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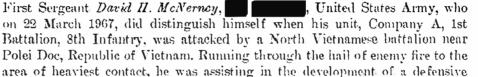




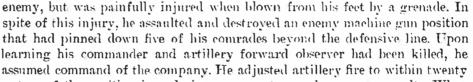
By direction of the President, under the Joint Resolution of Congress approved 12 July 1862 (amended by act of 3 March 1863, act of 9 July 1918 and act of 25 July 1963), the Medal of Honor for conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity at the risk of life above and beyond the call of duty is awarded by the Department of the Army in the name of Congress to: First Sergeant David II. McNerncy,

perimeter when he encountered several enemy at close range. He killed the

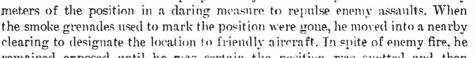




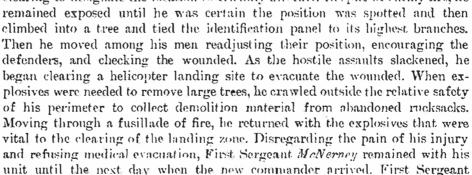












McNerney's outstanding heroism and leadership were inspirational to his comrades. His actions were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army. (This award supersedes award of the Silver Star to First Sergeant McNerney for gallantry in action on 22 March 1967 as announced in General Orders Num-









ber 1818, Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, dated 9 Jul 1967.)





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By Order of the Secretary of the Army:

W. C. WESTMORELAND, General, United States Army, Chief of Staff.

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KENNETH G. WICKHAM, Major General, United States Army, The Adjutant General.

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