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HEADQUARTERS
9TH BOMBARDMENT DIVISION (H)

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21 April 1945.

GENERAL ORDERS)

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DIVISION (H)

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SECTION I

1. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medal awarded in General Order No. 116, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 30 June 1944, Colonel JOHN H. REXFOLDS, 020448, Headquarters, 9th Bombardment Division (H), is awarded the FIRST BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9153, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, Colonel REXFOLDS having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy. Entered military service from Tampa, Florida.

2. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medal awarded in General Order No. 149, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 27 May 1944, Major SAMUEL A. STERN, 025281, Headquarters, 9th Bombardment Division (H), is awarded the SECOND SILVER OAK LEAF CLUSTER, in lieu of the tenth Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9153, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, Major STERN having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy. Entered military service from Boulder, Colorado.

SECTION II

1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9153, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, AIR MEDALS are awarded to the following named officers and enlisted men of the 323rd Bombardment Group (H), in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

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454th Bombardment Division (H)

SHELDON EICHEL	0829082	2ND LT	AC	Brooklyn, N.Y.
Jack W McFarland	6288474	T/Sgt	AC	Flint, Texas.
Francis E Gilley	34793109	Sgt	AC	Cantonment, Fla.
Joseph H Moulder	18242381	Sgt	AC	Dallas, Texas.

455th Bombardment Squadron (H)

William R More, Jr	19143615	Sgt	AC	Bayview, Idaho.
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456th Bombardment Squadron (H)

WALTER E HERRON	0548875	2ND LT	AC	Berkley, Mich.
CALVIN L SINGER	T-134460	P/O	AC	Enid, Okla.
James H Sharp	15108538	Sgt	AC	Lafayette, Ind.
Patrick Staken, Jr	13141429	Sgt	AC	Midland, Ind.
Faustino A Villarreal	38458340	Sgt	AC	Pharr, Texas.

2. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medals awarded in General Orders indicated by sub-paragraphs, the following named officers and enlisted men of the 323rd Bombardment Group (H), are awarded the HONORARY OAK LEAF CLUSTER, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

First Oak Leaf Cluster

a. GO 18, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 3 Feb 1945.

453rd Bombardment Squadron (H)

Charles J Hamlet	19004624	Sgt	AC	Portland, Ore.
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b. GO 28, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 25 Feb 1945.

453rd Bombardment Squadron (H)

THOMAS I PARRY	0721193	2ND LT	AC	Pringhar, Iowa.
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c. GO 36, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 10 March 1945.

454th Bombardment Squadron (H)

STERLING W SCHROCK	0718773	2ND LT	AC	Dixon, Ill.
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456th Bombardment Squadron (H)

Raymond M Smith	39612796	Sgt	AC	Lodge Grass, Mont.
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GO 58, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 April 1945.

b. GO 46, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 22 Dec 1944.
598th Bombardment Squadron (M)

Walter Peacock

19178989

S/Sgt

AC

Springfield, Ill.

SECTION V

1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9156, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hc European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, AIR MEDALS are awarded to the following named officers and enlisted men of the 416th Bombardment Group (L), in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ALAN V EVARTS	0765948	2ND LT	AC	Hilford, Conn.
RAY L MARTIN	02064469	2ND LT	AC	Omaha, Nebr.
ALLEN S NATHANSON	0469550	2ND LT	AC	Gates Mills, Ohio.
FRANK R TANK	0758393	2ND LT	AC	Florence, S.C.
CLIFFORD J VARS	0772596	2ND LT	AC	Lubbock, Texas.
				(Missing in Action)
LE ROY R ZELLET	0772662	2ND LT	AC	Chicago, Ill.
Glenn C Wilson	10600433	T/Sgt	AC	Low Quebec, Canada.
Cornelius D Fagan	13086095	Sgt	AC	Pittsburg, Pa.
Wesley H Fidler	34313324	Sgt	AC	Hunterville, N.C.
LeRoy J Grzona	36816710	Sgt	AC	Milwaukee, Wisc.
				(Missing in Action)
Frederick B Harmon	35362140	Sgt	AC	Portland, Ind.
William A Miller	36744234	Sgt	AC	Chicago, Ill.
Donald Hawk	35173554	Cpl	AC	Akron, Ohio.
Robert K Ray	36834369	Cpl	AC	Chicago, Ill.
Frank L Sereno	36895468	Cpl	AC	Chicago, Ill.
Dennis Youlios, Jr	32759573	Cpl	AC	Patterson, N.J.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

FLETCHER G DUNN	0835170	2ND LT	AC	Brushton, N.Y.
ROBERT W HASKELL	0767541	2ND LT	AC	Merced, Calif.
CLAUDE H HOUSLEY	02058197	2ND LT	AC	Cleveland, Ohio.
BENJAMIN A SMITH	0765123	2ND LT	AC	Butte, Mont.
OTTO A CARDINALE	T-132552	F/O	AC	Newark, N.J.
Stanley J Kirik	39296872	S/Sgt	AC	San Diego, Calif.
Cletus Gilbert	37535291	Sgt	AC	Wichita, Kansas.
Nick Meliniotis	33677316	Sgt	AC	Pittsburgh, Pa.
David A Richards	39276363	Sgt	AC	Torrance, Calif.
Llewellyn C Stein	33831279	Sgt	AC	Allentown, Pa.
Ralph P Wilson	11083310	Sgt	AC	Lakeport, N.H.
George A Martin	35610606	Cpl	AC	Akron, Ohio.
Joseph M Pikel	33763572	Cpl	AC	Clymer, Pa.

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GO 58, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division (H), 21 April 1945.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

TRUMAN L GOSS	T-129079	F/O	AC	Derea, Ohio.
Donald B Richards	16045280	S/Sgt	AC	Traverse City, Mich.
Dory E Neal, Jr	33397290	Sgt	AC	Canonsburg, Pa.
Anthony P Sgroi	17159977	Sgt	AC	St Louis, Mo.
John R Vellinga	37483609	Sgt	AC	Orange City, Iowa.
Hillary T Wright	34086194	Sgt	AC	Dyron, Ga.
James D Brennan	37657471	Cpl	AC	Marshalltown, Iowa.
Clark J Thompson	15328046	Cpl	AC	Delphos, Ohio.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Meyer Appleman	32344163	Sgt	AC	Brooklyn, N.Y.
Louis Goldberg	32974737	Sgt	AC	Brooklyn, N.Y.
Albert Helt	31341650	Sgt	AC	Torrington, Conn.
Charles Helton	35893584	Sgt	AC	Hamilton, Ohio.
Wendell W Maupin	35803198	Sgt	AC	Blue Diamond, Ky.
John J Ruskiewich	33110031	Sgt	AC	Beaver, Pa.

2. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medals awarded in General Orders indicated by sub-paragraphs, the following named officers and enlisted men of the 416th Bombardment Group (L), are awarded the BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hc European T of Cops USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

First Oak Leaf Cluster

a. GO 12, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 9 Oct 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

CLYDE S JORDAN	0672122	1ST LT	AC	Shreveport, La.
Kenneth F Jensen	18064964	S/Sgt	AC	Houston, Texas.

b. GO 32, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 21 Nov 1944.
Headquarters

ROBERT A FONTAINE, JR	0561022	CAPT	AC	Martinsville, Va.
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c. GO 9, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 16 Jan 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM H ROBERTS	0759509	2ND LT	AC	Pine Bluff, Ark.
Ignacio Torres	39249035	S/Sgt	AC	Los Angeles, Calif.
Frank R Urbanicic	37701160	S/Sgt	AC	Pueblo, Colo.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Charles W Gurkin	34674691	Sgt	AC	Williamstown, N.C.
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GO 56, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division (H), 21 April 1945.

d. GO 13, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 23 Jan 1945.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Leland C Ferguson	38018833	S/Sgt	AC	Norman, Okla.
Charles J Rivard	31306544	Sgt	AC	Fall River, Mass.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Donald Schwartzapel	12184275	Sgt	AC	Brooklyn, N.Y.
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e. GO 25, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 21 Feb 1945.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Claude W Williford	38606940	Sgt	AC	Chicago, Ill.
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670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Warren S Jackson	38220173	S/Sgt	AC	Forestburg, Texas.
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671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Donald E McWellis	32914916	Sgt	AC	Jersey City, N.J.
Robert C Schumacher	14201732	Sgt	AC	Walhalla, S.C.

f. GO 39, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 16 March 1945.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM M WRUBBLE	T-5691	F/O	AC	Los Angeles, Calif.
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Second Oak Leaf Cluster

g. GO 185, Hc, IX Bomber Command, 19 Sept 1944.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Robert J Johnson	37564350	S/Sgt	AC	Owatonna, Minn.
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h. GO 12, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 9 Oct 1944.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

CLYDE S JORDAN	0872122	1ST LT	AC	Shreveport, La.
Kenneth F Jensen	18064964	S/Sgt	AC	Houston, Texas.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Wendell O Clark	20833480	S/Sgt	AC	Oklahoma City, Okla.
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i. GO 19, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 20 Oct 1944.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Albert C Basile	12087181	S/Sgt	AC	Brooklyn, N.Y.
Joseph R. Gatti	15019806	S/Sgt	AC	Pellaire, Ohio.

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GO 58, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 April 1945.

j. GO 28, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 12 Nov 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Lutie L Richardson	39916840	S/Sgt	AC	Richmond, Calif.
Howard B McClain	13090476	Sgt	AC	Lancaster, Pa.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Domenic V Paladino	32833265	S/Sgt	AC	Buffalo, N.Y.
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k. GO 2, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 3 Jan 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Harold I Gooch	34002610	Sgt	AC	Florence, Ala.
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669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Charles J Kruger	12093006	Sgt	AC	Rahway, N.J.
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670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Joseph Ottaviano	11053204	S/Sgt	AC	Hendon, Mass.
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l. GO 9, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 16 Jan 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM H ROBERTS	0759509	2ND LT	AC	Pine Bluff, Ark.
Fred Newman	32873575	Sgt	AC	New York, N.Y.
Nathan M Graham, Jr	14131123	Cpl	AC	Tuscomb, Ala.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Kenneth W Schmidt	37472315	Sgt	AC	Auburn, Nebr.
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m. GO 13, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 23 Jan 1945.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

STERLING MOONEY	0758366	1ST LT	AC	Provo, Utah.
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n. GO 10, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 3 Feb 1945.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN V REED	0723819	1ST LT	AC	Pittsburg, Pa.
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o. GO 25, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 21 Feb 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Alvin B Stewart	35789255	Sgt	AC	Pleasant Plain, Ohio.
Claude W Williford	36606940	Sgt	AC	Chicago, Ill.
Raymond P Windisch	33562557	Sgt	AC	Baltimore, Md.

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GO 58, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 April 1945.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Mack C Harris	17077463	S/Sgt	AC	St Louis, Mo.
Andrew Kubjalko	13171021	S/Sgt	AC	Draddock, Pa.
Philip R Lynch	32016887	S/Sgt	AC	Brooklyn, N.Y.
Rudolph N Rorbakken	37564704	S/Sgt	AC	Minneapolis, Minn.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

AUBREY C SEARS	0428382	CAPT	AC	Gloucester, Mass.
WILLIAM R JOKINEN	0795401	1ST LT	AC	Freeport, N.Y.
				(Missing in Action)
Paul A Pompa	31342596	Sgt	AC	New Hartford, Conn.

