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S. igne Hospital  
Matta  
27. 8. 15

Dear Jeff:

just a few lines to tell you all  
the news. I intended to write <sup>to</sup> you before  
but I have not been to pit lately  
I was wounded on the 8<sup>th</sup> of August  
on the wrist and hip it was eight-  
days before I got here and I have  
been here twelve days. I suppose  
you have heard all about it by  
now. I have had a pretty rough  
time of it but thank goodness  
I am improving every day now.  
They operated on me last night  
and extracted the bullet  
out of my back. It was causing  
a lot of trouble and pain. They  
had to x-ray me twice before  
they could locate the bullet.  
This is the first day I have  
felt easy - and free from