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HEADQUARTERS 103d INFANTRY DIVISION
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APO 470, U. S. Army
22 March 1945

GENERAL ORDERS)
NUMBER - 86)

- AWARD OF PURPLE HEART I
- AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO PURPLE HEART II
- AWARD OF GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL III

I -- 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:

FIRST LIEUTENANT ANTHONY P CALABRO, 01171476, Field Artillery, Battery "C", 384th Field Artillery Battalion, France, 19 March 1945. Residence: West Medford, Massachusetts.

Private First Class Robert J Tumpach, 36712013, Field Artillery, Battery "C", 382d Field Artillery Battalion, France, 20 March 1945. Residence: Brookfield, Illinois.

Private First Class Donald E Wagstaff, 37635828, Infantry, Company "L", 409th Infantry Regiment, France, 14 January 1945. Residence: St. Louis, Missouri.

Private William W Hoerter, 36960594, Infantry, Company "C", 409th Infantry Regiment, France, 14 December 1944. Residence: Chicago, Illinois.

Private Anthony J Pettinato, 16152020, Corps of Engineers, Company "L", 328th Engineer Combat Battalion, France, 19 March 1945. Residence: Detroit, Michigan.

II -- AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO PURPLE HEART. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the 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 Arthur G Thomann, 35391821, Corps of Engineers, Company "C", 328th Engineer Combat Battalion, France, 28 January 1945. Residence: Wheeling, West Virginia.

III -- AWARD OF GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-68, 4 May 1943, as amended, and with the concurrence of the Headquarters Commandant, the Good Conduct Medal is awarded to following named enlisted men, units indicated, for exemplary behavior, efficiency and fidelity:

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 III-AWARD OF GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL (Cont'd)

103d SIGNAL COMPANY

Technician Fifth Grade	Miller, William B	13098357
Technician Fifth Grade	Moser, Frank W	37625191
Private First Class	Berman, Manuel	12189695
Private First Class	Bull, Lloyd O	38628468
Private First Class	Greenstein, George	13114598
Private First Class	Herland, Max	12125877
Private First Class	Hook, Henry	12092078
Private First Class	Kamel, Morris	12123214
Private First Class	Lasoff, Benjamin	12145892
Private	Surchenal, Caleb L	42081843
Private	Sach, Allen H	34910071
Private	Currier, James F	36485609
Private	Diaz, Manuel, Jr	12150967
Private	Faulkner, Patrick, Jr	35575926
Private	Graves, Suel R	38446442
Private	Irish, David V	39457131
Private	Kuhlschmidt, Ervin C	15373086
Private	Maddox, George G	13114242
Private	McLean, Rob R	39338546
Private	Neverovich, Walter J	31331780
Private	O'Hara, Thomas A	32134307
Private	Swierzewski, Joseph S	31339040
Private	Taft, William R	34807668

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REORGANIZATION OF 803d ORDNANCE LIGHT MAINTENANCE COMPANY

Effective this date the 803d Ordnance Light Maintenance Company is reorganized at APO #470, U. S. Army in accordance with Table of Organization and Equipment Number 9-8, dated 17 November 1944, and designated as 803d Ordnance Light Maintenance Company.

Authorized strength of the unit is nine (9) Officers; one (1) Warrant Officer; and one hundred thirty-one (131) enlisted men.

Requisition or disposition of personnel and equipment, and submission of reports, will be accomplished as prescribed in paragraph 3c, Circular 9, Headquarters Seventh Army, dated 13 March 1945.

Authority: Letter, Headquarters Seventh Army, file AG 322-C, subject: "Reorganization of Units", dated 17 March 1945.

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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 individuals for wounds or injuries received in action against the enemy:

Technician Fifth Grade Marvin Ellis, 37446985, Signal Corps, 103d Signal Company, France, 15 March 1945. Residence: Chariton, Iowa.

Private Homer C Bragg, 15078173, Corps of Engineers, Company "C", 328th Engineer Combat Battalion, France, 15 March 1945. Residence: Pine Grove, West Virginia.

Private First Class Paul J Williams, 36410373, Medical Department, Medical Detachment, 411th Infantry Regiment, Germany, 21 March 1945. Residence: Cement City, Michigan.

CHAPLAIN (CAPTAIN) ELLIS S BULLINS, 0536104, Chaplain Corps, Headquarters 411th Infantry Regiment, Germany, 21 March 1945. Residence: Mayodon, North Carolina.

Technician Fifth Grade Ronald F Treloar, 36125299, Infantry, Company "F", 411th Infantry Regiment, Germany, 21 March 1945. Residence: Petersburg, Michigan.