Third Oak Leaf Cluster

p. GO 141, Hc, Alaska Air Command, 7 Dec 1942.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

LELAND C NIELSEN	0660790	CAPT	AC	Vesper, Kansas
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q. GO 11, Hc, Twelfth Air Force, 23 Jan 1943.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Delbert C Gilliam	17009926	S/Sgt	AC	Snackover, Ark.
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r. GO 117, Hc, Ninth Air Force, 28 April 1944.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

ZEAN R MOORE	01699233	CAPT	AC	Anaconda, Montana.
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s. GO 12, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 9 Oct 1944.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

CYDE S JORDAN	0672122	1ST LT	AC	Shreveport, La.
Kenneth F Jensen	18064964	S/Sgt	AC	Houston, Texas.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

LEWIS W DENNIS	0727321	1ST LT	AC	Lake Charles, La.
Wendell O Clark	20833400	S/Sgt	AC	Oklahoma City, Okla.

t. GO 19, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 20 Oct 1944.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Lorraine R Friday	36478376	S/Sgt	AC	Lt Sterling, Ill.
Morton Licker	11096747	S/Sgt	AC	Providence, R.I.
Harold Seighman	33671109	S/Sgt	AC	Greensburgh, Pa.
Chalmers C Stroup	13061054	S/Sgt	AC	Bedford, Pa.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Andrew A Rojas	39859818	S/Sgt	AC	Yuma, Ariz.
Thurman W Skelton	35701923	S/Sgt	AC	Louisville, Ky.

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GO 58, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 April 1945.

u. GO 28, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 12 Nov 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Volo A Malara	32854754	Sgt	AC	Utica, N.Y.
Harry I Triber	34645976	Sgt	AC	Florence, S.C.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Warren G Davis, Jr	14202544	S/Sgt	AC	Atlanta, Ga.
Glenn G Stephenson	16072367	S/Sgt	AC	Ashland, Wisc.

v. GO 32, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 21 Nov 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Vincent F Fair	33431476	Sgt	AC	Harmarville, Pa.
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670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

COLLINS H FERRIS	0411820	MAJOR	AC	Waukesha, Wisc.
Carson D Harmon	33647894	S/Sgt	AC	Shorts Creek, Va.

w. GO 2, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 3 Jan 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

OTTO F JACOBSEN	0409115	1ST LT	AC	Huron, S.D.
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670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Joseph Ottaviano	11053204	S/Sgt	AC	Mendon, Mass.
Dominic J Rio	13007285	S/Sgt	AC	Philadelphia, Pa.

x. GO 3, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 5 Jan 1945.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

George R Van Wert	12040861	S/Sgt	AC	Hawthorne, N.Y.
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y. GO 9, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 16 Jan 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

GEORGE J PARKHURST	0760900	1ST LT	AC	Long Beach, Calif.
LUMIR J PRUCHA	0802219	1ST LT	AC	Omaha, Nebr.
Nathan M Graham, Jr	14131123	Cpl	AC	Tuscomb, Ala.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

DANIEL E SMITH	0811256	1ST LT	AC	Urbana, Ill.
H R HACKLEY	0759595	2ND LT	AC	Carrollton, Ill.
GEORGE G JOHNSON	0749965	2ND LT	AC	St Louis, Mo.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

RICHARD J TUTT	0727810	CAPT	AC	Perry, Iowa.
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z. GO 13, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 23 Jan 1945.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

STERLING MOONEY	0758366	1ST LT	AC	Provo, Utah.
Daniel Chest	12216292	S/Sgt	AC	Hulberton, N.Y.
GENTRY L MILHORN	0760648	2ND LT	AC	Long Beach, Calif.

aa. GO 14, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 26 Jan 1945.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

CHARLES F FRY	0555196	1ST LT	AC	Urbana, Ill.
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ab. GO 25, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 21 Feb 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ROGER A RUSSELL	0759511	1ST LT	AC	Worthington, Minn.
James C Edenburn, Jr	38462354	Sgt	AC	San Antonio, Texas.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM H KLINGMAN	36811789	Sgt	AC	Milwaukee, Wisc.
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671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

LAWRENCE W EDSTROM	0759579	1ST LT	AC	North Branch, Minn.
JOHN W SPIRES	0768364	2ND LT	AC	Arnold, Pa.
Paul A Pompa	31342596	Sgt	AC	New Hartford, Conn.

Fourth Oak Leaf Clusterac. GO 2, Hq, NATBF, 7 Feb 1943.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Kenneth E Vorce	19067237	S/Sgt	AC	Long Beach, Calif.
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ad. GO 117, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 28 April 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

ZEAN R MOORE	01699233	CAPT	AC	Anaconda, Mont.
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ae. GO 159, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 19 Aug 1944.
Headquarters

Frank W Elliott	34589710	Sgt	AC	Birmingham, Ala.
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670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Samuel J Turpin	14165453	S/Sgt	AC	Franklin, N.C.
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af. GO 28, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 12 Nov 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Stanley J Majewski	33686297	S/Sgt	AC	Pittsburg, Pa.
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GO 58, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 April 1945.

ag. GO 12, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 9 Oct 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Clyde S Jordan	0672122	1ST LT	AC	Shreveport, La.
Kenneth F Jensen	13064964	S/Sgt	AC	Houston, Texas.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Lewis W Dennis	0727321	1ST LT	AC	Lake Charles, La.
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ah. GO 19, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 20 Oct 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Olen N Merritt, Jr	34352593	Sgt	AC	Ringgold, Ga.
Clarence L Skeens	15067434	Sgt	AC	Bluefield, W.Va.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Ashton Carter	11014823	S/Sgt	AC	Van Dorn, Miss.
James H Walters	34686391	S/Sgt	AC	(Missing in Action)
Daniel L Griffin	32371791	Sgt	AC	Atlanta, Ga.
Kenneth A Reid	11033077	Sgt	AC	Brooklyn, N.Y.
				Bellingham, Mass.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

James O Belchus	15331984	S/Sgt	AC	Indianapolis, Ind.
Henry C S Candler	33535643	S/Sgt	AC	Covington, Va.
Joseph J Ricketson	37523583	S/Sgt	AC	Kansas City, Mo.
Joseph Sienkiewicz, Jr	13081653	S/Sgt	AC	Scranton, Pa.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Jack H Miguez	18189841	S/Sgt	AC	Houston, Texas.
Thurman W Skelton	35701923	S/Sgt	AC	Louisville, Ky.
Robert I Steffey	33622259	S/Sgt	AC	Reading, Pa.

ai. GO 32, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 21 Nov 1944.

Headquarters

Otto R Koch	0750035	2ND LT	AC	Los Angeles, Calif.
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670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Collins H Ferris	0411820	MAJOR	AC	Waukesha, Wisc.
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aj. GO 2, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 3 Jan 1945.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Otto F Jacobsen	0409115	1ST LT	AC	Huron, S.D.
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669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Leo B Draft	36424031	Sgt	AC	Muskegon, Mich.
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GO 58, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 April 1945.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAMES E KERNS	0723001	1ST LT	AC	Akron, Ohio.
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ak. GO 9, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 16 Jan 1945.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM W ANNIN	0760526	1ST LT	AC	Los Angeles, Calif.
JAMES H CARVER	0759569	1ST LT	AC	Ventura, Calif.
LUMER J PRUCHA	0802219	1ST LT	AC	Omaha, Nebr.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

DANIEL E SMITH	0811256	1ST LT	AC	Urbana, Ill.
GEORGE G JOHNSON	0749965	2ND LT	AC	St Louis, Mo.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

EDWARD G BISHOP	0763916	1ST LT	AC	Graham, Texas.
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671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

RICHARD J TUTT	0727810	CAPT	AC	Perry, Iowa.
GENTRY L MILHORN	0760648	2ND LT	AC	Long Beach, Calif.

al. GO 25, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 21 Feb 1945.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

CLAYTON H ANDERSON	0742548	1ST LT	AC	St Cloud, Minn.
CARL E WEINERT	0718837	1ST LT	AC	Urbana, Ill.
William H Klingman	36811789	Sgt	AC	Milwaukee, Wisc.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

MARTIN ERROTABERE	0773042	1ST LT	AC	Turlock, Calif.
JOE A GREEN	01996073	2ND LT	AC	Estherville, Iowa.
ALTON R TURMAN	0762060	2ND LT	AC	San Diego, Calif.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

LAWRENCE W EDSTROM	0759579	1ST LT	AC	North Branch, Minn.
JOHN W SPIRES	0768364	2ND LT	AC	Arnold, Pa.

Sixth Oak Leaf Cluster

am. GO 2, Hc, NATF, 7 Feb 1943.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Kenneth E Vorce	19067237	S/Sgt	AC	Long Beach, Calif.
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am. GO 38, Hc, Ninth Air Force, 14 May 1943.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JESSIE W BRITT	01995932	2ND LT	AC	Lepanto, Ark.
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GO 58, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 April 1945.

ao. GO 356, Hq, Eighth Air Force, 11 May 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Archie L Hinson 14180715 S/Sgt AC Charlotte, N.C.

ap. GO 142, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 31 July 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Lawrence L Leahigh 35697452 S/Sgt AC Buttersville, Ind.

aq. GO 150, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 10 Aug 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JULIAN F ALLEN, JR 0473470 1ST LT AC Wadesboro, N.C.
 Leo R Getgen 33509556 S/Sgt AC Williamsport, Pa.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Rollins M Barry 18171363 Cpl AC Crowley, La.

ar. GO 159, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 19 Aug 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Wilkie F Fuehrer 35694412 S/Sgt AC Madison, Ind.

as. GO 161, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 21 Aug 1944.
660th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Winifred E Lemonds 37607000 S/Sgt AC Kennett, Mo.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Alfred E Schoen 32719391 Cpl AC Yonkers, N.Y.

at. GO 180, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 12 Sept 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

John F Geyer 35629198 S/Sgt AC Mt Gilead, Ohio.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAY R WARREN 0387310 2ND LT AC Burley, Idaho.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM E BREWER 0747573 1ST LT AC Kinston, N.C.

au. GO 9, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 3 Oct 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

FRANK A REEVES 0762988 1ST LT AC Salisbury, N.C.

