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Official Report of the Battle of Slaughter Mountain.

HEADQUARTERS, 111TH REGIMENT, P. V.
Camp near Culpepper, Aug. 16th, 1862.

HON. ANDREW G. CURTIN, *Governor of Pennsylvania:*

SIR:—I have the honor to forward a copy of my official report of the part taken by the One Hundred and Eleventh Regiment in the action of August 9th, 1862. Also list of killed, wounded and missing.

Respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
THOS. W. WALKER,
Major Comd'g., 111th Regiment, P. V.

HEADQUARTERS, 111TH REGIMENT, P. V.,
Camp near Culpepper C. H., Va., Aug. 13th.

COLONEL:—I had the honor to forward, on the 11th inst., a preliminary report of the part taken by the 111th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers, in the fight at Cedar Mountain, six miles south of Culppepper, Saturday, August 9th. I now have the honor to forward a detailed account, enclosing therewith a list of casualities.

My regiment was first formed, under direction of General Prince, in a cornfield to the left of the house used as as a signal station, the battallion of regulars on my right. We arrived here soon after the artillery firing commenced. Remaining in this position about a quarter of an hour, we were marched by a flank to the right, the regulars being thrown out as skirmishers. I was directed to take position on the left of the first brigade, commanded by Brigadier General Geary, and to lie upon the ground. My left lay behind a part of the batteries, and distant from them about forty yards. The Third Maryland were at my left, and a little in the rear. We occupied this position during the artillery fire, about 3½ hours, during which time, I lost three men by shell and grape from the rebel batteries posted to the front of our right. As soon as the musketry firing began on our right, General Prince (who had taken his stand at the right of the 3rd Maryland,) rode forward to the top of the knoll upon which we were posted, to see what was the order on his right. I asked the General if he had any orders to give me; when he replied, "yes, let your men creep forward and lie behind the hill in your front." We started in this way, but not getting along fast, at his suggestion, I got my men on their feet, and marched stooping until we were under the shelter of the hill designated. Arriving there, the General ordered me to take my men forward into a corn field, and from behind a rise of ground that he pointed out, to "crack away at those fellows as fast as you can, and I will go and bring up the 3rd Maryland to your support." Arriving at the place, I found I could not, on account of the tallness of the corn, and the slope of the hill from the enemy, get sight of them. I then marched my men to the slope of the hill facing them, and commenced firing, but discovered at once that my guns—Austrian rifle muskets—would not reach them, while theirs were telling fearfully upon my ranks. I caused my men to sit down in the corn to wait the coming of the General with the 3rd Maryland. They were very soon behind me, their right overlapping my left. I then caused my command to advance through the corn, part the way up the hill upon which the enemy was posted, and began firing with good effect. The rebels were very soon driven behind the hill, they firing from behind its shelter. I maintained this position, firing with deliberation, until my fire was so far in advance of any of my supports, that I thought the enemy would get to my rear; and, having no support from the 3d Maryland on my immediate left, I then marched in retreat to a road running in front of where our batteries were first posted, where Gen. Prince had directed me to reform if I should have to retire. I there found the colors, and about fifty men of the 3d Maryland and the colors and about twenty-five men of what I was told was the 66th Ohio on my right. Those on my right quickly withdrew and halted about 200 yards in our rear. I kept this position about half an hour, when, the artillery having left, and the firing ceased, I having received no orders since entering the corn, and asking the opinion of Col. DeWitt, of the 3d Maryland, as to what was best, we concluded, that having with us only about 225 men, it was folly to try to hold our place without support, we accordingly withdrew, the 3rd Maryland preceding me about 100 yards.

I marched in retreat in line of battle to the creek, running in a line parallel with our first line of battle, and to the rear of the position held by our artillery. Passing this in line, I faced to the right, and filed to the left into the woods, about a quarter of a mile to the left of the point where we turned off from the main road in our advance. Filing through these woods, I found Gen. Green on the opposite side, trying to rally his brigade. I asked him if he could tell me the whereabouts of Gen. Prince or Gen. Auger. He replying that he could not, I told him I was trying to get my regiment out, and would now place my regiment under his direction. He directed me to form line, which being done, the 1st District of Columbia and 78th New York were formed on my left, and again facing to the right, and filing to the left, we came into the rear, to the left of the position held by our army. I placed myself under Gen. Green about eight o'clock, and we arrived in bivouac about half-past eleven. I received but little or no support from the 3d Maryland regiment on my left, nor, on account of the corn could I see troops on my right.

Of my command, I have to say, both officers and men behaved as volunteers fighting for their country should behave. My regiment numbered three hundred and one rank and file, when we marched upon the field, and having lost ninety-four, killed, wounded and missing, I found myself in the morning with about one hundred and seventy-five men around me. My color bearer was shot down, and my colors bear honorable scars.

Among the missing, and the only officer that became detached in any way from the regiment, was my adjutant, John A. Boyle. He exerted himself during the day to his utmost, and no doubt fell exhausted when we entered the woods. He is probably in the hands of the enemy.

Aggregate to enter the fight	301
Killed	8
Wounded	72
Missing	13
Total	93—32¼ per cent.

THOS. M. WALKER,
Major Commanding 111th Regt. Pa. Vol.
COL. D. P. DEWITT, *Commanding Brigade.*

List of Killed, Wounded and Missing of the 111th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers, in the action of August 9, 1862, near Culpepper Court House, Virginia.

KILLED.

