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SECTION I - Award of Silver Star
SECTION II - Award of Bronze Star Medal

I. AWARD OF SILVER STAR.

By Direction of the President and the provisions of Sec I, Cir 32, Hq ETO US Army, 20 Mar 1944, as amended by Sec I, Cir 56, Hq ETO US Army, 27 May 1944, a Silver Star is awarded to:

✓ Corporal JAMES H HARTMAN, 34713904, Company "B", 512th Military Police Battalion, United States Army. For gallantry in action in Germany. On 30 April 1945, a German civilian reported to Corporal HARTMAN that two German soldiers had threatened the populace of the captured village of Gunthersried with re-prisal if they did not take down from their homes the white flags with which they had surrendered to the Americans. Corporal HARTMAN went immediately to investigate, found the soldiers and ordered them to surrender. One, an officer, dove for Corporal HARTMAN'S gun and he shot and killed him. The other German attacked the Corporal and he shot and killed him also. Corporal HARTMAN's fearless determination and his courageous devotion to duty exemplify the highest traditions of the military service.

II. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL.

By Direction of the President and under the provisions of Sec I, Cir 32, Hq ETO US Army, 20 Mar 1944, as amended by Sec I, Cir 56, Hq ETO US Army, 27 May 1944, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded for meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States during the respective periods indicated, to:

✓ Lieutenant Colonel ROGER L HARRIMAN, 0222082, Corps of Engineers, 1st Battalion, 1301st Engineer General Service Regiment, United States Army. 1 April 1945 to 15 April 1945 in GERMANY.

✓ Major JAMES H BRAKEBILL JR, 0369629, Infantry, Headquarters 8th Armored Group, United States Army. 1 August 1944 to 17 December 1944, in FRANCE and GERMANY.

✓ Major JOHN J SCANLON, 0329021, Medical Corps, 39th Evacuation Hospital, United States Army. 16 July 1944 to 28 February 1945 in FRANCE and BELGIUM.

✓ Captain DONALD R GIBSON, 01010027, Infantry, Headquarters 8th Armored Group, United States Army. 1 August 1944 to 17 December 1944, in FRANCE and GERMANY.

✓ Captain DONALD E KRIGSELL, 02152, Field Artillery, Headquarters Company, 631st Tank Destroyer Battalion, United States Army. 6 August 1944 to 19 December 1944 in the UNITED KINGDOM and FRANCE.

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Captain ALVIN W UNDEROFFLER, 01690697, Medical Corps, Headquarters 8th Armored Group, United States Army. 1 August 1944 to 17 December 1944 in FRANCE and GERMANY.

First Lieutenant WILLIAM C LOHLER, 01542630, Medical Administrative Corps, 590th Motor Ambulance Company, United States Army. 27 July 1944 to 25 April 1945 in FRANCE, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY.

First Lieutenant PAUL H ROBITAILLE, 01545397, Medical Administrative Corps, 590th Motor Ambulance Company, United States Army. 27 July 1944 to 25 April 1945 in FRANCE, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY.

First Sergeant ROBERT E MANTOR, 6078195, Headquarters Battery, 277th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. 1 October 1944 to 1 May 1945 in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, BELGIUM and GERMANY.

Master Sergeant LYMAN M BARTHOLOMEW, 39027663, 109th Evacuation Hospital (SM), United States Army. 1 August 1944 to 27 April 1945 in FRANCE and GERMANY.

Technical Sergeant LESTER J KISH, 13078110, Headquarters 14th Ordnance Battalion, United States Army. 17 July 1944 to 1 April 1945 in FRANCE, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY.

Technical Sergeant JOHN E REGNIER, 37544344, Headquarters Detachment, 182d Medical Battalion, United States Army. 5 December 1944 to 29 April 1945 in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, BELGIUM and GERMANY.

Staff Sergeant ARTHUR W ERBELE, 37161249, Headquarters Battery, 174th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. 29 August 1944 to 1 April 1945 in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, BELGIUM and GERMANY.

Technician Third Grade FERNAND F SALVATO, 32517321, 47th Ordnance Medium Maintenance Company, United States Army. 17 July 1944 to 20 January 1945 in FRANCE and BELGIUM.

Technician Fourth Grade GEORGE COOLIK, 35585420, 6th Convalescent Hospital, United States Army. 1 August 1944 to 1 May 1945 in FRANCE and GERMANY.

By command of General PATTON:

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