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OF THE VARIOUS

PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INSTITUTIONS

FOR THE YEAR

1874.

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OF THE

ADJUTANT GENERAL

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

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STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Augusta, December, 31, 1873. }

To His Excellency SIDNEY PERHAM,
Governor and Commander-in-Chief:

SIR,—I have the honor to herewith transmit my report as
Adjutant General, Acting Quartermaster and Paymaster-General,
for the year ending December 31, 1873.

Very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.



REPORT.

Since the first of January last applications have been received from various parts of the State for permission to organize military companies, some requesting to be furnished with arms and equipments only, while others desired to be uniformed as well as equipped. But it has not been deemed advisable to encourage the formation of new companies, and none have been accepted.

The ten companies of infantry which were organized under the law of 1869, and uniformed at the expense of the State, have been constituted a regiment and experienced officers have been elected to command it. Besides this regiment, there are two companies of infantry and one of light artillery. The infantry companies have been supplied with uniforms at private expense, but the artillery has, by a law of 1873, been uniformed by the State and placed upon the same footing as the First Regiment of Infantry.

By an order issued in 1872, Major General Joshua L. Chamberlain was placed in command of the Volunteer Militia, but it was found that in many matters it would be much more in harmony with the theory of the law for his command to be designated as a Division, and consequently, by an order issued on the thirtieth day of June last, a Division was established, and General Chamberlain assigned to the command.

UNIFORMS.

In the month of February last a Board of officers, consisting of Gen. Charles P. Mattocks, Gen. George L. Beal, Gen. Isaac Dyer, Gen. Daniel White and Capt. A. S. Perham, was convened for the purpose of adopting a uniform for the militia. After carefully considering the subject, one was adopted which very nearly corresponds to the uniform recently prescribed for the United States army. Seven of the existing companies were entitled by law to uniforms or commutation thereof this year, and it having been deemed best for the interests of the State, it was determined that

clothing should not be commuted but issued in kind to the companies, thus securing uniformity. Accordingly proposals were solicited for furnishing the amount of clothing required. Many offers were submitted, but the lowest was accepted, and the uniforms have been received and issued to those entitled to them.

Three of the companies of the First Regiment are yet to be supplied with clothing, and they will become entitled to it during the ensuing year.

ENCAMPMENT.

The encampment, which commenced at Deering on the nineteenth and ended on the twenty-third of August, under the direction of Major General Joshua L. Chamberlain, was, I believe, highly satisfactory in most particulars. A detailed account of it will be found in the accompanying reports of the Major General commanding the troops and of the Inspector General, both of which contain suggestions and recommendations of importance.

MILITIA LAW.

Some modifications should, I think, be made in the law governing the militia. The law now requires that the maximum number of a company of infantry shall be ninety-eight enlisted men, and the minimum number eighty-two, and that no new company shall be organized unless it has the maximum number, and that no election of officers shall be ordered in a company having less than the minimum. Only sixty uniforms having been furnished to any company of infantry by the State, it might be well to provide that the minimum number of enlisted men in an infantry company shall be sixty instead of eighty-two, so that company commanders may not be obliged to carry upon their rolls names of men who render no service and who cannot appear in the ranks, in order that vacancies among the officers may be filled. It might also be well to have the maximum number reduced.

Some modification should also be made respecting the number of enlisted men constituting a battery of light artillery.

The law also should, I think, better define the length of time for which officers of the staff and line shall be commissioned. Men are enlisted for the period of six years, but the length of time for which officers are elected or appointed is not so clearly established. In these particulars, at least, the law might well be amended.

ORGANIZED FORCE.

		DIVISION OFFICERS.										FIELD, STAFF, AND N. C. STAFF.										LINE OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN.									
		Major General.	Division Inspector.	Assistant Adjutant General.	Division Quartermaster.	Division Commissary of Subsistence.	Division Judge Advocate.	Aides-de-Camp.	Colonel.	Lieut Colonel.	Major.	Adjutant.	Quartermaster.	Surgeon.	Assistant Surgeons.	Chaplain.	Sergeant Major.	Q. M. Sergeant.	Commissary Sergt.	Hospital Steward.	Principal Musicians.	Captains.	1st Lieutenants.	2d Lieutenants.	Sergeants.	Corporals.	Musicians.	Artificers.	Wagoners.	Privates.	Total Enlisted.	Aggregate Enlisted and Commissioned.
FIRST DIVISION.		1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	5	6	2	...	1	51	65	68
1st Regiment Infantry Maine Vol. Militia ...	Company A....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	5	6	2	...	1	57	71	74
	Company B....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	5	6	2	...	1	53	68	71
	Company C....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	5	6	2	...	1	60	75	77
	Company D....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	5	6	2	...	1	64	79	82
	Company E....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	5	6	2	...	1	39	53	56
	Company F....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	5	6	2	...	1	38	53	56
	Company G....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	5	6	2	...	1	54	69	72
	Company H....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	5	6	2	...	1	82	98	101
	Company I....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	5	6	2	...	1	82	91	94
	Company K....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	3	6	...	...	...	...	...	...
Unassigned Companies.	Portland Montgomery Gds.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	9	10	48	75	15	...	4	580	722	751	
	Biddeford Light Infantry..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	5	7	2	...	1	83	98	101	
	Androscoggin Light Art...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	8	12	2	2	1	120	145	149	
Totals		1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	13	12	14	66	101	21	2	6	864	1,060	1,099	
																		1,066	1,123												

ADJUTANT GENERALS REPORT.

ENROLMENT.

By an Act of the Legislature of 1873, a new enrolment of the militia was required to be made and completed by the fifteenth of June last. Blanks were prepared and sent from this office to each city, town and plantation in the State, for use of the municipal officers in making the returns. In a few instances the local authorities have failed to make the enrolment, but the whole number of delinquent towns will not exceed twenty, while in 1865, when the enrolment of that year was made, one hundred and thirty-nine cities and towns failed to make returns.

The enrolment of 1861, which was more carefully made than that of 1860, showed eighty-one thousand one hundred and forty-three men liable to military duty, while that of 1865, which was incomplete, showed only fifty-seven thousand seven hundred and eighteen. The number shown by the enrolment of the present year is seventy-nine thousand three hundred and eighty-eight.

The following schedule will show the number of men liable to military service returned by each city, town and plantation, and also the towns from which no returns have been received.

COUNTY OF ANDROSCOGGIN.

TOWNS.	Whole No. enrolled.	TOWNS.	Whole No. enrolled.
Auburn	1,428	Minot	250
Durham	174	Poland	207
East Livermore	95	Turner	161
Greene	No ret.	Wales	45
Lewiston	No ret.	Webster	78
Lisbon	309		
Leeds	126		
Livermore	160		
			3,033

COUNTY OF AROOSTOOK.

Amity	50	Linneus	101
Bridgewater	70	Littleton	78
Benedicta	38	Ludlow	50
Dalton	54	Lyndon	192
Easton	70	Madawaska	No ret.
Fort Fairfield	250	Mars Hill	67
Fort Kent	119	Masardis	20
Frenchville	258	Maysville	85
Grand Isle	85	Monticello	No ret.
Hersey	20	New Limerick	49
Hodgdon	114	Orient	24
Houlton	No ret.	Presque Isle	148
Island Falls	No ret.	Sherman	112
Limestone	43	Smyrna	35

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COUNTY OF AROOSTOOK—(CONCLUDED.)

