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UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 534

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17 June 1944

SPECIAL ORDERS)

NUMBER (166)

EXTRACT

By direction of the President the following officers are temporarily promoted in the Army of the United States to grades indicated, effective this date. Date or rank is date of this order unless otherwise indicated after name. These promotions unless sooner terminated, terminate automatically at the termination of the emergency and six months thereafter, at which time the officer will revert to their permanent grade. No oath of office or acceptance is required. In accordance with the provisions of Public Law 746, 77th Congress, promotion is deemed to have been accepted as of date of this order, and under the provisions of the same law officers are entitled to receive pay and allowances of the higher grade from such date.

LT COL TO COL

THOMAS H PAGE 018300 MC

MAJ TO LT COL

KNOX BROWN 0510311 CMP
FRANK C CHEVALIER 0918459 Sig C
THOMAS G EARLY 0287992 AC
HARVEY J GROSSMAN 0515254 Spec Res
ROBERT A FERRILL 0311009 INF

HENRY H BARNES 0139001 CR
ROBERT V BROWN 0123157 INF
FLORENCE A SIMMONS 0400993 MC
GEORGE A STAPLETON 0256083 INF
ANDREW J TOMPKINS 0313442 PA

CAPT TO MAJ

WILLIAM H RAIL 0315508 MC
CHRISTOPHER C HENSON 0387256 CAC
EDWARD L CHAMBER 0374344 CMP
FORREST GRANGER 0361609 PA
HUNTON D CRIPPER 0904192 AUS
HERNCO DELL'ORSO 0257798 INF
WILLIAM A S DOLLARD 0506918 AUS
JAMES A DOOLEY 0335342 CAC
FREDERICK L GRAMER 025361 CAC
EARL A KRASSIER 0461802 CMP
HARRY C KAIT 0404074 JAGD

JAMES B MERRITT 0260972 CAV
WILLIAM E HYDAER 0374750 CSE
NORMAN H NEWHOUSE 0901017 AC
CHARLES E FIELDS 0451378 CAC
WILLIAM H SAVIN 0511995 CMP
WILLIAM E SCOTTER 0921625 MIS
HOWARD P SHAGRAVE 0453600 PA
GAIL E SULLIVAN 0921528 CAC
CHARLES I TURNER 0453655 ADJ
GEORGE H WILKINS 0475359 SSG

1ST LT TO CAPT

NICHOLAS H BATHON 01047872 CAC
ROBERT J BERNDETTO 01297641 INF

RONALD V GOSSELIN 0194385 CMP
ROBERT J CONNELLY 0474447 CMP

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LET LT TO CAPT--continued

WILLIAM BENTLEY 0484984 CWP
 WILLIAM L BROWDER 01001957 AGD
 PHILIP BRADSHAW 01012081 INF
 LARRY R GARCIA 01285570 CWP
 WILLIAM M GUTCHER 0407507 SigC
 ROGER GOIRAN 0921057 MIS
 RICHARD S HARTLEY 0497062 CWP
 ROBERT M HAY 0257990 CWP
 CHARLES L HOWARD 01633289 SigC
 LEWIS J KENDRICK 01040747 CAC
 DONALD S KINGSLEY 0347393 CR
 PETER J KYRYS 0488538 SigC
 PAUL F LARSON 024529 INF
 JOHN J LERO 01296545 INF
 WALTER R LIPNEY JR 0389091 CAC
 GABRILO LOFARO 0904385 PD

WILLIAM J DeSALVO 01301270 INF
 JAMES F ELLIMAN 0201383 CWP
 JOHN D FITZPATRICK 01040380 CAC
 WILLIAM L MacDONALD 0479902 CWP
 MARLIO A MANZELLI 0483104 SMC
 ALBERT R MATHEWAKI 01106933 CR
 MICHAEL R PABELLI 01045547 CAC
 HENRY PLEASANTY III 0914107 MC
 DONALD J QUINN 0129643 INF
 THOMAS D ROBERTS 0221051 CWP
 ROLAND SROGALINI 01046267 CAC
 PHILIP R SMYTER 01011979 INF
 FREDERIC C STINE 0148007 CWP
 HARRY J TENDLER 01797557 CWP
 WILLIAM E VON BREWERN JR 0325147 INF
 ROBERT L WILSON 0439367 INF

RD LT TO LET LT

JOHN G BARNETT 01043860 CAC
 RAYMOND W BEVINE 01002570 AGD
 SAMUEL E DUDAN 01845164 MSN
 EDUARDO KROGUF 01288031 INF
 CHARLES W PENDER JR 01795779 CWP
 FRANK P CRIPPO 01302298 INF
 MARCO GURCIA 01588614 CWP
 GEORGE H HUGGETT 01628638 SigC
 EUGENE W KLEIN 01797479 CWP
 WILLIAM D MAY 01047092 CAC
 JEAN M MUTHULAN d'ENNECALDE 01323201
 INF
 JOHN PARANELLI 01945449 TC

