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I. DISTINGUISHED-SERVICE MEDAL.—1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved 9 July 1918 (Bul. 43, WD, 1918), the Distinguished-Service Medal for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished service in a position of great responsibility during the periods indicated is awarded to the following-named officers:

Major General *Butler B. Miltonberger*, , Army of the United States. February 1946 to August 1947.

Colonel *Henry Terrell, Jr.*, (then major general), Infantry, United States Army. February 1942 to October 1945.

Colonel *Rinaldo Van Brunt*, (then brigadier general), Infantry, United States Army. January to August 1945. (This award supersedes the award of the Legion of Merit to Colonel *Van Brunt*, for service from 29 January to 15 February 1945, as published in General Orders 78, Headquarters United States Forces, European Theater, 1 May 1945.)

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved 9 July 1918 (Bul. 43, WD 1918), the Distinguished-Service Medal (first Oak-Leaf Cluster) for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished service in a position of great responsibility during the period indicated is awarded to the following-named officer:

Colonel *Edgar E. Hume*, (then brigadier general), General Staff Corps (Medical Corps), United States Army. June 1943 to April 1945. (Sec. II, General Orders 59, WD, 1944, pertaining to the award of the Distinguished-Service Medal (first Oak-Leaf Cluster) to Colonel *Hume* (then brigadier general) is rescinded.

II. SILVER STAR.—By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved 9 July 1918 (Bul. 43, WD 1918), the Silver Star for gallantry in action during the period indicated is awarded to the following-named officer:

Major *Lester I. Fox*, (then captain), Medical Corps, Army of the United States, on 24 April 1942, displayed gallantry in action at Corregidor, Philippine Islands, during an enemy artillery bombardment of Battery Crockett, where he operated a battalion first-aid station. When a shell crashed through the hoist room wall, setting fire to bedding and equipment and injuring several men, he left his station to aid the wounded. At the same time, assuming command of the battery, Major *Fox* organized the able-bodied men to beat back the flames which dangerously threatened the powder rooms. Two more shells burst within the battery, wounding most of the remaining men and severely injuring him and destroying his medical kit. Doggedly, he dragged himself about, helping the injured and trying to smother with a blanket the fires raging nearest the powder room doors, when another shell burst and further injured him. Through his outstanding courage and determination, as seen by a rescue detail who later entered to find him semiconscious and still by the doors to the powder room, Major *Fox*

did much to prevent a terrible explosion and loss of life in the battery emplacement.

III..LEGION OF MERIT.—1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved 20 July 1942 (sec. III, Bul. 40, WD 1942) and Executive Order 9260, 29 October 1942 (sec. I, Bul. 54, WD, 1942), the Legion of Merit for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service during the periods indicated is awarded to the following-named officers:

Lieutenant Colonel *Bernard B. Blank*, , Field Artillery, United States Army. December 1944 to June 1945.

Lieutenant Colonel *Lyman D. Bothwell*, , Cavalry, Army of the United States. August 1945 to March 1947. (This award supersedes the award of the Army Commendation Ribbon to Lieutenant Colonel *Bothwell* for service from 2 September 1945 to 3 January 1946.)

Colonel *Norton Canfield*, , Medical Corps, Army of the United States. January 1943 to August 1945. (This award supersedes the award of the Bronze Star Medal to Colonel *Canfield*, for service from 25 January 1943 to 15 May 1944, as published in General Orders 3, Headquarters European Theater of Operations, 12 January 1945.)

Colonel *Robert E. L. Choate*, , Air Corps, United States Army. March 1942 to October 1945. (This award supersedes the award of the Army Commendation Ribbon to Colonel *Choate* for service from 11 March to 15 June 1942 and 4 August 1942 to 20 February 1943.)

Colonel *Joseph F. Delancy*, , Air Corps, United States Army. August 1943 to November 1945. (This award supersedes the awards, to Colonel *Delancy*, of the Bronze Star Medal for service from 8 January to 12 May 1945, as published in General Orders 94, Headquarters Army Air Forces Service Command, Mediterranean Theater of Operations, 12 June 1945, and the Army Commendation Ribbon for service from 17 September 1944 to 4 January 1945.)

