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ABSTRACT

War Department, United States Army (USA)
Army Research Branch, Information and
Education Division. The American Soldier
Series: "Enlisted Men Combat Veterans" (S-100
A/G; April 1944). [machine-readable data
file]/ Collected by the Army Research
Branch: the Roper Center [producer] 1977; the
National Archives and Records Administration
(NARA) [distributor]

PROVENANCE: One in a series of empirical studies converted to
     tape from punch cards by the Roper Center in 1977. The
     data and documentation are copies, created from data
     collected by the Army Research Branch between 1942-
     1955. Due to factors such as age and military
     reorganizations, the records are no longer complete.

TYPE OF FILE: Microdata with numeric codes. Units of observation
     are enlisted men from several different infantry
     divisions in the European, India-Burma, Italian and
     Southern Pacific theaters.

UNIVERSE DESCRIPTION: Enlisted men of the 27th, 43rd, 7th, 9th,
     25th, 34th, 45th, 36th, 13th, 18th Divisions and the
     71st F.A. Brigades.

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE: European, India-Burma, Italian and Southern
     Pacific theaters of war.

SUBJECT MATTER DESCRIPTION: A study to collect data on enlisted
     mens'opinions and attitudes toward promotion policies,
     faith in leadership, combat, other branches, supplies
     and equipment, the home front, training, enemies,
     postwar world, physical and mental stress, decorations
     and esprit d'corps. The study was conducted for the
     purpose of supplying data to the War Department to
     supplement Report B-81, "What the Front Line Soldier
     Thinks."

     Seven samples were drawn from the various units which
     experienced combat in any of the theaters mentioned
     above. Scores developed for the study include neurotic
     prognostic, neuropsychiatric, psychoneurotic, fear in
     battle, and hosomatic symptoms scores.

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION:

FILE STRUCTURE: fixed length, non-hierarchical.
FILE SIZE: 8266 total cases - The sample breakdown is
as follows:
S-100A - 1147 total cases, 3 card image records/case
S-100B - 2095 total cases, 3 card image records/case
S-100C - 858 total cases, 2 card image records/case
S-100D - 1297 total cases, 2 card image records/case
S-100E - 1980 total cases, 2 card image records/case
S-100F - 643 total cases, 2 card image records/case
S-100G - 246 total cases, 2 card image records/case

SORT SEQUENCE   arranged by card number, thereunder by
    survey number, thereunder by ballot number
    (last is a Roper Center designation).

RELATED REFERENCE MATERIALS: See NARA general documentation for
    the American Soldier Series.

RELATED PUBLICATIONS: See list of related publications and
    agency documentation described in the NARA general
    documentation folder for the American Soldier Series.

    See specifically, Report B-81, "What the Front Line
    Soldier Thinks," in RG 330, Records of the Office of
    the Secretary of Defense, Entry-94, Research Reports.

RELATED MACHINE-READABLE MATERIALS: See the list of "Army
    Research Surveys (1942-1945) Available in Machine-
    readable Format at the National Archives" in the NARA
    general documentation folder for the American Soldier
    Series.

    See specifically, S-101 B/F "Officer Combat Veterans"

DESCRIPTORS: WORLD WAR II, US ARMY (MORALE, TRAINING,
    ORIENTATION, ADJUSTMENT, IDENTIFICATION WITH, ENLISTED
    MEN, OFFICERS), EQUIPMENT, HOME FRONT, ENEMIES,
    DECORATIONS AND PROMOTIONS, POSTWAR WORLD, ESPRIT
    D'CORPS, TROOP INFORMATION, "STARS 'N STRIPES", COMBAT
    AND CHILDHOOD STRESS, BRANCH OF SERVICE.

FILE AVAILABILITY: This file is currently available from:

The Center for Electronic Records (NNX)
National Archives
Washington, D.C. 20408
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OFFICER COMBAT VETERANS, 1st & 9th INF DIV

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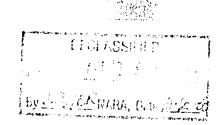
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S-100 & S-101
Identification

S-100 ... Enlisted Men
S-101 ... Officers

S-100A-34th, 45th, 36th Div; 13th, 18th, 71st F. A. Brigades
(See S-100A schedule)
S-100B - 25th Division (see S-100 schedule)
S-100C-9th Division (see ES#23)
S-100D - 7th Division (see S-100 schedule)
S-100E - 43rd Division (see S-100 schedule)
S-100F - 27th Division (see S-100 schedule)

S-101A (not studied)
S-101B - 25th Division (see S-101 schedule)
S-101C - 1st and 9th Divisions (see ES #22)
S-101D - 7th Division (see S-101 schedule)*
S-101E - 43rd Division (see S-101 schedule)
S-101F - 27th Division (see S-101 schedule)*

"amphibious" used instead of "jungle" in Q.41

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VALIDATION NOTES

(ENLISTED MEN COMBAT VETERANS)

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(AMS100X.CDBK) containing the documentation and one containing
the raw data for that version (AMS100X.CLEAN). Marginals are
available on the documentation datasets.

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number. Otherwise the data and documentation look all right with
hand validation.

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AMS100C.CLEAN   (AMS100C.CDBK)
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