

two or three very narrow escapes during the fight, having a button shot off the breast of his coat, and receiving, at another time, a slight wound in the foot. Lieut. CLARK, of his Staff, was severely wounded in the arm.

#### CASUALTIES.

The following is a partial list of the casualties in the fight between WARREN'S force and the rebels:

Albert Wheeler, E, 11th Reg-ulars—leg.	Stephen Swartz, L, 15th N Y Heavy Art—mouth.
Jas R Robinson, C, 11th Reg-ulars—side.	Jas Ennis, E, 1st Md—hand.
Michael N Enright, A, 11th Reg-ulars—head.	Jas F Doyle, A, 4th Md—shoulder.
Josephus Frasier, H, 12th Reg-ulars—side.	Martin Shanahan, A, 140th N Y—arm.
Dan McCarthy, C, 11th Reg-ulars—elbow.	Wm Johnson, E, 11th Reg-ulars—temple.
Geo Boyd, F, 11th Reg-ulars—shoulder.	Sergt Chas E Bedell, G, 5th N Y—foot.
John Crown, E, 11th Reg-ulars—leg.	Capt J Foot, H, 15th N Y Heavy Art—knee.
John Bengler, A, 15th N Y Heavy Artillery,	Dan Rose, M, 15th N Y—leg.
Sergt Jas Baird, D, 140th N Y—side.	O Miller, I, 15th N Y—leg.
G Kiler, A, 15th N Y—thigh.	Martin Melr, L, 15th N Y—leg.
Dan Lyons, C, 17th Reg-ulars—shoulder.	John Caldwell, I, 140th N Y—thighs.
Francois B Caldwell, A, 17th Reg-ulars—cheek.	Sergt Chas Heyne, H, 15th N Y H Art—shoulder.
Jas H Hamilton, M, 15th N Y Heavy Art—leg.	Corp Lawrence Mix, D, 12th U S Infantry—short ribs.
Peter Turner, C, 5th N Y, Duryea Zouaves—arm.	James Clark, B, 17th Reg-ulars—calf.
Pat Flynn, A, 140th N Y—leg.	M Kane, D, 17th Reg-ulars—cheek.
August Kauss, H, 15th N Y—shoulder.	John Gilboy, F, 12th Reg-ulars—breast.
John Mossing, H, 15th N Y—side.	Michael Breman, 12th Reg-ulars—temple.
Lawrence McCarthy, H, 5th N Y—sunstroke.	Corp Michael Haggardy, 17th Reg-ulars—arm.
Lafayette Vestal, A, 10th Reg-ulars—back.	W. W. Snyder, G, 14th Reg-ulars—calf.
Dan Limer, B, 15th N Y H Art—head.	Aug Z Vogemitz, G, 14th U S Infantry—side.
John Peterson, G, 8th Md—hand.	Corp Wm R Stearns, K, N Y—thigh and hip.
Adoran Miles, G, 1st N Y H Art—head.	Henry Miller, E, 15th N Y H Art—hand.
J Phelan, G, 5th N Y—hip.	John Roach, B, 14th U S Infantry—both knees.
George Kelsey, D, 15th N Y H Art—hand.	Archie Woodruff, M, 15th N Y H Art—shoulder.
James H Hammond, M, 15th N Y H Art—side.	Walter P. Shaw, K, 146th N Y—hand.
Edward H Bolgiano, C, Purnell Legion—side.	Nobby Reynolds, H, 5th N Y—arm amputated.
J Colledge, C, 140th N Y—foot.	C Dale, D, 10th U S Infantry—foot.
John Cooney, H, 5th New-York—left hip.	Owen Drenner, D, 10th Reg-ulars—left hand.
John Finly, C, Mass. Artillery—right arm amputated.	Wm Bezolroster, B, 15th New-York—nose.
Jas Clark, D, 5th New-York—left leg and shoulder.	Wm Feyhl, D, 167th Pennsylvania—left knee.
Thos Tate, F, 7th Md.—right thigh.	Joseph Pollock, E, 11th Reg-ulars—right arm.
M Brinkly, C, 17th U S Inf.—left arm and head.	Jas B Armeger, A, P L—left breast.
J Jenckins, C, 11th Reg-ulars—back.	John Crown, E, 11th Reg-ulars—right leg.
1st Sergt A Malone, D, 17th Reg-ulars—thighs.	R Drihty, B, 5th N Y—leg.
Sergt Theo Andressen, G, 15th N Y—legs.	M Bartholf, D, 14th Inf—leg.
J Pecor, C, 17th Reg—thigh.	W Carl, G, 14th Inf—leg amp.
A Werlert, G, 140th N Y—leg.	W Donnelly, B, 14th Inf—arm.
Chas Dole, D, 10th U S.	Sergt W Marlatt, B, 14th Inf—thigh.
John Jenkins, D, 11th U S.	A Attsbourck, A, 14th Inf—legs.
Wm Jowilton, E, 11th U S.	Jas Collidge, K, 14th N Y.
M Brannan, C, 12th U S.	Walter D Shane, K, 14th New-York.
John Silbo, F, 12th U S.	Corp A J Boyenitz, G, 14th United States.
Robt Ditmar, E, 14th U S.	Sergt A M Wells, B, 14th United States.
Wm H Snyder, G, 14th U S.	Corp M Hagerty, 14th U S.
Wm Martin, G, 14th U S.	F Sailor, B, 17th U S.
Martin Balts, D, 14th U S.	Martin Raney, D, 17th U S.
Adam Greshal, D, 14th U S.	Jas Clark, B, 17th U S.
Wm Cool, G, 14th U S.	Sergt A Melone, D, 17th United States.
Wm Downing, B, 14th U S.	Jos Rice, C, 17th U S.
John Wilson, H, 14th U S.	Dan Lyons, C, 17th U S.
Rich Dorsay, B, 5th N Y.	Mat Brinkley, C, 17th U S.
Wm Thinsler, H, 5th N Y.	John Haley, D, 5th N Y.
Hobby Reynolds, H, 5th N Y.	Jas Clark, B, 5th N Y.
John Cooney, H.	Peter Tower, C, 5th N Y.
Philip Fischer, B, 14th N Y.	
Capt Barney Silver, H, 14th New-York.	

