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December 8, 1922.

My dear Mrs. Beggs:

Your letter of December 3d received this morning. In reply let me acknowledge the receipt some time ago of the picture of your son Hamilton T. Beggs. On account of the great delay in getting the data desired for the Gold Star book from the various relatives of the deceased soldiers, publication has beenheld up indefinitely. I am still working on the matter as is also the Adjutant General of the State. I trust that some time in no great distant future the book may be brought out. In the meantime I beg you to let me hold the photograph as it is being well cared for.

Thanking you, I am,

Cordially,

Mrs. J.C.Betts,
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Irondale, Ala.