

GREAT BATTLE AT HAGERSTOWN.

GEN. McCLELLAN VICTORIOUS.

Rebel Loss, 17,000 Men.

HEADQUARTERS ARMY OF POTOMAC,

September 14th, 9:40 P. M.

H. W. HALLECK, General-in-Chief.

After a very severe engagement the

corps of General Hooker and General Re-

no have carried the height commanding

the Hagerstown road by storm.

The troops behaved magnificently—

they never fought better.

Gen. Franklin has been boldly engaged

on the extreme left. I do not yet know

the result, except that the firing indica-

ted progress on his part.

The action continued until after dark

and terminated, leaving us in possession

of the entire crest.

It has been a glorious victory.

I cannot tell whether the enemy will

retreat during the night, or appear in in-

creased force during the morning.

I regret to add that the gallant and a-

ble General Reno is killed.

GEO. B. McCLELLAN,

Major-General.

Sept. 15 - 3 A. M.

Major-Gen. H. W. HALLECK:

I am happy to inform you that General

Franklin's success on the left was as com-

plete as that of the center and right, and

resulted in his getting possession of the

Gap after a severe engagement in all parts

of the line.

The troops old and new behaved with

the utmost steadiness and gallantry,

carrying, with but little assistance from

our own artillery, very strong positions,

defended by artillery and infantry.

I do not think our loss very severe.

The corps of Generals D. H. Hill and

Longstreet were engaged with our right.

We have taken a considerable number

of prisoners.

The enemy disappeared during the

night. Our troops are now advancing in

pursuit. I do not know whether he will

next be found. GEO. B. McCLELLAN,

Sept. 15th - 8 o'clock, A. M.

Maj. Gen. H. W. HALLECK:

I have just learned from General

Hooker, who states that the

information is perfectly reliable, that the

enemy is making for the river in a perfect

panic, and Gen. Lee stated last night pub-

licly, that he must admit that he had been

shockingly whipped. I am hurrying

everything forward to endeavor to press

their retreat to the utmost.

GEO. B. McCLELLAN,

Sept. 15th - 10 A. M. Sept. 15th.

To H. W. HALLECK:

Information this moment received com-

pletely confirms the report and demoraliza-

tion of the rebel army.

Gen. Lee is reported wounded, and Gar-

land killed.

Gen. Hooker alone has over a thou-

sand men killed, and a hundred having

been sent to Frederick.

It is stated that Lee gives his loss as

fifteen thousand.

We are following as rapidly as the men

can move. GEO. B. McCLELLAN,

Explosion at Pittsburg Arsenal.

Pittsburg, Sept. 15th.—A frightful ex-

ploding occurred at the United States Ar-

senal; this afternoon at 2 o'clock, in a

large frame building known as the Labora-

tory. About one hundred and seventy-

five boys and girls were employed in the

building at the time of the disaster, sev-

enty-five or eighty of whom were killed.

The explosion was followed by others,

and the entire building was destroyed.

Those who could not escape in time

were burned up. The scene was most

appalling. Dead bodies were lying in

heaps as they had fallen, and in some

places where the heat was intense, the

whitened bones could be seen through

the smoke and flame. In other places,

large masses of blackened flesh were

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Notice is hereby given to the estate of

John H. Bailey, late of Chatham, having been granted

the authority to make immediate payment, and those

creditors of the said John H. Bailey, who have claims

against the same, will present them to the

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W. H. GOODRICH, Adm'r.

CLIFFORD, Sept. 23d, 1862.

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