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HEADQUARTERS 442D REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM
APO #758, U. S. ARMY

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15 December 1944.

SUBJECT: Monthly Historical Report.

TO: Commanding General, 44th AAA Brigade, APO #758, U. S. Army.

1. In compliance with letter AG 314.7 Misc, Headquarters Seventh Army, 7 August 1944, and AR 345-105, transmitted herewith historical report of 442d Infantry for month of 1 - 30 November 1944.

2. Above history consists of:

Report as per par 13, AR 345-105 with Exhibits A and B
(Incl 1).

Narrative of Events (Incl 2). (9985) INRG-442-0.3

Unit Journal (Incl 3). 0

Unit Journal File - field orders, maps, overlays, etc.
(Incl 4). 0

For the Commanding Officer:

HARRY B. FARR,
Capt, 442d Inf,
Adjutant.

Incls - As listed.

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TO: Commanding General, 44th AAA Brigade, APO #758, U. S. Army.

Approved.

For the Commanding Officer:

T. M. Kobayashi
T. M. KOBAYASHI,
C.W.O., U.S.A.,
Asst Adjutant.

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HISTORY OF 442D INFANTRY PER PAR 13, AR 345-105
FOR MONTH OF 1 - 30 NOVEMBER 44

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1. Original Unit.

No change.

2. Changes in Organization.

- a. 100th Bn detached from 442d Infantry and 36th Infantry Division, per secret letter Hq VI Corps, 8 Nov 44.
- b. Effective 17 November 44, 442d RCT (-100th Bn) relieved from attachment to 36th Infantry Division and reverted to VI Corps control, per secret letter Hq VI Corps 18 Nov 44.
- c. Effective 1700 18 Nov 44, 442d RCT (-100th Bn) relieved from attachment to VI Corps and reverted to control of Seventh Army. Upon arrival at NICE, France (21 Nov 44) 442d RCT attached to 44th AAA Brigade for administration, supply and operations. All as per secret letter AG 370.5-C, Hq 7th Army, 18 Nov 44.
- d. Effective 28 Nov 44, 100th Bn reverted to control of 442d Infantry, per Field Order No. 3, Hq 44th AAA Brigade, 24 Nov 44.

3. Strength.*

	<u>O's</u>	<u>WO's</u>	<u>EM</u>
a. At beginning of period 1 Nov 44	117	6	2245
b. At end of period 30 Nov 44	133	6	2280
c. Net increase month 1-30 Nov 44	16	0	35

* Figures shown are "present for duty" strength.

4. Stations.

- 1 - 9 Nov 44 442d RCT in combat in Vosges Mts Sector (Foret Dominiale du Champ, near La Houssiere).
- 10 - 12 Nov 44 442d RCT (-100th Bn) in rest area vic Fimenil, Fays, and Lepanges.
- 13 - 17 Nov 44 442d RCT (-100th Bn) in combat in Vosges Mts Sector (Foret Dominiale du Champ, near La Houssiere).
- 18 Nov 44 In assembly area at Docelles, France.
- 19 - 21 Nov 44 En route to NICE, France.
- 22 Nov 44 Bivouac at ST JEANNET, France.
- 23 - 30 Nov 44 Regiment in combat in MARITIME ALPS SECTOR (near Sospel). CP at NICE, France.

(100th Bn for period 10 - 28 Nov 44)

- 10 - 13 Nov 44 Bn en route to NICE, France.
- 14 Nov 44 Bivouac vic NICE.
- 15 - 16 Nov 44 Assembly area near ST MARTIN VESUBIE.
- 17 - 25 Nov 44 100th Bn in combat in MARITIME ALPS SECTOR, near St Martin Vesubie.
- 26 - 27 Nov 44 In assembly area near MENTON, France.

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5. Marches.

Rescinded by par 12, C3, AR 345-105.

6. Campaigns.

a. VOSGES MOUNTAINS SECTOR.

- (1) Name of: Eastern France - Seventh Army Offensive.
- (2) Duration: 442d Infantry in line at beginning of period (1 Nov 44) to 17 Nov 44.
- (3) Purpose: Destruction of German Army in Eastern France; liberation of Eastern France and Alsace.
- (4) Authority: Commanding General, Seventh Army.

b. MARITIME ALPS SECTOR.

- (1) Name of: Eastern France.
- (2) Duration: 442d Infantry in line from 23 Nov 44 to close of period (30 Nov 44). 100th Bn (detached from 442d Inf) in line from 17 Nov 44 to 28 Nov 44.
- (3) Purpose: Defensive along French-Italian Border; protecting extreme right flank of Sixth Army Group.
- (4) Authority: Commanding General, Seventh Army.

7. Battles.

- a. Name and date: FOREST DOMINIALE DU CHAMP, 1 - 17 Nov 44.
MARITIME ALPS (Vic Sospel), 23 - 30 Nov 44.
MARITIME ALPS (Vic St Martin Vesubie), 17 - 28
Nov 44 (100th Bn detached from 442d Inf).
- b. Campaign of which battles were a part: Eastern France.
- c. Forces engaged: German infantry, artillery, armored force. Following units identified:

305th Grenadier Regt, 338th Division
308th Grenadier Regt, 338th Division
602d Mobile Battalion
326th Grenadier Regt
163d Reserve Grenadier Bn, 198th Division
1st, 2d Bn, Gropengiesser Regt

- d. Result: (1) VOSGES MTS SECTOR: Cleared Forest Dominiale Du Champ, near St Die; held defensive positions protecting left flank 36th Infantry Division and right flank of 103d Infantry Division.

(2) MARITIME ALPS SECTOR: Held defensive positions on French-Italian Border, protecting right flank of Sixth Army Group.