Private First Class Wilfred K Winkler, 37722352, Infantry, Company "F", 411th Infantry Regiment, Germany, 21 March 1945. Residence: Axtell, Kansas.

Private First Class Gillmer J Seegmiller, 37661105, Infantry, Company "E", 411th Infantry Regiment, Germany, 21 March 1945. Residence: Lecora, Iowa.

FIRST LIEUTENANT MARLIN N KEMEE, 01296384, Infantry, Headquarters 411th Infantry Regiment, Germany, 19 March 1945. Residence: Duncannon, Pennsylvania.

CAPTAIN DON A HEBERT, 01296372, Infantry, Company "A", 411th Infantry Regiment, Germany, 19 March 1945. Residence: Hazel Park, Michigan.

Private First Class David Owen, Jr, 18090502, Infantry, Company "D", 411th Infantry Regiment, France, 18 March 1945. Residence: El Paso, Texas.

Private First Class Donald E Snyder, 36470528, Infantry, Company "L", 411th Infantry Regiment, France, 17 March 1945. Residence: Paw Paw, Michigan.

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Sergeant Ernest M Bivens, 34495101, Infantry, Headquarters Company, Second Battalion, 411th Infantry Regiment, France, 17 March 1945. Residence: Parsons, Tennessee.

MAJOR WILLIAM P KELEHER, 0453580, Infantry, Headquarters Third Battalion, 411th Infantry Regiment, France, 16 March 1945. Residence: Fruite, Colorado.

Technician Fifth Grade Ronald H Hall, 36550486, Infantry, Company "F", 411th Infantry Regiment, France, 16 March 1945. Residence: Bloomfield Hills, Michigan.

Private Paul E Fox, 36410199, Infantry, Company "K", 411th Infantry Regiment, Germany, 20 March 1945. Residence: Casnovia, Michigan.

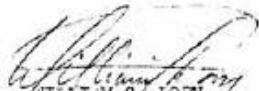
Technical Sergeant Franklin E Wiles, 36549338, Infantry, Anti-Tank Company 411th Infantry Regiment, Germany, 20 March 1945. Residence: Detroit, Michigan.

Private First Class Robert J Lottenfield, 36952109, Infantry, Company "A", 411th Infantry Regiment, France, 17 March 1945. Residence: Belleville, Illinois.

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APC 470, U. S. Army
24 March 1945

GENERAL ORDERS)
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- AWARD OF SILVER STAR I
- AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF SILVER STAR II
- AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL III
- AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL IV
- AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO AIR MEDAL V
- AWARD OF PURPLE HEART VI
- AWARD OF PURPLE HEART, REVOCATION VII

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 individual:

Private First Class Ira T. McClure, 35813078, Infantry, Company "C", 410th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action. On 26 February 1945, during a night raid on * * *, France, when intense enemy machine gun cross fire pinned his patrol to the ground, Private McClure advanced alone through an enemy mine field, located one enemy gun and knocked it out with automatic weapon fire. As the patrol was withdrawing, a comrade was wounded by a mine, and Private McClure in going to his aid was also wounded. In order to prevent further casualties, Private McClure warned the balance of the patrol not to attempt to enter the mine field and guided them around it. Private McClure, remaining in the mine field over night, observed all enemy activities, and when later evacuated, furnished valuable information to his commanding officer. His actions reflected the highest traditions of the military service. Residence: Leitchfield, Kentucky.

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

Private First Class Leonard H. Momsen, 37636904, Infantry, Company "C", 410th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action. During a night raid on 26 February 1945, the patrol of which Private Momsen was a member was halted at the edge of * * *, France, when the enemy opened fire with a machine gun at point blank range. Private Momsen, picking up a bazooka from a wounded man, made his way through the enemy fire to within 25 yards of the hostile gun, and, firing one round knocked out the gun and killed three of the enemy. Private Momsen's actions, which enabled the patrol to accomplish its mission with a minimum of casualties, reflected the highest traditions of the military service. Residence: Kirkwood, Missouri. Next of kin: Mrs. Lucille D. Momsen, (Mother), Rural Route #12, Kirkwood, Missouri.

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 II - AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF SILVER STAR (Cont'd)

Private First Class John F. Kenney, 20118983, Infantry, Company "C", 410th Infantry Regiment. For gallantry in action. On 26 February 1945, during a night raid on * * *, France, Private Kenney, as scout, was well in advance of his patrol, when enemy automatic weapon fire inflicted several casualties upon the group and pinned them to the ground. Disregarding the enemy fire and the danger of mines, Private Kenney advanced alone into the town, located the enemy machine gun, and with well directed rifle fire and hand grenades, knocked out the gun and killed the enemy crew. Private Kenney's actions, which enabled the patrol to advance into the town, were in accordance with the highest traditions of the military service. Residence: Roxbury, Massachusetts. Next of kin: Mrs. Margaret Kenney, (Mother), 61 Dudley Street, Roxbury, Massachusetts.

