

U.S. Elliott Brigade

No. 18.

W. C. Wallace

Big Horn County

Report of Commission
of the 4th Regt. of
Cavalry from the

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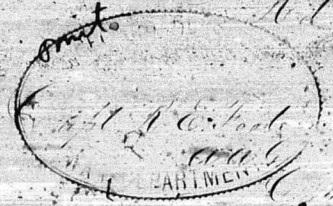


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to report the following Commission details
for the past year for the

Commission

Commission

names	Rank	Company	Remarks
John P. ...	1st Lt.	A	Wounded in the head
W. C. ...	2nd Lt.	B	Wounded in the head
W. C. ...	3rd Lt.	C	Wounded in the head
W. C. ...	4th Lt.	D	Wounded in the head
W. C. ...	5th Lt.	E	Wounded in the head
W. C. ...	6th Lt.	F	Wounded in the head
W. C. ...	7th Lt.	G	Wounded in the head
W. C. ...	8th Lt.	H	Wounded in the head
W. C. ...	9th Lt.	I	Wounded in the head
W. C. ...	10th Lt.	J	Wounded in the head

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Names	Rank	Co	Regt	Remarks
W. Leary	Capt	C	104th	Wounded severely in right arm
J. McWaters				finger shot off
J. Chas. Lee	Priv			Wounded in head slight
C. B. Lee				
Thos. Burnett				ankle severely
W. Hamilton				head slight
W. A. Chapman	Capt			Captured
W. E. Camp	Priv			
J. W. Galt				
B. H. Hays				
C. A. Low				
J. Brown				Killed
J. Brown				
J. H. Hays				
M. V. Garrison				
C. Hamilton				
Thos. Green				
Thos. Green	Sgt			Wounded in shoulder & arm severely
K. B. Page	Capt			head slightly
E. Alexander	Priv			face severe
W. H. Giffen				right shoulder severe

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Names	Rank	Co	Regt	Remarks
J. Taylor	Priv	C	104th	Wounded in ankle severe
J. Taylor				head slight
Thos. Hamilton				Wounded in leg & captured
J. Hamilton				
W. Johnson				Captured
Calvin Hunt				
J. A. Grant	Capt			Wounded severely in mouth
W. B. Galt				Missing
J. A. Grant				
W. Woodhull	Priv			
Edw. Hays				
W. C. White				Killed
Thos. Brown				Wounded in eye slightly
J. Hays				hand
J. Hays				
C. A. Grant				
J. Grant				
W. C. Grant				Missing
J. A. Grant				
J. A. Grant				

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Report of Operations & Casualties
of Carpenter Battery, Va.
June 8 & 9 1862 at Port Republic
Casualties 4 names



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Capt. John T. Carson

Wm. Carson

Report of Operations

Carpenter Battery

8th June 1862

Joseph Carpenter

Capt. Carson

Capt. J. T. Carson

Handwritten: Capt. Carson's Report
June 11 1862

In obedience to your Order, I hereby
make the following report of the operations of my Company in
the recent engagement of the 8th June near Port Republic.
On the morning of the 8th June we left
our camp at Port Republic and as I supposed
in quarters for one day at least my horse all turned
out to grass. I was very much surprised to hear
a loud cannonading at or near the Bridge over the Shenandoah
River. Knowing that the enemy was on that
side of the River and believing that he had made
his appearance I immediately ordered my horses
to be caught and harnessed & my Battery put in
readiness for action. At this time I received an order
from you to move my Battery forward as soon as
possible. I did so and placed it in position at
a point indicated by yourself. Upon looking across the
River I saw the Enemy's Cavalry in full retreat, and
upon looking down the River I observed his Infantry
coming upon which I turned my pieces and opened
fire. We were at first very obtuse and appeared
determined to move forward. But a few rounds from
our Battery upon the head of his Column, soon brought
him the importance of the "shoot first & double quick"
in his battle. I then kept up a fire upon his
retreating column advancing by half Battery so long
as he was in sight. After remaining some time at
the last position occupied some half a mile below the
Bridge I received orders to move to camp.
Early in the morning on the 9th June I received
orders to move my Battery across the South River

After proceeding a short distance down the River
on the Head Landing to Swift Run, The Enemies
Pickets were driven back of my forces were
continued and one or two rounds drove them
off. I then ordered them to climb up and move
to the right, about this time the Enemy opened fire
upon us. I then ordered them to move my forces forward
and through a line that was just in front of me.

After examining the ground I found that it was impossible
to move artillery through in consequence of the thick under-
growth; I repeated this order to Capt. O'Brien. When he
discovered that I intended to move one section of
my artillery to the support of the left. I did so
under the command of St. M. Kendra. Who reported
to the Genl. as per order and then ordered to take position
on the extreme left. Of the operations of this section
the Genl. must be acquainted as it was under his
immediate observation nearly the whole time. With Capt.
O'Brien's permission I ordered the other section under
command of St. Caspatic to take a position on the
extreme right. He did so and as the enemy's artillery
there and by so doing to get a cross fire upon
the enemy. He would forward great thick shot range
of the enemy's guns, and fired upon him with shell
very soon the Infantry of the enemy began to advance
upon him. When I ordered a round or two of
cannon which staggered them, he continued to fire
cannon into their ranks, and maintained his ground
until his ammunition expired a few shells was expended
in consequence of which and the close proximity
of the enemy I ordered him to move to the right
and fire his cannon against I then went to look
after my other section on the left. After getting

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nearly there I found that it had already been ordered
to that point. The artillery stuck near a sharp corner
having been fighting previously with cannon and shot
very well. The following is a list of the casualties
sustained in my company.

Thomas Jordan supposed to be mortally
wounded - In hand
Sergeant S. Carpenter severely in arm
William M. Allen slightly in side
John Mackay " " in thigh
George Byrd " " in chest
Col. 2 horses killed - 3 disabled and had
to be left in the field -

Very Resp. & Fully Submitted

Jos. Carpenter
Company Captain

From the 20th June 70
Do. 9th 5th 11 not engaged