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Award of Soldier's Medal.....
Award of Bronze Star Medal..... II

SECTION I — AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, a Soldier's medal is awarded to the following named individual for heroism.

BARNEY B. JONES, 20818647, Technician Fifth Grade, 736th Ordnance (L) Company, for heroism on 15 and 16 August 1944 in France. When, in the invasion of Southern France, a landing craft was hit squarely by a radio-controlled bomb from an enemy plane, the ship exploded, then grounded on a sand bar 50 yards from shore. Ignoring the dangers of exploding ammunition and burning oil, Tec 5 Jones jumped into the water and made his way to the survivors. Working indefatigable under constant strain, he carried the injured men out of the water to a place of safety on the shore. After making several of the hazardous, exhausting trips to the burning ship, he assisted in administering first aid to the wounded and in evacuating them to the aid station. Entered the Service from Paris, Texas.

SECTION II — AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded to each of the following named individuals for heroic achievement in combat in France.

JAMES H. CRITCHFIELD, 022656, Lieutenant Colonel, 141st Infantry Regiment, 25 August 1944. Entered the Service from Fargo, North Dakota.

JOSEPH G. DORBIN, 01292149, Captain, 143d Infantry Regiment, 10 and 11 September 1944. Entered the Service from Marinette, Wisconsin.

WILEY W. STELL, 0406991, Captain, 143d Infantry Regiment, 10 and 11 September 1944. Entered the Service from Waco, Texas.

MAHL SHINDELL, 0398324, Captain, 93d Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 15 August 1944. Entered the Service from Dorchester, Massachusetts.

HAROLD R. GAYTON, 01170742, First Lieutenant, 93d Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 15 August 1944. Entered the Service from Boston, Massachusetts.

BILLS LEWIS, 01040853, First Lieutenant, Headquarters 36th Infantry Division, 22 August 1944. Entered the Service from New York, New York.

ROBERT K. CASTLE, 01180846, Second Lieutenant, 93d Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 15 August 1944. Entered the Service from Lansing, Michigan.

PAUL J. THRIFFLEY, JR, 0446406, Second Lieutenant, 93d Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from New Orleans, Louisiana.

MARTIN J. HIGGINS, JR, 01030984, Second Lieutenant, 141st Infantry Regiment, 21 September 1944. Entered the Service from Jersey City, New Jersey.

LEO L. HESS, 37318978, Technical Sergeant, Company A, 143d Infantry Regiment, 15 September 1944. Entered the Service from Eagle Bend, Minnesota.

JOHN L. HAMMILL, 33726437, Staff Sergeant, Company G, 141st Infantry Regiment, 24 August 1944. Entered the Service from Baltimore, Maryland.

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DANIEL H. STONEROOK, 13053639, Staff Sergeant, (then Corporal), Company I, 143d Infantry Regiment, 27-28 August 1944. Entered the Service from Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

CARLETON W. HAGLDORN, 16049979, Staff Sergeant, Battery C, 93d Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 15 August 1944. Entered the Service from Milwaukee, Wis.

JULIUS PICARSKY, 32258206, Staff Sergeant, Company C, 143d Infantry Regiment, 24 August 1944. Entered the Service from New York, New York.

VICTOR E. LOOMIS, 36456173, Staff Sergeant, Company I, 143d Infantry Regiment, 27-28 August 1944. Entered the Service from Lansing, Michigan.

ROY M. WALDRON, 34242637, Sergeant, Battery C, 93d Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 15 August 1944. Entered the Service from Glowiston, Florida.

JOHN J. KASIA, 38036690, Sergeant, Company B, 142d Infantry Regiment, 29 September 1944. Entered the Service from West, Texas.

ARTHUR C. MENZEL, III, 12078285, Sergeant, Company B, 111th Medical Battalion, 28 August 1944. Entered the Service from Irvington, New Jersey.

RALPH PRICE, 35267366, Corporal, Company D, 141st Infantry Regiment, 1 June 1944. Entered the Service from Somerset, Kentucky.

HARRY G. BANUELOS, 39563481, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Detachment, 143d Infantry Regiment, 15 August 1944. Entered the Service from Los Angeles, Cal.

RAYMOND H. McCAINT, 37199724, Private First Class, Company B, 111th Medical Battalion, 28 August 1944. Entered the Service from Wichita, Kansas.

JAMES W. CROSS, 34609896, Private First Class, Company B, 142d Infantry Regiment, 30 September 1944. Entered the Service from Culberson, North Carolina.

JOSEPH ANDRIUSKAS, 32291088, Private First Class, Battery C, 93d Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 15 August 1944. Entered the Service from North Chatham, New York.

HAROLD B. ROSS, 37683391, Private First Class, Company E, 141st Infantry Regiment, 15 August 1944. Entered the Service from Bedford, Iowa.

JOHN A. FRANK, 20112421, Private First Class, Company E, 141st Infantry Regiment, 15 August 1944. Entered the Service from Webster, Massachusetts.

HAROLD L. KING, 37727228, Private First Class, Company E, 141st Infantry Regiment, 15 August 1944. Entered the Service from Fort Smith, Arkansas.

JODIE O. BURMAN, 34880391, Private, Company D, 141st Infantry Regiment, 15 August 1944. Entered the Service from Medon, Tennessee.

FLOYD M. COX, 34894027, Private, Company E, 141st Infantry Regiment, 15 August 1944. Entered the Service from Yadkinville, North Carolina.

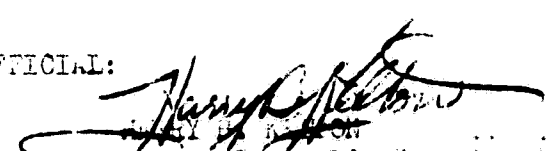
ROBERT LAW, 33797008, Private, Company D, 141st Infantry Regiment, 11 June 1944. Entered the Service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

LUTHER L. BOEHL, JR., 42024173, Private, Company H, 141st Infantry Regiment, 25 August 1944. Entered the Service from Ludlowville, New York.

By command of Major General DAHLQUIST:

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