TOWNS.	Whole No. enrolled.	TOWNS.	Whole No. enrolled.
Washburn	53	No. 11, R. 1 plantation.....	No ret.
Weston	66	Oakfield "	83
Alva plantation	89	Oxbow "	19
Bancroft plantation.....	29	Perham "	24
Castle Hill "	39	Portage Lake "	18
Crystal "	46	Reed "	8
Cyr "	57	Silver Ridge "	24
Eagle Lake "	No ret.	St. Francis "	No ret.
Glenwood "	39	St. John "	28
Hamlin "	65	Wallagrass "	58
Haynesville	14	Westfield "	17
Letter K "	11	Woodland "	40
Macwahoc "	No ret.	Van Buren "	138
Mapleton "	63		
Moro "	No ret.		3,160

COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND.

Baldwin	173	New Gloucester.....	189
Bridgton	389	North Yarmouth	127
Brunswick	500	Otisfield	141
Cape Elizabeth.....	732	Portland	4,504
Casco	161	Pownal	125
Cumberland	227	Raymond	183
Deering	498	Scarborough	249
Falmouth	217	Sebago	78
Freeport	311	Standish	240
Gorham	317	Westbrook.....	479
Gray	217	Windham	267
Harpswell	260	Yarmouth	301
Harrison	121		
Naples.....	151		11,157

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN.

Avon.....	72	Weld	150
Carthage	57	Wilton	200
Chesterville	108	Eustis plantation	51
Farmington.....	422	Letter E "	7
Freeman.....	No ret.	Perkins "	14
Industry.....	98	Rangely "	11
Jay	204	No. 6	9
Kingfield	79	Dallas plantation	24
Madrid	68	Sandy River plantation	No ret.
New Sharon	169	Washington "	6
New Vineyard	112	Lang "	11
Phillips	209	Green Vale... ..	8
Rangely	81	Coplin plantation.....	16
Salem.....	47		
Strong	92		2,415
Temple	90		

COUNTY OF HANCOCK.

TOWNS.	Whole No. enrolled.	TOWNS.	Whole No. enrolled.
Amherst	53	Orland	250
Aurora	36	Otis	45
Bluehill	273	Penobscot	185
Brooklyn	137	Sedgwick	167
Brooksville	208	Sullivan	135
Bucksport	545	Surry	66
Castine	158	Tremont	311
Cranberry Isles	71	Trenton	106
Deer Isle	520	Waltham	59
Dedham	56	Verona	63
Eastbrook	33	Long Island	17
Eden	95	Swan Island	62
Ellsworth	969	No. 7	17
Franklin	151	No. 10	No ret.
Gouldsborough	200	No. 21, Middle Division	11
Hancock	158	No. 33, Middle Division	19
Lamoine	101		
Mariaville	58		
Mount Desert	144		5,479

COUNTY OF KENNEBEC.

Albion	182	Readfield	161
Augusta	1,227	Rome	85
Belgrade	176	Sidney	170
Benton	162	Vassalborough	400
Chelsea	100	Vienna	99
China	218	Waterville	207
Clinton	167	Wayne	104
Farmingdale	94	West Gardiner	152
Fayette	116	West Waterville	267
Gardiner	No ret.	Windsor	120
Hallowell	167	Winslow	166
Litchfield	150	Winthrop	273
Manchester	68	Unity plantation	14
Monmouth	168		
Mt. Vernon	166		
Pittston	284		5,663

COUNTY OF KNOX.

Appleton	184	Thomaston	391
Camden	726	Union	229
Cushing	116	Vinalhaven	303
Friendship	110	Warren	344
Hope	118	Washington	126
North Haven	127	Matinicus Isle	26
Rockland	1,198		
South Thomaston	297		4,436
St. George	141		

COUNTY OF LINCOLN.

TOWNS.	Whole No. enrolled.	TOWNS.	Whole No. enrolled.
Alna	97	Somerville.....	76
Boothbay	308	Southport.....	121
Bremen	131	Waldoborough	444
Bristol	413	Westport.....	22
Damariscotta	135	Whitefield.....	200
Dresden	102	Wiscasset	286
Edgecomb.....	120	Monhegan Isle.....	28
Jefferson	175		
Newcastle	171		3,023
Nobleborough.....	194		

COUNTY OF OXFORD.

Albany	85	Norway	315
Andover	118	Oxford.....	135
Bethel	225	Paris	311
Brownfield	No ret.	Peru.....	104
Buckfield.....	174	Porter.....	134
Byron	34	Roxbury	24
Canton	147	Rumford	158
Denmark	168	Stow	66
Dixfield	124	Stoneham	74
Fryeburg.....	215	Sumner	141
Gilead	52	Sweden	85
Grafton	18	Upton	25
Greenwood	129	Waterford.....	185
Hanover	28	Woodstock	No ret.
Hartford	123	Franklin plantation.....	29
Hebron	98	Lincoln "	No ret.
Hiram	202	Milton "	27
Lovell.....	148	Riley "	7
Mason	19		4,052
Mexico	59		
Newry.....	66		

COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT.

Alton	86	Garland	183
Argyle	64	Glenburn	79
Bangor	2,403	Greenbush.....	95
Bradford	184	Greenfield	39
Bradley	163	Hampden	297
Brewer	459	Hermon.....	165
Burlington	96	Holden.....	105
Carmel	155	Howland	31
Carrroll	84	Hudson	116
Charleston	156	Kenduskeag	116
Chester	66	Kingman.....	32
Clifton	41	Lagrange	102
Corinna	185	Lee	136
Corinth	186	Levant.....	178
Dexter	349	Lincoln	260
Dixmont	133	Lowell.....	80
Eddington.....	126	Mattawamkeag	55
Edinburg.....	10	Maxfield.....	14
Enfield.....	89	Milford	83
Etna	103	Mt. Chase.....	35
Exeter.....	133	Newburg.....	180

COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT—(CONCLUDED)

TOWNS.	Whole No. enrolled.	TOWNS.	Whole No. enrolled.
Newport	158	Drew plantation	8
Oldtown	No ret.	Mattamiscotis plantation.....	8
Orono	319	Medway plantation.....	80
Orrington	200	Pattagumpus plantation.....	15
Passadumkeag.....	53	Webster.....	11
Patten	85	Woodville.....	30
Plymouth.....	121	No 2, Grand Falls.....	17
Prentiss.....	55	Whitney Range.....	4
Springfield.....	76	Lakeville	17
Stetson.....	93	Stacyville plantation	24
Veazie.....	139		
Winn.....	99		9,264

COUNTY OF PISCATAQUIS.

Abbot	95	Monson	107
Atkinson	93	Milo	133
Barnard	23	Orneville	92
Blanchard	25	Parkman.....	153
Brownville	165	Sangerville.....	158
Dover	208	Sebec.....	117
Foxcroft	143	Shirley.....	41
Guilford	130	Wellington.....	59
Greenville.....	60	Williamsburg	24
Kingsbury	26		
Medford	54		1,906

COUNTY OF SAGadahoc.

