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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
EXECUTIVE OFFICE

Ref/157/116/Est 21 January 1946

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award of Decoration.

TO : Commanding General, MTOUSA.

1. Reference is made to your AG 201-P-Brown, G. Stewart (Am Civ) of 5 January 1946.

2. It is requested that the citation of the civilian concerned be reviewed for reconsideration.

3. It is pointed out that Mr. G. Stewart Brown performed a very fine job of work fully deserving of the highest recognition.

4. Your attention is drawn to the following extract from Cable G/6915 of Jan 080920A (MTOUSA signed COMGENMED cite NAGAP), partially repeating AGWAR Cable WX 91193:

> "The Secretary of War believes that if the army is to succeed in securing and keeping a suitable number of properly qualified civilians in military government it must, among other things, give suitable recognition to those civilians who serve the army well. He believes that some of these individuals are eminently qualified for award of the Medal for Merit and others for Medal of Freedom".

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C. M. PARKIN
Col. Infantry,
Executive Officer.

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88TH DIVISION 7TH REPLACEMENT DEPOT PENBASE ROME AREA MTOUSA
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Here follows partial repeat AGWAR cable W X 91193:"It is becoming increasingly difficult to interest civilians of proper qualifications to accept positions in Germany,Austria,Italy,Japan and Korea.This is particulary the case with respect to those individuals who accept a large financial sacrifice when they take government employment at an annual income of 10000 dollars a year or less.However,it is true also with those whose earning power in private life is below the 10000 dollars maximum limit for government service,because of separation from family,less comfortable living conditions and the reports,true or untrue,which seep back from the theaters that exsistence for a civilian on duty with the army is not a too happyone.
The secretary of war believes that if the army is to succeed in securing and keeping a suitable number of properly qualified civilians in military government it must,among other things,give suitable recognition to those civilians who serve the army well.He believes that some of these individuals are eminently qualified for award of the medal for merit and others for medal of freedom."
Commanders will take action recommending such United States citizens as are considered qualified for medal of freedom or medal for merit.Recommendations will be forwarded to this Headquarters in accordance with exsting regulations.Complete

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

AG 201-P- **Brown, G. Stewart (Am Civ)** **5 January 1946**

Subject: Recommendation for Award of Decoration

To : **Director Headquarters Allied Commission, APO 394**
(Establishment Section)

1. The recommendation for the award indicated and to the individual named below has been disapproved.

a. Name: **G. Stewart Brown, American Civilian, Director USIS**

b. Award: **Medal of Freedom**

c. Recommendation initiated by **Colonel C.M. Parkin**
A/Vice President, Establishement Section, Allied Commission.

2. It is requested that the person initiating the recommendation be so informed.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL LEE:

A.R. PELL
WOJG, USA
Asst Adjutant General

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Here follows partial repeat AGWAR cable W 89462; "For Colonel Densmore Allied Commission. Para war department advised italian Government desires to award decoration to General EDMUND B GREGORY, 01924. Para his acceptance is approved.". Para understand you will advise italian government.

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APO 394
PUBLIC RELATIONS BRANCH

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21 September 45

Press Release - Immediate

ALLIED COMMISSION HEADQUARTERS, ROME, ITALY, SEPTEMBER 21 - Major Lloyd W. STEARNS, 35, of 27 Common Street, Scituate, Mass., has been awarded the Legion of Merit for outstanding performance of duty in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, it was announced today.

Major Stearns was presented with this fourth highest award among army decorations by his chief, Rear Admiral Ellery W. Stone, Chief Commissioner of the Allied Commission, for whom Major Stearns serves as Chief Staff Officer.

The Citation for the Legion of Merit reads as follows:

"LLOYD W. STEARNS, 0303781, Major (then Captain), Adjutant General's Department, 2675th Regiment, Allied Commission, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services in Sicily and Italy from November 1943 to 31 July 1945. As Senior Assistant Adjutant General, Allied Control Commission, Major Stearns organized and maintained the efficient systematic administration of Allied Military Government Headquarters in Palermo, Sicily, and Naples, Italy. Completely without precedent in Allied Military Government operation, and with two entirely different administrative procedures, he coordinated the formulation of all essential

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Civilian Personnel Section at this time to augment military personnel performing administrative duties in the headquarters. In cooperation with G-1 British, he arranged for the proper assignment of personnel in the organizations of the Northern Regional Teams to occupy northern areas as soon as they were liberated. He was instrumental in selecting a highly specialized Military Government Cadre for the Southern France operation, and in the Autumn of 1944, as a result of his valuable performances in his previous positions, he was selected as Senior American Staff Officer to the Executive Commissioner. He properly coordinated and processed the many complex problems presented to the Executive Commissioner both from within the headquarters and from representatives of the local government with such efficiency that he was appointed, in May 1944, as Staff Officer to the Chief Commissioner. He continually displayed superior ability, foresightedness and tact in the fulfillment of these extraordinary difficult tasks and his ingenuity, tact and outstanding devotion to duty contributed materially to the success of Military Government operations in Italy."

Major Stearns' duties as Chief Staff Officer to the Chief Commissioner have been to assist in carrying out of commands of the highest Allied military authority for civilian affairs in Italy the Allied Commission. This has meant the practical government, until a short while ago, of an entire nation as well as supervising organization of military government operations with the 5th and 8th Armies in the campaigns which led to the German surrender in Italy last May 2.

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In service since October 30, 1941, before Pearl Harbor, Major Stearns has served in the Adjutant General's Department, attended the U.S. Army School of Military Government at Charlottesville, Va. and finally arrived with AMG in Sicily November 2, 1943. He has also served as Adjutant of the Allied Commission, as G-1 and as a staff officer of the Commission's Chief of Staff. He is a Reserve Corps officer since June 7, 1933.

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An administrative engineer with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. in New York, N.Y. in civilian life, Major Stearns is a graduate of New York University, Engineering, Class of '34.

Born in Somerville, Massachusetts, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Stearns, the major is married to Mrs. Adelaide C. Stearns. They have one child - Adeliade Liscom Stearns.

Boston Herald, Boston, Mass.
New York Times
New York Herald-Tribune

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

Ref/157/108/Est 29 November 1945

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award of the Medal of Freedom.

TO : Commanding General, MTOUSA, APO 512, U. S. Army.

THRU : Channels.

1. Under the provisions of letter AG 200.6/580 A-O, Hq. MTOUSA, dated 21 September 1945, Subject "Medal of Freedom", the undersigned is pleased to be able to recommend Mr. C. Stewart Brown, American civilian, for the Medal of Freedom for exceptionally meritorious services performed from 12 February to 8 May 1945.

2. Mr. C. Stewart Brown was head of the Public Relations Branch from 12 February to 20 October 1945. On the latter date he left the Branch to become Director of USIS (United States Information Service).

3. Mr. Brown's service to the Commission came at a delicate and troubled period when the transition from war to peace called for many difficult readjustments in the world of the Press. His was the task not only of supervising relations with the Italian press and dealing with the publicity of the Allied Commission, but of coordination with agencies such as PWB on broader aspects of Press policy of the United Nations in Italy. On these matters he was adviser to the Chief Commissioner and was frequently consulted by the Italian Government.

4. In the course of his services to the Commission, Mr. C. Stewart Brown displayed not only professional proficiency, but unusual wisdom and patience in guiding the Public Relations Branch through a trying period of transition. In the opinion of the undersigned his work with the Commission makes him deserving of recognition through the award of the Medal of Freedom.

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5. The undersigned officer has personal knowledge of the services performed by Mr. Brown as enumerated above.

6. All subsequent services performed by him have been honourable.

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7. Lt. C. Stewart Brown has received no previous American awards.

8. Proposed citation is attached as an enclosure.

G. M. [illegible],
Colonel, Inf.,
A/ Vice President

Incl:

Proposed citation.

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CITATION

for

The Medal of Freedom

Mr. D. Stewart Iron, American civilian, for most exceptionally meritorious services in connection with the Press policy of the Allied Commission in Italy, rendered as head of the Public Relations Branch during the particularly delicate and troubled period 12 February to 8 May 1945. By his professional proficiency and his unfailing wisdom and tact he succeeded in guiding the Public Relations Branch under his responsibility through a most difficult period of transition, thus rendering exceptional services of inestimable value to the work of the Allied Commission in Italy. Entered service of State Department from Buckeye, Arizona.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
MSVA DISTRICT SECTION

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Prof/257/107/Mat. 28 November 1945

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award of the Medal of Freedom.

TO : Commanding General, MTOUSA, APO 512, U. S. Army.

THRU : Channels.

1. Under the provisions of letter AG 200.6/890 A-G, Hq. MTOUSA, dated 21 September 1945, Subject "Medal of Freedom", it is recommended that Mrs. Elena Lunte Saudder, Italian civilian, be awarded the Medal of Freedom with Bronze Palm for exceptionally meritorious services from 15 October 1944 to 8 May 1945.

2. Mrs. Scudder was chief civilian employee at the U. S. Claims Office, Rome, from 9 June to 27 June 1944, and from 28 June 1944 onwards has been Executive to Colonel Norman K. Fiske.

3. Mrs. Scudder rendered invaluable services when, in October and November 1944 she accompanied Colonel Fiske as his secretary at important conferences and meetings in Florence and Siena, both towns still in the War Zone; and again when in May 1945 she flew to Bolzano, still in German hands, to join Colonel Fiske as his secretary and interpreter at the official liquidation of the German, Japanese and Manchukuo Embassies to the Italian Mussolini Republican Government. On these occasions Mrs. Scudder excelled her normal duties by acting as intelligence agent for the personal assistance of Colonel Fiske, displaying the utmost tact and ability in handling high-ranking Italians in their official missions. At all times Mrs. Scudder has displayed outstanding efficiency and initiative in the performance of her frequently most difficult duties, and has handled situations demanding the utmost discrimination and responsibility in a manner deserving of the highest praise.

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4. The recommending officer has personal knowledge of the exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services by Mrs. Scudder, and of the contribution to the Allied Cause made by her.

6. The entire subsequent service of Mrs. Scudder has been honourable.

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3. The Medal of Freedom with Bronze Palm is considered an appropriate award for the indicated meritorious services.

7. Mrs. Scudder has received no previous awards.

8. Proposed citation is attached as an enclosure.

C. M. PAKKIN
Col. Infantry,
Actg. Vice-President.

Enclosure
Proposed citation.

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C I T A T I O N

for

The Medal of Freedom

with

Bronze Palm

Mrs. Elena Lante Scudder, Italian civilian, Headquarters Allied Commission (Italy), for most exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services which were of direct benefit to the Army of the United States and aided the United States in the prosecution of the war against Germany. Services were performed in Italy from 15 October 1944 to 8 May 1945. Mrs. Scudder was Executive to Colonel Fiske, then Military Governor of Rome. She accompanied Colonel Fiske to important conferences and meetings in Florence and Siena while these towns were still in the War Zone, and later flew to Bolzano, still in German hands, to assist him at the official liquidation of the German, Japanese and Manchukuo Embassies to the Italian Mussolini Republican Government. Her utmost devotion to duty and her high qualities of initiative, tact and responsibility rendered her services invaluable in the successful effectuation of most delicate missions directly connected with the prosecution of the war against Germany. Mrs. Scudder has, by her distinguished performance of outstanding services in positions of responsibility under most difficult conditions rendered inestimable assistance to the Allied Cause. Entered service of Allied Commission from Rome, Italy.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

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Ref/157/110/Est. 26 November 1945

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award of the Medal of Freedom.

TO : Commanding General, MTOUSA, APO 512, U. S. Army.

THRU : Channels.

1. Under the provisions of letter AG 200.6/380 A-C Hq. MTOUSA dated 21 September 1945, Subject "Medal of Freedom", it is recommended that Mr. Louis C. Wickersham, American civilian, be awarded the Medal of Freedom with Silver Palm for exceptionally meritorious service from May 1944 to May 1945.

2. A War Department civilian employee since 1922, Mr. Louis C. Wickersham was transferred from G-2 to G-5 on 15 April 1944, and sent overseas for duty in the Mediterranean Theatre of Operations as an Administrative Officer. From North Africa he arrived in Naples, Italy, on 12 May 1944, and was assigned to Hq. A.C.C. in that city as confidential adviser to Colonel Norman E. Fiske, Deputy Executive Commissioner, A.C.C.

3. In Naples, at that time under German air attacks, Mr. Wickersham cooperated in planning the organisation of A.C.C. in view of the approaching liberation of Rome and the Central Italian Provinces, and made several visits to the Cassino and Nettuno fronts under heavy enemy fire. On 8 June 1944 he flew to Rome and assisted Colonel Fiske, then Military Governor of that city, in his numerous and delicate tasks, acting as liaison between Colonel Fiske and members of the Italian Government on matters concerning the military administration of the liberated provinces. In April 1945 Mr. Wickersham proceeded to Florence and the 5th. Army Area to carry out a confidential mission in cooperation with O.S.S. and with Italian patriots, and came several times under enemy fire in the battle zone. Towards the end of April 1945 he accompanied Colonel Fiske to Hq. IV Corps, and was present at the surrender by the German Commander in Chief of the Units in North-Western Italy of all German and Italian Forces under his command. After several trips to Brescia and other cities still centres of isolated German resistance, Mr. Wickersham entered Milan on 27 April 1945 with the first group of American officers to enter that city. He acted as interpreter to Colonel Fiske when he delivered the order

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of surrender to the German Commander of Milan and to the Commander of the S.S. in that city, and helped in transferring General Graziani and other prominent Italian generals from the hands of the Milan Partisans to Hq. IV Corps. A few days later he accompanied Colonel Fiske to Bolzano and Merano, still in German hands, for the occupation of those cities. Other trips were made to Turin, Genoa and other towns in North-Western Italy in connection with the organisation of AMG in newly-liberated cities and provinces. In all these missions, which involved considerable risk and required great ability and tact, Mr. Wickersham distinguished himself by his extremely high sense of patriotism, initiative and collaboration. His services to AMG have been invaluable, and his activities in the Mediterranean Theatre of Operations worthily crowned his previous record of work with the War Department since 1922.

4. The recommending officer has personal knowledge of the exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service by Mr. Louis C. Wickersham, and of his great contribution to the Allied Cause.

5. The entire subsequent service of Mr. Wickersham has been honourable in the highest degree.

6. The Medal of Freedom with Silver Palm is considered an appropriate award for the indicated meritorious services.

7. Mr. Louis C. Wickersham has received no previous American awards.

8. Proposed citation is attached as an enclosure.

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C. M. PARKIN
Col. Infantry,
Actg. Vice-President.

Enclosure
Proposed citation.

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4. The recommending officer has personal knowledge of the exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services by Mr. Louis C. Wickersham, and of his great contribution to the Allied Cause.

5. The entire subsequent service of Mr. Wickersham has been honourable in the highest degree.

6. The Medal of Freedom is considered an appropriate reward for the indicated meritorious services.

7. Mr. Louis C. Wickersham has received no previous American awards.

8. Proposed citation is attached as an enclosure.

C. M. PARKIN
Col. Infantry,
Acting Vice-President.

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Enclosure
Proposed citation.

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C I T A T I O N

for

The Medal of Freedom

Mr. Louis C. Wickersham, American civilian, for most exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services which were of direct benefit to the Army of the United States and aided the United States in the prosecution of the war against Germany. As confidential adviser to Colonel Norman H. Fiske, former Military Governor of Rome, Mr. Wickersham accomplished at considerable personal risk and with outstanding ability the most delicate and important missions on the Cassino and Nettuno fronts, and later in Florence and Milan and other cities in Northern Italy, coming several times under heavy enemy fire in the actual battle zone. His utmost devotion to duty regardless of personal danger, and the exceptional qualities of initiative, zeal and patriotism he displayed in the most delicate and difficult situations, rendered to the prosecution of the war against Germany and to the extension of the Allied Military Government in Italy the most invaluable services. Mr. Wickersham entered the service of the War Department from New York.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Establishment Section

Ref/167/109/EST

26 November 1945

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award of the Medal of Freedom

TO : Commanding General, PTOUSA, APO 512, U.S. Army

THRU : Channels.

1. Under the provisions of letter AG 200.6/ETO A-O, Hq. PTOUSA, dated 21 September 1945, Subject: "Medal of Freedom", the undersigned is pleased to be able to recommend Major Lionel Fielden, British officer, to be awarded the Medal of Freedom with Silver Palm for exceptionally meritorious services from 29 January 1944 to 10 February 1945.

2. Major Fielden served as Director of Public Relations Branch, Allied Commission, for the period indicated above.

3. Major Fielden organized and directed the Public Relations Branch of the Allied Commission. It was due to his foresight and energy that the work of individual Public Relations officers in the Commission was coordinated and enabled to function smoothly. He was responsible for contacts with the Press and for guidance of correspondents wherever the Commission or AMG pursued its activities. He was one of the initiators of the Allied Publications Board which served to bring discipline and order together with respect for the democratic concept of a free press into the Italian journalistic world. He advised the Chief Commissioner on matters affecting the Press and on all matters dealing with organs of publicity and propaganda such as radio and films. To him also goes the credit for starting the publication of the Allied Commission Weekly Bulletin which has been a useful organ for information and morale among the members of the Commission and AMG. He also instituted the Daily Press Digest and the Trend of Correspondents Copy, both invaluable in keeping the Chief Commissioner and other officers of the Allied Commission and Military Government informed on political and economic developments in Italy. His advice and assistance were frequently sought and freely given to the political advisers, to public

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safety officers, and to agencies such as PIB on all matters affecting press, propaganda and public reaction.

4. In all these services Major Fielden showed a keen sense of responsibility and devotion to the service of the Allied, and demonstrated conscientiousness, alertness and industry as well as a never-failing zeal and energy above the ordinary call of duty. His fertile inventiveness, ready willingness to offer his work or counsel without regard to his own convenience or indeed health, make him, in our opinion, clearly deserving of recognition through this award.

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5. The undersigned officer has personal knowledge of the services performed by Major Fielden as enumerated above.

6. All subsequent services performed by him have been honourable.

7. No previous American awards have been made to him.

8. Proposed citation is attached.

C. M. PARKIN,
Colonel, Inf.,
a/Vice President.

Incl:
Proposed citation.

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C I T A T I O N

for

The Medal of Freedom

with

Silver Palm

Major Lionel Fielden, British Officer, for most exceptionally meritorious performance of outstanding services as Director of the Public Relations Board of the Allied Commission (Italy) from 29 January 1944 to 10 February 1945. Throughout his whole period as Director of the Public Relations Board Major Fielden distinguished himself by his foresight, energy, and exceptional capabilities. Through various publications launched under his brilliant initiative he rendered invaluable services to the work of the Allied Commission in Italy. Major Fielden has at all times displayed a deep sense of responsibility and a devotion far above the ordinary call of duty to the service of the Allies. Entered service from London, England.

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TABLE SHOWING AWARDS
RECOMMENDED AND PASSED
BY A.C. REGIONS

Award Name	Rec	LOMBARDIA AC Bd.	LOMBARDIA Fin Act.	PIEMONTE Rec	PIEMONTE AC Bd.	PIEMONTE Fin Act.	TUSCANIA Rec	TUSCANIA AC Bd.	TUSCANIA Fin Act.	EMILIA Rec	EMILIA AC Bd.	EMILIA Fin Act.	MARCHE Rec	MARCHE AC Bd.	MARCHE Fin Act.	VENEZIA Rec	VENEZIA AC Bd.	VENEZIA Fin Act.
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BSM	27	13	1	18	8	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	1	1
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Dsm	1	1	0
Lm	49	32	7
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SM	1	1	1
Cit	0	4	4
Disapp	-		6
NoAct	-		8
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HEADQUARTERS - HEADQUARTERS COMPANY

RANK	NAME	Regional Location	Recom'd For	Apv'd by Board for High.Hqs.	Final Action
B.Gen	McKinley	Headquarters	L of M.	L of M.	Dispvd
Colonel	Albright	Form. Hdqs.	L of M.	L of M.	No Action
Colonel	Densmore	Headquarters	L of M.	L of M.	Apvd
Colonel	Fiske	Headquarters	DSM	DSM	Not Fa.Con.
Lt. Col.	Hartman	Headquarters	L of M.	L of M.	B. S. M.
Lt. Col.	Rushmore	Headquarters	L of M.	L of M.	L of M.
Captain	Montant	Headquarters	L of M.	L of M.	Dispvd
1st Lt.	Petrillo	Headquarters	B. S. M.	B. S. M.	Apvd
S/Sgt.	Poletti	Hdqs. Company	L of M.	L of M.	Dispvd
T/4	Coley	Hdqs. Company	S. M.	S. M.	Apvd
T/4	Santo Grossi	Hdqs. Company	L of M	L of M	B. S. M.
S/Sgt	Day	Hdqs. Company	L of M	L of M	Dispvd
Colonel	Babcock	Headquarters	L of M	B. S. M.	B. S. M.
Colonel	Uhler	Form. Hdqs.	L of M	L of M	No Action
Major	Timmons	Headquarters	L of M	L of M	B. S. M.
CWO	Piombino	Headquarters	L of M	L of M	B. S. M.
1/Sgt.	Reid	Hdqs. Company	L of M	B. S. M.	B. S. M.
S/Sgt.	Angelini	Hdqs. Company	L of M	L of M	B. S. M
S/Sgt.	Journalist	Hdqs. Company	L of M	L of M	B. S. M.
T/4	Pascale	Form. Hdqs. Co.	L of M	B. S. M.	B. S. M.
1/Lt	J.P.Simoni	Headquarters	L of M	Cit.	Cit.
T/4	Principiano	Hdqs. Company	L of M	Cit	Cit
T/4	Andiorio	Hdqs. Co.	L of M	Cit	Cit
T/4	Rizzo	Hdqs. Company	L of M	Cit	Cit
Lt. Col.	Chapman	Headquarters	L of M	L of M	B. S. M.
Lt. Col	Banning	Headquarters	L of M	L of M	B. S. M.
Lt. Col	Penick	Headquarters	L of M	L of M	L of M
Lt. Col	W.C.Williams	Form. Hdqs.	L of M	L of M	B. S. M.
Major	Palmieri	Headquarters	L of M	L of M	L of M
Major	Rosenbaun	Headquarters	L of M	L of M	L of M
1/Lt.	Mehr	Headquarters	L of M	L of M	L of M
S/Sgt.	Padula	Hdqs. Company	L of M	L of M	B. S. M.
S/Sgt.	Stein	Hdqs. Company	L of M	B. S. M.	B. S. M.
S/Sgt.	Ferri	Hdqs. Company	L of M	L of M	B. S. M.
1/Lt.	Fehr	Headquarters	L of M	B. S. M.	Dispvd
T/4	Ruscetti	Hdqs. Company	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M.
T/4	Visco	Hdqs. Company	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Lt. Col	De Wald	Headquarters	L of M	L of M	L of M
Major	Cunliffe	Headquarters	L of M	L of M	No Action
T/4	Falkland	Hdqs. Company	L of M	L of M	B. S. M.
T/4	Shenfield	Hdqs. Company	L of M	L of M	B. S. M
Pfc	Campo	Hdqs. Company	L of M	L of M	No Action
1/Lt	Nash	Headquarters	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Cpl	Lavorato	Hdqs. Company	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
T/5	D'Aleo	Hdqs. Company	L of M	B. S. M	No Action
T/5	Di Matteo	Hdqs. Company	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Pfc	Avveduto	Hdqs. Company	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Capt	McPhail	Headquarters	L of M	L of M	B. S. M
Pfc	Horkheimer	Hdqs. Company	L of M	B. S. M.	B. S. M
Lt. Col	Martino	Headquarters	L of M	L of M	No Action
Major	Hoelscher	Headquarters	L of M	L of M	No Action
T/4	Vito	Hdqs. Company	L of M	L of M	No Action

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TABLE SHOWING AWARDS
RECOMMENDED AND PASSED
BY A.C. REGIONS

Award Name	LOMBARDIA			TOSCANA			EMILIA			NAPLES			PIEMONTE			VENEZIA		
	Rec	AC Bd.	Fin Act.	Rec	AC Bd.	Fin Act.	Rec	AC Bd.	Fin Act.	Rec	AC Bd.	Fin Act.	Rec	AC Bd.	Fin Act.	Rec	AC Bd.	Fin Act.
SM	0	0	-	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
LM	15	5	-	20	2	-	10	3	1	3	1	1	3	2	0	15	8	3
BSM	27	10	-	1	18	9	0	6	4	0	2	1	1	2	4	1	8	7
Cit.	0	18	-	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	1	1
Disapproved	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
No Action	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	6

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Lumber Area

	Rec	A C Board.	Fmen acres
Lm	15	5	1020
Bm	17	19	
Ct	0	18	

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LOMBARDIA REGION
APO 394

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1 August 1945

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Recommendations for Award.

TO : Commanding Officer, 2675th Regiment, Allied Commission, (Ovhd)
APO 394 - U.S. Army.

1. Forwarded herewith are recommendations for award (in quintuplicate), for officers and enlisted men of this Headquarters, as indicated below:

LEGION OF MERIT

-Officers-

x	Lt.Col.	CLARENCE P. BOLICK	Major	WENDELL E. PHILLIPS
	" "	JOHN S. ARNOLD	Capt.	JAMES F. KEIM
	" "	ORPHEUS J. BIZZOZERO	Capt.	MAURICE F. NEUFELD
x	" "	HARRY G. HERSHENSON		

-Enlisted men-

M/Sgt.	Ido A. Gracis	Pfc.	Stig G. Norhholm
Tec/5	John P. Kachmer	Pfc.	Eric B. Shearer
Tec/5	Paul Moriconi		

BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Major	FRANK BRANNIGAN	Lt.	PERRY B. COTT (USNR)
Major	BERNHARD A. CULLOTON	Capt.	RICHARD J. LOMBARD
Capt.	GUIDO A. ALASIA	1st Lt.	CORVINI RUDOLPH
Capt.	NEIL C. BAKER	1st.Lt.	JOHN J. LYNCH

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-Enlisted men-

S/Sgt.	Raymond A. Bracci	Sgt.	William AMORINO
S/Sgt.	William Segal	Sgt.	Jacinto G. Mancusi
S/Sgt.	Ernest Toscano	Sgt.	Nelson E. Regonini
T/3	Dominic F. Storino	T/4	Bruno J. Nardi

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Cpl.	Vasco Ciardella	Pfc.	Salvatore J. Piccione
T/5	Richard V. Rosenblum	Pfc.	Walter B. Ruisi
T/5	Vincent Strignile	Pfc.	Nathan Schiff
T/5	Ralph M. San Filippo	Pfc.	Pnfilio Silvestri
Pfc.	James I. Mc Cormick	Pfc.	Lee E. Tradewell.

Charles Poletti

CHARLES POLETTI
Colonel, NMB
Regional Commissioner.

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LOMBARDIA

RANK	NAME	REGIONAL LOCATION	RECOMD FOR	APVD BY BOARD FOR	FINAL ACTION HIGH. HQS.
Colonel	Poletti	Lombardia	L of M	L of M	L of M
Lt. Col	Rorimer	Lombardia	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Major	Hill, R.	Lombardia	B. S. M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Lt. Col	Hershenson	Lombardia	L of M	L of M	L of M

	Recommended	AC Board	Final Action
LM	3.	2	2
BSM	1.	2.	2
	4	4	4

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DECORATIONS AND AWARDS BOARD

ALLIED COMMISSION

FRW/rsl

10 August 1945

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MINUTES

OF THE

DECORATIONS AND AWARDS BOARD

1. The Decorations and Awards Board of the Allied Commission was called to order by Colonel Parkin at 1500 hrs, 10 August 1945. The following members were present:

Col	CHARLES M. PARKIN	Inf	05206
Col	JOHN W. CHAPMAN	JAGD	0204184
Lt Col	LESLIE S. MOORE	AGD	0216697
CWO	F. R. Wormuth	AUS	W2127041

2. The following were recommended for approval:

LEGION OF MERIT

Col	CLARENCE P. BOLICK	CAPT	RICHARD J. LOMBARD
Lt Col	HARRY G. HERSHENSON	Tec 4	Manfred Grunewald Venezia
CWO	FLORIAN R. WERMUTH	Pfc	Stig G. Hornhelm

BRONZE STAR

Lt Col	JOHN S. ARNOLD	1st Lt	JOHN J. LYNCH
Lt Col	ORPHEUS J. BIZZOZERO	M/Sgt	Ido A. Gracis
Major	FRANK BRANNIGAN	T/Sgt	Louis B. Greco Venezia
Major	BERNARD A. CULLOTON	S/Sgt	Raymond A. Bracci
MAJOR	FRANCIS A. PALLOTTI Venezia	Sgt	Nelson E. Regionini
Major	WENDELL E. PHILLIPS	Cpl	Vasco Ciardella
Capt	GUIDO A. ALASIA	Tec 5	Vincent Strignile
Capt	MAURICE F. NEUFELD	Pfc	James I. McCormick
Capt	ALVA A. SIMPSON, Jr. Venezia	Pfc	Salvatore J. Picciano
1st Lt	RUDOLPH CORVINI	Pfc	Nathan Schiff

CITATION IN GENERAL ORDERS

Capt	NEIL C. BAKER	Cpl	Frank N. Solina
Capt	JAMES F. KEIM	Tec 5	John P. Kachmar
Lt	PERRY B. COTT	Tec 5	Paul Moricomi
S/Sgt	William Segal	Tec 5	Richard V. Rosenblum
S/Sgt	Ernest Toscano	Tec 5	Ralph M. San Filippo
Tec 3	Robert E. Reggiani Venezia	Pfc	Walter B. Ruisi
Tec 3	Domenic Sterino	Pfc	Fanfilo Silvester
Sgt	William Amorino	Pfc	Lee E. Treadwell
Sgt	Jacinto C. Mancusi	Pfc	Eric B. Shearer
Tec 4	Bruno J. Nardi		

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3. No further business was at hand and the meeting adjourned at 1630 hrs, and would reconvene at the call of the President.

F. R. Wermuth

F. R. WERMUTH
CWO USA
Asst Recorder

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TOSCANA

RANK	NAME	REGIONAL LOCATION	RECOMD FOR	APVD BY BOARD FOR	FINAL ACTION HIGH. HQS.
Colonel	Hensley	Toscana	L of M	L of M	L of M
Colonel	Kirkwood	"	DSM	DSM	L of M
Colonel	Weber	"	L of M	L of M	L of M
Major	Savin	"	L of M	B. S. M.	B. S. M.
Captain	Brownley	"	B. S. M.	B. S. M.	Dispvd
1/Lt	Hartt	"	L of M	B. S. M.	B. S. M.
S/Sgt	Davini	"	L of M	B.S.M.	B. S. M.
Lt. Col	Clarke	"	L of M	Cit	Cit
Cpl	Cimador	"	L of M	B. S. M	Dispvd
S/Sgt	Sorisi	"	L of M	B. S. M	Dispvd
T/4	Luizza	"	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
T/5	Olaburri	"	L of M	B. S. M	Dispvd
T/5	Pusateri, Augustus	"	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Pfc	De Kime	"	L of M	B. S. M	Dispvd
Major	Andrews	"	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Captain	M. T. Hill	"	L of M	B. S. M	B.S. M
M/Sgt	Picetti	"	L of M	B. S. M	No Action
T/3	Gambardella	"	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M.
T/4	Cleavos	"	L of M	B. S. M	Dispvd
T/4	Ricitelli	"	L of M	B. S. M	Dispvd
Pfc	Mussi	"	L of M	B. S. M	Dispvd
Major	H. V. Reilly	"	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M

	Recommended	AC Board	Final Action
DSM	1	1	0
LM	20	2	3
BSM	1	18	9
Cit	0	1	1
Disapproved	0	0	8
	22	22	22

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EMILIA REGION

RANK	NAME	REGIONAL LOCATION	RECOMD FOR	APVD BY BOARD FOR	FINAL ACTION HIGH. HQS
Pfc	Hacker	Emilia	L of M	Cit	Cit
Major	Bradbury	Emilia	L of M	L of M	L of M
Capt	W. E. Pratt	Emilia	L of M	L of M	B. S. M
T/4	DiVincenzo	Emilia	L of M	L of M	No Action
Major	Freese	Emilia	L of M	B. S. M	No Action
Capt	A. Carter	Emilia	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Capt	Em. White	Emilia	L of M	B. S. M	No Action
1/Lt	Ravarino	Emilia	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
T/5	Selvaggio	Emilia	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Pfc	Muller	Emilia	L of M	B. S. M	Disapvd

	Recommended	AC Board	Final Action
LM	10	3	1
BSM	0	6	4
Cit	0	1	1
	10	10	6
			Disapvd 1
			No action 3
			10

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NAPLES

RANK	NAME	REGIONAL LOCATION	RECOMD FOR	APVD BY BOARD FOR	FINAL ACTION HIGH. HQS.
M/Sgt	Costella	Naples	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
S/Sgt	Moses	Naples	L of M	Cit	Cit
~~1~~Sgt	Marcuzzo	Naples	L of M	Cit	Cit
Cpl	Grecco	Naples	L of M	Cit	Cit
Lt. Col	G. I. Warren	Naples	L of M	L of M	L of M
Capt	Decker, S. D.	Naples	L of M	B. S. M	No Action

Recommended — At Board — Final Action

LM	6	1	1	
BSM	0	2	1	
Cit	0	3	3	
	6	6	No action 1	
			6	

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PIEMONTE REGION

RANK	NAME	REGIONAL LOCATION	RECOMD FOR	APVD BY BOARD FOR	FINAL ACTION HIGH. HQS.
Major	Malatesta	Piemonte	B. S. M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Capt	Noe	Piemonte	L of M	L of M	B. S. M
1/Lt	Nevans	Piemonte	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Colonel	Marshall	Piemonte	L of M	L of M	B. S. M

	Recommended	AC Board	Final Action
LM	3	2	0
BSM	1	2	4
	4	4	4

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VENEZIE REGION

RANK	NAME	REGIONAL LOCATION	RECOMD FOR	APVD BY BOARD FOR	FINAL ACTION HIGH. HQS.
Major	Ballew	Form. Venezie	B. S. M	B. S. M.	No Action
Major	R. Levitt	Venezie	L of M	L of M	B. S. M.
2/Lt	Tito	Form. Venezie	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
T/5	Apicella	Venezie	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Pfc	Grassi	Venezie	L of M	L of M	B. S. M
Pfc	Ornati	Venezie	L of M	Cit	Cit
Colonel	Page	Venezie	L of M	L of M	L of M
Lt. Col	Kenny	Venezie	L of M	L of M	B. S. M
S/Sgt	Spinosa	Venezie	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Major	H. Hudson	Venezie	DSM	L of M	L of M
Colonel	Bowman	Venezie	L of M	L of M	L of M
Major	Ruisi	Venezie	L of M	B. S. M	B. S. M
Major	Heassler	Venezie	L of M	L of M	No Action
T/4	Grunewald	Venezie	L of M	L of M	No Action
Major	Pallotti	Venezie	L of M	B. S. M.	No Action
Capt	A. A. Simpson	Venezie	L of M	B. S. M	No Action
T/Sgt	Croce	Venezie	L of M	B. S. M	No Action

	Rec	AC Board	Final Action
DSm	1	0	0
Lm	15	8	3
BSm	1	8	7
Cit	0	1	1
			6
No action			
	17	17	17

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UMBRIA MARCHE

RANK	NAME	REGIONAL LOCATION	RECOMD FOR	APVD BY BOARD FOR	FINAL ACTION HIGH. HQS.
T/Sgt.	Piper	Umbria Marche	L of M	L of M	B. S. M
Major	C. A. Warren	"	L of M	L of M	Dispvd
Lt. Col	Scholtz	"	L of M	L of M	L of M

Recommended — AC Board — Final Action

L M	3	3		1
B S M	0	0		1
	3	3	Disapprd	1
				3

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AMG 5th ARMY

RANK	NAME	REGIONAL LOCATION	RECOMD FOR	APVD BY BOARD FOR	FINAL ACTION HIGH. HQS.
T/Sgt	Picciotti	AMG 5th Army	L of M	L of M	B. S. M

TRUCKING GROUP

T/Sgt	Schulz	Trk. Group	S. M.	S. M.	No Action

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

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REFERENCE: 200:6

SUBJECT : Medal of Freedom Award

TO : Headquarters Piemonte Region (Attn: Regional Commissioner)

1. Returned herewith are recommendations for awards as described in basic communication.

2. Citations, headed as such, and typed on a separate page, must be included with the recommendations.

3. Please prepare citations and forward, together with enclosed recommendations.

C. M. PARKIN
Colonel, Infantry.

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Col Fiske
Estel Dent

HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

AG 201-T-Timmons, Benson B. L. (Off)

Subject: Award of Foreign Decoration.

To : The Adjutant General, Attention: Decorations and Awards Branch, Munitions Building, Washington 25, D. C.

The Theater Commander has concurred in the acceptance of the indicated foreign decorations to the following individual(s) and notation of such award(s) is requested in accordance with paragraph 35, AR 600-45, 22 September 1943. The document conferring the award is identified in each instance.

Major Benson B. L. Timmons, 0353545, Cav, Hq 2675th Regt, Allied Commission (Ovhd).

Knight Officer, Order of the Crown of Italy, per letter reference number 3866/A.G., Lt Gen of the Realm, 5 June 1945.

For the Theater Commander:

/s/ J. E. McCreary
J. E. McCREARY
Major, AGD
Asst Adjutant General

cc to:
Chief Commissioner, AC
thru: CO, Hq Comd, AF.

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Ward D Carpenter Jr.
WARD D. CARPENTER, JR.
1st Lt Inf

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Col. Lee

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AG 200.62/044-P 8 October 1945

Subject: Award of Foreign Decoration.

To : The Adjutant General, Attention: Decorations and Awards Branch, Munitions Building, Washington 25, D. C.

The Theater Commander has concurred in the acceptance of the indicated foreign decorations to the following individual(s) and notation of such award(s) is requested in accordance with paragraph 35, AR 600-45, 22 September 1943. The document conferring the award is identified in each instance. **Following officers, 2675th Regiment AC, awarded Order of the Crown of Italy in the degree indicated after their names per letter, Office of the Lt. General of the Realm. Reference number 5404/AG dated 4 September 1945.**

Lt. Colonel Carlton J. Eggstaff, 0329514, Commander.
T/Sergeant Ralph Boncmo, 39247528, Knight.
1st Lieutenant Paul Leos, 01643793, Knight.
Lt. Colonel Edward C. King, 0191976, Knight.
1st Lieutenant Ira Manck, 01309582. Knight.

For the Theater Commander:

J. E. McCREARY
Major, AGD
Asst Adj General

cc to:
Chief Commissioner, AC
thru: CO, Hq Comd, AF.

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Ward D. Carpenter, Jr.
WARD D. CARPENTER, JR.
1st Lt Inf

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UNITED STATES ARMY
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AG 201-C-Chapman, John W. (Off) 6 October 1945

Subject: Award of Foreign Decoration.

To : The Adjutant General, Attention: Decorations and Awards Branch, Munitions Building, Washington 25, D. C.

The Theater Commander has concurred in the acceptance of the indicated foreign decorations to the following individual(s) and notation of such award(s) is requested in accordance with paragraph 35, AR 600-45, 22 September 1943. The document conferring the award is identified in each instance.

Colonel John W. Chapman, 020418, JAGD, 2675th Regiment, Allied Commission

Knight Officer of St. Maurice and Lazarus, per letter of Lt. General of Reals. Reference number 503h/AG dated 17 August 1945.

For the Theater Commander:

J. E. McCREARY
Major, AGD
Asst Adj General

cc to:
Chief Commissioner, AC
thru: CO, Hq Comd, AF.

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Ward D. Carpenter Jr.
WARD D. CARPENTER, JR.
1st Lt Inf

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UNITED STATES ARMY
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AG 201-P-Menapace, Robert B. (Off) 13 October 1945

Subject: Award of Foreign Decoration.

To : The Adjutant General, Attention: Decorations and Awards Branch, Munitions Building, Washington 25, D. C.

The Theater Commander has concurred in the acceptance of the indicated foreign decorations to the following individual(s) and notation of such award(s) is requested in accordance with paragraph 35, AR 600-45, 22 September 1943. The document conferring the award is identified in each instance.

Colonel Robert B. Menapace, 0169503, 2675th Regiment, Allied Commission.

Grand Officer, Order of the Crown of Italy, per letter of The Office of Lt. General of The Realm, dated 5 June 1945.

For the Theater Commander:

W. C. HYNES
Capt., Inf.
Actg Asst Adj General

cc to:
Chief Commissioner, AC
thru: CO, Hq Comd, AF.

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Ward D. Carpenter Jr.
WARD D. CARPENTER, JR.
1st Lt Inf

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Office of the Chief Commissioner
APO 394

CC 511 20 September 1945.

SUBJECT: Awards.

To : Commanding General, Mediterranean Theater of Operations, U.S. Army, APO 512.

1. Attached is a copy of a letter dated 4 September 1945 from Colonel Norman E. Fiske, Deputy Executive Commissioner, requesting reconsideration of the recommendation for the award of the Legion of Merit to Colonel Robert P. Marshall, formerly Regional Commissioner, Piemonte Region.

2. I should like to add my own very strong personal recommendation that Colonel Marshall be reconsidered for award of the Legion of Merit. His work was outstanding and fully the equal of any of the other Regional Commissioners, all of whom have been awarded the Legion of Merit.

3. I should be most grateful for favorable action on this request.

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

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HQ 2675th REGT.

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CO 2675 REGT

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Am somewhat concerned that MTOUSA orders have as yet indicated no action on my recommendation for Bronze Star for Maj FREESE whom I regard as the officer of this Hq and of EMILIA Region most deserving of special recognition. The fact that his work is necessarily unspectacular in nature makes it easy to undervalue and knowing of your special knowledge and interest in Major FREESE I hope that you will extend every effort to see that he is not overlooked.

List

Action - 2675 Regt
Info - Chief Commissioner
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FRO 5TH ARMY SIGNED TRUSCOTT:
DEPR, AFHQ FRO DET "A" FRO ALLIED COMMISSION DISTRICT 2

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From PRO 5TH ARMY signed TRUSCOTT: for immediate release story begins with the 5TH ARMY, 5 September - 24 awards, including 2 Distinguished Service Medals, 2 Legion of Merit medals, 1 Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star, and 18 Bronze Stars, were presented today to officer and Enlisted Men of 5TH ARMY Headquarters by Lieutenant General LUCIAN K TRUSCOTT, JR., Commanding General, 5TH ARMY.

