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SECTION I - Award of Air Medal (Oak-Leaf Cluster).
SECTION II - Award of Air Medal.I. AWARD OF AIR MEDAL (OAK-LEAF CLUSTER).

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, in addition to the Air Medal and six Bronze Oak-Leaf Clusters previously awarded, a seventh Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

First Lieutenant JOHN L GETTLE, O1176027, Field Artillery, 558th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in GERMANY from 13 February 1945 to 24 February 1945.

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, in addition to the Air Medal and five Bronze Oak-Leaf Clusters previously awarded, a sixth Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

Captain CLYDE M EDMONDS, O116392, Field Artillery, 558th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in GERMANY from 19 February 1945 to 1 March 1945.

3. 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, in addition to the Air Medal and three Bronze Oak-Leaf Clusters previously awarded, a fourth Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

First Lieutenant VERN L CLINE, O1177335, Field Artillery, 553th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in FRANCE and GERMANY from 23 December 1944 to 23 January 1945.

4. 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, in addition to the Air Medal and two Bronze Oak-Leaf Clusters previously awarded, a third Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

First Lieutenant RICHARD P BECK, O1174222, Field Artillery, 243d Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in GERMANY from 6 February 1945 to 28 March 1945.

First Lieutenant CHARLES H BROCKMEYER JR, O1175956, Field Artillery, 243d Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while

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participating in aerial flight in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in GERMANY from 1 February 1945 to 5 March 1945.

First Lieutenant VERNON W LAMOUREAUX, O405610, Field Artillery, 243d Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in GERMANY from 6 February 1945 to 23 March 1945.

II. AWARD OF AIR MEDAL - By Direction of the President and under the provisions of Sec 1, Cir 52, Hq ETO US Army, 20 Mar 1944, as amended by Sec 1, Cir 56, Hq ETO US Army, 27 May 1944, an Air Medal is awarded to:

Major BRYCE WILSON, O364983, Field Artillery, Headquarters Third United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, and GERMANY from 1 August 1944 to 31 March 1945.

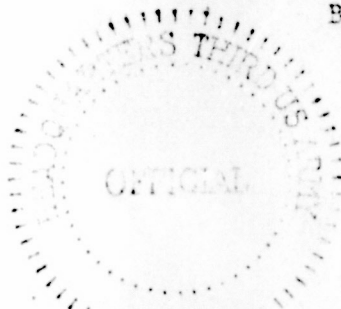
First Lieutenant ARTHUR V ANDERSEN, O1172733, Field Artillery, Headquarters Third United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, and GERMANY from 1 August 1944 to 31 March 1945.

First Lieutenant MORTIMER C MCCARTHY, O527097, Field Artillery, 558th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in FRANCE from 19 November 1944 to 31 December 1944.

First Lieutenant GEORGE M YURKANIAN, O515603, Field Artillery, Headquarters Third United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG, and GERMANY from 1 August 1944 to 31 March 1945.

Second Lieutenant CHRISTIAN R WILHELM, O538044, Field Artillery, 277th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in BELGIUM and GERMANY from 27 February 1945 to 23 March 1945.

By command of General PATTON:



R. E. GWINNINGS,

Colonel, Adjutant General's Department,
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