

## Daily Argus Newspaper Article- partial

January 16, 1863 Partial Article

[Note: This is only a partial article as the beginning is missing.]

wounded in the thigh.

Ira Bridgeford, Coal Valley, in leg.

Win. Guest, Rock Island, in thigh.

Huff, Rock Island, in leg. [There are two Huff's in the company, brothers, John B. Huff, corporal, and Walter Huff, musician. Lt. D. does not say which of them is wounded.]

Curtis Know, he says, is missing. He may be taken prisoner, perhaps.

Lt. D. says, "Loss in our company, 22, four wounded, do not know how many killed."

He says: "We left Nashville the 26th of Dec. and fought Hardee, on the Bowlingville Pike, two days before we arrived here. Last Tuesday the fight commenced here. We fought them for five days, and for three days nothing could be heard but the deafening sound of cannon. I do not yet know how I escaped so well, I am not hurt yet, but the front of my hat was carried away by a musket ball. We have fought over about eight miles square, four times. Our brigade was ordeeed [sic] to make a bayonet charge about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. We made a grand charge and routed the enemy. Our army is quiet to-day. We have a great many prisoners. Our dead are all buried, and our wounded all taken good care of. I think this afternoon or to morrow [sic] will determin [sic] the battle. We will not leave here until we take the place. I will write again as soon as the battle is over."