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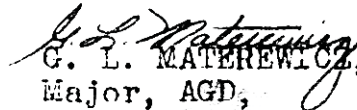
SUBJECT: Award of Bronze Star.

TO : Commanding Officer, 899th Tank Destroyer Battalion,
APO 230, U S Army.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Bronze Star is awarded to:

CHESTER E. CARRIER, Staff Sergeant, 20756552, 899th Tank Destroyer Battalion, who distinguished himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy during the period 1 January 1945 to 31 March 1945 in the European Theater of Operations. Throughout this period, Sgt. Carrier performed his duties as platoon Sergeant of the Reconnaissance Platoon in an outstanding manner. Displaying expert judgement, superior tactical knowledge and excellent leadership ability, he contributed materially to the successful operations of his unit during this period. His ability to gain vital information relevant to his unit's operation was consistently outstanding. Sgt. Carrier's aggressive initiative and devotion to duty were, at all times, a credit to himself and to the armed forces of the United States. Entered military service from Arkansas.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL CRAIG:


G. L. MATEREWICZ,
Major, AGD,
Acting Adjutant General.

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