Major *John C. Liggett*, , Signal Corps, United States Army. February 1945 to July 1947.

Lieutenant Colonel *Richard C. Lowman*, _____ (then colonel), General Staff Corps (Air Corps), Army of the United States. July 1944 to January 1946.

Colonel *Reinder F. Schilsky*, (then lieutenant colonel), Corps of Engineers, Army of the United States. June to November 1942.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved 20 July 1942 (sec. III, Bul. 40, WD, 1942) and Executive Order 9260, 29 October 1942 (sec. I, Bul. 54, WD, 1942), the Legion of Merit (first Oak-Leaf Cluster) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service during the periods indicated is awarded to the following-named officers:

Colonel *John P. Dinsmore*, , General Staff Corps (Judge Advocate General's Department), United States Army. January 1943 to April 1945. (This award supersedes the award of the Army Commendation Ribbon (first Oak-Leaf Cluster) to Colonel *Dinsmore* for service from 11 January 1943 to 1 March 1946.)

Colonel *James H. Phillips*, , General Staff Corps (Cavalry), United States Army. June 1942 to December 1943.

IV..DISTINGUISHED-FLYING CROSS.—By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved 2 July 1926 (Bul. 8, WD, 1926), the Distinguished-Flying Cross for extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flight during the period indicated is awarded posthumously to the following-named officer:

Second Lieutenant *Sylvester V. Howell, Jr.*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. 24 March 1945.

V..DISTINGUISHED-FLYING CROSS.—1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved 2 July 1926 (Bul. 8, WD, 1926), the Distinguished-Flying Cross for extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flight during the period indicated is awarded to the following-named officer:

First Lieutenant *John A. Rickerson*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. 24 March 1944.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved 2 July 1926 (Bul. 8, WD, 1926), the Distinguished-Flying Cross (first Oak-Leaf Cluster) for extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flight during the periods indicated is awarded to the following-named officers:

First Lieutenant *Claud L. McIver, Jr.*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. 24 May 1944.

Captain *Paul E. Roscher*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. 10 April 1945.

VI..BRONZE STAR MEDAL.—By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9419, 4 February 1944 (sec. II, Bul. 3, WD, 1944), the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States during the period indicated is awarded posthumously to the following-named enlisted man:

Master Sergeant *Arthur W. Carlson* (Army serial No.), (then technical sergeant), Air Corps, United States Army. 8 to 25 December 1941.

VII..BRONZE STAR MEDAL.—1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9419, 4 February 1944 (sec. II, Bul. 3, WD, 1944), the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States during the periods indicated is awarded to the following-named officers, chief warrant officer, and enlisted men:

Technician Third Grade *Gordon A. Belson* (Army Serial No.) (then technician fourth grade), Ordnance Department, Army of the United States. December 1944 to July 1945.

Captain *William C. Bennett*, (then first lieutenant), Ordnance Department, Army of the United States. August 1944 to June 1945.

Major *Charles S. Brice, Jr.*, , Field Artillery, United States Army. August 1944 to May 1945.

Major *John D. Brooks*, , Transportation Corps, Army of the United States. February to June 1945.

Commander *Robert L. Densford*, , United States Navy. April 1944 to March 1945.

Technical Sergeant *Jack Goforth* (Army serial No.) (then staff sergeant), Medical Department, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

Lieutenant Colonel *Allan S. Harrison*, , Corps of Engineers, Army of the United States. July 1944 to September 1945.

Technician Third Grade *Vernon A. Heath* (Army serial No.) (then technician fourth grade), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

Private First Class *Earnest B. Holtsclaw* (Army serial No.), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. September to December 1944.

Lieutenant Colonel *Blaine Hoover, Jr.*, (then major), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. September 1943 to October 1944.

Chief Warrant Officer *Samuel Kimmelman* ( ), Army of the United States. August 1944 to May 1945.

First Lieutenant *Cecil G. Magill*, (then second lieutenant), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

Staff Sergeant *Harry J. Maloy, Jr.* (Army serial No.), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. February to June 1945.