VIRGIL A PAGLINO 01176159 FA
 ROY E RICKERSON 01323739 INF
 PETER J MUGH 01113424 CR
 JOSEPH P SANTIAGO 01321253 INF
 RICHARD L SHAWTICK 01583655 Ord Dept
 LINCOLN E SIMON 01050924 CAC
 DOMINIC A TREAURO 01110257 CR
 NORMAN R TUNNIN 01308564 INF
 WILLIAM A UNDERWOOD 01846084 MSN
 MARSHALL L WHITE 01311360 INF
 WILLIAM L WOODY 01113068 TC
 BORIS S WOOLLEY 01797407 CWP

By command of Lieutenant General INVER:

OFFICIAL:

DAVID G. BARR,
 Major General, USG,
 Chief of Staff.

/s/ H. V. Roberts
 /t/ H. V. ROBERTS,
 Colonel, AGD,
 Adjutant General

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Robert H. Denny
 ROBERT H. DENNY,
 Capt, AGD
 Deputy Adjutant

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HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL COMMISSION
AGC 391

DAILY BULLETIN)

NUMBER 142)

OFFICIAL

1. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER:

a. The Headquarters Night Staff Duty Officer will be Lt ATKINS and can be located in Room 21, Provosts Building, telephone - Vapor 9.

b. The Night Staff Duty Clerk L/Cpl Cartmell will report to the Chief Clerk, Adjutant's Department Room 20 at 1600 hours and to the Duty Officer Room 21 at 1730 hours.

2. SIGNING OUT - OFFICERS:

All American Officers leaving this Headquarters on a permanent change of station are reminded to sign the "Register at the Information Desk outside Room 21 on the Mezzanine Floor." (Adj)

3. PAY VOUCHERS - OFFICERS:

- a. All officers who had their pay vouchers prepared for the month of May 44 at the Adjutant's Office, Room 15, Post Office Building, may come in any time between the 15th and 22nd of June for their June 44 voucher.
- b. Any other officer desiring their pay voucher prepared for the month of June 44, can do so by calling at the above designated place at any time.
- c. All officers who have had their pay vouchers prepared at the Personnel Office, may come in to pick up their June 44 voucher, if they are leaving this city. (Hq 267th Regt)

4. CIVILIAN BARBER SHOPS:

The following is extracted from Daily Bulletin #167, PBS, dtd 15 June 1944 for the information and guidance of all concerned:

a. All military personnel within PBS will restrict their patronage to only those barber shops which are operated by units, by the Post Exchange, the Red Cross or to those civilian shops which display an "APPROVED" placard.

b. Civilian barber shops that do not have the "Approved" placard have not been inspected for sanitation and will not be patronized." (Adj)

5. UNAUTHORIZED CIVILIANS IN GOVERNMENT VEHICLES:

The following is extracted from Daily Bulletin #167, PBS, dtd 15 June 1944 for the information and guidance of all concerned:

- a. Unauthorized civilians are not permitted to ride in Government operated vehicles in Rome or in the vicinity of Rome.
- b. Severe disciplinary action is being taken against all offenders in the Post area." (Adj)

b. The Night Staff Duty Clerk 1/Cpl Carmelli will report to the Chief Clerk, Adjutant's Department Room 20 at 1600 hours and to the Duty Officer Room 21 at 1730 hours.

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3. PAY VOUCHERS - OFFICERS:

- a. All officers who had their pay vouchers prepared for the month of May 44 at the Adjutant's Office, Room 15, Post Office Building, may come in any time between the 15th and 30th of June for their June 44 voucher.
- b. Any other officer desiring their pay voucher prepared for the month of June 44, can do so by calling at the above designated place at any time.
- c. All officers who have had their pay vouchers prepared at the Personnel Office, may come in to pick up their June 44 voucher, if they are leaving this city. (Hq 2675th Regt)

4. CIVILIAN BARNER SHOPS:

The following is extracted from Daily Bulletin #167, P38, dtd 15 June 1944 for the information and guidance of all concerned:

- a. All military personnel within P38 will restrict their patronage to only those barter shops which are operated by units, by the Post Exchange, the Red Cross or to those civilian shops which display an "APPROVED" placard.
- b. Civilian barter shops that do not have the "Approved" placard have not been inspected for sanitation and will not be patronized." (Adj)

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- a. Unauthorized civilians are not permitted to ride in Government operated vehicles in Rome or in the vicinity of Rome.
- b. Severe disciplinary action is being taken against all offenders in the Rome area." (Adj)

6. MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATIONS:

The following is extracted from Letter, Hq P38, File AD 390.13 HVSAG-0, Subject: "Message of Congratulations" dated 14 June 1944, for the information of all:

"The following paraphrased message date 12 June 1944, has been received from the Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean Theater, by General Alexander, Commander-in-Chief, Allied Armies in Italy:

"Congratulations on the great victory which has crowned with success your long winter of hard and bitter fighting, from the Allied Navies in the Mediterranean to their comrades in arms of the Allied Armies in Italy." (Adj)

Daily Bulletin #142, this Hq, dtd 10 June 44 (CONT'D)

7. PROMOTIONS - OFFICERS:

Pursuant to the authority contained in Paragraph 10, Special Orders #156, Hq, NATUSA, dated 7 June 1944, promotion of the following named officers from the rank of 2nd to 1st Lieutenant is announced:

Headquarters

ARNOLD, LEWIS F.
BARONE, ROY E.
CAPHIO, CARL F.
DE LUCA, JOSEPH M.
FENDRICK, MILTON R.
RICCOMINI, RICHARD J.

Region I
CAMARATA, JACK S.

Region II
ATKINS, CHARLES P. Jr.
KAHN, THOMAS O.

Region III
MILITELLO, CARLES J.
MUEH, CARROLL J.

Region IV
NASH, EDWARD W., Jr.
RAVABINO, MAURICE

Region V
COWDON, HAROLD R.

Region VI
ASH, KENNETH A.
BERNARD, LAUIS B.
MANCK, IRA

Region VII
SCANLAN, JOHN J.

Region VIII
DI LORENZO, RICHARD A.

Region IX
OFULENTE, BLAISE J.

Region X
DESIDERIO, MICHAEL J.

Region XI
DELMERIO, GEORGE G.

Region XII
RUSARD, RICHARD M.

Region XIII
HEAD, ROBERT F.
THOMPSON, PAUL M.

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8. COMMUNICATIONS - ROME:

Para 4 of Daily Bulletin #135, dated 9 June 1944, and similar insertions in previous Bulletins, are superseded by para 7 of Daily Bulletin #139 and para 9 of Daily Bulletin #140 dated 13 and 14 June 1944, respectively.

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DE LUGA, AUGUST M.
FENRICK, MILTON B.
NICOMINI, BRUNO J.
Region I
CAMMARATA, JACK S.
Region II
ADAMS, CHARLES P. Jr.
KANN, ERNEST G.
MULFETTO, CHARLES J.
HUSH, CARROLL J.
Region III
MASH, EDWARD W. Jr.
RAVARINO, MARIO C.
Region IV
COCKSON, HAROLD R.
Region V
ASH, KENNETH A.
BERNARD, LUIS B.
MANCK, IRA
Region VI
SCATLAN, JOHN J.
Region VII
DE LORENZO, MICHAEL A.
Region VIII
OPULENTE, BLAISE J.
ANG B. ARMY
DESIDERIO, MICHAEL J.
Rome City
DUMMERION, GEORGE G.
CAD
ROBARD, RICHARD M.
HEAD, ROBERT E.
THOMPSON, PAUL M.

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E. COMMUNICATIONS - NAME:

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(A23)

By command of Lieutenant General MASON MACFARLANE:

ROGER B. JERBY
Captain, AGD
Deputy Adjutant

OFFICIAL: *Roger B. Jerby*
ROGER B. JERBY
Captain, AGD
Deputy Adjutant

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Subject: APPOINTMENTS - OFFICERS.CONFIDENTIALH.S. A.A.I.8226/18 S.H.S. Allied Control Commission.29 May 44EXHIBIT

Approval is given to the following.

2. From S.O.I. (CA) to be Col (CA) and granted acting rank of Colonel.

Major (T/Lt Col)	R.G.B. SPICER, CMG, MC (282037) O.L.	w.e.f. 6 Jan 44
Lt Col	R. B. CHIFFS, TD (35548) R.B.	w.e.f. 6 Jan 44

4. From S.O.II (CA) to be S.O.I (CA) and granted acting rank of Lt Col.

Major	G.M. FRIEDELLE (47891) RASC	w.e.f. 6 Jan 44
Capt (T/Major)	I.G.H. CAMPBELL (87398) R.B.	w.e.f. 6 Jan 44
Major	S.H. WHITE (51348) Gen List	w.e.f. 27 Jan 44
Capt (T/Major)	A.F. WILCOX (267180) Gen List	w.e.f. 4 Mar 44
Capt (T/Major)	A.R. THACKERAN (46009) Pnr Corps	w.e.f. 13 Mar 44
Capt (T/Major)	J.A. CAMPBELL (106939) H L I	w.e.f. 10 Apr 44
Capt (T/Major)	S.H. HEAD (263377) Gen List	w.e.f. 10 Apr 44

6. From S.O.III (CA) to be S.O.II (CA) and granted acting rank of Major.

Lieut (T/Capt)	W.C. BALLANCE (273396) Gen List	w.e.f. 10 Apr 44
Lieut (T/Capt)	B.L. IRAGE (259095) RASC	w.e.f. 10 Apr 44
Lieut (T/Capt)	J.M. FRASER (257516) Gen List	w.e.f. 4 Mar 44

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7. From Staff Lieut (CA) to be S.O.III (CA) and granted acting rank of Captain.

