

OFFICE OF THE AMERICAN PROVOST MARSHAL
HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND
A. P. O. #534, U. S. ARMY

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15 September 1945

SUBJECT: Conduct of Japanese-American Soldiers.

THROUGH: Commanding General, Peninsular Base Section, APO #782,
U.S. Army.

TO : Commanding General, Mediterranean Theater of Operations,
United States Army, APO #512, U.S. Army.

1. It is the desire of this office to express its deepest appreciation to the officers and men of the Japanese-American Units serving in the Mediterranean Theater for their splendid conduct during the Italian Campaign. This officer has, for the past 15 months, been Provost Marshal of the cities of Rome and Florence. During that entire time, a delinquency report has as yet to come across my desk on these fine soldiers. Their combat record is one for which only the greatest admiration can be expressed. In the areas behind the lines when on leave or rest, they have conducted themselves in a manner reflecting credit upon the highest traditions of the service. Their appearance, courtesy, and personal actions as soldiers have been superior. It is with a feeling of pride that I look over the record of these young Americans. For a job well done in the service of their country, the thanks of this office.

/s/ Dan S. McMillin
/t/ DAN S. McMILLIN
Lt. Col., Cavalry
Provost Marshal

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HEADQUARTERS PENINSULAR BASE SECTION, APO 782, U. S. Army, 21 Sept 45.

TO: Commanding General, MTOUSA, APO 512, U. S. Army.

I concur fully in the statements made in basic communication. The conduct, military bearing and attention to duty of both officers and enlisted personnel of these units have been exemplary during the entire period in which the units have been stationed within PBS territory or have been under my command.

/s/ Francis H. Oxx
/t/ FRANCIS H. OXX
Brigadier General
Commanding

Basic: Ltr Hq Off of the American Provost Marshall, Subject: Conduct of Japanese-American Soldiers", dated 15 Sept 45.

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Hq MTOUSA, APO 512, U. S. Army, 30 September 1945

TO: Commanding Officer, 442d Infantry Regiment

I am pleased to add my commendation and praise to the officers and men of Japanese-American Units in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations for their exemplary military conduct.

/s/ Joseph T. McNarney
/t/ JOSEPH T. MCNARNEY
General, USA
Commanding

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HEADQUARTERS 442D REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM, APO 782, US Army, 10 Oct 45.

To: All Organizations, 442d Regimental Combat Team.

I have noted with pride and satisfaction the contents of the basic communication from the Provost Marshal, Headquarters Florence Area Command and the indorsements of the Commanding General, Peninsular Base Section, and Commanding General, MTOUSA. May I add my appreciation for your excellent conduct and the record you have made for the 442d combat Team.

/s/ V. R. Miller
/t/ V. R. MILLER
Colonel, Infantry,
Commanding.