8. Commanding Officer:

- a. Lt Colonel V. R. MILLER, O-15847, Inf, from 1 - 23 Nov 44.
- b. Colonel C. W. PENCE, O-10283, Inf, resumed command 23 Nov - 30 Nov 44.

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9. Losses in Action.

See Exhibit "A" attached.

10. Present and Former Members Who Have Distinguished Themselves in Action.

See Exhibit "B" attached.

11. Photographs of Personnel, Important Scenes or Events.

None available.

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LOSSES IN ACTION

1 - 30 Nov 44

KILLED IN ACTION	44
WOUNDED IN ACTION	217
MISSING IN ACTION	3
INJURED IN ACTION	8

EXHIBIT "A"

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KILLED IN ACTION
Month of November 1944

1. Oshiro, Sam Y.	30105401	Pfc	Co I	
2. Sato, Shin	39305162	Pvt	Co E	
3. Abe, Chester K.	39077504	Pvt	Co M	
4. Endo, Robert T.	39913872	Pfc	Co K	
5. Okura, Susumu	38598408	Pvt	Co I	
6. Yoshigai, Mitsuichi	30105958	Pfc	Co H	
7. Kitase, Paul T.	39229695	Sgt	Co F	
8. Kondow, Howard H.	36216106	Tec 5	Co F	
9. Izumizaki, Henry S.	39914823	Pfc	Co F	
10. Masuoka, Peter S.	37344728	S Sgt	Hq Co 2nd Bn	
11. Kubokawa, James K.	30101142	Pfc	Hq Co 100th Bn	
12. Minami, Yoshio	30100449	T Sgt	Hq Co 100th Bn	
13. Tabuchi, Shigeo	39160767	Pfc	Co I	
14. Tanimoto, Larry T.	30105535	Sgt	Co I	
15. Narimatsu, John T.	39152020	Cpl	Co L	DOW
16. Fujino, Yoshimi	30103049	Sgt	Anti-Tank Co	
17. Fujioka, Teruo	37357768	Pfc	Anti-Tank Co	
18. Taketa, Shigeto	30104062	Pvt	Co I	
19. Masacka, Ray K.	39084879	Pfc	Co F	
20. Kawahara, Richard H.	30104207	Pfc	Co L	DOW
21. Yasuda, Fred S.	38506085	Pfc	Co K	
22. Yamasaki, Harry S.	30105207	Pfc	Co I	
23. Hayama, Makoto	30104722	Pfc	Co F	
24. Iseri, Mitsuo M.	19075143	Pfc	Co D	DOW
25. Miyacka, George S.	39081264	Pfc	Co L	
26. Gushiken, George	39167886	Pfc	Co L	
27. Okazaki, Takaaki	39379100	T Sgt	Co L	
28. Moseley, David L.	0315247	1st Lt	Co I	
29. Tahara, Cooper T.	39083496	Pfc	Co I	
30. Okida, Katsu	39921521	Pvt	Co F	
31. Masuda, Edo	38598407	Pvt	Co F	
32. Tsumaki, Kenichi	39683559	Pfc	Co K	
33. Kanazawa, John S.	39229697	Sgt	Co K	
34. Kawano, Oike C.	37085233	Pfc	Co E	
35. Mizokami, Timothy I.	39014015	Sgt	Co M	
36. Yasuhira, Arata	30106164	Pfc	Co M	
37. Tananaha, Kunio	30105143	Pfc	Med Det	
38. Kaneichi, Takeo	39084564	Pfc	Co E	DOW
39. Rogers, Ben W. Jr	0528267	2nd Lt	Anti-Tank Co	
40. Sato, Saburo	30105224	Pfc	Co B	DOW
41. Nishimoto, Joe M.	35229917	Pfc	Co G	
42. Otsubo, Akira R.	39082151	T Sgt	Co L	
43. Sugawara, Senji	30105937	S Sgt	Co K	
44. Miura, Larry N.	30105576	Tec 5	Co K	DOW

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INJURED IN ACTION

Month of November 1944

1. Mori, Yasuo	39083996	Cpl	Co F
2. Yamachika, Kiyoshi	39166349	Pvt	Co F
3. Omori, Shigeru	39012295	Tec 4	Co E
4. Hashimoto, Zenjiro	30104169	Pfc	Co L
5. Nakano, Stanley S.	30104044	Sgt	Co G
6. Hiranska, Mamoru	30106185	Pvt	Co G
7. Mametsuka, Yoshiomi J.	37345800	Pvt	Co G
8. Mitsui, Kiyotoshi	30105836	Pfc	Anti-Tank Co

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MISSING IN ACTION

Month of November 1944

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|-----------------------|----------|-----|------|
| 1. Nagata, Taichi | 39088917 | Cpl | Co E |
| 2. Ikeda, Masao | 39913358 | Pfc | Co L |
| 3. Hashimoto, John T. | 39155055 | Sgt | Co L |

