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AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

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1. 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 to:

Captain LEO COHEN, 0307525, Field Artillery, 512th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. During action near PULNOY, FRANCE, on 20 September 1944, Captain COHEN rendered first aid to a wounded American soldier, assisted him into a one quarter ton vehicle and courageously drove him to safety through devastating enemy artillery fire. Captain COHEN'S quick thinking and heroic actions reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

First Lieutenant INGARD C JOHANNESSEN, 01944481, Transportation Corps, 453d Amphibian Truck Company, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in GERMANY. On 26 March 1945; during an assault crossing of the Rhine River near KAUB, GERMANY, a large percentage of the boats were destroyed or swept away after the second assault wave had crossed. Although constantly exposed to enemy fire, Lieutenant JOHANNESSEN, after a short reconnaissance, placed five "Dukws" in operation, and by his courageous example of leadership, inspired his drivers to continue ferrying operations until the bridgehead had been secured. Lieutenant JOHANNESSEN'S heroic actions and loyal devotion to duty reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

Private First Class PARK A WOOD, 35749130, Battery A, 176th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. On 4 April 1945, near SCHIERSCHWENDE, GERMANY, Private WOOD'S battery was attacked by an enemy patrol and in the fierce skirmish that followed several of his comrades were wounded. With utter disregard for his own safety he courageously went to the aid of the wounded men, carried them to safety and administered first aid. Private WOOD'S heroic actions reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

Private First Class HERBERT F NELLER JR, 39045824, Battery A, 176th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. On 4 April 1945, near SCHIERSCHWENDE, GERMANY, Private NELLER'S battery was attacked by an enemy patrol and in the fierce skirmish that followed several of his comrades were wounded. With utter disregard for his own safety he courageously went to the aid of the wounded men, carried them to safety and administered first aid. Private NELLER'S heroic actions reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

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2. 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:

Captain CHARLES H CLARK, O396853, Ordnance Department, Headquarters 332d Ordnance Battalion, United States Army. 1 December 1944 to 9 May 1945 in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, BELGIUM and GERMANY.

Captain RAYMOND H KELM, O456669, Quartermaster Corps, 553d Quartermaster Battalion, United States Army. 19 September 1944 to 7 May 1945 in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY.

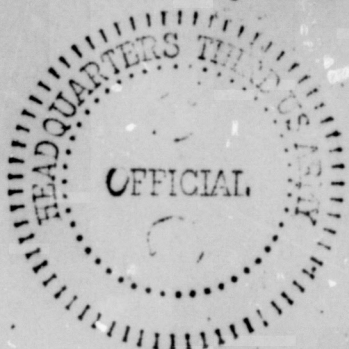
Captain JOHN W BARTELS, O1546429, Medical Administrative Corps, 427th Medical Battalion, United States Army. 15 April 1945 to 10 May 1945 in GERMANY.

First Lieutenant AUSTIN R MARTIN, O1044290, Quartermaster Corps, 519th Quartermaster Group, United States Army. 4 September 1944 to 4 May 1945 in FRANCE and GERMANY.

First Lieutenant PHILIP SHAULSON, O2047492, Medical Administrative Corps, Detachment C, 152d Station Hospital, United States Army. 17 July 1944 to 9 May 1945 in FRANCE and GERMANY.

First Lieutenant JOE S CLINE, O1182543, Field Artillery, Headquarters Company, 1st Tank Destroyer Brigade, United States Army. 25 July 1944 to 14 September 1944 in FRANCE.

By command of General PATTON



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