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SECTION I -- POSTHUMOUS AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the following named soldier is posthumously awarded a Bronze Star Medal for heroic achievement in action in Italy.

HARRIS G. CANFIELD, 36739522, Staff Sergeant, Company E, 143d Infantry Regiment, 29 May 1944. Next of kin: Mrs. Jeanette Canfield (Wife), 125 Arch Street, Ironwood, Michigan.

SECTION II -- AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

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

ROBERT H. EPSTEIN, 0513468, Second Lieutenant, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Chicago, Illinois.

CLYDE WALKER, 20809319, Technical Sergeant, Company K, 143d Infantry Regiment, 29 May 1944. Entered the Service from Waco, Texas.

MARVIN M. PILE, 35697245, Sergeant, Company B, 141st Infantry Regiment, 2 June 1944. Entered the Service from Dyer, Kentucky.

THOMAS L. GARNER, 14002758, Corporal, Headquarters Company, 2d Battalion, 142d Infantry Regiment, 29-30 January 1944. Entered the Service from Greenville, NC.

LOUIE H. MEADOR, 20815364, Corporal, Battery A, 133d Field Artillery Battalion, 22 February 1944. Entered the Service from Corsicana, Texas.

HERBERT T. MILLER, 38036355, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 December 1943. Entered the Service from Victoria, Texas.

CLIFTON L. FIELDS, 38037071, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters Company, 112d Infantry Regiment, 2 to 5 February 1944. Entered the Service from Bryson, Tex.

THOMAS L. STRAUSS, 35169084, Private First Class, Battery A, 133d Field Artillery Battalion, 6 March 1944. Entered the Service from Fort Wayne, Indiana.

DONALD A. NEWELL, 35049117, Private First Class, Company L, 142d Infantry Regiment, 2 February 1944. Entered the Service from Akron, Ohio.

SYLVESTER KLAJA, 32212620, Private First Class, Company G, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Niagara Falls, New York.

JAMES C. MAZE, 34810867, Private First Class, Company G, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Trafford, Alabama.

NORMAN GROFMAN, 36643853, Private First Class, Company G, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Chicago, Illinois.

ALBERT MENARD, 20112435, Private First Class, Company G, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Webster, Massachusetts.

VINT MESSENGILL, 34285393, Private First Class, Company G, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Tazewell, Tennessee.

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JOSEPH P. JORDAN, 39705522, Private First Class, Company G, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Los Angeles, California.

JEROME A. AWLATKOWSKI, 35049675, Private First Class, Company G, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Cleveland, Ohio.

ORVAL E. BOX, 38588538, Private, Company G, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Miami, Oklahoma.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the following named individuals are each awarded a Bronze Star Medal for meritorious conduct in direct support of combat operations in Italy.

HAI OLD HARDGRAVE, 20815315, Master Sergeant, Service Battery, 133d Field Artillery Battalion, 9 September 1943 to 26 June 1944. Entered the Service from Corsican, Texas.

JAMES D. TREADAWAY, 38036534, Private First Class, Company B, 111th Medical Battalion, 21 January to 8 February 1944. Entered the Service from Miles, Texas.

SECTION III - AWARD OF OAK LEAF CLUSTER

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, an Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a second Bronze Star Medal is awarded to each of the following named individuals for heroic achievement in combat in Italy.

THOMAS T. ATRINS, 0246315, Lieutenant Colonel, 155th Field Artillery Battalion, 1 June 1944. Entered the Service from Hampton, Virginia.

JACK L. PRICE, 20848688, Technical Sergeant, Antitank Company, 142d Infantry Regiment, 1 June 1944. Entered the Service from Santa Anna, Texas.

HENRY D. STOKES, 20805702, Technical Sergeant, Company G, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Snyder, Texas.

WILLARD S. WILLIAMS, 20806446, Technical Sergeant, Company L, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 January 1944. Entered the Service from Breckenridge, Texas.

LOWELL B. DITTBENNER, 37545087, Staff Sergeant, Company G, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Minneapolis, Minnesota.

IONNIE REDDEN, 38228137, Staff Sergeant, Company G, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Hamilton, Texas.

THURMAN R. SMULTZ, 20805701, Staff Sergeant, Company G, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Snyder, Texas.

JOHN R. CORNERY, 33054002, Technician Fifth Grade, Battery C, 131st Field Artillery Battalion, 10 June 1944. Entered the Service from Frankford, Pa.

By command of Major General D. H. LUIGI:

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