



THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

TO ALL WHO SHALL SEE THESE PRESENTS, GREETING:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT
THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
PURSUANT TO AUTHORITY VESTED IN HIM BY CONGRESS
HAS AWARDED THE

PURPLE HEART

ESTABLISHED BY GENERAL GEORGE WASHINGTON
AT NEWBURGH, NEW YORK, AUGUST 7, 1782
TO

Private First Class Louis C. Schwender, A.S.No. 35133724,

FOR MILITARY MERIT AND FOR WOUNDS RECEIVED
IN ACTION

resulting in his death November 29, 1944.

OFFICIAL:

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND IN THE CITY OF WASHINGTON

THIS 13th DAY OF February 1945

A blue ink signature, likely of the official, is written over a horizontal line.

A blue ink signature of Henry L. Stimson is written over a horizontal line.

SECRETARY OF WAR