Arrowsic	37	Richmond.....	277
Bath.....	1,336	Topsham	207
Bowdoinham	188	West Bath.....	32
Bowdoin	147	Woolwich	118
Georgetown	No ret.		
Perkins.....	5		2,549
Phipsburg.....	202		

COUNTY OF SOMERSET.

Anson	251	Pittsfield.....	269
Athens.....	193	Ripley.....	85
Bingham	121	St. Albans.....	171
Brighton	82	Solon	134
Cambridge	59	Skowhegan.....	460
Canaan.....	238	Smithfield.....	102
Concord	72	Starks.....	146
Cornville.....	129	Dead River plantation.....	19
Detroit	101	Flag Staff ".....	8
Embden	129	Moose River ".....	13
Fairfield	402	West Forks ".....	13
Harmony.....	120	The Forks.....	30
Hartland	172	Carratunk	22
Lexington	58	No. 1, R. 2, W. Kennebec River	26
Madison	177	Jackmantown plantation.....	7
Mayfield.....	21	Highland ".....	24
Mercer	80	Carrying Place ".....	9
Moscow	60	Dennistown ".....	6
New Portland.....	161		
Norridgewock.....	218		4,567
Palmyra.....	179		

COUNTY OF WALDO.

TOWNS.	Whole No. enrolled	TOWNS.	Whole No. enrolled.
Belfast	1,012	Northport	115
Belmont	59	Palermo	161
Brooks	117	Prospect	134
Burnham	161	Searsmont	201
Frankfort	197	Searsport	321
Freedom	92	Stockton	126
Islesborough	140	Swanville	109
Jackson	102	Thorndike	127
Knox	137	Troy	154
Liberty	128	Unity	182
Lincolnton	283	Waldo	81
Monroe	175	Winterport	379
Montville	168		
Morrill	86		4,947

COUNTY OF WASHINGTON.

Addison	187	Marion	24
Alexander	71	Marshfield	46
Baileyville	39	Meddybemps	27
Baring	35	Milbridge	277
Beddington	27	Northfield	34
Calais	783	Pembroke	413
Centerville	22	Perry	124
Charlotte	52	Princeton	165
Cherryfield	236	Robbinston	61
Columbia	126	Steuben	178
Columbia Falls	101	Topsfield	49
Cooper	55	Trescott	70
Crawford	37	Wesley	49
Cutler	126	Whiting	60
Danforth	73	Whitneyville	67
Deblois	20	Codyville plantation	12
Dennysville	72	Jackson Brook plantation	30
East Machias	213	Talmadge plantation	16
Eastport	268	Waite plantation	15
Eaton	28	No. 7, Range 2	23
Edmunds	55	No. 14	30
Harrington	161	No. 18	5
Jonesborough	70	No. 21	21
Jonesport	153	Vanceboro' plantation	38
Lubec	193		
Machias	340		5,583
Machiasport	206		

COUNTY OF YORK.

Acton	113	Limington	208
Alfred	134	Lyman	163
Berwick	372	Newfield	156
Biddeford	1,407	North Berwick	217
Buxton	319	Parsonsfield	258
Cornish	177	Saco	981
Dayton	81	Shapleigh	137
Elliot	275	Sanford	330
Hollis	268	South Berwick	389
Kennebunk	361	Waterborough	253
Kennebunkport	351	Wells	314
Kittery	161	York	347
Lebanon	228		
Limerick	154		8,154

RECAPITULATION.

COUNTIES.	Whole No. enrolled.	COUNTIES.	Whole No. enrolled.
Androscoggin.....	3,033	Penobscot.....	9,264
Aroostook.....	3,160	Piscataquis.....	1,906
Cumberland.....	11,157	Sagadahoc.....	2,549
Franklin.....	2,415	Somerset.....	4,567
Hancock.....	5,479	Waldo.....	4,947
Kennebec.....	5,663	Washington.....	5,583
Knox.....	4,436	York.....	8,154
Lincoln.....	3,023		
Oxford.....	4,052	Total.....	79,388

STATE OF MAINE.

ROSTER OF THE GENERAL STAFF.

HIS EXCELLENCY SIDNEY PERHAM, *Commander-in-Chief.*

STAFF.

Lieut. Col. FREDERICK E. SHAW,	} <i>Aides-de-Camp.</i>
“ “ JOHN W. ATWELL,	
“ “ GEORGE W. PARKER,	
“ “ HENRY A. SHOREY,	

Col. GEORGE L. BEAL, *additional Aide-de-Camp.*

Brigadier General BENJAMIN B. MURRAY, Jr., *Adjutant General,*
Acting Quartermaster and Paymaster General.

Brigadier General J. MANCHESTER HAYNES,
Inspector General.

Colonel ADONIRAM J. BILLINGS,
Assistant Surgeon General.

Colonel ELIAS MILLIKEN,
Assistant Commissary General.

Colonel ALEXANDER B. SUMNER,
Assistant Judge Advocate General.

Major ALEXANDER H. S. DAVIS,
Military Secretary.

ROSTER OF MILITIA.

FIRST DIVISION OF THE MILITIA OF MAINE.

NAME.	Rank.	Residence.
JOSHUA L. CHAMBERLAIN	Major General.....	Brunswick.
Lt. Col. John Marshall Brown..	Division Inspector.....	Portland.
Maj. Seth C. Farrington	Assistant Adjutant General.....	Fryeburg.
Maj. Joseph W. Spaulding	Division Quartermaster.....	Richmond.
Maj. Joseph S. Smith	Division Commissary of Subsistence.	Bangor.
Maj. J. Frank Godfrey	Division Judge Advocate.....	Bangor.
Maj. Albert W. Bradbury	Aide-de-Camp	Portland.
Capt. Abner R. Small	Aide-de-Camp	West Waterville.
Capt. George S. Follinsbee	Aide-de-Camp	Lewiston.

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS OF VOLUNTEER MILITIA.

FIRST REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

FIELD, STAFF, AND NON-COMMISSIONED STAFF.

NAME.	Rank.	Date of Rank.	Residence.
Charles P. Mattocks.....	Colonel	April 11, 1873.....	Portland.
Daniel White.....	Lieut. Colonel.....	April 11, 1873.....	Bangor.
William H. Fogler	Major.....	April 11, 1873.....	Belfast.
Matthew Adams	Adjutant.....	May 1, 1873.....	Portland.
Samuel J. Gallagher.....	Quartermaster	June 1, 1873	Augusta.
George W. Martin.....	Surgeon	July 2, 1873.....	Augusta.
Charles O. Hunt	Assistant Surgeon...	July 29, 1873	Portland.
Frank W. Chadbourne.....	Assistant Surgeon...	August 1, 1873	Oldtown.
Joseph C. Snow.....	Chaplain	August 6, 1873	Auburn.
Alvin H. Jacobs	Sergeant Major	July 1, 1873.....	Portland.
Thomas P. Shaw	Quartermaster Sergt.	July 1, 1873.....	Augusta.
Ossian C. Phillips	Commissary Sergt. ...	July 1, 1873.....	Auburn.
Henry H. Butler	Hospital Steward ...	July 1, 1873.....	Bangor.
Daniel Skillings.....	Principal Musician..	August 6, 1873	Portland.
Isaac Prince.....	Principal Musician..	August 6, 1873	Oldtown.

