

PHILIPPINE PROJECT

SELECT MESSAGES

BECKER

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17 DECEMBER 44

TO : BECKER

FROM : GHQ

SVC NR 3

PLEASE REPLY IMMEDIATELY THROUGH KING ABLE ZEBRA LISTING .
ALL SPARE PARTS AVAILABLE FOR ALL RADIO SETS CMA INCLUDING
ABLE TARE ROGERS PD SMITH TO BECKER PD MESSAGE BEGINS CLN
SVC NUMBER THREE PD.

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16 DECEMBER 1944

TO : BECKER
FROM : GHQ, SWPA

KRM

NR +

YOU ARE TO REPORT TO MAJOR TELESKO IN TACLOBAN RPT
TACLOBAN LEYTE PD SMITH TO BECKER NR ONE PD TURN OVER TO
AGUILA RPT AGUILA ALL FUNDS REMAINING IN YOUR POSSESSION
PD BRING ACCOUNTING FOR FUNDS EXPENDED TO TELESKO PD
INSTRUCT FILIPINO OBSERVER TO CONTINUE WX RPT WX PD MS 9
STARTS CLN

FOR 1611422

Too: 160510/2

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Becker

APO 500
22 November 1944

My dear Becker:

I have just recently learned of the message you endeavored to get through to the Commander in Chief a week or so ago containing obscene language wholly unbecoming an American soldier - to say nothing of a non-commissioned officer. Had I been present at Hollandia at the time that message came through, which fortunately was not written up by the cryptographic section, I should have immediately taken steps to have you broken to the grade of Private and relieved of your responsibility.

As other action however was taken by Major Telesco in my absence I shall not pursue the matter further at this time but in future should you exhibit similar characteristics of obscene and disrespectful language to the Commander in Chief or any superior officer over you, you may be assured of drastic action against you in the premises.

I realize, of course, the difficulties of your present service. All of the men that we have sent forth have been faced with similar difficulties, none others, however, have shown that they could not master such difficulties with the dignity and self control, befitting the American soldier, desired in the discharge of important responsibilities.



Courtney Whitney
Colonel, Air Corps

Sgt William Becker III

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SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHWEST PACIFIC AREA
A.P.O. 500

8 November 1944
(Date) *LAT*

KAP CAMEL

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LAT/wlb
(Office Symbol)

TO: BECKER
FROM: MACARTHUR
NR: *6*

WHEN I SELECTED YOU TO GO ON THIS MISSION PAREN MAJOR TELESCO TO SGT
WILLIAM BECKER THIRD PAREN I EXPECTED YOU TO CONTINUE TO RESPECT MILITARY
COURTESY PD YOU ARE NOT A GUERRILLA BUT A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE COMMANDER IN
CHIEF SWPA AND YOUR MESSAGES ARE READ BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF PD CONFINE YOUR
MESSAGES TO CLEAR CLEAN LANGUAGE PD PARA FOR INFORMATION NO INTERISLAND AIR
WARNING OR WEATHER NET SCHEDULED FOR IMMEDIATE FUTURE PD YOUR PROMOTION TO
SERGEANT WAS EFFECTED IN JUNE PD WE TOO WOULD LIKE TO GO HOME PD KEEP PLUGGING
AND GOOD LUCK PD GRID MESSAGE FOLLOWS

*Response to msg.
that was not published.
Latter of insubordination
and criticism
for Major Telesco
C.L.*

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHWEST PACIFIC AREA
A.F.O. 500

10 August 1944

(Date)

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TO: BECKER

FROM: MACARTHUR

NR: 3

DISCONTINUE SENDING WEATHER TO CAMPAU AND RESUME DIRECT CONTACT WITH KAZ
AS PREVIOUSLY DONE PD CAMPAU HAS BEEN ADVISED PD WE DO NOT DESIRE AT THIS TIME
TO ESTABLISH INTER-ISLAND WEATHER NET PD