Distinguished Service Medals were awarded to Brigadier General DONNEE CARLETON, Chief of Staff, 5TH ARMY, (THIENSVILLE, WISCONSIN), for outstanding service as Chief of Staff of, First, VI CORPS, and then 5TH ARMY, in FRANCE and ITALY, and to Colonel EDWARD JJJ O'NEILL, Assistant Chief of Staff, GGG 4, 3308 BROADWAY, WEST PALM BEACH, FLORIDA, for his work as Assistant Chief of Staff, VI CORPS, in formulating policies which determined supply procedures for the invasion of Southern FRANCE and with 5TH ARMY for the PO VALLEY campaign.

Legion of Merit medals were awarded to the following officers: Lieutenant Colonel JOHN AAA EVANS, Surgeon APOS 3 office, 5TH ARMY, (87 WEST 179 STREET, NEW YORK, NEW YORK), for organization of the 15th Field Hospital and the establishment of clinics, wards and 2519 examining rooms for specialized treatment resulting in many soldiers being returned to duty status who would otherwise have been evacuated to Base Hospitals.

Lieutenant Colonel JOHN HHH KENYON, Engineer Section, 5TH ARMY, 1505 SOUTH ADAMS STREET, FORT WORTH, TEXAS), who conceived and designed 387 bridge alignment charts that materially aided in the production of

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adequate bridges with a great saving of labor and material.

Lieutenant Colonel DANIEL KKK CHINLUND, Signal Section, 5TH ARMY, (225 NORTH EAST AVENUE, OAK PARK, ILLINOIS), for exceptionally meritorious conduct including assistance in planning operations at ANZIO beachhead and north of ROME, and drawing signal plans for the operation resulting in the surrender of all German forces in ITALY.

One Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star was awarded Major ROBERT WWW BRANDES, Surgeons Officer, 5TH ARMY, (JORDAN, MINNESOTA).

Bronze Stars were awarded to the following men:

Lieutenant General WILLIS DDD CRITTENBERGER, Commanding General. IV CORPS, (SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS); Colonel CLIFFORD EEE ICKERING, Army Veterinarian, 5TH ARMY, 3301 BRODERICK STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA; Lieutenant Colonel EDWIN SSS BOOTH, Assistant Army Judge Advocate, (400 HARRISON AVENUE, HELENA, MONTANA); Lieutenant Colonel ALBERT EEE CARLSON, Commanding Officer, 53rd Signal Battalion, (BIG ROCK, ILLINOIS); Major THOMPSON LLL CLARKE, Executive Officer, GG G 1 (107 EVERETT STREET RUSTON, LOUISIANA); Major DONAL FFF HENNESSY, Assistant GGG 1, (90-301 HUNDRED 79TH STREET, JAMAICA, NEW YORK); Major NORMAN CCC LINNEMANN, CLAS S III Officer, Army Quartermaster, (4941 GENTRY STREET, NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CALIFORNIA); Major ABRAHAM WWW SERKYSKY, Trial Judge Advocate, (144 EAST 43 RD STREET, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK); Captain RAYMOND WWW GILLESPIE, Dentist, (SOUTH MAIN STREET, WASSINGFORD, CONNECTICUT); Captain OSCAR EEE HUFNAGEL, Executive Officer, Special Service Section, (524 SOUTH WEINBACH AVENUE, EVANSVILL, INDIANA); Captain CONWAY RULON MILLER, Liaison Section, (CLOKE, ARIZONA); Captain HOWARD JJJ SEESEL, Medical Historian, (617 GOODRICH AVENUE , ST PAUL, MINNESOTA); Technical Sergeant DONALD RRR HARRISON, Chief Clerk, Judge Advocate Section, (320 HAMMOND STREET, WESTERN PORT, MARYLAND);

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Technical Sergeant JAMES SHERMAN, Supply Sergeant, Headquarters, 5TH ARMY, (3224 GLENDALE AVENUE, DETROIT, MICHIGAN) ; Staff Sergeant CHARLES WW VOTAW, Clerk, GG G 4, (ASOTPN, WASHINGTON); Staff Sergeant THEODORE MITAN, Chief Clerk, Headquarters Company, (1475 MULTHOMA AVENUE AKRON, OHIO), Sergeant STANELY JJJ SZUREK, Motor Sergeant, AMHERST STREET, GRANBY, MASSACHUSETTS; and Corporal RALPH LEL FRAY, Truck Driver, 5TH ARMY Motor Pool, (MIDDLEBURY, CONNECTICUT).

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MEMORANDUM:

TO : Colonel Parkin

Per your request, the following four names are suggested for recommendations for British awards:

Officers

Col. Charles M. Parkin, Inf. 05206
CWO. Nicholas Piombini, AUS, W2106470

EM

S/Sgt Frank J. Mastrobuono, 31061126
S/Sgt Joseph J. Polverino, 19185783

The Officers' work you are no doubt familiar with.

Sgt Mastrobuono is Chief Clerk, Adjutant's Section (Orders and Bulletins). He has done an outstanding job, and one which has received little recognition. His organization and operation of one of the most efficient offices I have ever seen is certainly deserving of recognition.

Sgt. Polverino has been virtually in charge of the operation and maintenance of the Hq building since Naples days. He has also done, without fuss or fanfare, a very fine job of work.

Establishment Section
7 September 1945

L. T. MONTANT, Jr.,
Captain, AGD
Staff Officer

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Ref/157/81/EST

7 September 1945

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SUBJECT: Wearing of Meritorious Service Unit Insignia by Naval Personnel

TO : Commodore H. W. Zirolli, USN, Navy Sub-Commission

In accordance with conversation of this morning, forwarded herewith are copies of the General Order awarding the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque to the 2675th Regiment, A.C. (Ovhd.), and of the pertinent citation.

L. T. MONTANT, Jr.,
Captain, AGD
Staff Officer

2 incls - as above

1 extra copy

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Establishment Section

Ref/157/79/EST

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SUBJECT: Meritorious Service Unit Plaque

TO : Agriculture Sub-Commission
(Att: Lt. Comdr. B.C.F.Mulieri, USCGR)

1. Reference is made to your AGR/507.2, 5 September 1945.

2. A thorough search has been made of the pertinent Army Regulations and other directives on the subject, and no authority has been found for the wearing by other than Army personnel of the Meritorious Service Unit insignia.

3. It is, therefore, suggested that you communicate with the appropriate Naval authorities.

C. M. DARKIN,
Colonel, Inf.,
Actg Vice President

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Abstract, 2675 Legt.

Will you initiate appropriate inquiry (to MTOUSA) & give me copy thereof.

H. Morgenthau
Capt, USNR
(DOSR)

6/9/45

Nothing in answer to directive as to anything about the treaty.

Lucy.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File Date 5 Sept

FROM TO

Deputy Ex. Commissioner
→ Staff Officer
Executive Officer (A)
Executive Officer (B)
G-1 (A)
G-1 (B)
G-4 (A)
G-4 (B)
Headquarters Commandant
Adjutant 26 A to Legt

FOR: The basic question is,
Comment are attd naval Os
Draft of reply permitted to wear
Investigation and report the uniform?
→ Answer
Signature Can you answer?
Approval/Disapproval
Your Information Or is this something
Your File which should be
Return, please taken up through
Navy channels?

Sam S.

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Tel:478208 HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION BCFM/cc
APO 394
Agriculture Sub-Commission

AGR/ 507.6 5 September 1945

SUBJECT: Meritorious Service Unit Plaque

TO : Establishment Section
through channels

1. Reference Daily Bulletin 247 of this Headquarters.

2. This officer has been attached to the 2675 Regiment since the early days at Tizi Ouzou.

3. May the undersigned, an officer of the United States Coast Guard, and other naval officers who have been similarly attached, have the honor of sharing in the award of Meritorious Service Unit Plaque to be presented to the Regiment.

B.C.F.MULIERI
Lt.Comdr.USCGR

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HEADQUARTERS FIRST ARMORED DIVISION
APO 251, U. S. Army

20 July 1944.

AG 200.6

SUBJECT: Award of Bronze Star Medal.

TO : 1st Lt. George E. Barnes, III, 01030727, U. S. Army.

GEORGE E. BARNES III, 01030727, 1st Lieutenant, Headquarters, * * * * * * * * * * * Armored Division. For gallantry in action in the vicinity of * * * * * Italy, on 6 June 1944. When a column advancing on an enemy objective was halted by enemy resistance, Lt. Barnes dismounted and took a position among the forward tank elements. There, with utter disregard for the personal dangers involved, he directed the fire and movement of the tanks and maneuvered them in such a manner that the enemy was forced to withdraw. Lt. Barnes aggressive and courageous leadership and the skillful tactical dispositions are worthy of the best traditions of the Military Service. Entered service from New Rochelle, New York.

V. E. PRICHARD,
Major General, U. S. Army,
Commanding.

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Subject: Pigment for C/K

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To : G-1 (A)

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C/K 1st Ind Nov.

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Ms Cleared, as duly req, C/K Pigment file.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Establishment Section

Ref/157/74/EST

4 September 1945

SUBJECT: Awards

TO : Commanding General, MTOUSA

1. Colonel Robert P. Marshall was recommended for the Legion of Merit by letter, 200.6 x-201-Marshall, Robert P. (Off), of 9 July 1945. General Order #190, of 16 August 1945, HQ MTOUSA, awarded him the Bronze Star Medal.

2. I urge reconsideration of the award of the Legion of Merit as originally recommended to Colonel Marshall and offer in support therefor the following additional information.

3. The last line of par 1 of the basic letter of recommendation should be altered to read "22 August 1945". During the period 12 May - 22 August 1945, Colonel Marshall, in addition to the normal administration of Piemonte Region, was faced with the difficult situation of French troops in that region and a French Military Government established in parts of it. Colonel Marshall exercised an admirable combination of force and tact in dealing with this potentially explosive situation and was able to resolve it without serious incident.

4. Colonel Marshall has been one of the outstanding Regional Commissioners in the Allied Military Government of Italy, all of whom, with the exception of Colonel Marshall, have been awarded the Legion of Merit.

5. Colonel Marshall was relieved as Regional Commissioner, Piemonte Region, on 22 August and is now awaiting transportation to the U.S. The formal award of the Bronze Star Medal has been deferred, pending action on this request for reconsideration.

/s/ NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel

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I believe Robert F Mantooth was recommended for the Silver Star by Lieut ~~Col~~ x Col Bolger 1st Bn CO but was awarded the Bronze Star with the Army. She knows.

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2. ~~I recommend~~ urge reconsideration of the award of the Legion of Merit as originally recommended ~~and request that the~~ and support offer in support thereof the following additional information

3. The last line of para 1 of the basic letter, recommendation should be altered to read "to 20 August 1945". During the period 12 May ~~1945~~ — 20 August 1945, Colonel Marshall in addition to the normal administration of Peninsula Region was ~~charged with the responsibility~~ faced with the difficult situation of French troops in this region and a French military government established in Paris and in Colonel Marshall exercised an admirable supervision of force and tact in dealing with this potentially explosive situation and was able

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to resolve its inhuman perversion
incident.

4. Colonel Hamilton has been awarded
by the Czechoslovak Republican Government
in the Allied Military Government
Italy, all, whom, with the
exception of Colonel Hamilton
have been awarded the higher.

5. Colonel Hamilton was released
as PW Prisoner of War on 20 August
and is now awaiting transportation
to the US. The former award
of the Bronze Star Medal has been
deferred, pending action on this
report for recommendation.

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ESTABLISHEMENT SECTION

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Date 30 May

FROM (Col. Poulin) TO

Deputy Chief of Staff

Staff Officer

Executive Officer (A)

Executive Officer (B)

G-1 (A)

G-1 (B)

G-4 (A)

G-4 (B)

Headquarters Commandant

Adjutant

FOR:

G/R
EMP

Draft of reply for signature of
Please see/telephone me about this
Investigation and report
Answer
Signature
Approval/Disapproval
Your Information and return
Your File

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Col. Fiske
for okay

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ESTABLISHEMENT SECTION

File

Date

FROM

TO

Deputy Chief of Staff
Staff Officer
Executive Officer (A)
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G-4 (B)
Headquarters Commandant
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
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Ref/157/EST August 1945

SUBJECT: Awards

TO : Commanding General, MTOUSA

1. Under the provisions of G.O. 190, 16 August 1945, Hq., MTOUSA, Colonel Robert P. Marshall of this command was awarded the Bronze Star Medal.

2. This officer, recommended by this Hq. for the award of the Legion of Merit, has performed services of great value, and in such a manner as to reflect great distinction upon himself. Further, the services in question were of such a nature, and the responsibilities involved were of such weight, as to indicate clearly and unequivocally, ample justification for award of the Legion of Merit.

3. It is most strongly urged, therefore, that your Headquarters weigh once again the basic recommendation, and that fullest consideration be given to award to this officer the Legion of Merit, in lieu of the Bronze Star Medal.

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NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Dear Norman -

Pardon address and
you initiated any recommendation
for L. M. & that if any
further action is to be
taken it must begin with
you. I am not requesting
further action but do
feel, very strongly, that
under the circumstances
I may properly decline
the lesser award.

Warmest

Bob

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Copy for Col Fiske

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

NPT/jp
28 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Review of Recommendations for Award of the Legion of Merit.

TO : Chief Commissioner, Allied Commission.

1. In compliance with paragraph 4, letter from Office of the Chief Commissioner, subject "Recommendation for Award of Legion of Merit", dated 28 August 1945, the board reconvened and the following members were present:

Col	NORMAN E. FISKE	Cav	04741
Col	CHARLES M. PAFKIN	Inf	05206
Col	JOHN W. CHAPMAN	JAGD	0204184
Lt Col	ROBERT A. MARTINO	Spec Res	02272815
Lt Col	LESLIE S. MOORE	AGD	0216697
1st Lt	NICHOLAS P. THEODORE	AGD	01001062

2. The first order of business was the analysis of the figures of Legion of Merit recommendations.

	Submitted	Approved
Lombardia	15	5
Piemonte	3	2
Naples Commune	6	1
Toscana	20	2
Emilia	10	3

3. After reconsideration, the Board decided to recommend Lt Col Bizzozero for the Legion of Merit. After re-examining the other three cases, the Board felt that citations properly fitted the award of the Bronze Star Medal and adhered to its original policy, as per minutes of last meeting.

4. The Board is not prepared to accept the implication of discrimination as contained in para 3 of the Chief Commissioner's letter. The members of the Board feel that they have acted on recommendations submitted with complete impartiality and fairness to the best of their ability. While the figures quoted in para 3 of the CC's letter are correct, they are also incomplete. The figures for Naples, Emilia and Toscana were not included.

N.P. THEODORE,
1st Lt, AGD,
Recorder.

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DECORATIONS AND AWARDS BOARD
ALLIED COMMISSION

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21 August 1945

MINUTES
OF THE
DECORATIONS AND AWARDS BOARD

1. The Decorations and Awards Board of the Allied Commission was called to order by Colonel Fiske at 1100 hrs, 21 August 1945. The following members were present:

Col	NORMAN B. FISKE	04741	CAV
Col	JOHN W. CHAPMAN	0204184	JAGD
Lt Col	ROBERT A. MARTINO	0272815	Spec Res
Lt Col	LESLIE S. MOORE	0216697	AGD
1st Lt	NICHOLAS P. THEODORE	01001062	AGD

not present

2. The following were recommended for approval:

LEGION OF MERIT

Commodore	HUMBERT WM. ZIROLI	(A)	9565	USN
Col	EDWARD POLNY JR	(A)	0911946	QMC
Col	EDWARD O. HOWELL JR	(A)	0138157	Inf
Capt	HARRY ST. JOHN BUTLER	(A)	57477	USNR
Lt Col	EDWARD C. KING	(A)	0191976	Spec Res
Lt Col	WILLIAM M. SPANN	(A)	0260170	CMP
Lt Col	JOHN MC SWEENEY	(A)	0164741	Spec Res
Lt Col	JOHN B. W. PERKINS	(B)	97025	R. Arty
Major	THOMAS O. BERDIN	(A)	0525710	MMB
Major	JOHN P. LEACACOS	(A)	0914269	MMB
Major	LLOYD W. STEARNS	(A)	0303781	AGD
Major	RALPH R. TEMPLE	(A)	0523284	Spec Res
Lt Comdr	BRUNO C. F. MULIERI	(A)		USCGR
Lt Comdr	JOHN H. POLLARD	(A)	205649	USNR
Capt	RICHARD B. BULLOCK	(A)	024198	Inf
Lieut	WILLIAM W. WOTHERSPOON	(A)	87185	USNR
S/Sgt	Bernard M. Peebles	(A)	33385998	

BRONZE STAR

Major	ELIOT J.BOCCHINO	(A)	0377876	Inf
Major	PAUL S. SAVAGE	(A)	0522162	Spec Res
1st Lt	RALPH F. GERMANN	(A)	01303138	Inf
T/Sgt	Dennis Giardina	(A)	35435782	
Sgt	Eric A. Papps	(B)	31305869S	
Tec 4	Joseph P. Latella	(A)	33430760	
Pfc	Karl D. Hess	(A)	33696364	

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CITATION IN GENERAL ORDERS

Tec 4	Jerry C. Amiorio	(A)	32762258
Tec 4	Rocco A. Rizzo	(A)	20254755
Tec 5	Charles A. Palmer	(A)	12107707

3. The following were disapproved:

LEGION OF MERIT

Capt	WARNER C. PETERSON	(A)	04954713	CAC

CITATION

Tec 4	Seymour I. Mandell	(A)	12038651

4. No further business was at hand and the meeting adjourned at 1250 hrs. and would reconvene at the call of the President.

W. P. THEODORE,
1st Lt. AGD,
Assistant Recorder

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28 August 1945

Review of Recommendations for Award of the Legion of Merit.
Chief Commissioner, Allied Commission.

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3. The members of the board were carefully selected with a view to having members who first could be depended upon to give unbiased opinions and second, knew enough about the Allied Commission to make accurate appraisal of each recommendation submitted. The board has dealt with each individual recommendation on its merits and did not come to its conclusions based solely on who made the recommendations.

4. While the board is always willing to review its recommendations at any time upon submission of additional information, this board feels, after due consideration of the cases in question, that only the case of Lt Col [redacted] can be upgraded to a Legion of Merit. Based upon published results obtained from Hq MTOUSA and previous recommendations made by this board it is felt that Bronze

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Star awards are appropriate in the cases of

Lt Col	JOHN S. ARNOLD	Inf	0245277
Major	WENDELL S. PHILLIPS	GAC	01[illegible]841
S/Sgt	Ida A. Gracia		32247082

5. The board reached the above decision by a unanimous vote.

N. P. THEODORE,
1st Lt, AGD,
Recorder

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28 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Recommendations for Award of the Legion of Merit.

TO : HQ AC Decorations and Awards Board.

1. There are returned herewith for reconsideration four recommendations made by the Regional Commissioner, Lombardia Region, for the Legion of Merit which have been downgraded by your board to the Bronze Star Medal.

2. I have reviewed these recommendations carefully and am not willing to forward them as prepared for my signature.

3. Colonel Poletti is probably my best regional commissioner and the greatest weight should be given to his recommendations. Analysis shows that the board has approved only one third of his recommendations for the Legion of Merit, whereas two thirds of the recommendations for the Legion of Merit for PIEMONTE were approved by the board, one half of such recommendations from VENEZIE were approved by the board, and two thirds of the HQ AC recommendations were approved by the board. If these four cases are approved it will equalize the LOMBARDIA Region's ratio with the VENEZIA ratio and still be under the HQ AC ratio.

4. I strongly recommend that the board approve the recommendations for the Legion of Merit as submitted by the Regional Commissioner. It is requested that the board reconvene in order that final action may be taken today.

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

cc: ESTAB. SEC.

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7 August 1945

SUBJECT: Request for Substitution of Award of Legion of Merit for Bronze Star - Major Benson F.L. Timmons III (O 353 545).

To: FE, MTOUSA.

1. I write to request that the award of the Bronze Star to Major Benson F.L. Timmons III (O 353 545) be replaced by the award of the Legion of Merit. The Bronze Star award to him was made by MTOUSA General Order 193 dated 19 August 1945. The recommendation submitted by Finance Sub-Commission, Allied Commission, in its letter of 5 June 1945 was that Major Timmons be awarded the Legion of Merit.

2. I have been personally familiar, for a considerable time, with Major Timmons' performance and qualifications. It would be difficult to find a more zealous and more effective and productive officer. I have been carefully following the awards of decorations to the officers of AC/AFHQ and it is my strong conviction that Major Timmons is fully as deserving of the award of the Legion of Merit as other officers who have recently received that decoration. His work has been of such a superior character, his efficiency so outstanding and his performance over and above the usual expectancy so well established, that I earnestly urge your reconsideration of the case and the amendment of the above mentioned order to the effect that Major Timmons be awarded the Legion of Merit.

KELLY M. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

cc: Finance S/C
Estab. Sec.
G-1 (A)

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AWARDS - HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

	RECOMMENDED	A.C. BOARD	FINAL ACTION
DSM	1	1	
LM	49	32	7
BSM	1	14	26
CITATION IN G.O.		4	4
SOLDIERS MEDAL	1	1	1
DISAPPROVED			6
NO ACTION			8
TOTAL	52	52	52

Strength - Officers - 205
EM - 457

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ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

REF/FRS/mv

File: 330.6
x-201-Chapman, John W. (O)

23 June 1945

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SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award of the Legion of Merit.

TO : Commanding General, MTOUSA, APO 512, U. S. Army.

1. Under the provisions of paragraph 12, AR 600-45, it is recommended that John W. Chapman, 0-20418A, Colonel (then Lieutenant Colonel), JAGD, 2675th Regiment, Allied Commission, be awarded the Legion of Merit for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performing outstanding services from 25 October 1943 to 31 May 1945.

2. On 25 October 1943, Colonel Chapman entered Naples as Deputy Chief Legal Officer of Region IV, Allied Military Government. However, due to the tactical situation that Region was unable to enter its proper territory and Lieutenant Colonel Chapman volunteered his services to the Legal Division of Region III, Allied Military Government (Naples). At that time numerous crimes against law and order were rampant. The port activities were threatened with serious thefts of food and critical supplies for the combat troops to the north of the city. Against strong opposition Colonel Chapman, with a tact and determination and in close liaison with the Judge Advocate with the then Fifth Army Base Section, established the first Summary Military Court within the area of the Port of Naples as the first important step in the prevention of the wholesale thefts of essential war supplies. Colonel Chapman then established the first Curfew Court as another step in deterring crimes against Allied supplies and interests. On 1 February 1944, Colonel Chapman was assigned as Regional Legal Officer. At that time the Legal Division was admittedly unable to cope with the mounting flood of crime. Overcoming all handicaps of shortage of port accommodations and legal officer personnel, Colonel Chapman efficiently and quickly reorganized the entire Legal Division. Through tactful arrangements he drew necessary additional personnel from the resources of the Peninsular Base Section in order to establish a complete and adequate jurisdiction system which included a Prosecutors Section, Court Section, and Finance Section. His prompt and decisive action contributed materially to the reduction of losses of essential war materiel and other necessary supplies flowing through the Port of Naples. His patience and tact with the personnel under his command removed all dissension and created cordial relations between American and British personnel.

3. On 20 June 1944, Colonel Chapman was assigned as Regional Commissioner of Region III, at which time Naples had become the center of political and labor organizational activities. Labor troubles were rife due to economic conditions and the struggle for control by rival labor organizers. In an ill-conceived plan to quiet the local civilian population extravagant promises had been made. The principal promise was one to increase the food ration as of 1 July 1945. Colonel Chapman was informed that this pre-

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vious promise could not be met. Refusing to accept this decision, Colonel Chapman's energetic action resulted in the promise being kept and rations were distributed before the time promised. This action resulted in the maintenance of order in the port through which was flowing the greatest portion of supplies and materials for the combat armies.

4. On 1 September 1944, the Director of Public Safety Sub-Commission, Allied Commission, requested to be relieved as a result of constant dissension between American and British personnel. On 25 September, Colonel Chapman was assigned as Director of the Sub-Commission. He was immediately confronted with the task of dealing with Public Safety problems incident to what then seemed to be immediately imminent, the rapid occupation of additional enemy territory, as well as the reorganization of the Sub-Commission. The normal tasks were accomplished, the major and more difficult tasks of arranging for the establishment of cordial relations between the American and British personnel were accomplished through the patience, tact, and diplomacy of Colonel Chapman, who succeeded in welding the personnel into an efficient and smoothly working team.

5. Colonel Chapman's zeal and outstanding devotion to duty are in keeping with the finest traditions of the military services and reflect the greatest credit upon himself and his organization.

6. Colonel Chapman was a Lieutenant Colonel at the time of his assignment to the 2675th Regiment, Allied Commission. He was promoted to Colonel on 17 May 1944. The officer has occupied the positions of Deputy Regional Legal Officer, Regional Legal Officer, and Regional Commissioner of Region III, Allied Military Government, as well as Director of the Public Safety Sub-Commission, Headquarters, Allied Commission. The officer is presently a Colonel and is assigned as Director of the Public Safety Sub-Commission.

7. The commanding officer of this award has personal knowledge of the services rendered by Colonel Chapman.

8. All subsequent services of Colonel Chapman have been honorable.

9. The officer has received no previous awards.

10. Proposed citation (see Inclosure 1).

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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1 Incl:
Proposed Citation

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PROPOSED CITATION

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Colonel (then Lieutenant Colonel) John W. Chapman, 0404184, JAGD, 2675th Regiment, Allied Commission, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services from 25 October 1943 to 31 May 1945. In the positions of Deputy Chief Legal Officer and Regional Legal Officer, Colonel Chapman against strong opposition and with a lack of proper personnel and court accommodations established a complete and adequate jurisdiction system for the prosecution of crimes against the military establishment in the port city of Naples. Thefts of food and vital military supplies were mounting in number and became a serious threat to the success of Allied military operations in Italy. Colonel Chapman, in his organization of the court system in Naples, including Summary Military Courts and Curfew Courts, organized the prosecutor Section, Court Section, and Financial Section, which were able to keep pace with and control the crime situation. Through his individual efforts extravagent promises which had been made prior to his assumption to the duties of Regional Commissioner, Region III, Allied Military Government were fullfilled. Food was furnished and labor problems satisfied to contribute to the maintenance of law and order in the port city. Again, as Director of the Public Safety Sub-Commission, Headquarters, Allied Commission, Colonel Chapman's personal effort resulted in a complete reorganization of this Sub-Commission and the maintenance of law and order by Public Safety Officer personnel who were assigned to such duties in the rapid occupation of additional enemy territory. Through the patience, tact, and diplomacy of Colonel Chapman, the personnel were welded into an efficient and smoothly working team. The resultant curbing of lawlessness and crime directly aided the success of military operations in Italy. Colonel Chapman's zeal and outstanding attention to duty are in keeping with the finest traditions of the United States Army and reflect the greatest credit upon himself and his organization. Entered the military service from Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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x-201-Chapman, John W. (O)
(23 June 45) 1st Ind. DFT/FRH/mv
HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION, DECORATIONS AND AWARDS BOARD, APO 394, U. S. Army, 23 June 1945.

TO: Commanding Officer, 2679th Regiment, Allied Commission (Ovhd), APO 394, U. S. Army.

Approved.

FOR THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD:

E. F. [illegible]
1st Lt., A.C.D.
Recorder

1 Incl:
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x-201-Chapman, John W. (O)
(23 June 45) 2nd Ind. EHS/FRH/mv
HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION, OFFICE OF THE Chief COMMISSIONER, APO 394, U. S. Army, 23 June 1945.

TO: Commanding Officer, 2679th Regiment, Allied Commission (Ovhd), APO 394, U. S. Army.

Approved.

/s/ Ellery W. Stone
ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

1 Incl:
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x-201-Chapman, John W. (O)
(23 June 45) 3rd Ind. CWB/FRH/mv
HEADQUARTERS, 2679th REGIMENT, ALLIED COMMISSION (OVHD), APO 394, U. S. Army, 23 June 1945.

TO: Commanding Officer, Headquarters Command, Allied Force, APO 512, U. S. Army.

Approved.

J. M. PARKIN
Colonel, Infantry
Commanding

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SUMMARY AWARDS INSTITUTED BY AC/AMS

AWARDS MADE

		Headquarters	Field
Legion of Merit:			
	Officers	2 +1 (B)	4
	EM	1	—
Silver Star:			
	Officers	—	1
	EM	—	1
Soldiers Medal:			
	Officers	1	1
	EM	—	1
Bronze Star:	Officers	5	17
	EM	—	9
Total Officers		8 +1	23
Total EM		1	11

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AWARDS RECOMMENDED, APPROVED BY CG & FORWARDED

		Headquarters	Field
		(B)	(D)
D.S.M.:	Officers	1	–
	EM	–	–
Legion of Merit:	Officers	5 + 8	3 + 3
	EM	2	–
Soldiers Medal:	Officers	–	–
	EM	1	–
Bronze Star	Officers	1	–
	EM	–	–
	Total Officers	7 + 8	3 + 3
	Total EM	3	–

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AWARDS RECOMMENDED NOT YET APPROVED BY CG

		Headquarters	Field
		B	
BSM :			
	Officers	-	1
	EM	-	-
Legion of Merit:			
	Officers	4 +3	5
	EM	5	3
AM :			
	Officers	2	5
	EM	-	2
Totals	Officers	6 +3	11
	EM	5	5

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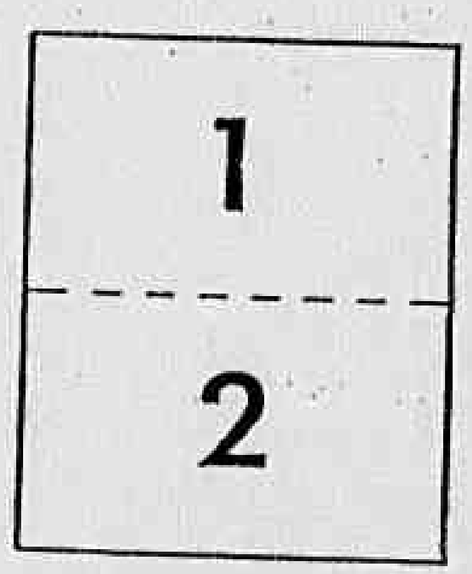

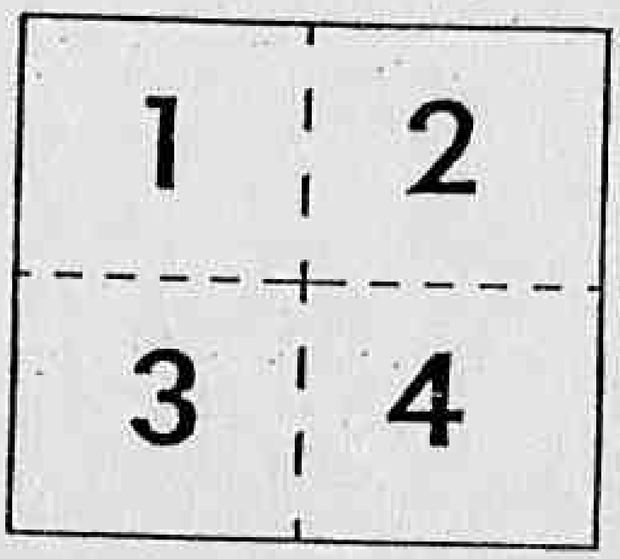

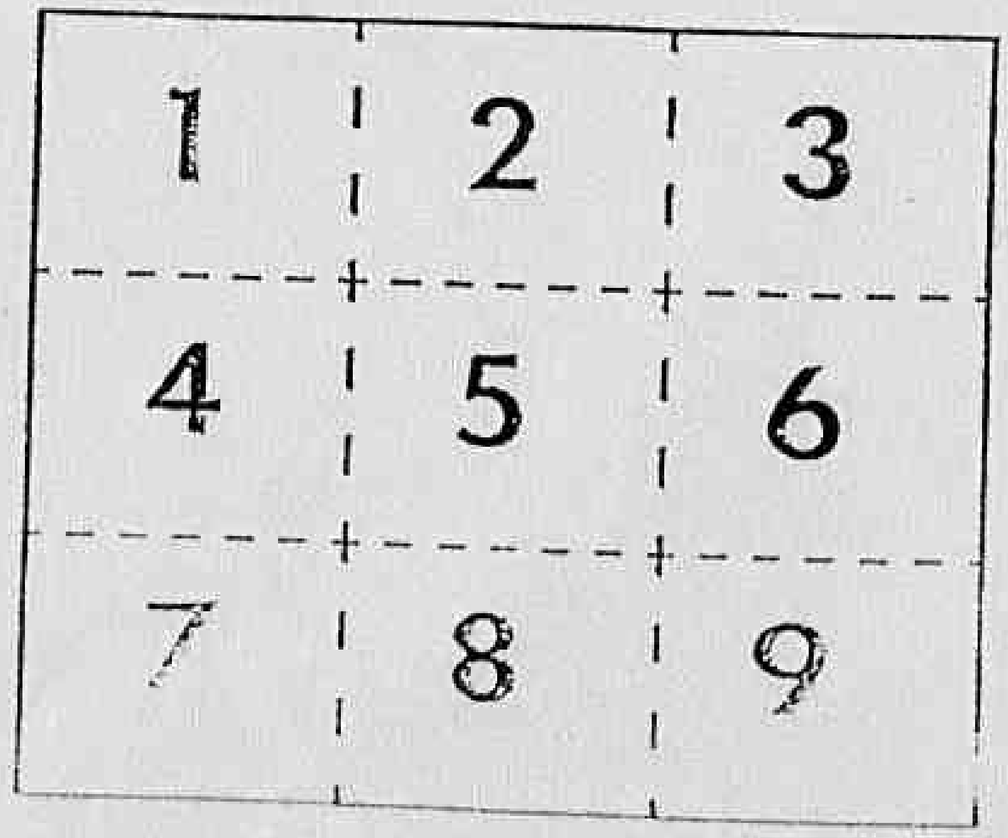

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LEGEND:

SSt - Silver Star
LM - Legion of Merit
BSM - Bronze Star Medal
SM - Soldier's Medal
DSM - Distinguished Service Medal
OPH - Order of Purple Heart

RECORD OF AWARDS RECOMMENDED

AWARDS MADE

	Name (American)	Assignment	Award	Date Recommended	Approved by WD
Col	Barinnoci	AMG 8 Army	BSM	19 Sept 44 Medal 9 April 45	Approved
Col	Fiske	Exec Comm, Hq.	2 BSM & Cluster	Cluster 15 May 45	Approved
Col	Hensley	Southern Region	OPH	10 October 44	Approved
Col	Menapace	AMG 5 Army	LM	19 Feb 45	Approved
Col	Perkin	Hq., Comdr 2675 Regt	SM	21 Aug 43	Approved
Col	Wilmer	Legal, Hq.	LM	23 Mar 45	Approved
Lt Col	Michie	AMG 5 Army	LM	19 Feb 45	Approved
Lt Col	Sutherland	AMG 5 Army	Croix de Guerre - France	28 Mar 45	Approved
Lt Col	Wrey	AMG 5 Army	BSM	20 June 44	Approved
Lt Col	Walker	AMG 5 Army	BSM	14 Oct 44	Approved
Lt Col	Lane	Umbria-Marche Region	LM	11 Aug 44	Approved
Maj	Boelscher	Venezia Region	SM	19 March 1945	Approved
Maj	Ashworth	Trfd to Civ Aff., U.K.	BSM	4 Dec 44	Approved
Maj	C.A.Long	T/D Hq. M.R.S.	BSM	14 Oct 44	Approved
Maj	Malatesta	T/D G-5 Div. AFHQ	OPH	19 Feb 45	Approved
Maj	Nolen	Hq., Food	OPH	3 Dec 1943	Approved
Maj	D. Long	AMG 5 Army	BSM	12 May 44	Approved
Maj	J. M. Walker	AMG 5 Army	BSM	3 Oct 44	Approved
Maj	Gaither	AMG 5 Army	BSM	15 Dec 44	Approved
Maj	Wray	AMG 5 Army	BSM	20 June 44	Approved
Maj	Holmgreen	AMG 5 Army	LM	22 Sept 44	Approved

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RECORD OF AWARDS RECOMMENDED BY AC

AWARDS MADE

Approved by WD	Name (British)	Assignment	Award	Date Recommended	Approved by WD
Approved	Col Temperly	Retd to U.K.	LM	25 Nov 44	
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Col	Parkin	[illegible]			
Col	Wilmer	Legal, Hq.	Leg	23 Mar 45	Approved
Lt Col	Michie	AAG 5 Army	Leg	19 Feb 45	Approved
Lt Col	Sutherland	AAG 5 Army	Croix de Guerre - France	28 Mar 45	Approved
Lt Col	Wray	AAG 5 Army	Bel	20 June 44	Approved
Lt Col	Walker	AAG 5 Army	Bel	14 Oct 44	Approved
Lt Col	Lane	Umbria-Marche Region	Leg	11 Aug 44	Approved
Maj	Boelscher	Venezia Region	Sal	19 March 1945	Approved
Maj	Ashworth	Trfd to Civ Aff., U.K.	Bel	4 Dec 44	Approved
Maj	C.M.Long	T/D Hq. M.R.S.	Bel	14 Oct 44	Approved
Maj	Malatesta	T/D G-5 Div. AFHQ	OPH	19 Feb 45	Approved
Maj	Nolen	Hq., Food	OPH	3 Dec 1943	Approved
Maj	D. Long	AAG 5 Army	Bel	12 May 44	Approved
Maj	J. M. Walker	AAG 5 Army	Bel	3 Oct 44	Approved
Maj	Gaither	AAG 5 Army	Bel	15 Dec 44	Approved
Maj	Wray	AAG 5 Army	Bel	20 June 44	Approved
Maj	Holmgreen	AAG 5 Army	Leg	22 Sept 44	Approved
Maj	Steele	AAG 8 Army	Bel	19 Sept 44	Approved
Maj	Mavis	AAG 8 Army	Bel	19 Sept 44	Approved
Maj	Grizzard	AAG 8 Army	Bel	19 Sept 44	Approved
Maj	Woodward	Toscana Region	OPH	21 Sept 44	Approved
Maj	Wray	AAG 5 Army	Order of the British Empire	12 Sept 44	Approved
Maj	Smith, G.A.	Hq.	Bel	10 May 44	Approved
Capt	Goldsmith	G-5 AFHQ	Bel	31 Jan 45	Approved
Capt	DeAnglis	AAG 5 Army	Bel	23 March 45	Approved
Capt	Deitz	Emilia Region	Order St. Agatha - Italian	27 Apr 45	Approved
Capt	Kay	AAG 5 Army	Bel	30 Oct 44	Approved
Capt	Waugh	2678 C.A. Regt	Croix de Guerre w/ Br. Star	28 Dec 44	Approved
Capt	Murry Richards	AAG 5 Army	Bel	28 Dec 44	Approved

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Name (American)	Assignment	Award	Date Recommended	Approved by HQ
Capt Torcellini	AMG 8 Army	BSM	19 Sept 44	Approved
1st Lt Goldstein	Hq., Adj. 2675 Regt	OPH	21 Apr 44	Approved
1st Lt Major	AMG 5 Army	BSM - SSt	SSt - 12 May 45 BSM - 6 Nov 44	Approved
1st Lt Leese	AMG 8 Army	BSM	19 Sept 44	Approved
1st Lt Bernard	Hq. G of Actg Ch Comm	BSM	19 Sept 44	Approved
CWO Ellenbaat	Hq. G-4	LM	5 Feb 44	Approved
T/Sgt Giordina	Hq. Industry S/C	British Empire Medal	7 May 45	Approved
T/Sgt Hooker	Hq. 2675 Regt	LM	12 May 44	Approved
S/Sgt Shirk	Hq. 2675 Regt	OPH	17 Mar 43	Approved
Cpl Lodi	AMG 5 Army	SSt	12 May 45	Approved
Cpl Matteoi	AMG 5 Army	BSM	12 May 44	Approved
T/5 Bernholz	AMG 5 Army	BSM	26 May 44	Approved
T/5 Flahive	AMG 5 Army	BSM	6 Nov 44	Approved
T/5 Girolami	AMG 5 Army	BSM	6 Nov 44	Approved
T/5 Scavetta	AMG 5 Army	BSM	5 July 44	Approved
T/5 Tallerico	AMG 5 Army	OPH	10 Jan 44	Approved
Pfc Alberti	AMG 5 Army	BSM	14 Oct 44	Approved
Pfc Hillegas	AMG 5 Army	BSM	14 Oct 44	Approved
Pfc Jaeger	AMG 5 Army	BSM	6 Nov 44	Approved
Pfc De Leo	Hq. D.P. & Repat.S/C	BSM	17 Apr 45	Approved
Pvt Canziano	Sicilia Region	SM	25 Jan 44	Approved

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T/Sgt	Rooker	Hq. 2675 Regt	LM	12 May 44	Approved
S/Sgt	Shirk	Hq. 2675 Regt	OPH	17 May 43	Approved
Cpl	Lodi	AMG 5 Army	SSt	12 May 45	Approved
Cpl	Mattoi	AMG 5 Army	BSM	12 May 44	Approved
T/5	Bernholz	AMG 5 Army	BSM	26 May 44	Approved
T/5	Plahive	AMG 5 Army	BSM	6 Nov 44	Approved
T/5	Girolami	AMG 5 Army	BSM	6 Nov 44	Approved
T/5	Scevotta	AMG 5 Army	BSM	5 July 44	Approved
T/5	Tallerico	AMG 5 Army	OPH	10 Jan 44	Approved
Pfc	Alberti	AMG 5 Army	BSM	14 Oct 44	Approved
Pfc	Hillegas	AMG 5 Army	BSM	14 Oct 44	Approved
Pfc	Jaeger	AMG 5 Army	BSM	6 Nov 44	Approved
Pfc	De Leo	Hq. D.P. & Repat.S/C	BSM	17 Apr 45	Approved
Pvt	Canziano	Sicilia Region	SM	25 Jan 44	Approved

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Brig Gen McKinley	Recon Sec. Hq.	LM	28 May 45	
Col Albright	2678 C.A. Regt Hq	LM	12 May 45	
Col Densmore	Recon Sec. Hq.	LM	12 May 45	
Col Ficke	Estab Sec. Hq.	DSM	29 May 45	
Col Hensley	Toscana Reg.	LM	16 May 45	
Col Poletti	Lombardia Reg.	LM	14 May 45	
Lt Col Hartman	Trfd to U.S.	LM	16 May 45	
Lt Col Richmore	Toscana Reg.	LM	18 May 45	
Capt Montant	Exec Comm. Hq.	LM	22 May 45	

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Brig	Carr	Liguria	LM
Brig	Crafftey-Smith	Hq. Finance	LM
Brig	Lush	Hq. Ex.Comm.	LM
Brig	Parkinson	Hq. P.Health	LM
Brig	Upjohn	Hq. Civ.Aff.	LM
Air Comdre	Benson	AMG 8 Army	LM
Col	Findlay	Hq. Dis Pers.	LM
Col	Hancock	Lombardia	LM
Col	Legg	Hq. Food	LM

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Name (American)		Assignment	Award	Date Recommended	Approved by ID
1st Lt	Petrillo	Hq., 2A to Col Fiske	BSM	22 May 45	
S/Sgt	Poletti	Hq.	LM	28 May 45	
T/4	Coley	Hq. (Att. fr 849 Sig Sv)	BSM	25 May 45	
T/4	Pantogrossi	Hq	LM	24 May 45	

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Col	Kirkwood	Toscana	DSM	
Col	Weber	Toscana	LM	
Lt Col	Babcock	Hq. Labor	LM	
Lt Col	Rorimer	Lombardia	LM	
Lt Col	Uhler	Trfd to U.S.	LM	
Major	Ballew	2600th Spec Det	BSM	
Major	R. Hill	Lombardia	BSM	
Major	R. Levitt	Venezia	LM	
Major	Malatesta	Piemonte	BSM	
Major	Savin	Toscana	BSM	
Major	Timmons	Hq. Finance	LM	
Capt	Brownlee	Toscana	BSM	
Capt	Noe	Piemonte	LM	
1st Lt	Hartt	Toscana	LM	
1st Lt	Nevens, Jr.	Piemonte	BSM	

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Approved by SD	Name (British)		Assignment	Award	Date Recommended	Approved by WD
	Lt Col	Aitken	Unknown	LM		
	Lt Col	Lapper	Hq. P.W.&I.	LM		

Not Yet Forwarded (Not yet approved by the Chief Commissioner)

Col	J.L.Jones	Hq.Exec O (Br)	LM	
Col	Henderson	was Commanic S/C now in U.K.	LM	
Capt	Bissell	Hq (now in U.K.)	LM	

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Col	Kirkwood	Toscana	DSM
Col	Weber	Toscana	LM
Lt Col	Babcock	Hq. Labor	LM
Lt Col	Mortimer	Lombardia	LM
Lt Col	Uhler	Trfd to U.S.	LM
Major	Ballew	260Oth Spec Det	BSM
Major	R. Hill	Lombardia	BSM
Major	R. Levitt	Venezia	LM
Major	Malatesta	Piemonte	BSM
Major	Sevin	Toscana	BSM
Major	Timmons	Hq. Finance	LM
Capt	Brownlee	Toscana	BSM
Capt	Noe	Piemonte	LM
1st Lt	Hartt	Toscana	LM
1st Lt	Nevens, Jr.	Piemonte	BSM
2nd Lt	Tito	2600 Spec Det	BSM
CWO	Piombino	Hq.	LM
M/Sgt	Costella	Hq.	LM
1st Sgt	Reid	Hq. Finance	LM
T/Sgt	Picciotti	AMG 5th Army	BSM
S/Sgt	Angelini	Hq.	LM
S/Sgt	Davini	Toscana	BSM
S/Sgt	Journalist	Hq.	LM
Sgt	Piper	Ital Govt Terr	LM
Tec 4	Rocale	Trfd to U. S.	LM
Tec 5	Apicella	Venezia	LM

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Col	J.L.Jones	Hq.Exec O (Br)	LM
Col	Henderson	was Communic S/C now in U.K.	LM
Capt	Bissell	Hq (now in U.K.)	LM

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Name (American)	Assignment	Award	Date Recommended	Approved by HQ
Pfc Orsoni	Venezia Region	LM		
				CITATION IN CHIEF
T/Sgt Moses	Itel Govt Terr			
S/Sgt Marcuzzo	AMG IV Corps			
Cpl Greco	Itel Govt Terr			
Pfc Ornati	Venezia Region			

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Approved by WD	Name (British)	Assignment	Award	Date Recommended	Approved by WD

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	Pfc Ornati	Venezia Region

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Office of the Chief Commissioner
APO 394

CC 511

8 August 1945.

Subject: Acceptance of Italian Decorations.

