

May 28, 1946

Mr. V. E. Willis, Chief Attorney  
Veterans Administration  
Board of Trade Building  
10th & Wyandotte Streets  
Kansas City 6, Missouri

Dear Mr. Willis:

I am very happy to commend Miss Velma Ruth Baker to you for your serious consideration as Training Officer with the Veterans Administration.

I knew Miss Baker very well as a student here at the university when she obtained her B. S. Degree in Education. She then went to New York University and obtained her master's degree. She taught with distinction at Dearborn, Michigan, and other schools where she was supervisor of physical education.

I have not seen Miss Baker for a matter of over two years, but I understand that she had some illness and went to Burlington, Kansas, her home. She has communicated with me only by letter and for that reason I do not know what she has been doing for the past two years. I did, however, fill out an application blank for her for the overseas American Red Cross just prior to the ending of the war.

I am happy to recommend her as one of high character and certainly I have never known her to use intoxicating liquors or to gamble in any way. The type of person that she was would be just the reverse about which you inquire. Her associations were always of the highest and best.

Very cordially yours,

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Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.