

Becker, Joseph L.
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New York

GOLD STAR MOTHERS PILGRIMAGE

S.S. ROOSEVELT, MAY 27, 1931

Monroe County

Name: Mrs. Flora Becker (D-24)

Address: 75 Herald St., Rochester, N.Y.

Route: New York Central R.R. to New York, N.Y.

Desires stopover at New York City on return trip

Lv. Rochester Train No. 58	9.30 A.M., May 25
Ar. New York (Grand Central Terminal)	6.40 P.M., May 25

Accommodations: → Parlor Car Seat from Rochester, N.Y. to New York, N.Y.

Elapsed Time: 9 Hours 10 Minutes

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~~Entered on list~~

France

Becker, Joseph L.

Pvt., Co. M, 365th Inf.

Died April 26, 1918, Amexforce,
of lobar pneumonia

Emergency address: Florence Becker,
mother, 75 Herold St., Rochester,
N.Y.

A.G.O. 5/15/18

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Write nothing below this line.

Becker, Joseph L.

Itinerary of Party "D" - Sailed May 27, 1931
on PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

Capt. C. F. O'Keefe and Lt. G. F. R. Taylor in charge. Arrived Cherbourg 12.30pm June 4th. Train left for Paris at 3.15pm. Arrived 9.20pm. Met by Officer in Charge and his staff.

- June 5th. Morning free. Lunch at hotel. Ceremony at Arc de Triomphe in afternoon. Tea and reception at Restaurant Laurent. Dinner at hotel.
- June 6th. Left Paris 7.15am for Verdun via Porte de Pantin, Montmirail (rest stop Hotel Vert Gallant), Chalons s/Marne (lunch Haute Mere Dieu). Arrived Verdun 5.45pm.
- June 7th. Free or Church. Lunch at hotel. Visited Montsec in afternoon. Dinner at hotel.
- June 8th. Morning: Verdun to Romagne via Montfaucon. Lunch at Romagne. Afternoon: Romagne to Verdun via Brioules, west bank of Meuse River to Consenvoye, Fort Douaumont, Trench of Bayonets Ossuary Loop.
- June 9th. Left Verdun 7.30am for Paris via St. Menehould (rest stop Modern Hotel), Suipees, Reims (lunch Hotel Bristol Crystal), Chateau Thierry. Arrived Paris 7.45pm. Dinner at hotel.
- June 10th. Morning free. Lunch at hotel. Versailles. Dinner at hotel.
- June 11th. Free or shopping. Lunch at hotel. Departed for Suresnes Cemetery.
- June 12th. Colonial Exposition. Lunch at hotel. Louvre. Dinner at hotel.
- June 13th. Notre Dame. Lunch at hotel. Napoleon's Tomb. Dinner at hotel.
- June 14th. Paris to London. Special train at Gare des Invalides. Route: Paris-Dieppe-New Haven-London. Crossed channel on "WORTHING". Arrived Victoria Station, London, at 7.05pm.
- June 15th. Sightseeing in London, The Tower of London and St. Paul's Cathedral. Lunch at hotel. Richmond and Hampton Court. Tea at Hampton Court. Dinner at hotel.
- June 16th. Visited Brookwood Cemetery in morning. Lunch at Bisley. Returned to London. Tea at Staines.
- June 17th. Westminster Abbey. Sightseeing. Lunch at hotel. Free or shopping.
- June 18th. Entrained for Southampton at Waterloo Station. Arrived Cherbourg 5.52pm. Sailed for U. S. at 7.15pm. Arrived New York June 26th.

Becker, Joseph L.

WAR DEPARTMENT
PILGRIMAGE WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS
225 West 34th. St. New York, N.Y.

Party "D".....

Number ... 381.....

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATIONS.

...Becker, Mrs. Flora.....
Name of Pilgrim

75 Herald St.....
City Home Address County

Rochester, N. Y.....
State

Actual cost of
Through Pullman at the
Lower Berth Rate.

New York, to Rochester, N. Y.

Destination of Ticket ..Rochester, N. Y.....

\$..... 2.78
375 Pull

viaN.Y.C..to.Rochester.....

August 2, 1931

Date of Departure

Expiration Date of Ticket

	Road	Tr. No.	Date	Time	Lower Seat or Coach	Car	U.S.G. Order No.	Actual Cost
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Stop OverNew York City.....

Through Rate

Excess

Mrs. Flora Becker

D - 24

New York City

N.Y.C.



Becker, Mrs. Flora.

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PARTY *D* FILE NO. *301*

NAME *Becker, Mrs. Flora*
75 Herald St.
Rochester N.Y.

ROUTE OF TICKET

Nyc to *Rochester*

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Expiration date *Aug - 2 - 31*

The following stop overs are requested.

