HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY Office of the Military Personnel Officer 614th Tank Destroyer Battalion APO 758, c/o PM, New York, NY

10 January 19h5

Mrs Blanche L. Sturkey, 540 Algers Street, Detroit, Mich.

Dear Mrs Sturkey,

Inclosed herewith please find an honorable discharge certificate pertaining to your husband who was discharged from the service under the provisions of Section I, Army Regulations Number 615-360, to accept an appointment to the grade of second lieutenant, field artillery.

It is requested that you will kindly place the discharge certificate in a place of safe-keeping until such time when your husband will return to the states. It is very important that care be exercised to keep the discharge certificate.

Second Lieutenant STURKEY is in the best of health and is at this time doing duty with his former platoon in this organization, as the platoon leader of the platoon.

In passing, it is requested that you will kindly accept our best wishes for your health, happiness, and prosperity during the run of the entire span of the year and in the years to come. It is the wish of each and everyone that this year will find all soldiers who are over-seas safely at home before the year is over.

I am

VERY truly yours,

WO-JG, USA

Military Personnel Officer