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I -- SILVER STAR (Posthumous Awards). Pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, and Circular 6, Headquarters Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, a Silver Star is awarded, posthumously, to the following officers:

Lieutenant Colonel John N Wilson, O19803, Field Artillery, United States Army, for gallantry in action in the vicinity of * * *, France, 11 July 1944. When the infantry regiment which his artillery battalion was supporting directly moved to its initial contact with the enemy, without regard for his own safety, Colonel Wilson moved aggressively forward with the infantry commander's party as an example to his artillery liaison officer and forward observers and other troops on their initial day of combat, and in an effort to locate appropriate artillery targets, thereby assisting the advance of the infantry. His actions reflect credit upon his character as an officer and are in accord with the highest traditions of the military service. Entered United States Military Academy from New York.

Captain John R Kerr, O1170450, Field Artillery, United States Army, for gallantry in action in the vicinity of * * *, France, 11 July 1944. As an artillery liaison officer with an infantry battalion on its initial day of combat, with utter disregard for his own safety and as an example to his artillery forward observers, Captain Kerr moved aggressively forward with the point of the advance guard to locate and bring artillery fire on appropriate targets, thereby assisting the infantry to advance against a stubbornly defending enemy. His actions reflect credit upon his character as an officer and are in accord with the highest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Michigan.

II -- SILVER STAR. Pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, and Circular 6, Headquarters Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, a Silver Star is awarded to the following officers of this command:

Captain Clyde R Mills, O415788, Infantry, United States Army, for gallantry in action in the * * * River sector, France, on 2 August 1944. Receiving information of a strong enemy concentration of armored vehicles, Captain Mills, company commander of Company G, * * * Infantry, organized and personally led a force of infantrymen in a surprise attack against this strong point, destroying the enemy. He returned to his company and led successful attacks against other enemy strong points in the vicinity. The dynamic and skillful leadership of Captain Mills, his tenacity of purpose and utter disregard for personal safety inspired the troops under his command and contributed largely to the overwhelming defeat suffered by the enemy in the * * * River sector. Entered military service from Kansas.

Captain Harry F Parker, O395926, Infantry, United States Army, for gallantry in action in the * * * River sector, France, on 2 August 1944. During an attack north of * * *, the retreating enemy blew up an ammunition dump, scattering shells over a wide area and cutting communications between the battalion observation post and the radio car of supporting artillery. When it became apparent that friendly artillery was falling too close to our troops, who were advancing faster than had been anticipated, Captain Parker cleared a path through the burning ammunition, reached the radio car, and caused the artillery fire to be lifted, then guided the radio car through the flaming area to the battalion observation post by walking in front and personally removing shells from the road. The courageous actions of Captain Parker, his initiative and utter disregard for personal safety, undoubtedly saved the lives of many of his comrades-in-arms, and immeasurably assisted in the successful continuation of the attack. Entered military service from Kansas.

Second Lieutenant Leroy B. Lawson, 01321796, Infantry, United States Army, for gallantry in action in the * * * River sector, France, on 2 August 1944. During an attack north of * * *, the retreating enemy blew up an ammunition dump, scattering shells over a wide area and cutting communications between the battalion observation post and the radio car of supporting artillery. When it became apparent that friendly artillery was falling too close to our troops, who were advancing faster than had been anticipated, Lieutenant Lawson cleared a path through the burning ammunition, reached the radio car, and caused the artillery fire to be lifted, then guided the radio car through the flaming area to the battalion observation post by walking in front and personally removing shells from the road. The courageous actions of Lieutenant Lawson, his initiative and utter disregard for personal safety, undoubtedly saved the lives of many of his comrades-in-arms, and immeasurably assisted in the successful continuation of the attack. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Second Lieutenant James E. McCamey Jr, 01321796, Infantry, United States Army, for gallantry in action in the * * * River sector, France, on 1 August 1944. Lieutenant McCamey, platoon leader, Company B, * * * Infantry, directed the fire of accompanying tanks by means of a control telephone. As a result of enemy action, the tank from which he was directing fire was knocked out. Despite the intensity of enemy fire, Lieutenant McCamey ran alongside the commander's tank, shouting orders which were in turn radioed to the other tanks. When the attack slowed down in the face of superior enemy forces, Lieutenant McCamey reorganized the company, then returned to the rear and led the supporting infantry company into position for a continuation of the attack. Directing both companies and the detachment of tanks, he succeeded in reaching and holding the battalion objective. The outstanding leadership of Lieutenant McCamey, his courage, resourcefulness, and utter disregard for personal safety, were immeasurably responsible for the success of the mission, and are in accord with the high traditions of the military service. Entered military service from California.