WOUNDED IN ACTION

Month of November 1944

1. Yoshinaga, Nisao	30103085	S Sgt	Hq Co 3rd Bn
2. Tadakuma, Hiroshi	37345368	Tec 4	Hq Co 3rd Bn
3. Hasuika, Takashi	30105075	Pfc	Hq Co 3rd Bn
4. Kiyomoto, Ayato	30105970	S Sgt	Co E
5. Tominaga, Bob Y.	39019255	Sgt	Co E
6. Yokobe, Bill R.	39918168	Pvt	Co E
7. Tsukamoto, John K.	30105281	Pvt	Hq Co 100th Bn
8. Fujimoto, Joe S.	30104231	Pfc	Co K
9. Kanechika, Kingo	30106079	Pfc	Co M
10. Yamaguchi, Jimmie F.	39375156	Pfc	Co M
11. Handa, George	39076654	Cpl	Co I
12. Arakaki, Minoru	35895976	Pvt	Hq & Hq
13. Tachibana, Haruo	30104144	Cpl	Co M
14. Demura, Masaji	30106052	Pfc	Co M
15. Uemura, Benjamin T.	39168874	Pfc	Co M
16. Yuruki, Fujio R.	30104418	S Sgt	Co M
17. Akemine, Takemori	30104046	Pfc	Co M
18. Uyehara, Howard Y.	39918275	Pfc	Co M
19. Nakamoto, Yasuo	39916622	Pfc	Co M
20. Horiuchi, Sadamichi H.	30104664	Pvt	Co M
21. Ide, Michael M.	30105139	S Sgt	Co M
22. Arakaki, Joe M.	39161925	Pfc	Co M
23. Sone, Shigeru	30106024	Pfc	Co M
24. Sumida, Minoru	39163277	S Sgt	Co L
25. Matsuda, Takashi	30105287	Pfc	Co L
26. Aoki, Yoshiji	30104268	Pfc	Co L
27. Saito, Susumu	30104160	Pfc	Co L
28. Koizumi, Shoichi	01695610	2nd Lt	Co L
29. Oshiro, Seichi	30106016	Sgt	Co L
30. Takiguchi, Bob N.	39916518	Pfc	Co L
31. Takeoka, Joe K.	39379330	Cpl	Co L
32. Okubo, Yoshio	30104758	Pfc	Co L
33. Matsumoto, Clarence W.	30106102	Pfc	Co L
34. Rainwater, Lester F.	01397572	1st Lt	Co K
35. Hikida, Toyo	38070604	Pvt	Co K
36. Yasuda, Masuki	30105151	Pfc	Co K
37. Ours, James S.	30105377	Sgt	Co K
38. Yatabe Robert	39001227	Tec 4	Co K
39. Kasaiwagi, Ichigi R.	37345855	Pfc	Co K
40. Okada, Harry H.	30106127	Pfc	Co K
41. Nakauchi, Hideo	30104035	Pfc	Co K
42. Furuyama, William W.	39088113	Pvt	Co K
43. Oda, Richard M.	30105477	Pvt	Co K
44. Kajiwara, Tokuo	30105609	S Sgt	Co K
45. Terashima, Futao	30104359	Pfc	Co I

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46. Yabiku, Edward S.	39015798	Pfc	Hq Co 3rd Bn
47. Nojima, Isamu	30106121	Sgt	Co H
48. Murakami, Susumu	30102533	Pvt	Co H
49. Sato, Mitchell H.	17024267	Pfc	Co H
50. Afuso, Zenyei R.	30105870	Pfc	Co H
51. Okazaki, Charles I.	30105457	Sgt	Co H
52. Hamada, Yoneo	39917267	Pfc	Co H
53. Yoshioka, George S.	39002976	Pfc	Co F
54. Tanouye, Jim T.	39084723	Tec 4	Co F
55. Komatsu, Tetsuo	30106095	Pfc	Co F
56. Tsukayama, Toshi	30104036	Pfc	Co F
57. Muramoto, Shigeo	30106188	Pfc	Co F
58. Iriguchi, Mitsuyoshi J.	30106344	Pvt	Co F
59. Mochizuki, Haruo E.	39088252	Pfc	Co F
60. Masuda, Takashi	39166375	Pfc	Co F
61. Toma, Takeyuki	39005471	Tec 5	Co F
62. Yamaguchi, Yoshinobu G.	30105951	Pfc	Co F
63. Murakami, Takashi	19043541	Pfc	Co F
64. Morita, Yoshio J.	39150248	Cpl	Co F
65. Shimizu, Fumio S.	30105662	Cpl	Co F
66. Brown, Harold M.	01306698	2nd Lt	Co F
67. Yoshida, Jun	34789414	Pfc	Co E
68. Shibata, Edward L.	38584397	Pvt	Co E
69. Yamamoto, Harumi	30102952	Pfc	Co E
70. Higa, Saburo	30104534	Pvt	Hq Co 2nd Bn
71. Yanagihara, Robert M.	30105819	Cpl	Anti-Tank Co
72. Matsushima, Yoshinobu	30102663	Pfc	Co M
73. Bano, Ray	39151034	Cpl	Co K
74. Seki, Noboru	30104389	Pfc	Co I
75. Oki, Robert M.	30105461	Pfc	Co I
76. Segawa, Kenji G.	30106381	Pfc	Co I
77. Mukai, James S.	39914782	Pvt	Co I
78. Takizawa, George	39389445	Pfc	Co I
79. Nakaishi, Toe T.	39675190	S Sgt	Co I
80. Okumura, Ken	39082666	Sgt	Co I
81. Sugimoto, Satoru T.	39075346	Pfc	Co I
82. Saito, Tadao	39076337	Sgt	Co I
83. Furugen, Masao	30106346	Pfc	Co I
84. Matsumoto, Masuhiro	38584188	Pvt	Co E
85. Komachi, Roy K.	39913871	Pfc	Co M
86. Onodera, Kaun	39914198	Pfc	Co M
87. Masuda, Kazuo	30106100	Pfc	Co M
88. Segami, Yahachi	39913891	Pfc	Co M
89. Hamada, Harry H.	39680672	Sgt	Co K
90. Tatera, Hughes T.	37345818	Pfc	Co K
91. Maruyama, Kazuo	30106371	Sgt	Co K
92. Rosen, Bernard	01326137	2nd Lt	Co K
93. Matsuoka, Fumukichi	30104111	Pfc	Hq Co 3rd Bn
94. Kanahira, Sueso	30105792	Pvt	Co H
95. Ryan, Joseph G.	0539824	1st Lt	Co H