Lieut	T.C. SHAMBS (128720) Gen list	w.e.f. 6 Jan 44
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These casualties will be reported to GHI 2nd Echelon, BMAF on
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Adv GHI (inf), C.M.F.
Adv 2nd Ech (UNF), C.M.F.
2nd Ech (S.A. Base), B.N.F.
Pz Arty (pers), A.F.H.Q.

/s/ Delrymple, Colonel.
Deputy Military Secretary.

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E. J. CHIOCCA
CNO, USA

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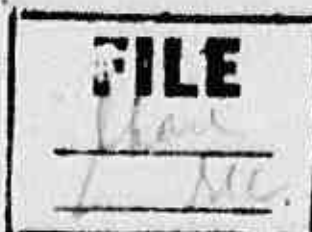
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PROMOTION OF OFFICERS.

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23 April 1944

210.2 SOAP

SUBJECT: Recommendations for Promotions.

TO : Commanding General,
Peninsular Base Section, APO 752
Commanding Officer,
Atlantic Base Section, APO 753
Eastern Base Section, APO 753
Island Base Section, APO 559
Northern Base Section, APO 386
Mediterranean Base Section, APO 503
Adriatic Depot, APO 386

1. This Headquarters has received officers' recommendations for promotion wherein pertinent information has been incorrect.

2. To assure absolute accuracy, it is desired that units assigned to the Communications Zone originating promotion recommendations carefully check and verify with the officer's qualification card, Form 55-1, all information contained in the recommendation.

By command of Major General LARKIN:

1/s/ E. S. Turner
Major, A.G.D.
Asst. Adjutant General.

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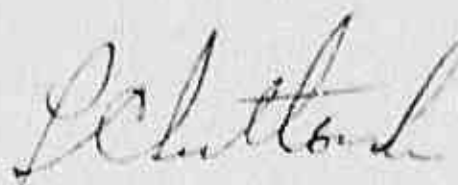
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TO: See Distribution.

For Compliance.

By command of Major General TILGH:



L. G. D. TOSI, JR.,
Captain, U. S. A.,
Asst. Adj. General

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AG 210.2 SSGAP-O

SUBJECT: Promotion of Warrant Officer

TO : Commanding General, Peninsular Base Section, APO 782.

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1. In accordance with the authority delegated the Commanding General, SOS NATOUA by letter AG 211/145 A-P, HQ. NATOUA, 5 March 1944, subject: "Promotion of Warrant Officer", all recommendations for the promotion of Warrant Officer Junior Grade to Chief Warrant Officer for units in the Communications Zone, will be submitted to this headquarters for final action.

2. AR 610-15, 27 February 1943, will govern in making all such promotions.

3. Model Form for use in submitting recommendations for promotion to this headquarters is attached.

By command of Major General LARKIN:

/s/ E. S. Turner,
E. S. TURNER,
Major, A. G. D.,
Asst Adjutant General.

1 Incl: Model Form

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HEADQUARTERS PENINSULAR BASE SECTION, APO 782, 12 April 1944.

TO: See Distribution.

For your information and guidance.

By command of Major General WILSON:

ACC-DIST
Cm Officer
G-1 (A)
2675 Regt.
ADJ-MAIN

S. Rubinton
S. RUBINTON
Captain, A. G. D.
Assistant Adjutant General

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UNITED STATES ARMY

APO _____

AG 201

(Date) _____

SUBJECT: Promotion of Warrant Officer.

TO : Commanding General, 305 NATOUSA

1. It is recommended that Warrant Officer (Junior Grade) _____

(1st Name)

be promoted to the

(Middle Name) (Last Name) (Serial Number) (Classification)

grade Chief Warrant Officer under paragraph 12, AR 610-15, dated 27 February 1943.

*This information must be correct. Verification will be made with officer's 66-1 to assure absolute accuracy.

