

JOHN P. KEHOE, 01824037, First Lieutenant, 636th Tank Destroyer Battalion, for gallantry in action on 3 February 1945 in the vicinity of Rohrwiller, France. When enemy tanks opened fire with machine guns and cannons on a house 300 yards from his observation post, Lieutenant Kahoe courageously ran to the building and made two trips under intense fire to carry seriously wounded soldiers to safety. After summoning a jeep to evacuate the casualties, he directed fire of his platoon of tank destroyers on the enemy tanks and infantry. As a result of his heroic actions, an enemy tank was destroyed and the friendly forces were materially aided in their successful defense of the position. Entered the Service from New York, New York.