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8 August 1944

TO : BECKER
FROM : MACARTHUR
NR : 2

I AM IN RECEIPT OF YOUR MESSAGE OF AUGUST SIXTH COMPLAINING THAT CONTACT BY KAZ WITH YOUR STATION WAS NOT ESTABLISHED ON FOURTH AND FIFTH AND THE MATTER IS UNDER INVESTIGATION BY THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER (GENERAL MACARTHUR TO CORPORAL WILLIAM BECKER THIRD) I UNDERSTAND THE DIFFICULTIES OF YOUR POSITION AND EVERYTHING POSSIBLE WILL BE DONE TO ENSURE PROMPT RECEPTION OF YOUR REPORTS WHICH ARE OF GREAT VALUE, BUT DESIRE THAT IN THE FUTURE PRESENTATION OF SUCH MATTERS YOU ENDEAVOR TO EXERCISE THE PATIENCE AND DISCIPLINED RESTRAINT EXPECTED OF US AS SOLDIERS AND WITHOUT WHICH DUTY CANNOT BE WELL DONE.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHWEST PACIFIC AREA

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(Office)

19 October 1944
(Date)

No. _____

TO: BECKER

FROM: MACARTHUR

NR: /

REFERENCE YOUR NR TWO PD PREFER YOU GIVE GRID COORDINATES OF PETER
OBOE WILLIAM STATION PD UNABLE TO LOCATE WITH INFORMATION YOU GAVE US CMA
YOU PLOTTED THEM AS HOKE HOKE OBOE NAN EASY AND TWO SIX DASH TWO

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHWEST PACIFIC AREA
A.F.O. 500

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27 July 1944
(Date)

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(Office Symbol)

TO: BECKER (KRM)
FROM: GENERAL MACARTHUR
NR: |

CW

PRESENT METHOD OF ENCODING SATISFACTORY PD DISREGARD MESSAGE OF ELEVEN
JULY PD CONTINUE TO SEND OBS ON SYNOPSIS HOURS AS DOING AND SEND SPECIALS
ONLY WHEN ADVERSE CHANGES IN WEATHER OCCUR PD ALL WEATHER TO COME DIRECT
TO KAZ WITH URGENT PRIORITY PD

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From



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20 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER
NR NONE 20 DECEMBER

REFERENCE POINT OF COMMAND POST 225 TO CENTER OF BULAN,
15 TO HIGHEST PEAK OF BENTAKAN MOUNTAIN. 223 DEGREES FROM
COMMAND POST, AA RIGHT IN SABANG SITIO. AA AND CONCRETE
TUNNEL: 232 DEGREES FROM COMMAND POST NORTHEAST OF AND NEAR
AIRFIELD. AA AND TUNNELS BETWEEN 220 DEGREES TO 260 DEGREES
FROM COMMAND POST, NORTH OF AIRFIELD. RELIABLE REPORT OF
SGT NUEVO DECEMBER 16TH.

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TOR: 200647/Z
TYPED: 201230/Z
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20 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER

NR NONE 20 DECEMBER

LOCATION NEW RADIO STATIONS ALBAY DATED 15TH DECEMBER:
NIPA HOUSE BE FOR NAVY CAPTAIN QUARTERS, IN FRONT OF JOE
BETTS HOUSE IN DARAGA. RESIDENCE PEDRO PAYNETA AT ALBAY
PROPER, GI ROOF BUILDING, FIFTH FROM ALBAY EVANGELICAL CHURCH,
RIGHT SIDE NATIONAL ROAD TO LEGASPI. LOCATION OTHER STATIONS
AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED.

TOR: 201635/Z

TYPED: 201220/Z

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19 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER
NO NR 17 DECEMBER

COLONEL COURTNEY WHITNEY, GHQ, SWPA, FROM CAPTAIN
RODOLFO.

PARTY ARRIVED SAFELY AT HEADQUARTERS MAJOR FLOR.