III -- AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded to following named individuals:

Private First Class Sanford H. Flink, 32974685, Infantry, Company "C", 410th Infantry Regiment. For heroism in action. During a night raid on 26 February 1945, the patrol of which Private Flink was a member was halted and pinned down at the edge of * * *, France, by heavy enemy automatic weapon fire. Disregarding the enemy fire and the danger of mines, Private Flink, advanced alone, located the source of enemy fire, and fired one bazooka round which failed to explode. Remaining in an exposed position, he fired a second round, knocking out the hostile gun and killing four of the enemy. Private Flink's actions, which permitted the patrol to accomplish its mission with a minimum of casualties, reflected the highest traditions of the military service. Residence: Brooklyn, New York.

SECOND LIEUTENANT JERRY W. POOLE, 0547561, Infantry, Company "C", 410th Infantry Regiment. For heroism in action. On 26 February 1945, LIEUTENANT POOLE was leading a night patrol through enemy mine fields in the vicinity of * * *, France, when heavy enemy automatic weapon fire forced the group to disperse and seek cover. A number of Schu mines were detonated, wounding several members of the patrol and severely stunning and bruising LIEUTENANT POOLE. Despite his condition, this officer quickly regained control of his group, reorganized and led them forward. After obtaining valuable information relative to enemy dispositions, he skillfully withdrew his patrol to friendly lines. LIEUTENANT POOLE's actions reflected the highest traditions of the military service. Residence: Muskogee, Oklahoma.

IV -- 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:

Private First Class Joseph D. Christopherson, 37595554, Infantry, Company "C", 410th Infantry Regiment. For heroism in action. On 26 February 1945, during a night raid on * * *, France, Private Christopherson's squad, moving through enemy mine fields, was pinned down by hostile automatic weapon fire.

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 IV - AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (Cont'd)

Private Christopherson, realizing the precarious position of the patrol, boldly proceeded forward through the mine field picking a path for his comrades. As he reached the edge of the mine field, he was fatally wounded. Private Christopherson's actions, which enabled the patrol to advance safely, reflected the highest traditions of the military service. Residence: Clontarf, Minnesota. Next of kin: Mrs. Christine Christopherson, (Mother), Clontarf, Minnesota.

V -- AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO AIR MEDAL. Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal is awarded to following named individuals for meritorious service while participating in aerial flight:

AWARD OF THE FOURTH OAK-LEAF CLUSTER

FIRST LIEUTENANT P. EDWARD SMITH, O1185199, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, 384th Field Artillery Battalion, (then Headquarters Battery, 103d Division Artillery), from 19 February to 7 March 1945, in Eastern France. Residence: Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

AWARD OF THE THIRD OAK-LEAF CLUSTER

FIRST LIEUTENANT EUGENE S. HUFF, O1184525, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, 384th Field Artillery Battalion, on 20 January 1945, in Eastern France. Residence: Seminole, Oklahoma.

AWARD OF THE SECOND OAK-LEAF CLUSTER

CAPTAIN EUGENE E. JOHNSON, O1174604, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, 103d Division Artillery, on 20 January 1945, in Eastern France. Residence: Crawfordsville, Indiana.

FIRST LIEUTENANT ROBERT J. REINSCH, O1180023, Field Artillery, Battery "A", 382d Field Artillery Battalion, from 5 January to 28 February 1945, in Eastern France. Residence: Geneva, Nebraska.

FIRST LIEUTENANT LAWRENCE V. McVICKER, O546543, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, 382d Field Artillery Battalion, from 15 January to 25 February 1945, in Eastern France. Residence: Eagle Grove, Iowa.

FIRST LIEUTENANT WILLIAM R. POWELL, O1180666, Field Artillery, Battery "C", 382d Field Artillery Battalion, from 15 January to 27 February 1945, in Eastern France. Residence: Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

FIRST LIEUTENANT JAMES B. SCOLICK, O1180331, Field Artillery, Battery "C", 384th Field Artillery Battalion, on 20 January 1945, in Eastern France. Residence: Los Angeles, California.

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 V - AWARD OF OAK-LEAF CLUSTER TO AIR MEDAL (Cont'd)

FIRST LIEUTENANT STANLEY BEPTONEY, 01166667, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, 382d Field Artillery Battalion, from 5 January to 26 February 1945, in Eastern France. Residence: Stoughton, Massachusetts.