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96. Osumi, Paul K.	30105758	Pfc	Co F
97. Nite, Roy G.	19064963	Cpl	Co F
98. Kohashi, Wataru	30103898	Pfc	Co F
99. Oshiro, Yasuhiko	30105292	Tec 5	HqCo 3rd Bn
100. Lee, Ernest W.	01306606	1st Lt	Hq Co 3rd Bn
101. Arakawa, Jack C.	30105539	Pvt	Co H
102. Oganeku, Hidenori	30105190	Pvt	Co H
103. Ayabe, Tadashi	30103608	Pfc	Anti-Tank Co
104. Okamoto, Akira	30105674	Pfc	Cannon Co
105. Kageta, Sanai	39082033	Pvt	Med Det
106. Kashiwabara, Kay K.	39083268	S Sgt	Co M
107. Sober, Colonel V.	01057252	2nd Lt	Co L
108. Fujikawa, George M.	39168701	Pvt	Co K
109. Okagawa, Tsuru T.	38083264	Tec 3	Co I
110. Gerkovich Roy	01320993	2nd Lt	Co I
111. Nogawa, Raymond K.	30105526	Pfc	Co G
112. Akita, Frank K.	39682074	Cpl	Co G
113. Fukui, Lewis L.	39682956	Pfc	Co G
114. Ishida, Haruo	39350759	Tec 4	Co G
115. Nakano, Masayoshi	30103900	Pfc	Co C
116. Yamamoto, Shiroshi	39083327	Pfc	Co E
117. Kurihara, Dan N.	39151547	Tec 5	Co L
118. Sumida, Philip M.	30104649	Pvt	Co L
119. Joichi, Paul T.	36768123	Pfc	Co L
120. Hashino, Keiji	30105365	Pfc	Co L
121. Fujino, Frank T.	39160647	Pvt	Co K
122. Tsubara, Jim	39016083	Pfc	Co K
123. Sasaoka, Seiji	30104134	Sgt	Co K
124. Naganuma, Kenneth	30105918	Pfc	Co K
125. Kubota, Sadaichi	30106306	T Sgt	Co I
126. Matsuura, David S.	30104596	Pfc	Co I
127. Miyakado, Yukio	30103664	Pfc	Co I
128. Tando, Isamu	30104993	Pfc	Co I
129. Taketa, Roy H.	39385566	Pfc	Co I
130. Hara, Sam S.	39228926	Sgt	Co G
131. Matsumura, Henry T.	39913348	Pfc	Co G
132. Watanura, Masato W.	39083091	Tec 4	Co G
133. Jones, George	32907253	Pfc	Co G
135. Sloan, Arthur D.	01309023	2nd Lt	Co G
136. Yabumoto, Shigeru	39079672	Pfc	Co G
137. Nishikawa, Masato	39157567	Pfc	Co G
138. Sekino, Norihiko	39168869	T Sgt	Co G
139. Morita, David K.	30106170	Pfc	Co M
140. Tabata, Isawo	37356137	S Sgt	Co M
141. Beppu, Tadao	30104856	T Sgt	Co M
142. Hayashida, Harold T.	30104137	Pfc	Co M
143. Kimura, Michio C.	39303675	Pfc	Co M
144. Higa, William Y.	30104787	Pfc	Co L
145. Sumida, Teizo	30104009	Pfc	Co L

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146. Tanaka, Roy	39912769	Pvt	Co L
147. Yamabe, Toshio	39164036	Pfc	Co L
148. Chikami, Frank M.	39923339	Pvt	Co L
149. Ohashi, Sumio	30104346	Sgt	Co L
150. Nakamura, Harry M.	30105589	Pfc	Co L
151. Higa, Hideo	30104266	Pvt	Co L
152. Conner, Jesse H.	0435913	1st Lt	Co F
153. Sadamune, Alfred S.	39013534	Sgt	Co F
154. Agina, Masa	30106197	Pfc	Co F
155. Nagata, Kazuo J.	39018635	Pfc	Co F
156. Hamaguchi, Akira	30105766	S Sgt	Co F
157. Suzuki, Gene S.	39679903	Cpl	Co F
158. Tanino, Ryomi	39919734	Pfc	Co F
159. Okamoto, Kiyoshi G.	39019297	Pvt	Co F
160. Murakami, Tsuguo	39385571	Pfc	Co F
161. Iritani, Roy I.	37704385	Pfc	Co F
162. Okanishi, Hideo	39925197	Pvt	Co F
163. Matsumoto, George N.	39003470	Cpl	Co F
164. Oura, George	38506079	Pvt	Co F
165. Shoji, Mack S.	39914537	Pfc	Co E
166. Glover, Alfred L.	01320939	2nd Lt	Co E
167. Sako, Sam E.	39024495	Pvt	Co E
168. Tokumura, Goro	30104420	Pfc	Co E
169. Sakato, George T.	39923340	Pvt	Co E
170. Kanatani, George S.	39018451	Tec 5	Co E
171. Yamane, Yukito	30105137	Pfc	Co E
172. Morita, Kiyoshi	30106194	Sgt	Co E
173. Fujii, Ralph Y.	30106410	Pvt	Co E
174. Sakai, Lawson I.	37347230	Pfc	Co E
175. Kanzaki, Tomoyuki	39003032	Tec 5	Co E
176. Miura, Tommy T.	39917460	Pfc	Co E
177. Ihara, Teruo	01695695	2nd Lt	Co E
178. Yura, James N.	39918370	Pfc	Co E
179. Yoshimura, Richard Y.	30105079	Sgt	Co E
180. Mimura, Shigeyuki J.	30106105	S Sgt	Co E
181. Suyematsu, King	20949162	Sgt	Co E
182. Shiozaki, Masaru	39306124	Pvt	Co E
183. Maenaka, Frank K.	39680663	Pfc	Co E
184. Furuike, Tadashi	30104729	Sgt	Co E
185. Shimamoto, Kunio J.	36892842	Pvt	Co E
186. Matsuo, Kiyotaka	30104152	Pfc	Anti-Tank Co
187. Piampiano, Carl P.	0415574	Capt	Co K
188. Kawano, Tami	39082118	Cpl	Co K
189. Mitchell, Edward S. Jr	0337671	1st Lt	Co K
190. Matsuda, Frank T.	39919486	Pfc	Co K
191. Shimabukuro, Kenny M.	30105192	Pfc	Co K
192. Ochitani, Bunjerie B.	39916573	Pfc	Co K
193. Ujiiye, Joe H.	39675113	Pfc	Co K
194. Tanagida, James M.	30104255	Pfc	Co K
195. Miyamoto, James H.	30104698	Sgt	Co K

