

Captain J. G. Frasier 19th Tennessee Infantry Newspaper

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Capt. J. G. Frazier.

A friend with the army at Shelbyville, sends the following in regard to the late Capt. J. G. FRAZIER, of Rhea County: Capt. J. G. Frazier, of Company D, 19th Tennessee Regiment, Stewart's Brigade, was killed in the fight on Wednesday, 'before Murfreesboro,' whilst gallantly leading his Company to a charge. We, his companions and associates in the thousand perils and hardships of a twenty 'months' service, can scarcely realize that he is gone, that his presence will no more enliven the camp fire, or his voice cheer us on in the storm of battle. A gallant soldier, a faithful officer and genial companion, he was beloved, not on'y [sic] by his own company, but by all his regiments. – And long after the strife of war shall have ceased, and gentle peace resumed her sway, will be remembered by his friends and companions in arms. His men will love to recount his many virtues, and recall those scenes of suffering and danger, in which their old Captain was with them, encouraging them to endure and brave all in their country's cause.

His remains were sent to his Tennessee home, in Rhea county [sic], in defence [sic] of which he poured out his life's blood, there to be consigned to its last resting place by weeping friends and relatives.

A FELLOW SOLDIER.