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GENERAL ORDER 166
SECTION I - Award of Bronze Star Medal.
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I. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL - 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:

Technician Fourth Grade SAMUEL L CATANZARO, 36729688, Medical Detachment, 787th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in GERMANY. On 13 April 1945, during action near the Elbe River, GERMANY, Technician Fourth Grade CATANZARO fearlessly exposed himself to intense hostile fire and administered first aid to a comrade who had been seriously wounded in an enemy ambush. Although the enemy persisted in their attack he courageously remained with the wounded man and through his skilful and unselfish actions saved his life. Technician Fourth Grade CATANZARO'S heroic achievement and unflinching devotion to duty reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

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:

Major JAMES F MUNN, 0395991, Chemical Warfare Service, Enemy Equipment Intelligence Survey Team Number 1, United States Army. 1 October 1944 to 8 May 1945 in FRANCE and GERMANY.

Second Lieutenant ERWIN H SANDER, 02000825, Corps of Military Police, Headquarters 512th Military Police Battalion, United States Army. 1 August 1944 to 25 October 1944 in FRANCE.

Technical Sergeant ALLEN P FLEWELLING, 12079172, Headquarters Battery, 514th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. 9 January 1945 to 29 March 1945, in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, BELGIUM and GERMANY.

Staff Sergeant EDGAR L HOFFMAN, 16049933, 39th Evacuation Hospital, United States Army. 17 July 1944 to 31 March 1945 in FRANCE.

Staff Sergeant ROBERT J MURISON, 20120969, Battery A, 548th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. 18 February 1945 to 1 May 1945 in GERMANY.

Sergeant HAROLD A WENDORF, 17085238, 6850th Prisoner of War Executive Division, Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force, United States Army. 26 April 1945 to 8 May 1945 in GERMANY.

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Sergeant GEORGE C HALE, 33655561, Company C, 86th Chemical Mortar Battalion, United States Army. 28 June 1944 to 1 May 1945 in FRANCE, BELGIUM and GERMANY.

II. AWARD OF PURPLE HEART - By Direction of the President and under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, dated 22 Sep 1943, as amended, the Purple Heart is awarded to:

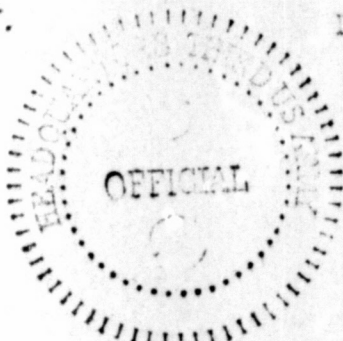
Lieutenant Colonel JOSEPH W CORDERMAN, 0910486, Transportation Corps, 37th Traffic Regulation Group, United States Army. For wounds received as a direct result of enemy action on 7 August 1944 in FRANCE.

III. AWARD OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE UNIT PLAQUE - By Direction of the President and under the provision 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, the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque is awarded to the 82d Ordnance Group, for Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, thereof, for service between 25 September 1944 and 10 June 1945.

OK } IV. AMENDMENT IN GENERAL ORDERS 100 and 126 THIS HQ, CS - 1. So much of Par 2, GO 100 this Hq as awards a Distinguished Service Cross to Captain DAVID H WIGGS, 0507427, Infantry is amended to read: "In addition to the Distinguished Service Cross previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to Captain DAVID H WIGGS, 0507427, Infantry."

OK } 2. So much of Par 3, Sec III, GO 126 this Hq as awards a Bronze Star Medal to Staff Sergeant STEVE WRONA, 35173690 is amended to read: "In addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to Staff Sergeant STEVE WRONA, 35173690."

By command of General PATTON:



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