To: See Distribution.

1. Commanding General MTOUSA has approved certain modifications of policy which now permit American personnel of AC/AMG to accept Italian Government decorations provided they are previously cleared by Headquarters, MTOUSA.

2. All requests for acceptance of Italian decorations by American personnel will be submitted to the office of the Chief Commissioner for his action before forwarding to MTOUSA, or, in the case of Naval personnel, to COMNAVNAW. The Italian Government has been so notified.

3. Because the status of the relationship between the British and Italian Governments differs from that which exists between the U. S. and Italian Governments, British personnel, for the present, are not permitted to accept Italian decorations.

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

DISTRIBUTION:
All Regional Commissioners (5)
SCAC, Venezia Giulia
Executive Commissioner
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Establishment Sec (8)

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Air Forces Sub-Com
War Material Disposal & IPOW Sub-Com
Communications Sub-Com
Public Relations Branch

Col Peckham (1)
A-1 (A) (1)
2675 Regt (2)
File (1)

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION
APO 394

6 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Awards & Decorations.

TO : Director, Public Relations Branch, Allied Commission.

1. The following is the present status on various recommendations for awards and decorations, previously submitted to higher headquarters, of Allied Commission personnel, and it is forwarded for your information.

2. The recommendations for the Award of the Legion of Merit to Colonel Charles Poletti and Colonel Lester J. Hensely, were approved by MTOUSA on 28 July 1945. However, presentation of these awards will be suspended pending reassignment of the intended recipients.

3. Recommendation for the Award of the Legion of Merit for Commander John J. Lawler, USCGR, was forwarded by MTOUSA to the Commander, United States Naval Forces, Northwest African Waters, for his comments and recommendation.

4. Pursuant to General Orders 148, MTOUSA, dated 30 July 1945, the Legion of Merit was awarded to Colonel Dickens S. Adams. The War Department has been requested by MTOUSA to arrange the presentation.

C.M. PARKIN,
Colonel, Infantry,
Actg Vice President.

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MEMORANDUM:

TO : C.S.O. to Chief Commissioner

I contacted Lt. Falvo of G-5, AFHQ, on General McKinley's Legion of Merit recommendation, and the reply which he got from the Awards and Decorations Section, MTOUSA, was to the following effect:

a. General McKinley's award was not favorably considered at the time, since it was considered that the period of service involved was too brief to justify the award (a little over three months) -- hence the direction that the recommendation be resubmitted later.

b. This is the only recommendation which has been returned without action in this manner -- either from A.C. or any other unit.

c. In reply to my question as to whether A.C. should continue to submit recommendations, the answer was "yes, keep right on". (a and b bear this out also)

d. Lt. Falvo stated that he had been informed unofficially, that General McKinley's recommendation was dealt with in this manner because of reluctance flatly to disapprove such a recommendation in the case of a general officer.

C.M.P.

C. M. PARKIN,
Colonel, Inf.,
Actg Vice President

Establishment Section
25 July 1945

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File Date 11 July

FROM TO

Deputy Ex. Commissioner
Staff Officer
Executive Officer (A)
Executive Officer (B)
G-1 (A)
G-1 (B)
G-4 (A)
G-4 (B)
Headquarters Commandant
Adjutant, 2675 to Lt [illegible]

FOR:
Comment
Draft of reply
Investigation and report
Answer
Signature
Approval/Disapproval
Your Information
Your File
Return, please

Has a recommendation been put in on this officer?

No!

F. R. WERMUTH
CWO, USA
Asst Adjutant

TRENTO PROVINCE
VENEZIE REGION
Allied Military Government
A O 394.

5th July 45.

TO : Col. Norman E. FisKe
Acting Executive Commissioner,
HQ Allied Commission, APO 394.

SUBJECT: Recommendation for appropriate Award.

Pursuant to our recent conversation in Padova I am calling to your attention the possibility of obtaining favourable consideration for an appropriate American Decoration for Colonel James Geoffrey Selby, M.C., 5603, (British).

Col. Selby served as SCAO, 5 Corps, AMG, 8th Army, from Feb. 1944 until June 1944. From June 1944 until September of that year the forces on the Adriatic side were detached from 8th Army and operated as a separate unit. During this latter period Col. Selby served as CO of AMG with this separate force in charge of all civilian affairs in the area. This campaign saw some of the most severe fighting and destruction of the war and resulted in the capture and administration of the important towns of Chieti, Pescara, the port of Ancona and Pesaro.

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I have taken the liberty of writing the above letter for the reason that I served as the senior American AMG officer attadhed to that unit. From time to time I have been requested by practically all the American officers serving under Col. Selby to call the above matter to the attention of the proper authority with a view to obtaining favourable consideration for a proper recognition from the US Army. Col. Selby is now serving as Executive Officer, Piemonte Region.

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F.O. Mavis.

F.O. MAVIS, Maj.,
Provincial Commissioner,
Trento Province.

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DECORATIONS AND AWARDS BOARD

ALLIED COMMISSION

11 July 1945.

MINUTES

OF THE

DECORATIONS AND AWARDS BOARD

1. The Decorations and Awards Board of the Allied Commission was called to order by Colonel Parkin at 1500 hrs. 10 July 1945. The following members were present:

Col	CHARLES M. PARKIN	Inf	05206
Lt Col	LESLIE S. MOORE	AGD	0211697
Lt Col	HOBART A. HARTIGO	Spec Ser	0272819
1st Lt	NICHOLAS P. THEODORE	AGD	01001062

2. The following were recommended for approval:

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL

Major	FORMY R. MUDSON	(A)	Spec Ser	0397586

LEGION OF MERIT

Col	ALFRED C. HOWMAN	(A)	JAGD	0320343
Capt	ARTHUR H. McPHAIL	(A)	CHP	01926536
Pfc	Bernard Korkheimer	(A)		36655439

BRONZE STAR

Col	O.T. JOHNSON	(B)	Indian Army R. of O.	18557
Major	JOSEPH L. RUSSI	(A)	AC	01696304

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Tec 4	Robert L. Principiano (A(		19186616

3. The Board took under discussion the recommendations of the following named officers, submitted previously to Headquarters Command Allied Force, 15th Army Group and Headquarters Allied Armies in Italy, on which the Commanding Officer 2675th Regiment had not been advised of any definite action taken to approve or disapprove these recommendations.

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Brig Gen EDGAR T. BUNN (A) GSC, 0h033 - 1st ind to 15th Army Group dated 28 October 1944.

Col LOUIS A. JERRY (A) CE, 0245627 - 1st ind to 15th Army Group dated 30 October 1944.

Col DICKENS S. ADAMS (A) CE, 0131665 - 5th ind to Headquarters Command AF dated 16 May 1945.

Col WILSON W. MONTGOMERY (A) AUS, 0501537 - 1st ind to 15th Army Group dated 2 May 1945.

Col JOHN P. WILLIAMS (A) Inf, 07056 - 1st ind to Headquarters AAI dated 27 October 1944.

Comdr JOHN J. LANIER (A) USCGR - by minutes #2 inter-Office Memo to Headquarters Command Allied Forces dated 29 May 1945.

On the above recommendations, tracers are being sent by the Commanding Officer 2675th Regiment to those headquarters, to which the recommendations have previously been forwarded, requesting reply as to the action taken up to the present time.

4. No further business was at hand and the meeting adjourned at 1535 hrs, and would reconvene at the call of the President.

R. P. THEODORE,
1st Lt, AGD,
Assistant Recorder.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Establishment Section

LTM/mrd
10 July 1945

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Memorandum:

To : CSO to Chief Commissioner

1. The recommendations for American awards for personnel of Allied Commission, after being signed by the Chief Commissioner, are indorsed by 2675th Regt., forwarded to Hq. Command, AF, by which, in turn, they are indorsed onward to MTOUSA.

2. At MTOUSA, the awards go before a special board, which considers all recommendations from all units in the theater. The board either approves, recommends an award of lesser degree, or disapproves each recommendation. To date, due to the large number of recommendations, no response has been received on any Allied Commission awards.

L. T. MONTANT
Capt., AGD
Staff Officer

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Colonel Norman E. Fiske,
HQ, Allied Commission.

10 July 1945.

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Dear Mavis:

Thank you for your letter of 30th June, regarding a recommendation for an American decoration for Air Commodore Benson.

I found, upon returning to Rome, that such a recommendation had already been submitted, so we may take it that the matter is in hand.

Yours,

/s/ Norman E. Fiske

Major F.O. Mavis,
Provincial Commissioner,
Trento Province, AMG.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File

Date 9 July

FROM

TO

Col. Fisk ←

~~Deputy Ex Commissioner~~

→ Staff Officer

Executive Officer (A)

Executive Officer (B)

G-1 (A)

G-1 (B)

G-4 (A)

G-4 (B)

Headquarters Commandant

Adjutant

FOR: Recommendation for
Comment region of merit for
Draft of reply
Investigation and report A/C Benson
Answer
Signature went forward
Approval/Disapproval
Your Information 14 May 1945.
Your File
Return, please

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7/7. I concur but has not a recommendation already gone in on Benson. ?

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TRENTO PROVINCE
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Allied Military Government
APO 394

Jim

SUBJECT : Recommendation for Appropriate Award. 30 Jun 45.

REF : RXII/TREN/EC/1D.

TO : Col Norman E. Fiske,
Acting Executive Commissioner,
HQ Allied Commission,
APO 394.

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Pursuant to our recent conversation in Padova I am calling to your attention the possibility of obtaining favourable consideration for an appropriate American Decoration for Air Commodore C.E. BENSON, SCAC, AMG, 8th Army.

I take the liberty to write this letter for the reason that I served as one of the Senior American Officers with AMG, 8th Army, in Sicily and throughout nearly all of the Italian campaign and I believe I bespeak the sentiments of every American officer who served under the command of the Air Commodore.

The American officers serving with the 8th Army were more or less an isolated unit, not having access to U.S. Army facilities, supplies or equipment; customs of the service and methods of operation were, naturally, new and different. Their assignments, as spearhead officers, constantly took them into the most difficult and disorganised areas, all of which presented unusual problems of leadership to any officer who might be in command of such a unit and under such circumstances.

Yet, in spite of such difficulties, Air Commodore BENSON through his outstanding ability as an organiser, as an administrator and as a leader of men, won the complete respect of every American officer who ever served under him. His constant sympathetic and impartial understanding of the many and diverse problems of his men and his efforts in their behalf contributed essentially to the splendid "esprit de corps" for which AMG 8th Army was known and to the outstanding accomplishments of that organisation in the field of Military Government in behalf of the Allied cause.

I assure you that on numerous occasions many of the American officers who served with AMG 8th Army have expressed to me the feeling outlined above and that they only hoped our Government would extend some token of appreciation for the work this officer did in behalf of the Allied cause.

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ALLIED COMMISSION
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION
APO 394

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10 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Award to Allied Commission personnel of Bronze Service Stars.

TO : Chief Staff officer to Chief Commissioner.

1. The following Bronze Service Stars have been awarded to personnel of the 2675th Regiment, (Ovhd), Allied Commission:

	Campaign	Dates	Received by
a.	Sicilian	9 Jul 43 - 17 Aug 43	AMGOT 15th Army Group
b.	Naples-Foggia	9 Sep 43 - 21 Jan 44	Hq Co & Co's B, C, D, E, G, H, I.
c.	Rome-Arno	22 Jan 44 - 9 Sep 44	Hq Co & Co's B, C, D, E, G, H, I, K, L, M, N.
d.	North Appenines	10 Sep 44 - 4 Apr 45	Company G

2. It will be noted that although the awards are actually made to the 2675th Regiment as a whole, with the exception of 1d above, only personnel who served with the units listed at the time, are eligible to receive the awards. Personnel of companies A and F, for example (Sicily and Sardinia) did not receive the awards listed in 1b and 1c.

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L.T. MONTANT, Jr.,
Captain, AGD,
Staff officer.

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S-1, 2675th Regiment
Allied Commission

10 July 1945

SUBJECT: Brony Sarcia Stas.

TO : Capt. Newton

Here is the list you requested.

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HOWARD E. LEE
Capt Inf
Adjutant

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The 15th Army Group was awarded the Sicilian Bronze Service Star under which the 2675th Regt received this award, for the dates 9 Jul 43 to 17 Aug 43. 2675th Regt was awarded the Naples Foggia star (9 Sep 43 - 21 Jan 44) and Rome-Arno (22 Jan 44 - 9 Sep 44). The authority for these awards is: Ltr, file: AG 200.6/040 P-O, Subject: Battle Participation Awards, Hq MTOUSA, 10 November 1944.

Company G, 2675th Regt, Allied Commission was awarded the Bronze Service Star for the North Appennines Campaign (10 Sep 44 - 4 April 45) per Letter, file: AG 200. 6/040 P-O, subj: Battle Participation Awards, Hq MTOUSA, 26 May 1945.

These are the only bronze service stars that were awarded to the 2675th Regt, by MTOUSA.

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10 July 1945.

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Chief Staff Officer to Chief Commissioner.

The Chief Commissioner, according to the schedule of assignments listed herewith, is suitable to two campaign stars: one for the "Naples-Foggia Campaign", 9 September 1943 - 21 January 1944; and one for the "Rome-Arno Campaign", 22 January 1944 - 15 August 1944.

Eligibility for other stars, for temporary duty in the forward areas, is set by MTOUSA on a basis of the individual having spent 50% of his time, during the period for which the campaign star is claimed, with a unit to which the claimed star has been awarded.

L.T. MONTANT, Jr.,
Captain, AGD,
Staff Officer.

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Col Leslie
Dep Ex Comm

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ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

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6 July 1945

Adj: 200.6

SUBJECT: Board of Officers

TO : See Distribution

1. Letter, this headquarters, file and subject as above, dated 2 July 1945, pertaining to a board of officers to review recommendations for Decorations and Awards for personnel of this command, is revoked.

2. Lt Col LESLIE S. MOORE, 0216697 AGD (A), is appointed a Member of the Board of Officers to review recommendations for Decorations and Awards for personnel of this command, vice Col CHARLES W. WALTON, 06715 AC (A), relieved.

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE:

NICHOLAS PIOMBINO
C W O, USA
Asst Adjutant

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ALLIED COMMISSION
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2 July 1945

Adj: 200.6

SUBJECT: Board of Officers

TO : See Distribution

So much of Letter, this Headquarters, file and subject as above, dated 23 May 1945, appointing a board of officers to review recommendations for Decorations and Awards for personnel of this command, as reads: "Col CHARLES W. WALTON, 06715 AC (A) Member" is rescinded and the following substituted therefor: " Lt Col LESLIE S. MOORE, 0216697 AGD (A) Member."

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE:

NICHOLAS PIOMBINO
CWO, USA
Asst Adjutant

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DECORATIONS AND AWARDS BOARD
ALLIED COMMISSION

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2 July 1945

MINUTES
OF THE
DECORATIONS AND AWARDS BOARD

1. The Decorations and Awards Board of the Allied Commission was called to order by Colonel Parkin at 1500 hrs. 30 June 1945. The following members were present,

Col	CHARLES M. PARKIN	Inf	05806
Col	JOHN W. CHAPMAN	JAGD	0234184
Lt Col	LESLIE S. MOORE	AGD	0216697
1st Lt	NICHOLAS P. THEODORE	AGD	01301562

2. The following were recommended for approval:

LEGION OF MERIT

Col	THOMAS H. PAGE	(A) MC	018390
Col	ROBERT P. MARSHALL	(A) Engr	0130555
Col	J. L. JONES	(B) Fwr Corps	111094
Lt Col	ERNEST T. DONALD	(A) Spec Ser	0527698
Lt Col	HARRY O. [illegible]	(A) GSC	018098
Lt Col	RAYMOND FERRY	(A) Spec Ser	0520679
Lt Col	JOSEPH D. [illegible]	(A) Spec Ser	0521012
Lt Col	T. W. J. [illegible]	(B) Gen List	279398
Lt Col	GUY I. RAINES	(A) Spec Ser	0122747
Major	JAMES W. CUNLIFFE	(A) AGD	0307278
Major	HAROLD V. REILLY	(A) Spec Ser	0524479
Capt	SAMUEL V. MOE	(A) Spec Ser	0521655
Capt	WILLIS E. PRATT	(A) Spec Ser	0521390

Tec 4	John F. Falkland	(A)	31131972
Tec 4	Armando Di Vincenzo	(A)	31119089
Tec 4	Lawrence F. Shenfield	(A)	11091904
Pfc	Frederick F. Crespo	(A)	19086051

BRONZE STAR

Major	DUANE D. FREESE	(A) Inf	0329509
Capt	STANLEY D. [illegible]	(A) Spec Ser	0525612
Capt	ANTHONY [illegible]	(A) Spec Ser	0518411

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BRONZE STAR (Cont'd)

Capt	EMANUEL M. SMITH	(A)	Spec Res	0518006
1st Lt	EDWARD W. ROSE Jr.	(A)	CAP	01797169
1st Lt	MARIO C. NAVARINO	(A)	CAP	01586826
S/Sgt	Cosmo Spinosa	(A)		31206370
Cpl	Albert L. Levesque	(A)		37269636
Tec 5	Guy V. D'Alec	(A)		32859637
Tec 5	Emanuel DiMatteo	(A)		13031114
Tec 5	Anthony Selvaggio	(A)		33422115
Pfc	Gaetano F. Avveduto	(A)		32794835
Pfc	John L. Miller	(A)		39911933

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1st Lt	JOHN P. SIMONT	(A)	CAP	01798303
Pfc	Daniel E. Hacker	(A)		32978354

3. No further business was at hand and the meeting adjourned at 1640 hrs. and would reconvene at the call of the President.

N. P. THEODORE
1st Lt., AGD.
Assistant Recorder

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

Adj: 200.6

19 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Board of Officers

TO : See Distribution

Letter, this headquarters, file and subject as above, dated 23 May 1945, appointing a board of officers to review recommendations for Decorations and Awards for personnel of this command, is hereby amended to add the following named officer:

Lt Col ROBERT A. MARTINO 0272815 Sp Res (A) Member

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE:

NICHOLAS PIOMBINO,
CWO, USA,
Asst Adjutant.

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Col Fiske
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DECORATIONS AND AWARDS BOARD
ALLIED COMMISSION

MINUTES OF

DECORATIONS AND AWARDS BOARD

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1. The Decorations and Awards Board of the Allied Commission, appointed per Ltr. Hq Allied Commission, Subject: Board of Officers, File Adj: 200.6, dated 23 May 1945 was called to order by Colonel Norman N. Fiske at 1500 hrs, 15 June 1945. The following members were present:

Col	NORMAN N. FISKE	04741	Cav
Col	CHARLES M. PAIKIN	05206	Inf
Col	CHARLES W. WALTON	06715	AC
Col	JOHN W. CHAPMAN	0204184	JAGD
Lt Col	ROBERT A. MARTINO	0272815	SR
1st Lt	NICHOLAS P. THEODORE	01001062	AGD

2. The following were recommended for approval:

LEGION OF MERIT

Col	CHAPMAN, JOHN W.	(A)
Col	CRAWSHAW, H. G.	(A)
Lt Col	MANNING, PAUL D.	(A)
Lt Col	FRICK, JAMES H.	(A)
Lt Col	WILLIAMS, WILSON C.	(A)
Maj	BRADBURY, HARRY B.	(A)
Maj	PALMIERI, EDMUND L.	(A)
Maj	ROSENBAUM, JOEL	(A)
Maj	WARREN, CLYDE A.	(A)
1st Lt	MEHR, LOUIS	(A)
S.S.M.	Angibault, R. H. L.	(B)
Cpl	Cimador, Virgil J.	(A)
S/Sgt	Padula, Louis J.	(A)
S/Sgt	Sorisi, Charles P.	(A)
S/Sgt	Stein, Eric (MI)	(A)
Sgt	Ferri, Guy (MI)	(A)
Tec 4	Luizza, Joseph	(A)
Tec 5	Cinburri, Gerald W.	(A)
Tec 5	Fusateri, Augustus J.	(A)
Pfc	DeMine, George S.	(A)

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BRONZE STAR

Maj	ANDREWS, JOHN G.	(A)
Capt	HILL, MILTON J.	(A)
1st Lt	FEHR, CARL E.	(A)

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M/Sgt	Picetti, Aldo L.	(A)
Tec 3	Gamberdella, Vincent	(A)
Tec 4	Clarvoe, William K.	(A)
Tec 4	Riccitelli, Dante (NMI)	(A)
Tec 4	Ruscetti, Marshall (NMI)	(A)
Tec 4	Vinco, Anthony M.	(A)
Pfc	Russi, Joseph (NMI)	(A)

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Lt Col Clarke, John W. (A)

3. The following recommendation for the Legion of Merit was disapproved:

Lt Col Washburne, Carleton W. (A)

4. The meeting was adjourned at 1740 hours.

W. P. THEODORE
1st Lt, AGD
Recorder

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Ref: 1/9.2/CA. 17 Jun 45

SUBJECT: Honours and Awards.

TO: Executive Commissioner.

1 I submit the necessary papers, as instructed by the VP, in respect of proposed awards to American Officers of this Section.

2 May these papers please be placed in front of the Chief Commissioner immediately so that, with his approval, they may be sent to the Commanding Officer, 2675th Regiment for the Decorations Board.

3 Thepapers enclosed are in respect of:

Colonel J.W. Chapman,
Lt. Col C.W. Washburne,
Major E.L. Palmieri.

4 Papers in respect of Lt. Col. E.T. De Wald will be sent forward tomorrow. Considerable difficulty has been experienced in getting the necessary particulars in his absence.

A.D. BONHAM-CARTER, Lt. Col.,
CSO Civil Affairs Section.

Copy to: Col. Perkin,
Commanding Officer, 2675th Regiment.

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18 June 1945

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Adjutant, 2675th Regiment

1. Colonel Finke wishes to submit Legion of Merit recommendations on:

Colonel Marshall
Colonel Page
Major Camliffe ← (I will draft + send up today.)
Colonel Warren
Colonel Scholtz

2. Request necessary action.

L.T. MONTANT JR,
Captain,
Establishment Section.

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HEADQUARTERS
2675TH REGIMENT
ALLIED COMMISSION (OVERHEAD)
APO 394

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File: 200.6

1 June 1945

SUBJECT: Battle Participation Awards for Italian Campaigns.

TO : All Concerned.

1. Interpretations shown in this letter will be used to determine the eligibility of all officer and enlisted personnel, 2675th Regiment, Allied Commission (Overhead), for the award of bronze service stars for the Italian campaigns. Application has been made by this Headquarters to the Commanding General, MTOUSA, to include this Regiment in the letter announcing such awards for the NORTH APPENNINES and PO VALLEY CAMPAIGNS. It is anticipated that this letter will be published by Hq MTOUSA in the very near future. Using the interpretations contained herein and upon receipt of such awarding letter, proper entries will be made in the records of all personnel entitled thereto. Necessary changes will also be made in the Adjusted Service Rating Cards by inserting to the left of the original entry, in the blank space at the left, the change, as now made, with the date of change and initials of the certifying officer. Any changes resulting in reductions or increases of Adjusted Service Rating Card scores will be reported on organization Morning Reports as outlined in main paragraph 4 of this letter. These interpretations are based on information received from higher headquarters and are to be used as the Final medium for determining proper awards.

2. Letter, file: AG 200.6/040-P, subject: "Battle Participation Awards (Italian Campaigns)", Hq MTOUSA, dated 9 May 1945, places the following limitations on the awards for campaigns in Italy:

a. NAPLES - FOGGIA CAMPAIGN - Time Limitations, 9 Sept 43 to 21 Jan 44.

Boundaries - Italian Mainland (not including Sicily or Sardinia) and Corsica and adjacent waters.

INTERPRETATION:

All personnel of this Regiment in any part of Italy or Corsica during the specified dates are entitled to this award.

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b. ROME - ARNO CAMPAIGN - Time limitations, 22 Jan 44 to 9 Sept 44.

Boundaries - Italian Mainland (not Sicily or Sardinia) and Corsica and adjacent waters.

INTERPRETATION:

(1) All personnel who were located in Italy and Corsica subsequent to 21 January 1944 (termination date of Naples - Foggia Campaign) and prior to 15 August 44, are entitled

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to the award for the Rome - Arno Campaign, providing such personnel were physically present for duty as outlined in (3) and (4) below.

(2) All personnel arriving in Italy subsequent to 15 August 1944, and prior to 10 September 1944, must have been physically present for duty on that portion of the Italian Mainland and adjacent waters North of 42 Degrees North Latitude, or on any part of Corsica, to be entitled to the award for the Rome - Arno Campaign. (North of 42 degrees North Latitude would be approximately any location North of Furbara on the Tyrrhenian Sea due East to Termoli on the ADRIATIC. Rome is SOUTH of this line.)

(3) Personnel ASSIGNED to the Companies actually located within the boundaries for which the award is made and who performed duty within those boundaries are entitled to the service star, regardless of the length of time such duty was performed. The location of the company within the boundaries, plus the fact that the Officers or Enlisted Men were assigned to the company, is the primary basis. Added to this, the fact that such personnel actually performed duty in the area, regardless of how short the time, establishes final basis for the award.

(4) Physically Present for Duty is defined as follows:

"The fact that an officer or enlisted man was assigned to a company whose headquarters was established North of 42 Degrees North Latitude is not basis for entitlement. These personnel may have been ASSIGNED to such company, but were performing duty south of the boundary line established. These personnel are therefore not entitled to the award. Likewise, an officer or enlisted man assigned to a company South of the boundary line and performing temporary duty in the specified area, or attached to a company located in the specified area, is not entitled to such award unless the temporary duty or attachment required the physical presence of the officer or enlisted man for more than 50% of the time (i.e. Between 21 January 44 and 15 August 44, fifteen (15) weeks or more on the Italian Mainland or in Corsica; between 15 August 44 and 9 September 44, fourteen (14) days or more on the Italian Mainland North of 42 degrees North Latitude, or anywhere in Corsica.)"

NOTE: Entries made on records awarding the Rome - Arno Service Stars to personnel who were not performing duty within the boundaries listed above prior to 9 September 44 will be deleted, since such personnel are not entitled thereto.

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c. NORTH APPENNINES CAMPAIGN - Time Limitations, 10 Sept 44 to 4 April 45. This campaign is divided into two (2) parts as indicated below for the purpose of determining eligibility. However, only ONE bronze service star is authorized for the campaign.

(1) From 10 September 1944 to 27 October 1944 inclusive.

Boundaries - To include that portion of the Italian Mainland North of the Line CECINA - SIENA - MONTE S. SAVINO - FABRIANO - ANCONA.

(2) From 28 October 1944 to 4 April 1945 inclusive. Boundaries - to include that part of the Italian Mainland North of the Line ARNO RIVER - PONTA S. SIEVE - SAN SEPOLCO - URBANIA - URBINO - PESARO.

INTERPRETATION:

(3) For personnel attached to, or on Temporary Duty with, the companies entitled thereto, entitlement to this award will be based on physical presence of the officer or enlisted man within the boundaries and during the time limitations as set forth in paragraphs c(1) and c(2) above for 50% or more of the time specified (i.e. twenty-five (25) or more days actually performing duty North of the line as stated in c(1) above; thirteen (13) or more weeks North of the Line as stated in c(2) above. For personnel ASSIGNED to the companies entitled thereto, see paragraph b(3) above.

(4) The following companies were located within the boundaries during the times specified:

Company "G" - Florence - 14 September 1944
Company "H" - Siena - 10 September 1944
Company "I" - Riccione - 2 December 1944
Company "T" - Pesaro - 2 October 1944

Mere attachment to, or Temporary Duty with, these companies does not entitle an officer or enlisted man to the award. The officers or enlisted men physically present in excess of the time limitations specified in c(3) above will be the determining factor. Certain personnel of Company "T" and the 2696th Technical Supervision Company, with Headquarters in Rome, will be entitled to this award by virtue of the fact that such personnel were physically performing duty for more than 50% of the time within the boundaries and during the time limitations as set forth in c(1) and c(2) above.

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d. PO VALLEY CAMPAIGN - Time Limitations, from 5 April 1945 to 8 May 1945.

Boundaries - That part of the Italian Mainland North of the line PIETRASANTA - SAN MARCELLO - IMOLA - CASTIGLIONE - RAVENNA.

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INTERPRETATION:

(1) For personnel attached to or on Temporary Duty with the companies entitled to this award, entitlement will be based on the physical presence as outlined in paragraph c(3) of the interpretation for the North Appennines Campaign (i.e. seventeen (17) days or more of physical presence of the officer or enlisted man in the area specified will entitle such personnel to this award.)

(2) The following companies were located within the boundaries during the times specified:

Company "G" - Modena - 1 May 1945
Company "I" - Bologna - 2 May 1945
Company "K" - Padova - 6 May 1945
Company "M" - Genoa - 1 May 1945
Company "O" - Poretta-Terme - 23 April 1945
Company "R" - Mantova - 29 April 1945
Company "S" - Parma - 5 May 1945

(3) Mere attachment to, or Temporary Duty with, these companies is not entitlement for the award to officers and enlisted men. Physical presence in the performance of duty, as defined in paragraph 2(b)(4) above, is mandatory for entitlement. Certain officer and enlisted personnel of Companies "H" and "T" and 2696th Technical Supervision Company, may be entitled to this award subject to physical presence and to requirements as specified above. For personnel ASSIGNED to the companies entitled thereto, see paragraph b(3) above.

3. ROSTERS OF OFFICERS - All officers qualified for either or both of the awards for the North Appennines and Po Valley Campaigns in accordance with instructions shown above will be reported on rosters indicating such entitlement. These rosters will be forwarded so as to reach this headquarters not later than 15 June 1945. Each individual case will be scrutinized so that improper awards will not be made, nor will an individual entitled to an award be denied such recognition through error on the part of personnel responsible for making determination.

4. ADJUSTED SERVICE RATING CARD AND MORNING REPORT CHANGES - All changes resulting in an increase or decrease of Adjusted Service Rating Card Scores will be shown on the Adjusted Service Rating Card in accordance with existing directives (see also paragraph 1) and will be reported on Organization Morning Reports in accordance with previous instructions. Sample Morning Report remarks follow:

a. When R-Day Roster information was not available, and has now been entered on Adjusted Service Rating Cards, viz:

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(R-Day Roster Correction)
Johns, John 32323232 T/Sgt
Information omitted
SHOULD BE
MOS-055 (1)--55 (2)-25, (3)-4 (5)-67 (6)-M (7)-None
(8)-Blank

b. When R-Day Rosters indicated higher or lower scores than the scores to which personnel are now entitled, viz:

(R-Day Roster Correction)
Smith, Frank (SN) 01010101 1st Lt
Combat credit (3)-10, total credits (5)- 60
SHOULD BE
Combat credit (3)-15, total credits (5)-65

NOTE: Figures in parentheses indicate the columns on the R-Day Rosters in which this information should appear.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL PARKIN:

HOWARD E LEE
Capt Inf
Adjutant

200.6
(1 Jun 45) 1st Ind. HEL/jtg
HEADQUARTERS, 2675TH REGIMENT, ALLIED COMMISSION, (OVHD), APO 394, U.S. Army,
2 June 1945.

TO: All Concerned.

1. In accordance with instructions received from Hq Comd, AF, this date, awards to personnel, excepting personnel of Co "C", will be made citing letter referred to in Par 2, basic letter, viz: "Atzd Bronze Service Star for (North Appennines) (Po Valley) Campaign per ltr, file: AG 200.6/0AC-P, Subj: "Battle Participation Awards (Italian Campaigns)", Hq MTOUSA, 9 May 1945."

2. For personnel of Co "C", viz: "Atzd Bronze Service Star for North Appenines Campaign per ltr, file: AG 200.6/0AO P-O, subj: "Battle Participation Awards", Hq MTOUSA, 26 May 1945." This authority will be used for the North Appenines Campaign ONLY. The letter cited in par 1 above will be used for awards for the Po Valley Campaign.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL PARKIN:

Howard E Lee

HOWARD E LEE
Capt Inf
Adjutant

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ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

Ref/157/EST

31 May 1945

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award

TO : Adjutant, 2675th Regiment

1. The Chief Commissioner has expressed a desire to recommend Colonel J. L. Henderson (B), late Director, Communications Sub-Commission, for the Legion of Merit.

2. Col. Scudder, the present Director of the Sub-Commission, should be in a position to supply the pertinent information relative to citation, etc.

3. Request necessary action, please.

C. M. PAWKIN,
Colonel, Infantry
Actg Vice President

cc: Flag Secretary to CC

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ALLIED COMMISSION
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28 May 1945

MEMORANDUM :

SUBJECT : Awards and Decorations.

TO : Chief Commissioner, Headquarters Allied Commission.

1. The following recommendations have been approved by the Decorations and Awards Board, Allied Commission and forwarded to higher headquarters 28 May 1945.

Col	CHARLES POLETTI	0923774	AUS (A)
Col	NORMAN E. FISKE	04741	Cav (A)
Col	LEONARD D. [illegible]	0181447	FA (A)
Lt Col	ROWLAND B. RUSHMORE	0380831	VC (A)
Brig	M. S. [illegible], CB, MC, CBE,	127082	RA (B)
Brig	M. CARR, CBE, MC,	9982	GS (B)
Brig	G. R. [illegible], FC,	99894	WO (B)
Brig	G. S. PARRINGTON, DSO,		RAMC (B)
Brig	A. P. CRAFTER-SMITH, OBE, TD	35929	Sharpshooters (B)
Col	A. M. HANCOCK, OBE	150912	Int Corps (B)
Col	C. B. FINDLAY, CBE, MC,	3854	RA (B)
Col	W. M. [illegible]	294812	Gen List (B)
Col	W. J. LEGG	115085	RASC (B)
Air Comdore	G. E. [illegible], DSO	90522	RAF (B)

2. Recommendations for Colonels JOHN J. ALBRIGHT (A) and LESTER J. HENSLEY (A) are in your office for signature.

3. Recommendations for Lt. Cols. ROMAYNE T. [illegible] (A) and D. B. AITKIN, (B), and Tec 4 Adolph A. Santogrossi (A) are being typed in final form. These recommendations were approved by Decorations and Awards Board.

4. Recommendations for Lt. Cols. WILLIAM A. HARTMAN (A) and JAMES O. BABCOCK (A) were approved by board this date.

5. Recommendations of of Col JUNIUS R. SMITH (A) and Captain ALFRED L. [illegible] were disapproved by the board this date.

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N. W. DRAGNICH,
Lt Col, AGD,
G-1 (American)

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28 May 1945

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MEMORANDUM:

TO : Chief Commissioner

1. Reference your memorandum of 25 May (attached), the following action has been taken to inform Regions, Sections and Sub-Commissions of the constitution of the Decorations and Awards Board, and of the necessity for immediate submission of recommendations for awards in all meritorious cases:

a. MTOUSA Letter AG 200.6/028 A-O, dated 12 May 1945, and MTOUSA Circular 73, which sets forth in detail each type of award, and the requirements therefor, dated 12 May 1945, were distributed to all companies of the Regiment immediately upon receipt.

b. With regard to Hq, A.C., appropriate notification has been made in the Daily Bulletin, and members of the Board are checking their respective Sections for deserving cases.

c. Signals (see attached copy) have been sent to all units of the Regiment directing that recommendations be submitted without delay.

d. The Awards Section of 2675th Regiment have already secured an extension of the deadline date on recommendations from Hq Command, Allied Force, and AFHQ.

2. Recommendations held in suspense have already been acted upon by the Decorations and Awards Board. These include the following officers:

American	British
Colonel POLETTI	Brigadier LUSH
Colonel DENSMORE	Brigadier UPJOHN
Colonel FISKE	Brigadier CARR

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American (Cont'd)

Lt. Col. RUSHMORE

British (Cont'd)

Brigadier PARKINSON
Brigadier GRAFFTEY-SMITH
Colonel LECO
Colonel LAPPER
Colonel FINDLAY
Colonel HANCOCK
Air Cdre. BENSON

In addition, a number of other recommendations have been received and acted on by the Board.

C. M. PARKIN,
Colonel, Infantry,
Actg Vice President

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INFORMAL ROUTING

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
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File: Date 25 May 1945

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SUBJECT: Circular #73 - Awards and Decorations

Fill in each column, initial action, and draw a line across the sheet just below initials. Number each memo consecutively in first column. Use entire width of sheet for long memos.

No.	From	To	Date	
1	N. W. D.	Colonel Parkin		1. Circular #73, Awards and Decorations, Headquarters, MTOUSA, dated 12 May 1945, and letter, Headquarters, MTOUSA, dated 12 May 1945, subject: Awards and Decorations, were distributed to all companies of this command. 2. This date a notice is being submitted for inclusion in the Allied Commission Daily Bulletin inviting attention of all regions, sections and sub-commissions to the above mentioned letter. In this notice, the personnel who were responsible for the institution of recommendations, will be directed to submit recommendations to the Awards and Decorations Board, Allied Commission, without delay. 3. Recommendations that are being held in suspense have been acted upon by the Awards and Decorations Board. These include Colonels Poletti, Densmore, Fiske and Lt. Col. Rushmore. Further also are previous recommendations for the Legion of Merit which are being resubmitted for the following named British Officers: Brigadiers Lush, Upjohn, Carr, Parkinson, Graffney-Smith and Colonels Legg, Lapper, Findlay, Hancock, and Benson. 4. For your information, all of the requirements and the list of awards are included in the MTOUSA Circular No. 73. 5. Also the attached form has been distributed to all N. W. D.
2.	A/VP Estab Sec	Chief Commsr 25/5		1. Attention is invited to minute #1 above. 2. In addition to Par 2 above, the members of the Awards & Decorations Board, will check their respective Sections for deserving cases. 3. Please return MTOUSA Cir #73. CMP C.M.P.

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Incls: n/c
added - MTOUSA Cir #73
Ltr form for info
re: award recommendation.

