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I — AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO BRONZE STAR MEDAL. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, a bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster to Bronze Star Medal is awarded to following named individual for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy:

MAJOR CHARLES E. PORTERUS, 01299942, CSC (Infantry), Headquarters 103d Infantry Division, (then Service Company, 410th Infantry Regiment), from 22 January 1945 to 14 March 1945 in France. Residence: Birmingham, Michigan.

II — AWARD OF PURPLE HEART. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to following named individuals for wounds or injuries received in action against the enemy:

Private First Class Harry J. Zech, 34007640, Infantry, Company "D", 411th Infantry Regiment, Germany, 21 March 1945. Residence: Holland, Michigan.

Private First Class Victor Vulinato, 20263463, Infantry, Headquarters Company, First Battalion, 411th Infantry Regiment, France, 22 November 1944. Residence: Brooklyn, New York.

Private First Class Thelbert T. Motley, 34326836, Infantry, Company "D", 411th Infantry Regiment, France, 17 March 1945. Residence: Clark, Tennessee.

SECOND LIEUTENANT RODNEY T. LINTIN, JR., 0546867, Infantry, Company "B", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 24 January 1945. Residence: Augusta, Georgia.

III — AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO PURPLE HEART. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, a bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster to Purple Heart is awarded to following named individual for wounds or injuries received in action against the enemy:

Staff Sergeant Cornelius J. Mailenburg, 37446155, Infantry, Company "D", 411th Infantry Regiment, France, 15 December 1944. Residence: Melvin, Iowa.

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IV -- AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO BRONZE STAR MEDAL, REVOCATION. So much of Section I, General Orders 222, this Headquarters, dated 15 August 1945, awarding the Oak-Leaf Cluster to Bronze Star Medal to MAJOR CHARLES P. PORTERSON, Q1299942, GSC (Infantry), Headquarters 103d Infantry Division, is revoked.

V -- AWARD OF PURPLE HEART, REVOCATION. So much of Section II, General Orders 220, this Headquarters, dated 13 August 1945, awarding Purple Heart to Private First Class Victor M. Priester, 3646654, Medical Department, Medical Detachment, 411th Infantry Regiment, is revoked.

So much of Section II, General Orders 219, this Headquarters, dated 7 August 1945, awarding Purple Heart to Staff Sergeant Joseph Pappalardo, 2C225477, Infantry, Company "B", 409th Infantry Regiment, is revoked.

So much of Section II, General Orders 220, this Headquarters, dated 13 August 1945, awarding Purple Heart to Staff Sergeant Joseph Pappalardo, 2C225477, Infantry, Company "B", 409th Infantry Regiment, is revoked.

VI -- AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO PURPLE HEART, AMENDMENT. So much of Section III, General Orders 222, this Headquarters, dated 15 August 1945, awarding the Oak-Leaf Cluster to Purple Heart to SECOND LIEUTENANT RICHARD L. CHAMBERLAIN, Q1314443, that reads, "AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO PURPLE HEART", is amended to read, "AWARD OF SECOND OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO PURPLE HEART".

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL ROBINSON:

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ARMED FORCES MEDAL . . . . . II  
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I -- ARMED FORCES MEDAL. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, a Bronze Star medal is awarded to following named individual for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy:

CAPTAIN JAMES McKEE, 01316441, Corps of Engineers, 3rd Infanterie Combat Battalion, from 11 November 1944 to 5 May 1945, in France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Richfield Springs, New York.

II -- ARMED FORCES MEDAL. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to following named individuals for wounds or injuries received in action against the enemy:

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS RICHARD D. STAN, 01031765, Cavalry, 103d Reconnaissance Troop, France, 26 November 1944. Residence: York, Nebraska.

PRIVATE JOHN G. LOWTHIRE, 01308759, Infantry, Headquarters 103d Infantry Division, France, 3 January 1945. Residence: Indianapolis, Indiana.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMANDER OF THE DIVISION:

C. S. TIGUE, Jr.,  
Colonel, C.S.C.,  
Chief of Staff.

ATTACHED:

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J. L. McKEE,  
Lt. Col., V.G.C.,  
Assistant General.

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LIEUTENANT COLONEL JOHN COTTER, 0370658, GSD (PA), having been detailed as a member of the General Staff Corps with Troops, is assigned to General Staff duties as Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, vice LIEUTENANT COLONEL RICHARD R. FLEISHER, 0300312, PA, relieved.

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL ROBINSON:

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AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL. . . . . I  
AWARD OF PURPLE HEART . . . . . II  
AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO PURPLE HEART . . . . . III

I -- AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded, posthumously, to following named individual for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy:

CAPTAIN MILLIS J. MURKIN, 01300148, Infantry, Company "H", 411th Infantry Regiment, from 16 November 1944 to 27 January 1945 in France and Germany. Residence: Ripley, Tennessee. Next of Kin: Mrs Sara A. Murkin, (Mother), Route Number 5, Ripley, Tennessee.

II -- AWARD OF PURPLE HEART. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to following individuals for wounds or injuries received in action against the enemy:

Private First Class Fred W. Post, 34572762, Infantry, Company "G", 409th Infantry Regiment, France, 29 November 1944. Residence: Atlanta, Georgia.

Private First Class Floyd B. Baker, 15000101, Medical Department, Medical Detachment, 409th Infantry Regiment, Germany, 24 March 1945. Residence: Bolan, Kentucky.