2. Basis for promotion:

a. The Warrant Officer's component is _____

(1) Date of original warrant: _____

(2) Date of present rank: _____

(3) Authority and date of appointment to present grade _____

(4) Total length of active service under warrant: _____

b. Position vacancy occupied by warrant officer recommended _____

(1) Length of time officer has occupied position vacancy or performed duties appropriate to the grade for which promotion is recommended: _____

(2) Manner of performance of these duties: _____
(Must be initialed by originating officer)

c. Relative Rank:

(1) Warrant Officer's age is _____

(2) Warrant Officer's rank in relation to all other warrant

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officers of like grade within the organization to which the officer is assigned is _____ out of _____.

d. Table of organization or allotment under which recommending unit is authorized to recommend promotions: _____
(I/O number and date, or "Special". If "Special I/O" or letter authority of War Department or Headquarters NATOUSA, inclose true copy.)

e. Warrant officers authorized per paragraph d above, and assigned as of: _____
(Date)

	<u>Authorized</u>	<u>Assigned</u>
Chief Warrant Officer		
Warrant Officer Junior Grade		
Total Warrant Officers		

3. Approval of this recommendation, together with approval of all other outstanding undetermined recommendations for promotion to like warrant officer grade will not exceed the number of position vacancies existing on _____
(Date)

4. There is no warrant officer surplus in the command who is qualified to fill the position vacancy for which this warrant officer is recommended. (NOTE: This statement required in recommendation and first indorsement for promotion to Chief Warrant Officer.)

5. The warrant officer recommended herein has not been recommended for rotation, is not on an approved list for rotation to the United States, and the position vacancy involved has not been created by rotation.

6. The warrant officer recommended herein meets the requirements of paragraph 12, AR 610-15.

(Signature) _____

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Headquarters _____, APO _____, _____ (Date)

TO: Commanding General, SOG MATOUSA, APO 750, U. S. ARMY.

1. Approved.

2. There are at present _____ warrant officers assigned to this
(Number)
command, _____ or _____ of whom are chief warrant officers.
(Per cent) (Number)

3. There is no warrant officer surplus in the command who is qualified to fill the position vacancy for which this warrant officer is recommended.

For the Commanding General or Officer:

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HEADQUARTERS
2675TH REGIMENT
(Forward Echelon)
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

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10 March 1944

210.2

SUBJECT: Recommendations for Promotions of Officers.

TO : (See Distribution Below)

1. Notification has been received by this headquarters that Staff Memo, Headquarters MATOUSA, Subject: "Suspension of Promotions" dated 30 Dec 1943, has been rescinded.

2. In accordance with the new Regimental policy of processing all recommendations for promotion through this headquarters, it is announced that all recommendations submitted to this headquarters by subordinate units prior to the above date should be resubmitted in accordance with the following instructions.

a. Actual forwarding letter of recommendation for promotion will be processed only by this headquarters. Units will submit only the Basic Recommendation Form, which will be used by this headquarters for the processing of letter of recommendation.

b. Information contained in Basic Recommendation Form will be complete and accurate. All forms that are incomplete will be returned.

c. Basic Recommendation Form will be submitted to this headquarters in duplicate.

d. In any case where recommendation is disapproved either by this or higher headquarters, one copy of Basic Recommendation Form will be returned to originating unit marked disapproved.

3. For the information and guidance of all concerned, the following extract of Ltr. AG 210.2/421 - O, Hq MATOUSA, Subject: "Promotion Policy for Higher Headquarters and Headquarters Communication Zone", dated 23 Feb 1944, is published

*1. The average time in grade of officers in the combat elements of the Fifth Army is as follows:

2nd Lieutenant	- 13 months
1st Lieutenant	- 11 months
Captain	- 13 months
Major	- 12 months
Lieut. Colonel	- 15 months

*2. In considering recommendations for promotion of officers in the Army

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Major	- 12 months
Lieut. Colonel	- 15 months

2. In considering recommendations for promotion of officers in the Army of the United States in all higher headquarters and in the headquarters of communication zone units, the Theater Commander will give consideration to the fact that promotions in such echelons should not be faster than those in the combat elements of the Fifth Army.

4. It is the desire of the Regimental Commander that the above extract be used as one of the considerations for the submission of Basic Recommendations to this Headquarters.

By order of Colonel PARKER:

s/ Frank Di Giacomo
t/ FRANK DI GIACOMO,
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Asst Asst Adjutant

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TEMPORARY PROMOTIONS IN THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES

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SECTION I

GENERAL INFORMATION

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1. General promotion policy. - All temporary promotions, including those made under the provisions of act 16 February 1942 (Public Law 455, 77th Cong. (Geo. I, Bull. No. 3, VD, 1942)) will be governed by these regulations. For the duration of the present emergency and excepting promotions in the Regular Army prescribed by statute, all promotions of officers of the Army will be temporary promotions.