#### REBEL WOUNDED.

I M Rea, H, 2d Miss—leg amputated. J P Phillips, K, 42d Miss.

About 200 are thought to be wounded in Second Division, Fifth Corps. Two rebels, one supposed to be an officer, but he refuses to tell his name or rank. His leg has been amputated.

#### THIRD DIVISION, FIFTH CORPS.

Corp C O'Keefe, I, 97th N Y—right arm.	Hiram Alfred, K, 97th N Y.
Wm B Abrams, F, 97th N Y—head.	Hiram Hicheson, 94th N Y.
Jas Lappen, D, 97th N Y—knee.	Capt Geo Clarke, E, 104th New-York.
Wm Boover, I, 94th N Y—hip and shoulder.	Sergt S P Curtis, B, 104th New-York.
Luke Emery, G, 16th Me—leg.	Wm Schetz, A, 104th N Y.
N P Sullivan, G, 16th Me—thumb amputated.	Corp J L Toms, A, 104th New-York.
C Manger, B, 15th N Y H A—arm.	1st Sergt N Croft, A, 104th New-York.
Dan Sellen, C, 104th N Y—head, flesh.	1st Sergt J McGee, G, 104th New-York.
E P Langden, F, 97th N Y.	Corp F Miller, B, 94th N Y.
Wm Marvin, G, 94th N Y.	W C Smith, C, 97th N Y.
M Kelley, D, 94th N Y.	John Slade, D, 97th N Y.
Wm Ely, I, 94th N Y.	P T White, C, 97th N Y.
	Rich Keefe, H, 104th N Y.
	J Lenior, A, 97th N Y.

Col. PRATER LYLE, commanding First Brigade, Third Division, is reported wounded.

## SEIZURE OF THE WELDON RAILROAD.

### Obstinate Fight with the Enemy—Our Forces Successful—The Gallantry of the Ninth Corps.

Correspondence of the Philadelphia Inquirer.

HEADQUARTERS ARMY OF THE POTOMAC, }  
Saturday, Aug. 20, 1864. }

The news of the occupation of the Weldon Railroad has already been sent you by another correspondent. The Fifth Corps moved out in that direction about 4 o'clock A. M. on the 18th inst., and struck the railroad about noon at a point about five or possibly six miles from Petersburg. The several divisions of the corps followed each other on the march in their regular numerical order, the First Division (Gen. Griffin's) having the advance. This division, on reaching the railroad, immediately commenced work destroying it, and the Second Division (Gen. Ayres') pushing on, crossed it and advanced from two to three miles beyond. Of the engagement which ensued on the afternoon of that day, the details and a list of casualties have already been forwarded. The result, briefly stated, was that after being driven back first, then rallying and driving the enemy, we occupied at night the position (or nearly the same) assumed in the early part of the afternoon.

The earlier part of Friday (the 19th) was employed in better establishing our position and fortifying Gen. CRAWFORD, commanding Third Division, finding that in the attempt to connect his right with our works near the Jerusalem Plank Road, he had too much extended and weakened his line, sent to Gen. WARREN that he needed more troops on his right, and accordingly BRAGG'S Brigade, of the Fourth Division, Gen. CUTLER'S, was sent up. This had got into position, and the troops of the Ninth Corps were on their way toward that part of the line, when, at about four P. M., the enemy commenced a furious attack with, it is believed, HILL'S and BRECKINRIDGE'S corps. On the right of Gen. CRAWFORD'S line BRAGG'S brigade, of the Fourth Division, was quickly swept back by the enemy's impetuous charge, and a portion of the Third Division, which was now attacked on the right flank, also were driven back with considerable loss. Gen. WILCOX'S division of the Ninth Corps had by this time arrived on the ground, and hastening to get into position, soon became warmly engaged, holding the enemy in check with great difficulty, until the arrival of Gen. WHITE with the First Division of the Ninth Corps, which turned the scale in our favor.

On the left and in the centre the engagement was also very sharp, the enemy attacking with a heavy force, and fighting with great determination. Here, as on the right, we were temporarily forced back. Gen. HAYS'S brigade, of AYRES'S division, which was armed with the Spencer repeating rifles, resolutely stood their ground, depending on the superiority of their arms to repulse the enemy up to the last moment. But the rest of the line having fallen back, they were left exposed on both flanks, and soon nearly surrounded.

Gen. HAYS himself, and a portion of his command, probably the number of four or five hundred unfortunately were made prisoners. As on the previous day, our men finally rallied and drove the enemy back from the ground he had taken from them, regaining the position they had lost, which up to this time we hold. An attack has been anticipated all day to-day, but has not yet been made. Prisoners state that great efforts will be made to dislodge us, and express the opinion that we shall be compelled to abandon our hold on the railroad. We shall see. At all events it will for a considerable distance be pretty thoroughly destroyed.

Our losses in killed and wounded are not yet accurately known. We captured about 300 from the enemy.

The One Hundred and Fourth New-York, of Second Brigade, CRAWFORD'S division, captured some prisoners and one stand of colors.

The troops encountered by CRAWFORD, WILCOX and WHITE were the rebel divisions of HEATH, KERSEY, MADON and HOLMES. Gen. CRAWFORD himself had