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THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS REQUIRED FOR THE SUBMISSION OF A RECOMMENDATION FOR AWARD ON AN INDIVIDUAL.

1. Full name, including middle initial _____

2. Serial number _____ Arm or branch of service _____

3. Rank at time services were rendered _____ Present rank _____

4. Full title of position at time services were rendered _____

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5. Full title of present position _____

6. Exact inclusive dates of period for which individual is being recommended.

From _____ To _____

7. If no longer a member of this organization, where is individual assigned at the present time? _____

8. Previous decorations awarded to individual, including general order number and headquarters of issue. If none, so state. _____

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9. Individual's home town and state at time of enlistment, induction, entry into West Point, or present home address _____

10. On a separate sheet, give a complete description of action. In case of service awards such as Legion of Merit, a complete description of service rendered in detail should be listed. What were the general duties and responsibilities of the individual? What difficulties were encountered in the accomplishment of the mission? What methods were used? What personal characteristics of the individual were displayed? What were the results of his efforts? In recommendation for other awards, a detailed and factual description of the incident is of utmost importance. Do not use general statements. The most common error in recommendations is that they do not contain enough detail. Facts, figures, obstacles, results achieved, etc. are important.

11. On a separate sheet, give a proposed citation. This should be a condensation of the latter of recommendation, including all pertinent facts upon which award is based. When an award is made, only the citation is published in orders; therefore, a resume of the act or service rendered must be in sufficient detail to justify the award.

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AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Circular Number 65; Section I, Circular Number 90; Section III, Circular Number 92; Section II, Circular Number 96; Sections II and III, Circular Number 108; Section II, Circular Number 117; Section I, Circular Number 125; Section II, Circular Number 131; Section II, Circular Number 135; and Section I, Circular Number 136, 1944 series, are rescinded, and the following substituted therefor:

1. Authority to Award.

a. Under the provisions of paragraph 6, AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Theater Commander hereby delegates his authority to award United States military decorations as follows:

(1) Medal of Honor and Distinguished Service Medal - awarded by War Department only.

(2) Legion of Merit - awarded by War Department and Theater Commander only.

(3) Distinguished Service Cross.

(a) For awards to United States military personnel: Commanding Generals 15th Army Group, Fifth Army, and Army Air Forces, MTO.

(b) For immediate combat awards to members of the French, Brazilian, Polish, Jugoslav, and Italian Armed Forces: Commanding Generals 15th Army Group, Fifth Army, and Army Air Forces, MTO.

(4) Silver Star

(a) For awards to United States military personnel: Commander of any force commanded by or the appropriate command of a Major General or higher.

(b) For immediate combat awards to members of the French, Brazilian, Polish, Jugoslav and Italian Armed Forces: Commanding Generals 15th Army Group, Fifth Army and Army Air Forces, MTO.

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(5) Distinguished Flying Cross.

(a) For awards to United States military personnel: Commander of any force or command of the Army Air Forces,

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MTO, commanded by or the appropriate command of a Major General or higher.

(b) For immediate combat awards to members of the French, Brazilian, Polish, Jugoslav and Italian Armed Forces: Commanding General, Army Air Forces, MTO.

(6) Soldier's Medal.

(a) For awards to United States Military personnel: Commanders of any force commanded by or the appropriate command of a Major General or higher.

(b) For immediate combat awards to members of the French, Brazilian, Polish, Jugoslav and Italian Armed Forces: Commanding Generals 15th Army Group, Fifth Army and Army Air Forces, MTO.

(7) Bronze Star Medal.

(a) For awards to United States military personnel: Commanders of any force commanded by or the appropriate command of a Major General or higher.

(b) For immediate combat awards to members of the French, Brazilian, Polish, Jugoslav and Italian Armed Forces: Commanding Generals 15th Army Group, Fifth Army and Army Air Forces, MTO.

(8) Air Medal.

(a) For awards to United States Military personnel: Commanders of any force or command of the Army Air Forces, MTO, commanded by or the appropriate command of a Major General or higher.

(b) For awards to United States Field Artillery Liaison Pilots and regularly assigned observers: Commanding Generals of 15th Army Group and Fifth Army.

(c) For immediate combat awards to members of the French, Brazilian, Polish, Jugoslav and Italian Armed Forces: Commanding General Army Air Forces, MTO.

(9) Purple Heart - For awards to United States Military Personnel: Commanders indicated in paragraph 8 b (4) and "o" AR 600-45 as amended by change (3), dated 25 April 1944: Commanding Generals Fifteenth Army Group, Army Air Force, MTO, Fifth Army, Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA, Rome Area, MTOUSA, and Peninsular Base Section; Commander of any force or command, commanded by, or the appropriate command of, a Brigadier General or higher; commanders of combat teams, regiments, separate battalions and similar units, including Headquarters Command Allied Force; and United States Army Medical Officers on the staff of the Supreme Allied Commander, Mediterranean Theater, and the Theater Commander's Staff; United States Army Commanders of any

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hospital or medical installation, including regimental, battalion or similar organization dressing stations (see paragraph 6).

b. Awards to Civilians - Under the authority contained in Civilian Personnel Regulations 104, revised, 12 April 1944, the Theater Commander delegates his authority as follows:

(1) The Commanding Generals, Fifth Army and Army Air Forces, MTO, are authorized to award all civilian emblems described in CPR Number 104, revised 12 April 1944, except Emblem for Exceptional Civilian Service, to qualified civilian employees of the War Department who are citizens of the United States.

(2) The Commanding Generals, Fifth Army, Army Air Forces, MTO, and Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA, are authorized to award the Emblem for Civilian Service (CPR 104, revised, paragraphs 1 - 3 a (2) and 1 - 4 (b)), to civilian employees of the War Department, not citizens of the United States, who have had not less than one year of continuous service and whose performance of duty has been outstanding.

(3) All recommendations for awards to non-citizen civilian employees other than those noted in (b) above, will be forwarded through channels for approval by the Theater Commander. (Attached form, appendix "J").

2. Distinguished Service Medal and Legion of Merit - The provision of AR 600-45 that: "The accomplishment of the duty for which the award is recommended should have been completed, or it should have progressed to an exceptional degree if the person rendering the service has been transferred to other duties prior to its full accomplishment" is interpreted in the following manner:

a. For personnel assigned to the headquarters of a major command, service will be considered complete only when the individual concerned is relieved and reassigned. (For the purpose of this rule "major commands" will include the following: Allied Force Headquarters, Headquarters MTOUSA., Fifth Army, 15th Army Group, Army Air Forces, MTO, Air Force Service Command, MTO, Twelfth Air Force, Fifteenth Air Force, Base Sections and Depots, The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA., Headquarters Command, Allied Forces, Allied Commission, and any other corresponding non-combat organizations).

(1) For commissioned personnel, reassignment must be outside of the major headquarters concerned, and transfer from one duty or staff section to another duty or staff section within the same headquarters will not be considered as marking "completion of duty".

(2) For enlisted personnel, transfer from one staff section to another staff section of the same headquarters may be considered as marking "completion of duty" in especially meritorious cases.

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b. For personnel assigned to the headquarters of a corps, a division, or an Air Force combat wing, duty will be considered complete when the individual concerned is reassigned outside of the headquarters concerned, unless the service for which the award is recommended is directly related to combat

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operations. Where the service is related to combat operations, arbitrary phase dates will not be designated. In such cases, the completion of duty or service may be based upon completion of a designated campaign, the attainment of specific objectives, or the end of an operational phase (such as the transition from an offensive to a defensive phase).

c. For personnel assigned to units smaller than a division or an Air Force wing, service not directly related to combat will be considered complete when the individual concerned is reassigned, or when it can be clearly shown that a specific mission or non-combat operational assignment has been completed and the service performed is of itself sufficient to justify the award. If the service is directly related to combat (as in the case of an infantry battalion commander, an Air Force group commander, or a platoon sergeant) completion of service may be based upon the attainment of specific objectives, a particular phase of an operation, (even though the major campaign or operation is not itself completed), or the completion of a specifically assigned task or mission.

3. Purple Heart - Awarded under the provisions of paragraph 16, AR 600-45, as amended. Borderline cases will be forwarded with all available information to a higher headquarters for final decision.

4. Air Medal.

a. Field Artillery liaison pilots and regularly assigned observers qualify for the award of the Air Medal only after completing the following prerequisites:

(1) Thirty-five (35) sorties; or

(2) Any single meritorious act while participating in aerial flight.

b. Definition of "sorties" - A sortie is deemed to have taken place when a flight has been ordered which involves:

(1) Adjustment of artillery fire on any enemy installation.

(2) Surveillance of artillery fire on any enemy installation.

(3) Registration of artillery fire in enemy territory.

(4) Front line reconnaissance of at least one hour duration.

(5) Any flight in which the airplane has been attacked by enemy aircraft.

(6) Credit for only one sortie will be given regardless of any combination of the above missions which may be accomplished on any one flight.

(7) Credit for sorties will be given only when every effort for the success of the mission has been made. Such credits will be specified and approved by the battalion, group, brigade, division, corps, or army artillery commander.

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5. Awards to Units - In addition to the provisions of War Department Circular Number 333, 1943, the following procedure is prescribed:

a. A company, battalion (air force squadron or group), or similar unit which is cited by the commander of a division, or of a comparable organization, will be entitled to a battle streamer upon approval of the citation by the Theater Commander, an Army Commander, or The Commanding General, Army Air Forces, ETO. Such approved citations will be confirmed by the War Department and published in War Department General Orders. Upon approval of the citation by the Army Commander or Commanding General, Army Air Forces, ETO, a request will be submitted to this headquarters to have citation published in War Department General Orders to which there will be attached two (2) official copies of the citation.

b. Any unit larger than a battalion, or group, which is cited by the commanding officer of the next higher unit, will become entitled to a streamer only when the citation is approved by the War Department and published in War Department General Orders. Two (2) copies of the citations, together with supporting data, will be forwarded through channels to this headquarters for transmission to the War Department in exact compliance with paragraph 2 d (2), Section IV, War Department Circular Number 333, 22 December 1943.

c. When a unit has been awarded a Distinguished Unit battle streamer, members of the unit are entitled to wear the Distinguished Unit Badge. Individuals who were assigned or attached to the unit, and who were physically present for duty with the cited unit on the occasion for which citation was awarded, may wear the badge permanently. Those who later become members of the organization, are entitled to wear the badge only during the time they are assigned as members of the organization. Belligerent personnel or civilians on duty with American Units during the period for which such units are cited, may not receive and/or wear the Distinguished Unit Badge. (Canadian elements of United States Units of the First Special Service Force who are bona fide members of United States Units are authorized to wear the badge).

d. The unit cited will prepare and forward through channels a roster of all individuals who have not been informed of the award and who are no longer members of the unit, who are entitled to wear the badge as a permanent part of the uniform. Such rosters will be prepared so as to reach this headquarters in duplicate and will indicate the last known status and/or address of each individual concerned. When the last known address is within this theater, direct correspondence is authorized (see paragraph 19 c, below). Each successive headquarters through which such reports are forwarded will issue badges and make necessary personnel entries for individuals under its jurisdiction, indicating by indorsement the action taken in each case, and lining out on the roster the name of each individual when they have notified of his eligibility to wear the Distinguished Unit Badge.

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6. Battle Participation Awards.

a. A list of battles and campaigns in this theater recognized by the War Department has been published in War Department General Orders 75 and 83, 1943 and 80, 1944.

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b. Units entitled to battle honors for any of the campaigns referred to in "a", above, have been listed in ETOUSA letters, dated 18 October, 10 November and 30 December 1944 and 23 February 1945, file AG 200.6/040 P-O, subject: "Battle Participation Awards". As units become eligible for battle honors by virtue of participation in the named campaigns, those letters will be so amended. Units omitted from any list published by this headquarters announcing battle honors, which are entitled to such honors under the provisions of paragraph 21 b, (3) (b), AR 260-10, 25 October 1944, may make application to this headquarters through channels.

c. Individuals who are eligible to wear the appropriate theater service ribbon, if qualified under the provisions stated below, may wear bronze service stars on the appropriate theater service ribbon to indicate battle participation. (See WD Circular 62, 1944 and WD Circular 195, 1944).

(1) Provided the individual served honorably, and was present for duty with, and as a member of or attached to a unit at some time during the period in which the unit participated in battle and was awarded credit therefor in any of the letters, this headquarters, referred to in paragraph 7 b, above; or

(2) In cases of individuals not members of or attached to units, provided the individual served honorably under competent orders in the combat zone at some time between the limiting dates of the battle or campaign as established by War Department General Orders and was:

(a) Awarded a combat decoration, or

(b) Furnished a certificate of a corps or higher commander that he actually participated in combat, or

(c) Served at a normal post of duty (as contrasted to occupying the status of an inspector, observer or visitor serving on a temporary duty basis).

7. Recommendations.

a. Recommendations for all awards which must be acted upon by the Theater Commander, together with supporting papers, will be forwarded so as to reach this headquarters in duplicate.

b. Particular emphasis should be placed on the recommendation and the detailed facts contained therein, with the accompanying citation being a concise summary of the recommendation.

c. Each recommendation will list all previous awards made to the individual or unit, including designation of the headquarters and general order number announcing the award.

d. Grade and assignment at the time service was rendered, as well as the grade and assignment at the time recommendation is made, must be shown. If the recommendation is being resubmitted, that fact will be shown.

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c. Recommendations will be submitted in a manner similar to that shown in Appendix "B" and forwarded through proper command channels. Each commander will personally sign the recommendation, indicating his recommended approval or disapproval.

f. Recommendations are properly the concern of the initiating officer, each commander in the chain of command, and the awarding authority.

g. The intended recipient will not be informed of the existence of such a recommendation.

h. A recommendation which is administratively correct, and which is approved or disapproved for award, should be filed at the headquarters of the office authorized to take final action, and the recommending unit or agency notified by letter of the action taken.

i. Time limitations.

(1) Normally, a recommendation for an award will be processed to reach this headquarters not later than thirty (30) days from the date of its initiation. If, when any recommendation is being forwarded, it is apparent that it will not arrive at this headquarters in less than thirty (30) days from the date of its initiation, it will be accompanied by an explanation as to the reasons for the delay.

(2) All recommendations for awards will be initiated within three (3) months of the date of performance of the act or completion of the services on which the recommendations are based. Any recommendation initiated after the lapse of more than three (3) months from the date of performance of the act or completion of the services on which it is based will be accompanied by an explanation giving reasons for the delay.

j. Unless otherwise directed, at least fifty percent (50%) of all recommendations will be for enlisted men.

k. Recommendations for awards both combat and non-combat to British Ground Force personnel, and non-combat awards to all foreign personnel, all grades, will be forwarded to this headquarters. (Except for Canadians, no recommendations for the award of the Air Medal, or for any posthumous award will be initiated for British personnel).

6. Publications in orders.

a. Paragraph 4, Section I, AR 600-45, directs that awards of decorations made by authorized commanders be announced in general orders of their commands. Such announcement will include name, army serial number, grade, arm or service, organization, date(s), and the general geographic locality where the action occurred for which the award is made. The home address at the time of entry into the service or entry into the United States Military Academy will be shown. In cases of posthumous, missing in action, or prisoner of war awards, the full name, relationship, and address of the next of kin will be included in the general orders.

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b. The above instructions are also applicable to the general orders announcing the award of the Purple Heart. (For suggested form, see Appendix "C").

c. The commanding general of the command will establish pertinent policies concerning the type of information which should be omitted from the citation as published in general orders and furnished the individual. Copies of the general orders furnished this headquarters and the War Department will contain all of the information required in sub-paragraph c, above.

d. General orders will be classified RESTRICTED and in addition to the three (3) copies required by the War Department, one (1) copy of all general orders will be furnished this headquarters marked: Attention, Personnel Division, Adjutant General Section. The three (3) copies for the War Department will be forwarded promptly direct to The Adjutant General, Attention: Decorations and Awards Branch, Munitions Building, Washington 25, D.C. One (1) copy of the complete citation pertaining to the award of the Bronze Star Medal will be forwarded to The Adjutant General with each three (3) copies of the general orders announcing the awards. Complete citations will not be included in general orders announcing awards of the Bronze Star Medal

e. The individual may be furnished complete official citations which are edited to overcome security objections. These official copies will not be classified. It is not necessary to prepare letter orders. A copy of the citation to the individual will suffice.

f. Medal numbers will not be published.

9. Presentation.

a. As prompt recognition of services increases the value of awards, every effort will be made to expedite their presentation. (The Purple Heart will be presented immediately after eligibility has been determined).

b. No separate request to present a decoration awarded to any individual posthumously, missing in action, or prisoner of war will be sent to The Adjutant General or other headquarters, and under no circumstances will medals be forwarded. The War Department will make presentation to the next of kin upon receipt of general orders announcing such awards, forwarded in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 9 d, above.

c. Should an individual to whom an award has been made, depart prior to presentation, a report will be forwarded without delay direct to the organization, within this theater, to which the recipient was transferred. Included in this category are individuals transferred to replacement depots for transhipment to the United States, in which case the report will be forwarded direct to the depot concerned. In those cases where it is definitely known that the recipient has actually departed this theater, the report will be forwarded, through channels, to this headquarters setting forth the reason for the individual's departure to enable this headquarters or the War Department to dispose promptly and accurately of correspondence.

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10. Awards to be Noted in Records.

a. Awards of decorations, dates, and places of presentation will be noted in the historical records of organizations and in the service records of enlisted men, and for all others on DD Form No 66-1 and 66-2 (Officer's and Warrant Officer's Qualification Card), also where applicable in appropriate personnel files and efficiency records. This will include entries pertaining to eligibility of individuals to wear appropriate Service Medals, Bronze Service Stars, Bronze Star for the American Defense Service Medal, Expert and Combat Infantryman Badges, Distinguished Unit Badge, and all other badges. Unit commanders will cause a periodic check to be made of such records to see that necessary entries are made for personnel now present in their organization.

b. In cases where the individual's personnel records are not available, entry of the award of the Purple Heart will be made on his Emergency Medical Tag or Report Card (WD AD Form No 92) citing the authority for the award. The award will be announced in orders and in addition to the distribution required in paragraph 9, above, one (1) copy will be furnished the individual and the individual's unit commander.

11. Acceptance of Awards from Cobelligerent Nations.

a. In accordance with paragraph 33 b, Change 3, AR 600-45, dated 24 April 1944, offers by the governments of cobelligerent nations or the American republics of decorations, orders, medals, and emblems to United States Army personnel, except offers of immediate awards which may be concurred in by the senior field commander present, will be forwarded through channels to the Theater Commander for concurrence in their acceptance, containing the statement in paragraph c, below.

b. Officers and enlisted men engaged in transactions involving the allocation of Lend Lease materials or credits will not be permitted to accept decorations from the nations with which they are dealing. This includes those individuals who participate in negotiations for Lend Lease allocations, or who make recommendations to any of the agencies authorized to act on such recommendations, or who are members of boards, rearmament committees, or other agencies charged with Lend Lease negotiations, recommendations for, or the allocations of Lend Lease materials. This prohibition does not apply to the acceptance of "immediate" combat awards, or to persons who are merely engaging in shipping or transporting Lend Lease materials.

c. Requests for authority to accept cobelligerent awards will be forwarded through command channels and contain the following statement: "I have not participated in negotiations for Lend Lease allocations, nor made any recommendations to any agencies authorized to act on such recommendations. I am not a member of any board, rearmament committee, or other agency charged with Lend Lease negotiations, recommendations for, or the allocation of Lend Lease materials."

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCNARNEY:

GEORGE D. FENCE
Major General, GSC
Chief of Staff

OFFICIAL:

C. W. CHRISTENBERRY
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

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Appendix "A" to Hq ATCUSA Circular # 73

SUBJECT	WAR DEPARTMENT PUBLICATION
Air Force Badge	Cir 435, Sec I, 1944 Cir 53, Sec II, 1945
American Defense Service Medal	Cir 27, 1944 Cir 129, Sec I, 1944 (rescinds Par 6a, Cir 27, 1944)
Animals, Awards to	Cir 26, Sec III, 1944
Badge (See: Infantryman, Glider, Medical, Motor Vehicle, Air Force)	
Battle Participation	AR 260-10, dated 25 Oct 1944, as amended AR 600-85 Cir 62, 1944 Cir 195, 1944 (rescinds Par 7b & c (2), Cir 62, 1944) GO 75, 1943 GO 83, Sec III, 1943 GO 80, Sec VI, 1944 (amends GO 83, Sec III, 1943)
Bronze Star Medal	Bull 3, Sec II, 1944 AR 600-45, as amended.
Bronze Arrowhead	Cir 465, 1944 Cir 90, Sec II, 1945 (Rescinds Par 5d, Sec I, Cir 465, 1944)
Campaign Medals	Cir 62, 1944 Cir 195, 1944 (Rescinds Par b & c (2) Cir 62, 1944) Cir 90, Sec III, 1945 (Amends Par 7b (2), Sec I, Cir 195, 1944)
Citations, Unit (See: Unit, Meritorious Service Plaque)	Cir 333, Sec IV, 1943 Bull 22, Sec I, 1943 Cir 26, Sec III, 1944 Cir 5, Sec VIII, 1945 (Amends Par 2f, Sec IV, Cir 333, 1943) Cir 54, Sec IV, 1945 (Rescinds Par 3f, Sec IV, Cir 333, 1943)
Commendation	AR 600-55
Decorations, General Provisions	AR 600-45 (w/5 Changes) AR 600-85 AR 600-90 (w/1 Change) Cir 180, Sec V, 1942 Cir 6, Sec IV, 1943 Cir 46, Sec III, 1945 Cir 60, Sec II, 1945 (Amends Pars 4b & 5b, Sec III, Cir 46, 1945) Cir 101, Sec II, 1945

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Flags, Colors, Standards and Guidons	AR 260-10, dated 25 Oct 1944, as amended Cir 226, 1944
Glider Pedro	Cir 220, Sec IV, 1944
Good Conduct Medal	AR 600-68 (w/1 Change) Bull 6, Sec II, 1943 Cir 36, Sec II, 1944 Cir 103, 1944 (Amends Par 7, AR 600-68)
Infantryman's Badge, Expert and Combat	Cir 408, 1944 Cir 421, Sec III, 1944 Cir 92, 1945 Cir 93, Sec II, 1945 (Rescinds Par 1, Cir 408, and Sec III, Cir 450, both 1944)
Insignia	Cir 267, Sec III, 1944 Cir 320, Sec III, 1944 Cir 437, Sec III, 1944 Cir 431, Sec II, 1944
Lapel Button (Honorable Discharge)	Cir 79, Sec V, 1944 Cir 213, Sec II, 1944 (Rescinds Par 8 & 10, Sec V, Cir 79, 1944)
Lapel Button (Service)	Cir 62, 1945
Legion of Merit	Bull 40, 1942 AR 600-45, as amended.
Medal for Merit	Bull 40, 1942 Bull 9, Sec II & III, 1943 AR 600-45, as amended.
Medical Badge	Cir 66, Sec II, 1945
Motor Vehicle, Driver & Mechanic Awards	AR 600-81 Cir 441, 1944
Occupation of Germany Medal	Cir 448, Sec VI, 1944
Plaque (See Unit)	
Purple Heart	AR 600-45, as amended
Supply of Service Medals	AR 600-65 (w/1 Change) AR 600-90, dated 3Feb 1945 (Rescinds Sec III, Cir 323, 1942) AR 600-85
Typhus Commission Medal	Cir 142, 1944 Cir 450, Sec VI, 1944 (Amends Par 7, Sec V, Cir 142, 1944).
Uniform, Prescribed wearing of	AR 600-35, dated 31 Mar 1944 (w/2 Changes) AR 600-40, dated 31 Mar 1944 (w/2 Changes) Cir 365, Sec IX, 1944 Cir 391, Sec VII, 1944

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Unit, Meritorious Service Plaque	Cir 345, Sec I, 1944 Cir 421, Sec II, 1944 (Rescinds Par 2c, Sec I, Cir 345, 1944)
MD, Service Medal	Bull 17, Sec II, 1943
Good Conduct Medal	Cir 36, Sec II, 1944
Citations	AR 260-10, dated 25 Oct 1944, as amended
Wound and War Service Chevrons	Cir 6, Sec IV, 1943 Cir 62, 1944 Cir 268, 1944 Cir 298, Sec II, 1944 (Rescinds Par 4b, Cir 268, 1944) Cir 41, Sec II, 1945 (Rescinds Sec II, Cir 298, 1944) Cir 116, Sec VII, 1945 (Rescinds Cir 268, WD, 1944)

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Appendix "B" to
Hq XTCUSA Cir # 73

MODEL FORM

201_____ Date_____

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award.

TO:

1. Under the provisions of_____it is recommended that NAME
ASN GRADE ARM OR SERVICE ORGANIZATION
(Including staff section if on duty with a headquarters), be awarded the_____
_____(appropriate award - see reverse side)_____, for_____
_____(appropriate remark - see reverse side)_____

2. Complete description of action: In case of service awards such as Legion of Merit, a complete description of service rendered in detail should be listed. In recommendation for other awards, a detailed and factual description of the incident is of utmost importance. Do not use general statements. The most common error in recommendations is that they do not contain enough detail.

3. In recommendationsfor combat decorations, specific information should be included as nearly as is reasonably possible, regarding each of the following (using operations, maps, narrative statement, or any other convenient form):

a. Character of the terrain, of hostile observations, and of enemy fire.
b. Visibility, time of day, and atmospheric conditions.
c. Location of enemy.
d. Morale, that of our forces and that of the enemy.
e. Casualties sustained.
f. Effect or results of deed in question, etc.
(Not applicable to Legion of Merit)

4. Statement as to personal knowledge of the initiating officer. If he has no personal knowledge of the incident or service rendered, two affidavits from eye witnesses or persons having knowledge must be inclosed.

5. Each basic recommendation for the award of a decoration will show the exact status of the person who is being recommended at the time of rendition by him of the service upon which the recommendation is based. Grade and assignment at the time of this incident or at the time service was rendered as well as the grade and assignment at the time recommendation is made.

6. Statement that entire subsequent service of individual since performance of act cited has been honorable. In case of Distinguished Service Medal or Legion of Merit recommendation, statement that the individual has completed his service in the position, or that it was substantially complete at time he was transferred to other duty should be added.

7. List of previous awards to include general order number and headquarters of issue.

8. Proposed Citation, which will include: a. Name, ASN, Arm or Service, Grade, Organization, period of time (inclusive dates) of service rendered, and the general or specific locality or campaign.

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b. A condensation of the letter of recommendation including all pertinent facts upon which award is based. When an award is made, only the citation is published in orders; therefore, a resume of the act or service rendered must be in sufficient detail to justify the award.

c. The last sentence will include the individual's home town and state at time of enlistment, induction, entry into West Point, or present home address. (In cases of Posthumous, Missing in Action, or Prisoner of War awards, include name and relationship of nearest relative; house number, street or rural route, city and state.)

(Forward through proper command channels. Each commander will personally sign the recommendation, indicating his recommended approval or disapproval)

NAME

GRADE & ORGANIZATION

COMMANDING OR OFFICIAL DESIGNATION

* * * * * * * * * * *

MEDAL OF HONOR: Conspicious gallantry and intrepidity at risk of life, above and beyond call of duty, in action involving actual conflict.

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS: Extraordinary heroism in action.

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL: Exceptionally meritorious service in duty of great responsibility.

LEGION OF MERIT (in four degrees): For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services.
1. Chief Commander
2. Commander
3. Officer
4. Legionnaire

LEGION OF MERIT (without degree): For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services.

SILVER STAR: Gallantry in action.

DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS: Heroism or extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flights.

SOLDIER'S MEDAL: Heroism not involving actual conflict.

BRONZE STAR: Heroic or meritorious achievement or service in action not involving participation in aerial flight.

PURPLE HEART: Wounded in action, or as a direct result of enemy action.

AIR MEDAL: Meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights.

MEDAL FOR MERIT (civilian award): Exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services or an exceptionally meritorious act in furtherance of the war effort.

GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL: Demonstrated fidelity by faithful and exact performance of duty, efficiency, and behavior deserving emulation completing one year's service as an Enl of AUS, after 7 December ~~1941,~~ or three ~~years~~ after 27 August 1940.

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Appendix "C" to
HQ 9th AD, Cir # 73

HEADQUARTERS
NINTH ARMORED DIVISION
APO 259

GENERAL ORDERS)
)
NUMBER 66)

00 March 1944

AWARD OF PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following for wounds received in action against the enemy:

GEORGE W. BROWN (00000000), Pvt, Inf, Company "A", 17th Infantry, Sicily, 15 August 1943. Entered service from Morry, New Jersey.

WILLIAM S. GREEN (00000000), Pvt, FA, Battery, "B", 13th Armored Regiment, Tunisia, 13 May 1943. Entered service from Atlanta, Georgia.

JOHN L. SMITH, (00000000), Pfc, FA, Battery "A", 99th Field Artillery Battalion, Corsica, 14 November 1943. Entered service from New York, New York.

JEROME W. BROWN (00000000), Pfc, FA, Company "C", 307th Tank Destroyer Battalion, Italy, 15 December 1943. Entered service from Syracuse, New York.

JOHN J. DOE (00000000, Capt, FA, Service Battery, 21st Armored Field Artillery Battalion, Italy, 14 December 1943. Entered service from Norfolk, Va.

By command of Major General BUTLER:

HENRY B. BLACK,
Colonel, GSC,
Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

W. L. WALLACE,
Lt Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General.

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Appendix "D" to
Hq ITCUSA Cir # 73

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_____
(Name of submitting

_____
organization)

_____
(Date)

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Civilian Award.

TO: _____

THROUGH: _____

1. Under the provisions of Civilian Personnel Regulations 10%, 12 April 19%, it is recommended that (full name), a civilian whose legal residence is (address), now currently employed by (command), in the position of (job title or descriptive term indicating nature of duties) be awarded the Emblem for_____.

2. In support of the proposed award following additional personnel data for this individual is submitted:

a. Country of birth_____.
b. Country of citizenship_____.
c. Current efficiency report rating is_____, or current rating on performance of assigned duty is_____.
d. Date services commenced_____.
**e. Services performed by_____which are considered by the undersigned to merit the award indicated in paragraph 1, above, are outlined below:

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3. It is certified by the undersigned that the above information is a true extract of official records, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, this individual's services have been honorable and that his loyalty to the Government of the United States and the Army of the United States is above question.

(signature)

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**(Complete only for Emblem for Exceptional Civilian Service or Emblem for Meritorious Civilian Service)

NOTE: To be approved or disapproved by each commander in the chain of command prior to forwarding.

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PARA ONE FD IMPORTANT YOU EXPEDITE SUBMISSION OF ALL AWARDS AND DECORATIONS FOR SERVICE PRIOR TO EIGHT MAY FD DISREGARD QUOTE

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HOWARD E LEE Capt Inf
Adjutant
Hq 2675th Regiment
Allied Commission

H V DRAGHETT Lt Col AGD
Adjutant
Allied Commission

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MAY 251840B
IMPORTANT

MAIN G ARMY
HQ ALGOM

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Ref your signal Nr 7776 dated 16. SCAC considers no point in submitting further recommendations since those previously submitted have not produced results. Therefore request re-submission of previous recommendations.

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Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
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25 MAY 1945
A. C.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File

Date 25 May

FROM

TO

- Deputy Ex. Commissioner ✓
- Staff Officer
- Executive Officer (A)
- Executive Officer (B)
- G-1 (A) ✓
- G-1 (B)
- G-4 (A)
- G-4 (B)
- Headquarters Commandant
- Adjutant

FOR:

- Comment
- Draft of reply
- Investigation and report
- Answer
- Signature
- Approval/Disapproval
- Your Information ✓
- Your File
- Return, please

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...COLLECTING INFORMATION IS REQUIRED FOR THE SUBMISSION OF A RECOMMENDATION ...ADE WITH OR WITHOUT THE INDIVIDUAL.

1. Full name, including middle initial _____

2. Serial number _____ Arm or branch of service _____

3. Rank at time service was rendered _____ Present rank _____

4. Full title of position at time service was rendered _____

_____

5. Full title of present position _____

6. Exact inclusive dates of period for which individual is being recommended.

From _____ To _____

7. If no longer a member of this organization, where is individual assigned at the present time? _____

8. Previous decorations awarded to individual, including general order number and headquarters of issue. If none, so state. _____

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9. Individual's home town and state at time of enlistment, induction, entry into West Point, or present home address _____

10. On a separate sheet, give a complete description of action. In case of service awards such as Legion of Merit, a complete description of service rendered in detail should be listed. What were the general duties and responsibilities of the individual? What difficulties were encountered in the accomplishment of the mission? What methods were used? What personal characteristics of the individual were displayed? What were the results of his efforts? In recommendation for other awards, a detailed and factual description of the incident is of utmost importance. Do not use general statements. The most common error in recommendations is that they do not contain enough detail. Facts, figures, obstacles, results achieved, etc. are important.

11. On a separate sheet, give a proposed citation. This should be a condensation of the letter of recommendation, including all pertinent facts upon which award is based. When an award is made, only the citation is published in orders; therefore, a resume of the act or service rendered must be in sufficient detail to justify the award.

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MAY 101030B
ROUTINE

GEN CANNON

ADMIRAL STONE, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION, ROME

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Would appreciate it if you would mail down without delay resume of data for an award to Colonel BALDRIGE for his work representing MAAF with your Commission.

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10 MAY 945
A. C.

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ACTION: Chief Commissioner
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
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Executive Officer	
Asst Exec Officer	
Adjutant	
S-2	
S-4	
Surgeon	
Orientation Officer	
Transportation Off	
Special Service Off	
Mr. PATE	
Mr. WERNUTH	
Chief Clerk	
Returns	
Officer Division	
Enlisted Division	
Correspondence Sec	
Message Center	
Files Section	
Mimeograph Section	
~~Col. N. E. Fiske~~	

REMARKS: Your information

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HEADQUARTERS
A.M.G. 5th ARMY
A.P.O. 464 U.S. ARMY

WDH/FRB/f.fg

16th December 1944.

REFERENCE: 6/2.

SUBJECT : Award of the Bronze Star Medal.

TO : Adjutant, H.Q., 2675th Regiment, A.C.

1. Reference your letter 200.6 dated 8th December 1944 subject as above.

2. The undermentioned personnel of A.M.G. 5th Army have been awarded the Bronze Star Medal:-

	Lt. Col.	Francis M. Wray	-	O-174992	- C.M.P.
	Lt. Col.	Hamilton T. Walker	-	O-145820	- Ordnance Dept.
#	Major .	Donald E. Long.	-	O-141656	- A.U.S.
	Major	John M. Walker.	-	O-509054	- Spec. Res.
	Captain.	Donald M. Gaither.	-	O-500954	- C.M.P.
	Captain.	John L. Kay.	-	O-1584444	- Q.M.C.
	1st Lt.	Ralph H. Major.	-	O-1533620	- M.A.C.
*	Cpl.	John Mattei.	-	37547011	
	T/5.	Charles Bernholz.	-	32530478	
	T/5.	John F. Flahive.	-	31109922	
	T/5.	Andrew J. Cirolami.	-	33440124	
	T/5.	John J. Scavetta.	-	17028737	
	Pfc.	Anthony T. Alberti.	-	31256893	
	Pfc.	Edmund L. Hillegas.	-	33572078	
	Pvt.	Edward Jaeger.	-	36280273	

Left A.M.G. 5th Army.
* Killed in action.

3. The undermentioned personnel of this organisation have been recommended for the Bronze Star no final action having yet been taken.

#	Major.	William Ronnie.	-	297018 - General List. (B)
	Captain.	Deane Keller.	-	O-533667 - Spec. Res.
	Sgt.	George V. Marangoni.	-	34109746

Left A.M.G. 5th Army.

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W.D.HAYNE,
Major, R.A.,
Admin. Staff Officer,
A.M.G. 5th Army.

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2675TH REGIMENT
ALLIED COMMISSION
(OVERHEAD)
APO 394

GBP/rel

File: 200.6

8 December 1944

SUBJECT: Award of the Bronze Star Medal.

TO : Commanding General, AMG 5th Army, APO 464, U. S. Army.

It is requested that the names of all personnel belonging to your command who have been awarded the Bronze Star Medal be furnished this headquarters, together with the names of those whose recommendations were forwarded and on whom no final action has been made.

For the Commanding Officer:

G. B. PATE
WOJG USA
Asst Adjutant

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...COMMISSION

ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File Date 24 April

FROM TO

Col. Parkin

Deputy Ex. Commissioner

Staff Officer

Executive Officer (A)

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MEMORANDUM TO: Colonel L. D. Denscore.

Would you kindly put through a recommendation for Legion of Merit award to Commander John J. LAWLER, USCGR, for his services with the Finance Sub-Commission of the Allied Commission, with particular reference to his work on the Allied Anti-inflationary Board last year and his duty as Joint Director of the Finance Sub-Commission up to the time of his detachment.

It has been agreed between CG MAASA and COMNAVMED that Naval Personnel serving with Army commands will receive Army awards for services performed, and vice versa. It will therefore be in order to make the above recommendation through our normal channels.

/s/ Ellery W. Stone

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

Copy to: Executive Commissioner
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General Hume's Officer

Col Norman E. Hiske
AMG, Fifth Army

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I AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF DISTINGUISHED-SERVICE CROSS.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, a Distinguished-Service Cross is awarded, posthumously, to the following-named enlisted man:

ROMEO R. RAMIREZ, (39688418), Technical Sergeant, Infantry, United States Army. For extraordinary heroism in action, on 6 October 1944, in the vicinity of Sassoleone, Italy. After seizing an enemy held house, Technical Sergeant RAMIREZ and his men lost contact with the remainder of their company when the enemy surrounded the building. With only seventeen men left, Technical Sergeant RAMIREZ made preparations to withstand counterattacks by posting men at windows and doors. Standing in the doorway, fully exposed, he killed five Germans who tried to break into the building and succeeded in repulsing the assault. Later, the enemy attacked from two directions, supported by machine gun and mortar fire which riddled and blasted the house on all sides. Running from one window to another, Technical Sergeant RAMIREZ fired at the enemy and shouted encouragement to his men. Using incendiaries the Germans set fire to the building. Although further resistance seemed futile, Technical Sergeant RAMIREZ, by his courageous determination and force of leadership, induced his men to hold their positions. Fighting the fire, repelling two more counterattacks, Technical Sergeant RAMIREZ killed three more Germans and at dawn when help arrived he and his men still clung tenaciously to the shattered, half-burned building. Holding a critical objective against repeated counterattacks, during which four of his men were killed and ten wounded, Technical Sergeant RAMIREZ and his men had killed twenty-two Germans and captured five. The heroic deeds of Technical Sergeant RAMIREZ at great risk to his life were a vital factor in the successful accomplishment of his battalion's mission. Entered military service from Saticoy, California. Next of kin: Mrs. Saloni M. Ramirez, (Mother), Box 776, Saticoy, California. 2432

II AWARDS OF DISTINGUISHED-SERVICE CROSS.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, a Distinguished-Service Cross is awarded to the following-named officers and enlisted men:

EDWARD H. FORBES, (040?512), Major, Infantry, United States Army. For extraordinary heroism in action, on 4 October 1944, in the vicinity of Mount Venere,

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Italy. When a company attacking a hill was stopped by intense machine gun and small arms fire, Major FABERT, battalion commander, immediately made his way to a forward position in full view of the enemy gunners. Deliberately drawing hostile fire, he located several well concealed enemy positions and directed a heavy barrage of mortar and tank fire upon them. Under cover of the barrage, Major FABERT deployed the company and made preparations to resume the attack. The attack again faltered in the face of intense enemy fire. Drawing his pistol, Major FABERT, in full view of the enemy, strode to the front of the company, called to his men to follow and then charged toward the enemy. Inspired by the heroism of their battalion commander, the members of the company arose and followed Major FABERT in a sustained charge to the crest of the enemy held hill. Major FABERT fell wounded, but the inspired company completely overran the enemy positions, killed the crew of one machine gun nest, wounded eight and captured twenty-six Germans. Major FABERT'S courage and aggressiveness in battle resulted in the capture of a key enemy position. Entered military service from Champaign, Illinois.

RALPH DECKER, JR., (01032272), First Lieutenant, Infantry, United States Army. For extraordinary heroism in action, on the night of 27-28 January 1945, in the vicinity of Livergnano, Italy. While First Lieutenant DECKER was leading a patrol in an attack against an enemy held house, two enemy machine guns opened fire on the patrol and halted its advance. Realizing that these emplacements must be eliminated at once, First Lieutenant DECKER continued forward alone and reached the house, where he opened fire on a nearby enemy machine gun nest. He then circled the house to reach a point behind the enemy weapon. At this time the enemy tossed a hand grenade which landed between his feet. Avoiding the exploding grenade, First Lieutenant DECKER rushed the emplacement, throwing grenades and firing his submachine gun. He killed one German and forced the other three to surrender. Searching two other houses, he discovered a dugout beneath one of the buildings, occupied by several Germans. When they refused to surrender, First Lieutenant DECKER threw two hand grenades into the position and then placed sixty pounds of explosives over the top of the dugout to destroy the house, the dugout and all its occupants. He then covered the withdrawal of his patrol by firing at the remaining German machine gun. First Lieutenant DECKER'S fearless and aggressive attack against a superior force was an inspiration to his men and his heroic performance reflects credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

CLARENCE BISHOP, (01319064), Second Lieutenant, Infantry, United States Army. For extraordinary heroism in action, on 10 October 1944, near Il Poggere, Italy. When his platoon leader became a casualty, Second Lieutenant BISHOP (then Technical Sergeant) took charge of the platoon and led an advance toward enemy positions on high ground. Enemy artillery, mortar, machine gun and sniper fire stopped the platoon two hundred yards short of its objective. Directing the platoon guide to take charge of the platoon, Second Lieutenant BISHOP moved forward alone under fire from three enemy machine guns to the front, two enemy machine guns to the rear, and long range machine gun fire from the left. He advanced to a draw which he followed a short distance. Then dashing across twenty yards of open ground, he reached a shallow ditch. Hearing an enemy emplacement, he rose to a crouch and fired, killing one member of the enemy machine gun crew and

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forcing the remaining Germans to seek cover. Second Lieutenant BISHOP quickly assaulted the emplacement, killed two more members of the crew and captured the remaining two occupants. With his two captives before him as a shield, he advanced to the next enemy emplacement. Firing his weapon as he advanced, he succeeded in capturing the crew members and their weapon intact. Second Lieutenant BISHOP boldly repeated this stratagem to take a third enemy machine gun and its crew. By these courageous actions Second Lieutenant BISHOP killed three and captured nine of the enemy, captured three enemy machine guns intact, and secured the platoon objective. Entered military service from San Antonio, Texas.

