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STONES RIVER
NATIONAL BATTLEFIELD

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Dear Bill,

Thanks for your help during my visit to Stones River Battlefield.

In reading Daniel A. Brown's, July 1985 report "Marked for future generations: The Hazen Brigade Monument", page 46, I noted that Lt. Col. George F. Cotton and Capt. Charles S. Todd is burial places are shown as "unknown".

I am enclosing copies of newspaper clippings that show they were returned to Kentucky for burial. Cotton is Woodford County and Todd is Shelby County. I thought you may want to include these in your records.

I talked with Mr. Brown and he said he was not able to determine if any officers were buried under the monument. For sure, the two officers of the 6th Kentucky were not buried there.

Very truly yours
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Louisville Journal Jan 12, 1863

No. [...]—L. Caldwell, Surgeon in charge; Assistants, H. F. Grant, F. Rectanus, A. W. Kaye.
No. 2—Prison Hospital, corner Tenth and Broadway—Dr. G. W. Ronald, Surgeon in charge; Assistants, H. Tammadge, M. Ryan.
No. 3—Sixth street, between Walnut and Chestnut—Dr. Thomas W. Colescott, Surgeon in charge; Assistants, J. A. Dougherty, C. A. Fisher.
No. 4—Corner Main and Fifteenth streets—Dr. John E. Crowe, Surgeon in charge; Assistants, A. F. Brewer, T. H. Cochran, George C. Allen.
No. 5—For Eruptive Diseases, Bardstown turnpike.
No. 6—Green street, between Fifth and Centre—Dr. J. W. Knight, Surgeon in charge; Assistants, J. M. Pillsbury, C. K. Sanborn.
No. 7—On a hill east of Park Barracks.
No. 8—Fifth street, between Broadway and York—Dr. F. Irish, Surgeon in charge; Assistant, J. A. Octulony.
No. 9—Corner Market and Wenzel streets.
No. 10—Walnut street, between Jackson and Hancock.
No. 11—Corner Chestnut and Floyd, and City Hospital.
No. 12—Corner Magazine and Ninth streets—Dr. R. L. Stanford, Surgeon in charge; Assistant, J. H. Gerard.
No. 13—Corner Green and Thirteenth streets—Dr. Thomas C. Mercer, Surgeon in charge; Assistants, J. Logan, J. Harlen.
No. 14—Corner Brook and Broadway (for officers).
No. 15—Griffin House, Newburg turnpike.
No. 16—Wathan's stores, Jeffersonville, Ind.
No. [...]—Blind Asylum, Shelbyville turnpike.
No. [...]—Turners' Hall, Jefferson street.
No. 19—Johnson House, between the Bardstown and Newburg turnpikes.
Post Chaplain—Rev. Wm. Holman, Brook street, between Jefferson and Market streets.
Hospital Chaplain—Rev. W. W. Meech, Sixth street, between Walnut and Green streets.

☞ The Evansville Journal announces the arrival there of Major Holloway, of the 8th Kentucky cavalry. Major Holloway looks as if his recent campaign in the regions around Hopkinsville and Clarksville had done him good. From him the Journal learns that Shackelford's entire command is engaged in foraging for Rosecrans's army, and that they found the country full of provisions, bacon, flour, whisky, &c., concealed in barns, fields, and all out-of-the-way places, doubtless intended for the rebel army. On one farm they found 12,000 barrels of bacon and 200 barrels of flour, the latter hid in a field. These goods had doubtless been smuggled through from Louisville, New Albany, Evansville, and other points on the north side of the river. They will now be made to serve a better purpose than that for which they were originally intended.

THE REMAINS OF LIEUT. COL. COTTON.—The body of the lamented Lieut. Col. George T. Cotton, of the 6th Kentucky infantry, who was killed in the battle near Murfreesboro, reached this city on Saturday, and will be sent forward at once for burial to his late residence in Woodford county, in charge of his kinsman, Mr. Chas. B. Cotton. The remains will be escorted by the military to the depot of the Louisville and Frankfort Railroad, and will be received at Frankfort by a delegation from Woodford.

Lieut. Col. Cotton distinguished himself for coolness and bravery in the battle of Shiloh, in which engagement his horse was killed under him. Our gallant friend sold his life dearly at Murfreesboro, performing eminent services previous to his death.

CHAMP FERGUSON AGAIN.—We published an extract from the letter of a correspondent a few days ago containing an account of the cruel assassination by Champ Ferguson's robbers of Capt. E. Huddleston, at Capt. H.'s residence in Adair county. After Ferguson's departure from the scene of this fiendish out-

we should be attached to the headquarters of his successor, General Rosecrans, to act as his special escort. We have been in the service over four months, and we have now only about seventeen commissioned officers, all told.