Master Sergeant *William E. Martin* (Army serial No.), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

Technician Fifth Grade *Ralph Mastalio* (Army serial No.), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

Technical Sergeant *J. I. Morrow* (Army serial No.), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

Technician Fourth Grade *Luther W. Rhodes* (Army serial No.), Signal Corps Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

Major *Frank B. Rogers*, (then captain), Medical Corps, United States Army. June to September 1945.

Staff Sergeant *William H. Rumsey* (Army serial No.), Corps of Engineers, Army of the United States. 21 to 27 December 1944.

Captain *Harry A. Saroff*, , Ordnance Department, Army of the United States. December 1944 to June 1945.

First Sergeant *Merlyn F. Schnoor* (Army serial No.), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

Technical Sergeant *Gerald D. Smilgus* (Army serial No.), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

Technical Sergeant *Melvin J. Sowell* (Army serial No.), Medical Department, United States Army. 1 January to 8 May 1945.

First Sergeant *Weldon W. Speights* (Army serial No.) (then technical sergeant), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

First Lieutenant *William H. Underwood*, (then second lieutenant), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

Technical Sergeant *Vernon G. Watters* (Army Serial No.) (then staff sergeant), Corps of Engineers, United States Army. July 1943 to May 1945.

Technical Sergeant *Joseph L. Whitley* (Army serial No.) (then staff sergeant), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

Sergeant *Edgar J. Worsham* (Army serial No. _____), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

Staff Sergeant *Frank W. Wortmann* (Army serial No.), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

Technical Sergeant *Leo H. York* (Army serial No.) (then staff sergeant), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. April 1944 to June 1945.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9419, 4 February 1944 (sec. II, Bul. 3, WD, 1944), the Bronze Star Medal (first Oak-Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States during the periods indicated is awarded to the following-named officers and enlisted man:

Lieutenant Colonel *Haco Boyd*, (then captain), Ordnance Department, Army of the United States. 12, 13, and 14 July 1944.

Staff Sergeant *John W. Hudson* (Army serial No.) (then corporal), Field Artillery, United States Army. 26 February to 11 July 1943.

Lieutenant Colonel *Ervan F. Kushner*, 0360161 (then captain), Coast

Artillery Corps, Army of the United States. February 1942 to February 1943.

3. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9419, 4 February 1944 (sec. II, Bul. 3, WD, 1944), the Bronze Star Medal (second Oak-Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States during the period indicated is awarded to the following-named officer:

Captain *Clyde V. Chapman*, , Infantry, Army of the United States. March to June 1944.

VIII—BRONZE STAR MEDAL.—1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9419, 4 February 1944 (sec. II, Bul. 3, WD, 1944), the Bronze Star Medal for heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States during the period indicated is awarded to the following-named enlisted man:

Sergeant *Joseph Baldan* (Army serial No.), Field Artillery, Army of the United States, a member of the 1125th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, on 29 and 30 December 1944, distinguished himself by heroic achievement near Forte de Marmi, Italy. Accompanying a patrol into enemy territory, where they encountered strong enemy resistance and withering fire which inflicted heavy casualties, he worked to reorganize elements of the patrol. Assisting a severely wounded officer, Sergeant *Baldan* helped to lead the men from the precarious position, through icy waters in enemy territory and through minefields, to the safety of friendly lines. Sergeant *Baldan's* leadership and courage are in keeping with highest traditions of the military service.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9419, 4 February 1944 (sec. II, Bul. 3, WD, 1944), the Bronze Star Medal (first Oak-Leaf Cluster) for heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States during the period indicated is awarded to the following-named officer:

First Lieutenant *Harry B. Long*, (then second lieutenant), Medical Administrative Corps, Army of the United States, a member of Medical Detachment, 318th Infantry Regiment, 80th Infantry Division, on 14 September 1944, distinguished himself by heroic action at the Moselle River in Europe. Under fire of an enemy counterattack supported by tanks, artillery, and heavy mortars, he, with a medical corpsman, reconnoitered a route for casualty evacuation, then led a medical section through an exposed area to an aid station. Later, driving through enemy territory in 2 jeeps to get 12 very seriously wounded men to medical care, Lieutenant *Long* and the soldier encountered heavy German automatic small-arms fire. Boldly breaking out and relying on speed and evasion, they daringly passed an alerted German outpost. Suddenly a barrage of enemy mortar fire bracketed the vehicle, fragments punctured a tire, and, unable to drive on, the group was overtaken by the enemy patrol and captured. Lieutenant *Long*, in his determination to aid the casualties, demonstrated outstanding initiative and personal courage that reflect great credit on himself and the military service.