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196. Matsumoto, Suikichi	39015872	S Sgt	Co K
197. Makita, Ernest	37344786	Pfc	Co I
198. Ishikawa, Jin	39083586	S Sgt	Co G
199. Endow, Kazuo	39924790	Pvt	Co G
200. Tanaka, Nobuichi	39916443	Pvt	Med Det
201. Dobashi, Frank H.	39090228	Tec 4	Co F
202. Nakamoto, Katsuji	30104343	Pvt	Co F
203. Handa, Kenneth M.	30104735	Pfc	Co G
204. Ikemoto, Mitsuo	30106211	Pfc	Co G
205. Chinen, Takeshi	36104054	Sgt	Co I
206. Hoguechi, George	39087914	Sgt	Co I
207. Ohama, Albert Y.	30106180	Pfc	Co L
208. Kaisaka, Arthur A.	39918221	Pfc	Co L
209. Nagasako, Goro	30105288	Pfc	Co L
210. Morrison, Charles W.	01307565	1st Lt	Co L
211. Kawagoye, Dave T.	39167062	T Sgt	Anti-Tank
212. Aizawa, Masao	30106048	Tec 4	Anti-Tank
213. Hayashikawa, Masao	30102943	Tec 5	Anti-Tank
214. Sato, Harold Y.	30106021	Pvt	Hq Co 2nd Bn
215. Shinomura, Charles T.	39384675	S Sgt	Co G
216. Miyake, Satoru G.	37946650	Pfc	Co K
217. Goto, Takaji J.	36674625	Pfc	Co K

AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

1 - 30 November 44

Distinguished Service Cross (Posthumous)	1
Silver Star (Posthumous)	1
Silver Star	10
Oak Leaf Cluster to Bronze Star	1
Bronze Star	23
Division Citation (Posthumous)	1
Division Citation	11
Second Oak Leaf Cluster to Purple Heart	2
Oak Leaf Cluster to Purple Heart	42
Purple Heart	217
Combat Infantryman Badge	201
Good Conduct Medal	156

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EXHIBIT "B"

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AWARD, POSTHUMOUS, OF DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS. (Sec I, GO No. 175,
 Headquarters Fifth Army, 16 November 1944)

HARRY P. MADOKORO (39916617), Private First Class, Infantry, United States Army. For extraordinary heroism in action, on 7 July 1944, near Molino A. Ventoabbto, Italy, and on 16 and 17 July 1944, in Luciana, Italy. During the final assault on an enemy held hill, Private First Class MADOKORO advanced ahead of his squad to a strategic position from which he could deliver effective automatic rifle fire. Partly exposed to enemy fire, he scanned his sector of the slope for targets. He leveled his automatic rifle on a nest of snipers, forcing them to disperse. Throughout the bitter fight he held his position, neutralizing another enemy nest and pinning down the enemy to enable his platoon to take the hill. Again, at Luciana, Italy, Private First Class MADOKORO occupied an advanced position and proceeded to fire on the enemy entrenched on the outskirts of the town. With heavy fire directed at him, he stubbornly held his position and provided covering fire when his squad was forced to withdraw because of a concentrated artillery and mortar barrage. The following day, when his squad became separated from the remainder of the company within the town, Private First Class MADOKORO provided flank protection against determined enemy attacks. A group of enemy soldiers entered a nearby draw and threw hand grenades at him, but Private First Class MADOKORO crawled toward the draw and tossed a grenade into the enemy position. On another occasion he left his position and silenced a machine pistol position with a grenade. Still later in the course of the battle, he approached an enemy machine gun nest and silenced it by firing from a kneeling position. By his stubborn determination, conspicuous devotion to duty and courage, Private First Class MADOKORO inspired his squad in preventing the enemy's escape while his company closed in to occupy the town. His valorous performance is exemplary of the finest traditions of the Armed Forces of the United States. Next of kin: Mrs. Matsu H. Madokoro (Mother), Poston, Arizona.

AWARD OF THE SILVER STAR (GO No. 110, Hq Seventh Army, 17 Nov 44).

HIROSHI F. SAWADA, 39379943, Private First Class, Infantry, Company C, *** Battalion, *** Infantry Regiment, for gallantry in action on 26 August 1944, in the vicinity of Pisa, Italy. Private First Class Sawada volunteered to act as lead scout for a four-man patrol assigned the mission of reconnoitering the Southern Arno River bank. The night was dark and very quiet. While moving through a sparse vineyard, he suddenly motioned his comrades to stop. He then advanced ten yards with his patrol leader. At this point they heard an enemy patrol advancing toward them. He held his fire until his patrol was observed by the enemy. Then, as the enemy patrol prepared to take up positions, he opened fire. In the resulting skirmish, the entire enemy patrol of seven men was either killed or wounded. Soon, six or seven enemy machine guns, attracted by the firefight, swept the field with grazing fire. When the patrol was ordered to withdraw, Private First Class Sawada remained behind

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to cover their movement with his fire. He silenced one automatic weapon on his right flank, then engaged another. Only after the patrol had reached a covered position did he join his comrades. The determined aggressiveness, courage and initiative displayed by Private First Class Sawada enabled his patrol to withdraw without suffering a single casualty. Entered military service from Seattle, Washington.

