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HQ 359TH INF  
 APO 90, U. S. Army

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 NUMBER 5 )

9 July 44

AWARD OF PURPLE HEART

1. Under the provisions of AR 600-45, dated 22 Sep 43, The Purple heart is awarded the following O and EM of the 359th Inf for wounds received in action against the enemy in France on the dates indicated :

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>CO</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>ENTERED MIL SERVICE FROM</u>
Co D 2nd Lt	JOSEPH L. MELLON ✓	01 312 491	D	4 July 44	Pa.
Co E Sgt	Gilbert I. Ricketson ✓	38 094 737	E	5 July 44	Texas
Co H Tec 4	John P. Lynch ✓	37 137 894	Hq Co 1st Bn	3 July 44	Mo.
Co K Pfc.	Eugene N. Ketsenburg ✓	37 138 981	K	6 July 44	Mo.
Hq 3d Pvt	Frederick M. Blissert ✓	12 156 448	Hq Co 3rd Bn	13 Jun 44	N.Y.
Co M Pvt	Bennie Yazza ✓	38 003 411	M	6 July 44	Arizona

By Order of the Commanding Officer:

CARL JENKINS  
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*cards checked 17 April 45. JGA*