Yesterday, the twenty-sixth December, we were told that General Rosecrans would that day advance with his army, and we were ordered to join the brigade of General Stanley, commanding the cavalry in this Department, and proceed with him against the enemy. Our first impulse was to go, but our better judgment convinced us that it was folly, aye, perfect madness to attempt such a course.

Apart from the total disregard by our officers of their frequent representations, and their failure to keep the promises made us, we might have stifled our indignation at these our just grounds of complaint, and followed the dictates of patriotism, if we had a sufficient number of officers to lead us against the foe. It was designed to take us in our present disorganized state, the officers we have being young and inexperienced, and the men only partially armed and equipped, the arms mostly unfit for service, while the horses are worn out, having just finished the long and fatiguing march from Louisville to Nashville. With this demand we could not comply. In a quiet and orderly way we refused to obey the order. At first the whole regiment was with us, but a few yielded to persuasion and fear of the consequences, which they thought might follow the stand we had taken. Of the one thousand men enlisted, about two hundred are missing, about one hundred and fifty are on the sick list, and about two hundred went to battle, and the remainder, of over five hundred, are lying here in a totally disorganized state, without a single commissioned officer, and destitute of the necessaries of life.

It was threatened that we would be forced to go if we refused, notwithstanding which we still remain firm. It was not want of patriotism which prompted us to this course. When our glorious old Commonwealth was threatened by the invading foe, her people well remember with what alacrity we responded to the call of the Governor, and how manfully we rallied to the defence of our native State. We insist that we have been most unjustly deceived, and, in view of the false pretences under which we were enlisted, the failure on the part of those in authority to officer the regiment, and our present hopeless condition, we earnestly contend that we should be disbanded.

We wish it to be understood that it is our firm determination to re-enlist in the service of the United States, as soon as we obtain our discharge.

We appeal to the citizens of Pennsylvania for their co-operation in this behalf, hoping that you will not suffer us to be trampled upon.

[Correspondence of the Louisville Journal.]

AFFAIRS IN NORTHEASTERN KENTUCKY.

MT. STERLING, KY., Jan. 8, 1863.

The 14th Kentucky Cavalry has just returned from a scout into the mountain country above us. They left camp near this place Saturday last at 2 P. M., and proceeded up the main State road leading to Prestonsburg. About twenty miles out, just as the column had struck Beaver Creek about 8 P. M., they were met by a party of rebels commanded by John H. Bradshaw and "Mango," two noted guerrillas, who, with their party, were chasing seven Wolfe County Home Guards. Three of the Home Guards (whom we met at the head of Slate Creek) went in advance of our party a mile or more and met Bradshaw's party coming up Beaver. They turned and galloped back to the advance of our party, hotly pursued by the rebels, who fired upon them all the way up until they met our advance—when they were in turn fired upon by the head of our column. The rebel party supposed they were fighting the seven Wolfe

W. Christian, co. F; left cheek, slig[...]
J. H. Lown, co. A; left hand, slight[...]
Geo. Collins, co. A; right thigh, sli[...]
Reuben Jones, co. K; right thigh, s[...]
Patrick Ryan, co. F; left arm fract[...]
Julius E. Hay, co. D; contusion in [...] shell.
F. L. Briggs, co. I; left ankle, sever[...]
F. Brockman, co. E; contusion in b[...] ball, slight.
John Herrington, co I; wound ove[...] vere.
J. Glover, co. I; left wrist, sligh[...]
M. Ryan, co. C; in head, slight.
John Cobb, co. C; in head, severe.
John Henrihamp, serg't, co. F; [...] men, severe.
P. Marcy, co. A; in left foot.

SICK SOLDIERS.—Admitted [...] this city, Jan. 9th: [...]

HOSPITAL NO. SEVEN[...]

John Kenworthy, co. A, 9th Illino[...]

HOSPITAL NO. THIR[...]

Owen Kearney, co. I, 4th Kentuck[...]

HOSPITAL NO. EIGHTE[...]

Joseph Fikert, co. D, 59th Illinoi[...]
W. L. G. McPherson, co. E, 2[...]

HOSPITAL NO. TWEL[...]

James Anderson, co. E, 3d Ohio.
Edwin N. Baker, co. D, 105th Ohi[...]
John W. Evans, co. K, 3d Ohio.
John Burd, co. E, 121st Ohio.
Joseph Collumber, co. D, 13th Ohi[...]
J. J. Donahoo, co. K, 3d Ohio.
Robert J. Doyle, sergeant, co. [...]
Henry B. Hart, co. D, 79th Penn[...]
Marion C. Haradon, co. K, 100th [...]
John Huber, Stone's Battery.
Stephen Licko, corporal, co. I, 3d [...]
Samuel Myers, co. I, 80th Indian[...]
Geo. W. Mathers, co. K, 84th Ill[...]
Oliver P. Rice, co. H, 52d Ohio.
Thomas Stewart, co. H, 99th Ohio.
James Smith, sergeant, co. K, [...]
Norton Tomlinson, co. C, 33d Ohi[...]
Clark Wilkisson, corporal, co. E, [...]
Rudolph Wittenfield, co. B, 100[...]

