This remarkably spirited photograph of Better? 1st. Second U. S. Artillery, was, according to the photographer's account, taken as the battery was loading to engage with the Confederates. The aider, "cannoneer* to your post**" had just been given, and the men, running up, called to the photographer to hurry his wagon out of the way unless he wished to pay a hire for his name in the list of casualties. In June, the Sixth U. S. Artillery had made its third successful crossing of the KnappahumpMk, as the advance of Booker's movement against the Battery I) at once took position with other artillery out in the fields near the

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This is another photograph taken under fire and shows Us Battery ft. Kзвrt Pennsylvania Light Artillery, in action before Petersburg, 1864. Brady, the veteran photographer, obtained permission to take a picture of "Cooper's Battery," in position for battle. The first attempt provoked the fire of the Confederates, who supposed that the naming forward of the artillerists was with hostile intent. The Confederate yims frightened Brady's horse which ran off with his wagon and his assistant, upsetting and destroying his chemicals. In the picture to the left, Captain James II. Cooper himself is seen leaning a sword at the