Private Washingt. Huckleberry,	company	A.
" Wm. McClellan,	"	B.
Corporal Eugene V. Sedgewick,	"	C.
Private Henry Murray,	"	C.
1st Sergeant Thomas J. Shutt.	"	D.
Corporal James S. Newcomb,	"	D.
Private Henry Boleter,	"	E.
" Patrick Tearney,	"	E.

WOUNDED.

Sergeant Jefferson Tuscuitt,	company	A.
Private Anthony Malvin,	"	A.
" Tyrus Goodwin,	"	A.
" Wilder Walling,	"	A.
" Charles S. Reynolds,	"	A.
" John W. Dillie,	"	A.
" Joseph G. Bradley,	"	A.
" Marion Day,	"	A.
" Milo Grace,	"	A.
Corporal E. A. Young,	"	B.
Private Silas Slay,	"	B.
" John T. Watson,	"	B.
" Charles Cadwell,	"	B.
" John Estelle,	"	C.
" Joseph Bateman,	"	C.
" Wm. H. Martain,	"	C.
" Wm. Brindle,	"	C.
" Charles P. Scott,	"	C.
" V. H. Smith,	"	C.
" Wm. Wentz,	"	C.
" Jacob Futter,	"	C.
" Warren Mann,	"	D.
" Calvan Blanchard,	"	D.
" Joel B. Gardner,	"	D.
" Matthias Stonsker,	"	D.
" Henry Ziegler,	"	D.
" Stephen Baker,	"	D.
" Charles Huttberry,	"	D.
Sergeant Jesse Moore,	"	E.
Corporal B. J. Mattison,	"	E.
Sergeant E. A. Wood,	"	E.
Private H. P. Boyd,	"	E.
" S. C. Camp,	"	E.
" Sylvester Gehr,	"	E.
" H. C. Hites,	"	E.
" J. N. Miller,	"	E.
" J. J. Peiffer,	"	E.
" George Quiggle,	"	E.
" R. T. Sikes,	"	E.
Sergeant David Marts,	"	F.
Private John Kean,	"	F.
" Powell Rockwell,	"	F.
" George Rodgers,	"	F.
" Alexander Dixon,	"	F.
" Christopher Atkinson,	"	F.
" C. P. Varney,	"	F.
" George Bogner,	"	F.
" Robert Gough,	"	F.
" William Senchard,	"	F.
" Morgan Mallick,	"	F.
" John Hughes,	"	F.
" H. H. Beemis,	"	F.
" Abraham Higgernell,	"	H.
" Albert M. Watson,	"	H.
" Donald Fox,	"	H.
Private Morris John,	"	H.
" Hiram Prussia,	"	H.
" Samuel Hagle,	"	H.
" W. B. Warner,	"	H.
" Michael McCanon,	"	H.
Corporal Adolph Tul,	"	I.
" Jacob Moyer,	"	I.
Private William Bradon,	"	I.
" Samuel Davis,	"	I.
" Jacob Kissling,	"	I.
" B. F. Ross,	"	I.
" Michael Schlager,	"	I.
" Geo. Schrekengost,	"	I.
Corporal William Brook,	"	K.
Private William Shonvir,	"	K.
" Joseph George,	"	K.
" Frederick Reever.		

Total wounded....72

MISSING.

Adjutant Jno. A. Boyle.		
Private John Ernon,	company	A.
" F. Lovell,	"	A.
" H. Makin,	"	A.
Sergeant Cyrus Hays,	"	A.
Private William Green,	"	D.
" William Gibson,	"	D.
" Jonathan Goodan,	"	K.
" E. A. Sheldon,	"	H.
" Frank P. West,	"	H.
" Solomon Clark,	"	I.
" Samuel Groff,	"	I.
" George Clary,	"	I.

Total missing....13

Killed	8
Wounded	72
Missing	13
Total loss	93

THOS. M. WALKER,
Major Com'd. 111th Pa. Vol.

BY TELEGRAPH.

From our Morning Edition.

FROM FORTRESS MONROE.

THE EVACUATION OF WILLIAMSBURG.

THE TOWN REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN BURNED.

FORTRESS MONROE, Aug. 21.

Williamsburg was evacuated by the Union troops at four o'clock yesterday afternoon. The guard was commanded by Major Stetson, and consisted of five companies of the Fifth Pennsylvania regiment. They came down and joined their regiment. It was reported that Williamsburg was burned last night, but it needs confirmation. There was a large fire seen in that direction from dark until a late hour last night. There has been no skirmishing since the army moved down the Peninsula.

FROM OHIO.

Burning of Railroad Bridges.

EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS.

CINCINNATI, August 22.

Two bridges on the Marietta and Cincinnati railroad east of Loveland were burned yesterday morning, it is supposed by rebel sympathizers. A freight train ran through one of the bridges, and the engine and three cars were wrecked, but no one was hurt. The bridges are being rapidly reconstructed.

The first instalment of rebel prisoners leaves Indianapolis to-day for Vicksburg. The others will leave at the rate of 3,000 a day till they are all exchanged.

Indiana has sent into the field 14,480 men since Sunday. Ohio troops are rapidly following.

From McClellan's and Pope's Armies

NO FIGHTING.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 22.

We have no intelligence from the army that confirms any of the unfavorable reports that have been current for the last twenty-four hours. From the Army of Virginia we learn from reliable sources that no fighting more important than outpost skirmishing, has occurred since the battle of Cedar Mountain. The Rebels are undoubtedly concentrating in great force at and near Gordonsville, and the Rappahannock is now the dividing line between the two forces.

The movement of Gen. McClellan's army is going forward with rapidity and energy.

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