

Hayfield fight

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Time from 9 or 10 A.M to 5 p.m.

19 men in hayfield - a.m. - 9:30 - Indians yell & shoot - whites ran for corral + O.b. - soldiers had breechloaders + 50 cartridges apiece - & civilians had repeating rifles -
I had to keep out of sight - At ~~the~~ start

Lt. Steinberg + 1 soldier stood up to show off their courage + were both ~~b.~~ Others lay down + kept hidden - behind logs - everything above that was hit by Indians - the Capt Colvin was good shot, 16 shot repeaters + 1000 cartridges - fired 300 times + b. many Indians (?)

~~He~~ He shot 1st Ind. to cross creek -

His brother shot another one coming with a fire brand?

Order on pp 165-6-7- | 31 head of mules + 1 horse - all b. or wounded but 1 " + 1 mule.

White loss - Lt, Capt, Sgt, b. & 4 men wounded ^(including 1 sgt)