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GO 58, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division (H), 21 April 1945.

av. GO 12, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division (H), 9 Oct 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

BARTON O STEBBINS	0730906	CAPT	AC	Seattle, Wash.
Walter J Brown	16068768	S/Sgt	AC	Chicago, Ill.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

CLAUDE J BROWN	0671872	1ST LT	AC	Cincinnati, Ohio.
JOHN A BUSKIRK	0739723	1ST LT	AC	Los Angeles, Calif.
ROBERT C HAMNA	0732466	1ST LT	AC	New York, N.Y.
Charles H Corbitt, Jr	14061249	S/Sgt	AC	Union City, Tenn.
Herbert E Sunderland	17029974	S/Sgt	AC	Vermillion, Kansas.

aw. GO 19, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 20 Oct 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

HUGH M EVANS	0730693	CAPT	AC	Sioux Falls, S.D.
CARL S STANLEY	0793453	CAPT	AC	Topeka, Kansas.
JAKE W WRIGHT	0761522	1ST LT	AC	Weatherford, Okla

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

EDWARD L MILLER	0664638	CAPT	AC	Eau Claire, Wisc.
ROSS H CORNELL, JR	0730870	1ST LT	AC	Portland, Ore.
MILLARD W DU BOISE	0757964	1ST LT	AC	(Missing in Action) : San Francisco, Calif.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WAYNE MUSGROVE	0765046	1ST LT	AC	Texarkana, Ark.
HARRY POPINEY	0765064	1ST LT	AC	Los Angeles, Calif.
ELIZABETH C TURNER	01995930	2ND LT	AC	Bascom, Fla.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

DONALD A FERRO	0759437	1ST LT	AC	Atlanta, Ga.
ALFRED REMISZEWSKI	0759508	1ST LT	AC	Chicago, Ill.
Harry R Davis	39124191	S/Sgt	AC	Santa Rosa, Calif.

ax. GO 28, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 12 Nov 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

ALONZO J P WINN	0737920	1ST LT	AC	Palo Alto, Calif.
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ay. GO 32, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 21 Nov 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

THOMAS M MC CARTNEY	T-125070	F/O	AC	Carbondale, Pa.
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669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JACK K CONNER	0703376	1ST LT	AC	Huron, S.D.
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GO 58, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 April 1945.

az. GO 2, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 3 Jan 1945.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ADOLPHUS S CALLAWAY	0445717	1ST LT	AC	Atlanta, Ga.
ETHEL C MARTIN	0759434	1ST LT	AC	Santa Rosa, Calif.
ROY W VAN ROPE	0760929	1ST LT	AC	San Diego, Calif.

ba. GO 9, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 16 Jan 1945.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JACK A WILLARD	0760940	1ST LT	AC	Sacramento, Calif.
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bb. GO 13, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 23 Jan 1945.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Cletus V Hinker	36820684	Sgt	AC	Greenwood, Wisc.
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671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

RICHARD C MUIR	0722521	2ND LT	AC	Grove City, Ohio.
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Seventh Oak Leaf Clusterbc. GO 33, Hq, Twelfth Air Force, 20 Feb 1943.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Charles M Mohr	12027419	S/Sgt	AC	Woodside, N.Y.
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bd. GO 94, Hq, NW African Air Force, 1 June 1943.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Manuel R Reyes	18058457	S/Sgt	AC	Kingsville, Texas.
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be. GO 124, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 6 May 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

STUART M HIXON	0671657	CAPT	AC	San Antonio, Texas.
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bf. GO 136, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 25 July 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Leonard R Fleming	38529944	S/Sgt	AC	Dallas, Texas.
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bg. GO 142, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 31 July 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Millard Hall	37355197	S/Sgt	AC	Paoia, Colo.
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671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM H ALMS	0753586	1ST LT	AC	Houston, Texas.
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GO 58, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 April 1945.

bh. GO 148, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 10 Aug 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Edward P Brzezinski 33416474 S/Sgt AC Mt Pleasant, Pa.

bi. GO 150, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 10 Aug 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)JULIAN F AILLEN, JR 0473470 1ST LT AC Wadesboro, N.C.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)Theodore Connery 37480228 S/Sgt AC Cody, Nebr.
Rollins M Barry 18171363 Cpl AC Crowley, La.bj. GO 159, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 19 Aug 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)Robert S Gandy 37512651 S/Sgt AC Marceline, Mo.
Stanley Kochan, Jr 33676699 S/Sgt AC Bairdford, Pa.669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

DONALD L MOORE 0762123 1ST LT AC Dallas, Texas.

bk. GO 161, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 21 Aug 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

James A Hummer 33634280 S/Sgt AC Arlington, Va.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN C GARY 0755317 1ST LT AC Glendale, Calif.

bl. GO 160, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 12 Sept 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ROBERT L KIRK 0761328 1ST LT AC Colfax, Calif.

bm. GO 12, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 9 Oct 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

CLAUDE J BROWN 0671872 1ST LT AC Cincinnati, Ohio.

bn. GO 19, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 20 Oct 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)HUGH M EVANS 0730693 CAPT AC Sioux Falls, S.D.
CARL S STANLEY 0793453 CAPT AC Topeka, Kansas.
WILBUR L HALE 0753349 1ST LT AC St Louis, Mo.

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GO 58, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (H), 21 April 1945.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

EDWARD L MILLER	0664638	CAPT	AC	Eau Claire, Wisc.
MILLARD W DU BOISE	0757964	1ST LT	AC	San Francisco, Calif.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WAYNE MUSGROVE	0765046	1ST LT	AC	Texarkana, Ark.
ELIZABETH O TURNER	01995930	2ND LT	AC	Bascom, Fla.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

DONALD A FIERO	0759437	1ST LT	AC	Atlanta, Ga.
ALFRED RELISZINSKI	0759508	1ST LT	AC	Chicago, Ill.
HARWIG M VAN NOORDIN	0765154	1ST LT	AC	Los Angeles, Calif.
Harry R Davis	39124191	S/Sgt	AC	Santa Rosa, Calif.

bo. GO 32, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (H), 21 Nov 1944.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

THOMAS M MC CARTNEY	T-125070	F/O	AC	Carbondale, Pa.
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bp. GO 2, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 3 Jan 1945.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

R W VAN ROPE	0760929	1ST LT	AC	San Diego, Calif.
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bq. GO 13, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 23 Jan 1945.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

RICHARD C LUIR	0722521	2ND LT	AC	Grove City, Ohio.
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br. GO 161, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 21 Aug 1944.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Winifred E Lemonds	37607000	S/Sgt	AC	Kennett, Mo.
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Eighth Oak Leaf Cluster

bs. GO 117, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 20 April 1944.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

HAROLD L SOMMERS	0671705	MAJOR	AC	Amboy, Ind.
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bt. GO 124, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 6 May 1944.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

STUART M HIXON	0671657	CAPT	AC	San Antonio, Texas.
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bu. GO 107, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 18 June 1944.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Donald E Burns	39288631	S/Sgt	AC	South Gate, Calif.
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GO 58, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 April 1945.

bv. GO 136, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 25 July 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Leonard R Fleming	38529944	S/Sgt	AC	Dallas, Texas.
				<u>670th Bombardment Squadron (L)</u>

Adam A Cianciosi	33168327	S/Sgt	AC	Reading, Pa.
Henry J Nowosielski	33103439	S/Sgt	AC	Miami, Fla.

bw. GO 142, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 31 July 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

J W ROBINSON	38366394	S/Sgt	AC	Corpus Christi, Tex.
				<u>669th Bombardment Squadron (L)</u>

Franklin P Basford	33592032	S/Sgt	AC	Philadelphia, Pa.
				<u>670th Bombardment Squadron (L)</u>

ROBERT B SINGLETARY	01286911	1ST LT	AC	Thomasville, Ga.
Harold G Wiggins	33631840	S/ Sgt	AC	Richmond, Va.
				<u>671st Bombardment Squadron (L)</u>

DAVID L WITHINGTON	0750497	1ST LT	AC	Honolulu, T.H.
Herman S Fessler	37559819	S/Sgt	AC	Minneapolis, Minn.
Charles F Huss	36657820	S/Sgt	AC	Chicago, Ill.
Leo D McElhattan, Jr	36735062	S/Sgt	AC	Chicago, Ill.

bx. GO 148, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 7 Aug 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Edward P Brzezinski	33426474	S/Sgt	AC	Lt Pleasant, Pa.
				<u>671st Bombardment Squadron (L)</u>

Robert J Brown	15102500	S/Sgt	AC	Mooreland, Ind.
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by. GO 150, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 10 Aug 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

LOVICK E CANNON	0562680	1ST LT	AC	Albany, Ga.
				<u>669th Bombardment Squadron (L)</u>

JULIAN F ALLEN, JR	0473470	1ST LT	AC	Wadesboro, N.C.
				<u>670th Bombardment Squadron (L)</u>

PETER P BARAUSKY	0754457	1ST LT	AC	White Plains, N.Y.
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GO 58, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 April 1945.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOSEPH J LACKOVICH	0753529	1ST LT	AC	Ironwood, Mich.
Theodore Connery	37480228	S/Sgt	AC	Cody, Nebr.

bz. GO 159, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 19 Aug 1944.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

PAUL E PARKER	0761620	1ST LT	AC	Sacramento, Calif.
James W Felkel	34655867	S/Sgt	AC	Sumter, S.C.
Robert S Gandy	37512651	S/Sgt	AC	Marceline, Mo.
Stanley Kochan, Jr	33676699	S/Sgt	AC	Dairdford, Pa.
John H Roberts, Jr	34608707	S/Sgt	AC	Asheville, N.C.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

DONALD L MOORE	0762123	1ST LT	AC	Dallas, Texas.
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ca. GO 161, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 21 Aug 1944.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

THOMAS D C MC CREADY	0755378	1ST LT	AC	Butte, Montana.
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670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

James A Hummer	33634280	S/Sgt	AC	Arlington, Va.
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cb. GO 161, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 21 Aug 1944.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN C GARY	0755317	1ST LT	AC	Glendale, Calif.
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cc. GO 19, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 20 Oct 1944.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILBUR L HALE	0753349	1ST LT	AC	St Louis, Mo.
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669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

MILLARD W DU BOISE	0757964	1ST LT	AC	San Francisco, Calif.
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670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WAYNE MUSCROVE	0765046	1ST LT	AC	Texarkana, Ark.
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671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Harry R Davis	39124191	S/Sgt	AC	Santa Rosa, Calif.
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Ninth Oak Leaf Cluster

ed. Ltr, Hq, 321st Bombardment Squadron (M).

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

John W Rose	31097392	S/Sgt	AC	Stockbridge, Mass.
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GO 58, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 April 1945.

ce. GO 117, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 28 April 1944.
Headquarters.

RICHARD F SHAEFER 025866 MAJOR AC Albuquerque, N.M.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

HAROLD L SCHMERS 0671705 MAJOR AC Amboy, Ind.

cf. GO 156, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 4 June 1944.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN G NAPIER 0431478 LT COL AC Scottsville, Ky.

cg. GO 99, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 9 June 1944.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ROZELL B HALL 0755334 1ST LT AC Berwyn, Md.

ch. GO 107, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 18 June 1944.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Claredon W Floyd 34507380 S/Sgt AC Paris, Tenn.

ci. GO 136, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 25 July 1944.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)JAMES K COLOUETT 0755662 1ST LT AC San Angelo, Texas.
Charles Fetko, Jr 33466434 S/Sgt AC Kingston, Pa.670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Henry J Nowosielski 33103439 S/Sgt AC Miami, Fla.

cj. GO 142, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 31 July 1944.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

CHARLES J ANDERSON 0445522 CAPT AC Chicago, Ill.