AWARD OF THE SILVER STAR (SEC III, GO NO. 107, HQ 7TH ARMY, 11 Nov 44)

EDWARD Y. OKAZAKI, 30106012, Sergeant, Infantry, Headquarters Co, 3d Battalion, *** Infantry Regiment, for gallantry in action on 19 October 1944, in Bruyeres, France. When Sergeant Okazaki and four other men were wounded by shrapnel during an artillery barrage, he dragged his companions to the safety of a building in the midst of the barrage and, despite his wounds, proceeded to render them first aid. When the aid men arrived and, discovering his bleeding arm, attempted to administer first aid to him, he refused medical attention, insisting that he was not seriously wounded. It was not until the four other men had been treated that he consented to receive treatment himself. It was then discovered that he had received three wounds--one in his arm and two in his left leg. Sergeant Okazaki's conspicuous courage, utter disregard for personal safety and determination were an inspiration to the men of his company. Entered military service from Paia, Maui, Territory of Hawaii.

AWARDS OF THE SILVER STAR (SEC I, GO 123, HQ 34TH INFANTRY DIVISION, 4 NOV 44).

MITSUTO MITSUI (30103685), Private, Medical Department, United States Army. For gallantry in action on 7 July 1944 in the vicinity of Molino A Ventoabbto, Italy. When Pvt Mitsui learned that two of his comrades were seriously wounded, he immediately left his position of cover, crawled over open terrain for a distance of 15 yards and rendered them first aid. He then evacuated the wounded men by crawling through constant grenade and small arms fire, dragging the men one at a time, to a position of comparative safety, 30 yards below. The courageous devotion to duty displayed by Pvt Mitsui was exemplary and an inspiration to all who observed him. Entered military service from Kilauea, Kauai, Territory of Hawaii.

TAKEMATSU MAEDA (30104524), Private First Class, Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action on 17 July 1944, in the vicinity of Luciana, Italy. Pfc Maeda crept forward 90 yards through a barrage of mortar, artillery and sniper fire with a rocket grenade launcher to fire one round at a tank that was holding up his company's advance in the southern section of the town. Although he failed to disable the tank, he caused it to withdraw, opening a hole in the enemy defense. Earlier, in the same attack, he and two of his comrades knocked out two machine gun nests, killing four German soldiers with hand grenades and rifles despite continuous harassing sniper fire. The courage and aggressiveness displayed by Pfc Maeda was of inestimable value in the company's successful attack. Entered military service from Waipahu, Oahu, Territory of Hawaii.

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BUNJERIE B. OCHITANI (39916573), Private First Class, Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action on 17 July 1944, in the vicinity of Luciana, Italy. When an enemy machine gun emplaced in a house was holding up the company's advance, Pfc Ochitani voluntarily advanced with two comrades through continuous sniper, mortar and artillery fire and destroyed the gun. Another machine gun position was discovered nearby, and without hesitation, Pfc Ochitani and his comrades advanced and killed the two Germans manning the gun by the use of their hand grenades and rifles. The courage and determination displayed by Pfc Ochitani was a key factor in the Battalion's successful attack. Entered military service from Salt Lake City, Utah.

THOMAS T. TAKAO (39913686), Private First Class, Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action on 12 July 1944, in the vicinity of Pastina, Italy. As a member of a reconnaissance patrol, Pfc Takao advanced to within ten feet of the enemy outposts in order to gain information. Disregarding the platoon leader's instructions to withdraw when almost surrounded by the enemy, Pfc Takao continued observing the enemy movements. Finally, in withdrawing, he was forced to fight his way back against a numerically superior force. The courage and initiative displayed by Pfc Takao and the valuable information he had gained were of inestimable value to the battalion's successful attack on the town of Pastina. Entered military service from Salt Lake City, Utah.

AKIRA I. MASAOKA (39162289), Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Department, United States Army. For gallantry in action on 26 June 1944 and 11 July 1944, in the vicinity of Suvereto and Castellina, Italy. When four men of a company mortar squad were severely wounded by a direct hit, Tec 4 Masaoka left his position of cover, crawled 40 yards through intense 88mm and small arms fire over exposed ground and rendered first aid. Aided by men who were inspired by his exemplary actions, Tec 4 Masaoka improvised litters and evacuated the wounded through the continuous barrage. On another occasion, Tec 4 Masaoka was himself seriously wounded by 24 pieces of 88mm shell fragments when he went to the aid of a mortally wounded comrade. The courage and devotion to duty of Tec 4 Masaoka gained for him the respect and admiration of all the men in his organization. Entered military service from 1739 North Wells, Chicago, Illinois.

OLIVER Y. HASHIZUME (30104484), Sergeant, Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action on 16 and 17 July 1944, in the vicinity of Luciana, Italy. When his squad was pinned down by intense enemy small arms, mortar and 88mm artillery fire, Sgt Hashizume crawled to the forward position of his squad and with his automatic rifle maintained a protective fire while his men crawled to cover. The next day, while the squad was surrounded on three sides by the enemy, Sgt Hashizume repeatedly exposed himself to enemy fire in order to direct his men in setting up effective defense against the numerically superior enemy. During this action, which lasted for 8 hours, his squad of 8 men killed or wounded 15 of the enemy and silenced a machine pistol and two machine gun nests and caused another machine gun crew to abandon its position. The skillful leadership and courage of Sgt Hashizume enabled the rest of the company to close in from the opposite end of the town and capture two tanks and 27 prisoners. Entered military service from Waipahu, Oahu, Territory of Hawaii.