New York City

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(Signature of Pilgrim)

PILGRIMAGE OF WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS

GENERAL RELEASE

File D 381

Mrs. Flora Becker

Address Rochester

Released in New York.

To Anna Wick

Address 344 - 9th St.
Bklyn.

RECEIVED RAILROAD AND PULLMAN TICKET

J. Howard Lusk

1 Am - 6/27

Name BECKER, Mrs Flora

Paris Hôtel ~~HOTEL AMBASSADOR~~ **HOTEL COMMODORE** In London: Baileys Hotel
..... **BOULEVARD HAUSSMANN** BOULEVARD HAUSSMANN

Home address 75 Herald St., Rochester, Monroe County, New York.

Party D Group Unit SS. PRES. ROOSEVELT

Date of arrival June 4, 1931 ^{WIFE} Date of departure SS. GEO. WASHINGTON, June 18, 1931

Relationship Mother (62)

Name of deceased BECKER, Joseph L.

Rank Pvt Organization 77th Div., 306th Inf.

Cemetery ARMY SEA BURIAL.

REMARKS



Mrs. Flora Becker
75 Herald St.
Rochester, N. Y.

PARTY "D"
May 13th, 1931

Dear Madam:

There are enclosed herewith two tags and four identification pasters which have been prepared for the purpose of protecting your baggage while in transit, and to insure its safe arrival at the hotel where you are to stop in New York City. Please attach the tags to the handle of each piece of your baggage and place a paster on each end of each piece of your baggage before leaving your home.

Upon your arrival in New York City, you will be met at the railroad station by an Army Officer who will be in uniform. During your sojourn in New York before sailing for Europe, and upon your return from Europe, you will stop at the Hotel McAlpin, Broadway and 34th Street, New York City.

All mail intended to reach you between May 27th, 1931, the day you sail from the United States, and June 16th, 1931, the day you leave Europe, should be addressed to you in care of American Pilgrimage, 146 Avenue des Champs Elysees, Paris, France; for example:

Mrs. Mary Smith,
c/o American Pilgrimage,
146 Avenue des Champs Elysees,
Paris, France.

2 bags

In making reservations for your journey home from New York City, it is necessary for this office to furnish the railroads with the exact time and date of your departure. The party you are to travel with will be disbanded in New York City on the day following your return from Europe and all arrangements for your accommodations will be made with the railroads by this office accordingly. Upon your return from Europe, it will therefore be necessary for you to remain in the hotel over night as a guest of the United States Government.

There is also enclosed herewith information relative to the cemeteries in Europe.

Very truly yours,

George F. R. Taylor

GEORGE F. R. TAYLOR,
1st Lieut. C.M.C. (DOL)

7 Incl;
2 Baggage Tags
4 Baggage Pastors
1 Copy Cemeterial Information

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Becker</i>	<i>Bee</i>	3	253
BURIED	CEMETERY	1	
	GRAVE	2	
	ROW	2	
	BLOCK	1	
C 15972			
STATE	<i>N.Y.</i>	2	37
RANK	<i>Pvt.</i>	1	2
DIVISION	<i>77</i>	2	77
ORGANIZATION	<i>306</i>	3	306
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	1
MARITAL	<i>no</i>	1	2
NAME <i>Becker</i>	<i>Bee</i>	3	253
<i>Mrs Clara</i>	STATE <i>N.Y.</i>	2	37
	COUNTY <i>Monroe</i>	2	28
	CITY <i>Rochester</i>	3	127
75 Herald St.			
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>yes</i>	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	<i>yes</i>	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	<i>Good</i>	1	1
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR. <i>1931</i>	1	2
ACCEPTANCE 29/514/	<i>yes</i>	1	031
<i>Age</i>			62

Audited
NOV 20 1931
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MEDICAL RECORD

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Party: D Hotel **McALPIN** S. S. ROOSEVELT WASHINGTON Eastbound Westbound

Name Becker, Mrs. Flora (Private Joseph L. Becker)

Home Address 75 Herald Street, Rochester, New York.

Name and address of nearest relative or friend Mr. Edward Becker, 75 Herald St.,
Rochester, N. Y.

Religion Age 62-M

History of present complaint:

INSTRUCTIONS: This card will be prepared for each Pilgrim treated on ship, east or west bound. Cards to be included in report of Liaison Officer upon return to New York.

NAME *Becker, Mrs. Flora*ADDRESS *75 Herald St., Rochester, N.Y.*DATE *7/3/31*TO: Officer-In-Charge,
 PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

I beg to inform you that I have returned to my
home safely and in good health.

Sincerely,

(Signed) *Flora Becker*

WAR DEPARTMENT

Q. M. CORPS, PILGRIMAGE,

WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS, N. Y. C.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS



Penalty for private use to avoid
payment of postage, \$300.

PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS
225 WEST 34TH STREET,
NEW YORK, N. Y.

PARTY

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EASTBOUND

STATE

NEW YORK

GROUP

ASB

Mrs. Becker, Mrs. Flora Address 75 Herald Street, Rochester,
 (Name of Pilgrim) (Street & No.) (City or Town)
New York Monroe County
 (State) (County)

Mr. Edward Becker Address 75 Herald St. Rochester
 (Name of Nearest Kin) (Street & No.) (City or Town)
New York Monroe
 (State) (County)

ARRIVAL NEW YORK

VIA. R.R. N.Y. Central Train No. #58 Date May 25, 1931 6:40 P. M.
 Hotel Mc Alpin Room No. 1568
 Roomed with Mrs. Mary Roberts

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

Date MAY 27, 1931 Vessel ROOSEVELT Cabin No. 206-A
 In Cabin with ~~Mrs Bessie Katz~~ Mrs. Susan B. Graves
 (Over Westbound)

Desires Stopover-New York City.

WESTBOUND
ARRIVAL NEW YORK

Date June 26, 1931 Vessel Washington Cabin No. 169-A
In Cabin with Mrs. Bessie Katz
Hotel Mc Alpin Room No. 1463
Roomed with Alone

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

New York City Stop Over

VIA. R.R. Train No. Space Car No. Date

REMARKS

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Over Eastbound)

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RETURN RECEIPT

A. S. B

~~S. S. Messert~~ 5-27-31

Received from the Postmaster the Registered or Insured Article, the original number of which appears on the face of this Card.

Flora Sankin

(Signature or name of addressee)

(Signature of addressee's agent)

Date of delivery

5 / 4 , 1931

Form 3811

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1929

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Becker J. S.

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RETURN RECEIPT

W.S.B.

S.S. Russell 5/27/31

Received from the Postmaster the Registered or Insured Article, the original number of which appears on the face of this Card.

Flora Lumber

(Signature or name of addressee)

(Signature of addressee's agent)

Date of delivery *5/27*, 19*31*

Form 3811

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1929

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Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 924244

INSURED PARCEL N. Y.



PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE
TO AVOID PAYMENT OF
POSTAGE, \$300.

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING
OFFICE

No. _____

Return to Q. M. GENERAL

(NAME OF SENDER)

Street and Number,
or Post Office Box, MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON,

D. C.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Becker, Joseph L. ASB

May 6, 1931

Mrs. Flora Becker,
75 Herald St.,
Rochester, N.Y.

Dear Madam:

Arrangements have been completed for your transportation to New York City on your pilgrimage to the American Cemeteries in Europe. One week before your departure the railroad ticket agent, of the first road shown below, will deliver your railroad and pullman ticket to you. Your route to New York will be as follows:

Lv. Rochester	NYC	Train No. 58	9.30 A.M.	May 25
Ar. New York	"	" " (Grand Central Terminal)	6.40 P.M.	May 25

Accommodations: Parlor Car Seat from Rochester, N.Y. to New York, N.Y.

All railroad employees have been instructed by their officials to see that you are shown every courtesy and given assistance, particularly at points where it is necessary to change cars.

Should you not receive your ticket six days before the date shown for your departure please take up at once with the ticket agent and if he does not have your ticket, telegraph this office, collect, to that effect.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Becker, Joseph L. Pvt. (ASB) M

April 30, 1951.

Mrs. Flora Becker,
75 Herald St.,
Rochester, N. Y.

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith Check No. 609,687 in the amount of \$ 5.00, to pay for your meals and incidental expenses from your home to New York on the pilgrimage authorized by the Act of March 2, 1929.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES MUST THIS CHECK BE CASHED AND USED FOR ANY PURPOSE OTHER THAN THAT SPECIFIED.

If for any reason, you are not able to sail on the date mentioned in your invitation, the check must be returned to this office immediately.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

1 Incl.
Check No.

QM 293 A-M
Becker, Jos. L. ASS

February 5, 1931.

Mrs. Flora Becker,
75 Herald Street,
Rochester, New York.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your request for a stopover at New York City on your return from the pilgrimage to the American Cemeteries in Europe, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

Arrangements will be made for this stopover without additional cost for either rail or pullman transportation, however all expenses incurred by you, due to the additional time in New York, must, of course, be paid from personal funds.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q.M. Corps,
Assistant.

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IF YOU DESIRE STOPOVER ON YOUR RETURN FROM EUROPE PLEASE READ CAREFULLY THE PARAGRAPH, "STOPOVERS IN THE UNITED STATES", ON PAGE 3 OF THE ENCLOSED LETTER OF INSTRUCTIONS, FILL IN THE FORM BELOW AND RETURN IT TO THIS OFFICE.