2. Basis of promotion. -

a. The primary object of promotion is to invest an individual with a grade carrying that degree of authority considered to be commensurate with the demands of the position he is to occupy.

b. The purpose of these regulations is to provide a means by which the officer who demonstrates the greatest degree of efficiency and capacity for increased responsibilities may be selected for a higher grade.

c. Selection of officers qualified for promotion is a vital element in the exercise of command. A sound decision can be reached only if the commander gives careful consideration to the requirements of the position and to the comparative merits of all officers available for assignment thereto.

3. Authority to promote. -

a. All promotions are made by appointment in the name of the President.

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b. Commanding generals of overseas commands specifically so authorized by the War Department may, within the scope of their granted authority, take final action on promotion recommendations pertaining to officers under their jurisdiction.

c. Except in cases covered by b above, the Commanding General, Army Air Forces, is authorized to take final action on recommendations for promotion under Act 16 February 1942 (Public Law 455, 77th Cong. (sec. 1, Bull. 5, WD, 1942)).

d. Promotion recommendations not covered by b or c above will be forwarded to The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D. C.

e. Promotions to general officer grade are made upon nomination by the President and confirmation by the Senate. Recommendations for such promotions will be forwarded to The Adjutant General.

SECTION II

REQUIREMENTS FOR PROMOTION

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4. Position vacancy. -

a. A position vacancy in any grade and arm or service exists in a command when the number of officers (present and absent) of that grade and higher grades in the particular arm or service carried on the strength return of the command is less than the number of positions of that and higher grades authorized in the particular arm or service by approved Tables of Organization or allotment. In determining position vacancies in units organized under Tables of Organization officers occupying branch immaterial positions will be charged against grades authorized for branch immaterial, and not charged against grades allotted their basic arm or service. In determining position vacancies in activities organized under branch immaterial allotments, all officers will be considered regardless of arm or service.

b. In establishing over-all position vacancies within a command or activity, an officer in any of the following categories will not be considered as occupying a position:

- (1) Officers detailed to an Army Air Forces school or parachute school to take a course of training involving an absence of 3 months or involving possible transfer to an Army Air Forces or parachute unit.
- (2) Officers detailed to take a course of training at any school from which they will not return to their unit or installation.

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- (3) Officers assigned to authorized replacement pools who are -
- (a) Awaiting separation from the service.
 - (b) Sick in a general hospital.
 - (c) Held pending assignment to units scheduled for activation.
 - (d) Attending a service school.
 - (e) Not available for assignment within 3 months for any reason.

c. Authorization of overstrength in a unit does not create additional position vacancies in a unit unless such additional positions are specifically authorized by the War Department.

d. Normally, no officer will be recommended for promotion or his recommendation forwarded unless a position vacancy exists in the command in the grade to which promotion is recommended and in the appropriate arm or service or in branch material. The following exceptions to this basic requirement are authorized:

- (1) Second lieutenants of the field forces who have demonstrated in actual combat their fitness for promotion and are fully qualified therefor may be promoted to the grade of first lieutenant without regard to vacancies in that grade.
- (2) Officers assigned to major subordinate commands and activities of the Army Ground Forces, Army Air Forces, Army Service Forces and overseas theaters of operations may be promoted to the grades of major, captain, or first lieutenant without regard to the status of position vacancies in higher commands, provided appropriate position vacancies exist in the major subordinate commands will be selected and specifically so designated as such by the Commanding Generals of the Army Ground Forces, Army Air Forces, Army Service Forces, and overseas theaters of operation for their respective commands. Activities such as armies, air forces, service commands, replacement and school commands, etc., are types of major subordinate commands that could be appropriately so designated.
- (3) Positions established by Tables of Organization or allotments for the Medical, Dental, Veterinary, and Chaplain Corps in the grade of captain, first lieutenant, and captain or first lieutenant may be considered in determining position vacancies as established in the grade of captain.

e. Recommendations for promotion when no vacancy in grade and arm or service exists, except for cases covered by d above, will be initiated or forwarded only when the circumstances are most worthy and exceptional. In such cases a brief analysis of the duties of the position and a statement that the duties and responsibilities thereof justify the grade to which promotion is recommended will be included. Grades established for such positions will be in general agreement with grades authorized by Tables of Organization for positions of similar responsibility.

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f. If promotion to the grade of colonel (or lieutenant colonel) is involved, a list will be attached of all surplus colonels (or colonels and lieutenant colonels) of the particular arm or service. For this purpose and except for officers in categories listed in b above, every officer carried on the strength return (present or absent) of the command will be considered surplus if not occupying a position authorized for his or higher grade in an approved table of organization or allotment. The list will show for each surplus officer his name, grade, arm or service, age, experience, qualifications, and reason why he cannot be assigned to fill the position vacancy for which promotion is recommended. For branch immaterial position vacancies, this list will include surplus officers of all arms and services.