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COMMISSIONED OFFICERS—(Concluded.)

COMPANY A.

NAME.	Rank.	Date of Rank.	Residence.
Nathan G. Fessenden.....	Captain	August 6, 1872.....	Portland.
De Porter B. Pride.....	1st Lieutenant.....	July 29, 1873.....	Portland.
Fred Proctor	2d Lieutenant.....	July 29, 1873.....	Portland.

COMPANY B.

Charles J. Pennell.....	Captain	April 22, 1873.....	Portland.
William C. Young.....	1st Lieutenant.....	April 22, 1873.....	Portland.
Jeremiah Ilsley.....	2d Lieutenant.....	April 22, 1873.....	Portland.

COMPANY C.

Delance Young.....	Captain	October 21, 1872.....	Auburn.
Murray B. Watson.....	1st Lieutenant.....	October 21, 1872.....	Auburn.
Eliphalet Noyes.....	2d Lieutenant.....	July 1, 1872.....	Auburn.

COMPANY D.

William W. Whitmarsh.....	Captain	April 19, 1873.....	Norway.
Arthur E. Dennison.....	1st Lieutenant.....	April 19, 1873.....	Norway.
	2d Lieutenant.....	April 19, 1873.....	Norway.

COMPANY E.

Isaac Dyer.....	Captain	October 9, 1869.....	Skowhegan.
Brooks D. Savage.....	1st Lieutenant.....	May 20, 1871.....	Skowhegan.
Asa S. Emery.....	2d Lieutenant.....	May 20, 1871.....	Skowhegan.

COMPANY F.

Charles B. Morton.....	Captain	Dec. 30, 1872.....	Augusta.
William H. H. Ware.....	1st Lieutenant.....	Dec. 10, 1870.....	Augusta.
Silas W. Wyman.....	2d Lieutenant.....	Dec. 30, 1872.....	Augusta.

COMPANY G.

Edward E. Small.....	Captain	April 24, 1873.....	Bangor.
James M. Davis.....	1st Lieutenant.....	October 11, 1873.....	Bangor.
Simeon A. Hapworth.....	2d Lieutenant.....	October 11, 1873.....	Bangor.

COMPANY H.

Andrew E. Clark.....	Captain	April 21, 1873.....	Belfast.
Fitz W. Gilbert.....	1st Lieutenant.....	April 21, 1873.....	Belfast.
Allen D. French.....	2d Lieutenant.....	April 21, 1873.....	Belfast.

COMPANY I.

Frank G. Flagg.....	Captain	Dec. 31, 1870.....	Hampden.
John E. Tribou.....	1st Lieutenant.....	Dec. 31, 1870.....	Hampden.
Andrew J. Emery.....	2d Lieutenant.....	Dec. 31, 1870.....	Hampden.

COMPANY K.

Melville M. Folsom.....	Captain	June 3, 1871.....	Oldtown.
Oscar E. Hinckley.....	1st Lieutenant.....	August 1, 1873.....	Oldtown.
Henry A. Pratt.....	2d Lieutenant.....	August 1, 1873.....	Oldtown.

UNATTACHED INFANTRY COMPANIES.
PORTLAND MONTGOMERY GUARDS.

NAME.	Rank.	Date of Rank	Residence.
Augustus J. McMahon	Captain	October 21, 1872....	Portland.
Peter S. Doyle	1st Lieutenant.....	October 21, 1872....	Portland.
Thomas H. Gately	2d Lieutenant.....	October 21, 1872....	Portland.

BIDDEFORD LIGHT INFANTRY.

James M. Andrews	Captain	April 28, 1873	Biddeford.
Joseph L. Small	1st Lieutenant.....	April 28, 1873	Biddeford.
Horace M. Davis	2d Lieutenant.....	July 25, 1873	Biddeford.

BATTERY.

ANDROSCOGGIN LIGHT ARTILLERY, (LEWISTON AND AUBURN.)

Aurestus S. Perham	Captain	Sept 27, 1872.....	Auburn.
Charles A. Hunter	1st Lieutenant	July 28, 1873	Lewiston.
Calvin W. Richardson.....	2d Lieutenant.....	July 28, 1873	Auburn.
John Carville	2d Lieutenant.....	July 28, 1873	Lewiston.
Thomas B. Mennealy*.....	2d Lieutenant.....	Sept. 27, 1872.....	Lewiston.

* Has been promoted to 1st Lieutenant, but no return of election received.

RESIGNATIONS DURING THE YEAR 1873.

FIRST DIVISION MAINE MILITIA.

NAME.	Rank.	Residence.	Remarks.
Charles Hamlin.....	Division Inspector	Bangor.....	Declined commission.

COMPANY B, FIRST REGIMENT INFANTRY MAINE VOL. MILITIA.

Andrew M. Benson.....	Captain	Portland	Resigned April 15, 1873
Edward W. Loveitt.....	1st Lieutenant...	Portland	Resigned Jan. 30, 1873.

COMPANY D, FIRST REGIMENT INFANTRY MAINE VOL. MILITIA.

Henry R. Millett.....	1st Lieutenant ...	Norway	Declined commission.
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COMPANY G, FIRST REGIMENT INFANTRY MAINE VOL. MILITIA.

James Dean.....	1st Lieutenant....	Bangor	Resigned Jan. 8, 1873.
Charles D. Clark	1st Lieutenant....	Bangor	Resigned Oct. 4, 1873.

COMPANY K, FIRST REGIMENT INFANTRY MAINE VOL. MILITIA.

Charles W. Lowell	1st Lieutenant ...	Oldtown	Resigned June 16, 1873.
Rufus D. Wadleigh	2d Lieutenant....	Oldtown	Resigned July 19, 1873.

BIDDEFORD LIGHT INFANTRY.

George N. Ward.....	2d Lieutenant....	Biddeford.....	Resigned June 24, 1873.
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ANDROSCOGGIN LIGHT ARTILLERY.

Addison A. Miller	2d Lieutenant....	Auburn	Resigned Feb 7, 1873.
John R. Perkins, Jr.	1st Lieutenant ...	Lewiston	Resigned March 10, 1873
Edwin D. Wigginn.....	1st Lieutenant ...	Lewiston	Resigned May 29, 1873.
William Dickey	2d Lieutenant....	Lewiston	Resigned June 27, 1873.

CORRECTIONS AND ALTERATIONS IN PREVIOUS REPORTS.

The following is a list of corrections and alterations to be noted in previous reports from this office :

NAME.	Rank.	§	Regt.	Remarks
Francis W. Sabine	Capt.	G	11 Inf.	Reported "died of wounds Sept. 17, 1864," page 406, vol 2, Adj. Gen. Report, 1864-5, also page 233 Adj. Gen. Report, 1866. It should read "died of wounds Sept. 15, 1864."
James P. Merrill	Priv.	H	1 Vets.	Reported "absent sick," page 1015, vol. 2, Adj. Gen. Report, 1864-5. Died at Fairfax Seminary Hospital, Va., June 14, 1865.
Jonathan Lewis	Priv.	C	19 Inf.	Erroneously reported as "deserted Aug. 31, 1863," page 600, vol. 2, Adj. Gen. Report, 1864-5. Was honorably discharged at Cony U. S. Gen. Hospital, Augusta, Me., June 23, 1865, for wounds received in action at Gettysburg, Pa., July 3, 1863.
David L. Tracy	Sergt	C	9 Inf.	Reported "sick in hospital," page 1063, vol. 2, Adj. Gen. Report, 1864-5. Was discharged on surgeon's certificate of disability July 10, 1865, at Foster U. S. Gen. Hospital, Newburn, N. C., on account of wounds received in action.