(Posthumous Award)

Philben G Euga 12033862 S/Sgt AC Haddon Heights, N.J.

J W Robinson 38366394 S/Sgt AC Corpus Christi, Tex.

Ernest L Schafer 37344082 S/Sgt AC Wray, Colo.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

DAVID B GRUNIG 0755330 1ST LT AC Portales, N.M.

ROBERT B SINGLETARY 01286911 1ST LT AC Thomasville, Ga.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

DAVID L WITHERINGTON 0750497 1ST LT AC Honolulu, T.H.

Herman S Fessler 37559219 S/Sgt AC Minneapolis, Minn.

Charles F Huss 36657820 S/Sgt AC Chicago, Ill.

Leo D McElhattam, Jr 36735062 S/Sgt AC Chicago, Ill.

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GO 58, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (H), 21 April 1945.

ck. GO 148, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 7 Aug 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Edward P Brzezinski 33116474 S/Sgt AC Mt Pleasant, Pa.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN E BLONGREN 0753323 2ND LT AC Rockford, Ill.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

HORACE F PAIR 0717882 CAPT AC Atlanta, Ga.
 Robert J Brown 15102500 S/Sgt AC Mooreland, Ind.

cl. GO 150, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 10 Aug 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

LOVICK E CANNON 0562630 1ST LT AC Albany, Ga.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Ralph P Sharp, Jr 18150933 S/Sgt AC Baton Rouge, La.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOSEPH J LACKOVICH 0753529 1ST LT AC Ironwood, Mich.

cm. GO 159, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 19 Aug 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAMES H MONTROSE 0755994 1ST LT AC San Francisco, Calif.
 John H Roberts, Jr 34608707 S/Sgt AC Asheville, N.C.

cn. GO 161, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 21 Aug 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

THOMAS D C MC CREADY 0755378 1ST LT AC Butte, Montana.

Eleventh Oak Leaf Cluster

co. Ltr, Hq, 321st Bombardment Sq (H), 26 Aug 1943.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

John W Rose 31097392 S/Sgt AG Stockbridge, Mass.

cp. GO 114, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 25 April 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

LLOYD F DUNN 0724399 MAJOR AC Los Angeles, Calif.

eq. GO 117, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 28 April 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

PETER G ROYALTY 0748105 1ST LT AC Flint, Mich.

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GO 58, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division (H), 21 April 1944.

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cr. GO 107, Hc, IX Bomber Command, 18 June 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

EARL R HAYTER 0747410 1ST LT AC Darrington, Wash.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAMES H MILLER 0750427 1ST LT AC Surgoinsville, Tenn.

Twelfth Oak Leaf Clustercs. GO 114, Hc, Ninth Air Force, 25 April 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

ROBERT H SMITH 0663194 1ST LT AC San Francisco, Calif.

ct. GO 117, Hc, Ninth Air Force, 28 April 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ROBERT L BEHLMER 0664243 CAPT AC Napoleon, Ind.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

RICHARD V WHEELER 026098 CAPT AC Salem, Mass.

cu. GO 122, Hc, Ninth Air Force, 5 May 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ELDON B KREH 0835983 CAPT AC Detroit, Mich.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM A MERCHANT 0806300 1ST LT AC Wichita, Kansas.

cv. GO 107, Hc, IX Bomber Command, 18 June 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

CHARLES C NISH 0753399 CAPT AC Lawrenceville, Va.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

EARL R HAYTER 0747410 1ST LT AC Darrington, Wash.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

FLOYD W HENDERSON 0750386 1ST LT AC Omaha, Nebr.

ARTHUR E HERMAN 0813699 1ST LT AC Bridgeport, Conn.

JAMES H MILLER 0750427 1ST LT AC Surgoinsville, Tenn.

THOMAS J MURRAY 0752432 1ST LT AC Charlestown, Mass.

Fourteenth Oak Leaf Clustercw. GO 122, Hc, Ninth Air Force, 5 May 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WAYNE E DOWNING 0661726 1ST LT AC Longmont, Colo.

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3. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medals awarded in General Orders indicated by sub-paragraphs, the following named officers and enlisted men of the 416th Bombardment Group (L), are awarded the SILVER OAK LEAF CLUSTER, in lieu of the Fifth Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 19, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Ho European T of Ops USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

a. GO 2, Hq, NATAF, 7 Feb 1943.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Kenneth E Vorce 19067237 S/Sgt AC Long Beach, Calif.

b. GO 38, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 14 May 1943.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JESSIE W BRITT 01995932 2ND LT AC Lepanto, Ark.

c. GO 117, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 28 April 1944.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

ZEAN R MOORE 01699233 CAPT AC Anaconda, Mont.

d. GO 356, Hq, Eighth Air Force, 11 May 1944.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Archie L Hinson 14180715 S/Sgt AC Charlotte, N.C.

e. GO 244, Hq, 3rd Bombardment Division, 30 July 1944.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Lawrence V Metzler 32843660 Sgt AC Buffalo, N.Y.

f. GO 142, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 31 July 1944.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Robert A Clark 12079247 S/Sgt AC Amsterdam, N.Y.

g. GO 150, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 10 Aug 1944.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Charles W Veazey 14153481 S/Sgt AC Moultrie, Ga.

h. GO 161, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 21 Aug 1944.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Glenn E Reiter 33574293 S/Sgt AC Sykesville, Pa.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Alfred E Schoen 32719391 Cpl AC Yonkers, N.Y.

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i. GO 180, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 12 Sept 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

John F Geyer 35629198 S/Sgt AC Ft Gilead, Ohio.

j. GO 12, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 9 Oct 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)CLYDE S JORDAN 0672122 1ST LT AC Shreveport, La.
Kenneth F Jensen 18064964 S/Sgt AC Houston, Texas.671st Bombardment Squadron (L)ROBERT C HANNA 0732466 1ST LT AC New York, N.Y.
Herbert E Sunderland 17029974 S/Sgt AC Vermillion, Kansas.k. GO 19, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 20 Oct 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)CARL S STANLEY 0793453 CAPT AC Topeka, Kansas.
Stanley L Heitell 32704568 S/Sgt AC Brooklyn, N.Y.
(Posthumous Award)
Paul J P profita 32311626 S/Sgt AC Brooklyn, N.Y.
John J Sittarich 37573540 S/Sgt AC Brackenridge, Minn.
(Missing in Action)
Charles B Collier 33539342 Cpl AC Arlington, Va.669th Bombardment Squadron (L)James H Pemberton 14033083 S/Sgt AC Montgomery, Ala.
James H Walters 34686391 S/Sgt AC Atlanta, Ga.
Daniel L Griffin 32871791 Sgt AC Brooklyn, N.Y.670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ELIZABETH O TURNER 01995930 2ND LT AC Bascom, Fla.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)DONALD A FERRO 0759437 1ST LT AC Atlanta, Ga.
Robert I Steffey 33622259 S/Sgt AC Reading, Pa.
George Thompson, Jr 14110077 S/Sgt AC Winder, Ga.l. GO 32, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 21 Nov 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)WESTMORELAND BABAGE 0766177 2ND LT AC Miami Beach, Fla.
(Posthumous Award)669th Bombardment Squadron (L)JACK K CONNER 0703376 1ST LT AC Huron, S.D.
DONALD W SORRELS 0750473 1ST LT AC Berkeley, Calif.

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GO 58, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division (H), 21 April 1945.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN L CORUCCI	0265470	1ST LT	AC	Hopewell, Va.
ALONZO J P WENN	0737920	1ST LT	AC	Palo Alto, Calif.

m. GO 2, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 3 Jan 1945.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

OTTO F JACOBSEN	0409115	1ST LT	AC	Huron, S.D.
ADOLPHUS S CALLAWAY	0445717	1ST LT	AC	Atlanta, Ga.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

EMILE C MARTIN	0759484	1ST LT	AC	Santa Rosa, Calif.
ROY W VAN ROPE	0760929	1ST LT	AC	San Diego, Calif.
ROLAND E ENRIAN	0688692	2ND LT	AC	Westborough, Mass. (Missing in Action)

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAMES E KEENE	0723801	1ST LT	AC	Akron, Ohio.
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n. GO 9, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 16 Jan 1945.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JACK A WILLARD	0760940	1ST LT	AC	Sacramento, Calif.
GEORGE G JOHNSON	0749965	2ND LT	AC	St Louis, Mo.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

EDWARD G BISHOP	0763918	1ST LT	AC	Graham, Texas.
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o. GO 13, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 23 Jan 1945.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Cletus V Hinker	36820684	Sgt	AC	Greenwood, Wisc.
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671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

GENTRY L MILHORN	0760648	2ND LT	AC	Long Beach, Calif.
RICHARD C LUIR	0722521	2ND LT	AC	Grove City, Ohio.

p. GO 25, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 21 Feb 1945.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

CLAYTON M ANDERSON	0742548	1ST LT	AC	St Cloud, Minn.
William H Klingman	36811789	Sgt	AC	Milwaukee, Wisc.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

MARTIN ERROTABERE	0773042	1ST LT	AC	Turlock, Calif.
ALTON R TULMAN	0762060	2ND LT	AC	San Diego, Calif.

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a. Ltr, Hq, 321st Bombardment Sq (M), 26 Aug 1943.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

b. GO 117, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 28 April 1944.
Headquarters

DAVID L WILLETTTS 0431583 LT COL AC Morgantown, W.Va.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

c. GO 141, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 18 May 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

d. GO 156, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 4 June 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

e. GO 99, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 9 June 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

f. GO 136, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 25 July 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAMES K COLOQUITT	0755882	1ST LT	AC	San Angelo, Texas.
JAMES P KENNY	0691368	1ST LT	AC	Belle Harbor, N.Y.
				(Missing in Action)

g. GO 142, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 31 July 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

DAVID B GRUNIG 0755330 1ST LT AC Portales, N.M.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

DAVID L WITHINGTON 0750497 1ST LT AC Honolulu, T.H.

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GO 58, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (H), 21 April 1945.

h. GO 148, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 7 Aug 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN E. BLOCHERIN, 0753323 2ND LT AC Rockford, Ill.

i. GO 150, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 10 Aug 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOSEPH J. LACKOVICH, 0753529 1ST LT AC Ironwood, Mich.

j. GO 159, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 19 Aug 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAMES H. MONTROSE, 0755994 1ST LT AC San Francisco, Calif.

By command of Major General ANDERSON:

RICHARD C. SANDERS,
 Brig Gen, U S A,
 Chief of Staff.

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S. L. PARMENTER
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SECTION I : AWARDS TO THE 397TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (M).
SECTION II : AWARDS TO THE 410TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (L).
SECTION III : AWARDS TO THE 416TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (L).