LINDSEY L. WHEELER, (01540580), Second Lieutenant, Infantry, United States Army. For extraordinary heroism in action, on 31 January 1945, at S. Ansano, Italy. Second Lieutenant WHEELER led a five-man patrol with the mission of taking an enemy strongpoint. As he and one of his men reached a building, they were challenged from a window by an armed sentry. Without hesitation, Second Lieutenant WHEELER attacked the sentry and killed him with a burst from his submachine gun. Realizing that quick action was necessary, he and his assistant stormed the building. As Second Lieutenant WHEELER fired a burst from his submachine gun into the nearest window, an enemy gunner burst through the door with his machine gun cradled in his arm, firing as he charged. Second Lieutenant WHEELER faced this assault and, in a brief duel at close range, killed the enemy gunner. Two more Germans emerged from the building, and Second Lieutenant WHEELER and his assistant succeeded in killing one of the enemy soldiers. Personally engaging the remaining enemy soldier in a hand-to-hand struggle, Second Lieutenant WHEELER quickly overpowered and disarmed his foe. Returning to friendly lines with the prisoner, the patrol was subjected to murderous enemy machine gun fire and one man was wounded by an exploding mine. Second Lieutenant WHEELER sent part of the patrol to friendly lines with the prisoner while he remained behind to supervise and assist in the evacuation of the wounded man. His gallant actions and leadership were an inspiration to his men and are in keeping with the highest traditions of the Armed Forces of the United States. Entered military service from Addy, Washington.

ROBERT F. HIXON, (38275611), Sergeant, Infantry, United States Army. For extraordinary heroism in action, on 2 October 1944, in the vicinity of Cusoni di Romagna, Italy. While his company was being subjected to violent enemy counterattacks and fired upon by strategically located snipers, Sergeant HIXON discovered the presence of an enemy tank to the rear of the company's position. Disregarding accurate sniper fire, he maneuvered to the tank and captured the vehicle and its four-man crew. While taking his prisoners to the company command post, he encountered another tank. By maneuvering skillfully through the trees, he succeeded in capturing the second tank and its occupant. Sergeant HIXON then took his five prisoners to the company command post and through intense artillery and sniper fire returned to the tanks which he rendered useless. Sergeant HIXON's courage under intense enemy fire and his skilful execution of a difficult operation exemplify the highest traditions of the Armed Forces of the United States. Entered military service from Uniontown, Pennsylvania.

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HARRY E. HAMILTON, (39320831), Private First Class, Infantry, United States Army. For extraordinary heroism in action, on 14 September 1944, near Mount Calvi, Italy. When several members of his company attempting to outflank the

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enemy were stopped by intense fire, Private First Class HAMILTON, an automatic rifleman, boldly made his way to a forward position and opened fire on the Germans. Silencing an enemy machine gun with several bursts from his rifle, he continued forward to engage the enemy and killed six Germans in the ensuing fire fight. Three Germans attempted to man their abandoned machine gun, but Private First Class HAMILTON disposed of them. Later, he repulsed a counterattack by thirty Germans with a heavy volume of fire from his automatic rifle. In the afternoon of the same day a force of seventy-five Germans launched a flanking counterattack against his company. Locating an enemy machine gun supporting the attack, Private First Class HAMILTON arose and fired from the hip to silence the enemy weapon. This action inspired his comrades in forcing the withdrawal of the enemy. Private First Class HAMILTON was wounded severely during the fight, but he continued to fire at the enemy until darkness. The courage and indomitable fighting spirit of Private First Class HAMILTON are exemplary of the finest traditions of the American Soldier. Entered military service from Portland, Oregon.

III AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, a Soldier's Medal is awarded to the following-named enlisted man:

WILLIAM F. KELLY, (32166190) Private First Class, Ordnance Department, United States Army. For heroism not involving actual conflict, on 8 June 1943 at Djalta, Tunisia. During a fire in a large ammunition dump, an American soldier sustained injuries and became trapped in the midst of stacks of exploding ammunition. Upon learning of the situation, Private First Class KELLY immediately jumped into his truck, drove into the hazardous area and aided in loading the injured soldier into the truck. Driving to safety through the exploding ammunition, Private First Class KELLY rushed the soldier to the hospital. The courageous action of Private First Class KELLY reflects credit upon himself and exemplifies the high traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Woodstown, New Jersey.

IV AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded, posthumously, to the following-named enlisted man:

GEORGE M. RYERSON, (36004961), Technician Fifth Grade, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. For meritorious services in support of combat operations, from 3 to 15 February 1944, in Italy. Entered military service from West York, Illinois. Next of kin: Mrs. Ella Ryerson (Mother).

V AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following-named officers and enlisted men:

JOHN G. DETWILER, (0303660), Colonel, Ordnance Department, United States Army. For heroic achievement in action, on 27 May 1944, in the vicinity of Velletri, Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

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NORMAN E. FISKE, (04741), Colonel, Cavalry, United States Army. For meritorious services in support of combat operations, during May and June 1944, in Italy. Entered military service from Portland, Oregon.

EDMUND L. DLUGEWSKY, (0482491), Lieutenant Colonel, Finance Department, United States Army. For meritorious services in support of combat operations, from 27 August 1943 to 9 March 1945, in North Africa and Italy. Entered military service from Pacific Grove, California.

CHARLES A. RAGAN, JR., (0431090), Major, Medical Corps, United States Army. For meritorious services in support of combat operations, from 16 March 1943 to 1 March 1945, in North Africa and Italy. Entered military service from Scarsdale, New York.

JOHN B. BABAS, (01573020), Captain, Ordnance Department, United States Army. For meritorious services in support of combat operations, from 1 December 1944 to 15 February 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

FRANCIS T. GOLFIN, (01115602), First Lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. For meritorious service in combat, from 10 September 1944 to 1 March 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Jackson Heights, Long Island, New York.

GORDON B. MASON (01695615), First Lieutenant, Military Intelligence, United States Army. For meritorious service in combat from 11 September 1943 to 28 February 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Masury, Ohio.

JOHN MITTENHOLZER, JR., (0303332), First Lieutenant, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. For meritorious services in support of combat operations, from 16 February 1944 to 25 May 1944, in Italy. Entered military service from Dayton, Ohio.

ABBA M. BEERMAN, (W2105410), Chief Warrant Officer, United States Army. For meritorious services in support of combat operations, from 15 April 1944 to 28 February 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Altoona, Pennsylvania.

ROBERT J. CUNNINGHAM, Special Agent, United States Army. For meritorious service in combat, from 3 November 1943 to 28 February 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Cambridge, Massachusetts.

BALDO LAZZERINI, (31031963), Technical Sergeant, Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious service in combat, on 1 October 1943, in Naples, Italy. Entered military service from Franklin, Massachusetts.

EDGAR J. MANSFIELD, (36557336), Technical Sergeant, Finance Department, United States Army. For meritorious services in support of combat operations, from 6 October 1943 to 28 February 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from Hazel Park, Michigan.

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CLAUDE E. LARKIN, (34242245), Sergeant, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. For meritorious services in support of combat operations, from 1 October to 17 November 1944, in Italy. Entered military service from Quincy, Florida.

LOUIS B. BOXER, (12061001), Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Corps, United States Army. For heroic achievement in action, on 5 and 6 February 1945, at Porreta Terme, Italy. Entered military service from New York, New York.

EDWARD L. POWELL, (35717594), Technician Fifth Grade, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. For meritorious service in combat, from 15 May to 15 October 1944, in Italy. Entered military service from Evansville, Indiana.

VI AWARDS OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE.

Under the provisions of Section I, Circular Number 345, War Department, 23 August 1944, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to the following units:

2D AUXILIARY SURGICAL GROUP, for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks from 1 September to 31 October 1944, in Italy.

12TH MEDICAL DEPOT COMPANY, for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks from 1 November to 31 December 1944, in Italy.

204TH QUARTERMASTER BATTALION (MOBILE), for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks from 1 January to 1 March 1945, in Italy.

229TH SIGNAL OPERATING COMPANY, for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks during the period 1 November to 31 December 1944, in Italy.

550TH AMBULANCE COMPANY, MOTOR, for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks from 1 November to 31 December 1944, in Italy.

551ST AMBULANCE COMPANY, MOTOR, for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks from 1 October to 30 November 1944, in Italy.

816TH QUARTERMASTER STERILIZATION COMPANY, for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks from 1 December 1944 to 31 January 1945, in Italy.

COMPANY G, 2675TH REGIMENT (OVERHEAD), for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks from 1 January 1944 to 9 March 1945, in Italy.

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VII COMMENDATION OF UNIT.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-55, the following-named organization is commended:

THE 3D PLATOON, COMPANY B, 751ST TANK BATTALION is commended for meritorious performance of duty in action, from 24 to 28 November 1944, at Corona, Italy. Advancing in support of an attack to capture the town of Corona, the 3D PLATOON, lost two tanks, destroyed enemy machine gun positions prepared on high ground and directed effective fire into stone houses which the enemy had converted into strongpoints. Reaching the objective, the platoon was attacked in force before defensive positions could be consolidated completely. The instant the enemy artillery preparation ceased, the Germans fanatically charged the tank positions and simultaneously attempted to recapture the strongpoints. The attack was repulsed, and the enemy retreated in disorder before the deadly fire delivered by the 3D PLATOON. For the next three days the enemy persistently shelled Corona from strategic positions overlooking the town, and the fourth day an all-out offensive was launched by a German force in approximately battalion strength supported by armor. Attacked from three sides, the defending troops were completely outnumbered by a determined enemy. Though confined by the narrow roads and buildings, the 3D PLATOON maneuvered to meet the assault. The leading German tank was immediately engaged and destroyed by one tank of the 3D PLATOON. Another tank, with its 75-m gun damaged and several crew members wounded, was placed in position to deliver fire upon the attacking enemy infantry. The three tanks of the 3D PLATOON remained in position and continued to fire until ammunition was exhausted; then several members of the platoon joined the small infantry holding force. Although the overwhelming German force succeeded in regaining possession of the strongpoints and the high ground, the gallant and courageous efforts of the members of the 3D PLATOON, COMPANY B, 751ST TANK BATTALION made possible the withdrawal of the main body of troops with minimum losses.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL TRUSCOTT:

OFFICIAL:

M. F. Grant

M. F. GRANT
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

DON E. CARLETON
Brigadier General, GSC
Chief of Staff

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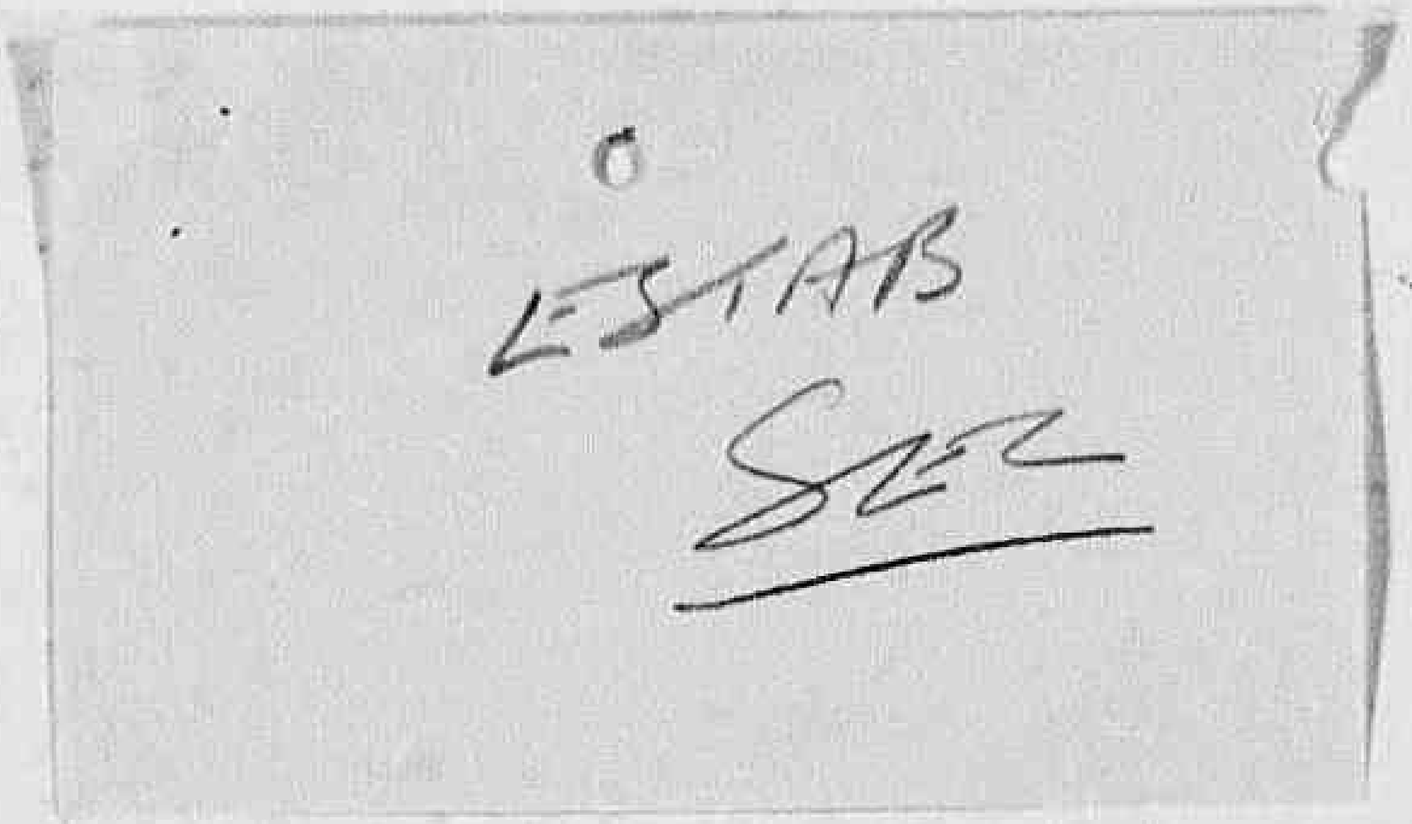

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
FIFTH ARMY
APO 464

17 April 1945

SUBJECT: Meritorious Service Unit Plaque and Commendation of AMG Fifth Army

TO : Chief Commissioner, Allied Commission

1. There is enclosed herewith a true copy of the official communication from the Commanding General of the Fifth Army together with general order and citation for the award of the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque (War Department) to Allied Military Government Fifth Army. The award is technically made in favor of Company "G", 2675th Regiment. It is desired also to honor the British personnel of AMG Fifth Army and a separate citation has been requested but since this is to British personnel prior approval must be obtained from the proper authorities before the award can be made. This is the first award of a Meritorious Service Unit Plaque to any organization of Allied Military Government in this or any other theatre and it is one of half a dozen such awards made by the Army Commander.

2. There is also forwarded a copy of a commendation of AMG personnel received from the Commanding General of II Corps which bears a flattering indorsement from the Army Commander. The personnel who rendered the service in the II Corps are, of course, entitled to the full credit for this commendation, particularly the officer in charge, Lieutenant Colonel Francis M. Gray.

EDGAR ERSKINE HUME
Brigadier General, GSC
Senior Civil Affairs Officer
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HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY
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SUBJECT: Award of Meritorious Service Unit Plaque

TO : A. C. of S., G-5, Headquarters Fifth Army.

1. The Meritorious Service Unit Plaque has been awarded to Company C, 2675th Regiment (Overhead) for services rendered from 1 January 1944 to 9 March 1945. A copy of the official citation and general orders announcing this award are inclosed.

2. The War Department Plaque and sleeve insignia may be requisitioned from the Army Quartermaster.

3. It is desired that the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque be presented with appropriate ceremony as soon as possible, and a report rendered this headquarters when accomplished.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL THROCKMORTON:

JOHN D. RAINEY
1st Lt., AGD
Asst Adjutant General

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COMPANY G, 2675TH REGIMENT (OVERHEAD), is awarded the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks from 1 January 1944 to 9 March 1945, in Italy. Exhibiting a keen perception of the varied and diverse problems arising from the Allied occupation of foreign localities, personnel of this organization have performed a highly important mission in the administration of Allied Military Government affairs in Italy. Working diligently under difficult conditions, members of COMPANY G were instrumental in the effective and rapid restoration of the civilian population and government to a state of normalcy following combat operations. The notable manner in which this company performed its mission has resulted in a valuable contribution to successful operations by Fifth Army.

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VI AWARDS OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE.

Under the provisions of Section I, Circular Number 345, War Department, 23 August 1944, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to the following units:

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COMPANY G, 2675TH REGIMENT (OVERHEAD), for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks from 1 January 1944 to 9 March 1945, in Italy.

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BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL TRUSCOTT:

DON E. CARLETON
Brigadier General, GSC
Chief of Staff

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1st Lieutenant, AGD

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HEADQUARTERS II CORPS
Office of the Commanding General
APO 19 U.S. Army

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9 April 1945

SUBJECT: Commendation of AMG Personnel.

THRU : Commanding General, Fifth Army.

TO : Brigadier General ERSKINE E. HUME

I desire to commend the Allied Military Government personnel under your jurisdiction for their splendid performance of duty in the control and care of civilians in the various II Corps zones of action throughout the current campaign. Closely following combat elements into captured towns and territories, they have so quickly established order, that in no instance has the unrestricted movement of civilians seriously hampered operations.

Their work during periods of comparative inactivity on the front has been equally important. By aggressive supervision they have achieved marked results in the prompt removal of debris, and in generally raising the standards of sanitation and cleanliness in the towns adjacent to II Corps sphere of action. The result of this has been not only to reduce illness and disease, thereby safeguarding the health of our troops, but also to stimulate and foster among the civilians a communal spirit and a sense of responsibility for their own welfare that are certain to benefit our own operations as well as greatly facilitate the task of restoring these areas to Italian control.

I shall be pleased if you will convey my appreciation and thanks to the personnel concerned.

GEOFFREY KEYES
Major General, USA
Commanding

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HQ FIFTH ARMY, APO 464, U. S. Army, 16 April 1945

TO: Brigadier General Edgar Erskine Hume
A.C. of S., G-5, Headquarters Fifth Army

I am pleased to forward this commendation from the Commanding General, II Corps, and take this opportunity to express my own praise and appreciation for the splendid achievements by Allied Military Government personnel in support of operations.

L. K. TRUSCOTT, JR.
Lieutenant General, USA
Commanding

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19 April 1945

SUBJECT: Battle Participation Awards

TO: All Concerned

1. In accordance with paragraph 21 b (2), AR 260-10, 25 October 1944, letters this headquarters, file and subject as above, dated 18 October 1944, 10 November 1944, 30 December 1944, and 23 February 1945 are further amended to include units entitled to battle participation credit.

2. Under the provisions of paragraph 7 b (1), Circular 195, War Department, 1944, individual members of units listed in this or previously published Battle Participation Award letters, are entitled to wear a bronze service star to indicate battle participation in the designated campaign.

3. In accordance with paragraph 8, Circular 62, War Department, 1944, necessary entries will be noted in Service Records (WD AGO Form 24) of enlisted men and on Officers' and Warrant Officers' Qualification Cards (WD AGO Form 66-1 or 66-2).

4. Southern France Campaign

a. Ground Forces

Add:
17th FA Bn
36th AAA Oper Det
85th Engr HP Bn
89th Ord HM Co
424th Engr DT Co
528th QM Gp (Hq&HqDet)
533d APU
1202d Engr FF Plt
1204th Engr FF Plt
1428th Engr Mob S/L Unit
1627th Engr Util Det
3068th QM SR Co
3250th QM Serv Co

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b. Air Forces

Add:
1st Emerg Resc Sq
314th Ftr Sq
332d Ftr Gp (Hqs)
97th Bomb Sq

DELETE:
345th Ftr Sq
346th Ftr Sq

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5. Naples-Foggia and Rome-Arno Campaigns

Add: a. Ground Forces

19th Engr Combat Gp (Hq&HqCo)
35th Avn Oper Det
39th Engr Combat Gp(Hq&HqCo)
401st Engr Combat Bn
402d Engr Combat Bn
404th Engr Combat Bn
643d Engr Combat Bn
1983d Engr Avn FF Plt

DELETE: 1st Signal Bn

b. Air Forces

Add:

3d Photo Gp, Recn
51st Tp Carr Sq
97th Bomb Gp
158th Med Disp (Avn)
1059th Sig Co, SG

DELETE: 3d Photo Recn Gp
12th Tp Carr Comd (Hq&HqSq)
52d Tp Carr Wg (Hq&HqSq)
812th Cml Co
1952d Ord Dep Co, Avn
2019th Ord Maint Co

6. Rome-Arno Campaign

a. Ground Forces

Add:

1st Sig Bn
9th QM Bkry Plt
10th MRU (Mbl)
32d Sig Ctr Team
52d Cml Proc Co
86th QM Rhd Co
102d Sig L Cons Bn
103d Sig L Cons Bn
171st Evac Hosp
183d QM Dep Sup Co
191st MP Co (ZI)
217th Engr DT Co
224th Engr GS Regt
226th Engr GS Regt
240th QM Bn(Hq&HqDet)
320th QM Bn (Hq&Hq Det)
428th FA Gp (Hqs)
527th FA Bn
530th FA Bn
536th FA Bn
597th Engr LE Co
601st Ord Amo Co
679th TD Bn
765th FA Bn
766th FA Bn
1086th Engr Dep Co
1530th Engr Dep Co
2604th Vet Sta Hosp
2605th Vet Sta Hosp
2692d Hq Co CSDIC
2695th Tech Sup Regt
3133d Sig Sv Co
3142d Sig Sv Gp (Hqs)
3363d QM Trk Co
3365th QM Trk Co
6481st QM Pack Co
6715th WAC Comm Co

Add: b. Air Forces

5th Photo Gp Recn
7th Med Sup Plt
17th Air Dep Gp (Hq&HqSq)
1081st Sig Co, SG, Avn
1643d Ord SM Co Avn
1778th Ord SMCo, Avn

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28th Dep Rpr Sq
37th Photo Recn Sq
43d Med Sup Plt
81st Ftr Gp
385th Air Sv Sq
618th MP Bn
649th MP Bn
650th MP Bn
743d MP Bn (CoB)
812th Cml Co
817th Cml Co
1952d Ord Dep Co, Avn
2010th Ord Maint Co
2091st Engr Avn MF Plt

DELETE: 61st Tp Carr Wg

7. Naples-Foggia Campaign

a. Ground Forces

Add: 1st Sig Bn (Co C)
41st Engr GS Regt (1st Bn)
3046th QM Trk Co

b. Air Forces

Add: 61st Tp Carr Gp
302d Dep Rpr Sq
313th Tp Carr Gp
314th Tp Carr Gp
316th Tp Carr Gp
1951st Ord Dep Co, Avn
1963d Engr Dep Co

8. Sicilian Campaign

a. Air Forces

Add: 1006th Sig Co, SG

DELETE: 346th Sv Sq

9. Tunisian Campaign

a. Ground Forces

Add: 523th AFU

b. Air Forces

Add: 303d Air Sv Sq

DELETE: 99th Ftr Sq
831st Engr
1963d Ord Dep Co, Avn

10. Algerian-French Morocco Campaign

a. Air Forces

Add: 12th Ftr Com (HqMqSq, 31st Hq Co AAS)

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11. In accordance with the provisions of paragraph 21 b (2), AR 260-10, dated 25 October 1944, the following units are authorized special battle participation honors under the term "Air Combat", as established by General Orders Number 75, War Department, dated 29 October 1943.

Air Combat-Balkans

(1) Combat Zone - Bulgaria, Rumania, Jugoslavia, Albania and Greece.
(2) Time Limitations - 1 November 1943 to 31 December 1944.

1st Ftr Gp
2d Bomb Gp
5th Photo Gp, Rcn
14th Ftr Gp
15th Spec Gp
31st Ftr Gp
52d Ftr Gp
82d Ftr Gp
97th Bomb Gp
98th Bomb Gp
99th Bomb Gp
154th Wea Rcn Sq
301st Bomb Sq
325th Ftr Gp
332d Ftr Gp
376th Bomb Gp
449th Bomb Gp
450th Bomb Gp
451st Bomb Gp
454th Bomb Gp
455th Bomb Gp
456th Bomb Gp
459th Bomb Gp
460th Bomb Gp
461st Bomb Gp
463d Bomb Gp
464th Bomb Gp
465th Bomb Gp
483d Bomb Gp
484th Bomb Gp
485th Bomb Gp

12. Paragraph 12 b, Secret letter, MTOUSA, file and subject as above, dated 30 December 1944, is amended to read as follows:

60th Tp Carr Gp — (1) Combat Zone - Balkans & Greece (2) Time Limitations - 27 March 1944 to 17 October 1944

62d Tp Carr Gp — (1) Combat Zone - Balkans & Greece (2) Time Limitations - December 1943 to 29 March 1944 and 11 October 1944 to final date.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCNARNEY:

C. W. CHRISTENBERRY
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

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200.6
x-201-Baldridge, Howard M. (Off)
(18 Mar 45) 2d Ind. CMP/LMJR/rsl
HEADQUARTERS, 2675TH REGIMENT, ALLIED COMMISSION, (OVERHEAD), APO 394, U. S. Army, 2 April 1945.

THRU: Commanding Officer, Headquarters Command, Allied Force, APO 512, U. S. Army.

TO : Commanding General, MTOUSA, APO 512, U. S. Army.

1. Reference basic communication, which authorizes the acceptance by a member of this command of a decoration proposed to be conferred by the Italian Government.

2. Attention is invited to 3d Indorsement, AG 201-Fiske, Norman E. (Off) (30 Oct 44), Hq MTOUSA, dated 6 December 1944, which states, "Present theater policies preclude the making of service awards to personnel assigned to staff positions and currently performing duties for which recommended". 3d Indorsement, AG 201-P-Densmore, Leonard D. (Off) (18 Dec 44), Hq MTOUSA, dated 9 January 1945, addressed to Deputy President, Allied Commission, also states, "The recommendation is returned for resubmission at such time as Colonel Densmore is released from duty with the Allied Commission".

3. Attention is further invited to the attached copy of 2d Indorsement, AG 200.6, Hq 15th Army Group, 29 December 1944.

4. Awards of the Legion of Merit to officers of this Regiment have recently been made as follows:

a. Lt Col Elmer N. Holmgreen, Co "O" 2675th Regt, Alcom (Ovhd), on duty with AMG 5th Army, per GO #94, Hq MTOUSA, dated 22 September 1944.

b. Lt Col Thomas J. Michie, Co "G" 2675th Regt, Alcom (Ovhd), on duty with AMG 5th Army, per GO #28, Hq MTOUSA, dated 11 February 1945.

c. Lt Col Robert B. Mennapace, Co "G" 2675th Regt, Alcom (Ovhd), on duty with AMG 5th Army, per GO #30, Hq MTOUSA, dated 13 February 1945.

5. Inasmuch as the above awards have been made to officer members of the 2675th Regiment, and the fact that Colonel Baldridge is now assigned to Headquarters, Allied Commission, is this authorization for the acceptance of a decoration by this officer and the awards cited to be considered a reversal of the policy indicated in the indorsements cited in Paragraph 2 and 3, above? Is it now to be considered that officers assigned to the Allied Commission may be recommended for award of the Legion of Merit?

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C. M. PARKIN
Colonel, Infantry
Commanding

1 Incl:
2d Ind, file AG 200.6, Hq 15th Army Group, dtd 29 Dec 44.

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AG 200.6 2d Ind. OCL/rch
HEADQUARTERS FIFTEENTH ARMY GROUP, APO 777, 29 December 1944.

TO: Commanding Officer, 2675th Regt, AC (Ovhd), APO 394, U. S. Army.

Returned without action. Headquarters MTOUSA has indicated that they will not consider recommendations for Award of Legions of Merit for personnel of Allied Commission while such personnel remained assigned to the commission.

For the Commanding General:

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G. C. LEWIS,
Lt Col, G. S. C.,
Actg Adj General.

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F. R. WERMUTH
CWO USA

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

157/20/EST

9 March 1945

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award

TO : Regional Commissioner, Southern Region

1. Reference is made to your R/1637, of 6 March 1945.

2. The 2675th Regiment advises that a recommendation for the award of the Legion of Merit to Colonel Temperley has already gone forward. To date no notification of action taken by higher headquarters has been received. If the award is approved, Colonel Temperley will be furnished copies of the pertinent orders direct.

for NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Capt Montant: -

Subject award was forwarded approved from this headquarters 21 December 1944 requesting that decoration be made. No further information has been received on this matter todate. If the award is approved Col Temperley will be furnished copies of General Order making such, regardless of where he is now located.

G. B. Pate,
WOJG USA

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Chief Clerk	
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Deputy Chief of Staff	
→ Staff Officer	
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G-1 (A)	
G-1 (B)	
G-4 (A)	
G-4 (B)	
Headquarters Commandant	
Adjutant, 26/5th Regt ←	

FOR: Was any action ever taken on original letter?

Draft of reply for signature of
Please see/telephone me about this
Investigation and report
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Your Information and return
Your File

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL COMMISSIONER
APO 394

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R/1637

6 March 1945

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award

TO : Establishments Branch, H.Q. Allied Commission

Colonel Roland Birnn, Commanding Allied Air Force Command, very kindly sent a representative to my office a few days ago bearing the attached copy of his letter 210.5 of 25 July 1944. I do not know what action was initiated by you on the original letter, But I pass on Colonel Birnn's desire that some testimony should be shown to Colonel Temperley.

HEADQUARTERS
7 MAR 1945

Regional Commissioner

Incl: As stated above.

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ALLIED AIR FORCE AREA COMMAND
APO 650

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210.5 25 July, 1944

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award.

TO : Deputy Chief, Civil Affairs Officer, Headquarters, Allied Control Commission, APO 394.

1. Request that Clive E. Temperley, Colonel, British Army, be recommended to Headquarters, NATOUSA, by you for the award of the U.S. Legion of Merit, of an appropriate degree, under the provisions of AR 600-45, W.D. Bulletin 40, 1942, and NATOUSA Circular 89, 10 July 1944, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performing of outstanding services during the period 1 January 1944 to 22 July 1944 as Provincial Commissioner, AMG, Foggia Province.

2. During the above period the major portion of Foggia Province was included in the Allied Air Force Area, which was administered by AAF Area Command as controlling agency, and which I command. The major military activity of the area is the operation and administration of a tremendous number of Allied Air Force units. The major economic activity is the production of grain. The province had been one of the worst malarious areas in this theater and the towns were overcrowded with refugees in addition to troops stationed therein.

3. Col. Temperley as Provincial Commissioner, AMG, Foggia Province, during the entire tenure of his office not only cooperated with this Command in effecting necessary measures in the civil government which were requested by this Headquarters, but repeatedly initiated and suggested effective measures in the civil administration to better the immediate war effort of the air forces. In addition, his handling of agricultural activities has been partially responsible for the excellent harvest of grain in the province; every ton of which will relieve that much demand for import shipping space on Allied transports. His part in pushing through the AMG part of the malaria control program has been in no small way responsible for the removal of malaria as a dangerous factor in the area.

4. In the requisition of public and private property for military needs in this overcrowded area which often resulted in hardships on civilian and official occupants and owners, Col. Temperley was usually able to adjust matters in large scale evacuations so that a very favorable impression of Allied efficiency and humaneness was created among the civil officials and the civil population. This counteracted demagogue influences in Cerignola and bitter memories of many Foggians of our bombing of their city prior to our occupation.

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Ltr, to ACC, Recommendation for Award. (Cont'd)

5. As the United States is the controlling Agency in this area, the award should be from that country. My position in relation to Col. Temperley is not that of a commander, therefore I cannot directly recommend him for the award, but request that the recommendation be made by his superiors.

ROLAND BIKNN,
Colonel, AC,
Commanding.

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27 Feb. 1945

Lieut. Major Long

Award of Bronze Star to Maj. Long.

A.E.F. 2413

See 100/Post

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Ref/157/Est 1st Ind. NEF/mrd

HQ, ALLIED COMMISSION, Establishment Section. APO 394.
20 Feb. 45.
TO: Headquarters, Mediterranean Theater of Operations,
United States Army, APO 512.

1. The recommendation for the award of the Legion of Merit to R. M. J. Martin of the British Army will be considered at the next meeting of the Board of Officers appointed by the Allied Commission to consider such awards.

2. This meeting should take place about Feb. 26th.

For the Chief Commissioner:

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

AG 200.6/040 P-O

30 December 1944

SUBJECT: Battle Participation Awards

TO : All Concerned

1. In accordance with paragraph 21 b (2), AR 260-10, 25 October 1944, letter this headquarters, file and subject as above, dated 10 November 1944, is further amended to include units entitled to battle participation credit.

2. Under the provisions of paragraph 7 b (1), Circular 195, War Department, 1944, individual members of units listed in this, or previously published Battle Participation Award letters, are entitled to wear a bronze service star to indicate battle participation in the designated campaign.

3. Individuals assigned to units which have not been accorded battle credit in any previously published letters this headquarters, may qualify for a battle star in accordance with paragraph 7 b (2), Circular 195, War Department, 1944 (republished in paragraph 7 c (2), Circular 89, this headquarters, 1944). Paragraph 7 b (2), Circular 195, War Department, 1944, should be cited as authority in these cases.

4. In accordance with paragraph 8, Circular 62, War Department, 1944, necessary entries will be noted in Service Records (WD AGO Form 24) of enlisted men and on officers' and warrant officers' Qualification Cards (WD AGO Form 66-1 or 66-2). Entries reading "Italian Campaign" should be lined out and the words "Naples-Foggia" and/or "Rome-Arno" substituted therefor. Previously cited authority need not be changed.

5. a. Southern France Campaign

(1) Combat Zone - Those portions of France, (exclusive of Corsica), occupied by forces assigned to MTOUSA, and adjacent waters.

(2) Time Limitations - 15 August 1944 to 14 September 1944.

b. Ground Forces

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AND:

1st Staging Area Bn, TC (Co A)
5th Sig Det, Hqs Ship
6th Sig Det, Hqs Ship
6th Port TC (Hq & Hq Co)
12th Cml Maint Co
17th Vet Evac Hosp
20th Base PO
25th Cml Decon Co
28th Sig Oper Co
41st Engr GS Regt

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5. b. Ground Forces (cont'd)

ADD:

42d Hosp Train
45th Vet Co
48th QM GR Co
52d QM Bn (mbl)
62d MP Co PC S
64th MP Co PC S
66th MP Co PC S
69th QM Bn
69th MP Co
70th Med Base Dep Co
71st Med Base Dep Co
78th Stn Hosp
80th Stn Hosp
80th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
132d Mil Cml Unit
164th Med Bn
164th Cml SG Co
178th QM Bkry Co
180th Stn Hosp
182d MP Co
196th Engr DT Co
227th QM SC Co
231st Med Disp Bn
241st MP Co, ZI
259th QM Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
376th Engr Bn
444th MP P/W Proc Co (2d Plt Sep)
480th Port Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
575th FA Bn
630th FA Bn
688th Port Co
689th Port Co
690th Port Co
691st Port Co
749th MP Bn
784th Engr PD Co
814th QM Stor Co
930th QM Pet Lab
976th Ord Dep Co
994th Sig Serv Co
995th FA Bn
1049th Engr Gas Gen Unit
1553d Engr HD Bn
1753d Engr DT Co
3286th QM Serv Co
3287th QM Serv Co
3288th QM Serv Co
3289th QM Serv Co
3299th QM Serv Co
3303th QM Serv Co
3333d QM Trk Co
3334th QM Trk Co
3335th QM Trk Co
3336th QM Trk Co
3353d QM Trk Co
3354th QM Trk Co
3880th QM GS Co
6709th CID Plt
6832d POW Adm Co
6837th Civil Aff Regt

DELETE: 80th AAA Gun Bn

c. Air Forces

ADD:

4th Tp Carr Sq
5th Photo Recon Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
5th Photo Recon Sq
7th Tp Carr Sq
8th Tp Carr Sq
10th Tp Carr Sq
11th Tp Carr Sq
12th Tp Carr Sq
16th Tp Carr Sq
17th Tp Carr Sq
17th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
18th Tp Carr Sq
27th Ftr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
28th Tp Carr Sq

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5. c. Air Forces (cont'd)

ADD:

31st Ftr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
34th Bomb Sq
35th Tp Carr Sq
37th Bomb Sq
47th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
51st Tp Carr Sq
57th Ftr Gp
60th Tp Carr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
62d Tp Carr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
64th Tp Carr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
64th Ftr Sq
65th Ftr Sq
66th Ftr Sq
79th Bomb Sq
79th Ftr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
82d Ftr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
84th Bomb Sq
85th Bomb Sq
85th Ftr Sq
86th Bomb Sq
86th Ftr Sq
86th Ftr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
87th Ftr Sq
95th Bomb Sq
95th Ftr Sq
96th Ftr Sq
97th Ftr Sq
303d Air Serv Sq
308th Sig Co, Wg
310th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
314th Ftr Sq
315th Ftr Sq
316th Ftr Sq
319th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
320th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
321st Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
324th Ftr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
325th Ftr Ctl Sq
325th Ftr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
328th Ftr Ctl Sq
332d Ftr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
332d Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
340th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
343d Sig Co, Wg
346th Sig Co, Wg
347th Ftr Sq
350th Ftr Sq
379th Bomb Sq
380th Bomb Sq
381st Bomb Sq
414th Nt Ftr Sq
428th Bomb Sq
429th Bomb Sq
431st Sig Cons Bn
432d Bomb Sq
437th Bomb Sq
438th Bomb Sq
439th Bomb Sq
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488th Bomb Sq
489th Bomb Sq
522d Ftr Sq
523d Ftr Sq
524th Ftr Sq
525th Ftr Sq
526th Ftr Sq
527th Ftr Sq
560th Sig AW Bn
593d Sig AW Bn
802d Med Air Evac Sq
805th Engr Bn (Avn)
807th Med Air Evac Sq
874th Sig Co
2493d QM Trk Co (Avn)
6569th Ord Bn
6728th Adm Flt, AFRC

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DELETE:

1963d Engr Dep Co

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6. a. Naples-Foggia and Rome-Arno Campaigns

(1) Naples-Foggia Campaign

(a) Combat Zone - Italy (exclusive of Sicily and Sardinia), Corsica and adjacent waters.

(b) Time Limitations - 9 September 1943 to 21 January 1944.

(2) Rome-Arno Campaign

(a) Combat Zone - Italy (exclusive of Sicily and Sardinia), Corsica and adjacent waters to include 15 August 1944, thereafter that portion of the Italian mainland and its adjacent waters North of 42 degrees North Latitude.

(b) Time Limitations - 22 January 1944 to final date.

b. Ground Forces

ADD:

53d MP Co, PC S
60th QM Base Dep (Hq & Hq Co)
87th AAA G Bn
183d QM Dep Sup Co
335th Engr GS Regt
351st AAA SL Bn
401st AAA G Bn
505th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
562d Port Co
563d Port Co
564th Port Co
565th Port Co
676th Port Co
677th Port Co
678th Port Co
679th Port Co
675th Cml Co
3270th QM Serv Co
3271st QM Serv Co
3272d QM Serv Co
3273d QM Serv Co
3337th QM Trk Co
3338th QM Trk Co
3339th QM Trk Co
3340th QM Trk Co
3341st QM Trk Co
4133d QM Serv Co

DELETE:

IV Corps (all units)
5th Ord MM Co
10th Port (Hq & Hq Co)
21st QM Car Co
33d Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
37th Spec Serv Co
40th Sta Hosp
41st Engr Regt
56th Ord Bomb Disp Co
67th CA AA Regt
68th CA AA Regt
69th MP Co
72d QM Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
82d Airborne Div (all units)
117th Sig RI Co
137th MP Co
204th QM Car Co
209th CA AA Regt
213th CA AA Regt
351st AAA SL Bn (Hq & Hq Btry)
424th QM Ldry Co
439th Repl Co
440th Repl Co
441st Repl Co
505th CA AA Regt
517th Engr HS Co
542d Repl Co
552d Sig Dep Co

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6. b. Ground Forces (cont'd)

ADD:
4134th QM Serv Co
6675th Serv Co
6716th WAC Hqs Co
BS (Hqs Comd)

DELETE:
681st Ord Am Co
699th Port Co
702d Engr Pet Disb Co
719th Ry Oper Bn
760th Ry Diesel Shop Bn (Co A)
813th TD Bn
899th TD Bn
976th Sig Serv Co
1754th Engr DT Co
3546th QM Trk Co
3547th QM Trk Co
3548th QM Trk Co
3879th QM GS Co
4151st QM Dep Co

c. Air Forces

ADD:
11th Air Depot Gp (Hq Sq)
11th Dep Rep Sq
11th Dep Sup Sq
12th Air Support Comd (Hq & Hq Sq)
12th Bomb Comd (Hq & Hq Sq)
17th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
22d Dep Sup Sq
31st Dep Rep Sq
32d Dep Sup Sq
34th Bomb Sq
37th Bomb Sq
38th Dep Rep Sq
41st Dep Sup Sq
68th Tact Recn Gp
85th Dep Rep Sq
91st Air Serv Sq
95th Bomb Sq
122d Liaison Sq
122d Sig R I Co
160th Mod Disp (Avn)
302d Sig Co, Wg
319th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
319th Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
320th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
345th Ftr Sq
354th Air Serv Sq
428th Bomb Sq
431st Sig HV Cons Bn
433d Bomb Sq
437th Bomb Sq
438th Bomb Sq
439th Bomb Sq
440th Bomb Sq
441st Bomb Sq
442d Bomb Sq
443d Bomb Sq
444th Bomb Sq
485th AFU
701st Cml Maint Co
743d MP Bn (Co D)
802d Med Air Evac Sq
807th Med Air Evac Sq
812th Cml Co, Avn
874th Sig Co, SG
875th Cml Co (AC)
895th MP Co
907th AB Sec Bn
907th Sig Dep Co (Avn)
908th AB Sec Bn
914th Sig Dep Co (Avn)
951st Engr Topo Co, Avn
953d Engr Topo Co, Avn
954th Engr Topo Co, Avn
956th Engr Topo Co, Avn
975th MP Co (Avn)
1005th Sig Co, SG
1023d Sig Co, SG, Avn
1051st MP Co, Avn

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6. c. Air Forces (cont'd)

ADD:

1055th MP Co, Avn
1056th MP Co, Avn
1149th QM Co, SG
1911th Ord Ammo Co, Avn
1920th Ord Ammo Co, Avn
1934th QM Trk Co, Avn
1941st QM Trk Co, Avn
1948th QM Trk Co, Avn
2012th Ord Maint Co
2262d QM Trk Co, Avn
2264th QM Trk Co, Avn
2445th QM Trk Co, Avn
6571st Ord Bn
6572d Ord Bn
AAF Engr Comd, MTO (Hqs)

DELETE:

18th Air Dep Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
600th Engr Comp Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
702d Engr Pet Dist Co
941st Engr Avn Topo Bn
1898th Engr Bn
AAF Engr Comd, MTO (Hq & Hq Co)

7. a. Rome-Arno Campaign

(1) Combat Zone - Italy (exclusive of Sicily and Sardinia), Corsica and adjacent waters to include 15 August 1944, thereafter that portion of the Italian mainland and its adjacent waters North of 42 degrees North Latitude.