IX—AIR MEDAL.—By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9158, 11 May 1942 (sec. III, Bul. 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (sec. III, Bul. 49, WD, 1942), an Air Medal for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight during the periods indicated is awarded posthumously to the following-named officer and enlisted man:

Second Lieutenant *Robert L. Forrester, Jr.*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. March to July 1942.

Corporal *Guy Pledger, Jr.* (Army serial No.), Air Corps, Army of the United States. 17 November 1944.

X. AIR MEDAL.—1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9158, 11 May 1942 (sec. III, Bul. 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (sec. III, Bul. 49, WD, 1942), an Air Medal for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight during the period indicated is awarded to the following-named officer:

Second Lieutenant *Donald A. Wilson*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. 10 to 24 March 1944.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9158, 11 May 1942 (sec. III, Bul. 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (sec. III, Bul. 49, WD, 1942), an Air Medal (first Oak-Leaf Cluster) for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight during the period indicated is awarded to the following-named enlisted man:

Technical Sergeant *Thomas Lamore* (Army serial No.), Air Corps, Army of the United States. 24 March 1944.

XI. ARMY COMMENDATION RIBBON.—1. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 17.1, AR 600-45, the Army Commendation Ribbon for meritorious service during the periods indicated is awarded to the following-named officers and enlisted men:

Colonel *Charles J. Barrett*, (then brigadier general), Field Artillery, United States Army. October 1945 to December 1946.

Colonel *Harry L. Bennett*, , Infantry, United States Army. February 1942 to July 1943.

Major *Warren A. Bennett*, , Medical Corps, Army of the United States. July 1945 to July 1947.

Captain *John O. Buchanan*, , Corps of Engineers, Army of the United States. 16 to 19 April 1947.

Lieutenant Colonel *William W. Burgess, Jr.*, , Infantry, Army of the United States. March 1946 to May 1947.

Lieutenant Colonel *Edward J. Burke*, (then colonel), Judge Advocate General's Department, United States Army. October 1942 to June 1943.

Corporal *Paul D. Carswell* (Army serial No.), Air Corps, Army of the United States. October 1946 to January 1947.

Colonel *Wiley V. Carter*, , Signal Corps, United States Army. August 1942 to December 1943.

Lieutenant Colonel *Fulton W. Copp*, , Corps of Engineers, Army of the United States. November 1943 to November 1946.

Technical Sergeant *Vernon D. Crabtree* (Army serial No.), Coast Artillery Corps, United States Army. 16 and 17 April 1947.

Major *Albert R. Eckhardt*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. February 1944 to January 1946.

Major *Robert B. Ekvall*, , Cavalry, Army of the United States. March 1946 to January 1947.

Colonel *Eldon T. Evans*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. December 1941 to May 1943.

Captain *Mary L. Gardiner*, , Army Nurse Corps, Army of the United States. September 1946 to May 1947.

Staff Sergeant *Fred W. Hibben* (Army serial No.), Air Corps, Army of the United States. February to December 1946.

Captain *Lester H. Hofmann*, , Ordnance Department, Army of the United States. May 1944 to February 1946.

Second Lieutenant *Douglas N. Hunt*, , Medical Corps, Army of the United States. 17 to 21 April 1947.

Lieutenant Colonel *Ralph K. Jester*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. 15 February to 15 September 1944.

Lieutenant Colonel *Max V. Kirkbride*, , Infantry, Army of the United States. December 1941 to October 1942.

Major *John J. D. Kooken*, (then first lieutenant), Infantry, United States Army. December 1941 to October 1942.

Lieutenant Colonel *Herbert T. Kosub*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. December 1945 to 27 May 1947.

Sergeant *William P. McClure* (Army serial No.) (then technician fifth grade), Signal Corps, Army of the United States. February to August 1946.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert P. McQuail*, , Infantry, United States Army. December 1945 to July 1947.

Colonel *Edward P. Mechling*, , Ordnance Department, United States Army. December 1945 to June 1947.

