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*Mrs. Emily Jane Ball
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Mrs. Emily Jane Ball
Walthamstow, Essex
England,

My dear Mrs. Ball,

your letter
of the 16th ult. addressed
to the matron of the
camp hospital at
this camp has just
been handed to the
Red Cross to obtain the
desired information
about your son A. K.
Ball.

It will take some

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little time to gather the
desired information, and
I am simply acknowledg-
ing the receipt of your
letter and will write
again.

It is easy to imagine
the grief you are ex-
periencing, as so many
mourning relatives
have been with us
lately in the epidem-
ic of Influenza, and
we have tried to com-
fort the friends with

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The thought that they
gave their lives in a
great cause.

may you find
comfort in the same
thought, and in faith
in the Resurrection

Faithfully yours

E. Hubert Allen.

Associate Field Director
in Charge of Hospital Work.