OFFICERS IN THE U. S. ARMY FROM MAINE.

The following is a list of officers who have been appointed in the U. S. Army from Maine, and now hold commissions therein :

NAME.	Rank.	Reg.	Corps.	Previous Service.
Curtis, Charles A.	1st Lieut. . . . .	.....	.....	Retired.
Cochran, Melville A. . . .	Captain	2	Infantry	
Coe, John N.	Captain	20	Infantry	
Corliss, Augustus W.	Captain	8	Infantry	
Daggett, Aaron S.	Captain	2	Infantry	Major 5th Me. vols.
Eastman, Seth	Lieut. Col . . . . .	.....	.....	Retired.
Fessenden, Joshua A.	1st Lieut.	5	Artillery	
Frank, Royal T.	Captain	1	Artillery	[and Maj Gen. of vols.
Fessenden, Francis	Brig. Gen. . . . .	.....	.....	Retired; Col. 30th Maine vols.
Gilman, Jeremiah H.	Captain . . . . .	.....	Com. Dept.	
Gilbreth, Benjamin H.	Mil. Stork'pr . . . . .	.....	Ord. Dept.	
Gibson, Augustus A.	Lieut. Col . . . . .	.....	.....	Retired 15th Dec. 1870.
Goodale, Greenleaf A.	1st Lieut.	23	Infantry	
Grover, Cuvier	Lieut. Col	3	Cavalry	
Gardiner, J. W. T.	Major . . . . .	.....	.....	Retired. [vols.
Howard, Oliver O.	Brig. Gen. . . . .	.....	.....	Col. 3d Me vols; Maj. Gen. of
Haskin, William L.	Captain	1	Artillery	
Howe, Albion P.	Major	4	Artillery	
Hunter, Edward	1st Lieut.	1	Cavalry	
Hall, Charles B.	1st Lieut.	19	Infantry	1st lieut. 30th Me. vols.
Howe, Marshall S.	Colonel . . . . .	.....	.....	Retired.
Ingalls, Rufus	Colonel . . . . .	.....	Q. M. Dept.	
Ilsley, Charles S.	Captain	7	Cavalry	Capt. 15th Me. vols.
Jewett, Horace	Captain	15	Infantry	

OFFICERS IN THE U. S. ARMY FROM MAINE—(Concluded.)

NAME	Rank.	Reg	Corps.	Previous Service.
Keyes, Charles W	1st Lieut. . . . .	.....	.....	Retired; 1st lieut. 32d Me. vols.
Lancaster, George	Captain . . . . .	.....	.....	Retired.
Lord, Thomas W	1st Lieut.	20	Infantry	2d lieut. 17th Me. vols.
Lee, Samuel P	Major . . . . .	.....	.....	Retired; major 3d Me. vols.
Munson, Samuel	Captain	9	Infantry	2d lieut. 5th Me vols.
McArthur, Malcolm	Captain	17	Infantry	
Manning, William C	1st Lieut.	23	Infantry	
Merriam, Henry C	Major	24	Infantry	Capt. 20th Me. vols.
Nordstrom, C. E	1st Lieut.	10	Cavalry	
Prince, Henry	Major . . . . .	.....	Paym'r Dept.	
Pike, Horace L	1st Lieut. . . . .	.....	.....	Retired.
Quimby, William M	Captain . . . . .	.....	.....	Retired; capt. 1st Me. Inf.
Robinson, Augustus G	Captain . . . . .	.....	Q. M. Dept.	
Sawtelle, Charles G	Major . . . . .	.....	Q. M. Dept.	
Sellmer, Charles	2d Lieut	3	Artillery	Capt. 11th Me. vols.
Smith, Jared A	Captain . . . . .	.....	Engineers	
Smith, Charles H	Colonel	19	Infantry	Colonel 1st Me. Cavalry.
Thompson, Lewis	Captain	2	Cavalry	
Tolman, Thomas M	Captain	1	Infantry	
Thorp, Frank	1st Lieut.	5	Artillery	1st lieut. 7th Me. battery.
Thomas, Henry G	Captain	20	Infantry	Captain 5th Me. vols.
Tracy, Albert	Major . . . . .	.....	.....	Retired.
Vose, William P	1st Lieut.	2	Artillery	
Wood, Henry C	Major . . . . .	.....	A. A. Gen.	
Weeks, George H	Captain . . . . .	.....	Q. M. Dept.	
Whitman, Royal E	1st Lieut.	3	Cavalry	Colonel 30th Me. vols.
Witherell, Charles T	1st Lieut.	19	Infantry	Captain 7th Me. vols.
Whiting, Leonard J	1st Lieut. . . . .	.....	.....	Retired.
Porter, James E	1st Lieut.	7	Cavalry	
Palfrey, Carl F	2d Lieut . . . . .	.....	Engineers	
Green, Benjamin D	1st Lieut. . . . .	.....	Engineers	
Varney, Almon L	2d Lieut . . . . .	.....	Ord Dept	
Kelley, Moses J	Post Chaplain . . . . .	.....	.....
Rogers, J. Sumner	2d Lieut	1	Infantry	
Hoffman, William	1st Lieut.	11	Infantry	

Knox, Edward B., 1st Lieut. Retired; 2d Lieut. 12th Infantry.

Osgood, Henry B., 1st Lieut. 3d Artillery. Appointed to the Academy from "at large."

Wheeler, Harris A., 2d Lieut. 25th Infantry.

Merriam, Lewis, 2d Lieut. 4th Infantry.

Eaton, George O., 2d Lieut. 5th Cavalry.

Brown, Edward T., 2d Lieut. 5th Artillery.

STATE PENSIONS.

The amount appropriated for State pensions for the present year was \$25,000.00, being \$5,000.00 less than the sum appropriated for this purpose in 1872.

The number of applications received during the year is 726, of which 617 have been allowed and 109 disallowed. The amount allowed upon applications made during the year is \$21,646.55. The number of applications received in 1872 was 813, showing a decrease of 87 for the present year; and the amount allowed in 1872 was \$22,358.36, showing an expenditure of \$711.81 less than in 1872.

The applications received were as follows, viz :

From disabled soldiers and seamen.....	237
“ widows.....	289
“ dependent mothers.....	151
“ dependent sisters.....	2
“ guardians representing 78 orphan children....	42
“ guardians of adult persons.....	5
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Total.....	726

Of those to whom pensions have been granted during the year the following number have died, viz :

Soldiers.....	3
Widows.....	3
Mothers.....	4
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Total.....	10
Widows, remarried.....	2

The object of the law granting State pensions was to aid only those soldiers and seamen who were disabled while in service in the war of 1861, or if deceased, those dependent on them who, without assistance from the State, would become subjects of public or private charity.

