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SECTION I — 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.

ROY G. SOLBERG, 37556890, Private First Class, Company F, 141st Infantry Regiment, 27 January 1944. Entered the Service from Clayton, Wisconsin.
ROBERT L. JONES, 20803902, Private, Medical Detachment, 141st Infantry Regiment, 2 June 1944. Entered the Service from Lockhart, Texas.

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

BERNARD F. ROEMER, 0415430, Major, Chaplains Corps, Headquarters 36th Infantry Division, 12 September 1943 to 30 June 1944. Entered the Service from Waco, Texas.

JOHN P. POWHIDA, 0305085, Major, 2675th AGC Regiment (Attached to Headquarters 36th Infantry Division), 15 May 1944 to 26 June 1944. Entered the Service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

CLIFFORD M. SNOW, 0333741, Major, 132d Field Artillery Battalion, 28 January to 12 February 1944. Entered the Service from Amarillo, Texas.

ERMON S. SMITH, 38039675, Technician Fifth Grade, Headquarters and Service Company, 111th Engineer Combat Battalion, 25 May 1944 to 27 June 1944. Entered the Service from Newport, Texas.

SECTION II — AWARD OF OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO BRONZE STAR MEDAL

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 the following named soldier for heroic achievement in combat in Italy.

WAYNE W. JENKINS, 16054281, Technical Sergeant, Company F, 141st Infantry Regiment, 30 May 1944. Entered the Service from Toledo, Illinois.

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SECTION III -- AWARD OF PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, a Purple Heart is awarded to each of the following named individuals for wounds received as a result of enemy action in Italy.

CARL E. GREINKE, 36173930, Technician Fourth Grade, Company C, 111th Engineer Combat Battalion, 22 July 1944. Entered the Service from Shelby, Michigan.

ALBERT I. PUGNET, 32911339, Private First Class, Company C, 142d Infantry Regiment, 5 June 1944. Entered the Service from Englewood, New Jersey.

WILLIAM S. JOHNSON, 32483676, Private, Company C, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Bordentown, New Jersey.

SECTION IV -- AWARD OF OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, an Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a second Purple Heart is awarded to each of the following named soldiers for wounds received as a result of enemy action in Italy.

ELMER L. KEMP, 20804820, Sergeant, Company C, 142d Infantry Regiment, 4 June 1944. Entered the Service from Ballinger, Texas.

CHARLIE J. NUARA, 32653268, Sergeant, Company C, 142d Infantry Regiment, June 1944. Entered the Service from New York, New York.

WILLIAM B. KMIEC, 36320054, Corporal, Company M, 142d Infantry Regiment, 14 June 1944. Entered the Service from Chicago, Illinois.

CLEO C. ESTES, 35204217, Private First Class, Company B, 142d Infantry Regiment, 3 June 1944. Entered the Service from Hurricane, West Virginia.

SECTION V -- RESCISSION OF AWARD

So much of General Orders Number 181, cs, this Headquarters, as awards a Purple Heart to JOHN P. MC CLELLAN, 31348956, Private, Battery C, 131st Field Artillery Battalion is rescinded.

By command of Major General DAHLQUIST:

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