(2) Time Limitations - 22 January 1944 to final date.

b. Ground Forces

ADD:

1st Staging Area Bn (Co C)
3d Ord MM Co
5th Ord MM Co
8th Gen Disp
10th Port (Hq & Hq Co)
20th Port (Hq & Hq Co)
20th Base PO
21st Traffic Reg Gp
21st QM Car Co
26th Gp Gp (Hq & Hq Co)
33d Regl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
40th Sta Hosp
41st Engr Regt
45th Vet Co
45th Spec Serv Co
52d MRU (mbl)
54th QM Bn (mbl) (Hq & Hq Det)
56th QM Sales Co
62d Sig Bn
63d Ord MM Co
67th MP Co PC S
69th MP Co
70th Ord MM Co
72d QM Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
85th Engr HP Bn
92d Inf Div (all units)
100th Ord MM Co
116th AGF Band
117th Sig RI Co
118th AGF Band
137th MP Co
170th Evac Hosp
177th MP Co, ZI
184th QM Dep Co
192d Port Co
193d Port Co
200th Sig Dep Co
204th QM Car Co
209th Sig Pigeon
212th Port Co
213th Port Co
231st Ord Base Gp (Hq & Hq Co)
240th Ord Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
246th AGF Band

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7. b. Ground Forces (cont'd)

ADD:

2408th Sig Opn Co
287th Qm Bn (Hq & Hq Det, Med Det)
305th AGF Band
307th Abn Engr Bn (Co C)
334th AAA SL Bn
335th AAA SL Bn
337th AAA SL Bn
337th Engr Comb Bn
357th Engr GS Regt
376th Para FA Bn
391st Port Bn, TC (Hq & Hq Det)
393d Engr Dep Co
396th Port Bn, TC (Hq & Hq Det)
399th Port Bn, TC (Hq & Hq Det)
400th Engr Maint Co
409th Engr Comb Bn
424th QM Ldry Co
435th ADU
439th Repl Co
440th Repl Co
441st Repl Co
454th AAA AW Bn
484th Port Bn, TC (Hq & Hq Det)
499th QM Car Co
506th Para Inf Regt
512th Abn Sig Co
522d ADU
542d Repl Co
552d Sig Dep Co
566th Port Co
567th Port Co
568th Port Co
569th Port Co
570th Port Co
571st Port Co
572d Port Co
573d Port Co
601st FA Bn
681st Ord Am Co
692d Port Co
693d Port Co
694th Port Co
695th Port Co
699th Port Co, TC
702d Engr Pet Dist Co
719th Ry Oper Bn
758th Tk Bn
759th Ry Oper Bn
760th Ry Diesel Shop Bn
774th APU
817th Sig Serv Co
875th QM FB Co
896th AAA AW Bn
899th AAA AW Bn
943d Pet Prod Lab
957th Med Amb Co
972d Ord HAM Co
976th Sig Serv Co
1029th Engr Tread Bridge Co
1168th Engr Comb Gp (Hq & Hq Co
1553d Engr HP Bn
1754th Engr DT Co
2675th ACC Regt
3250th QM Serv Co
3251st QM Serv Co
3277th QM Serv Co
3283d QM Serv Co
3285th QM Serv Co
3286th QM Serv Co
3300th QM Serv Co
3411th QM Trk Co
3489th QM Trk Co
3490th QM Trk Co
3491st QM Trk Co
3492d QM Trk Co
3546th QM Trk Co
3547th QM Trk Co
3548th QM Trk Co
3879th QM GS Co
3895th QM GS Co
4151st QM Dep Co
4468th QM Trk Co
4469th QM Trk Co
4470th QM Trk Co
4471st QM Trk Co
6734th Mod Plt
6750th RHAC (Hq & Hq Co)
IBS (Serv Co)

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7. b. Ground Forces (cont'd)

DELETE:

8th Med Disp
9th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
55th Ord Bomb Disp Co
60th Stn Hosp
87th AAA G Bn
106th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
335th AAA SL Bn (Hq & Hq Btry)
337th AAA SL Bn (Hq & Hq Btry)
353d AAA G Bn
512th Repl Co
817th QM Sig PS Co
896th AAA G Bn
899th AAA G Bn
2677th ACC Regt
3353d QM Trk Co
3355th QM Trk Co

c. Air Forces

ADD:

1st Aircraft Assembly Sq
4th Dep Unit, Army (AAF)
12th Tac Air Cond (Hq & Hq Sq)
18th Air Dep Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
18th Dep Sup Sq
23d Dep Sup Sq
55th Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
58th AACS Gp
78th Ftr Ctl Sq
85th Dep Sup Sq
89th Air Dep Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
90th Air Dep Gp (Hq Sq)
90th Dep Rpr Sq
121st Liaison Sq
139th Mal Ctl Unit
151st Med Disp, Avn
161st Med Disp, Avn
227th Med Disp, Avn
229th Med Disp, Avn
302d Dep Rpr Sq
385th Sig Co, Avn
391st Sig Co, Avn
426th Sig Cons Bn
427th Nt Ftr Sq
435th Tp Carr Gp
436th Tp Carr Gp
437th Tp Carr Gp
438th Tp Carr Gp
439th Tp Carr Gp
440th Tp Carr Gp
441st Tp Carr Gp
442d Tp Carr Gp
446th Sig Cons Bn
449th Sig Cons Bn
594th Sig AW Bn
734th MP Bn
743d MP Bn (Hq & Co A)
753d Cml Co, Dep, Avn
805th Cml Co (AD)
891st Sig Dep Co, Avn
941st Engr Avn Topo Bn
1060th QM Co, SG, Avn
1130th QM Co, SG, Avn
1407th QM Dep Co, Avn
1408th QM Dep Co, Avn
1635th Ord SM Co, Avn
1726th Ord SM Co, Avn
1779th Ord SM Co, Avn
1898th Engr Avn Bn
1902d Ord Ammo Co, Avn
1934th Ord Ammo Co, Avn
1936th Ord Ammo Co, Avn
1963d Engr Dep Co, Avn
1979th QM Trk Co, Avn
2008th Ord Maint Co
2020th Ord Maint Co
2042d QM Trk Co, Avn
2262d QM Trk Co, Avn
2264th QM Trk Co, Avn
2265th QM Trk Co, Avn
2444th QM Trk Co, Avn
2488th QM Trk Co, Avn
6568th Ord Dep Regt (Hqs)
6570th Ord Bn
6670th WAC Hq Co
AAF Engr Comd, ETO (Hq & Hq Co)

DELETE:

3d Photo Recn Gp
9th Combat Camera Unit
58th Allied AACS Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)

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8. a. Naples-Foggia Campaign

(1) Combat Zone - Italy (exclusive of Sicily and Sardinia), Corsica and adjacent waters.

(2) Time Limitations - 9 September 1943 to 21 January 1944.

b. Ground Forces

ADD:
86th Ord HM Co
633d FA Bn
719th Ry Oper Bn (Co A)
760th Ry Diesel Shop Bn (Co A)
3404th QM Trk Co

c. Air Forces

ADD:
4th Tp Carr Sq
7th Tp Carr Sq
8th Tp Carr Sq
11th Tp Carr Sq
12th Tp Carr Sq
16th Tp Carr Sq
17th Tp Carr Sq
18th Tp Carr Sq
23d Photo Recon Sq
28th Tp Carr Sq
35th Tp Carr Sq
42d Bomb Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
51st Tp Carr Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
62d Tp Carr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
64th Tp Carr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
310th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
379th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
380th Bomb Sq
381st Bomb Sq
428th Bomb Sq

DELETE:
734th MP Bn (Co C)

9. a. Sicilian Campaign

(1) Combat zone - Sicily and adjacent waters.

(2) Time limitations - 14 May 1943 (air), 9 July 1943 (ground) to 17 August 1943.

b. Ground Forces

ADD: 307th Abn Med Co

DELETE: 23d QM Trk Regt (Co A)

c. Air Forces

DELETE: 837th Engr Avn Bn

10. a. Tunisian Campaign

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(1) Combat zone, Tunisia and Algeria east of north-south line through Constantine, and adjacent waters.

(2) Time limitations - 8 November 1942 (air), 17 November 1942 (ground) to 13 May 1943.

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10. b. Ground Forces

ADD: 354th AAA SL Bn

DELETE: 437th AAA AW Bn

11. a. Algeria-French Morocco Campaign.

(1) Combat zone - Algeria, French Morocco and adjacent waters.

(2) Time limitations 8 - 11 November 1942.

b. Ground Forces

ADD:	DELETE:
1st Armd Div (Corb Cond B, Sup Bn, Co C Maint Bn)	1st Armd Div (Co B Sup Bn, Co C Maint Bn)
1st Armd Regt	1st Armd Inf Regt
330th Ord MT Co	345th Engr GS Regt (1st Bn)
692d AAA MG Btry	692d CA AA AW Btry
693d AAA MG Btry	693d CA AA AW Brty
694th AAA MG Btry	694th CA AA AW Btry
695th AAA MG Btry	695th CA AA AW Btry
696th AAA MG Btry	696th CA AA AW Btry
697th AAA MG Btry	697th CA AA AW Btry
3486th Ord MAM Co	

12. a. In accordance with the provisions of paragraph 21 b (2), AR 260-10, dated 25 October 1944, the following units are authorized special battle participation honors under the term "Air Combat", as established by paragraph 2 a, General Orders Number 75, War Department, dated 29 October 1943.

b. Air Combat

60th Tp Carr Gp	(1)	Combat zone - Balkans and Greece
	(2)	Time limitations - 27 March to 30 August 194
62d Tp Carr Gp	(1)	Combat Zone - Balkans and Greece
	(2)	Time limitations-December 1943 to 29 March 1944.

By command of Lieutenant General McNARNEY:

Copy to EXEC.O.(A)
G-1(A)
G-4(A)
2675 REGT
HQ COM OT.
ADJ.

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Colonel, AGD,
Acting Adjutant General.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
EIGHTH ARMY

T.A.G. SCC
Col. Fiske

Subject: Presentation of Award of Bronze Star Medal.

QA/128/93A
28 Dec 44.

H.Q.
Allied Commission,
A.P.O. 394.

(For attn: Colonel Norman E. Fiske)

1. Presentation of the above award to American Officers with A.M.G. Eighth Army has been arranged for 10th January, 1945. I understand that Group Captain HENSON has informed Colonel FISKE of this arrangement, and that arrangements are being made for an American Officer to officiate.

2. I would be grateful for confirmation that this is so. The officers concerned have been warned to be available at this H.Q. at 12.00 hrs. on the date stated.

Staff Capt.
for Group Captain,
Officer Commanding,
H.Q., A.M.G. EIGHTH ARMY.

Copy to: O.C. Coy 'H' 267 Regt.
Venezia Region.
A/Regional Commissioner, Venezia Region.

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Col. N. E. Fiske

HEADQUARTERS
2675TH REGIMENT
ALLIED COMMISSION
(OVERHEAD)
APO 394

Fld CP 7

NML/rsl

29 December 1944

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File: 200.6

SUBJECT: Award of the Good Conduct Ribbon.

TO : Unit Commanders this Regiment.

1. The Good Conduct Ribbon will be awarded to all enlisted personnel of this organization who are eligible and deserving of such award.

2. Upon the receipt of this notice each Company Commander will initiate a thorough check of the service records of members of their company and will submit a roster of eligible personnel to this headquarters in accordance with AR 600-68 with the least practicable delay.

3. Care will be given to insure that no soldier will receive the award twice, but the appropriate clasp in lieu thereof will be requested.

By order of Colonel PARKIN:

N. W. DRAGNEFF
Major, AGD
Adjutant

Col. N. E. Fiske

Col. N. E. Fiske

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TO AMG 8 ARMY

REF No 8561 DATE DEC 281500 PRECEDENCE ROUTINE

(See Notes on reverse)

CONFIDENTIAL PD SEVERS REPORTS YOU ARE READY TO PRESENT BRONZE STARS

10 JANUARY PD TO AMG 8 ARMY FOR HERRON FROM HQ ALCOM FROM FISHER SHALL

ARRANGE FOR US GENERAL OFFICER TO MAKE PRESENTATION IF POSSIBLE OTHERWISE

I SHALL DO IT IF SATISFACTORY TO YOU. PD

OFFICE OF ORIGIN:

TEL. No.

ORIGINATOR's SIGNATURE:

Authenticated:

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NOTES

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OPERATIONAL PRIORITY (equals British **IMMEDIATE**)
PRIORITY (equals British **IMPORTANT**)
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Only in exceptional cases will a precedence higher than « **PRIORITY** » be used in this Headquarters.

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MINISTERO DELLE CORPORAZIONI

12-18-44

Col. N. E. Fiske

Memorandum per

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DCCAO/1/6A

Colonel Nelson W. Monfort
Deputy Chief Civil Affairs Officer
HQ Allied Armies in Italy
TEL: FILPOT 35 - 1

15 December 1944

My dear Col. Parkin

1. I should be grateful if you would forward to Commanding General MTOUSA, the attached citations for the awards of the Legion of Merit to my Chief Staff Officer, Lt. Col. P. Friend James (British) and my Civil Affairs representative, Lt. Col. Robert A. Pernell (American).

2. These I am pleased to strongly recommend.

Sincerely yours.
Nelson Monfort
Col. A.U.S.

Col. C. M. Parkin
CO 2675th Regt, A.C.
(U.S. Ovhd)
APO 394, U.S. Army

Subject:- Recommendation for Legion of Merit Decoration

Civil Affairs Section,
HQ Allied Armies in Italy
TEL: FILPOT 35 - 1

To:- CG NTOUSA

DCCAO/1/6.1
9 Dec 44

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Thru:- CO 2675th Regt (U.S. Ovhd)
APO 394, U.S. Army

1. Reference para 2 NATOUSA CIRCULAR 89 dated 10 July 1944.

2. It is hereby requested that the under named officer be awarded the Legion of Merit decoration.

Lt. Colonel P. FRIEND JAMES, 48490, DCLI (B) (present Chief Staff Officer, Civil Affairs Section, HQ Allied Armies in Italy)

3. Lt. Col. P. Friend James since 7 Dec 1943, has been responsible for the establishment of close and extremely valuable liaison between HQ Allied Commission (then Allied Control Commission) and HQ Allied Armies in Italy. In his capacity as liaison officer (7 Dec 43 - 30 Sept 44) matters of the utmost importance have been entrusted to his judgment, and in this connection he has been directly responsible for the cooperation and coordination with HQ ACC and HQ AAI during the entire operational campaign Northward to the Arno River. His tact and unceasing devotion to duty is largely responsible for the efficient and cordial relations established between AAI and the Allied Commission. Since 30 Sept 44, as Chief Staff Officer, Civil Affairs Section, HQ AAI, Lt. Col. Friend James has been engaged in the supervision and direction of all the activities of that Section. He has been entrusted with operational planning of most important enterprises, the failure of any one of which would have created situations impossible to deal with by Allied Commission. Through contacts made by him during his service as Liaison Officer with HQ AAI, he has made it possible for the Civil Affairs Section of HQ AAI to come into contact and to commence operations with no unnecessary preliminary confusion or misunderstanding. Such tact and ability is extremely rare, and when coupled with the tireless effort expended by this officer over a period of more than one year, is most richly deserving of recognition in the form of the Legion of Merit from the United States Government.

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Colonel, A. U. S.
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Colonel, A. U. S.
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Subject: Recommendation for Legion of Merit Decoration

Civil Affairs Section,
HQ Allied Armies in Italy
TEL: FILPOT 35 - 1

To: CG NTOUSA

DCCAO/1/6.1
10 Dec. 1944

Thru: CO 2675th Regt AC (UE Ovhd)
APO 394 U.S.Army

1. Reference para 2, NATOUSA CIRCULAR 89 dated 10 July 1944.

2. It is hereby requested that the under named officer be awarded the Legion of Merit decoration.

3. Lt.Col. Robert A. Persell, Inf. O-311009
Civil Affairs Section, HQ AAI

3. Lt.Col. Persell from 5 Nov 1943 until 7 Oct 1944 as Senior American Staff Officer, Admin Section, HQ Allied Control Commission, and later, from 7 Oct 1944 to date, as Chief of the Civil Affairs sub-division of the Civil Affairs Section, HQ Allied Armies in Italy, has exhibited outstanding energy and ability in the performance of complicated and difficult tasks. His services were especially meritorious in connection with the establishment of the advance headquarters of his Section in Rome. At HQ Allied Armies in Italy since 7 Oct 1944 his tireless activity in connection with the anticipation of Patriot problems, and the solutions thereof, has been largely instrumental in forestalling operational embarrassment due to some misunderstanding of the magnitude of the difficulties involved. The officer's able performance of all duties in connection with the forward activities pertaining to Education, Local Government, Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives, Displaced Persons, Repatriation, Public Health and Public Safety has been notable for firmness and understanding tempered with tactful appreciation of factors and personalities involved. The officer throughout has exhibited a rare degree of adaptability to any and all situations met with in his field. He is deemed especially deserving of having his services recognised in the form of the grant of the Legion of Merit.

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Colonel, A.U.S.
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Colonel, A.U.S.
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Establishment Section

Ref/157/Est

NEF/mrd
22 November 1944

Dear General Lemnitzer:

I am forwarding herewith recommendations for the award of the "Legion of Merit" for the following British officers presently on duty with the Allied Commission. They are listed alphabetically and without indicating any priority. There are eleven names on this list which, with the recommendation of Colonel Temperley which was forwarded some time ago, will make a total of twelve. It is my understanding that Brigadier Lush is forwarding the same number of recommendations of American officers for British awards.

Benson, Constantine K.	- Group Capt.
Carr, M.	- Brigadier
Findlay, Charles B.	- Colonel
Grafftey-Smith, Anthony Paul	- Colonel
Hancock, Arthur N.	- Colonel
Lapper, Wilfred M.	- Lt. Col.
Legg, Walter J.	- Colonel
Lush, Maurice S.	- Brigadier
Mayne, Edward B.	- Colonel
Parkinson, George S.	- Brigadier
Upjohn, Gerald R.	- Brigadier

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Chief of Staff

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HEADQUARTERS
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UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

SECRET
AUTH: CG, MTOUSA
Initials:
10 November 1944

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AG 200.6/010 P-O

10 November 1944

SUBJECT: Battle Participation Awards.

TO : All Concerned.

1. Following letters, this headquarters, subject as above, are rescinded: File AG 200.6/263 P-O, dated 23 December 1943, 10 January, 17 February, 20 March, 26 April and 29 May 1944; File AG 200.6/351 P-O, dated 28 June and 2 August 1944. Letter, this headquarters, file and subject as above, dated 18 October 1944, is further amended to include additional units for the campaign "Southern France".

2. In reference to paragraph 7b (1), Circular Number 195, War Department, 1944, individuals who are eligible to wear the European-African-Middle Eastern theater ribbon may wear a bronze service star, provided the individual served honorably as a member of a unit, or attached to a unit, at some time during the period in which the unit participated in battle and was accorded credit therefor under the provisions of paragraph 12, AR 260-10, as amended.

3. Individuals not qualifying for bronze battle stars in accordance with paragraph 2, above, may establish eligibility, if qualified in accordance with paragraph 7b (2), Circular Number 195, War Department, 1944.

4. In accordance with paragraph 8, Circular Number 62, War Department, 1944, necessary entries will be noted in Service Records (WD AGO Form Number 24) of enlisted men, and on officers and warrant officers Qualification Cards (WD AGO Form Number 66-1 or 66-2).

5. Under the provisions of paragraph 12, AR 260-10, Change 13, 1 November 1943, the following organizations are eligible for unit "Battle Honors" for campaigns indicated:

6. a. Algeria-French Morocco Campaign

(1) Combat zone - Algeria, French Morocco, and adjacent waters.

(2) Time Limitations - 8 November to 11 November 1942.

b. Ground Forces

1st Inf Div (Hq & Hq Co, Div Arty Hq & Hq Btry)
1st Med Bn
1st Engr Bn
1st QM Co
1st Sig Co
1st Cav Recon Tp.
1st Armd Inf Regt
1st Engr Bn

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U.S. SECRET EQUALS BRITISH MOST SECRET

Ltr, Hq MTOUSA, AG 200.6/GAO I-C
10 November 1944. (Cont'd)

1st Armd Div (Co B Sup Bn., Co C Maint Bn)
1st Prcast Stat
II Corps (Hq & Hq Co)
2d Armd Div (Co B Maint Bn., Co A Sup Bn)
3d Inf Div (Hq & Hq Co)
3d Sig Co
3d Med Bn
3d Ord Bn
3d Cav Recon Tp
3d Port, TC
5th FA Bn.
6th Armd Inf Regt
7th Inf Regt
7th FA Bn
9th FA Bn
9th Med Bn
10th FA Bn
10th Engr Bn
13th Armd Regt
14th Armd FA Bn (Btry B)
14th Ord LM Co
15th Inf Regt
15th Engr Bn
16th Armd Engr Bn
16th Inf Regt
17th Armd Engr Bn (Bridge Co)
18th Inf Regt
19th Engr Regt
20th Engr Const Regt
26th Inf Regt
26th FA Bn
27th Armd FA Bn
28th QM Tk Regt
30th Inf Regt
32d FA Bn.
33d FA Bn
36th Engr Regt
38th Evac Hosp
39th FA Bn
39th Inf Regt
41st FA Bn
45st Armd Inf Regt (Cos A,B,&C)
47th Inf Regt
47th Armd Med Bn (Co B)
48th Surg Hosp
51st Med Bn
531 Ord Am Co
531 Sig Bn
60th Inf Regt
60th FA Bn
62d Ch. AA Regt
66th Ord Am Co
66th Armd Regt
67th Armd Regt
70th Tk Bn
71st Sig Co
72d Sig Co
73th Armd FA Bn
84th FA Bn
85th Ch Dep Sup Co
87th Cml Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
105th Ch AA Bn
106th Ch AA Bn
109th Engr Bn (Co C)
109th Med Bn (Co C)
122d Sig R I Co
168th Inf Regt
175th FA Bn
188th Ord Bn
202d MP Co
204th MP Co
205th Ch Bn (Co A)
213th Ch AA Regt
240th Ch Bn
286th Sig Co
343d Engr GS Regt
345th Engr GS Regt (1st Bn)
397th Port Bn, TC
399th Port Bn, TC
431st Ch AA Bn
436th Ch AA Bn
443d Ch AA Bn
450th Engr Depot Co
509th Para Regt (2d Bn)
519th Engr Co
531st Engr Shore Regt
540th Engr Regt
561st Engr Bt Maint Co.
591st Engr Bt Regt
601st TD Bn
692d Ch AA AW Btry
693d Ch AA AW Btry
694th Ch AA AW Btry
695th Ch AA AW Btry
696th Ch AA AW Btry
695th Engr Pet Dist Co
697th Ch AA AW Btry.
701st TD Bn
708th Med Sn Co.
756th Ord Co
756th Tk Co
761st Rail Trans Co

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813th Sig PS Co
829th Sig Serv Bn
991st Ord Hv Co (Tk)
3485th Ord Maint Co
3489th Ord Maint Co
WTF (Hq & Hq Co)

c. Air Forces

1st Ftr Gp
1st Serv Sq
3d Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
3d AS Com Sq
5th Photo Recon Sq
7th Ftr Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
10th Tp Carr Sq
11th Air Dep Gp (Sup Sq)
11th Tp Carr Sq
11th Recon Sq
12th ASC (Hq & Hq Sq)
12th Tr Carr Sq
12th AAF (Hq & Hq Sq, Sig Hq Co AWS)
12th AFSC (Hq & Hq Sq)
12th Bomb Comd (Hq & Hq Sq)
12th Mea Sq
14th Ftr Gp
15th Bomb Sq
16th Tr Carr Sq
17th Tr Carr Sq
18th Tr Carr Sq
21st Engr Avn Regt
26th Serv Sq
28th Tp Carr Sq
31st Ftr Gp
33d Ftr Gp
36th Air Dep Gp (Sup Sq)
38th Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
42d Serv Sq
44th Sig Co SC
47th Bomb Gp
51st Sig Co SC
51st Serv Sq
52d Ftr Gp
56th Sig Co SC
57th Serv Sq
60th Tp Carr Gp
64th Tp Carr Gp
65th Ord AM Co
68th Obsn Gp
72d Sig Co SC
81st Ftr Gp
111st Tac Recon Sq
151st Med Disp
152d Med Disp
153d Med Disp
154th Med Disp
154th Obsn Sq
160th QM Co SC
163d QM Co SC
167th QM Co SC
169th QM Co SC
180th QM Co SC
192d QM Co SC
306th Serv Sq
319th Bomb Gp
329th Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
332d Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
412th Sig Co Avn
439th Sig Cons Co
561st AWS Bn
624th QM Maint Co Avn
635th QM Maint Co Avn
643d QM Maint Co Avn
654th QM Maint Co Avn
661st QM Maint Co Avn
697th QM Maint Co Avn
720th Ord Co Avn
734th QM Tk Co Avn
743d QM Tk Co Avn
748th QM Tk Co Avn
756th Ord Co Avn
791st QM Tk Co Avn
809th Engr Bn Avn
814th Engr Bn Avn
815th Engr Bn Avn
817th Airborne Engr Bn
927th Sig Bn
1032d Ord AB Co
1067th Ord AB Co
1072d Sig SC Co
1120th QM SC Co
1661st Ord Maint Co Avn
1697th Ord Maint Co Avn
1931st QM Tk Co Avn
1936th QM Tk Co Avn
2691st Sig AW bn
6635th Ord Airdrome Serv Co
6638th Ord Airdrome Serv Co
Prov Air Sup Com Sq

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7. a. Tunisian Campaign

(1) Combat zone - Tunisia and Algeria east of north-south line through Constantine, and adjacent waters.

(2) Time limitation - 8 November 1942 (air), 17 November 1942 (ground) to 13 May 1943.

b. Ground Forces

1st Armd Div (all units)
1st Ranger Bn
1st Inf Div (all units)
1st TD Gp (Hq & Hq Co)
1st C. A. Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
1st Med Lab
1st Ord Bomb Disp Sq
II Corps (Hq & Hq Co)
II Prov Ord Gp (Hq & Hq Det)
2d Ord Bomb Disp Sq
2d Aux Surg Gp
3d Inf Div (all units)
3d Aux Surg Gp
3d Repl Bn
4th Ord Bomb Disp Sq
4th C. A. Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
5th Armd Arty Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
5th Repl Bn
5th Ord Bn (Hq & Hq Co)
9th Inf Div (all units)
9th Evac Hosp
10th Field Hosp
11th Evac Hosp
12th Cml Maint Co
13th FA Brig (all units)
14th Ord MM Co
15th Evac Hosp
16th Med Regt
18th Army Gp, US Cont (Hq & Hq Co)
19th Engr Regt
20th Engr Com Regt
22d QM Car Co
23d QM Tk Regt (Co A)
26th Gen Hosp
27th Sig Const Bn
28th QM Tk Regt (Cos A, D, & K)
29th Ord MM Co
34th Inf Div (all units)
34th CA Brig (Hq & Hq Btry)
36th Engr Regt
38th Evac Hosp
42d Ord MS Bn
45th Ord MM Co
46th QM Tk Regt
46th QM GR Co
47th QM GR Co
48th Surg Hosp
51st Med Bn
52d QM Tk Bn
53d Sig Bn
53d QM Tk Bn
53d Ord MM Co
54th QM Tk Bn
55th QM Tk Bn
56th QM Tk Bn
58th Armd FA Bn
61st Sta Hosp
62d C. A. Regt (1st Bn Hq & Hq Btry, Btry B & D)
62d Engr Topo Co
62d Sig Bn
62d Armd FA Bn
63d Sig Bn (Co C)
65th Armd FA Bn
66th Ord MM Co
67th Ord MM Bn (Co A & D)
67th C. A. Regt
67th Armd Regt (Co C)
68th C. A. Regt (Btry F & H)
69th Cml SC Co
70th Tk Bn (Co A)
71st AA. Brig (Hq & Hq Btry)
73d Sta Hosp
77th Evac Hosp
77th Ord Dep Co
78th Ord Dep Co
82d Ord HM Co
85th QM Dep Co
87th Ord HM Co
91st Cav Recn Sq
93d QM Rhd Co
94th QM Rhd Co

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95th Cml Fml Co
98th Engr Regt
99th Cml Fml Co
105th Ord AM Co
105th Cml Am Bn
106th Cml Am Bn
107th Cml Am Bn
109th Ord Msl Co
117th Sig A I Co
122d Sig A I Co
124th Cml Entry Co
128th Sig R I Co
128th Evac Hosp
136th Ord MD Regt (Co B)
163d Sig Photo Co
179th Engr Regt
188th Ord Co
196th Engr DT Co
202d MP Bn
205th Cml GS Pn
217th Sig Dep Co
219th Cml Am Regt
223d Cml Am Regt
228th QM SS Co
236th Sig Opn Co
236th QM SC Co
237th QM SC Co
239th Sig Opn Co
244th Cml Bn
246th QM Bn
263d QM Bn (Co B & C)
299th MP Co
301st Ord Base Regt
330th Ord MT Co
333d Cml Dep Co
343d Engr Regt
351st Cml SL Bn
353d Cml SL Bn
356th Cml SL Bn
385th Engr Bn
398th Port Bn, TC
402d Engr Bn (Co B)
424th Engr DT Co
427th Engr DT Co
432nd Cml Am Co
442d Ord AM Co
444th Cml Am Bn
446th Cml Am Bn
457th Ord AM Bn
463d Cml Am Bn
470th Engr Dep Co
502th LP Bn

509th Para Inf Bn
513th Engr WS Co
529th APO
532d Engr AW Bn
532d APO
533d APO
536th APO
537th APO
549th Engr Bt Regt
601st Engr Cam Bn (Co B)
601st TD Bn
602d Ord Msl Co
604th Ord Am Co
609th Ord Am Co
685th Cml Am Btry
689th Cml Am Btry
690th Cml Am Btry
691st Cml Am Btry
692d Cml Am Btry
693d Cml Am Btry
694th Cml Am Btry
695th Cml Am Btry
696th Cml Am Btry
697th Cml Am Btry
701st TD Bn
702d Engr Pet Dis Unit
703d Ry Grand Div
713th Ry Oper Bn
727th Ry Oper Bn
751st TK Bn
752d TK Bn
753d Ry Shop Bn
763d AFU
776th TD Bn
805th TD Bn
813th TD Bn
814th Sig PS Co
870th Ord Hq Co
871st Ord Hq Co
874th TD Bn
899th TD Bn
905th Ord Hq Co
991st Ord Hq Tk Co
2004th Engr PL Co
2622d Ord Trans Co
2643d Lvt (T) Co
2652d Ord Msl Co
2663d Dep (Hq & Hq Co)
2664th Dep (Hq & Hq Co)
2665th Dep (Hq & Hq Co)
2666th Dep (Hq & Hq Co)
2669th Dep (Hq & Hq Co)

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3485th Ord ML Co
3486th Ord ML Co
3340th QM GS Co

c Air Forces

1st Ftr Gp
1st Ord Regt (Hq Co 4th Bn)
2d ASC Sq
2d Bomb Gp
2d AS.C (Hq & Hq Sq)
3d Air Def Wg
3d ASC Sq
3d Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
3d AS.C (Hq & Hq Sq)
3d Photo Recon Gp
4th Tr Carr Sq
5th Photo Sq
5th Wg, US (Hq & Hq Sq)
7th Tr Carr Sq
8th Tr Carr Sq
10th Tr Carr Sq
11th Tr Carr Sq
12th Tr Carr Sq
12th Tr Carr Comd (Hq & Hq Sq)
12th Photo Recon Sq.
12th Bomb Gp
12th Wea Sq
12th AAF (Hq & Hq Sq)
12th Ftr Comd (Hq & Hq Sq)
12th Bomb Comd (Hq & Hq Sq)
12th Combat Camera Unit
12th AS Comd (Hq & Hq Sq)
14th Ftr Gp
15th Photo Sq
15th Bomb Sq
16th Tr Carr Sq
17th Tr Carr Sq
17th Bomb Gp
18th Tr Carr Sq
19th AC% Sq
19th Serv Gp
20th Air Def Gp
21st Emer Rest Avn
26th Serv Sq
28th Tr Carr Sq
31st Ftr Gp
33d Ftr Gp
33d Ftr Gp
34th Serv Gp
35th Tr Carr Sq
37th Serv Gp
38th Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
41st Serv Gp
46th Serv Sq
47th Wg, US (Hq & Hq Sq)
47th Bomb Gp
51st Serv Sq
51st Tr Carr Sq
51st Tr Carr Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
52d Ftr Gp
57th Ftr Gp
62d Serv Gp
65th Ord Co Avn
68th Serv Sq
79th Ftr Gp
81st Ftr Gp
82d Ftr Gp
82d Ftr Ctl Sq
83d Serv Sq
97th Bomb Gp
99th Ftr Sq
99th Bomb Gp
151st Med Disp
154th Obsn Sq
1831 QM DS Co
301st Bomb Gp
303d Serv Gp
304th Serv Gp
306th Serv Gp
310th Serv Gp
310th Bomb Gp
317th Air Co, Wg
319th Bomb Gp
320th Serv Gp
320th Bomb Gp
321st Bomb Gp
322d Serv Gp
324th Ftr Gp
324th Serv Gp
325th Ftr Gp
331st Sig Co, Wg
332th Serv Sq
340th Bomb Gp
350th Ftr Gp
351st Serv Gp
379th AFU
412th Sig Co Avn

MES (Hq & Hq Comd)
AFHQ (Adv Hqs)

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414th Nt Ftr Sq
416th Sig Co Avn
478th Ftr Sq
491st Sig Const Bn
496th Sig Const Bn
499th Sig Const Bn
509th APO
530th APO
536th APO
551st APO
568th APO
580th Sig Bn, Avn
581st Sig Bn, Avn
582d Sig Bn, Avn
732d Sig Co, Avn
733d Sig Co, Avn
758th Cml Dep Co
802d Med Air Evac Trans Sq
815th Engr Bn, Avn
817th Engr Bn, Avn
837th Airborne Engr Co
838th Airborne Engr Co
903d Engr GP (Hq Co)
904th AB Sec Bn
907th AB Sec Bn
909th AB Sec Bn
910th AB Sec Bn
927th Sig Bn, Avn
1002d Sig Co, Avn
1005th Sig Co, Avn
1016th Sig Co, Avn
1023d Sig Co, Avn
1027th Ord AB Co
1030th Ord AB Co
1032d Ord AB Co
1032d Sig Co, Avn
1038th Ord AB Co
1039th Ord AB Co
1043d Ord AB Co
1044th Sig SC Co
1049th Ord AB Co
1051st Ord AB Co
1051st MP Co, Avn
1057th Sig Co, Avn
1062d Sig Co, Avn
1070th Ord AB Co
1071st Ord AB Co
1072d Sig SC Co
1073d Ord AB Co
1073d Sig Co, Avn
1078th Sig Co, Avn
1096th QM Co, SC
1103d Ord AB Co
1111th QM Co, SC
1120th QM Co, SC
1127th QM Co, SC
1129th QM Co, SC
1135th Sig Co, SC
1145th QM Co, SC
1149th QM Co, SC
1403d QM Dep Co
1626th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1628th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1636th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1640th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1641st Ord Maint Co, Avn
1643d Ord Maint Co, Avn
1644th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1650th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1651st Ord Maint Co, Avn
1658th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1659th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1667th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1674th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1679th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1680th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1697th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1707th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1725th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1739th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1744th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1904th QM Tk Co, Avn
1911th Ord Maint Co, Avn
1920th QM Tk Co, Avn
1928th QM Tk Co, Avn
1936th QM Tk Co, Avn
1941st QM Tk Co, Avn
1948th QM Tk Co, Avn
1952d QM Tk Co, Avn
1963d Ord Dep Co
1964th QM Tk Co, Avn
1971st QM Tk Co, Avn
1974th QM Tk Co, Avn
1975th QM Tk Co, Avn
1979th QM Tk Co, Avn
1981st QM Tk Co, Avn
1983d QM Tk Co, Avn
1985th QM Tk Co, Avn
1991st QM Tk Co, Avn
2008th QM Tk Co, Avn
2012th Ord Maint Co
2691st Sig AM Bn

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8. The following units have been accorded battle participation honors for the Tunisian Campaign by General Orders 6, Headquarters United States Army Forces in the Middle East, dated 13 January 1944.

a. Ground Forces

Libyan Service Command, Tunisian Area, (Hq & Hq Det)
4th Field Hosp (2d Plat)

b. Air Forces

9th AAF (Hq)
9th ASC (Hq)
9th Bomb Comd (Hq)
9th Ftr Comd (Hq)
9th Combat Camera Unit
93d Pont Sq
98th Bomb Gp
315th Serv Sq
316th Tp Carr Gp
376th Bomb Gp

9. a. Sicilian Campaign

(1) Combat zone - Sicily and adjacent waters.