Some exceptions are taken to the law in that persons applying for aid under its provisions must certify that without such assistance they are liable to become subjects of public charity, or paupers, while, it is claimed, they should be entitled to assistance before that extreme condition of their affairs takes place, and

without being required to make a statement which they regard as humiliating.

An orphan child is not entitled and cannot now receive a pension from the State after it becomes twelve years of age, although its necessities, by reason of sickness or other misfortune, may be as great or greater than when only eleven years of age. But this class of persons, it was expected, would be properly cared for by the "Board of Guardians of Indigent Orphans," so that no injustice would be done by fixing the age of twelve instead of sixteen years as the time when State pensions granted to orphan children should cease.

While it may be true that some persons, whose claims are just, fail to receive assistance from the State by reason of not properly presenting their cases, it is also probably true that some succeed in obtaining it by reason of false or fraudulent representations who are not entitled, for it has been found impossible to determine with entire certainty in all cases the justice of the claims presented.

There are now 10,860 persons in the State who are receiving pensions from the United States, and the amount paid them for the year ending June 30, 1873, was \$1,224,640.90.

The aid which is annually distributed by the State through the treasurers of cities and towns in quarterly payments as pensions, although comparatively small, and diminishing each year, is still a matter of so much importance to those who are entitled to receive it as to make its continuance for some years to come a necessity.

The act by which these pensions are authorized expires on the thirty-first day of December. It should be continued in force. An appropriation of \$25,000.00 will be sufficient for the ensuing year.

Certificates have been issued during the year for the reimbursement of cities and towns for advances made to pensioners prior to the present year, to the amount of \$17,947.95; and for advances made the present year to the amount of \$3,133.00. There appears to be due to local treasurers for advances made the present year, the sum of \$18,513.55.

The following schedule shows the amount which has been allowed in each city, town and plantation, on application made within the year :

Schedule of State Pensions for 1873.

TOWNS.	Number of Pensioners	Amount allowed in each town.	TOWNS.	Number of Pensioners	Amount allowed in each town.
Abbot	1	\$24 00	Dalton	1	\$36 00
Albany	2	48 00	Damariscotta	3	192 00
Albion	2	60 00	Dead River plantation	2	76 00
Alton	1	60 00	Deblois	1	24 00
Anson	3	96 00	Deering	2	48 00
Appleton	2	72 00	Dennysville	1	24 00
Auburn	3	120 00	Dexter	1	60 00
Augusta	26	1,100 00	Dixmont	6	228 00
Avon	1	24 00	Dover	1	48 00
Arrowsie	1	24 00	Dresden	1	36 00
Baileyville	1	36 00	East Livermore	1	48 00
Bancroft plantation	2	72 00	Eden	2	60 00
Bangor	28	849 00	Edgecomb	1	24 00
Bath	2	72 00	Ellsworth	1	24 00
Beddington	1	24 00	Embden	1	24 00
Belfast	10	372 00	Exeter	5	348 00
Biddeford	2	60 00	Farmington	1	36 00
Bluehill	3	84 00	Fayette	3	120 00
Boothbay	4	132 00	Fort Fairfield	2	96 00
Bowdoinham	3	120 00	Fort Kent	1	36 00
Bradford	3	84 00	Foxcroft	2	72 00
Brewer	5	144 00	Frankfort	5	108 00
Bridgton	3	72 00	Freedom	1	11 33
Bridgewater	1	48 00	Freeman	2	60 00
Brighton	1	24 00	Freeport	2	84 00
Bristol	7	228 00	Fryeburg	1	24 00
Brooksville	1	36 00	Gardiner	8	294 00
Brownville	1	36 00	Garland	1	24 00
Brunswick	1	48 00	Glenburn	1	48 00
Buckfield	1	36 00	Glenwood plantation	2	84 00
Bucksport	1	24 00	Gorham	5	168 00
Burlington	1	48 00	Greenbush	1	24 00
Burnham	1	24 00	Greenville	1	24 00
Calais	15	474 00	Greenwood	3	96 00
Camden	10	348 00	Hallowell	5	240 00
Canton	3	132 00	Hampden	6	195 00
Cape Elizabeth	1	84 00	Harrington	2	156 00
Carmel	3	108 00	Hartland	2	72 00
Carthage	1	36 00	Hermon	2	84 00
Castine	2	48 00	Highland plantation	1	24 00
Castle Hill plantation	1	36 00	Hiram	1	36 00
Caseo	1	24 00	Hope	1	36 00
Centerville	1	36 00	Houlton	2	60 00
Charlotte	1	24 00	Hudson	3	72 00
Chelsea	2	120 00	Jay	3	96 00
Cherryfield	4	132 00	Jefferson	2	132 00
Chesterville	4	90 00	Jonesport	1	48 00
China	2	84 00	Kennebunkport	1	48 00
Columbia	1	24 00	Kittery	3	96 00
Concord	2	30 00	Knox	1	60 00
Corinna	3	132 00	Lee	1	24 00
Corinth	1	24 00	Leeds	2	108 00
Corville	1	36 00	Levant	1	24 00

Schedule of State Pensions for 1873—(Concluded.)

TOWNS.	Number of Pensioners.	Amount allowed in each town.	TOWNS.	Number of Pensioners.	Amount allowed in each town.
Lewiston.....	15	\$480 00	Rockland.....	8	\$264 00
Liberty.....	3	72 00	Rome.....	1	36 00
Lincoln.....	3	108 00	Roxbury.....	1	36 00
Linneus.....	2	60 00	Rumford.....	2	72 00
Lisbon.....	6	139 20	Saco.....	2	60 00
Litchfield.....	1	48 00	Salem.....	1	24 00
Littleton.....	2	48 00	Sangerville.....	1	36 00
Lovell.....	3	78 00	Searsmont.....	4	144 00
Lowell.....	1	60 00	Searsport.....	5	168 00
Lubec.....	1	48 00	Sebec.....	1	24 00
Machias.....	7	168 00	Shirley.....	1	36 00
Medford.....	1	48 00	Sidney.....	1	24 00
Mexico.....	2	96 00	Skowhegan.....	4	180 00
Milbridge.....	4	100 00	Solon.....	1	24 00
Minot.....	1	48 00	Somerville.....	3	72 00
Monmouth.....	1	96 00	Southport.....	1	36 00
Monroe.....	2	48 00	Springfield.....	1	24 00
Monson.....	1	24 00	Starks.....	1	48 00
Montville.....	3	108 00	Steuben.....	3	72 00
Morrill.....	1	48 00	Stockton.....	2	60 00
Mt. Vernon.....	1	48 00	Stow.....	2	48 00
Newcastle.....	1	24 00	Sullivan.....	1	48 00
New Gloucester.....	1	24 00	Sunner.....	1	60 00
New Limerick.....	2	72 00	Swanville.....	2	96 00
Newport.....	2	60 00	Thorndike.....	2	120 00
New Portland.....	3	84 00	Topsfield.....	1	24 00
New Sharon.....	1	24 00	Topsham.....	2	108 00
New Vineyard.....	2	144 00	Tremont.....	3	120 00
Nobleborough.....	2	60 00	Trenton.....	1	24 00
North Haven.....	1	36 00	Troy.....	3	120 00
Northport.....	1	60 00	Turner.....	2	132 00
Norway.....	2	72 00	Vassalborough.....	4	168 00
Oakfield plantation.....	1	84 00	Veazie.....	4	108 00
Oldtown.....	10	360 00	Vinalhaven.....	1	24 00
Orland.....	3	90 00	Waldo.....	2	72 00
Otisfield.....	3	144 00	Waldoborough.....	1	48 00
Oxford.....	5	216 00	Warren.....	1	24 00
Palermo.....	5	168 00	Washington.....	2	72 00
Paris.....	2	144 00	Washington plantation.....	1	24 00
Parkman.....	2	108 00	Waterborough.....	1	36 00
Parsonsfield.....	1	36 00	Waterville.....	1	48 00
Pembroke.....	9	348 00	Wayne.....	3	144 00
Perry.....	4	132 00	Wells.....	2	60 00
Pittston.....	4	108 00	Westbrook.....	5	120 00
Plymouth.....	4	144 00	Whitefield.....	2	84 00
Poland.....	9	396 00	Whitneyville.....	2	60 00
Portland.....	45	1,440 00	Windsor.....	6	156 00
Princeton.....	1	36 00	Winslow.....	2	84 00
Prospect.....	1	48 00	Winterport.....	1	48 00
Readfield.....	1	48 00	Winthrop.....	1	48 00
Richmond.....	11	396 00	Yarmouth.....	4	132 00
Robbinston.....	1	24 00			

