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AWARD OF THE SILVER STAR (POSTHUMOUS)---By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved 9 July 1918 (WD Bul 43, 1918), and pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, the Silver Star for gallantry in action is awarded posthumously to the following named enlisted men:

Corporal DONALD D CALDWELL RA17207900, Infantry, United States Army, Company C, 8th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division, for gallantry in action against the enemy on 9 October 1950 near Kaesong, Korea. After Company C had been assigned the mission of forcing a crossing of the 38th Parallel, the attacking elements were pinned down by a hail of automatic weapons and small arms fire, delivered by an enemy who occupied well fortified positions on commanding terrain. Corporal CALDWELL, quickly evaluating the precarious situation, inched his way forward, under blazing small arms fire, to search for an advantageous firing position for his automatic riflemen, whose accurate fire at that moment was a critical necessity. Heedless of the heavy fire striking the ground around him, Corporal CALDWELL located a desirable firing position and signalled his automatic riflemen. At the same instant he was shot and killed instantly. As a result of Corporal CALDWELL's intrepid devotion to duty and supreme sacrifice, effective automatic fire was delivered from the appointed position and forced the enemy to withdraw. His extreme gallantry denotes the highest credit on himself and the military service. Entered federal service from Iowa.

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Private MILFORD N ROWLAND RA13329352, Infantry, United States Army, Company G, 7th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division, for gallantry in action against the enemy on 17 September 1950 near Taegu, Korea. While Private ROWLAND was advancing with his unit against a strongly fortified enemy position, devastating fire from a concealed machine gun raked the area and brought the attack to a sudden halt. Private ROWLAND, detecting the hostile emplacement and realizing that unless the strongpoint was quickly neutralized the assault was doomed to failure, rose from his position of cover and dauntlessly charged the chattering enemy gun. Blazing fire from a surprised foe met the onslaught of this intrepid soldier, grievously wounding him. Imbued with a heroism that knew no bounds, Private ROWLAND called upon his fast ebbing strength to hold him erect. Firing his rifle from the hip with deadly accuracy, he killed two of the North Korean gunners and stopped the operation of the death spitting weapon. Private ROWLAND's

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