HOSPITAL NO. ELEV[...]

John Cory, co. C, 1st Wisconsin.
Henry Coleman, co. C, 1st Wisco[...]
Jas. R. Cloghorn, co. G, 88th Ill[...]
Chas. V. Donelson, co. C, 10th W[...]
Lyman B. Everdell, co. K, 1st W[...]
Enterheart Eyen, co. G, 59th I[...]
Lawrence Fagan, co. B, 2d Ohio.
Aaron Hong, co. K, 84th Illinois.
Henry Hoffman, co. B, 21st Wi[...]
James B. Lytle, co. C, 79th Penn[...]
John McAdams, corporal, co. [...]
Joseph Ong, co. C, 44th Illinois.
Commodore Perry, co. C, 1[...]
Edward Rodolt, co. G, 22d Indi[...]
Benedict Stumpley, co. I, 36th I[...]
E. C. Stoddus, corporal, co. [...]
John Vantopp, co. H, 24th Ill[...]
Ezra D. Walden, co. I, 75th Ill[...]
Daniel Whiteside, co. K, 22d I[...]
Samuel Shull, co. A, 1st Kentu[...]

HOSPITAL NO. [...]

Isaac W. Acker, co. C, 21st Wi[...]
Jacob Ashbaud, co. A, 80th In[...]
Geo. Atwood, co. G, 44th Illin[...]
Peter Dillon, co. K, 21st Wis[...]
John L. Batsley, co. K, 73d I[...]
Milton Barke, co. H, 123 Illino[...]
J. F. Cummings, co. D, 10th W[...]
Ezra R. Chandler, co. E, [...]
J. G. Donnell, co. B, 30th Illino[...]
S. Eales, co. A, 80th Indiana.
Wm. Enos, sergeant, co. [...]
Geo. S. L. Griffiths, co. K, 42d [...]
Ira Houghtling, corporal, co. [...]
Chas. Hopkins, co. K, 42d Illino[...]
Geo. W. Harcks, co. E, 22d Ind[...]
Jacob Hofner, co. A, 125th Illino[...]
Wm. Jackson, co. [...] 121 Indi[...]
Henry Martin, co. H, 10th W[...]
Jonathan Myers, co. H, 10th O[...]
Chas. A. Moore, co. H, 3d Ohio.
Geo. C. McGee, sergeant, co. [...]
Thomas Newlin, co. F, 121 [...]
Geo. W. Newkirk, co. I, 42d In[...]
Robert Pollock, co. [...]
Joseph Richardson, co. H, 80[...]
David Rian, co. [...] Wisco[...]
Hiram Snyder, co. G, 79th Pe[...]
Anthony Ravalette, co. G, 80[...]

HOSPITAL NO. [...]

John Anaville, co. H, 15th K[...]
Parmenas Haskell, co. [...]
Robt. M. Black, co. H, 9th [...]
Jas. D. Beatty, co. [...] 10th W[...]
Matthew L. Cochran, co. [...]
John J. Cann, co. K, [...]
Henry Fick, co. A, 45th Ind[...]
Wm. T. Chandler, sergeant, [...]
Wm. R. Johnson, co. [...]
Hugh Lanham, co. C, 10th [...]
John F. Lynch, co. [...]
Geo. F. Lenord, co. [...]
Jacob Pitchon, co. [...]
Richard Lucas, co. [...]
James Quigley, co. H, 107th [...]
Benjamin Silvander, co. [...]
David Sylux, co. H, 10th K[...]
Geo. W. Thompson, co. [...]
Joseph Torrence, corporal, [...]

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The remains of Captain U. S. Todd, of the 6th Kentucky, who was killed in the battle of Murfreesboro, were interred in the Grave Hill cemetery, near Shelbyville, on Monday. We are permitted to make the following extract from a letter written by Col. Whitaker, announcing the death of Capt. Todd to his friends. The passage is a noble testimonial of Capt. T.'s gallantry and worth:

"Capt. Todd was killed on the 31st of December, whilst gallantly leading his company. He bore himself like a brave, gallant soldier always. He was a gentle, yet firm and dignified ing. His courage was equal to that of any of the illustrious patriots whose blood coursed through his veins; but he has gone, full of that immortal honor and glory which will make the good and brave always cherish his memory." We would write this as an epitaph upon his tomb, and offer it as a consolation to his bereaved relatives and friends.