

MILITIA AND DEFENCE.

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My dear General.

I received your letter of 16th January
in course of post and during the interval since the
as each special occasion ^{annually} -
has happened I will
not General Currie and report progress, but just as
after it seemed that the next event would be the
proper time ^{might} now I have reached May and
preparing to go out ^{tomorrow} for the summer month to ^{sea}
live, so unquestionably it is the end of a period
and therefore I sit down to write.

^{Replying to your letter.}
The health situation is not of the best -
although much better than the time last year. I went
before a Board three weeks ago and they decided before
recommending a further operation to allow the
summer month and nature has ~~affected~~ ^{another} by
but unless the wound is closed by October I think they
will advise 'the knife'.

The martyr matter still hangs fire.
I can't make out what they are doing. It turns up at
any special parade and I pointed out to General
how the embarrassment of the situation, as told
him since was acting as a ² if and that therefore while
the question of transfer was 'sub judice' martyr should
as a matter of courtesy keep clear of the issue, but