The following tables show the sums which now appear from the records of this office to be due to towns for pensions allowed in 1869, '70, '71 and '72, and which will be paid on presentation of the proper receipts :

State Pensions, 1869.

TOWNS.	Amount.	TOWNS.	Amount.
Appleton.....	\$48 00	Ripley.....	\$12 00
Bangor.....	60 00	Salem.....	9 00
Lincolnville.....	9 00	Waldoborough.....	15 00
Machias.....	39 00		
Parkman.....	15 00		\$243 00
Poland.....	36 00		

State Pensions, 1870.

TOWNS.	Amount.	TOWNS.	Amount.
Bangor.....	\$88 23	Sangerville.....	\$12 85
Castle Hill plantation.....	12 85	Waldoborough.....	5 13
Lincolnville.....	33 86		
Pittsfield.....	3 85		\$161 90
Ripley.....	5 13		

State Pensions, 1871.

TOWNS.	Amount.	TOWNS.	Amount.
Bangor.....	\$6 00	Waldoborough.....	\$24 00
Deering.....	48 00		
Greenbush.....	12 00		\$90 00

State Pensions, 1872.

TOWNS.	Amount.	TOWNS.	Amount.
Bangor.....	\$720 00	Nobleborough.....	\$72 00
Boothbay.....	156 00	Oldtown.....	18 00
Bristol.....	240 00	Phillips.....	6 00
Corinna.....	9 00	Pittsfield.....	36 00
Dixmont.....	12 00	Parkman.....	192 00
Exeter.....	24 00	Pembroke.....	9 00
Farmington.....	72 00	Somerville.....	6 00
Hartland.....	6 00		
Leeds.....	108 00		\$1,695 00
Lexington.....	9 00		

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,

Adjutant General.

MAJOR GENERAL'S REPORT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRST DIVISION, }
Militia of Maine, Portland, Dec. 15, 1873. }

General B. B. MURRAY, Jr., *Adjutant General*:

SIR,—The returns required of me by law have already been made; but as it has been suggested that some further expression from me would be desirable, I respectfully submit the following:

Already commanding by assignment the Volunteer Militia of Maine, I was in June, 1873, placed in command of the First Division of Militia, embracing all the counties of the State. There being no organization of the militia, this second assignment might naturally be looked upon as a technical or geographical command, not vacating the former nor constituting the few volunteer troops now in service into a Division. But as I was recognized in orders from the Adjutant General's office as a division commander, it became my duty, under the provisions of section 96 of the Militia Law, to order an encampment of my command.

Under instructions and advice from the Commander-in-Chief the Encampment was held on the 19th of August, near the city of Portland, and comprised the First Regiment, consisting of the ten uniformed companies of Volunteer Militia, Colonel Mattocks commanding; the Montgomery Guards of Portland, Capt. McMahon; the Biddeford Light Infantry, Capt. Andrews; and the Androscoggin Light Artillery, Capt. Perham.

Some embarrassment in the forms of proceeding were experienced on account of the very imperfect organization, bearing the name of a Division, without Brigades, and composed of four independent and unequal commands. Such, however, was the good disposition and soldierly conformity to military discipline on the part of all concerned, that the objects of the encampment contemplated by law, were in a very high degree secured. The good order and discipline of camp I think have not been surpassed on any similar occasion, while as a school of instruction in tactics,

guard duty, and all the sanitary and police duty of camp, and in the practice of acting in a body, and in connection with other bodies, the encampment afforded the most useful lessons, and resulted in a success recognized by all, and appreciated by competent judges.

It is proper that I should refer to the commanders already named, and also to Lieutenant Colonel White of the First Regiment, with high praise, for to their ability, judgment and skill these good results are largely due. Much of the success of the encampment is owing to the experience and dutiful interest of the officers of my staff, among whom it is just that I should name Colonel John M. Brown, and to the untiring zeal of Colonels Parker and Benson of the Governor's Staff, whose services were kindly afforded me for this occasion.

We were honored by the presence of the Commander-in-Chief and his Staff with other distinguished gentlemen, including the Hon. Nelson Dingley, Jr., as well as by a visit from officers of the United States Army and others of high rank from Massachusetts and New Hampshire.

An interesting feature of the occasion was the visit of the three companies of Cadets in Portland, on the last day of the encampment, who amidst a drenching rain, and other discouragements showed a discipline and hardihood which did honor to their manliness. The troops, including the Cadets, were reviewed as a mixed corps on the last day by Governor Perham.

The general results of this first assembling of the State troops were very satisfactory. The Battery was handled with marked ability and spirit, and the unattached companies vied with those of the Regiment in soldierly accomplishments. The State will still look, however, as she has a right to, to the ten privileged companies now comprising the First Regiment, as her main reliance for military preparation. The object and intent of these organizations are still kept in sight, and now that they are in such efficient hands we should demand of them the highest excellence. It seems to me they meet the object of maintaining the spirit and nucleus of the citizen soldiery at the least expense to the State.

The encampment tested the working of the Militia Law of 1865, and found much in it to be defective and impracticable. It is of importance that it be revised and simplified. Col. Farrington of my staff—an officer of much experience, and familiarity with mili-

tary law, has suggestions of value, to which I would beg leave to recommend reference.

I will venture on a single suggestion—it is that the number requisite to a volunteer company be reduced. By what seems like a “clerical error,” the law now requires that no volunteer company shall be accepted unless its rolls contain “at least the *maximum* number of enlisted men,” which is ninety-eight. Fifty would be sufficient for all practical purposes, and would not only admit of more choice in the selection of men, but would save much embarrassment to commanders and much expense to the State.

I will add that every effort has been made on the part of all the officers concerned, to administer military affairs with the utmost economy for the State, although their own expenses in the discharge of duty, exceed by far the pay which they receive.

I have the honor to be, with high respect,

Your obedient servant,

JOSHUA L. CHAMBERLAIN,

Major General.

INSPECTOR GENERAL'S REPORT.