Brigadier General *Pearson Menoher*, , United States Army. July to November 1943.

Major *Lee W. Montgomery*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. March 1944 to November 1946.

Lieutenant Colonel *Henry G. Moore*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. September 1943 to August 1945.

Colonel *John J. Moore*, , Medical Corps, United States Army. July 1945 to November 1946.

Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph O. Moore*, , Adjutant General's Department, Army of the United States. 24 June 1943 to 18 March 1944.

Lieutenant Colonel *William B. Moore*, , Infantry, United States Army. August 1945 to June 1947.

Lieutenant Colonel *Orville Myers*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. November 1942 to July 1945.

Lieutenant Colonel *Jack N. Nahas*, , Signal Corps, United States Army. February to August 1946.

Colonel *Charles W. Pence*, , Infantry, United States Army. January 1946 to June 1947.

Lieutenant Colonel *Gilberto Pesquera*, , Medical Corps, Army of the United States. 1 August through November 1945.

Colonel *Frank W. Pinger*, , Medical Corps, United States Army. April 1945 to June 1946.

Major *Louis E. Scherck*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. September 1942 to May 1943.

Lieutenant Colonel *Edward M. Serrem*, , Ordnance Department, United States Army. June 1945 to May 1947.

Colonel *Vernon C. Smith*, , Air Corps, United States Army. December 1941 to May 1943 .

Lieutenant Colonel *Carl C. Sox*, , Medical Corps, Army of the United States. December 1942 to September 1945.

Lieutenant Colonel *Richard S. Spangler*, , General Staff Corps (Coast Artillery Corps), United States Army. August 1945 to September 1946.

First Sergeant *Dewey Spillers* (Army Serial No.), Coast Artillery Corps, United States Army. 16 to 20 April 1947.

First Lieutenant *Clinton M. Thompson*, , Infantry, Army of the United States. 17 to 25 April 1947.

Colonel *Frederick M. Thompson*, _____, Infantry, United States Army. December 1941 to March 1943.

Colonel *John H. Tucker, Jr.*, , Infantry, Army of the United States. June 1942 to March 1943.

Technical Sergeant *Robert H. Wahl* (Army Serial No.), Corps of Engineers, Army of the United States. November 1946 to May 1947.

Captain *Robert L. Waterhouse*, , Infantry, Army of the United States. January to May 1947.

Major *William V. Wherrett*, , Medical Corps, Army of the United States. June 1942 to November 1946.

Lieutenant Colonel *James M. Worthington*, , Field Artillery, United States Army. February 1942 to June 1943.

Major *John W. Wray*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. June 1944 to June 1945.

Captain *Donald H. Wuchter*, , Quartermaster Corps, Army of the United States. November 194 to April 1947.

Lieutenant Colonel *Roy F. Zinser*, , Infantry, United States Army. March 1945 to July 1947.

2. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 17.1, AR 600-45, the Army Commendation Ribbon (first Oak-Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service during the periods indicated is awarded to the following-named officers:

Colonel *Robert H. Crosby*, , Field Artillery, United States Army. January 1942 to March 1943.

Colonel *Henry C. Davis*, , Coast Artillery Corps, United States Army. June 1946 to February 1947.

Colonel *Fred W. Makinney*, , Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. December 1941 to December 1942.

Lieutenant Colonel *Paul L. Ristroph*, (then captain), Corps of Engineers, Army of the United States. December 1941 to July 1942.

Colonel *Benjamin W. Yowell*, , Air Corps, Army of the United States. January 1942 to July 1943.

XII. ARMY COMMENDATION RIBBON.—1. So much of section XIII, General Orders 86, War Department, 1947, as pertains to Captain *Brunetta A. Kuehlthau*, Women's Army Corps, as reads "Captain *Brunetta A. Kuehlthau*, M739, Women's Army Corps," is amended to read "Captain *Brunetta A. Kuehlthau*, M739, Medical Department Physiotherapist."

2. So much of paragraph 31, section VIII, General Orders 78, War Department, 1947, pertaining to Captain *Joseph R. Serena*, Infantry, as reads "the Army Commendation Ribbon is awarded" is amended to read "the Army Commendation Ribbon (first Oak-Leaf Cluster) is awarded."

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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