SECTION I

1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD, 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq, European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, AIR MEDALS are awarded to the following named officers and enlisted men of the 397th Bombardment Group (M), in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

596th Bombardment Squadron (M)

WILFRED H BOUDREAUX JR	O-773705	2ND LT	AC	Marshall, Texas.
JOHN W BRIERY	O-2070755	2ND LT	AC	Topeka, Kansas.
WILLIAM C MUSGROVE JR	O-689806	2ND LT	AC	Houston, Texas.
WILLIAM P NEWDOME	O-720089	2ND LT	AC	Cleveland, Ohio.
BRADFORD B ROBINSON	O-788092	2ND LT	AC	Centerville, Texas.
LAVERNE W SNOWDEN	O-692214	2ND LT	AC	Marceline, Mo.
GERALD W VATH	O-2064460	2ND LT	AC	Reading, Pa.
ROBERT H THORNE	O-2071272	2ND LT	AC	Williamsport, Pa.
JAMES D HAZLE	T-135169	F/O	AC	Woodruff, S. C.
RICHARD C PALMER	T-133462	F/O	AC	Mamaroneck, N. Y.
LEONARD R YOUNG	T-133488	F/O	AC	Hutchinson, Kansas.
Louis G Bagliere	19052801	S/Sgt	AC	San Jose, Calif.
Rex W Bonner	37430047	Sgt	AC	Lamoni, Iowa.
Alfred Malinowski	13128289	Sgt	AC	Dickson City, Pa.
Gordon Parker	13203598	Sgt	AC	Phila, Pa.
George R Roelein	12204107	Sgt	AC	Jersey City, N. J.
Orvel W Sherrill	38470497	Sgt	AC	Sand Springs, Okla.
Charles D Eldridge	37668151	Sgt	AC	Sigourney, Iowa.
Harold M Murphy	13042880	Sgt	AC	Houston, Texas.
Jack M Pindalo	38528849	Sgt	AC	Denison, Texas.
Bob C Tidwell	38556588	Sgt	AC	San Antonio, Texas.
Eugene R Terella	13087757	Sgt	AC	Erie, Pa.

597th Bombardment Squadron (M)

ROBERT M LEVY	O-793418	CAPT	AC	Scarsdale, N. Y.
ALBERT PECKERMAN	O-670492	1ST LT	AC	Cleve Hts, Ohio.
WARREN H BUETTNER	O-832091	2ND LT	AC	Billings, Mont.
ROBERT A GRUBB	O-777658	2ND LT	AC	Baltimore, Md.
RAY DYER	O-2073555	2ND LT	AC	Milford, Texas.

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GO 5, Hq, 9th Air Division, 14 May 1945, cont'd.

FRED L NORWOOD	O-547545	2ND LT	AC	Port Arthur, Texas.
FOSTER RACKLIFFE	O-578941	2ND LT	AC	New Britain, Conn.
WILLIAM G WEINER	O-20666486	2ND LT	AC	Bethlehem, Pa.
CHARLES E COLLIER	O-2061627	2ND LT	AC	Flint, Mich.
KENNETH MCMAHON	O-2066580	2ND LT	AC	Youngstown, Ohio.
HERMAN L CROCKER	O-2061576	2ND LT	AC	Hickory, N. C.
JAMES H FERGURSON III	O-2073494	2ND LT	AC	Cincinnati, Ohio.
WALLACE P GRAHAM	O-788024	2ND LT	AC	Ft. Wayne, Ind.
ELMER T FUNKE	T-134197	F/O	AC	Detroit, Mich.
John Colombo	20911392	S/Sgt	AC	Los Angeles, Calif.
Morris Ettinger	13026552	S/Sgt	AC	Philadelphia, Pa.
Roy A Heyne	390707169	Sgt	AC	Los Angeles, Calif.
Percy T High	34871020	Sgt	AC	Seminary, Miss.
James T Parks	18163263	Sgt	AC	Chelsea, Okla.
Charles F Rowe Jr	13126833	Sgt	AC	Sharon Hill, Pa.
George Bresler	32880125	Sgt	AC	Brooklyn, N. Y.
Stanley M Cartler	19101685	Sgt	AC	Los Angeles, Calif.
Perry Gold	33594910	Sgt	AC	Philadelphia, Pa.
Edgar P Thoennes	36482992	Sgt	AC	Bloomington, Ill.
Milton O Werner	12119875	Sgt	AC	Brooklyn, N. Y.
Arthur J Angelini	31341461	Sgt	AC	New York City, N. Y.
John M Geibe	13158219	Sgt	AC	Elizabethtown, Pa.

2. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medals awarded in General Orders indicated by sub-paragraphs, the following named officers and enlisted men of the 397th Bombardment Group (M), are awarded the BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq, European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

First Oak Leaf Cluster

a. GO 43, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 23 March 1945.
397th Bombardment Squadron (M)

ROBERT H EFAW	O-2064893	2ND LT	AC	Sistersville, W. Va.
MARLIN KOELLING	O-2067310	2ND LT	AC	Pueblo, Colo.
Thomas R Donnelly	33695872	Sgt	AC	McKeesport, Pa.
Lowell F Fullmer	37678327	Sgt	AC	New Virginia, Iowa.
John F Kearnan Jr	11118287	Sgt	AC	Milford, Mass.
Gaines S Kincaid	38557290	Sgt	AC	Ft. Stockton, Texas.
Robert G Mann	33643142	Sgt	AC	Richmond, Va.

Second Oak Leaf Cluster

b. GO 11, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 6 October 1944.
399th Bombardment Squadron (M)

WILLARD D PATTERSON	O-778545	1ST LT	AC	Washington, Iowa.
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646th Bombardment Squadron (D)

Harry D Kaufman	37527212	S/Sgt	AC	Coffeyville, Kansas. (Missing in Action)
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h. GO 142, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 31 July 1944.

645th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN E EHLERS JR	O-756796	1ST LT	AC	Winona, Minn.
WILSON J SQUIRE	O-756823	1ST LT	AC	Atlanta, Ga.

647th Bombardment Squadron (L)

HENRY J KLOCKLIN	O-753369	1ST LT	AC	Chatham, N. J.
Joseph P Hume	19124171	S/Sgt	AC	Kalispell, Mont.

i. GO 177, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 9 September 1944.

644th Bombardment Squadron (L)

HERMAN E KUIVER	O-753372	1ST LT	AC	Shawnee, Okla.
Norman C Hands	10601031	T/Sgt	AC	Rochester, N. Y.
Arvil L Peyler	39562477	S/Sgt	AC	Downey, Calif.
Theodore L Tingwall	6974487	S/Sgt	AC	Salamanca, N. Y.
James O Church	35799641	S/Sgt	AC	Cincinnati, Ohio.

645th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Thomas A Caramore	32692246	S/Sgt	AC	Hollis, N. Y.
John J Conway	32414587	S/Sgt	AC	New York, N. Y.
Lawrence J Gutshall	33506997	S/Sgt	AC	Brainbridge, Pa.

646th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Harold L Nugen	37215802	S/Sgt	AC	Belle Plaine, Kansas.
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647th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Jackson L Henderson	36559695	S/Sgt	AC	Detroit, Mich.
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j. GO 3, Hq, IX Bombardment Division (M), 27 September 1944.

647th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JEROME M COE	O-764974	1ST LT	AC	Riverside, Calif.
William R Lorimer	32463535	S/Sgt	AC	Maplewood, N. J.

k. GO 16, Hq, 9th Bombardment Squadron (M), 16 October 1944.

646th Bombardment Squadron (L)

HOWARD ROTHSTEIN	O-765091	1ST LT	AC	Philadelphia, Pa.
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SECTION III

1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, AIR MEDALS are awarded to the following named officers and enlisted men of the 416th Bombardment Group (L), in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Samuel Snider	31163554	S/Sgt	AC	Roston, Mass.
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669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

GARLAND D MURPHY	0-1702238	CAPT	AC	El Dorado, Ark.
BERNARD J MORLEY	0-741380	2ND LT	AC	Youngstown, Ohio.
PAUL W WILIS	0-835311	2ND LT	AC	Dayton, Ohio.
Albert A Dalton	32926975	Sgt	AC	Jersey City, N. J.
Edwin W Lea	39335709	Sgt	AC	Portland, Ore.
David K Heenan	16056964	Sgt	AC	Janesville, Wisc.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM M PALCH	0-784278	2ND LT	AC	Rutledge, Pa.
LESTER J PAGE	0-787417	2ND LT	AC	Indianapolis, Ind.
MURRAY F WILBUR	0-2061421	2ND LT	AC	Kansas City, Kansas.
WILLIAM E SHEEHAN	JRO-2068055	2ND LT	AC	Springfield, Mass.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

THOMAS W SAMPSON	0-283733	1ST LT	AC	Los Angeles, Calif.
DONALD L PRICE	0-777227	2ND LT	AC	Washington, D. C.
RUSSELL L SIMPSON	0-835283	2ND LT	AC	Reech Grove, Ind.
STANLEY J PRZYWITOWSKI	T-131455	F/O	AC	Chester, Pa.

2. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medals awarded in General Orders indicated by sub-paragraphs the following named officers and enlisted men of the 416th Bombardment Group (L), are awarded the BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq European T of Opns USA Circular #56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

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669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

PETER J McGIVERN O-734370 1ST LT AC Pittsburgh, Pa.

b. GO 25, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 February 1945
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Elmer J Willever 12095504 Sgt AC High Bridge, N. J.

c. GO 48, Hq, 9th Bombardment Squadron (M), 30 March 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAMES P PHILLIPS	O-732063	1ST LT	AC	Wheaton, Ill.
EZRA R DRUM	O-2057134	2ND LT	AC	Ft. Monroe, Va.
RALPH J LACKNER	O-760872	2ND LT	AC	Richmond, Hill, N.Y.
HARRY G GUNKEL	T-125797	F/O	AC	Chicago, Ill.
Cornelius M Hicks	38445168	S/Sgt	AC	Batesville, Ark.
Donald W Jordan	33186315	S/Sgt	AC	Knoxville, Pa.
Cornelius J McCarthy	13060221	S/Sgt	AC	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Joseph L Parker	33621116	S/Sgt	AC	Walnutport, Pa.
Richard M Cross	31280004	Sgt	AC	Mawley, Pa.
Casimir J Kaminski	36590882	Sgt	AC	Hamtramck, Mich.
Anthony J Musarra	13106490	Sgt	AC	Baltimore, Md.
Americo Pettinicchi	31275372	Sgt	AC	Waterbury, Conn.
Joseph R Schwartzkopf	35145609	Sgt	AC	Hartford, City, Ind.
James L Spence	38390275	Sgt	AC	Winnshoro, La.
Donald W Van Galder	12166480	Sgt	AC	Caruta, N. Y.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ALFRED W DEPNER	O-764136	2ND LT	AC	Cacramento, Calif.
FLOYD W SWAP	D-126628	F/O	AC	W. Newburg, Mass.
Ross H Gillespie	20412695	S/Sgt	AC	Statesville, N. C.
Michael Santandrea	32914508	Sgt	AC	Newark, N. J.
Walter R Sumner	38392356	Sgt	AC	Homer, La.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN F STANKOWSKI JR	O-1011461	1ST LT	AC	Scranton, Pa.
JOHN F WALLACE	O-660866	1ST LT	AC	Tulsa, Okla.
RUSSELL FORD	O-835177	2ND LT	AC	Washington, D. C.
JACK V O'BRIEN	O-770744	2ND LT	AC	St. Louis, Mo.
Raphael J Perujo	32867909	S/Sgt	AC	New York, N. Y.
Francis E Corey	37190835	Sgt	AC	Cedar Falls, Iowa.
Robert J Kamischke	36595107	Sgt	AC	Saginaw, Mich.
Alfred H Kimball	31365890	Sgt	AC	Poston, Mass.
Daniel J Murro	32528712	Sgt	AC	Brooklyn, N. Y.
Richard Plant	34541860	Sgt	AC	Madison, Fla.
Nicholas G Puskas	35529139	Sgt	AC	Lorain, Ohio.
Vincent B Raccio	11104180	Sgt	AC	New Haven, Conn.
Clarence B Rhoney	34775084	Sgt	AC	Hickory, N. C.
Donald O Finnell	15066567	Cpl.	AC	Frankfort, Ky.

