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SECTION III - Award of Bronze Star Medal.

I. AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL - By Direction of the President and under the provisions of Sec I, Cir 32, Hq ETO US Army, 20 March 1944, as amended by Sec I, Cir 56, Hq ETO US Army, 27 May 1944, a Soldier's Medal is awarded to:

Private First Class JIM J. GILIO, 39696990, 560th Ordnance Heavy Maintenance Company (Tank), United States Army. For heroism not involving actual conflict with an enemy. On 14 July 1945, near FURTH, GERMANY, Private GILIO observed a cargo truck loaded with high explosive ammunition catch fire near several M-4 tanks. With several other soldiers, he fearlessly braved the flames which had spread to three of the armored vehicles and in spite of the burning gasoline and exploding high caliber and white phosphorus shells, entered the tanks and drove them to safety. This courageous act resulted in saving valuable Army combat equipment. Private GILIO'S dauntless actions and unswerving devotion to duty reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

Private First Class ALBERT NEVES, 39101527, 560th Ordnance Heavy Maintenance Company (Tank), United States Army. For heroism not involving actual conflict with an enemy. On 14 July 1945, near FURTH, GERMANY, Private NEVES observed a cargo truck loaded with high explosive ammunition catch fire near several M-4 tanks. With several other soldiers, he fearlessly braved the flames which had spread to three of the armored vehicles and in spite of the burning gasoline and exploding high caliber and white phosphorus shells, entered the tanks and drove them to safety. This courageous act resulted in saving valuable Army combat equipment. Private NEVES' dauntless actions and unswerving devotion to duty reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

II. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (OAK-LEAF CLUSTER) - By Direction of the President and under the provisions of Sec I, Cir 32, Hq ETO US Army, 20 March 1944, as amended by Sec I, Cir 56, Hq ETO US Army, 27 May 1944, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded for meritorious service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States during the respective periods indicated, to:

Colonel JOHN E RAY, 08384, Field Artillery, Headquarters 94th Division Artillery, United States Army. 12 September 1944 to 8 May 1945 in FRANCE and GERMANY.

Lieutenant Colonel CLARENCE D MC CURRY, 0359032, Field Artillery, Headquarters 603d Tank Destroyer Battalion, United States Army. 14 December 1944 to 8 May 1945 in FRANCE and GERMANY.

Major CARL H SCHOFIELD, 024505, General Staff Corps, Headquarters 94th Infantry Division, United States Army. 7 March 1945 to 8 May 1945 in FRANCE and GERMANY.

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III. 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 March 1944, as amended by Sec I, Cir 56, Hq ETO US Army, 27 May 1944, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded to:

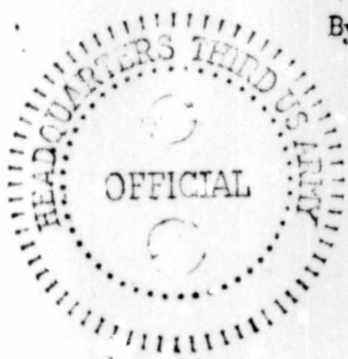
Sergeant RICHARD MADDEN, 35383184, Battery B, 482d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (Self-Propelled), United States Army. For heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in GERMANY. On 10 March 1945, at REMAGEN, GERMANY, Sergeant MADDEN was with his antiaircraft artillery section guarding the vital Ludendorf Bridge against enemy bombing and strafing attacks when a hostile shell partially destroyed his half track and disabled its guns. Although constantly harrassed by enemy artillery fire, he worked with other members of his section to repair the damaged weapons before a second hostile shell scored a direct hit on the halftrack, completely destroying it. Sergeant MADDEN'S heroic actions 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 March 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:

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* Lieutenant Colonel EDWARD E SCOVILL, 0338674, Coast Artillery Corps, Headquarters 44th Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade, United States Army. 21 November 1944 to 21 March 1945 in FRANCE.

Lieutenant Colonel C CABANNE SMITH, 0225519, Corps of Engineers, Headquarters Third United States Army. 1 August 1944 to 8 May 1945 in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG and GERMANY.

By command of General PATTON:



HOBART R. GAY,
Major General, U. S. Army,
Chief of Staff.

L. L. MANLY,
Colonel, Adjutant General's Department,
Acting Adjutant General.

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