

AUGUST

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Monday

Went to R.A.P. to have finger dressed.  
Had 7 shots with rifle at two M.E.  
100's from my trench at 10 A.M.  
Saw one M.E. limping home  
with wheels down. Came down in  
no-man's land.  
Fried bully & bread crumbs for  
lunch. Also water-melon.  
At 7 P.M. 48 German bombers flew over  
heading S.W. Tank battle has started  
to south.

The plane that came down  
in no-man's land was a  
Stuka - not a Messerschmitt.

SEPTEMBER

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Tuesday

The enemy has pushed to the  
East at the South of the line.  
Tank battle going today. All quiet  
on our front. We claim to have  
destroyed about 50 German tanks  
since yesterday. Much air activity.  
No bombing here.  
Heard from Arthur Mangos (Timony)  
today that Audrey H. is engaged  
to a Tommy officer. Good for her!

Wednesday

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Saw 2 Dornier bombers set  
down in flames over our area  
at 1 P.M. by our Bofors. One  
bailed out & chute failed to  
open. Two bailed out successfully.  
One plane's engine caught fire;  
plane eventually crashed.

Shifted out to area 1 mile S.E.