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671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN R WRIGHT	0-772644	2ND LT	AC	Everton, Mo.
Alvin H Miller	31104608	S/Sgt	AC	S. Norwalk, Conn.
Horace K Millor	38278858	S/Sgt	AC	Dallas, Texas.
David O Simon	33705556	S/Sgt	AC	Pittsburg, Pa.
Luther J Farmer	37374591	Sgt	AC	Lockwood, Mo.
Robert E Grub	36857888	Sgt	AC	Lake City, Mich.
Melvin F Hardwin	3522163	Sgt	AC	Dayton, Ohio.
Valentine S Stypenski	32941086	Sgt	AC	Albany, N. Y.

Second Oak Leaf Cluster

d. GO 13, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 23 January 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Leland C Ferguson	38018833	S/Sgt	AC	Norman, Okla.
Charles J Rivard	31306544	Sgt	AC	Fall River, Mass.

e. GO 18, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 3 February 1945.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

PETER J McGIVERN	0-734370	1ST LT	AC	Pittsburgh, Pa.
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f. GO 25, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 February 1945.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Robert C Schumacher	14201732	Sgt	AC	Walhalla, S. C.
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g. GO 39, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 16 March 1945.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

FRANK J CONLEY	T-128910	F/O	AC	Detroit, Mich.
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h. GO 42, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 22 March 1945.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Thomas R Langley	14077557	S/Sgt	AC	Athens, Ala.
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671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Floyd E Barber	17014145	S/Sgt	AC	Little Rock, Ark.
William A MacCartney	12124120	S/Sgt	AC	Long Island, N. Y.
Walter C Buckley	33642160	Sgt	AC	Fairfax, Va.

i. GO 48, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 30 March 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAMES P PHILLIPS	0-732063	1ST LT	AC	Wheaton, Ill.
EZRA D BRUM	0-2057134	2ND LT	AC	Ft. Montee, Va.
RALPH J LACKNER	0-760872	2ND LT	AC	Richmond, Hill, N. Y.
Cornelius M Hicks	38445168	S/Sgt	AC	Batesville, Ark.

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Cornelius J McCarthy	13060221	S/Sgt	AC	Pittsburg, Pa.
Richard M Cross	31280004	Sgt	AC	Mawley, Pa.
Americo Pettinicchi	31275372	Sgt	AC	Waterbury, Conn.
Donald W Van Galder	12166480	Sgt	AC	Caruta, N. Y.
Casimir J Kaminski	36590882	Sgt	AC	Hantramon, Mich.
Joseph R Schwartzkopf	35145609	Sgt	AC	Hartford City, Ind.
Anthony J Musarra	13106490	Sgt	AC	Baltimore, Md.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ALFRED W DEPFNER	O-764136	2ND LT	AC	Sacramento, Calif.
FLOYD W SWAP	T-126628	F/O	AC	W. Newburg, Mass.
Ross H Gillespie	20412695	S/Sgt	AC	Statesville, N. C.
Walter R Sumner	38392356	Sgt	AC	Homer, La.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN F STANKOWSKI JR	O-1011461	1ST LT	AC	Seranton, Pa.
JOHN F WALLACE	O-660866	1ST LT	AC	Tulsa, Okla.
RUSSEL FORD	O-835177	2ND LT	AC	Washington, D. C.
Jack V O'Brien	O-770744	2ND LT	AC	St. Louis, Mo.
Raphael J Perujo	32867909	S/Sgt	AC	New York, N. Y.
Alfred H Kimball	31365890	S/Sgt	AC	Boston, Mass.
Francis E Corey	37190835	Sgt	AC	Cedar Falls, Iowa.
Richard Plant	34541860	Sgt	AC	Madison, Fla.
Vincent P Raccio	11164180	Sgt	AC	New Haven, Conn.
Donald O Finnell	15066567	Cpl	AC	Frankfort, Ky.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN R WRIGHT	O-772644	2ND LT	AC	Everson, Mo.
Alvin H Miller	31104608	S/Sgt	AC	S. Norwalk, Conn.
Horace K Miller	38278858	S/Sgt	AC	Dallas, Texas.
David O Simon	33705556	Sgt	AC	Pittsburg, Pa.
Luther J Farmer	37374591	Sgt	AC	Lockwood, Mo.
Robert E Graub	36857888	Sgt	AC	Lake City, Mich.
Valentine S Stypenski	32941086	Sgt	AC	Albany, N. Y.

Third Oak Leaf Cluster

1. GO 185, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 19 September 1944.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Arthur B Eaton	38369845	S/Sgt	AC	Graham, Texas.
Robert J Johnson	37564350	S/Sgt	AC	Owatonna, Minn.

k. GO 19, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 20 October 1944.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Albert C Basile	12087181	S/Sgt	AC	Brooklyn, N. Y.
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GO 5, Hq, 9th Air Division, 14 May 1945, cont'd.

1. GO 28, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 12 November 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Howard B McLain 13090476 Sgt AC Lancaster, Pa.

2. GO 2, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 3 January 1945.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Charles J Kruger 12093806 Sgt AC Railway, N. J.

3. GO 9, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 16 January 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM H ROBERTS 0-755509 2ND LT AC Pine Bluff, Ark.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Kenneth W Schmidt 37472315 S/Sgt AC Auburn, Nebr.

4. GO 13, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 23 January 1945.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Donald Schwartzapfel 12164275 S/Sgt AC Brooklyn, N. Y.

5. GO 18, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 3 February 1945.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN V REED 0-723819 1ST LT AC Pittsburgh, Pa.

6. GO 25, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 February 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Alvin R Stewart 35789255 Sgt AC Pleasant Plains, Ohio.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Philip T Lynch 32816887 S/Sgt AC Brooklyn, N. Y.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Russell D Redding 19151778 S/Sgt AC Luck, Wyo.

7. GO 42, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 22 March 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Albert R Hood 37096034 Sgt AC W. Duluth, Minn.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Robert Dubl 32900335 Sgt AC Brooklyn, N. Y.

Richard D Francis 38472529 Sgt AC Henryetta, Okla.

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GO 5, Hq, 9th Air Division, 14 May 1945, cont'd.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Lyle E Davis	35620742	S/Sgt	AC	Dayton, Ohio.
Robert W Messinger	35752042	S/Sgt	AC	Clarksburg, W. Va.

g. GO 48, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 30 March 1945.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAMES P PHILLIPS	0-732063	1ST LT	AC	Wheaton, Ill.
EZRA B DRUM	0-2057134	2ND LT	AC	Ft. Monroe, Va.
RALPH J LACKNER	0-760872	2ND LT	AC	Richmond, Hill, N.Y.
Cornelius J McCarthy	13060221	S/Sgt	AC	Pittsburgh, Pa.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ALFRED W DEPNER	0-764136	2ND LT	AC	Sacramento, Calif.
FLOYD W SWAP	T-126628	F/O	AC	W. Newburg, Mass.
Ross H Gillespie	20412695	S/Sgt	AC	Statesville, N. C.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN F STANKOWSKI	0-1011461	1ST LT	AC	Scranton, Pa.
JOHN F WALLACE	0-660866	1ST LT	AC	Tulsa, Okla.
RUSSELL FORD	0-835177	2ND LT	AC	Washington, D. C.
JACK V O'TRIEN	0-770744	2ND LT	AC	St. Louis, Mo.
Richard Plant	34541860	Sgt	AC	Madison, Fla.
Francis E Corey	37190635	Sgt	AC	Cedar Falls, Iowa.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN R WRIGHT	0-772644	2ND LT	AC	Everton, Mo.
Alvin H Miller	31104608	S/Sgt	AC	S. Norwalk, Conn.
Horace K Miller	38278858	S/Sgt	AC	Dallas, Texas.
Valentine S Stypenski	32941086	Sgt	AC	Albany, N. Y.

Fourth Oak Leaf Cluster

t. GO 141, Hq, Alaska Defense Command, 7 December 1942.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

LELAND C NIELSEN	0-660790	MAJOR	AC	Vesper, Kansas.
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u. GO 11, Hq, 12th Air Force, 23 January 1943.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Delbert C Gilliam	17009926	S/Sgt	AC	Smackover, Ark.
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v. GO 62, War Department, 28 October 1943.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM F DUFAULT	0-431267	CAPT	AC	Wakefield, Mass.
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GO 5, Hq, 9th Air Division, 14 May 1945, cont'd.

w. GO 12, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 9 October 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Wendell O Clark 20833480 S/Sgt AC Oklahoma City, Okla.

x. GO 19, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 20 October 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Morton Licker	11096747	S/Sgt	AC	Providence, R. I.
Harold Seighman	33671109	S/Sgt	AC	Greensburgh, Pa.
Chalmers	13061054	S/Sgt	AC	Bedford, Pa.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Andrew A Rojas	39859818	S/Sgt	AC	Yuma, Arizona.
Felix Di Orio	32921240	S/Sgt	AC	Orange, N. J.
Ollie E Swank	36684469	S/Sgt	AC	Danville, Ill.

y. GO 28, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 12 November 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Domenic V Paladino 32833265 S/Sgt AC Buffalo, N. Y.

z. GO 9, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 16 January 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM H ROBERTS O-759509 2ND LT AC Pine Bluff, Ark.

aa. GO 42, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 22 March 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM H LASETER O-394143 1ST LT AC Montgomery, Ala.

ab. GO 25, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 February 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ROGER A RUSSELL O-759511 1ST LT AC Worthington, Minn.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

AUDREY C SEARS O-428382 CAPT AC Gloucester, Mass.

ac. GO 48, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 30 March 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAMES P PHILLIPS	O-732063	1ST LT	AC	Wheaton, Ill.
EZRA R DRUM	O-2057134	2ND LT	AC	Ft. Montoo, Va.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ALFRED W DEPNER O-764136 2ND LT AC Sacramento, Calif.