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TOR : 170915/Z
TYPED : 190300/Z
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19 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : BECKER

NR NONE 19 DECEMBER

INFORMATION FROM RELIABLE TRAVELER ARRIVED THIS HEADQUARTERS
FROM MANILA DECEMBER 16TH:

BALES BOXES AMMUNITION UNDER ALL TREES ALONG SIDE TAFT
AVENUE, MANILA. LPDES DRUMS GASOLINE UNDER TREES ALONG SIDE
ISAAC GERAL STREET, MANILA. FROM CALAUAN TO SAN PABLO, LAEANA,
600 TAECSINFELE ALONG ROAD IN PREPARED DUGOUTS. ONE KM NORTH
OF CANDELARIA, TAYABAS, ALL NIPA HOUSES USED AS AMMUNITION
DEPOTS.

TOR: 190148/Z

TYPED: 190530/Z

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19 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER

NR NONE 19 DECEMBER

LEGASPI AIRFIELD:

10TH DECEMBER NO PLANES. RECENT BOMBINGS, RUNWAYS PARTIALLY
RENDERED USELESS, ONLY CAREFUL MANEUVERS CAN PLANES LAND OR
TAKE OFF. DUMMY PLANES STILL AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED.

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TOR: 190450/Z

TYPED : 190540/Z

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18 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : BECKER

NO NR 17 DECEMBER

DECEMBER 11: TWO BARGES WITH 200 NIPS WITH RIFLES, HAND GRENADES, MACHINE GUNS LEFT AT NIGHT FOR LEYTE. MATNOG BASE AREA FOR REINFORCEMENT LEYTE. MATNOG, 14TH DECEMBER: DEFENSE INSTALLATIONS IMPROVED. PILLSBIGO, GADGARAN, SINIBARAN, CABUNGAHAN, AND MANTAED OCCUPIED. COAST ARTILLERY GUNS EMPLACED, ONE AT PAWA, THREE AT SINIBARAN HILLS, TWO MANTAED HILLS. TELEPHONE LINES CONNECT ALL GARRISONS. MACHINE GUN NESTS, FOX HOLES, AND TRENCHES CONSTRUCTED. OUTSKIRTS TOWN PROPER OCCUPIED.

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TOR : 171103/Z

TYPED : 172100/Z

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18 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER
NR NONE 17 DECEMBER

LAUNCHES STRAFFED DECEMBER 11: LAUNCH IN GUBAT PORT
LURCHED NEAR BEACH BARRIO BALOD, GUBAT PROPER. CARGO UN-
LOADED INCLUDING ENGINEERING EQUIPMENT. LAUNCH 100 TON
CAPACITY STRAFFED AT BACACAY SCUTTLED, BURNED BY NIPS, CARGO
UNLOADED. CASUALTIES 25 BOTH LAUNCHES. NIPS IN GUBAT
WHEN RAIDED SEEK SHELTER IN CIVILIAN HOUSES AND CHURCH.

TOR : 170552/Z
TIME TYPED: 180916/Z
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18 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : BECKER

NO NR 18 DECEMBER

LIGAO, ALBAY, DECEMBER 15: NIPS 100 IN TOWN. BARRIO BARAYONG AT SLOPES MT. MASARAGA AROUND 100 IN ABACA PLANTATION OF ONE ALZUA, SUPPLIES AND AMMUNITIONS STORED. GARRISON IN SCHOOL BUILDING AND NEARBY HOUSE. BARRIO BALOGO NIPS 200 AT SCHOOL BUILDING AND NEARBY HOUSES. LIGAO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRESENT SUPPLY DEPOT.

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TOR : 180145/Z

TIME TYPED: 180926/Z

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17 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : BECKER

NR 4 17 DECEMBER

ON HAND AT STATION KRM ARE FOLLOWING SPARE PARTS:
RECEIVER TUBES, FOUR; 6J8, THREE; 6G8, THREE; 6U7.
CONDENSERS: TWO; 25MFD, FIVE; 16MFD, FOUR; 8MFD, TWO;
1MFD. TWO ANTENNA INSULATORS. ONE OCTAL SOCKET, ONE
SOCKET FIVE PRONGS. FOUR RECEIVER VIBRATORS, ONE
TRANSMITTER VIBRATOR. MOTOR TUBES TYPE 807, FOUR;
TYPE 6V6, 14.

