

Letter is from George Mumford to his sister Annie Marie (be very careful with this letter, it was written before he was killed 1915 May that makes it about 95 yrs old) He mentions (Ted) Edward towards end of letter.

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Dear Sister

Just a few lines trusting they will find you all in the best of health.

Dear sister I received your first letter the day before yesterday but received the ??
a fortnight ago and another from Mum the same time. That's all the news I have had for nearly six weeks.

Well "old spark" I expect that you have heard that I got wounded on the 28 of April and am glad to say that I am nearly fit for the firing line again. We leave Port Said tomorrow for Alexandria but can't say how long we are stopping there, might go straight there to the firing line or stop there for a few weeks.

Dear sister I got hit in the right shoulder and the bullet nearly came through under the shoulder blade at the back. I have got the bullet. The only bit of Turkish delight I've got, but I expect that I will soon get some more for there (their?) bags knocking about.

I hope Ted (Edward Pittam) liked the army leave if he was fit. Well I think this is all this time.

With best wishes from your affectionate brother

George

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