(2) Time limitation - 14 May 1943 (air), 9 July 1943 (ground) to 17 August 1943.

b. Ground Forces

1st Inf Div (all units)
1st Armd Sig Bn
1st Ranger Bn
1st Engr Sp Brig (Hq & Hq Co)
1st C. A. Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
II Corps (Hq & Hq Co)
2d Armd Div (Hq & Hq Co, Serv Co, Div Train Hq & Hq Co, Co C Maint Bn, Sup Bn, Hq & Hq Det QM)
2d Aux Surg Gp
2d Cml Mtn Bn
3d Aux Surg Gp
3d Cml Mtn Bn
3d Ranger Bn
3d Ord M. Co
3d Inf Div (all units)
4th C. A. Sl. Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
4th Field Hosp
4th Ranger Bn
5th F. Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
5th Ord M. Co
7th Army (Hq & Hq Co)
7th MRU (Mbl)
9th Inf Div (all units)
9th Ord M. Co
10th Field Hosp
10th Port (Hq & Hq Co)
11th PRU
11th Evac Hosp
11th Field Hosp
12th Cml Maint Co
13th F. Brig (all units)
14th Armd FA Bn
15th Army Gp (US Cont) (Hq & Hq Co)
15th Evac Hosp
17th Armd Engr Bn
19th Engr Regt
20th Aml Ctl Unit
20th Engr Comb Regt
20th MRU (Mbl)
21st Cml Decon Co
23d Q. Tk Rept (Co A)
25th Fin Disb Unit
25th MRU (Mbl)
26th Fin Disb Unit
27th QM Tk Rept
29th Ord M. Co
30th Fin Disb Unit
32d Fin Disb Unit
34th C. Brig (Hq & Hq Btry)
34th Sta Hosp
36th Engr Regt

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36th Med Amb Bn (Co A)
39th Engr Regt
40th Engr Regt
41st Armd Inf Regt
42d Ord MS Bn
43d Ord MS Bn
45th Inf Div (all units)
46th Cml Tk Regt
46th Cml GR Co
47th Cml Tk Regt
48th Cml GR Co
48th Armd Med Bn
51st Med Bn
51st Sig Bn
52d Cml Tk Bn
53d Cml Tk Bn
53d Sig Bn
53d Ord AM Co
54th Cml Tk Bn
54th Med Bn
55th Cml Tk Bn
56th Med Bn
58th Armd FA Bn
58th Ord AM Co
59th Evac Hosp
62d Armd FA Bn
62d C. A. Regt (1st Bn)
62d Cml Ldry Bn
62d Ord Am Bn
62d Engr Co
63d Ord Am Bn
63d Cml Dep Co
64th Ord Am Co
65th Armd FA Bn
66th Armd Regt
66th Engr Topo Co
67th Armd Regt
67th Ord AM Bn
68th C. A. AA Regt
69th Cml Co
69th Ord Am Co
70th Tk Bn
71st AA Brig (Hq & Hq Btry)
71st Sig Co
72d Sig Co
74th Sig Co
77th FA Regt
78th Armd FA Bn
78th Cml SC Co
78th Ord Co
79th Ord Co
80th Abn AA Bn
82d Armd Recn Bn
82d Abn Div (Hq & Hq Co, Sig Co, Div Arty Hq & Hq Btry)
83d Cml Bn
83d Ord HM Tk Co
86th Cml Rhd Co
91st Cav Recn Sq
91st Evac Hosp
93d Cml Rhd Co
93d Ord MM Co
93d Evac Hosp
94th Cml En
94th Cml Bkry Bn (Co C)
100th Cml Rhd Co
102d Cml Bkry Co
102d AAA EB Btry
103d C. A. Bn
103d C. BB Btry
104th C. BB Btry
105th C. A. Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
105th C. A. Bn
106th C. A. Bn
106th C. A. Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
107th C. A. Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
107th C. A. Bn
128th Evac Hosp
128th Sig RI Co
138th Cml Tk Co
142d Armd Sig Co
144th Cml Tk Co
167th C. A. Bn
175th Engr Regt
184th Cml SD Co
196th Sig Photo Co
201st Ord Co
202d MP Co
204th MP Co
205th Cml GS Bn
206th Sig Dep Co
214th C. A. Bn
215th C. A. Bn
216th C. A. Bn
229th Sig Opn Co
232d Cml Co
235th Ord ED Co
242d Cml Serv Bn
246th Cml Serv Bn
247th Cml Serv Bn
255th Cml Serv Bn
261st Med Bn
261st Ord MM Co
262d Ord MM Co

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286th Sig Co
305th QM Bnd Co
307th Abn Engr Bn
319th Glider FA Bn
320th Glider FA Bn
325th Glider Inf Regt
330th Ord MQ Co
334th QM BS Co
339th Ord HTS Co
343d Engr Regt
361st QM Amph Co
376th FA Para Bn
379th AF ES Gd Co
382d Port Bn, TC
384th Port Bn, TC
396th Port Bn, TC
400th CA AA Bn
401st CA AA Bn
401st Engr HS Bn
403d CA AA Bn
406th CA AA Bn
407th Abn QM Co
410th CA AA Bn
427th Engr DT Co
431st CA AA Bn
433d CA AA Bn
436th CA AA Bn
437th Engr DT Co
441st CA AA Bn
443d CA AA Bn
456th FA Para Bn
462d Engr Dep Co
469th Engr MTC Co
504th MP Bn
504th Para Regt
505th Para Regt
523d QM Car Co
528th QM Serv Bn
531st Engr Shore Regt
540th Engr Regt
547th AFU
548th AFU
549th AFU
550th AFU
601st TD Bn
601st Engr Cam Bn (Co B)
603d Ord Am Co
604th Ord Am Co
608th Ord Am Co
609th Ord Am Co
688th CA AA Btry
689th CA AA Btry
690th CA AA Btry
691st CA AA Btry
692d CA AA Btry
693d CA AA Btry
694th CA AA Btry
695th CA AA Btry
696th CA AA Btry
696th Engr Pet Co
697th CA AA Btry
727th Ry Opn Bn
753d Tk Bn
782d Abn Ord Co
814th Sig PS Co
991st Ord HM Tk Co
1051st Engr Gp (Ho & Hq Co)
1090th Engr Util Co
1206th Engr FP Unit
1208th Engr FP Unit
2626th AAA Brig (Ho & Hq Btry)
2629th MP Bn
2657th Engr Map Dep
2658th Engr Map Dep
3405th Ord MM Co
3406th Ord MM Co
3407th Ord MM Co
3408th Ord MM Co
3497th Ord MM Co
6616th QM Car Co
6619th Fd Adm Co
6623d Reg Co
6625th Base Area Gp
6648th Cas Bn
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c. Air Forces

1st Ftr Gp
1st Ord Dep Regt, Avn, (3d Ln)
2d Bomb Gp
2d Air Sup Com Sq
3d Air Sup Com Sq
3d Air Serv Area Comd
3d Photo Recon Gp
4th Tr Carr Sq
5th Photo Sq
5th Wing (US)
7th Tr Carr Sq
8th Tr Carr Sq
10th Tr Carr Sq
11th Tr Carr Sq
12th Tr Carr Sq
12th Bomb Sq
12th Tr Carr Comd (Hq & Hq Sq)
12th Photo Recon Sq
12th Wea Sq
12th Air Sup Comd (Hq & Hq Sq)
14th Ftr Gp
14th Tr Carr Sq
15th Tr Carr Sq
15th Photo Sq
16th Tr Carr Sq
17th Tr Carr Sq
17th Bomb Gp
18th Tr Carr Sq
19th Serv Gp
23d Air Dep Gp
23d Photo Recon Sq
26th Serv Sq
27th Bomb Gp
28th Tr Carr Sq
29th Tr Carr Sq
31st Ftr Gp
32d Tr Carr Sq
33d Ftr Gp
34th Air Dep Gp
35th Tr Carr Sq
36th Tr Carr Sq
41st Serv Gp
44th Tr Carr Sq
45th Tr Carr Sq
46th Serv Sq
47th Tr Carr Sq
47th Bomb Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
47th Bomb Gp
48th Tr Carr Sq
49th Tr Carr Sq
50th Tr Carr Sq
51st Tr Carr Sq
51st Tr Carr Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
52d Ftr Gp
52d Tr Carr Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
53d Tr Carr Sq
57th Serv Sq
57th Ftr Gp
59th Tr Carr Sq
60th Tr Carr Gp
61st Tr Carr Gp
61st Tr Carr Sq
62d Tr Carr Sq
62d Tr Carr Gp
62d Ftr Wg
64th Ftr Wg
64th Tr Carr Gp
79th Ftr Gp
81st Ftr Gp
82d Ftr Gp
82d Ftr Ctl Sq
86th Bomb Gp
97th Bomb Gp
98th Bomb Gp
99th Ord Dep, Avn
99th Bomb Gp
99th Ftr Sq
111th Recn Sq
155th Med Disp, Avn
158th Med Disp, Avn
159th Med Disp, Avn
301st Bomb Gp
302d Sig Co, Wg
303d Serv Sq
306th Serv Gp
310th Bomb Gp
313th Tr Carr Gp
314th Tr Carr Gp
315th Tr Carr Gp
316th Tr Carr Gp
316th Serv Gp
318th Sig Co, Wg
319th Bomb Gp
320th Bomb Gp
321st Bomb Gp
324th Ftr Gp
324th Serv Sq
325th Ftr Gp
332d Serv Gp
340th Bomb Gp

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341st Serv Sq
346th Serv Sq
350th Ftr Gp
376th Bomb Gp
379th Bomb Sq
380th Bomb Sq
381st Bomb Sq
414th Nt Ftr Sq
415th Nt Ftr Sq
428th Bomb Sq
437th Sig Cons Bn, Avn
439th Sig Cons Bn, Avn
512th Bomb Gp
513th Bomb Gp
514th Bomb Gp
515th Bomb Gp
525th AFU
538th AFU
562d Sig Bn, Avn
621st Ord Am Co, Avn
732d Sig AW Co
733d Sig AW Co
734th Sig AW Co
771st AFU
802d Med Air Evac Trans Sq
809th Engr Bn, Avn
814th Engr Bn, Avn
815th Engr Bn, Avn
837th Engr Bn, Avn
888th Abn Engr Co
904th AB Secur Bn
904th Engr AF (Hq Co)
907th Engr AF (Hq Co)
927th Sig Bn, Avn
1016th Sig Co, SO
1032d Ord AB Co, Avn
1043d Ord AB Co, Avn
1048th Ord AB Co, Avn
1051st Ord AB Co, Avn
1056th Sig Co, SO
1059th Sig Co, Avn
1062d Sig Co, Avn
1068th Sig Co, Avn
1072d Sig Co, Avn
1073d Sig Co, SO
1075th Ord Co, Avn
1075th Sig Co, Avn
1110th QM Co, Avn
1120th QM Co, Avn
1127th QM Co, Avn
1146th QM Co, Avn
1626th Ord MM Co, Avn
1633d Ord MM Co, Avn
1636th Ord MM Co, Avn
1640th Ord MM Co, Avn
1651st Ord MM Co, Avn
1658th Ord MM Co, Avn
1666th Ord MM Co, Avn
1683d Ord MM Co, Avn
1793d Ord MM Co, Avn
1911th Ord MM Co, Avn
1920th QM Tk Co, Avn
1928th QM Tk Co, Avn
1971st QM Tk Co, Avn
1974th QM Tk Co, Avn
1980th QM Tk Co, Avn
1983d QM Tk Co, Avn
1986th QM Tk Co, Avn
1991st QM Tk Co, Avn
2014th Ord Maint Co, Avn
2035th QM Tk Co, Avn
2686th Bomb Wg
2687th Sig Co, Wg
2690th AB Comd (Hq & Hq Sq)
2691st Sig AW Bn
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10. a. The following units are eligible for unit honors in both the Naples-Foggia and Rome-Arno Campaigns.

(1) Naples-Foggia Campaign

(a) Combat Zone - Italy (exclusive of Sicily and Sardinia), Corsica and adjacent waters.

(b) Time Limitation - 9 September 1943 to 21 January 1944.

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(2) Rome-Arno Campaign

(a) Combat Zone - Italy (exclusive of Sicily and Sardinia), Corsica and adjacent waters to include 15 August 1944, thereafter that portion of the Italian mainland and its adjacent waters North of 42 degrees North Latitude.

(b) Time limitations - 22 January 1944 to final date.

b. Ground Forces

1st Armd Div (all units)
1st Spec Serv Force (US Cont)
1st Armd Gp (Hq & Hq Co)
1st Engr Sp Brig (Hq & Hq Co)
1st Ranger Inf Bn
1st Sig Bn (Co C)
1st FA Obsn Bn
1st Mbl Red Prdcst Co
1st Mod Lab
II Corps (Hq & Hq Co) Corps ARTY Hqs)
II Corps Frost & Clin Lab
2d Armd Gp (Hq & Hq Co)
2d Aux Surg Gp
2d FA Obsn Bn
2d Mod Lab
2d Cml Bn (Mtz)
2d Tk Gp (Hq & Hq Det)
2d Repl Depo (Hq & Hq Co)
2d Base P O
3d Inf Div (all units)
3d Ranger Inf Bn
3d Conv Hosp
3d Cml Bn (Mtz)
3d Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
3d Med Bn
3d Sig Co
3d Cml Co
3d Cav Recon Tp
IV Corps (all units)
4th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
4th Field Hosp
4th Ranger Inf Bn
4th Med Dep Co
4th Field Med Dep
5th Army (Hqs, Hqs Comnd)
5th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
5th Gen Disp
5th Ord Bn
5th Ord Mj Co
VI Corps (Hq & Hq Co, Corps Arty Hq & Hq Btry)
6th Cml Dep Co
6th FA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
6th Port TC (Hq & Hq Co)
7th Inf Regt
8th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
8th Evac Hosp
9th Evac Hosp
9th FA Bn
9th Ord Mj Co
9th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
9th MRU (mbl)
10th Field Hosp
10th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
10th Repl Depot Coast Bn
10th FA Bn
10th Port (Hq & Hq Co)
11th Field Hosp
11th Mil Serv Unit
11th Evac Hosp
11th Cml Maint Co (mbl)
12th Gen Hosp
12th Cml Maint Co
12th Med Dep Co
13th FA Brig (Hq & Hq Btry)
13th Fin Disb Sec
14th Ord Mj Co
14th Mil Serv Unit
14th MRU (mbl)
15th Inf Regt
15th FA Obsn Bn
15th Med Gen Lab
15th Evac Hosp
15th Army Gp (US Cont)
15th Field Hosp
16th Evac Hosp
16th Fin Disb Sec
17th FA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)

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17th FA Regt
17th Gen Hosp
18th FA Brig (Hq & Hq Btry)
19th Engr Comb Regt
19th Ord LM Co
20th Sp Serv Co
21st Mal Ctl Unit
21st QM Car Co
21st Gen Hosp
21st Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
21st Sp Serv Co
22d QM Gp (Hq & Hq Det)
22d Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
22d QM Car Co
23d Mal Ctl Unit
23d Gen Hosp
23d Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
24th Cml Decon Co
25th Cml Decon Co
25th Fin Dist Co
25th MRU
26th Gen Hosp
28th Ord MM Co
28th Mal Ctl Unit
28th QM Bn (Mbl) (Hq & Hq Det)
29th Ord MM Co
29th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
30th Sig Cons Bn
30th Inf Regt
30th Fin Disb Sec
31st Fin Disb Sec
31st Ord MM Co
32d Field Hosp
32d Sta Hosp
33d Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Btry)
33d Fin Disb Sec
33d Field Hosp
34th Inf Div (all units)
34th Field Hosp
35th FA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
35th Field Hosp
35th AA Brig (Hq & Hq Btry)
36th Inf Div (all units)
36th FA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
36th FA Bn
36th Engr Comb Regt.
36th Med Bn
36th General Hosp
36th Cav Recon Tp
37th Spec Serv Co
37th QM Bn (mtl) (Hq & Hq Det)
38th Ord MM Co
38th Evac Hosp
39th Engr Comb Regt
39th FA Bn
40th Sta Hosp
40th Engr Comb Regt
41st Hosp Train
41st Gen Serv Regt
41st FA Bn
41st Engr Regt
42d Ord MS Bn
42d Mal Ctl Unit
43d Station Hosp
45th Inf Div (all units)
45th AAA Brig (Hq & Hq Btry)
45th Ord Bn
45th Ord MM Co
45th Gen Hosp
45th Sig Co
45th QM Co
45th Cav Recon Tp
46th QM Bn (Mbl)
46th Ord MM Co
47th QM Gr Co
47th Fin Dis Sec
48th Engr Gen Bn
48th QM GR Co
48th Fin Dis Sec
49th Fin Dis Sec
50th Fin Dis Sec
51st MP Co PC S
51st Med Bn
51st Sig Bn
52d QM Bn (Mbl)
52d Med Bn (Mtr)
52d Sta Hosp
52d MP Co PC S
53d QM Bn (Mbl)
53d Sig Bn
53d Ord Gp (Hq & Hq Det)
53d Ord Amm Co
53d MP Co PC S
53d Sta Hosp
54th Med Bn (Mtr)
54th MP Co PC S
55th Ord Gp (Hq & Hq Det)
55th MP Co PC S
55th Sta Hosp

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55th QM Bn (Hq & Ho Co)
56th QM Bn (Mtl)
56th Evac Hosp
56th AF Co FC S
56th Bomb Disp Co
57th Sig Bn
57th Bomb Disp Co
57th MP Co FC S
57th QM Sales Co.
58th QM Bn (Mtl) (Hq & Hq Det)
58th Ord Amo Co
58th Sta Hosp
58th MP Co FC S
59th Armd FA Bn
59th MP Co FC S
60th MP Co FC S
61st Sta Hosp
61st MP Co FC S
62d QM Bn
62d Ord Amo Bn
62d Sig Bn (Co "A")
63d Sig Bn
63d Cml Dec Co
65th Inf Regt
66th Engr Topo Co
66th Ord Amo Co
66th Sta Hosp
67th QM Mtr Regt
67th AAA Gun Bn
67th QM Ref Co (Mtl)
68th QM Mtr Regt
68th AAA G Bn
68th AAA Gp (Hq & Ho Btry)
69th MP Co
69th Armd FA Bn
70th QM Bn (Mtl) (Hq & Hq Det)
70th Sta Hosp
71st FA Brig
71st Sig Co
71st AAA Brig (Hq & Ho Det)
72d Sig Co
72d AAA G Bn
72d QM Bn (Hq & Ho Det)
74th Sig Co
74th Sta Hosp
77th FA Gp (Ho & Ho Btry)
77th FA Regt
77th Ord Dep Co
78th Ord Dep Co
79th Ord Dep Co
82d Ord Mk Co
82d Airborne Div
83d Inf Bn (Mtz)
83d Ord Mk Co
84th Cml Bn (Mtz)
84th Engr Bn
84th Engr Cam Bn (Co "D")
85th Engr HP Bn (Ho, Hq & Serv Co, Co "A")
85th QM GS Co
86th QM Rhd Co
87th Ord Bn
87th Ord Mk Tk Co
87th Sig Co
90th QM Rhd Co
91st Cav Recon Sq
91st AAA Gp (Hq & Ho Btry)
92d Engr GS Regt
93d Armd FA Bn
93d QM Rhd Co
93d Ord M Co, AA
93d Evac Hosp
94th Engr GS Regt
94th QM Bn
94th QM Rhd Co
94th Ord MM Co
94th Evac Hosp
95th Evac Hosp
96th QM Rhd Co
98th QM Rhd Co
98th Engr GS Regt
99th QM Rhd Co
100th Inf Bn
101st MP Bn
101st Ord AA Co
102d AAA B Btry
102d QM Bkry Co
103d QM Bkry Co
103d Sta Hosp
104th AAA B Btry
105th AAA AW Bn
106th AAA AW Bn
106th QM Bkry Co
106th Sta Hosp
106th AAA Gp (Ho & Ho Btry)
107th AAA Gp (Ho & Hq Btry)
107th QM Bkry Co
106th AAA G Bn
109th Ord MM Co
110th QM Bkry Co
110th QM Bn (Mtl) (Ho & Ho Det)
111th Engr Comb Bn

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111th Med Bn
112th Ord HK Co
117th Sig R I Co
118th Sta Hosp
120th Engr Comb Regt
120th Med Bn
125th QM Bn (Mbl) (Hq & Hq Det)
128th Sig R I Co
131st FA Bn
132d FA Bn
133d FA Bn
133d Inf Regt
137th MP Co
138th QM Trk Co
138th MP Co
141st FA Bn
141st Inf Regt
143d Inf Regt
144th QM Trk Co
147th Ord BD Co
149th Ord AM Co
155th FA Bn
157th Inf Regt
158th FA Bn
160th FA Bn
161st Med Bn
162d Med Bn
163d Cml SC Co
163d Sig Photo Co
164th Cml SC Co
167th AAA Gun Bn
168th Cml SC Co
171st FA Bn
172d Cml SC Co
173d FA Bn
175th Port Co, TC
175th Engr GS Regt
176th Port Co, TC
177th Port Co, TC
177th Sig Rep Co
178th FA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
178th FA Regt
176th Port Co TC
179th Cml SC Co
179th Inf Regt
180th Inf Regt
180th QM Bkry Co
180th Sig Rep Co
181st QM Dan Co
181st Med Bn

182d Sta Hosp
183d Sig Rep Co
189th Ord Bn
189th Ord Dep Co
189th FA Bn
191st Tk Bn
194th FA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
194th FA Bn
196th Sig Photo Co
197th Ord Bn
201st Ord Dep Co.
201st AAA AW Bn
202d MP Co
203d QM Bn (Mtl) (Hq & Hq Det)
204th QM Bn (Mbl)
204th QM Car Co
206th MP Co
206th Sig Rep Co
209th AAA Regt
209th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
209th Sig Photo Co
212th MP Co
212th Sig Rep Co
213th Cml AA Regt
213th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
214th AAA G Bn
216th AAA G Bn
220th QM Sv Co
225th Sta Hosp
226th QM SC Co
227th QM SC Co
229th Sig Operr Co
229th Ord Evac Co
230th QM SC Co
232d Ord Base Dp (Hq & Hq Det)
235th Ord Bomb Disp Co
235th QM Bn
235th Engr Comb Bn
236th Ord Bomb Disp Co
236th Ord Amo Co
239th Sig Opn Co
243d QM Serv Bn
246th QM Serv Bn
246th QM Dep Sup Co
248th FA Bn
248th Ord Bn (Hq & Hq Bn)
248th Sig Opn Co
249th QM Serv Bn

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261st Med Bn
261st Ord M Co
262d Ord M Co
262d Sta Hosp
263d Q.M. Serv Bn
270th Q.M. Serv Bn
286th Sig Co
290th Repl Co
291st Repl Co
292d Repl Co
296th Sig Instl Co
299th Q.M. Sal Co
300th Gen Hosp
302d Q.M. Stor Bn
305th Q.M. Bkd Co
314th ASF Band
315th ASF Band
330th Ord Dep Co
334th Q.M. DS Co
335th Engr GS Regt
337th Engr GS Regt
342d M.P. EC Co
343d Engr GS Regt
344th Engr GS Regt
345th Engr GS Regt
351st Gen. SL Bn (Hq & Hq Btry)
361st A.P.O.
362d A.P.O.
364th A.P.O.
367th A.P.O.
372d M.P. EC Co
376th Engr Bn
377th M.P. EC Co
377th A.P.O.
378th Engr Bn
378th A.P.O.
379th Port Bn TC (Hq & Hq Det)
379th M.P. EC Co
377th Repl Co
380th Repl Co
381st Repl Co
382d Port Bn TC (Hq & Hq Det)
384th Port Bn, TC
386th Engr Bn
387th Engr Bn
389th Port Bn TC
397th Port Bn TC
397th Repl Co
398th Repl Co
399th Repl Co

400th Q.M. Sv Bn
401st Engr GS Bn
402d Med Coll Co
403d Q.M. G Bn
403d Med Coll Co
404th Med Coll Co
405th Engr GS Bn
406th Q.M. Bn
406th Med Coll Co
406th Repl Co
407th Repl Co
408th Repl Co
409th Repl Co
409th Q.M. G. Bn
410th Q.M. G Bn
410th Repl Co
411th Repl Co
411th Ord M. Co
422d A.P.O.
422d Engr DT Co
424th Q.M. Ldry Co
425th Q.M. Ldry Co
425th Engr DT Co
426th Engr DT Co
427th Engr DT Co
427th Repl Co
428th Repl Co
429th Repl Co
432d Q.M. Sv Bn
433d Q.M. Sv Bn
434th Q.M. Sv Bn
435th Q.M. Sv Bn.
437th Q.M. Sv Bn
437th Engr DT Co
439th Q.M. Sv Bn
439th Repl Co
440th Repl Co
441st Repl Co
441st Med Coll Co
441st Q.M. Sv Bn
442d M.P. PW Proc Co
442d Inf Regt
443d Q.M. Sv Bn
444th M.P. PW Proc Co
450th Q.M. Sv Bn
451st Q.M. Sv Bn
451st Engr Dep Co
456th Para F.A. Bn
458th Engr Dep Co
462d Engr Dep Co

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463d Para F.. Bn
468th C.. Bn (el)
469th Engr .T Co
473d En r .T Co
476th Ord Evac Co
477th Ord Evac Co
480th Port Bn TC
487th C.. Ldry Co
496th C.. Ldry Co
497th C.. Ldry Co
498th C.. Ldry Co
499th C.. Ldry Co
504th Id Bn
505th C.. A.. Regt
509th Para Inf Bn
517th Engr .S Co
521st A P U
523d C.. Car Co
525th Ord H.. Co
529th Ord H.. Co
530th C.. Serv Bn
531st Engr Shore Regt
532d .... .F Bn
534th .A.. .F Bn
535th R pl Co
536th Repl Co
537th Repl Co
538th .... .F Bn
536th C.. Serv Bn
539th .PC
540th Engr Comb Regt
541st .PU
542d Repl Co
542d .PU
543d .PU
547th .PU
548th .PU
549th .PU
549th .M Ldry Co
549th .mb Co (Ltr)
550th .mb Co (Ltr)
551st .mb Co (Ltr)
552d Sig Dep Co
566th .PU
570th .PU
591st Engr Port Regt
601st F.. Bn
601st TD Bn
601st Engr Cam Bn (Co "D")
601st Med Clearing Co

602d Med Clearing Co
602d Ord .mo Co
603th Ord Base Bn
606th Ord Base Bn
609th Ord .mo Co
616th Med Clearing Co
630th F.. Bn
630th .A.. .F Bn
631st F.. Bn
634th F.. Bn
636th TD Bn
638th .A.. .F Bn
645th TD Bn
649th Engr Topo Co
661st Engr Topo Co
674th Med Coll Co
677th Med Coll Co
681st Ord .mo Co
684th Ord Amo Co
686th Ord .mo Co
687th Ord .mo Co
688th A.. AG Btry
689th A.. AG Btry
690th A.. AG Btry
691st A.. AG Btry
692d A.. AG Btry
693d A.. AG Btry
694th A.. AG Btry
696th Engr Pet Dis Co
697th Engr Pet Dis Co
697th F.. Bn
699th Port Co, TC
700th Ord LM Co
701st TD Bn
701st Engr Pet Dis Co
702d Engr Pet Dis Co
703d Ord LM Co
703d Ay Ground Div (Hq & Hq Co)
704th Engr Pet Dis Co
705th Engr Pet Dis Co
713th Ay Oper Bn
715th Ay Oper Bn
719th Ay Oper Bn
727th Ay Oper Bn
734th Ord LM Co
736th Ord LM Co
751st TK Bn
752d TK Bn
753d TK Bn
754th Engr HS Co

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755th TK Bn
756th TK Bn
757th TK Bn
759th Ammo Depot Bn (Co .)
759th MP Bn, ZI.
760th TK Bn
760th Ry Diesel Shop Bn (Co .)
765th AFU
772d AFU
776th AFU
776th TD Bn
794th MP Bn
800th Engr FOH Co
803d MP Bn, ZI
805th TD Bn
812th Sig PG Co
813th TD Bn
815th QM Str Co
816th QM Str Co
817th QM Sig PG Co
817th Motor Co
[illegible]th Motor Co
849th Sig IS Co
878th Ord HM Co

887th Engr AB Co
891st Ord HM Co

894th AAA AW Bn
894th TD Bn
899th TD Bn
900th AAA AW Bn
905th Ord HAM Co
907th Ord HAM Co
932d FA Bn
933d FA Bn
935th FA Bn
936th FA Bn
937th FA Bn
938th FA Bn
939th FA Bn
941st Ord Mvd Co
976th FA Bn
976th Sig Serv Co
977th FA Bn
977th Sig Serv Co
978th Ord Dep Co
979th Ord Dep Co
982d Sig Serv Co
984th Sig Serv Co
985th FA Bn
991st Ord HAM Tk Co
993th FA Bn
1051st Engr Gp (Hq & Hq Co)
1051st Sig SC Co
1090th Engr Util Co
1103th Eng Comb Gp (Hq & Hq Co)
1178th MP Co
1179th MP Co
1180th MP Co
1754th Engr DT Co
2600th Int Lab.
2619th QM TT Co.
2622d Ord TT Co
2623d Sig Const (Hq & Hq Co)
2630th Ord Bn
2650th Sig Rad Relay Co
2651st MP Co
2652d Ord AM Co
2653d Mvt Ctl Gp
2656th Sig Dep Co
2665th QM Depot (Hq & Hq Co)
2675th ACC Const
2682d Engr Depot Co, TC.
3005th QM Bkry Co.
3006th QM Bkry Co.
3023d Ord BAM Co
3105th Ord Base AM Co
3106th Ord Base AM Co
3155th Ord AFQM Co
3156th Ord AFQM Co
3202d Sig Serv Co
3205th Ord SAM Co
3206th Ord SAM Co
3254th QM Serv Co
3255th QM Serv Co
3255th Ord Dep Co
3256th QM Serv Co
3257th QM Serv Co
3271st Ord Dep Co
3278th QM Serv Co
3280th QM Serv Co
3281st QM Serv Co
3321st QM Trk Co
3322d QM Trk Co
3323d QM Trk Co
3324th QM Trk Co
3328th QM Trk Co

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3329th QM Trk Co
3330th QM Trk Co
3331st QM Trk Co
3333th QM Trk Co
3334th QM Trk Co
3335th QM Trk Co
3336th QM Trk Co
3341st QM Trk Co
3357th QM Trk Co
3358th QM Trk Co
3359th QM Trk Co
3360th QM Trk Co
3373d QM Trk Co
3374th QM Trk Co
3375th QM Trk Co
3376th QM Trk Co
3405th QM Trk Co
3406th QM Trk Co
3407th QM Trk Co
3407th Ord MM Co
3408th Ord MM Co
3408th QM Trk Co
3410th QM Trk Co
3481st QM Trk Co
3482d QM Trk Co
3483d QM Trk Co
3484th QM Trk Co
3485th Ord MM Co
3486th Ord MM Co
3488th Ord MM Co
3497th Ord MM Co
3505th QM Trk Co
3506th QM Trk Co
3507th QM Trk Co
3508th QM Trk Co
3541st QM Trk Co
3542d QM Trk Co
3546th QM Trk Co
3547th QM Trk Co
3548th QM Trk Co
3550th QM Trk Co
3551st QM Trk Co
3637th QM Trk Co
3638th QM Trk Co
3639th QM Trk Co
3640th QM Trk Co
3641st QM Trk Co
3642d QM Trk Co
3643d QM Trk Co
3644th QM Trk Co

3654th QM TT Co
3834th QM GS Co
3835th QM GS Co
3836th QM GS Co
3837th QM GS Co
3838th QM GS Co
3839th QM GS Co
3840th QM GS Co
3853d QM GS Co
3857th QM GS Co
3879th QM GS Co
3880th QM GS Co
4062d QM Serv Co
4063d QM Serv Co
4064th QM Serv Co
4065th QM Serv Co
4151st QM Dep Co
6619th MP Pr Adm Co
6623d Rec Co
6648th Cas En.
6662d Sig Serv Co
6663d Sig Serv Co
6676th Sig Serv Co
6681st Sig Serv Co
6684th Sig Serv Co
6694th Ord Base Gp (Hq & Hq Det)
6695th Cond Co
6698th QM Dep (Hq & Hq Det)
6717th M.C Hos Co
6725th Sta Co
6730th Rec Co
6741st Ho Net Area Co
6743d Stockade Co
Vet Det A, FI
Vet Det B, FI
AAI (US Cont) (Hq & Hq Co)
Mil Ry Serv (Hq & Hq Co)
Peninsular Base Sec. (Hq & Hq Co)
Northern Base Sec. (Hq & Hq Co)
Sig Photo Mail Co

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c. Air Forces

1st Air Serv Sq
1st Ord BD Sq
1st Comb Camera Unit
1st Fight r Gp
2d Bomb Gp
3d Tac Sq
3d Photo Recn Gp (Hq & Ho Sq)
3d Serv Gp (Ho & Hq Sq)
3d Photo Tech Sq
4th Photo Tech Sq
5th Photo Recn Gp (Hq & Ho Sq)
5th Bomb Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
5th Photo Recon Sq
10th Tp Carr Sq
11th Ord ED Sq
12th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
12th Ord BD Sq
12th Photo Recn Sq
12th AAF (Hq & Ho Sq)
12th AFSC (Hq & Ho Sq)
13th Ord ED Sq
14th Ftr Gp
15th AAF (Hq & Ho Sq)
15th AFSC (Hq & Ho Sq)
15th Photo Recn Sq
15th Ftr Ctl Sq
16th Air Serv Sq
16th MAU (Mbl)
18th Airway Comm Sq
18th Air Depot Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
19th Serv Gp (Ho & Ho Sq)
21st Emer Avn Rept
23d Photo Recn Sq
26th Air Serv Sq
27th Ftr Gp (Ho & Ho Sq)
30th MAU (Mbl)
31st Ftr Gp
33d Ftr Gp (Hq & Ho Sq)
34th Air Depot Gp (Hq Sq)
34th Air Depot Sup Sq
34th Serv Gp
37th Serv Gp (Ho Sq)
38th Serv Gp (Ho Sq)
38th Air Depot Gp (Ho & Ho Sq)
38th Air Dep Sup Sq
41st Air Depot Gp (Ho Sq)
41st Depot Repair Sq
41st Serv Gp (Ho &Ho Sq)
43d Serv Gp (Hq Sq)
46th Air Serv Sq
47th Bomb Wg (Ho & Ho Sq)
47th Bomb Gp (Ho &Ho Sq)
50th Air Serv Sq
52d Ftr Gp
55th Air Serv Sq
57th Air Serv Sq
57th Bomb Wg (Ho & Hq Sq)
57th Ftr Gp (Ho & Ho Sq)
57th Ord BD Sq
58th Air Serv Sq
58th Ftr Sq
59th Ftr Sq
59th Ord ED Sq
60th Tp Carr Gp (Hq & Ho Sq)
60th Air Serv Sq
60th Serv Gp (Ho Sq)
60th Ftr Sq
62d Serv Gp (Ho Sq)
62d Ftr Wg (Hq & Ho Sq)
63d Ftr Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
64th Ftr Wg (Ho & Ho Sq)
64th Ftr Sq
65th Ftr Sq
66th Ftr Sq
68th Air Serv Sq
79th Ftr Gp (Ho & Hq Sq)
81st Bomb Sq
81st Ftr Gp (Ho & Ho Sq)
82d Ftr Ctl Sq
82d Bomb Sq
82d Ftr Gp
83d Bomb Sq
83d Air Serv Sq
84th Depot Repair Sq
84th Bomb Sq
85th Bomb Sq
85th Ftr Sq
86th Bomb Sq
86th Ftr Sq
86th Ftr Gp (Ho & Ho Sq)
87th Ftr Sq
88th Dep Repair Sq
90th Air Serv Sq
91st Air Serv Sq
91st Ftr Sq
92d Ftr Sq

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93d Ftr Sq
94th Air Serv Sq
97th Bomb Gp
97th Bomb Sq
98th Bomb Gp
99th Bomb Gp
99th Ftr Sq
111th Tac Recn Sq
153d Med Dis, Avn
154th Med Disp, Avn
156th Med Disp, Avn
157th Med Disp, Avn
162d Med Disp, Avn
163d Med Disp, Avn
301st Bomb Gp
301st Sig Co Wg
303d Air Serv Sq
304th Bomb Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
305th Bomb Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
306th Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
306th Air Serv Sq
308th Ftr Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
308th Sig Co Wg
312th Dep Repair Sq
313th Sig Co Wg
314th Ftr Sq
315th Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
315th Ftr Sq
316th Ftr Sq
316th Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
317th Sig Co Wg
318th Sig Co Wg
319th Sig Co Wg
320th Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
321st Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
321st Air Serv Sq
323d Serv Gp (Hq Sq)
324th Serv Gp (Hq Sq)
324th Ftr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
324th Air Serv Sq
325th Ftr Gp
325th Ftr Ctl Sq
331st Air Serv Sq
331st Sig Co Wg
332d Serv Gp (Hq Sq)
336th Serv Sq
339th Air Serv Sq
340th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
341st Air Serv Sq
341st Sig Co Wg

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3421 Sig Co Hq
346th Ftr Sq
346th Air Serv Sq
347th Ftr Sq
348th Air Serv Sq
350th Ftr Gp
350th Air Serv Sq
351st Air Serv Sq
358th Serv Sq
359th Air Serv Sq
368th Air Serv Sq
376th Bomb Gp
385th Air Serv Sq
414th Nt Ftr Sq
415th Nt Ftr Sq
416th Nt Ftr Sq
416th Sig Co, Avn
434th Bomb Sq
435th Sig Const Bn
437th Sig Const Bn
439th Sig Const Bn
445th Bomb Sq
446th Bomb Sq
447th Bomb Sq
448th Bomb Sq
449th Bomb Sq
450th Bomb Gp
450th Sig Const Bn
451st Bomb Gp
454th Bomb Gp
455th Bomb Gp
456th Bomb Gp
486th Bomb Sq
487th Bomb Sq
488th Bomb Sq
489th Bomb Sq
499th A P U
520th A P U
522d Ftr Sq
523d Ftr Sq
524th Ftr Sq
525th A P U
525th Ftr Sq
526th Ftr Sq
527th Ftr Sq
530th A P U
538th A P U
540th A P U
557th Air Serv Sq
559th Air Serv Sq
559th Air Serv Sq
560th Air Serv Sq
560th Sig AW Bn
561st Air Serv Sq
562d Air Serv Sq
562d Sig AW Bn
563d Air Serv Sq
564th Air Serv Sq
566th Air Serv Sq
582d Sig AW Bn
600th Engr Comp Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
650th A P U
702d Engr Pet Dis Co, Avn
734th MP Bn
751st Cmb Dep Co
758th Cmb Dep Co
766th A P U
769th A P U
771st A P U
785th A P U
809th Engr Avn Bn
812th Engr Avn Bn
814th Engr Avn Bn
815th Engr Avn Bn
817th Engr Avn Bn
835th Engr Avn Bn
845th Engr Avn Bn
875th Sig Dep Co, Avn
903d Engr AF Hq Co
904th AL Sect Bn
904th Engr AF Hq Co
909th AL Sec Bn
910th AL Sec Bn
927th Sig Bn STAC
941st Engr Avn Topo Bn
941st Engr Avn Co
943d Engr Avn Co
945th Engr Avn Co
946th Engr Avn Co
1002d Sig Co, SC
1016th Sig Co, SC
1021st Sig Co, SC
1032d Sig Co, SC
1035th Sig Co SC
1049th Sig Co, SC
1051st Ord Co, Avn AB
1051st Sig Co, SC
1052d MP Co, Avn
1053d MP Co, Avn

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Ltr, Hq MTOUSA, AG 200.6/040 P-C,
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1054th LT Co, Avn
1057th LP Co, Avn
1059th LP Co, Avn
1060th MP Co, Avn
1062d Sig Co, SC
1065th Sig Co, SC
1068th Sig Co, SC
1072d Sig Co, SC
1075th Ord Co, AVN AE
1078th Sig Co, SC
1096th QM Co, SC
1103d Sig Co, SC
1110th QM Co, SC
1113th QM Co, SC
1120th QM Co, SC
1122d QM Co, SC
1125th QM Co, SC
1127th QM Co, SC
1129th QM Co, SC
1135th QM Co, SC
1139th QM Co, SC
1140th QM Co, SC
1145th QM Co, SC
1146th QM Co, SC
1149th Sig Co, SC
1150th QM Co, SC
1150th Sig Co, SC
1151st Sig Co, SC
1152d Sig Co, SC
1153d Sig Co, SC
1246th QM Co, SC
1247th QM Co, SC
1248th QM Co, SC
1249th QM Co, SC
1281st MP Co, Avn
1408th QM Dep Co, Avn
1433d Ord SM Co, Avn
1434th Ord SM Co, Avn
1435th Ord SM Co, Avn
1436th Ord SM Co, Avn
1437th Ord SM Co, Avn
1440th Ord SM Co, Avn
1441st Ord SM Co, Avn
1442d Ord SM Co, Avn
1443d Ord SM Co, Avn
1626th Ord SM Co, Avn
1627th Ord SM Co, Avn
1633d Ord SM Co, Avn
1634th Ord SM Co, Avn
1636th Ord SM Co, Avn
1640th Ord SM Co, Avn
1641st Ord SM Co, Avn
1647th Ord SM Co, Avn
1650th Ord SM Co, Avn
1651st Ord SM Co, Avn
1658th Ord SM Co, Avn
1659th Ord SM Co, Avn
1660th Ord SM Co, Avn
1661st Ord SM Co, Avn
1666th Ord SM Co, Avn
1668th Ord SM Co, Avn
1674th Ord SM Co, Avn
1679th Ord SM Co, Avn
1680th Ord SM Co, Avn
1682d Ord SM Co, Avn
1683d Ord SM Co, Avn
1697th Ord SM Co, Avn
1722d Ord SM Co, Avn
1739th Ord SM Co, Avn
1744th Ord SM Co, Avn
1762d Ord SM Co, Avn
1898th Engr Avn Bn
1901st Ord Am Co, Avn
1904th QM Trk Co, Avn
1909th QM Trk Co, Avn
1917th QM Trk Co, Avn
1920th QM Trk Co, Avn
1924th QM Trk Co, Avn
1931st QM Trk Co, Avn
1936th QM Trk Co, Avn
1937th QM Trk Co, Avn
1940th QM Trk Co, Avn
1952d Ord Dep Co, Avn
1952d QM Trk Co, Avn
1955th QM Trk Co, Avn
1964th Ord Dep Co, Avn
1964th QM Trk Co, Avn
1971st QM Trk Co, Avn
1974th QM Trk Co, Avn
1975th QM Trk Co, Avn
1980th QM Trk Co, Avn
1981st QM Trk Co, Avn
1983d QM Trk Co, Avn
1986th QM Trk Co, Avn
1991st QM Trk Co, Avn
1995th QM Trk Co, Avn
2019th Ord Maint Co
2035th QM Trk Co, Avn

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2036th QM Trk Co, Avn
2043d QM Trk Co, Avn
2232d QM Trk Co, Avn
2233d QM Trk Co, Avn
2234th QM Trk Co, Avn
2235th QM Trk Co, Avn
2236th QM Trk Co, Avn
2237th QM Trk Co, Avn
2238th QM Trk Co, Avn
2239th QM Trk Co, Avn
2470th QM Trk Co, Avn
2471st QM Trk Co, Avn
2493d QM Trk Co, Avn
2500th QM Trk Co, Avn
2691st Sig AW Bn
3485th QM Trk Co, Avn
6559th Ord Bn
6628th Ord ADS Co
6629th Ord ADS Co
6630th Ord ADS Co
6634th Ord ADS Co
6637th Ord ADS Co
6640th Ord ADS Co
6641st Ord ADS Co
6642d Ord ADS Co
6643d Ord ADS Co
6649th Navigational Aids Sq
6753d Ord ADS Co
6754th Ord ADS Co
6755th Ord ADS Co
6756th Ord ADS Co
6757th Ord ADS Co
6758th Ord ADS Co
AAF Engr Cord MTO (Hq & Hq Co)
MAAF (Hq & Hq Co)
MATS (Hq & Hq Co)
MATS, MA Div (Hq & Hq Co)
MATS, COM Div (Hq & Hq Co)

11. a. Rome-Arno Campaign

(1) Combat Zone - Italy (exclusive of Sicily and Sardinia) Corsica and adjacent waters to include 15 August 1944, thereafter that portion of the Italian mainland and its adjacent waters North of 42 degrees North Latitude.