5. Time in grade and position.--a. No officer will be recommended for promotion until he shall have served a minimum period in the next lower grade as follows:

- (1) For promotion to the grade of colonel, 12 months.
- (2) For promotion to the grade of lieutenant colonel or major, 9 months.
- (3) For promotion to the grade of captain or first lieutenant, 6 months.

b. Periods proscribed for time in grade are minimum periods which will not be considered as either the average time an officer should remain in a grade or as entitling an individual to promotion upon completion thereof.

c. No officer will be recommended for promotion until he has clearly demonstrated his qualification for higher grade for a period of at least 3 months by actual occupation of a position and performance of duties appropriate to the grade and corresponding to the duties of the position he is to occupy. The entire period need not be immediately prior to his promotion recommendation and need not have been served under the commander originating the recommendation.

d. The above provisions of time in grade and time in position may be waived by the commander authorized to make promotions in the case of officers in the field forces who have clearly demonstrated fitness for promotion by outstanding performance in actual combat.

6. Promotion in Army Air Forces.--a. Temporary promotion under the provisions of Act 16 February 1942 (Public Law 465, 77th Cong. (Sec. 1, Bull. 8, ND, 1942)), hereafter referred to as promotion in the Army of the United States (Air Corps), of officers of the Army Air Forces and of officers of the ground arms and services assigned to duty with any tactical unit, or any installation, or any staff, of the Army Air Forces, will be made in accordance with these regulations, subject to such additional restrictions as may be imposed by the Commanding General, Army Air Forces. Officers of the ground arms and services assigned to units or detachments of such arms or services on duty with the Army Air Forces are not eligible for promotion in the Army of the United States (Air Corps).

b. Temporary promotion will be made in the Army of the United States, whenever practicable, rather than in the Army of the United States (Air Corps). Every effort should be made to correct existing cases of officers holding temporary grade in the Army of the United States considerably lower than the grade held in the Army of the United States (Air Corps) by temporary promotion

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of such officers in the Army of the United States as soon as they become eligible therefor.

c. An officer of the Regular Army Air Corps or of the Air Corps Reserve, and an officer of the National Guard of the United States ordered into the active military service of the United States with an Air Corps unit may retain appointment to temporary grade in the Army of the United States (Air Corps) regardless of assignment. Any other officer may retain such appointment only so long as he is assigned to a tactical unit, installation or staff of the Army Air Forces, and orders effecting relief from such assignment will direct termination of any appointment held in the Army of the United States (Air Corps).

d. An officer eligible to retain appointment in the Army of the United States (Air Corps) regardless of assignment who is on duty with any unit or activity not belonging to the Army Air Forces is, at the discretion of the Commanding General, Army Air Forces, eligible for promotion to temporary grade in the Army of the United States (Air Corps) without reference to the commander under whom the officer concerned may be serving.

e. An officer holding appointment to temporary grade in the Army of the United States (Air Corps) on duty with a unit or activity not belonging to the Army Air Forces is chargeable against the Table of Organization or allotment prescribed for the unit or activity concerned only in the highest temporary grade held by him in the Army of the United States, or in his permanent grade if no such temporary grade is held.

f. An officer of the Army Air Forces on duty with a unit or activity not belonging to the Army Air Forces is eligible for promotion in the Army of the United States to fill an appropriate existing position vacancy under the same conditions as an officer of the ground arm and services.

SECTION III

PROCEDURE FOR PROCESSING PROMOTION RECOMMENDATIONS

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7. Preparation of recommendation.--Recommendation for promotion will be initiated by the officer having immediate jurisdiction over the position vacancy to be filled and the officer to be recommended. Each recommendation will contain the following:

a. Name, grade, serial number, arm or service, date of last promotion, and grade to which recommended.

b. Status of position vacancies in the recommended grade and arm or service after the promotion of all other officers previously recommended on whose recommendations final action has not been taken.

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c. Position occupied or to be occupied, and date position is to be created if not already in existence.

d. Length of time the officer has clearly demonstrated his fitness for the responsibilities and duties of the position and grade for which recommended, together with a full statement of how, when, where, and to what degree (superior, excellent, very satisfactory, satisfactory) he has demonstrated his fitness.

e. Data required by paragraph 4c or f, if applicable.

f. Any additional details or remarks considered necessary for a proper presentation of the case.

8. Preparation of forwarding indorsement.--Each forwarding indorsement will indicate the following:

a. Approval.

b. Statement that a vacancy in grade and arm or service exists in the command and will exist after the promotion of all other officers previously recommended on whose recommendations final action has not been taken, or justification for approving recommendations when no position vacancy exists.

c. In a case requiring a list of surplus colonels or lieutenant colonels pursuant to paragraph 4f, necessary additions or deletions to correct the list to show status of available surplus officers of those grades in the command as a whole.

