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I. AWARD OF OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO BRONZE STAR—Under the provisions of Army Regulation 600-45 and Section I Circular 6, Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, in addition to the Bronze Star previously awarded the Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to:

JOHN M. WALDROP, 34473878, Technician Fifth Grade (then Private First Class), Medical Department, 315th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement on 12 November 1944 in the vicinity of Hunding, France. During an attack on the town, Technician Fifth Grade Waldrop, Litter Bearer, without regard for his personal safety and despite intense enemy observed mortar fire, advanced to the position of two casualties, administered first aid and assisted in their evacuation to the Aid Station. His heroic achievement was in accordance with military tradition. Entered Military Service from Mississippi.

II. AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF BRONZE STAR—Under the provisions of Army Regulation 600-45 and Section I Circular 6, Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, the Bronze Star is awarded posthumously to:

GORDON G. HAGEN, 37325455, Private, Medical Department, 315th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement on 13 November 1944 in the vicinity of Petite Hettange, France. During the night when a soldier was injured by an enemy mine, Private Hagen, Litter Bearer, without regard for his personal safety, advanced through the area known to be heavily mined to effect his evacuation. Though Private Hagen was mortally wounded by a mine in making this selfless attempt, his act was a feat of courage inspirational to all his comrades. His heroic achievement was in accordance with military tradition. Entered Military Service from Minnesota.

III. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR—Under the provisions of Army Regulation 600-45 and Section I Circular 6, Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, the Bronze Star is awarded to:

RUDOLPH J. MEZOSI, 35345290, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Department, 315th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement on 12 November 1944 in the vicinity of Hunding, France. During an attack on the town, Technician Fifth Grade Mezosi, Surgical Technician, without regard for his personal safety and despite intense enemy observed mortar fire, advanced to the position of two casualties, administered first aid and assisted in their evacuation to the Aid Station. His heroic achievement was in accordance with military tradition. Entered Military Service from Indiana.

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CLYDE E. FOSTER, 39108494, Private, Medical Department, 315th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement on 12 November 1944 in the vicinity of Hunting, France. During an attack on the town, Private Foster, Litter Bearer, without regard for his personal safety and despite intense enemy observed mortar fire, advanced to the position of two casualties, administered first aid and assisted in their evacuation to the Aid Station. His heroic achievement was in accordance with military tradition. Entered Military Service from California.

ARMER LAVENDER, 39859064, Private, Medical Department, 315th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement on 12 November 1944 in the vicinity of Hunting, France. During an attack on the town, Private Lavender, Litter Bearer, without regard for his personal safety and despite intense enemy observed mortar fire, advanced to the position of two casualties, administered first aid and assisted in their evacuation to the Aid Station. His heroic achievement was in accordance with military tradition. Entered Military Service from Arizona.

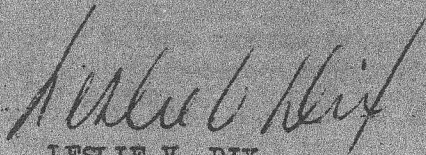
ARTHUR G. MYERS, 33257726, Private, Medical Department, 315th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement on 12 November 1944 in the vicinity of Hunting, France. During an attack on the town, Private Myers, Litter Bearer, without regard for his personal safety and despite intense enemy observed mortar fire, advanced to the position of two casualties, administered first aid and assisted in their evacuation to the Aid Station. His heroic achievement was in accordance with military tradition. Entered Military Service from Pennsylvania.

JAMES H. STOGNER, 38518722, Private, Medical Department, 315th Medical Battalion, United States Army. For heroic achievement on 12 November 1944 in the vicinity of Hunting, France. During an attack on the town, Private Stogner, Litter Bearer, without regard for his personal safety and despite intense enemy observed mortar fire, advanced to the position of two casualties, administered first aid and assisted in their evacuation to the Aid Station. His heroic achievement was in accordance with military tradition. Entered Military Service from Louisiana.

By command of Major General VAN FLEET:

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