*acc Roosevelt
May 27*

Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

Becker, Mrs. Flora 75 Herald St. Rochester,
Monroe Co., N. Y.
Becker, Jos. L. ASB

Sir:

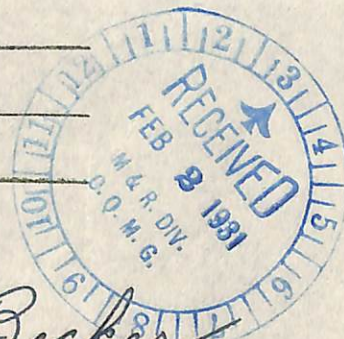
On my return from the pilgrimage to American Cemeteries in Europe, I desire to stop over at the point, or points, listed below, for the number of days shown after the name of the town. If these stopovers will cause me any expense I am to be advised of the amount and may then withdraw this request if I so desire.

Cities where I desire to stopover:	No. of days	
<u>New York</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Hotel</u>
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Very truly yours,

Mrs. Flora Becker
(Your name)

75 Herald St.
(Your address)



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

PLEASE FILL IN THE INFORMATION CALLED FOR BELOW,
AND MAIL THIS LETTER PROMPTLY IN THE ENCLOSED
ENVELOPE WHICH REQUIRES NO POSTAGE.

Becker, Mrs. Flora 75 Herald St. Rochester,
Monroe Co., N. Y.
Becker, Jos. L. ASB

Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

In the blank space below you will find
the name and address of the person in the United
States whom I desire to be notified in case I be-
come seriously ill or other emergency arises while
I am making the pilgrimage to Europe authorized by
the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929.

Mr. Edward Becker
Name

75 Herald St.
Address



Very truly yours,

(Your name) Mrs. Flora Becker
(Your address) 75 Herald St.

Roosevelt

5-27-31

ASB

Becker, Jos. L.

I accept the invitation extended
(Accept or ~~decline~~)
me to make a pilgrimage to Europe at the expense of
the Government of the United States under the pro-
visions of the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929.

Mrs. Flora Becker

(Name)

75 Herald St., Rochester, Monroe Co., New York.

(Town or City)

(State)

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Becker, Joseph L. Pvt ASB M

August 11, 1930

Mrs. Flora Becker
75 Herald Street,
Rochester, New York

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, together with an amendment thereto, approved May 15, 1930.

The records of this office show that you are the _____ of the deceased veteran named above and in order that plans may be completed for conducting the pilgrimages, it is requested you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?

Yes

2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1931?

Yes

3. Please give your age and state your health.

Age *62*
Condition of Health *Good*

4. Do you speak English?

Yes

5. What other language do you speak?

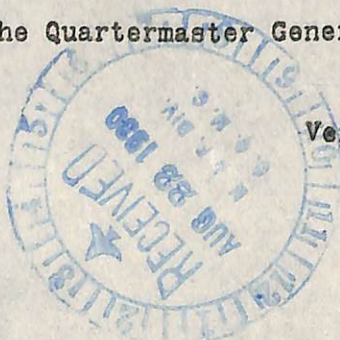
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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

A. D. Hughes
A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Becker, Jos. L. - U-ASB M

July 8, 1930.

Handled

Mrs. Flora Becker,
75 Herald St.,
Rochester, New York.

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, together with an amendment thereto, approved May 15, 1930.

This office has no record of any person entitled under the Act mentioned to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe as the mother or widow of the above named deceased service man. To complete the list of eligibles and to assure that, if the above named man is survived by a mother or widow entitled to make a pilgrimage she receive an invitation to do so, it is requested you answer the following questions in the space provided on this letter and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother? If so, give her name and address:	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Mrs. Flora Becker 75 Herald St. Rochester N.Y.</i>
2. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not remarried? If so, give her name and address:	<i>No</i>	
3. Is the deceased survived by any woman who stood in loco parentis to him according to the terms of Section 4 (a) of the enclosed Act as amended? If so, give her name and address:	<i>No</i>	

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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RECEIVED
JUL 13 1930
A. D. Hughes

A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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For The Quartermaster General,

89:8 Wd - J. May 1931
Very truly yours,

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Assistant

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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If for any reason, you are not able to sail on
the date mentioned in your invitation, the check must be
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For The Quartermaster General,

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A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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Check No.

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QM 293 A-M
Becker, Jos. L. ASB

February 5, 1931.

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Assistant.

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QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Becker, Joseph L. Pvt ASB M

August 11, 1930

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2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1931?

3. Please give your age and state your health.

4. Do you speak English?

5. What other language do you speak?

Age
Condition of Health

For The Quartermaster General,

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Becker, Jos. L. - U-ASB M

July 8, 1930.

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