9. Forwarding of recommendation.--a. A promotion recommendation disapproved by any headquarters will not be forwarded to higher headquarters.

b. An approved recommendation will be forwarded through command channels to the appropriate one of the following commanders who will forward it direct to The Adjutant General:

- (1) Commanding General, Army Ground Forces.
- (2) Commanding General, Army Air Forces.
- (3) Commanding General, Army Service Forces.
- (4) Commanding General, Eastern, Western, or Southern Defense Command.
- (5) Commanders of units or installations and heads of agencies in the continental United States under immediate War Department jurisdiction.
- (6) Commanders of major subordinate commands and activities of the Army Ground Forces, Army Air Forces, and Army Service Forces who have been authorized by the Commanding General thereof to forward recommendations for promotion to the grade of major and below direct to The Adjutant General. The Adjutant General will be furnished copies of such letters of authorization, and appropriate reference thereto will be made in each recommendation forwarded direct to The Adjutant General.
- (7) Overseas commanders reporting direct to the War Department. Specific

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oversea commanders to whom authority has been delegated to take final action on promotion recommendations will take such action and report such promotion to The Adjutant General promptly by the most expeditious means available.

c. An approved recommendation for promotion of an officer will be forwarded regardless of the fact that the officer concerned may be hospitalized at some date subsequent to that of the original recommendation. The same action will be taken in the case of an officer reported, subsequent to the date of the original promotion recommendation, missing in action or as a prisoner of war. Oversea theater commanders will make specific provisions to insure that officers qualified for and slated for promotion are not denied such advancement solely by reason of wounds or other disabilities incident to campaign.

(A. G. 210.2 (25 Jan 44).)

By ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

G. C. MARSHALL,
Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

J. A. ULIO,
Major General,
The Adjutant General.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Lt. Col. Denamore

SUBJECT: Promotions

The following excerpts from War Department Circulars may furnish the information which you desire:

Section I, Circular 161, 1942, paragraph 9 b:

b. The recommendation of an authority listed having jurisdiction over the officer concerned and the position to be filled will be in the following form:

(1) Name, grade, serial number, date of last promotion, arm or service of officer, and grade to which recommended.

(2) Position vacancy occupied or to be occupied by officer recommended and date the position is to be created if not already activated (if not covered elsewhere in a basic recommendation).

(3) Length of time the officer has clearly demonstrated his fitness for the responsibilities and duties of the position and grade for which recommended, together with a full statement of how, when, where he has demonstrated his fitness (if not covered fully elsewhere in a basic recommendation), with full reasons why and exception to announced policy (if requested or indicated) is warranted in his case.

(4) Statement that by filling this position by promotion and by the promotion of others previously recommended on which final action has not been reported by The Adjutant General, he will not exceed the total number of authorized grades in that arm or service under his jurisdiction.

Section II, Circular 161, 1942, paragraph 4:

4. Basis for promotions. Recommendations for promotions will be regarded as an essential function of command. They will be based solely on demonstrated fitness and capacity.

Circular No. 290, 1942, paragraph 4:

" * But that his promotion is definitely to the best interests of the service for the reason that he is considered to be the best qualified officer in the command available for the position and grade to which promotion is recommended. * "

Section III, Circular 417, 1942, paragraph 6:

6. a. The criterion for promotion must be demonstrated fitness and capacity for the duties and responsibilities of the next higher grade for which a position vacancy exists.

Possible useful clause:

"The necessary qualities for promotion to any grade may be best demonstrated by tireless devotion to duty, special initiative, exemplary personal conduct, and application above and beyond the call of daily routine."

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Adjutant General

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8 January 1944

SUBJECT: Promotion of Officers.

TO : The Deputy President, Allied Control Commission

In view of the outstanding services being rendered the administration of the Allied Control Commission by the following officers, I recommend immediate steps be taken to secure their promotions to the next higher grade.

Major Robert E. Doe, 0246968 (A)
Captain Eliot J. Bocchino, 0377876 (A)
Captain A. J. Collins, 244777 (B)
Lt Roger B. Derby, 0318071 (A)
1st Lt. Roy L. Volstad, 0464415 (A)
2nd Lt. Robert J. Novak, 01639464 (A)

/s/ Maxwell D. Taylor
/t/ MAXWELL D. TAYLOR
Brigadier General, USA

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15 February 1944

SUBJECT: Promotion of Officers.

TO : All Unit Commanders.

1. In view of Staff Memorandum No. 26, NATOUSA, dated 30 December 1943, this is to advise that all promotion papers previously submitted to this headquarters have been destroyed.

By order of Colonel PARKIN:

/s/ R. T. Uhler
/t/ R. T. UHLER
Major, AGD
Actg Adjutant

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