TOR : 170635/Z

TYPED : 170919/Z

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17 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : BECKER

NR NONE 17 DECEMBER

COURRIER THIS ORGANIZATION, SGT ALMADIN, LEFT THIS HEADQUARTERS DECEMBER 12TH BOUND TO YOUR HEADQUARTERS WITH INTELLIGENCE REPORTS. LT TAYAG, PRESIDENT QUEZON'S OWN GUERRILLA UNIT WITH HIM, BEARING PAPERS FROM COLONEL UMALI. MAJOR DEKESUS OF GHQ, SWPA, LEFT SAME DATE WITH HIS PARTY, WILL PROCEED DIRECT LEYTE. (C. M. SMITH FROM ESCUDERO)

TOR : 171030/Z

TYPED : 171413/Z

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15 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER
NR NONE 15 DECEMBER

GUBAT, SORSOGON 13 DECEMBER:

NIP LAUNCH AT SIDE PIER STRAFFED, SUNK, CARGOES UNLOADED TO MUNICIPAL BUILDING. LAUNCH LOADS ARMS, AMMUNITION, RICE, TWO ANTI AIRCRAFT GUNS AND TWO GUNS OF UNKNOWN CALIBER. GUBAT TOWN NIPS 24 ARMY AT MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 80 NAVY AT PRIMARY SCHOOL BUILDING IN FRONT MUNICIPAL BUILDING. RADIO STATION ON TOP TREE ABOUT FOUR METERS FROM MUNICIPAL BUILDING. PINUNGMUNAN POINT EVACUATED. LAUNCH AT BACACACAY SUNK 25 NIPS KILLED.

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TOR : 150314/Z
TIME TYPED : 151203/Z
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15 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER

NR NONE 14 DECEMBER

DARAGA, 11TH DECEMBER: STRENGTH 500 UNDER CAPTAIN TANAKA. BARRIO MALABOG 500, BUSAY 150, KULIAT 200, BUDIAO 100, BANAG 150, TAGONGTONG 300, KRISTO 100, KIMANTONG 1000 UNDER MAJOR OLOSTANI, KIDAKO 500, MADAT 100, BONGAL 180. ALL HOUSES ALONG ROAD FROM KULIAT TO DARAGA PROPER OCCUPIED AS QUARTERS AND AMMUNITION DEPOTS. ALL BURNED HOUSES CENTER OF DARAGA PROPER NOW USED AS AMMUNITION DEPOTS, ORIGINAL CONCRETE WALLS REINFORCED, ROOFING REINFORCED CONCRETE 30 INCHES THICK, DECEMBER 7TH BOMBING MISSED DUMP BY AROUND 50 METERS.

TOR : 140447/Z
TYPED : 141801/Z
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15 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER
NONR 15 DECEMBER

LIBOG, ALBAY, DECEMBER 11TH:
2,500 JAPS CONCENTRATED IN TOWN AND SURROUNDING BARRIOS. FROM
LIBOG TO PEDROA FEW PIECES ARTILLERY UNKNOWN CALIBER EMPLACED
CAMOUFLAGED ALONG SLOPE SIUTON. TANK TRAPS AND BARRICADES ALONG
LIBOG-BUGNA BEACH ARE IMPROVED.

TOR: 142338/Z

TYPED: 150652/Z

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15 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER

15 DECEMBER

RAPURAPU ISLAND, ALBAY, DECEMBER 12TH: UNGAY, EAST-
ERN MOST POINT OF RAPURAPU USED AS OBSERVATION POST AND RAD-
IO STATION. NINE NIPS GARRISONED. NO EMPLACEMENT GUNS
REPORTED. FROM ESCODERO.