AWARD OF THE FIRST OAK-LEAF CLUSTER

FIRST LIEUTENANT ROBERT J. REINSCH, 01180623, Field Artillery, Battery "A", 382d Field Artillery Battalion, on 20 January 1945, in Eastern France. Residence: Geneva, Nebraska.

FIRST LIEUTENANT LAWRENCE V. McVICKER, 0543543, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, 382d Field Artillery Battalion, on 20 January 1945, in Eastern France. Residence: Eagle Grove, Iowa.

FIRST LIEUTENANT STANLEY BEPTONEY, 01166667, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, 382d Field Artillery Battalion, on 20 January 1945, in Eastern France. Residence: Stoughton, Massachusetts.

FIRST LIEUTENANT WILLIAM R. POWELL, 01180666, Field Artillery, Battery "C", 382d Field Artillery Battalion, on 20 January 1945, in Eastern France. Residence: Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

FIRST LIEUTENANT TILMAN J. OXFORD, JR., 0554205, Field Artillery, Battery "A", 928th Field Artillery Battalion, from 13 January to 25 February 1945, in Eastern France. Residence: Lakeland, Florida.

VI -- 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 Philip J. Kauffman, 37195916, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, 928th Field Artillery Battalion, Germany, 21 March 1945. Residence: Burlington, Iowa.

Private First Class Lawrence C. Foggess, 6940451, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, 928th Field Artillery Battalion, Germany, 21 March 1945. Residence: Cumberland, Maryland.

CAPTAIN GEORGE D. TURNER, JR., 01171396, Field Artillery, Headquarters, 928th Field Artillery Battalion, France, 17 March 1945. Residence: Portsmouth, Virginia.

Private First Class James G. Alexander, 32549276, Infantry, Company "K", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 15 March 1945. Residence: Penn Yan, New York.

Sergeant Kenneth K. King, 34710429, Infantry, Company "K", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 15 March 1945. Residence: Nashville, Tennessee.

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Private First Class James A. Wious, 37536985, Infantry, Company "K", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 15 March 1945. Residence: Kansas City, Missouri.

Private First Class Allan M. Cooper, 34495639, Medical Department, Medical Detachment, 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 16 March 1945. Residence: Jamestown, Tennessee.

Private First Class William M. Naupin, 14119051, Infantry, Company "D", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 15 March 1945. Residence: Cleveland, Tennessee.

Private First Class Geoffrey O. Wolfe, 36410641, Infantry, Company "D", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 15 March 1945. Residence: Flint, Michigan.

Sergeant Donald W. Clem, 13184972, Infantry, Company "C", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 16 March 1945. Residence: Frederick, Maryland.

Staff Sergeant John J. Bichalski, 36549297, Infantry, Company "C", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 16 March 1945. Residence: Hamtramck, Michigan.

Private First Class Theodore F. Furmanek, 36440863, Infantry, Company "C", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 16 March 1945. Residence: East St. Louis, Illinois.

Corporal William T. Ebbs, 38342543, Infantry, Company "C", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 16 March 1945. Residence: Gilroy, California.

Private First Class Thomas J. Garry, 16083304, Infantry, Company "C", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 16 March 1945. Residence: Detroit, Michigan.

Sergeant Robert C. Colby, 35557965, Infantry, Company "C", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 16 March 1945. Residence: Ft. Wayne, Indiana.

Private First Class George L. Schroeder, 36544720, Infantry, Company "D", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 15 March 1945. Residence: Hazel Park, Michigan.

Sergeant Robert L. Schroeder, 37542288, Infantry, Company "G", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 15 March 1945. Residence: Alexandria, Minnesota.

Private Alvin H. Ayers, 13061353, Infantry, Company "A", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 16 March 1945. Residence: Unity, Pennsylvania.

Private First Class Alfred A. Eichner, 6979956, Infantry, Cannon Company, 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 15 March 1945. Residence: Bronx, New York.

FIRST LIEUTENANT JOSEPH W. HEADS, 01292921, Infantry, Company "G", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 15 March 1945. Residence: San Francisco, California.

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CAPTAIN DANIEL E. HALPIN, O24957, Infantry, Company "K", 410th Infantry Regiment, France, 17 March 1945. Residence: Scranton, Pennsylvania.

VII -- AWARD OF PURPLE HEART, REVOCATION. So much of General Orders Number 63, this headquarters, dated 14 December 1944, awarding the Purple Heart to Private First Class Roger Gant, 34777513, Infantry, Company "I", 410th Infantry Regiment, is revoked.

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