III — BRONZE STAR MEDAL (Posthumous Award). Pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, and Circular 6, Headquarters Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded, posthumously, to the following enlisted man:

Sergeant William T. Janus, 37134730, Infantry, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States, near * * *, France, on 2 August 1944. Sergeant Janus, a wire chief, was assigned the mission of establishing wire communications to the battalion observation post to enable artillery fire to be directed against the enemy. Sergeant Janus and his crew reached the observation post in the face of heavy enemy fire, but the wire head was destroyed by an enemy shell. Sergeant Janus returned to the rear, brought up a second wire and established communications which greatly facilitated the battalion's advance to its objective. During the operation, Sergeant Janus was fatally wounded by shell fragments. His devotion to duty and disregard for personal safety reflect credit upon his character as a soldier. Entered military service from Kansas.

IV — BRONZE STAR MEDAL. Pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, and Circular 6, Headquarters Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following officers and enlisted men of this command:

Captain Carol J. Freeman, 0375209, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 16 August 1944. Entered military service from North Dakota.

First Lieutenant Harold W. Bodine, 01290190, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 31 August 1944. Entered military service from Minnesota.

First Lieutenant Clifford G. Decker, 0395512, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 18 July to 31 August 1944. Entered military service from Kansas.

First Lieutenant George L. Roberts Jr, 0443189, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 31 August 1944. Entered military service from West Virginia.

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Second Lieutenant Howard S Brown, 01325073, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 31 August 1944. Entered military service from North Carolina.

First Sergeant Adrian K Aeby, 20726177, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 31 August 1944. Entered military service from Kansas.

First Sergeant Claude L Applegate, 20725964, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 31 August 1944. Entered military service from Kansas.

First Sergeant Rollie R Hudson, 20726643, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 31 August 1944. Entered military service from Kansas.

First Sergeant Alfred M Screen, 20726435, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 31 August 1944. Entered military service from Kansas.

First Sergeant Laverns T Williams, 6664709, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 31 August 1944. Entered military service from Kansas.

Technical Sergeant Elmo I DeVries, 17041169, Coast Artillery Corps, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 16 to 28 July 1944. Entered military service from Nebraska.

Staff Sergeant Albert D Stewart Jr, 38048514, Coast Artillery Corps, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 January to 15 August 1944. Entered military service from Texas.

Private First Class Arthur T Lampman, 39384490, Infantry, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in the * * * River sector, France, on 2 August 1944. Private Lampman was a member of a wire crew assigned the mission of establishing wire communications from artillery installations to the battalion observation post. In the face of heavy enemy fire, he drove his vehicle to within one hundred yards of the observation post, then continued on foot with the other members of the crew. When the wire chief was seriously wounded, Private Lampman administered first aid, carried him to a place of safety, then completed his mission, establishing communications which enabled the commanding officer to direct artillery fire against the enemy and greatly facilitated the battalion's advance to its objective. Entered military service from Washington.

7 -- AWARDS OF THE PURPLE HEART. Pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, and Circular 6, Headquarters Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following officers and enlisted men of this command, for wounds received in action against the enemy on dates indicated in France:

<u>RANK, NAME, ASN AND BRANCH</u>	<u>DATE WOUNDED</u>	<u>ENTERED MILITARY SERVICE FROM</u>
Captain Carol J Freeman 0375209, Infantry	1 August	Missouri
First Lieutenant Wilber A Gotter 01298479, Infantry	15 August	Ohio
First Lieutenant Carl Pavilinsky 01285993, Infantry	18 July	Ohio
Second Lieutenant John V O'Brien 01325925, Infantry	19 July	New York
Second Lieutenant John E Patton 01183387, Field Artillery	10 August	Ohio
Sergeant Adrian K Aeby 20726177, Infantry	10 August	Kansas
First Sergeant Harold P Yapple 20724318, Infantry	18 August	Kansas
Technical Sergeant Adam J Czaikowski 36213675, Infantry	10 August	Wisconsin
Technical Sergeant Frank F Koziol 37034060, Infantry	12 August	Nebraska
Technical Sergeant Harry J Richard 34078057, Infantry	26 July	Louisiana
Technical Sergeant Eugene H Schaperkötter 37142996, Infantry	18 July	Missouri
Technical Sergeant Glen P Sullivan 20721989, Infantry	17 August	Nebraska