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TOR : 150215/Z

TYPED : 150600/Z

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15 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER
NR NONE 15 DECEMBER

IROSIN, SORSOGON:

EXACT LOCATION INSTALLATIONS: REFERENCE POINT CATHOLIC CHURCH CONVENT ON TOP HILL. SCHOOL BUILDING NUMBER ONE, QUARTERED 100 NIPS, LOCATION ABOUT 400 METERS FROM AND 30 DEGREES TRUE BEARING NORTHEAST OF CONVENT. SCHOOL BUILDING NUMBER TWO, AMMUNITION DEPOT WITH 200 BOXES AMMUNITION, LOCATION ABOUT 300 METERS FROM AND 24 DEGREES TRUE BEARING NORTHEAST OF CONVENT. FISHPOND BACK SCHOOL BUILDING NUMBER TWO, IS GASOLINE DUMP. BACK OF SCHOOL BUILDING NUMBER ONE IS FILLED AMMUNITION BOXES AND FOUR - 75 MILLIMETER GUNS EMPLACED, ALL COVERED WITH TARPALINS. HOME ECONOMICS BUILDING EAST OF BUILDING NUMBER ONE IS COMMANDANTS HEADQUARTERS, RADIO STATION.

TOR : 150350/Z
TIME TYPED: 151029/Z
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14 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : BECKER

NR 1 14 DECEMBER

IROSIN, 12 DECEMBER: STRENGTH, INSTALLATIONS NO CHANGE. EIGHT TRUCKS LOADED WITH TROOPS ARRIVED 11 DECEMBER FOUR RETURNED SORSOGON, FOUR TO MATNOG. TWO AA GUNS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED TRANSFERRED TO MATNOG. IROSIN COMMANDER LT COLONEL KEYAMA HATA.

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TYPED: 141400/Z
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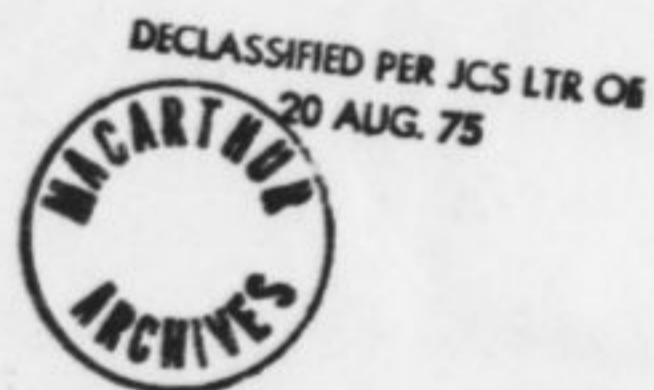
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TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER

NR 4 14 DECEMBER

GUBAT TOWN NIPS 80 DECEMBER 11. JAP LAUNCH GROUNDED
AT BACACAY BARRIO COAST LINE GUBAT STRAFFED BY U S PLANE.
35 NIPS IN LAUNCH CASUALTIES UNKNOWN. SAME DATE ONE LAUNCH
ANCHORED GUSAT WITH 37 NIPS TWO BARS AND RIFLES. CARGO IN
MUNICIPAL BUILDING. SAME DATE MUNICIPAL BUILDING STRAFFED
CASUALTIES NOT REPORTED.

TOR : 140515/Z
TIME TYPED: 141444/Z
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14 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER

NR 2 14 DECEMBER

SORSOGON TOWN DECEMBER 12: STRENGTH 200 AT PREWAR PC BARRACKS AND HOUSE DIRECTLY IN FRONT PREWAR INTERNATIONAL HOTEL. ARMS AND AMMUNITION UNLOADED IN BARRACKS HOUSE FRONT OF HOTEL AND PREWAR ALATCO GARRAGE. TRUCKS STATIONED DAILY IN ALATCO GARRAGE.

TOR : 140425/Z

TIME TYPED: 141432/Z

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12 DECEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER

NR 3 01 DECEMBER

BULAN 08 DECEMBER: AIRFIELD NO PLANES. JAP TROOPS
AROUND 1,000 IN TOWN PROPER. OCCUPIED WERE, GAVALDON BUILD-
ING, LOSAS AND CHEVES BUILDINGS AND GELLEGOS RESIDENCE. A
BRIDGE SOME 13 KILOMETERS FROM BULAN MATNOG HIGHWAY IS UNDER
REPAIR.

