

1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

2723 Corporal Samuel Barwell, severely
3723 Private Thomas Swindell, slightly

12th December.

1ST ROYALS.

2519 Serjeant John Smart, slightly

57TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1480 Private Henry Thompson, severely
2479 Stephen Bates, slightly
1647 Simon Doyle, severely

13th December.

68TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2970 Lance Corporal James Lyons, slightly
3263 Private John Lawrisson, slightly

14th December.

20TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3186 Private William Tickner, severely

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

4063 Private James Dougherty, severely
3579 Joseph Hatton, severely

57TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

Private John Carruthers, slightly (this man is a volunteer, his regimental number in former regiment not known)

2170 Patrick Redmond, slightly
2282 William McConnell, slightly
1034 Peter Golding, slightly
1646 Michael Hanley, slightly

15th December.

19TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3024 Private Michael Frawley, severely
2815 William Morey, slightly

16th December.

1ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2256 Private John Innes, severely

21ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2290 Serjeant Michael Boulger, slightly
3105 Private Thomas Holdern, severely

J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT,
Adjutant-General.

War-Department, January 9, 1855.

HIS Grace the Duke of Newcastle has this day received two Despatches, of which the following are copies, addressed to his Grace by Field-Marshal the Lord Raglan, G.C.B.

MY LORD DUKE,
Before Sevastopol,
December 23, 1854.

A GREAT deal of rain has fallen in the last forty-eight hours, and the weather has again become very inclement.

The only occurrence in the siege operations has been a sortie made by the enemy on both our

right and left attack, during the night of the 20th, the one being conducted silently, the other with drums beating, and shouting; the first being probably the real object of the advance, as nearer to the Inkerman heights.

Owing to the extreme darkness of the night the enemy were enabled to come very near the right attack without being perceived, and having made a sudden rush upon the most forward parallel, they compelled the men occupying it to withdraw, until reinforced by a party under Major Welsford, of the 97th Regiment, when it was regained possession of, and the Russians retired, not however without occasioning some loss in both killed, wounded, and missing, Lieutenant Byron, of the 34th Regiment, being amongst the latter.

On the left attack, the enemy were met with great gallantry by Lieutenant Gordon, of the 38th Regiment, who, when supported by the covering party of the trenches, under Lieutenant-Colonel Waddy of the 50th, succeeded in at once driving them back. But here too I regret to say, the loss was still more severe, Major Möller, of the 50th, fell mortally wounded, and I am concerned to add is since dead, and Captain Frampton, and Lieutenant Clarke, both of the 50th Regiment, are missing. Sir Richard England speaks in high terms of the gallantry and vigilance of these troops, and of the distinguished conduct of Lieutenant-Colonel Waddy.

I enclose the return of casualties to the 20th inclusive.

Two regiments of French cavalry under General D'Allonville, made a reconnoissance on the 20th, towards the ground recently occupied by the enemy in front of Balaklava, while the 42nd Regiment, a detachment of the Rifle Brigade under Colonel Cameron, 42nd Regiment, and a battalion of Zouaves, made a corresponding movement on the extreme right. The latter saw only a picket of Cosaques, which retired upon their approach, the former exchanged shots with the enemy, and ascertained that they had scarcely any troops on the left bank of the Tchernaya.

I have, &c.,

RAGLAN.

His Grace the Duke of Newcastle,
&c. &c. &c.

*Return of Officers Wounded and Missing, from
17th to 20th December, inclusive.*

WOUNDED.

20th December.

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

Major J. O. Möller, dangerously, since dead

MISSING.

20th December.

34TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

Lieutenant J. Byron

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

Captain H. J. Frampton
Lieutenant M. A. Clarke

J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT,
Adjutant-General.