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GO 5, Hq, 9th Air Division, 14 May 1945, cont'd.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JACK V O'PRIEN	O-770744	2ND LT	AC	St. Louis, Mo.
JOHN F WALLACE	O-660866	1ST LT	AC	Tulsa, Okla.
JOHN F STANKOWSKI	O-1011461	1ST LT	AC	Scranton, Pa.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN R WRIGHT	O-772644	2ND LT	AC	Everton, Mo.
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Sixth Oak Leaf Cluster

ad. GO 117, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 28 April 1944.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

ZELAN R MOORE	O-1699233	CAPT	AC	Anaconda, Mont.
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ae. GO 180, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 12 September 1944.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Daniel H Pentzler	36810076	S/Sgt	AC	Bodgeville, Wisc.
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af. GO 12, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 9 October 1944.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

CLYDE S JORDAN	O-672122	1ST LT	AC	Shreveport, La.
Kenneth F Jensen	18064964	S/Sgt	AC	Houston, Texas.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

FRANCIS S PRESTER	O-667931	1ST LT	AC	Mannasser, N.Y.
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ag. GO 161, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 21 August 1944.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Glenn E Reiter	33574293	S/Sgt	AC	Sykesville, Pa.
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ah. GO 19, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 20 October 1944.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Charles F Collier	33539342	S/Sgt	AC	Arlington, Va.
Paul J Profita	32311626	S/Sgt	AC	Brooklyn, N.Y.

ai. GO 2, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 3 January 1945.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ROBERT E SHAFT	O-712234	2ND LT	AC	Wichita, Kansas.
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669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Leo F Draft	36424031	Sgt	AC	Muskegon, Mich.
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GO 5, Hq, 9th Air Division, 14 May 1945, cont'd.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM R HEINKE	O-670538	1ST LT	AC	Winamac, Ind.
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aj. GO 9, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 16 January 1945.

668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

LUMIR J PRUCHA	O-802219	1ST LT	AC	Omaha, Nebr.
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669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

H R HACKLEY	O-759595	2ND LT	AC	Carrollton, Ill.
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670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ARVID E ROSENQUIST	O-712228	2ND LT	AC	Kansas City, Mo.
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671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

RICHARD J TUTT	O-727810	CAPT	AC	Perry, Iowa.
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ak. GO 25, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 February 1945.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

MARTIN ERROTABERE	O-773042	1ST LT	AC	Turlock, Calif.
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671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN B COCKE JR	O-795363	1ST LT	AC	Reanoke, Va.
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JOHN W SPIRES	O-768364	1ST LT	AC	Arnold, Pa.
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al. GO 42, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 22 March 1945.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WESLEY D CHITTY JR	O-718867	1ST LT	AC	Panberg, S. C.
ROBERT S BOWER	O-773044	2ND LT	AC	Niles, Ohio.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

THERON E GRAEBER	O-771210	2ND LT	AC	Los Angeles, Calif.
ALEXANDER E HLIVKO	O-2057156	2ND LT	AC	Johnstown, Pa.

am. GO 48, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 30 March 1945.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ALFRED W DEPNER	O-764136	2ND LT	AC	Sacramento, Calif.
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670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JACK V O'BRIEN	O-770744	2ND LT	AC	St. Louis, Mo.
JOHN F STANKOWSKI	O-1011461	1ST LT	AC	Scranton, Pa.
JOHN F WALLACE	O-660866	1ST LT	AC	Tulsa, Okla.

Seventh Oak Leaf ClusterRESTRICTED

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GO 5, Hq, 9th Air Division, 14 May 1945, cont'd.

an. GO 244, Hq, 3rd Bombardment Division, 30 July 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Lawrence W Metzler 32843660 Sgt AC Buffalo, N. Y.

ac. GO 148, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 7 August 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Arnold J Burland 39208608 S/Sgt AC Seattle, Wash.

ap. GO 150, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 10 August 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Leo R Gatgen 33509556 S/Sgt AC Williamsport, Pa.
 Charles W Veazey 14153481 S/Sgt AC Moultrie, Ga.

ag. GO 180, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 12 September 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAY R WARREN 0-887310 2ND LT AC Purley, Idaho.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM E BREWER 0-747573 1ST LT AC Kinston, N. C.

ar. GO 9, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 3 October 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

HERMAN E MYROLD 0-712208 1ST LT AC Milwaukee, Wisc.
 FRANK A REEVES 0-762988 1ST LT AC Salisbury, N. C.

as. GO 12, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 9 October 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

ROBERT C HANNA 0-732466 1ST LT AC New York, N. Y.

at. GO 28, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 12 November 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN L CORUM 0-265470 1ST LT AC Hopewell, Va.

au. GO 2, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 3 January 1945.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAMES E KERNS 0-723801 1ST LT AC Akron, Ohio.

av. GO 9, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 16 January 1945.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

DANIEL E SMITH 0-811256 1ST LT AC Urbana, Ill.

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GO 5, Hq, 9th Air Division, 14 May 1945, cont'd.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

EDWARD G BISHOP O-763918 1ST LT AC Graham, Texas.

aw. GO 25, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 February 1945,
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

CARL E WEINERT O-718837 1ST LT AC Urbana, Ill.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ALTON R. TURMAN O-962060 2ND LT AC San Diego, Calif.

ax. GO 42, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 22 March 1945.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WESLEY D CHITTY JR O-718867 1ST LT AC Ramberg, S. C.

Eighth Oak Leaf Cluster

ay. GO 148, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 7 August 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

John J McGuire 17143116 S/Sgt AC St. Paul, Minn.

az. GO 150, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 10 August 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Rollins M Barry 18171363 Sgt AC Crowley, La.

ba. GO 180, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 12 September 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

John F Geyer 35629198 S/Sgt AC Mt. Gilead, Ohio.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ROBERT L KIRK O-761328 1ST LT AC Colfax, Calif.

bb. GO 2, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 3 January 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JUDSON H BLOUNT T-124666 F/O AC Greenville, N. C.,

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

EMILE C MARTIN O-759484 1ST LT AC Santa Rosa, Calif.

bc. GO 19, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 20 October 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAKE W WRIGHT O-761522 1ST LT AC Weatherford, Okla.

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GO 5, Hq, 9th Air Division, 14 May 1945, cont'd.

bd. G^O 28, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 12 November 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

ALONZO J P WINN O-737920 1ST LT AC Palo Alto, Calif.

be. GO 32, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 November 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

THOMAS M McCartney T-125070 F/O AC Carbondale, Pa.

bf. GO 9, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 16 January 1945.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

DANIEL E SMITH O-811256 1ST LT AC Urbana, Ill.

bg. GO 38, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 14 May 1943.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JESSIE W BRITT O-1995932 2ND LT L AC Lepanto, Ark.

bh. GO 136, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 25 July 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Leonard R Fleming 38529944 S/Sgt AC Dallas, Texas.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Adam A Cianciosa 33168827 S/Sgt AC Reading, Pa.

bi. GO 142, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 31 July 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Harold G Wiggins 33631840 S/Sgt AC Richmond, Va.
 Beverly R Wilson 32431699 Sgt AC Yonkers, N. Y.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM H AMES O-753586 1ST LT AC Houston, Texas.

bj. GO 148, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 7 August 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Kalen Heath 341762333 S/Sgt AC Stoneville, N. C.
 John J McGuire 17143116 S/Sgt AC St. Paul, Minn.

bk. GO 159, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 19 August 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Wilkie F Fuehrer 35694412 S/Sgt AC Madison, Ind.

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GO 5, Hq, 9th Air Division, 14 May 1945, cont'd.

bl. GO 161, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 21 August 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Winifred E Lemonds 37607000 S/Sgt AC Kennett, Mo.

bm. GO 19, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 20 October 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

HUGH M EVANS 0-730893 CAPT AC Sioux Falls, S. Dak.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ELIZABETH O TURNER 0-1995930 1ST LT AC Bascom, Fla.
 WAYNE MUSGROVE 0-765046 1ST LT AC Texarkana, Ark.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

DONALD A FERRO 0-759437 1ST LT AC Atlanta, Ga.
 ALFRED REMISZEWSKI 0-759508 1ST LT AC Chicago, Ill.

bn. GO 28, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 12 November 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

ALONZO J P WINN 0-737920 1ST LT AC Palo Alto, Calif.

bo. GO 2, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 3 January 1945.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

EMILE C MARTIN 0-759484 1ST LT AC Santa Rosa, Calif.

Eleventh Oak Leaf Cluster

bp. GO 117, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 29 April 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ARVID R HAND 0-748066 1ST LT AC Hempstead, Texas.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

HAROLD L SOMMERS 0-571705 MAJOR AC Amboy, Ind.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

HIRAM F COMANT 0-397619 MAJOR AC Cambridge, Mass.

bg. GO 99, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 9 June 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ROZELL B HALL 0-755334 1ST LT AC Berwyn, Md.

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GO 5, Hq, 9th Air Division, 14 May 1945, cont'd.

br. GO 142, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 21 July 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ROBERT P SINGLETARY O-1286911 1ST LT AC Thomasville, Ga.

bs. GO 148, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 7 August 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

HORACE F PAIR O-747882 CAPT AC Atlanta, Ga.

bt. GO 150, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 10 August 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

LOVICK E CANNON O-562680 1ST LT AC Albany, Ga.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JULIAN F ALLEN JR O-473470 1ST LT AC Wadesboro, N. C.

bu. GO 161, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 21 August 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

THOMAS D C MCCREADY O-755378 1ST LT AC Butte, Mont.

Twelfth Oak Leaf Cluster

bv. GO 141, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 18 May 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOSEPH KUPITS O-748012 1ST LT AC Philadelphia, Pa.

bw. GO 142, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 31 July 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

DAVID L WITHINGTON O-750497 1ST LT AC Honolulu, T. H.

bx. GO 159, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 19 August 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAMES H MONTROSE O-755994 1ST LT AC San Francisco, Calif.

Sixteenth Oak Leaf Cluster

by. GO 80, Hq, Fifth Air Force, 8 May 1943.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Wilmar L Kidd 19020343 S/Sgt AC Neodesha, Kansas.

bz. GO 122, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 5 May 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WAYNE E DONWING O-661726 1ST LT AC Longmont, Colo.

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3.. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medals awarded in General Orders indicated by sub-paragraphs, the following named officers and enlisted men of the 416th Bombardment Group (L), are awarded the SILVER OAK LEAF CLUSTER, in lieu of the fifth Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq, European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

g. GO 180, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 12 September 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Samuel J Turpin	14165453	S/Sgt	AC	Franklin, N. C.
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b. GO 185, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 19 September 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Willard E Arnett	15119202	S/Sgt	AC	Berea, Ky.
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c. GO 19, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 20 October 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Olen N Merritt Jr	34352593	S/Sgt	AC	Ringgold, Ga.
Clarence L Skeens	15067434	Sgt	AC	Bluefield, W. Va.

669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Walter W Donnelly	12162117	S/Sgt	AC	Roselle, N. J.
Kenneth A Reid	11086077	Sgt	AC	Rollingham, Mass.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Joseph J Ricketson	37523583	S/Sgt	AC	Kansas City, Mo.
Henry C S Candler	33535643	S/Sgt	AC	Covington, Va.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Thurman W Skelton	35701923	S/Sgt	AC	Louisville, Ky.
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d. GO 28, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 12 November 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

William S McGaughy	14177943	Sgt	AC	Ft. Meyers, Fla.
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671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

Warren G Davis Jr	14202544	S/Sgt	AC	Atlanta, Ga.
Glenn G Stephenson	16072367	S/Sgt	AC	Ashland, Wisc.

