37302351, Infantry	13 August	South Dakota
Sergeant Jarrell B Williams 18089500, Coast Artillery Corps	10 August	Texas
Technician Fourth Grade Ralph J Laymon 20723944, Infantry	8 August	Kansas
Corporal Hubert L Tesperman 34604021, Infantry	9 August	North Carolina
Corporal Elwyn Medlock 34701915, Infantry	11 August	Alabama
Corporal Glen D Thompson 20739017, Quartermaster Corps	25 July	Nebraska
Technician Fifth Grade Albert E Bittner 39325802, Medical Department	10 August	Oregon
Technician Fifth Grade Edward D Simpson 38340747, Infantry	13 August	Texas
Private First Class Lorenzo M Becerra 39255287, Infantry	12 August	California
Private First Class James H Bishop 38237909, Infantry	12 August	Arkansas
Private First Class Hinal L Coleman 34603561, Infantry	12 August	North Carolina
Private First Class Harry B Davidson 17050201, Infantry	14 August	Minnesota
Private First Class Emery Essick 34603873, Infantry	10 August	North Carolina
Private First Class Robert E Ford 35469747, Coast Artillery Corps	10 August	Ohio
Private First Class Elmer R Fore 14007527, Infantry	12 August	South Carolina
Private First Class Frank J Gagliardi 33594192, Infantry	1 August	Pennsylvania
Private First Class Edward R Gibson 34503571, Infantry	12 August	Tennessee
Private First Class R C Hayden 37134383, Infantry	9 August	Missouri
Private First Class Wesley N Hough 39152002, Infantry	12 August	California
Private First Class Niles F Johnson 31363778, Infantry	16 August	Massachusetts
Private First Class George P Lawall 33695531, Field Artillery	12 August	Pennsylvania
Private First Class Edward H Linderkahn 37679526, Infantry	9 August	Iowa
Private First Class Walter R Linscott 31219866, Infantry	11 August	Maine
Private First Class Wesley F Lourigan 31331188, Infantry	9 August	Connecticut
Private First Class Frank H Nitz 37510793, Infantry	12 August	Missouri
Private First Class Roy E Pollard 20721010, Infantry	8 August	Nebraska

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<u>RANK, NAME, ASN AND BRANCH</u>	<u>DATE WOUNDED</u>	<u>ENTERED MILITARY SERVICE FROM</u>
Private First Class Cleo L Schroeder 35541933, Infantry	13 August	Ohio
Private First Class William I Sligar 35597660, Infantry	26 July	Ohio
Private First Class Stanley Speiller 32780355, Infantry	11 August	New York
Private First Class Steve Struhar Jr 32008696, Infantry	12 August	New York
Private First Class James W Wells 39212664, Infantry	12 August	Washington
Private Cecil R Brown 34701864, Infantry	10 August	Alabama
Private James W Chappell 34684811, Infantry	10 August	Georgia
Private Joseph F Fedesco 33786767, Medical Department	16 August	Pennsylvania
Private Harvey G Lince 36561903, Infantry	9 August	Michigan
Private Terrence E Lockyear 6932465, Infantry	9 August	Nebraska
Private James H McKinnon 37164342, Infantry	12 August	Minnesota
Private Wando L Neal 35762336, Infantry	23 July	West Virginia
Private Leslie M Oakley 34854910, Infantry	16 August	North Carolina
Private Chester J Pawlak 36771557, Infantry	12 August	Illinois
Private Stanley M Repse 35899812, Infantry	16 August	Indiana
Private Anthony C Roseluke 32928598, Infantry	8 August	New Jersey
Private Weitzel R A Smith 34505384, Infantry	12 August	Tennessee
Private Doyle J Towers 36459390, Infantry	11 August	Michigan
Private Jack Watkins 35507158, Coast Artillery Corps	10 August	Ohio
Private Walter J Wiatrowski 31316539, Medical Department	7 August	Connecticut

II - AWARD OF THE PURPLE HEART (OAK-LEAF CLUSTER). Pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, and Circular 6, Headquarters Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, in addition to the Purple Heart previously awarded, a bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to the following enlisted man of this command, for wounds received in action against the enemy on date indicated in France:

<u>RANK, NAME, ASN AND BRANCH</u>	<u>DATE WOUNDED</u>	<u>ENTERED MILITARY SERVICE FROM</u>
Technical Sergeant Kenneth E Riley 20724358, Infantry	12 August	Kansas

By command of Major General BAADÉ:

MADDREY A SOLOMON  
 Colonel, G S C  
 Chief of Staff

OFFICIAL:

*Richard G Chadwick*  
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 Lt Colonel, A G D  
 Adjutant General

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