(2) Time limitations - 22 January 1944 to final date.

b. Ground Forces

1st AAA Gp, (Hq & Hq Det)
1st Ord MM Co
2d Conv Hosp
3d Gen Hosp
5th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
6th Gen Hosp
7th Repl Dep (Hq & Hq Co)
7th Med Dep Co
7th Army (Hq & Hq Co, Spl Tps)
7th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
7th MRU
7th Sta Hosp
8th Port Bn TC (Hq & Hq Co)
8th Med Disp
8th Repl Dep (Hq & Hq Co)
8th Ord MM Co
8th POE (Hq & Hq Co)
9th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
9th Base PO
9th AAA Gp. (Hq & Hq Btry)
10th Mal Surv Unit
17th Vet Evac Hosp
18th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
19th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
19th Mal Ctl Unit
20th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
20th MRU (Mbl)
21st MRU (Mbl)
21st Cml Decon Co
22d Cml SG Bn
23d Fin Disb Sec
24th Gen Hosp
24th Repl Dep (Hq & Hq Co)
27th Fin Disb Sec
27th Evac Hosp
27th Sig Const Bn
27th QM Bn (Mbl)
28th Sig HV Const Bn
28th Fin Disb Sec
30th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
31st Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
31st AAA Brig (Hq & Hq Btry)
32d Fin Disb Sec
33d Gen Hosp

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34th Sta Hosp
34th Fin Disb Sec
34th AAA Brig (Hq & Hq Btry)
35th Fin Disb Sec
35th Sta Hosp
36th Cav Recn Tp
36th Fin Disb Sec
37th Spec Serv Co
37th Gen Hosp
41st Cml Lab Co
42d Hosp Train
43d Ord MS Bn
43d Gen Hosp
44th AAA Brig (Hq & Hq Btry)
44th Ord Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
46th QM Gr Co
46th Spec Serv Co
49th QM Gp
50th Sta Hosp
51st Evac Hosp
51st Stn Hosp
55th Bomb Disp Co
56th Ord Gp (Hq & Hq Co)
56th Med Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
57th MRU
59th QM Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
59th Evac Hosp
60th MRU
60th Sta Hosp
61st QM Bn (Hq & Hq Co)
62d AAA G Bn
63d Ord Am Bn
63d MP Co PC S
64th Gen Hosp
64th Ord AM Co
64th MP Co PC S
65th MP Co
66th Hosp Train
66th MP Co
67th Ord Bn
68th MP Co
68th QM Ref Co
69th Cml SG Co
69th QM Bn
70th MP Co
70th QM Base Dep
71st MP Co PC S
72d MP Co PC S
73d MP Co PC S
73d Med Base Dep Co
73d Sta Hosp
73d Ord Bn
73d AAA G Bn
74th AAA G Bn
74th MP Co PC S
78th Cml SG Co
78th Sta Hosp
79th Fin Disb Sec
80th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
80th Ord Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
81st Sta Hosp
85th Inf Div (All units)
86th Ord HM Co, Tk
87th AAA G Bn
88th Inf Div (All units)
89th Ord HM Co
91st Inf Div (All units)
92d Inf Div (Hq & Hq Co, Div Arty)
92d Cml Comp Co
98th AGF Band
99th Cml Bn (Mtz)
100th Cml Bn (Mtz)
100th QM Rhd Co
105th Stn Hosp
105th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
106th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
107th AAA AW Bn
108th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
110th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
111th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
112th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
113th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
114th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
114th Sta Hosp
114th AGF Band
115th AGF Band
115th QM Bn (Mbl)
116th AGF Band
117th Cav Recn Sq (Mz)
117th QM Bn (Mbl)
117th Cml Proc Co
117th AGF Band
118th AGF Band
119th AGF Band
120th AGF Band
121st QM Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
124th QM Bkry Co
125th Ord Base Bn
127th QM Bn (Mbl)
130th Fin Disb Sec
131st Fin Disb Sec
132d QM Bn (Mbl)

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133rd QM Bn (Mbl)
134th QM Bn (Mbl)
135th MP Co PC S
135th Mal Ctl Unit
136th MP Co PC S
139th MP Co, PC S
142d Inf Regt
147th QM Bn (Mbl)
150th MP Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
154th QM Bkry Co
154th Stn Hosp
163d Med Bn
164th Med Bn
167th QM Bkry Co
169th Engr Comb Bn
178th QM Bkry Co
178th MP Co, ZI
180th Stn Hosp
181st MP Co
182d Port Co, TC
182d MP Co, ZI
182d Engr Comb Bn
183d MP Co
183d Port Co TC
184th QM DS Co
185th MP Co
185th Engr Comb Bn
186th MP Co
187th MP Co
188th Port Co, TC
189th Port Co, TC
190th Port Co, TC
191st Port Co, TC
193d MP Co
195th MP Co ZI
196th Engr DT Co
197th QM Bn
202d QM Car Co
204th MP Co
205th MP Co
205th QM Bn
206th AGF Band
206th QM GS Bn
206th Mal Surv Unit
215th AA G Bn
219th QM SR Co
223d QM ST Co
225 QM SR Co
228th Engr MD Co
228th Ord Evac Co
232d Med Comp Bn
232d Engr Comb Co
232d QM SC Co
233d Ord AM Co
243d Sig Opn Co
248th QM Serv Bn
249th Sig Opn Co
249th Ord Bn
255th QM Bn
259th QM Bn
266th QM Bn
267th QM Bkry Co
280th QM Ref Co
284th Repl Co
285th Repl Co
286th Repl Co
287th Repl Co
288th Repl Co
289th Repl Co
301st Stor Bn (Co B)
304th QM Rhd Co
310th Engr Const Bn
310th Med Bn
316th Engr Comb Bn
316th ASF Band
316th Med Bn
317th Engr Comb Bn
317th Med Bn
328th FA Bn
329th FA Bn
331st AAA SL Bn
333d QM DS Co
335th AAA SL Bn (Hq & Hq Btry)
337th AAA SL Bn (Hq & Hq Btry)
337th QM Dep Co
337th Inf Regt
338th Inf Regt
338th Engr GS Regt
338th QM DS Co
339th Ord Dep Co
339th Inf Regt
346th FA Bn
347th FA Bn
348th FA Bn
353d AAA SL Bn
353d AAA G Bn
354th AAA SL Bn
355th AAA SL Bn
359th Port Bn
360th AAA SL Bn
361st Inf Regt
361st QM Bn
362d Inf Regt

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363d Inf Regt
365th APU
366th APU
366th Inf Regt
367th Inf Regt
370th Inf Regt
370th APU
371st Inf Regt
372d APU
382d Repl Co
383d Repl Co
384th Repl Co
384th Engr Shop Co
384th Eng Bn
385th Engr GS Bn
388th Repl Co
389th Repl Co
390th Repl Co
390th Med Coll Co
391st Ord M.M Co
393d Ord Mil Co
394th Repl Co
395th Repl Co
396th Repl Co
396th Engr Cam Co
398th Port Bn, TC
399th ASF Band
401st Port Co
402d Port Co
402d Engr Bn (Co C)
403d Port Co
403d FA Bn
404th Port Co
404th Repl Co
405th Port Co
405th Repl Co
406th Port Co
419th ASF Band
422d QM Ldry Co
423d Engr DT Co
423d FA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
424th FA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
424th Engr DT Co
429th Ord TR Co
430th Engr DT Co
430th Repl Co
431st Repl Co
432d Repl Co
433d Repl Co
434th Repl Co
435th Repl Co
436th Repl Co
436th AAA AW Bn
450th Engr Dep Co
450th MP Co
460th Para FA Bn
470th Engr Maint Co
488th Port Bn, TC
496th Engr Shop Co
505th AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
509th Repl Co
510th Repl Co
511th Repl Co
512th Repl Co
512th APU
514th Med Clearing Co
517th Para Inf Bn
516th Engr GS Co
522nd APU
522nd Engr Comb Co
522nd FA Bn
522nd Port Bn, TC
524th Port Bn, TC
528th QM Bn
532nd APU
533d APU
537th APU
538th Repl Co
539th Repl Co
540th Repl Co
541st Repl Co
543d Repl Co
544th Repl Co
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546th Repl Co
547th Repl Co
548th Repl Co
549th Repl Co
549th Sig HV Const Co
550th Repl Co
550th APU
550th Inf AB Bn
551st Para Inf Bn
551st Repl Co
552d Repl Co
553d Repl Co
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560th Repl Co
561st Repl Co
561st Engr Boat Co
562d Repl Co
563d Repl Co
585th QM Ldry Co
587th QM Ldry Co
589th Sig Dep Co
596th AB Engr Co
600th Med Amb Co
600th Engr Comp Bn
601st MP PW Bn
602d FA Bn
602d QM GR Co
603d Ord Am Co
603d Ord B.M Bn
604th Ord Am Co
605th Ord Am Co
615th Med Clearing Co
616th QM Dep Co
632d QM Ldry Co
633d FA Bn
638th Med Clearing Co
671st Med Coll Co
672d Med Coll Co
673d Med Coll Co
675th Med Coll Co
676th Med Coll Co
680th Ord AM Co
680th Port Co
681st Port Co
682d Port Co
683d Ord AM Co
683d Port Co
684th Port Co
684th QM Base Dep Co
685th Ord AM Co
685th QM Base Dep Co
685th Port Co
686th Port Co
687th Port Co
688th Engr Base Eq Co
688th Port Co
688th Med Amb Co
689th QM Base Dep Co
689th Port Co
690th QM Base Dep Co
690th Port Co
691st Port Co
696th Port Co
697th Port Co
698th Port Co
698th FA Bn
701st Ry Grand Div (Hq & Hq Co)
703d Engr Pet Dis Co
704th Ry Grand Div (Hq & Hq Co)
704th MP PW Bn
706th Engr Pet Dis Co
706th MP PW Bn
708th Sanitary Co
708th MP PW Bn
725th MP PW Bn
750th APU
753d Ry Shop Bn
756th MP PW Bn
761st Ry Trans Co
764th APU
768th APU
785th Engr Pet Dis Co
764th APU
768th APU
785th Engr Pet Dis Co
788th Base Dep Co, TC
790th MP PW Bn
791st Ord LH Co
795th MP PW Bn
804th TD Bn
806th Base Dep Co, TC
814th Sig Serv Co
816th QM Stor Co
819th QM Stor Co
820th Sig Serv Co
822d QM MD Co
850th Sig Serv Bn (Hq & Hq Co)
875th QM RB Co
882d Med Coll Co
883d Med Coll Co
884th Med Coll Co
885th Med Coll Co
886th Med Coll Co
887th Med Coll Co
890th Med Clearing Co
891st Med Clearing Co
893d AAA AW Bn
896th AAA G Bn
899th AAA G Bn
901st Ord H.M Co
916th FA Bn

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942d Ord Hvd Co
947th Gas Pet Lab
985th Sig Serv Co
994th Sig Serv Co
1334th Engr Const Bn
1338th Engr Comb Gp (Hq & Hq Co)
1379th Engr Pet Dis Co
1513th Engr WS Co
1527th Engr DT Co
1528th Engr DT Co
1529th Engr DT Co
1554th Engr HP Bn
1755th Engr Tread Bridge Co
2615th Tec Sup Regt
2617th FA.C (Hq & Hq Co)
2628th Postal Direct Co
2629th W.C Bn (Hqs)
2643d Mvd Ctl Co
2664th W.C Postal Co
2666th W.C Wires Co
2672d ALS Hq Co
2673d Consorship Hqs Co
2674th JRC Regt
2677th OSS Regt
2677th ACC Regt
2680th MIS Hq Co
2686th MP FW Adm Co
2691st MM Co
2750th Engr L Equip Co
3010th Ord Dep Co
3029th Ord B.M Co
3030th Ord B.M Co
3045th Ord B.M Co
3073d QM Ref Co
3103d Ord B.M Co
3131st Sig Serv Co
3141st Sig Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Co)
3151st Sig Bn Co
3153d Ord B.M Co
3154th Sig Serv Co
3158th Sig Serv Co
3197th Sig Serv Co
3203th Ord S.M Co
3212th Sig Serv Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
3213th Sig Serv Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
3214th Sig Serv Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
3252d QM Serv Co
3253d Sig Serv Co
3253d QM Serv Co
3253d Ord Dep Co
3256th Ord Dep Co
3270th Ord Dep Co
3272d Ord Dep Co
3287th QM Serv Co
3298th QM Serv Co
3299th QM Serv Co
3300th QM Serv Co
3326th S.A.M Co
3332d QM Trk Co
3337th QM Trk Co
3338th QM Trk Co
3339th QM Trk Co
3340th QM Trk Co
3353th QM Trk Co
3354th QM Trk Co
3355th QM Trk Co
3356th QM Trk Co
3402d QM Trk Co
3404th QM Trk Co
3405th Ord M.M Co
3406th Ord M.M Co
3422d QM Trk Co
3425th QM Trk Co
3427th QM Trk Co
3428th QM Trk Co
3429th QM Trk Co
3430th QM Trk Co
3432d QM Trk Co
3458th Ord M.M Co
3459th Ord M.M Co
3460th Ord M.M Co
3485th QM Trk Co
3486th QM Trk Co
3487th QM Trk Co
3487th Ord M.M Co
3488th QM Trk Co
3545th QM Trk Co
3562d QM Trk Co
3567th QM Trk Co
3570th QM Trk Co
3571st QM Trk Co
3572d QM Trk Co
3581st QM Trk Co
3585th QM Trk Co
3586th QM Trk Co
3587th QM Trk Co
3588th QM Trk Co
3589th QM Trk Co

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3590th QM Trk Co
3591st QM Trk Co
3592d QM Trk Co
3605th QM Trk Co
3606th QM Trk Co
3607th QM Trk Co
3608th QM Trk Co
3611th Ord Hvy Maint Co
3633rd QM Trk Co
3634th QM Trk Co
3653d QM Trk Co
3821st QM Trk Co
3822d QM Trk Co
3823d QM Trk Co
3824th QM Trk Co
3825th QM Trk Co
3826th QM Trk Co
3827th QM Trk Co
3855th QM GS Co
3856th QM GS Co
4053d QM Serv Co
4066th QM Serv Co
4067th QM Serv Co
4068th QM Serv Co
4069th QM Serv Co
4078th QM Serv Co
4079th QM Serv Co
4080th QM Serv Co
4081st QM Serv Co
4092th QM Serv Co
4128th QM Serv Co

4152d QM Dep Co
4178th QM Serv Co
4179th QM Serv Co
4180th QM Serv Co
4181st QM Serv Co
6402d Port Co, TC
6409th Port Co, TC
6510th Port Co, TC
6411th Port Co, TC
6412th Port Co, TC
6437th QM Bn
6467th Engr Const Bn
6614th Comm Censor Co
6617th Engr MC Co
6666th W.C Hqs Co
6667th W.C Hqs Co
6668th W.C Hqs Co
6689th Sig Maint Co
6690th Hog Co
6697th Freight Disp Co
6701st ITC (Hq & Hq Co)
6706th Cond Co
6717th W.C Comm Co
6742d QM Remount Dep
6744th Mod Ctr
6746th Sig Serv Co
Vet Det, PI
AFHQ (US Cont) (Hq & Hq Cmnd)
SOS MTOUSA (Hq & Hq Cmnd)
Regl Comnd, MTOUSA (Hq & Hq Co)

c. Air Forces

1st Emer Rescue Sq
2nd Area Comb Ctl Sq
2nd Tac Air Comm Sq
3rd Photo Recon Gp
7th Tp Carr Sq
7th Tp Carr Sq
8th Tp Carr Sq
9th AAF Radio Sq
9th Comb Camera Unit
11th AAF Emer Res Bt Crew
11th Tp Carr Sq
12th Tp Carr Sq
12th AAF Emer Res Bt Crew
12th Comb Camera Unit
12th Ftr Comd (Hq & H q Sq)
16th Recon Sq
16th Dep Sup Sq
16th Tp Carr Sq

17th Tp Carr Sq
17th Bomb Gp
18th Tp Carr Sq
22nd TAC Air Comd (Hq & Hq Sq)
23rd Photo Recon Gp
27th FHS
28th Tp Carr Sq
31st Dep Sup Sq
32d Photo Recon Sq
35th Tp Carr Sq
42d Serv Sq
42d Bomb Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
49th Bomb Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
51st Tp Carr Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
51st Tp Carr Wg
55th Bomb Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
58th Allied ACS Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)

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62d Ftr Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
62d Tp Carr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
64th Tp Carr Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
60th Air Serv Sq
61st Air Serv Sq
87th Ftr Wg (Hq & Hq Sq)
87th Dep Repair Sq
87th Dep Sup Sq
96th Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
100th Ftr Sq
154th Wea Recon Sq
159th Med Disp, Avn
288th Med Disp, Avn
301st Ftr Sq
302d Ftr Sq
302d Sig Co TCW
310th Sig Co Wg
310th Bomb Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
311th Ftr Ctl Sq
314th Sig Co Wg
319th Dep Repair Sq
322d Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
324th Sig Co Wg
325th Ftr Ctl Sq
327th Ferry Sq
328th Ferry Sq
328th Sig Co Wg
329th Ferry Sq
329th Serv Gp (Hq & Hq Sq)
342d Serv Sq
343d Sig Co Wg
344th Sig Co Wg
345th Sig Co Wg
345th Ftr Sq
346th Sig Co Wg
350th Ftr Gp
360th Air Serv Sq
366th Air Serv Sq
366th Inf Regt
367th Inf Bn
367th Air Serv Sq
379th Bomb Sq
380th Bomb Sq
381st Bomb Sq
387th Air Serv Sq
397th Sig Co, Avn
400th Air Serv Sq
412th Sig Co, Avn
417th Nt Ftr Sq
420th Sig Co, Avn
421st Sig Co, Avn
426th Sig Const Bn
428th Bomb Sq
456th Air Serv Sq
457th Air Serv Sq
459th Bomb Gp
460th Bomb Gp
461st Bomb Gp
463d Bomb Gp
464th Bomb Gp
465th Bomb Gp
483d Bomb Gp
484th Bomb Gp
485th A F U
485th Bomb Gp
496th Air Serv Sq
531st A F U
560th Sig AW Bn
561st Sig AW Bn
562d Sig AW Bn
565th Air Serv Sq
567th A F U
593d Sig AW Bn
762d A F U
767th A F U
802d Med Air Evac Sq
807th Med Air Evac Sq
838th Engr Avn Bn
874th Sig Co Dep
885th Bomb Sq
907th AF Sec Bn
908th AB Sec Bn (Co A)
915th Sig Dep Co, Avn
1000th Sig Co, SG
1005th Sig Co, SG
1043d Ord Co, Avn AB
1044th Sig Co, SG
1048th Ord Co, Avn AB
1051st QM Co, SG
1056th Sig Co, SG
1057th QM Co, SG
1073d Sig Co, SG
1095th Sig Co, SG
1100th QM Co, SG
1116th QM Co, SG
1133d QM Co, SG
1250th QM Co, SG
1432d Ord SM Co, Avn
1585th Ord SM Co, Avn
1586th Ord SM Co, Avn
1624th Ord SM Co, Avn
1654th Ord SM Co, Avn

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1669th Ord Sml Co, Avn
1705th Ord Sml Co, Avn
1710th Sig Serv Sn, Avn
1736th Ord Sml Co, Avn
1756th Ord Sml Co, Avn
1766th Ord Sml Co, Avn
1795th Ord Sml Co, Avn
1901st Gp Trk Co, Avn
1902d Gp Trk Co, Avn
1913th Ord Am Co, Avn
1951st Ord Dep Co, Avn
1956th Gp Trk Co, Avn
1957th Gp Trk Co, Avn
2041th Ord Maint Co
2229th Gp Trk Co, Avn
2264th Gp Trk Co, Avn
2460th Gp Trk Co, Avn
2467th Gp Trk Co, Avn
2494th Gp Trk Co, Avn
2618th Hq Sq MATS
2682d Hq Sq Fr
2689th Hq Sq Fr
6500th Ftr Ctl Area (Hq Sq)
6502d Ftr Ctl Area (Hq Sq)
6503d Ftr Ctl Area (Hq Sq)
6504th Ftr Ctl Area (Hq Sq)
6505th Ftr Ctl Area (Hq Sq)
6506th Ftr Ctl Area (Hq Sq)
6562d Airbase Sq
AAF/MTO (Hq & Hq Sq)
AAFSC/MTO (Hq & Hq Sq)
AAFEC/MTO (Hq & Hq Sq)

12. a. Naples-Foggia Campaign

(1) Combat Zone - Italy (exclusive of Sicily and Sardinia), Corsica and adjacent waters.

(2) Time limitations - 9 September 1943 to 21 January 1944.

b. Ground Forces

62d Sig Bn (Co A)

c. Air Forces

117th AP Co, Avn

13. a. Southern France Campaign

(1) Combat Zone - Those portions of France, (exclusive of Corsica) occupied by forces assigned to MTOUSA, and adjacent waters.

(2) Time Limitation - 15 August 1944 to 14 September 1944.

b. Ground Forces

1st End Lab
2d Conv Hosp
2d Repl Dep (Hq & Ho Co)
3d Repl Dep (Hq & Hq Co)
4th Dep Unit Area (AAF)
10th Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Co)
11th FMS
17th FA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
21st Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
27th Evac Hosp
28th Gp (Hq & Hq Det)
33d Repl Bn (Hq & Hq Det)
34th FA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
36th Gun Hosp

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45th Inf Div (All units)
67th [illegible] G Bn
80th AAA G Bn
80th Fin Disb Sec
91st AAA Gp (Hq & Hq Btry)
102d AAA SB Btry
103d AAA BB Btry
104th AAA BB Btry
1[illegible]th Sig RI Co
[illegible]1st F. Bn
250th QM Bn
31[illegible]th ASF Band
380th Repl Co
381st Repl Co
397th Repl Co
398th Repl Co
399th Repl Co
406th Repl Co
407th Repl Co
407th Port Co, TC
408th Repl Co
408th Port Co, TC
409th Port Co, TC
410th Port Co, TC
411th Port Co, TC
412th Port Co, TC
439th AAA AW Bn
439th Repl Co
440th Repl Co
523d Port Bn, TC
528th QM Gp (Hq & Hq Det)
535th Repl Co
536th Repl Co
537th Repl Co
542d Repl Co
548th A P U
616th Med Clearing Co
649th Engr Bn
676th Med Coll Co
776th A P U
816th QM Ster Co
897th AAA AW Bn
933d FA Bn
938th FA Bn
1752d Engr DT Co
2601 MP PW Adm Co (Hq & Hq Det)
3287th QM Serv Co
3406th Ord MAM Co
3408th Ord MAM Co
Cont Base Sec (Hq & Hq Co)

By command of Lieutenant General McNARNEY:

H. V. ROBERTS,
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General.

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Award of Bronze Star Medal I
Award of Air Medal and Oak Leaf Clusters II
Award of Legion of Merit (Posthumous) III
Award of Legion of Merit IV

I ---- AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal was awarded by the Theater Commander to the following named personnel:

PORFIRIO R. PEPA, S2222695, Sergeant, The Parachute School, Company "A", 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for meritorious achievement in North Africa from August 1943 to 1 October 1944. Entered service from New York, New York.

JAMES R. KELLY, 6994861, Staff Sergeant, The Parachute School, Company "A", 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services for meritorious achievement in North Africa from 16 February 1943 to 1 October 1944. Entered service from West Elizabeth, Pennsylvania.

JOHN B. MARGLIS, 39870088, Staff Sergeant, The Parachute School, Company "A", 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for meritorious achievement in North Africa from 16 February 1943 to 1 October 1944. Entered service from Ranchburg, California.

EDWARD R. SMITH, 6869830, Staff Sergeant, The Parachute School, Company "A", 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for meritorious achievement in North Africa from 6 February 1943 to 1 October 1944. Entered service from Leavenworth, Kansas.

JESSE P. WRIGHT, 20415871, Staff Sergeant, The Parachute School, Company "A", 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for meritorious achievement in North Africa from 6 January to 1 October 1944. Entered service from Rutledge, Tennessee.

OTTO H. ROSS, 39160448, Technical Sergeant, The Parachute School, Company "A", 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for meritorious achievement in North Africa from 15 January to 1 October 1944. Entered service from North Hollywood, California.

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ROBERT H. TOWNSELL, 01100870, Captain, Corps of Engineers, The Parachute School, Company "A", 5677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for meritorious achievement in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations from May 1943 to 1 October 1944. Entered service from West Palm Beach, Florida.

II --- AWARD OF AIR MEDAL AND OAK LEAF CLUSTERS

Under the provisions of AR 600-45, as amended, the Air Medal and appropriate Oak Leaf Clusters are awarded the following personnel of the 5677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight:

AIR MEDAL

JAMES J. FERGUSON, 6931350, Staff Sergeant, from 3 to 11 August 1944. Entered service from International Falls, Minnesota.

WILLIAM A. CAMPBELL, 02555612, First Lieutenant, Infantry, from 25 August to 10 September 1944. Entered service from Beaufort, South Carolina.

AIR MEDAL FIRST OAK LEAF CLUSTER

JAMES J. FERGUSON, 6931350, Staff Sergeant, from 12 to 20 August 1944. Entered service from International Falls, Minnesota.

FREDERICK L. CLARK, 6667702, Technical Sergeant, from 25 to 26 August 1944 Entered service from Nelsonhon, West Virginia.

AIR MEDAL SECOND OAK LEAF CLUSTER

JAMES J. FERGUSON, 6931350, Staff Sergeant, from 21 to 27 August 1944. Entered service from International Falls, Minnesota.

FREDERICK L. CLARK, 6667702, Technical Sergeant, from 27 to 29 August 1944. Entered service from Nelsonhon, West Virginia.

AIR MEDAL THIRD OAK LEAF CLUSTER

TULLY R. CORNICK, 39681779, Staff Sergeant, from 5 to 17 June 1944. Entered service from Berkeley, California.

FREDERICK L. CLARK, 6667702, Technical Sergeant, from 30 August to 1 September 1944. Entered service from Nelsonhon, West Virginia.

AIR MEDAL FOURTH OAK LEAF CLUSTER

TULLY R. CORNICK, 39681779, Staff Sergeant, from 18 to 29 June 1944. Entered service from Berkeley, California.

FREDERICK L. CLARK, 6667702, Technical Sergeant, from 2 to 4 September 1944. Entered service from Nelsonhon, West Virginia.

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KARL J. PLATZ, 33138343, Technical Sergeant, from 15 to 25 June 1944. Entered service from Glenside, Pennsylvania.

AIR MEDAL FIFTH OAK LEAF CLUSTER

TULLY R. CORNICK, 39681772, Staff Sergeant, from 1 to 12 July 1944. Entered service from Berkeley, California.

FREDERICK L. CLARK, 6867702, Technical Sergeant, from 5 to 7 September 1944. Entered service from McMechen, West Virginia.

KARL J. PLATZ, 33138343, Technical Sergeant, from 26 June to 7 July 1944. Entered service from Glenside, Pennsylvania.

AIR MEDAL SIXTH OAK LEAF CLUSTER

TULLY R. CORNICK, 39681772, Staff Sergeant, from 13 to 26 July 1944. Entered service from Berkeley, California.

FREDERICK L. CLARK, 6867702, Technical Sergeant, from 8 to 10 September 1944. Entered service from McMechen, West Virginia.

KARL J. PLATZ, 33138343, Technical Sergeant, from 8 to 21 July 1944. Entered service from Glenside, Pennsylvania.

AIR MEDAL SEVENTH OAK LEAF CLUSTER

TULLY R. CORNICK, 39681772, Staff Sergeant, from 27 July to 9 August 1944. Entered service from Berkeley, California.

KARL J. PLATZ, 33138343, Technical Sergeant, from 22 July to 2 August 1944. Entered service from Glenside, Pennsylvania.

AIR MEDAL EIGHTH OAK LEAF CLUSTER

TULLY R. CORNICK, 39681772, Staff Sergeant, from 10 to 23 August 1944. Entered service from Berkeley, California.

III -- AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT, POSTHUMOUS

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Legion of Merit was posthumously awarded by the Theater Commander to the following named officer for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services:

WILLIAM H. McKAY, 0452651, Captain, Field Artillery, Headquarters 45th Infantry Division, for services in Sicily, Italy and Southern France from 9 July 1943 to 24 September 1944. Next of kin: Mr. T. H. McKay (father), RFD #1, Ada, Texas.

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IV --- AWARD OF LEGION OF MERIT

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Legion of Merit was awarded by the Theater Commander to the following named personnel for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services:

DALE E. SCHREINER, 17000981, Master Sergeant, 17th Troop Carrier Squadron, for services in Sicily and Bengal, India from 25 March to 20 June 1944. Entered service from Effingham, Kansas.

ERNEST S. TAYLOR, 7002749, Master Sergeant, 526th Fighter Bomber Squadron, for services in North Africa from 7 - 12 July 1943. Entered service from Brownsville, Tennessee.

GEORGE T. HARPER, 122879, Lieutenant, United States Naval Reserve, Company A, 4th Beach Battalion, for services in Southern France from 15 to 20 August 1944. Entered service from Norfolk, Virginia.

HAROLD J. WEISS, 0206401, Captain (then Second Lieutenant), Infantry, Headquarters, 30th Infantry Regiment, for services in Italy during the month of October 1943. Entered service from New York City, New York.

WILLIAM C. KEYT, JR., 0111001, Captain, Corps of Engineers, The Parachute School, Company "A", 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for services in North Africa and in enemy held territory from May 1943 to September 1944. Entered service from Baltimore, Maryland.

HAROLD R. ROSENTHAL, 0356236, Major, Medical Corps, The Parachute School, Company "A", 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for services in North Africa from 1 May to 15 September 1944. Entered service from Cleveland, Ohio.

RALPH M. STAMM, 0156256, Brigadier General, United States Army, for services in North Africa and Italy from 6 January 1943 to 2 July 1944. Entered service from Madison, Wisconsin.

By command of Lieutenant General McNARNEY:

GEORGE D. PENCE,
Brigadier General, GSC,
Chief of Staff.

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Adjutant General.

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By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Legion of Merit was awarded by the Theater Commander to the following named personnel for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services:

ELLA C. WRIGHT, A906018, Staff Sergeant, Women's Army Corps, 2666th WAC Wires Company (Orhd), for services in North Africa and Italy from 4 February 1943 to 28 October 1944. Entered service from Portland, Oregon.

JOHN J. SZQUIST, 35162059, Technical Sergeant, Ordnance Section, Headquarters Seventh Army, for services in Italy, North Africa and Southern France from 1 February to 15 August 1944. Entered service from Indianapolis, Indiana.

NORMAN W. HEXTEL, 36102657, Master Sergeant, Service Company, 30th Infantry Regiment, for services in Italy and Southern France from 5 December 1943 to 9 August 1944. Entered service from Detroit, Michigan.

WILLIAM G. McGUIRE, 6807812, Master Sergeant, G-4 Section, Headquarters Seventh Army, for services in North Africa, Italy, and Southern France from 7 January to 15 August 1944. Entered service from Connellsville, Pennsylvania.

CHARLES A. PARKER, 34035[illegible], Master Sergeant, Headquarters Seventh Army, for services in North Africa, Italy and Southern France from 20 March to 16 August 1944. Entered service from Atlanta, Georgia.

JOSEPH H. [illegible], 0314909, Captain, Field Artillery, 1st Field Artillery Observation Battalion, for services in North Africa, Sicily, and Italy from 4 March 1943 to 10 July 1944. Entered service from Miami, Florida.

ALVIN D. WILDER JR., 021676, Captain, Corps of Engineers, Company A, 316th Engineer Combat Battalion, for services in Italy from 3 June to 15 August 1944. Entered service from Oakland, California.

ROBERT E. HUBER, 0273095, Major, Field Artillery, Headquarters 158th Field Artillery Battalion, for services in Sicily and Italy from 10 July 1943 to 9 January 1944. Entered Service from Mesa, Arizona.

MARION H. [illegible], 0402063, Lieutenant Colonel, Medical Corps, Chief of Medical Service, 12th General Hospital, for services in the North African Theater of Operations from 21 January 1944 until 8 July 1944. Entered service from Chicago, Illinois.

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CLARENCE C. BIENSTEIN, 0289321, Lieutenant Colonel, Medical Corps, Headquarters 36th Infantry Division, for services in North Africa and Italy from 13 April 1943 to 5 June 1944. Entered service from Fort Worth, Texas.

HYMAN BRUSS, 0311969, Lieutenant Colonel, Cavalry, 752d Tank Battalion, for services in Italy from 27 July to 9 September 1944. Entered service from Van Nuys, California.

RUDOLPH W. BROADLAW, 011161, Colonel, Infantry, Headquarters 361st Infantry Regiment, for services in Italy from 2 June to 9 September 1944. Entered service from Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin.

WILLIAM E. CRAIG, 019526, Colonel, General Staff Corps, Headquarters Seventh Army, for services in North Africa, Italy and Southern France from 20 March to 13 September 1944. Entered the United States Military Academy from Nashville, Tennessee.

JOHN S. GUTHRIE, 018228, Colonel, General Staff Corps, Headquarters Seventh Army, for services in North Africa, Italy and Southern France from 13 March to 18 August 1944. Entered the United States Military Academy from La Junta, Colorado.

OLIVER N. HUGHES, 014974, Colonel, Infantry, 337th Infantry Regiment, for services in Italy from 1 March to 9 September 1944. Entered the United States Military Academy from Delaware, Ohio.

FRANK Y. LAWTER, 018928, Colonel, Medical Corps, 16th Evacuation Hospital, for services in Italy from 2 November 1943 to 5 June 1944. Entered service from Reno, Nevada.

HAROLD F. PFISTER, 029513, Colonel, (then Lieutenant Colonel), General Staff Corps, Headquarters Seventh Army, for services in North Africa, Italy and Southern France from 15 March to 16 August 1944. Entered service from Lake Butler, Florida.

WILLIAM E. QUINN, 019283, Colonel, General Staff Corps, Headquarters Seventh Army, for services in North Africa, Italy and Southern France from 1 February to 18 August 1944. Entered the United States Military Academy from Crisfield, Maryland.

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GENERAL ORDERS)
: 8 November 1944
NUMBER 126)

Award of Distinguished Service Cross I
Award of Distinguished Service Cross (Posthumous) II
Award of Silver Star III
Commendation of Unit IV

I ---- AWARD OF DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Distinguished Service Cross was awarded by the Theater Commander to the following named officer:

GEORGE S. WUCHINICH, 0519816, Captain (then First Lieutenant), AUS, Company B, 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for extraordinary heroism in connection with secret military operations in the Balkans against an armed enemy during the period from 28 November 1943 to 26 July 1944. Captain Wuchinich's descent by parachute into enemy occupied territory, his leadership, and his resolute conduct in the face of great peril, throughout an extended period, in the successful accomplishment of an extremely hazardous and difficult mission, exemplified the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered service from Washington, D.C.

II --- AWARD OF DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS (POSTHUMOUS)

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Distinguished Service Cross was posthumously awarded by the Theater Commander to the following named officer:

LINN M. FARISH, 0884213, Major, AUS, Office of Strategic Services, Company B, 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for extraordinary heroism in connection with secret military operations in the Balkans against an armed enemy during the period from 16 April to 16 June 1944. Major Farish's descent by parachute into enemy occupied territory, his leadership, and his resolute conduct in the face of great peril, throughout an extended period, in the successful accomplishment of an extremely hazardous and difficult mission, exemplified the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. In a later hazardous assignment of vital importance to subsequent military operations, Major Farish was killed, when his aircraft crashed during the course of operations. Next of kin: Mrs. Linn M. Farish, (wife) 3546 74th St., Apt. 102, Jackson Heights, Long Island, New York.

III -- AWARD OF SILVER STAR

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star was awarded by the Theater Commander to the following named personnel: 2377

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PETE SFIKAS, 15074827, Sergeant, Company B, 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for gallantry in action connected with secret military operations against an armed enemy in the Balkans, during the period from November 1943 to July 1944. Sgt. Sfikas' descent by parachute into enemy occupied territory, his resourcefulness, and his resolute conduct in the face of great peril, throughout an extended period, in the successful accomplishment of an extremely hazardous and difficult secret mission, exemplified the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered service from Wairton, West Virginia.

JOHN TARGAKIS, 31117392, Technician Fourth Grade, Company B, 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for gallantry in action during the period from 21 April to 20 September 1944 in connection with military operations in the Balkans, against an armed enemy. Technician Fourth Grade Targakis' resolute conduct in the performance of a secret mission involving hazards not normally encountered in combat and at great personal peril, throughout an extended period, exemplified the finest traditions of the Armed Forces of the United States. Entered service from Bath, Maine.

ELI POPOVICH, 01115985, First Lieutenant (then Second Lieutenant), Corps of Engineers, Company B, 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for gallantry in action in connection with secret military operations in the Balkans against an armed enemy during the period from 16 April to 16 June 1944. Lieutenant Popovich's parachute descent into enemy occupied territory, his resolute conduct in the face of great peril, throughout an extended period, in the successful accomplishment of an extremely hazardous and difficult secret mission exemplified the finest traditions of the armed forces of the United States. Entered service from South Chicago, Illinois.

IV --- COMMENDATION OF UNIT

The following organization is commended for superior performance of duty:

The 53d SIGNAL BATTALION, for superior performance of duty in the accomplishment of exceptionally difficult tasks in North Africa, Sicily and Italy from 8 November 1942 to 9 June 1944. This unit was the first American signal battalion to engage in operations against the enemy in the North African Theater of Operations. Landing with the initial forces in North Africa, and despite the most difficult conditions, the Battalion not only continuously produced outstanding communications, but also pioneered and developed, from its early battle experiences, many subsequent standard procedures and techniques. Because of the initiative, technical skill, and resourcefulness of its members in making continuous improvements in utilizing its equipment, numerous changes in field signal equipment were officially introduced and disseminated to all theaters of operations, thus providing an outstanding improvement in combat communications and equipment of the Signal Corps of the United States Army.

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GENERAL ORDERS)
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Award of Silver Star I
Award of Bronze Star Medal II

I ----- AWARD OF SILVER STAR

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Silver Star was awarded by the Theater Commander to the following named personnel:

LOUIS MICHIELINI, 12095555, Sergeant, Company D, 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for gallantry in action during the period 7 January to 27 September 1944, in Italy. As a member of numerous special intelligence and combat patrols on hazardous missions involving infiltration of agents, Sergeant Michielini displayed outstanding courage, coolness and ability to carry out the assigned mission under most hazardous and dangerous conditions. These factors so outstandingly displayed by Sergeant Michielini inspired and encouraged his comrades to greater efforts and contributed greatly to the outstanding successes accomplished by the special patrols of which he was a member. His unfailing courage and willingness to accept any assignments, no matter how hazardous, earned for him the admiration and respect of all with whom he served and reflects great credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States. Entered service from Cliftside, New Jersey.

JOSEPH SARTIANO, 01321253, First Lieutenant (then Second Lieutenant), Infantry, Company D, 2677th Regiment, Office of Strategic Services, for gallantry in action in Italy from 4 January to 1 June 1944. As Commander and Assistant Commander of numerous special intelligence and combat patrols on hazardous and dangerous missions involving infiltration of agents and elimination of enemy snipers, Lieutenant Sartiano displayed outstanding leadership, courage and initiative in conducting and carrying out the assigned missions. These missions were accomplished under the most hazardous conditions, many times under fire of the enemy snipers and patrols which forced them to return the fire to insure the successful completion of the mission. These factors so outstandingly displayed by Lieutenant Sartiano inspired and encouraged the men under his command to greater efforts and contributed greatly to the outstanding successes of the special patrols he commanded or assisted in commanding. His skillful leadership and cool thinking under fire resulted in all the members of the patrols returning safely. His high morale, unfailing courage and heroism earned for him the admiration and respect of all the men and reflects great credit upon himself and the military service. Entered service from Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

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II --- AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal was awarded by the Theater Commander to the following named officers:

KEVIN HILL, Captain, (Then Lieutenant), 2d Lancashire Fusiliers, British Army, for heroic achievement in connection with operations against the enemy at Catenanouva, Italy on 30 July 1943. Commanding a patrol which accompanied the assault troops into Catenanouva, Captain Hill, upon pushing forward into a wooded section to ascertain enemy positions, suddenly encountered intense enemy fire from machine guns, snipers and armored vehicles, and was forced to withdraw after sustaining several casualties. Despite heavy enemy mortar fire during the withdrawal, Captain Hill disregarding his own personal safety organized a stretcher party, went back into the woods and returned with all casualties. This outstanding act of gallantry is deserving of great praise and is in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service.

F. R. L. BARNWELL, 114058, Major, Royal Engineers, British Army, 150th Railway Construction Company, British Transportation, for meritorious achievement in action from March to May 1943 in Tunisia. Major Barnwell made a reconnaissance of the Medjez el Bab-Tunis rail line without regard to his personal safety and produced accurate and rapid reports of the damage to the rail lines in areas only a few hours vacated by the enemy. He also organized the repair of the railway with skill and initiative and when completion of the line became especially urgent directed the work personally day and night, inspiring his tired men in the production of the work. Residence: London, England.

ROGER BECK, Major, 3d Coldstream Guards, British Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with operations against the enemy near Rocchi and Mt. Camino, Italy on 18 September and 7 December 1943. Given the assignment of leading his company in spearheading an attack on the high ground northwest of Rocchi, Italy, on 18 September 1943, Major Beck finding his objective strongly defended by the enemy, quickly realized that unless he attacked the enemy with intense fire, while another company outflanked the enemy defenses, the objective would not be taken. He personnaly established all his platoons in battle positions that would divert the attention of the enemy from the friendly company working around to the exposed flank of the Germans, and so successful were his tactics that the supporting company was able to take the enemy by surprise and completely overwhelm them. Later at Mt. Camino on 7 December 1943 when his company was suffering heavy casualties while being subjected to continuous enemy shellfire, Major Beck with complete disregard for his personal safety assisted in evacuating the wounded and encouraged his men to hold their vital position. The outstanding courage, leadership and tactical ability displayed by Major Beck reflect great credit upon himself and are in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service.

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SUBJECT: Decorations

The following is a list of British officers of the Allied Control Commission recommended for American decorations:

Brigadier	Lush
Brigadier	Parkinson
Colonel	Legg
Colonel	Grafftey-Smith
Colonel	Findlay
Colonel	Hancock
Colonel	Mayne
Group Capt.	Benson
	Lapfer
Brigadier	Upjohn
Colonel	Temperley (Previously recommended)
Lord	Stansgate

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REFERENCE : G-1B/89/2/A

24 October 1944

SUBJECT : Honours and Awards

TO : Distribution below.

1. It is proposed to submit the names of 12 American personnel serving with this Commission as recommended for the award of British decorations.

2. The Senior British Officer of each Section and Independent Sub Commission of H.Q. A.C.C. and of each Region and Army A.M.G. will submit the names of one American Officer and one American E.M. recommended.

3. Recommendations, with citations, on AFW 3121 will be submitted to reach this Office NOT LATER than 7 November 1944.

4. Decorations available are as for British personnel with similar grading as for British Officers and O.Rs.

5. NIL returns, if applicable, are required.

BY COMMAND OF COMMODORE STONE :

J.L. JONES,
Lt.Colonel,
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G-1 (B)

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Phone 476183

NEF/mrd
4 October 1944

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Dear General Lemnitzer:

I am enclosing two drafts of recommendation for award and corresponding citation for U.S. decoration, for Captain Stone. One draft is based on the completion of the duty for which the award is recommended, as of the date of his assumption of the duties of Acting Chief Commissioner and I have stressed in this citation the work which he did while at Salerno, where he was largely on his own and separated from the rest of the Headquarters of the Commission.

The other citation is based on terminating his duties for which the award is recommended as of the date of the transfer of control of the Commission from A.A.I. to A.F.H.Q. However, in this letter Captain Stone continues as Chief Civil Affairs Officer of A.A.I., as I understand it.

You will note too, that in one draft I have included his brief service as Director of Communications, Allied Military Mission, whereas in the other I have relied entirely upon his duty as Deputy Chief Commissioner. There is also a discrepancy in date, as to the time he actually assumed the duties of Deputy Chief Commissioner, February 1, 1944 and the date of the General Order which announces his appointment after it had been confirmed by the Combined Chiefs of Staff, 13 March 1944.

From these two drafts, I hope you will be able to work out something that will qualify him for the award.

With all good wishes, I remain

Sincerely yours,

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Vice President
Establishment Section

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