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TOKUNORI YAMADA (30103141), Sergeant (then Technician Fifth Grade), Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action on 17 July 1944, in the vicinity of Luciana, Italy. When an enemy machine gun emplaced in a house was holding up the company's advance, Sgt Yamada voluntarily advanced with two comrades through continuous sniper, mortar and artillery fire and destroyed the gun. Another machine gun position was discovered nearby, and without hesitation, Sgt Yamada and his comrades advanced and killed the two Germans manning the gun by the use of their hand grenades and rifles. The courage and determination displayed by Sgt Yamada was a key factor in the battalion's successful attack. Entered military service from Lihue, Kauai, Territory of Hawaii.

ATSUGO SAHARA (30102274), Staff Sergeant, Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action on 12 July 1944, in the vicinity of Pastina, Italy. When the platoon was ordered to attack, Sgt Sahara's squad was sent out to reconnoiter forward. Discovering enemy machine gun positions, he and a comrade advanced under the covering fire of the rest of the squad. They moved forward about 200 yards and were suddenly aware of enemy movements. Sgt Sahara cautiously crawled to the left flank of the emplacement, quickly tossed a hand grenade and was momentarily subjected to intense machine gun fire. All of a sudden the enemy gunner left his post and withdrew. Finding the other gunner dead, Sgt Sahara instructed his comrade to report back for support. He then crawled forward and gained valuable information as to enemy machine gun positions, which he relayed back to the artillery. The courage and aggressiveness displayed by Sgt Sahara enabled the company to secure their objective and inflict several casualties upon the enemy forces. Entered military service from Honolulu, Oahu, Territory of Hawaii.

AWARD OF THE SILVER STAR (POSTHUMOUSLY) (SEC II, CO NO. 123, HQ 34TH INF DIV, 4 NOV 44).

TAKANORI A. NISHI (39915180), Private First Class, Infantry, United States Army. For gallantry in action on 12 July 1944, in the vicinity of Pastina, Italy. As a member of a reconnaissance patrol, Pfc Nishi advanced to within ten feet of the enemy's outposts in order to gain information. Disregarding the platoon leader's orders to withdraw when almost surrounded by the enemy, Pfc Nishi continued observing the enemy movements. Finally in withdrawing, he was forced to fight his way back against a numerically superior force and was killed in the attempt. His comrade, however, returned safely and gave valuable information to the rest of the patrol which proved instrumental in the battalion's successful attack on the town of Pastina. The courage and devotion to duty displayed by Pfc Nishi gained for him the respect and admiration of his entire organization. Entered military service from Detroit, Michigan. Next of kin: Mrs. Francis T. Nishi (Wife), 5001 Second Avenue, Detroit, Michigan.

AWARD OF BRONZE STAR (SEC I, CO NO. 454, HQ 36TH INF DIV, 21 NOV 44).

DAVID NOVACK, O-1298647, Second Lieutenant, 442d Infantry, for heroic achievement in action 21 October 1944, in France. Entered service from Los Angeles, Calif.

AWARD OF BRONZE STAR (SEC III, CO NO. 127, HQ 34TH INF DIV, 10 NOV 44).

HIROSHI OKADA (30105078), Private First Class, Infantry, Co "E", 442d Infantry. For heroic achievement in action on 3 July 1944 in Italy. Entered military service from Honolulu, Oahu, Territory of Hawaii.

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AWARD OF BRONZE STAR (SEC II, GO. NO. 35, HQ 1ST AIRBORNE TASK FORCE, 16 NOV 44).

TADAYOSHI AYABE, 30103608, Private First Class, Infantry, United States Army, for heroic achievement in action against the enemy near Les Arcs, France, on 16 August 1944. Entered the military service from Manapepe, Kauai, Territory of Hawaii.

AWARD OF BRONZE STAR (SEC III, GO NO. 105, HQ SEVENTH ARMY, 4 NOV 44).

RODNEY FUKUI, 30104690, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Corps, Medical Detachment, *** Infantry Regiment, for heroic achievement on 20 October 1944, near BRUYERES, FRANCE. Entered military service from Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii.

AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR (SEC II, GO NO. 135, HQ 34TH INF DIV, 20 NOV 44).

NAME	ASN	RANK	ORG	FOR HEROIC ACHIEVEMENT IN ACTION	DATE	HOME ADDRESS
TAKAJI J. GOTO	36674625	Pvt	Co K, 442d Inf	Italy	6 Jul 44	Manzanar, Calif.
YASUO P. FUJINO	39914560	Pfc	Co L, 442d Inf	Italy	20-22 Jul 44	Hunt, Idaho.
KEN HIGASHI	39914527	Pfc	Co L, 442d Inf	Italy	20-22 Jul 44	Hunt, Idaho.
CHITOSHI DOI	30106345	Pfc	Med Det, 442d Inf	Italy	5, 11, 20, 21 Jul 44	Kawaihae, Hawaii.
FRANK H. YANO	39012716	Tec 5	Med Det, 442d Inf	Italy	5, 18, 20, 21 Jul 44	Topaz, Utah.
EICHI OKI	30106131	Sgt	Co K, 442d Inf	Italy	6 Jul 44	Wailuku, Maui, TH.
WILLIAM C. OSHIRO	30105500	S Sgt	Co L, 442d Inf	Italy	14 Jul 44	Honolulu, Hawaii.

AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR (SEC I, GO. NO. 124, HQ 34TH INF DIV, 5 NOV 44).

MASAO KOIZUMI	30101933	Pfc	Co B, 100th Bn, 442d Inf	Castellina, Italy	17 Jul 44	Honolulu, Hawaii.
JAMES M. KAMISATO	30100690	Pfc	Co B, 100th Bn, 442d Inf	Castellina, Italy	17 Jul 44	Honolulu Hawaii.
IKITO MURAOKA	30103688	Pfc	Med Det, 442d Inf	Castellina, Italy	9 Jul 44	Manapepe, Kauai, TH
KIYOSHI SAGAWA	30100491	Pfc	Co C, 100th Bn, 442d Inf	Castellina, Italy	7 Jul 44	Kohala, Hawaii.
TORAO MORI	30102105	Pfc	Co A, 100th Bn, 442d Inf	Castellina, Italy	9 Jul 44	Lihue, Kauai,
JAMES K. KOMATSU	30102438	Pfc	Co B, 100th Bn, 442d Inf	Castellina, Italy	8 Jul 44	Honolulu Hawaii.
MASATO E. KUTAKA	30106230	Pfc	Co A, 100th Bn, 442d Inf	Anzio, Italy	20 Apr 44	Waimea, Maui, TH
KAZUO NUNAMOTO	39165036	Tec 5	Med Det, 442d Inf	Luciana, Italy	16 Jul 44	Rohwer, Arkansas
KOSUKE D. SHIMABUKU	30101293	Sgt	Co D, 100th Bn, 442d Inf	Anzio, Italy	20 Apr 44	Paia, Maui, TH
RONALD K. TAKARA	30102047	Sgt	Co B, 100th Bn, 442d Inf	Castellina, Italy	17 Jul 44	Honolulu Hawaii.
HARRY M. NISHIMURA	30100241	S Sgt	Co B, 100th Bn 442d Inf	Castellina Italy	7 Jul 44	Waipio, T.H.

AWARD OF BRONZE STAR (SEC I, GO NO. 124, HQ 34TH INF DIV, 5 NOV 44 (Cont'd))

YASUMI K. YONEMURA (30102752), Staff Sergeant, Infantry, Company K, 442d Inf Regt. For heroic achievement in action on 16 July 1944, in the vicinity of Luciana, Italy. Entered military service from Kealahou, Kona, Territory of Hawaii.

AWARD OF THE OAK LEAF CLUSTER FOR THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL (SEC II, GO 124, HQ 34TH INF DIV, 5 NOV 44).

GENICHI MASUMOTOYA (30101937), Technician Fifth Grade (then Private First Class, Medical Department, Medical Detachment, 100th Infantry Battalion, 442d Infantry Regiment. For heroic achievement in action on 29 September 1943, in the vicinity of Montemarano, Italy. Entered military service from Honolulu, Oahu, Hawaii.

DIVISION CITATIONS (SEC III, GO NO. 124, HQ 34TH INFANTRY DIVISION, 5 NOV 44).

NAME	ASN	RANK	ORGN	FOR MERITORIOUS CONDUCT IN ACTION	DATE	HOME ADDRESS
HARUO TAKEI	39918177	Pvt	Co A, 100th Bn, 442d Inf	Castellina, Italy.	9 Jul 44	Alturas, Calif.
KIYOSHI SEKIMOTO	30103938	Pvt	Co K, 442d Inf	Luciana, Italy	16 Jul 44	Hilo, Hawaii.
HARRY T. NAKABE	37705943	Pfc	Co K, 442d Inf	Luciana, Italy	16 Jul 44	Amache, Colorado.
HENRY H. SHIBATA	39919545	Pfc	Co K, 442d Inf	Luciana, Italy	16 Jul 44	Poston, Arizona.
HIDEO SHIGETA	30103715	Pfc	Co A, 100th Bn, 442d Inf	Castellina, Italy	9 Jul 44	Paia, Maui, Hawaii.
KAICHI IGAWA	30106088	Pfc	Co A, 100th Bn, 442d Inf	Castellina, Italy	9 Jul 44	Wailuku, Maui, TH.
HARRY H. KAMIKAWA	30104450	Sgt	Co A, 100th Bn, 442d Inf	Coloniale, Italy	22 Jul 44	Honolulu, Hawaii
YUKIO ABE	20014071	S Sgt	Co K, 442d Inf	Pastina, Italy	11 Jul 44	Keahua, Maui, TH.
TAKESHI AOYAGI	30104428	S Sgt	Co E, 442d Inf	Castellina, Italy	6 Jul 44	Kealia, Kona, TH.
THOMAS FLOURDE	O-1304942	1st Lt	Co D, 100th Bn, 442d Inf	Pastina, Italy	11 Jul 44	Lewiston, Maine.

DIVISION CITATION (POSTHUMOUS) (SEC IV, GO NO. 124, HQ 34TH INF DIV, 5 NOV 44).

TOSHIO T. MURAKAMI (30103084), Staff Sergeant, Infantry, Company "A", 100th Infantry Battalion, 442d Infantry Regiment. For exceptionally meritorious conduct on 9 July 1944, in the vicinity of Castellina, Italy. Entered military service from Wailuku, Maui, Territory of Hawaii. Next of kin: Mr. Jimmie Murakami (Brother), PO Box 686, Wailuku, Maui, Territory of Hawaii.

DIVISION CITATION (SEC III, GO NO. 135, HQ 34TH INF DIV, 20 NOV 44).

RICHARD I FUKANO (39001911), Private, Medical Department, Medical Detachment, 442d Infantry Regiment. For exceptionally meritorious conduct on 16 July 1944, in Italy. Home address: Scottsburg, Indiana.

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