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APO 90, U S Army

GENERAL ORDERS)

2 December 1944

NUMBER 44)

I. AWARD OF THE COMBAT INFANTRYMAN BADGE. Under the provisions of WD Circular 186, 11 May 44, The Combat Infantryman Badge is awarded to the following O and EM, effective 1 December 44.

RANK	NAME	ASN	ORGN
1st LT	DOYLE MINTER	0 420 087	Co E
2nd LT	ROY E. KIRK	01 060 513	Co E
S Sgt	Robert W. Lathrom	37 005 479	Co E
Cpl	Carl J. Kramer	35 547 467	Co E
Pfc	Russell S. Carey	33 442 480	Co E
Pfc	James B. Hall	33 218 606	Hq Co 1st Bn
Pvt	David H. Barclay	33 690 637	Hq Co 1st Bn
Pvt	John T. Smelser	38 147 323	Hq Co 1st Bn

II. SUBSTITUTION OF COMBAT INFANTRYMAN BADGE FOR EXPERT INFANTRYMAN BADGE.

Under the provisions of WD Circular 186, 11 May 44, The Expert Infantryman Badges previously awarded to the following EM are withdrawn and they are awarded Combat Infantryman Badges, effective on the dates indicated.

RANK	NAME	ASN	ORGN	EFFECTIVE DATE
Tec 4	Shee A. Lor	39 081 244	Co I	15 Sept 44
Tec 5	James D. Revils	35 016 142	Co E	1 Nov 44

III. WITHDRAWAL OF RIGHT TO WEAR COMBAT INFANTRYMAN BADGE. Under the provisions of WD Circular 186, 11 May 44, The right of the following EM to wear The Combat Infantryman Badge is withdrawn, effective on the dates indicated:

RANK	NAME	ASN	ORGN	EFFECTIVE DATE
Pvt	Murlin C. Reynolds	38 098 983	Co E	1 Dec 44
Pvt	Henry C. Protasiewicz	36 889 954	Co M	1 Dec 44

IV. AWARD OF THE PURPLE HEART. Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 Sep 43, The Purple Heart is awarded the following O and EM for wounds received against the enemy in Germany on the dates indicated:

RANK	NAME	ASN	A or S	DATE	ENTITLED	MIL SV ER
LST LT	LEONARD FRIEDMAN	01 321 622	Inf	20 Nov 44	4th New York	Co H
S Sgt	Frank C. Summers	38 094 121	Inf	29 Nov 44	Texas	Co H
S Sgt	James D. Purdy	37 173 430	Inf	29 Nov 44	Minnesota	A/1 Co
Sgt	Norbert Brashier	36 779 806	Inf	25 Nov 44	Illinois	Co K
Tec 4	Edward D. Abdella	20 110 169	MD	1 Dec 44	Massachusetts	MD
Pfc	Robert E. Damschroder	15 399 687	Inf	1 Dec 44	Ohio	Co F
Pfc	Alex Charney	33 174 552	Inf	30 Nov 44	Pennsylvania	A/1 Co
Pfc	Joachim J. Schantz	37 169 594	Inf	29 Nov 44	North Dakota	H-3
Pvt	William N. Peter	36 975 754	Inf	27 Nov 44	South Dakota	Co K
Pvt	Walter E. Davis	35 248 044	Inf	29 Nov 44	Indiana	Co F
Pvt	Jay A. Clark	37 696 530	Inf	30 Nov 44	Iowa	Co L
Pvt	Arthur L. Collins	37 156 319	Inf	29 Nov 44	Kansas	Co K

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V. AWARD OF THE PURPLE HEART (OAK LEAF CLUSTER). Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 Sep 43, and in addition to The Purple Heart previously awarded, the following EM are awarded a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster for wounds received in action against the enemy in Germany on the dates indicated:

RANK	NAME	ASN	A or S	DATE	SV FR	ENTERED ON
Sgt	Carl O. Mc Lain	38 003 444	Inf	30 Nov 44	Arizona	As I
Sgt	John D. Hawk	39 211 731	Inf	30 Nov 44	Washington	Co E
Sgt	Clyde A. Taylor	38 149 002	Inf	29 Nov 44	Oklahoma	Co H

VI. AMENDMENT OF GO 20. So much of GO 20, this Hq, cs, as awards The Purple Heart to S Sgt Fred Jackson, 37 190 232, Inf, is rescinded.

By Order of Lt Col BELL:

CARL JENKINS
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Asst Adj

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