TOR : 110955/Z
TIME TYPED : 112037/Z
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8 NOVEMBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : BECKER

NR 7 1 NOVEMBER

PLEASE ADVISE PROPER METHOD OF GRID PLOTTING. BATTERIES
HAVE ALL BEEN WEAK BUT NOW HAVE GOOD CHARGER. WHEN DO WE
START INTERISLAND AW NET? DID I MAKE MASTER CPL YET? NOW
IN SOROGON PROVINCE LUZON. HOWS THINGS? BEACH HEAD FOR HOME.

*"Beach-Head" Becker
is one of my Wea men.
IAT*

TOR: 071155/Z

TYPED: 080100/Z

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19 OCTOBER 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER
NR 2 6 OCTOBER

NEW LOCATION OF WAR POW STATION NUMBER 002 IS AT GRID
HH ONE, AND 26-2.

TIME TYPED: 182108/Z

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~~REF YOUR NR 2 PREFER
YOU GIVE GRID COORDINATES
of POW STATION PL. UNABLE
TO LOCATE WITH INFO YOU
GAVE US. YOU PLOTTED THEM AS
HH ONE ~~SECRET~~ AND 26-2~~

6 AUGUST 1944

TO GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM BECKER

No Nr.

If this weather information is important as I think it is and you say it is then it deserves proper handling. It is getting just that on this end, if one radio set and good operators cannot be devoted to appointed frequency at the appointed ~~times~~ times we may as well stop running and hiding. No contact all day August 4th, no contact this morning, we are in perfect tune and your man does not call or does not tune, each synoptic hour we continue to call him for two hours or more. He does not even answer. I volunteered to do a job and am doing it. Let us have some cooperation. (Corporal William Becker Third.) Where the hell is Station KAZ. Those operators must be rookies. My men have eleven and five years experience respectively.

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6 AUGUST 1944

PARAPHRASE

TO GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM BECKER

NO NR

IT THIS WEATHER INFORMATION IS IMPORTANT AS YOU SAY IT IS AND AS I THINK IT IS THEN IT DESERVES PROPER HANDLING. IT IS GETTING JUST THAT ON THIS END, IF ONE RADIO SET AND GOOD OPERATORS CANNOT BE DEVOTED TO APPOINTED FREQUENCY AT THE APPOINTED TIMES WE MAY AS WELL STOP RUNNING AND HIDING. NO CONTACT ALL DAY AUGUST 4TH, NO CONTACT THIS MORNING, WE ARE IN PERFECT TUNE AND YOUR MAN DOES NOT CALL OR DOES NOT TUNE, EACH SYNOPTIC HOUR WE CONTINUE TO CALL HIM FOR TWO HOURS OR MORE. HE DOES NOT EVEN ANSWER. I VOLUNTEERED TO DO A JOB AND AM DOING IT. LET US HAVE SOME COOPERATION. (CORPORAL WILLIAM BECKER THIRD.) WHERE THE HELL IS STATION KAZ. THOSE OPERATORS MUST BE ROOKIES. MY MEN HAVE ELEVEN AND FIVE YEARS EXPERIENCE RESPECTIVELY.

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2 AUGUST 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER
NR 5 AUGUST 2

NOTIFIED BY MAJOR SMITH I AM WEATHER CONTROL. VERIFY
PLEASE. IF SO CAN TRAIN TWO OPERATORS, ONE FORMER PAN-
AMERICAN. RADIO STATION HAS NOW NO OTHER DUTIES. WILL
ACT IMMEDIATELY ON ORDER FROM YOU.

TIME DECODED: 020315/Z

*Action taken
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CW*

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27 JULY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : BECKER
NO NR 27 JULY

YOUR MESSAGE OF 11 JULY RECEIVED TODAY, 26 JULY,
ONLY PARTIALLY UNDERSTOOD DUE TO FAULTY TRANSMISSION.
IS MY PRESENT METHOD OF ENCODING SATISFACTORY? PLEASE
REPEAT MESSAGE OF 11 JULY IN FULL USING WEATHER CODE
"STRIP". STATION K R M WAS OFF AIR JULY 12 TO JULY 23
DUE TO ENEMY ACTIVITY IN IMMEDIATE AREA. DO YOU WANT
SPECIALS TAKEN?

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TIME DECODED: 270330/Z

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