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<u>RANK, NAME, ASN AND BRANCH</u>	<u>DATE WOUNDED</u>	<u>ENTERED MILITARY SERVICE FROM</u>
Staff Sergeant Sheldon Arnold 20726965, Infantry	1 August	Kansas
Staff Sergeant Albert M Dicks 20724558, Infantry	12 August	Kansas
Staff Sergeant John J Dodgson 13116412, Infantry	11 August	Pennsylvania
Staff Sergeant Hugh J Drennen 20725573, Infantry	23 July	Missouri
Sergeant Mathew F Hajduk 15382118, Infantry	11 August	Indiana
Sergeant Steve Juhas 36116671, Infantry	1 August	Michigan
Sergeant Carl J Kregar 20724972, Infantry	28 July	Kansas
Staff Sergeant Lawrence H Look 37006014, Infantry	3 August	Kansas
Staff Sergeant William F McDowell 38071654, Infantry	12 August	New Mexico
Staff Sergeant Donald G O'Kelley 36558929, Infantry	2 August	Michigan
Staff Sergeant Don E Scroggins 36366822, Infantry	19 August	Illinois
Staff Sergeant Bernard Schmilke 37219637, Infantry	17 August	Kansas
Staff Sergeant John Tomcak 37034640, Infantry	14 August	Nebraska
Staff Sergeant Francis G Trombly 36110565, Infantry	2 August	Michigan
Staff Sergeant Harold G Volk 20724378, Infantry	13 August	Kansas
Staff Sergeant Henry H Weber 37219546, Infantry	17 August	Kansas
Sergeant Samuel D Beney 36561733, Infantry	18 August	Michigan
Sergeant Edward W Finlay 36678114, Infantry	16 August	Illinois
Sergeant William A Freeman 34701786, Infantry	1 August	Alabama
Sergeant Lamaine E Heiman 36297648, Infantry	11 August	Wisconsin
Sergeant Robert F MacKenzie 32760980, Infantry	12 August	New Jersey
Sergeant Paul W Mudd 35704432, Infantry	12 August	Kentucky
Sergeant Clyde D White 38108253, Infantry	17 August	Texas
Sergeant Glen W Wiedenhoeft 36224927, Infantry	16 August	Wisconsin
Technician Fourth Grade Lemuel C Anderson 20724940, Infantry	28 July	Kansas
Technician Fourth Grade Robert L Camfield 20724713, Infantry	18 August	Tennessee
Technician Fourth Grade Hila M Frazee 37002602, Field Artillery	23 August	Kansas
Technician Fourth Grade Guy M Harvey 20726752, Medical Department	30 August	Kansas
Corporal Eutimio Espinoza 18116729, Infantry	4 August	Colorado
Corporal James A Paul 34684559, Infantry	1 August	Georgia
Technician Fifth Grade Homer B Greetham 35319798, Infantry	8 August	Ohio
Technician Fifth Grade John Grussing 37034660, Medical Department	18 August	Nebraska
Technician Fifth Grade John S Templeton 34606556, Field Artillery	10 August	North Carolina
Technician Fifth Grade Henry H Wiegand 39385367, Infantry	28 July	Nebraska
Private First Class Frank J Babuska 36561401, Infantry	8 August	Michigan
Private First Class Clarence O Beals 34663273, Infantry	17 July	North Carolina
Private First Class Henry G Bryan 34677914, Infantry	31 July	North Carolina
Private First Class Jack J Rackear 32780316, Infantry	26 July	New York
Private First Class Robert F Cascallanda 32865099, Infantry	8 August	New York
Private First Class Bill E Coakley 35754480, Infantry	5 August	West Virginia
Private First Class James M Cooper Jr 34545880, Infantry	14 July	Florida
Private First Class Donald E Dearth 35623515, Infantry	31 July	Ohio
Private First Class Lawrence R Fryman 33683023, Infantry	9 August	Pennsylvania
Private First Class Richard G Iles 33693114, Infantry	12 August	Pennsylvania
Private First Class Sulo V Johnson 37169187, Infantry	31 July	Minnesota
Private First Class William W McWha 31305306, Infantry	1 August	Massachusetts

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