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GO 5, Hq, 9th Air Division, 14 May 1945, cont'd.

- e. GO 32, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 November 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

COLLINS H FERRIS O-411820 MAJOR AC Waukesha, Wisc.

- f. GO 36, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 28 November 1944.
679th Bombardment Squadron (L)

STANLEY H SHELEY O-758084 2ND LT AC Los Gatos, Calif.

- g. GO 2, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 3 January 1945.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Joseph Ottaviano 11053204 S/Sgt AC Mendon, Mass.

- h. GO 9, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 16 January 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILLIAM W ANNIN O-760526 1ST LT AC Los Angeles, Calif.
 GEORGE J PARKHURST O-760900 1ST LT AC Long Beach, Calif.

- i. GO 13, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 13 January 1945.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

STERLING MOONEY O-758366 1ST LT AC Provo, Utah.

- j. GO 25, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 21 February 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN W BLEVINS O-666125 1ST LT AC San Antonio, Texas.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN W SPIRES O-768364 1ST LT AC Arnold, Pa.

- k. GO 42, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 22 March 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ROBERT H LONG O-2057166 2ND LT AC Allentown, Pa.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

ALEXANDER E HLIVKO O-2057156 2ND LT AC Johnstown, Pa.

- l. GO 48, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 30 March 1945.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ALFRED W DEFNER O-764136 2ND LT AC Sacramento, Calif.

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GO 5, Hq, 9th Air Division, 14 May 1945, cont'd.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN F STANKOWSKI	O-1011461	1ST LT	AC	Scranton, Pa.
JOHN F WALLACE	O-660866	1ST LT	AC	Tulsa, Okla.
JACK V O'BRIEN	O-770744	2ND LT	AC	St. Louis, Mo.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN R WRIGHT	O-772644	2ND LT	AC	Everton, Mo.
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4. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medals awarded in General Orders indicated by sub-paragraphs, the following named officers of the 416th Bombardment Group (L), are awarded the SECOND SILVER OAK LEAF CLUSTER, in lieu of the tenth Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

a. GO 38, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 14 May 1943.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JESSIE W BRITT	O-1995932	2ND LT	AC	Lepanto, Ark.
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b. GO 124, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 6 May 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

ROBERT O GRUETZEMACHER	O-421542	CAPT	AC	University City, Mo.
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c. GO 150, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 10 August 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JULIAN F ALLEN JR	O-473470	1ST LT	AC	Wadesboro, N. C.
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d. GO 159, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 19 August 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

PAUL E PARKER	O-761620	1ST LT	AC	Sacramento, Calif.
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e. GO 161, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 21 August 1944.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN C GARY	O-755317	1ST LT	AC	Glendale, Calif.
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f. GO 19, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division (M), 20 October 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

WILBUR L HALE	O-753349	1ST LT	AC	St. Louis, Mo.
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669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

MILLARD W DU BOSE	O-757964	1ST LT	AC	San Francisco, Calif.
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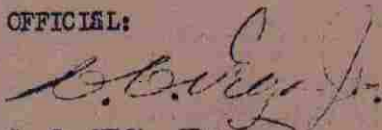
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

ALFRED REMISZENSKI	O-759508	1ST LT	AC	Chicago, Ill.
HARTWIG M VAN NOORDEN	O-765154	1ST LT	AC	Los Angeles, Calif.

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 SECTION V : AWARDS TO 416TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (L)

SECTION I

1. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medals awarded in General Orders indicated by sub-paragraphs, the following named officers of Headquarters, 98th Combat Bombardment Wing (M), are awarded the BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25 WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq European T of Ops USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

Third Oak Leaf Cluster

a. GO 97, Hq, IX Bomber Command, 7 June 1944.

CHARLES SONNKALB 024121 COLONEL AC Postville, Iowa.

Eighth Oak Leaf Cluster

b. GO 31, Hq, VIII Air Support Command, 23 Sept 1943.

KENNETH A OMSTED 0793280 MAJOR AC Tampa, Fla.

Ninth Oak Leaf Cluster

KENNETH A OMSTED 0793280 MAJOR AC Tampa, Fla.

Eleventh Oak Leaf Cluster

KENNETH A OMSTED 0793280 MAJOR AC Tampa, Fla.

2. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medal awarded in General Order No. 141, Hq, Ninth Air Force, 18 May 1944, Major RICHARD F WELTZIN, 0386657, Headquarters, 98th Combat Bombardment Wing (M), is awarded the SECOND SILVER OAK LEAF CLUSTER, in lieu of the tenth Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942) as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance

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with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, MAJOR WELTZIN having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy. Entered military service from Fargo, N.D.

SECTION II

1. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medal awarded in General Order No. 23, Hq, XIX Tactical Air Command, 14 Aug 1944, Second Lieutenant CARLETON E PALMER, 0701798, 9th Weather Reconnaissance Squadron (Prov), is awarded the SECOND SILVER OAK LEAF CLUSTER, in lieu of the tenth Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, Lieutenant PALMER having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy. Entered military service from Indianapolis, Ind. (Posthumous Award)

SECTION III

1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, AIR MEDALS are awarded to the following named officers of the 1st Pathfinder Squadron (Prov), in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

D S from 322nd Bombardment Group (M)

ALLEN R KANNAPEL 0410414 CAPT AC Drexel Hill, Penn.

D S from 344th Bombardment Group (M)

ROBERT KASH T-5757 F/O AC Brooklyn, N.Y.

D S from 394th Bombardment Group (M)

DUDLEY A PHILLIPS 0412066 CAPT AC New Orleans, La.

2. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medals awarded in General Orders indicated by sub-paragraphs, the following named officers and enlisted men of the 1st Pathfinder Squadron (M) (Prov), are awarded the BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in

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SECTION V

1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hc European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, AIR MEDALS are awarded to the following named officers of the 416th Bombardment Group (L), in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JOHN G CURTISS	0835155	2ND LT	AC	South Bend, Ind.
ALBERT G HINSON	0836788	2ND LT	AC	Chevy Chase, Md.

671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

CHARLES W BRANDT	T-132550	F/O	AC	Jeromeville, Ohio.
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2. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medals awarded in General Orders indicated by sub-paragraphs, the following named officers and enlisted men of the 416th Bombardment Group (L), are awarded the BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hc European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, they each having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy.

First Oak Leaf Cluster

- a. GO 18, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 3 Feb 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

MARK P SCHLEIFER	0718150	1ST LT	AC	New York, N.Y.
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Second Oak Leaf Cluster

- b. GO 18, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 3 Feb 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

MARK P SCHLEIFER	0718150	1ST LT	AC	New York, N.Y.
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- c. GO 25, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 21 Feb 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Roy G Hindman	17146511	S/Sgt.	AC	Denver, Colo.
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- d. GO 48, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 30 March 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

James L Spence	38390275	Sgt	AC	Winnsboro, La.
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Third Oak Leaf Cluster

- e. GO 148, Hc, IX Bomber Command, 7 Aug 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

LEO E POUNDSTONE 0749491 1ST LT AC Bement, Ill.

- f. GO 48, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 30 March 1945.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Raphael J Perujo 32867909 S/Sgt AC New York, N.Y.

Fourth Oak Leaf Cluster

- g. GO 30, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 14 Nov 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

DONALD R FREED 0722714 2ND LT AC Elkhart, Ind.

- h. GO 14, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 26 Jan 1945.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

CHARLES F FRY 0555196 1ST LT AC Urbana, Ill.

Sixth Oak Leaf Cluster

- i. GO 12, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 9 Oct 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

LEWIS W DENNIS 0727321 1ST LT AC Lake Charles, La.

- j. GO 19, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 20 Oct 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Walter W Donnelly 12162117 S/Sgt AC Roselle, N.J.
 Daniel L Griffin 32871791 S/Sgt AC Brooklyn, N.Y.

- k. GO 9, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 16 Jan 1945.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

JAMES H CARVER 0759569 1ST LT AC Ventura, Calif.

- l. GO 13, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 23 Jan 1945.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

STERLING MOONEY 0758366 1ST LT AC Prouo, Utah.

- m. GO 25, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 21 Feb 1945.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

CLAYTON M ANDERSON 0742548 1ST LT AC St Cloud, Minn.

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GO 7, Hc, 9th Air Division, 16 May 1945.

Seventh Oak Leaf Clustern. GO 180, Hc, IX Bomber Command, 12 Sept 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

Daniel H Bentzler 36810076 S/Sgt AC Dodgeville, Wisc.

o. GO 13, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 23 Jan 1945.
671st Bombardment Squadron (L)

GENTRY L MILHORN 0760648 1ST LT AC Long Beach, Calif.

Eighth Oak Leaf Clusterp. GO 19, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 20 Oct 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

HARRY POPENEY 0765064 1ST LT AC Los Angeles, Calif.

Ninth Oak Leaf Clusterq. GO 117, Hc, Ninth Air Force, 28 April 1944.
670th Bombardment Squadron (L)

HIRAM F CONANT 0397619 MAJOR AC Cambridge, Mass.

Eleventh Oak Leaf Clusterr. GO 136, Hc, IX Bomber Command, 25 July 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

FRANK W HARRIS 0755337 1ST LT AC Birmingham, Ala.

s. GO 19, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 20 Oct 1944.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L)

MILLARD W DU BOSE 0757964 1ST LT AC San Francisco, Calif.

Twelfth Oak Leaf Clustert. GO 150, Hc, IX Bomber Command, 10 Aug 1944.
668th Bombardment Squadron (L)

LOVICK E CANNON 0562680 1ST LT AC Albany, Ga.

3. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medal awarded in General Order No. 48, Hc, 9th Bombardment Division, 30 March 1945, Second Lieutenant EZRA B DRUM, 02057134, of the 668th Bombardment Squadron (L), 416th Bombardment Group (L), is awarded the SILVER OAK LEAF CLUSTER, in lieu of the fifth Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hc European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, Lieutenant DRUM having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy. Entered military service from Ft. Monroe, Va.

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4. By direction of the President, in addition to the Air Medal awarded in General Order No. 19, Hq, 9th Bombardment Division, 20 Oct 1944, First Lieutenant WAYNE MUSGROVE, 0765046, of the 670th Bombardment Squadron (L), 416th Bombardment Group (L), is awarded the SECOND SILVER OAK LEAF CLUSTER, in lieu of the tenth Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, (Bull. 25, WD 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, (Bull. 49, WD 1942), and in accordance with authority delegated by the War Department and contained in Hq European T of Opns USA Circular # 56, dated 27 May 1944, in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations, Lieutenant MUSGROVE having completed the required number of operational sorties against the enemy. Entered military service from Texarkana, Ark.

By command of Major General ANDERSON:

RICHARD C SANDERS,
Brig Gen, U S A,
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