

merit, while I personally have to deplore the loss of an attached and faithful friend.

Brigadier-General Strangways was known to have distinguished himself in early life, and in mature age throughout a long service, he maintained the same character.

The mode in which he had conducted the command of the Artillery, since it was placed in his hands by the departure through illness of Major-General Cator, is entitled to my entire approbation, and was equally agreeable to those who were confided to his care.

Brigadier-General Goldie was an officer of considerable promise, and gave great satisfaction to all under whom he has served.

It is difficult to arrive at any positive conclusion as to the actual numbers brought into the field by the enemy. The configuration of the ground did not admit of any great development of their force, the attack, consisting of a system of repeated assaults in heavy masses of columns; but judging from the numbers that were seen in the plains after they had withdrawn in retreat, I am led to suppose that they could not have been less than sixty thousand men. Their loss was excessive, and it is calculated that they left on the field near five thousand dead, and that their casualties amount in the whole, in killed, wounded, and prisoners, to not less than 15,000.

Your Grace will be surprised to learn that the number of British Troops actually engaged little exceeded 8,000 men, whilst those of General Bosquet's division only amounted to 6,000, the remaining available French troops on the spot having been kept in reserve.

I ought to mention, that while the enemy was attacking our right, they assailed the left of the French trenches, and actually got into two of their batteries; but they were quickly driven out in the most gallant manner with considerable loss, and hotly pursued to the very walls of Sebastopol.

I have, &c.

RAGLAN.

His Grace the Duke of Newcastle,
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Return of Casualties on the 5th November, 1854.

Staff—5 officers, killed; 12 officers, wounded.
 4th Light Dragoons—2 rank and file, wounded
 11th Hussars—1 rank and file, wounded.
 17th Lancers—1 officer, killed; 1 rank and file, wounded.
 Artillery—2 officers, 3 serjeants, 10 rank and file, killed; 4 officers, 5 serjeants, 71 rank and file, wounded.
 3rd Battalion of Grenadier Guards—3 officers, 3 serjeants, 1 drummer, 27 rank and file, killed; 6 officers, 6 serjeants, 1 drummer, 144 rank and file, wounded; 30 rank and file, missing.
 1st Battalion of Coldstream Guards—8 officers, 3 serjeants, 9 rank and file, killed; 5 officers, 6 serjeants, 110 rank and file, wounded; 53 rank and file, missing.
 1st Battalion of Scots Fusilier Guards—1 officer, 2 serjeants, 21 rank and file, killed; 8 officers, 8 serjeants, 2 drummers, 109 rank and file, wounded; 16 rank and file, missing.
 1st Regiment of Foot—1 rank and file, killed.
 7th Regiment—5 rank and file, killed; 5 officers, 2 serjeants, 1 drummer, 46 rank and file, wounded; 8 rank and file, missing.

19th Regiment—1 officer, 1 rank and file, killed; 3 rank and file, wounded.

20th Regiment—1 officer, 2 serjeants, 10 rank and file, killed; 8 officers, 17 serjeants, 1 drummer, 104 rank and file, wounded; 28 rank and file, missing.

21st Regiment—1 officer, 13 rank and file, killed; 6 officers, 11 serjeants, 79 rank and file, wounded; 11 rank and file, missing.

23rd Regiment—7 rank and file, killed; 1 officer, 2 serjeants, 18 rank and file, wounded; 1 officer, 1 serjeant, 11 rank and file, missing.

30th Regiment—2 officers, 27 rank and file, killed; 5 officers, 4 serjeants, 97 rank and file, wounded.

33rd Regiment—1 officer, 6 rank and file, killed; 2 officers, 3 serjeants, 52 rank and file, wounded.

41st Regiment—5 officers, 2 serjeants, 53 rank and file, killed; 6 officers, 4 serjeants, 2 drummers, 95 rank and file, wounded.

46th Regiment—2 officers, 2 serjeants, 24 rank and file, wounded; 12 rank and file, missing.

47th Regiment—19 rank and file, killed; 2 officers, 2 serjeants, 43 rank and file, wounded.

49th Regiment—2 officers, 1 serjeant, 1 drummer, 37 rank and file, killed; 11 serjeants, 1 drummer, 107 rank and file, wounded.

50th Regiment—1 officer, 8 rank and file, killed; 1 officer, 1 drummer, 20 rank and file, wounded.

55th Regiment—18 rank and file, killed; 5 officers, 4 serjeants, 54 rank and file, wounded.

57th Regiment—1 officer, 3 serjeants, 1 drummer, 9 rank and file, killed; 3 officers, 5 serjeants, 1 drummer, 69 rank and file, wounded.

63rd Regiment—3 officers, 12 rank and file, killed; 7 officers, 7 serjeants, 2 drummers, 82 rank and file, wounded.

68th Regiment—2 officers, 4 rank and file, killed; 2 officers, 2 serjeants, 2 drummers, 29 rank and file wounded; 2 serjeants, 12 rank and file, missing.

77th Regiment—1 officer, 2 serjeants, 17 rank and file killed; 2 serjeants, 1 drummer, 34 rank and file, wounded; 1 rank and file missing.

88th Regiment—4 serjeants, 18 rank and file, killed; 2 officers, 9 serjeants, 71 rank and file, wounded.

95th Regiment—2 serjeants, 25 rank and file, killed; 4 officers, 3 serjeants, 101 rank and file, wounded.

1st Battalion Rifle Brigade—1 officer, 4 serjeants, 11 rank and file, killed; 3 officers, 5 serjeants, 1 drummer, 77 rank and file, wounded; 3 serjeants, 9 rank and file, missing.

2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade—1 officer, 8 rank and file, killed; 1 officer, 1 drummer, 25 rank and file, wounded.

Total—43 officers, 31 serjeants, 4 drummers, 376 rank and file, killed; 100 officers, 120 serjeants, 17 drummers, 1668 rank and file, wounded; 1 officer, 6 serjeants, 191 rank and file, missing.

Ambulance—1 rank and file, wounded.

Royal Marines—1 serjeant, 4 rank and file, killed; 1 officer, 1 serjeant, 25 rank and file, wounded.

Grand Total—43 officers, 32 serjeants, 4 drummers, 380 rank and file, killed; 101 officers, 121 serjeants, 17 drummers, 1694 rank and file, wounded; 1 officer, 6 serjeants, 191 rank and file missing.

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