Technician Fifth Grade Adam G. Turck, 13086659, Infantry, Headquarters Company, 409th Infantry Regiment, Italy, 18 February 1944. Residence: Patton, Pennsylvania.

III -- AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO PURPLE HEART. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, a bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster to Purple Heart is awarded to following named individuals for wounds or injuries received in action against the enemy:

FIRST OAK-LEAF CLUSTER

Staff Sergeant James N. King, 35060305, Infantry, Headquarters Company, 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 22 September 1944. Residence: Three Point, Kentucky.

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III - AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO PURPLE HEART, CONT'D

SECOND OAK-LEAF CLUSTER

Staff Sergeant Amos N. King, 35460305, Infantry, Headquarters Company,  
410th Infantry Regiment, Germany, 10 April 1945. Residence: Three Point,  
Kentucky.

Private Douglas E. Durfee, 3M53248, Infantry, Company "D", 409th Infantry  
Regiment, Belgium, 17 January 1945. Residence: Glasgow, Connecticut.

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL ROBINSON:

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CAPTAIN "HILIS W J BARRIOS, 01295981, GOC(Inf), having been detailed  
as a member of the General Staff Corps with Troops, is assigned to General  
Staff duties as Assistant to the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3.

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AWARD OF SILVER STAR . . . . . I  
AWARD OF PURPLE HEART . . . . . II

I -- AWARD OF SILVER STAR. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded to following named individuals:

SECOND LIEUTENANT HAROLD A COE, 02000657, Infantry, Company I, 411th Infantry Regiment, was gallantly in action near Muhlhausen, France, 15 March 1945. On 15 March 1945 in the vicinity of Muhlhausen, France, Company I, 411th Infantry Regiment was halted by intense machine gun crossfire. Snipers firing at the halted men caused several casualties and enemy artillery began to zero in on the company. 1st LIEUTENANT COE, knowing his actions meant the most extreme danger to himself, seized two grenades, ran through heavy fire to within thirty-five yards of an enemy machine gun before he was severely wounded in the stomach. Despite his wound he continued to within twenty-five yards of the gun, hurled his grenades destroying the gun and wounding and capturing the crew. By his intrepid action pressure was removed from the company and a safe avenue of approach to the objective was gained. His actions reflect the highest traditions of the military service. Entered the military service. Entered the military service from Ispilanti, Michigan.

II -- AWARD OF PURPLE HEART. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to following individuals for wounds or injuries received in action against the enemy:

CAPTAIN CLIFFORD H. HIEPPS, 01285063, Infantry, Company "I", 410th Infantry Regiment, France; 15 March 1945. Residence: Columbus, Ohio.

Private First Class Donald O. Dalton, 7033597, Infantry, Anti-Tank, 411th Infantry Regiment, France, 17 January 1945. Residence: Georgetown, Texas.

Private James M. Burns, 36834711, Company "A", 409th Infantry Regiment, Austria, 1 May 1945. Residence: New London, Wisconsin.

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AWARD OF PURPLE HEART . . . . . I  
AWARD OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE . . . . . II  
AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO PURPLE HEART, REVOCATION. . . . . III

I -- AWARD OF PURPLE HEART. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded following individuals for wounds or injuries received in action against the enemy:

Private Douglas E. Durfee, 31453248, Infantry, Company "D", 409th Infantry Regiment, Belgium, 17 January 1945. Residence: Glasgow, Connecticut.

Corporal Harold W. Angor, 36548251, Infantry, Company "H", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 22 December 1944. Residence: Port Huron, Michigan.

II -- AWARD OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE. Under the provisions of Section I, Circular 269, War Department, dated 23 August 1944, as amended, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to the following units:

Service Battery, 362d Field Artillery Battalion, for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks during the period 9 November 1944 to 9 May 1945 in France, Germany and Austria.

Service Battery, 363d Field Artillery Battalion, for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks during the period 9 November 1944 to 9 May 1945 in France, Germany and Austria.

Service Battery, 364th Field Artillery Battalion, for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks during the period 10 November 1944 to 3 May 1945 in France, Germany and Austria.

III -- AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO PURPLE HEART, REVOCATION. So much of Section III, General Order No 226, this Headquarters, dated 20 August 1945, awarding Second Oak-Leaf Cluster to Purple Heart to Private Douglas E. Durfee, 31453248, is revoked.

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL ROBINSON:

OFFICIAL:

*William C. Domon*  
WILLIAM C. DOMON  
Major, A.G.D.,  
Adjutant General.

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## AWARD OF PURPLE HEART

*JULY 1945*  
Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded following individuals for wounds or injuries received in action against the enemy:

SECOND LIEUTENANT MARCUS R. RAWLINGS, 02010653, (then Sergeant), Infantry, Headquarters Company, 409th Infantry Regiment, France, 22 December 1944.  
Residence: Gainesville, Texas.

Private First Class William H. Scott, 20824929, Field Artillery, Battery "C", 928th Field Artillery Battalion, Italy, 17 November 1943. Residence: Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Technician Fifth Grade Arnold B. Clements, 33068858, Field Artillery, Battery "B", 928th Field Artillery Battalion, France, 22 September 1944.  
Residence: Washington, D. C.

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL ROBINSON:

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AWARD OF PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to following named individual for wounds or injuries received in action against the enemy:

Private First Class Valentine Sayres, 35778327, Infantry, Company "B", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 22 January 1945. Residence: Powellton, West Virginia.

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL ROBINSON:

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