



AMERICAN RED CROSS

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Just for you to read

Here is what happened on my birthday
a boy in 6th Gen. Ser. went crazy &
shot up 13 rounds of carbine through
a tent - did not kill anyone &
I was first one there to help hold him
down - took weapon away from him
after another kid knocked him cold
with his fist - while I was holding
him down - trying to get things
under control. The Strg C.O. Capt
Jones came running over and
tapped me on shoulder & said -
Sully - quick get in jeep and go one
line. Lt Ellingson has just been
killed ^{with} ~~on~~ F. Co. Item. Co. 7th Inf
He was F.O. who took my place
on line. He had just been back
to rear to clean up and was
killed $\frac{1}{2}$ hr. after going back on

line. I tried a little, and was
up on line in 20 min - giving
them hell. I was sick and could
not eat for 5 days. I stayed
up all night for 4 days & night
and scared to death - I saw medics
carrying Lt Ellingson off the hill and
stopped and put my helmet over
my head until they passed me
in the path up on line.

So we are short a man - now. I was
relieved from line by a another man
who has not been on line yet this
war. I am now getting back to normal
and don't expect to go back on line
for at least ten days - anyone who
thinks there isn't a war on is crazy
the chicks have really been putting
it on in places on line. Just jabs
but when they jab they give it hell,
Phillipinas were pushed back on my
left - this evening.



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I just wanted you to know for
matter of record what happened
on my Birthday - no one here
even knows about it.

While I was on hill and Lt Elling
Body. was brought back. a Tsyt
went completely crazy and we
~~soon~~ evacuated him while I was
still on line. Ellingson had two
children -

Thanks Harry for listening to my
feelings. it really set me back
for awhile - Inf. lost 3 men - some
time.

Sully -

P.S.

I got nice letter from Jim Moore
today. State Legion Comander.