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C O P Y

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY  
Office of the Commanding General  
A. P. O. #464, U. S. Army

10 November 1943

SUBJECT: Commendation.

TO : Colonel Richard B. Dunbar, Commanding Officer, 343rd Engineer  
General Service Regiment, A.P.O. #464, U. S. Army.

1. The 343rd Engineer General Service Regiment under your energetic command has demonstrated great resourcefulness, skill and devotion to duty in the accomplishment of engineering operations vital to the advance of the Fifth Army. The two major bridges constructed across the VOLTURNO at Pte ANNIBALE and CAPUA are particularly worthy of commendation.

2. It gives me real pleasure to commend you personally and your regiment for past services, and to express my complete confidence that the 343rd Engineers will continue to reflect honor upon itself, the Corps of Engineers, and the Fifth Army.

3. I desire that this letter be brought to the attention of all members of your command.

/s/ MARK W. CLARK  
MARK W. CLARK  
Lieutenant General, USA.  
Commanding