AUGUSTA, September 7th, 1873.

To *His Excellency* SIDNEY PERHAM,
Governor and Commander-in-chief:

SIR,—In accordance with the requirements of the militia law of the State, I have the honor to report that I attended the encampment of the volunteer militia, held at Portland, commencing the nineteenth and terminating the twenty-second of August.

Notwithstanding the heavy rain of the previous night, extending far into the forenoon of the first day, the companies arrived in good season at Portland and proceeded directly to the field.

The location was chosen with good judgment, at a proper distance from the city and of easy approach over a broad road. The field was ample and well adapted for the quarters of officers and men and for the manœuvres of the troops, except that the remains of ditches formerly used to drain the land sometimes impaired the excellence of the various movements. It is desirable that in the selection of ground for future encampments this evil be avoided.

The duty of establishing quarters and pitching tents was promptly and creditably performed, and the officers and men are to be congratulated upon the expedition with which the field was made to present the appearance of an encampment ready for duty. If there was any delay it was due to the inconvenience attending the collection of tents and camp equipage from great distances; many of the tents came from Massachusetts and New Hampshire. I would recommend that the State be furnished with tents and all equipage necessary for an encampment; great expense and inconvenience may be saved in this way.

The officers and company quarters and kitchens were visited twice each day, and were found to be neat and orderly; any laxity of discipline noted the first day was promptly corrected and did not occur again. The ranks of the companies were filled as well as they could be with the limited equipments furnished by the

State. The requisite company books were not in all cases found and an improvement in this respect should be enjoined.

The police of the camp was most thorough and excellent, and guard duty, though light, was faithfully and strictly performed. No intoxication was observed and quiet and good order prevailed throughout.

The amount of military duty performed was large; no time was wasted. Each day was fully occupied with reviews, drills and parades. Hardly too much can be said in praise of the proficiency and interest displayed by officers and men in the discharge of their duties.

In addition to the ten companies comprising the regiment, there were present as unassigned companies, the Portland Montgomery Guards, Captain McMahan, the Biddeford Light Infantry, Captain Andrews, and also the Androscoggin Light Artillery, Captain Perham. These companies joined in the duties of the encampment with great credit to themselves and honor to the State. These infantry companies form a fine nucleus for the organization of another regiment; without this their position as unattached companies must be a source of great discouragement to them. It is believed that by the formation of another regiment, our military organization would be stimulated and made a subject of more general interest to the young men now in it, and to others who might enlist in the service of the State. The uniforms of the soldiers, except three companies of the first regiment and the two unassigned companies, were those prescribed and issued by the State, and were well made and serviceable. The general and staff uniforms were of the pattern prescribed by the new United States Army Regulations, and were very fine.

On the occasion of the review of the command by Maj. Gen. Chamberlain and Staff, the field presented at once the brilliant pageant of mediæval tournament with the splendid ranks of modern military science. The inspection of arms and accoutrements was made on the last day of the encampment. Three companies were armed with the old Springfield muzzle loader while the others have the new breech loaders.

It is desirable that uniformity in this respect be established. Some of the guns were without tompons; some had illfitting bayonets; a few locks were defective; many of the bayonet scabbards were worn and their tips broken; some of the belts were defaced and unfit for service. Careful investigation showed that

in no case were these faults the result of negligence and unmilitary conduct on the part of the soldier, but existed when they were received from the arsenals. So far as the condition of arms and accoutrements depended on the care of the soldier it was found most excellent. I cannot too earnestly recommend the correction of these defects. The soldier should receive his first lesson in the care of his arms and equipments from the perfection and completeness of his outfit.

The encampment was in every respect successful. On the part of the officers there was an earnest disposition to teach and improve the men, and on the part of the men an equally earnest and sincere disposition to obey and to learn.

These military organizations are composed of men of character and ability, and the State should not fail to encourage and stimulate them to improvement, in every lawful way, in the service to which she has invited them. If the State has reason to be proud of her soldiers in the great war, she has reason to be proud of these young men who, fresh from that lesson of patriotism, are now enlisted in her service. I should neglect the obvious suggestions of this encampment if I did not most earnestly recommend a succession of them.

If the State is to spend anything in the improvement of the Volunteer Militia it should so be expended as to accomplish its purpose. If companies are needed, regiments are also needed. If company drill and discipline is necessary, battalion drill and discipline is also necessary. The art of war can be acquired only by practice in the field. It may be difficult after the terrible stimulus of actual war, with the confidence and security derived from victory, to feel much interest in the mock parade of the muster field, but this emotional reaction should not draw reason with it. We are but mortals yet, and may be called to repeat some pages of history that now seem vulgar and obsolete.

I should omit a duty if I did not express my acknowledgements for the uniform courtesy and kindness extended to me in my character of military inquisitor by both officers and men of the Maine Militia.

I have the honor to remain yours, &c.,

J. MANCHESTER HAYNES,
Inspector General.

QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S REPORT.

The value of ordnance and ordnance stores which have been received from the United States and issued for use of the militia during the year is \$1,792.50; and the sum of \$1,577.37 is still due to the State in ordnance from the War Department.

By reason of the new enrolment the State will be entitled to receive annually from the War Department about twelve hundred dollars more, in such ordnance as may be required for use of the militia, than under the enrolment of 1865, the basis of allowance being the number of enrolled men.

PORTLAND ARSENAL.

I have heretofore called your attention to what I regarded as the unsafe condition of the military property stored in one of the old Arsenal buildings in Portland. The building, although it belongs to the State, sits upon land which now belongs to the Maine General Hospital corporation, and its removal may be required at any time. If it is the purpose of the State to continue to keep any of its military property stored in Portland, as I think it should be, a better and safer place should be provided.

GUN HOUSE AT MILO.

By a resolve of the Legislature, approved February 6th, 1873, the Adjutant General was authorized to sell the Gun House and lot of land on which the same is situated in the town of Milo, in the county of Piscataquis, to any person or persons, and for such sum as he might think reasonable and right. After giving due notice of intention to sell, several proposals to purchase were received, and the property was finally sold and conveyed to "Dirigo Lodge" of "Odd Fellows," of Milo, for \$350.00, that being the highest offer received, and also a reasonable price, and the money was paid into the State Treasury.

CAMP AND GARRISON EQUIPAGE.

The encampment of the Volunteer Militia in the month of August last made it necessary for the Acting Quartermaster General to furnish tents for use of the troops during the time they were on duty in the field. There being no tents in the possession of the State suitable for such use, and no appropriation having been made for their purchase, it became necessary to obtain them for hire or by loan. Through the courtesy of General John M. Haines, Adjutant General of New Hampshire, fifty square tents complete were obtained without cost to the State, except for transportation, and the balance were hired of R. M. Yale, Esq., a manufacturer of tents in Boston. If the Volunteer Militia is hereafter to be called annually into camp, I respectfully suggest that it would be well for the State to purchase such camp and garrison equipage as would be required for use of the troops while in the field.

UNIFORMS.

Purchases of clothing have been made during the year as follows, viz :

425 uniforms for Infantry	\$8,181 25
90 uniforms For Light Artillery.....	1,732 50
426 full dress caps for Infantry,	} 1,274 52
90 full dress caps for Light Artillery, }	
	\$11,188 27

MILITARY PROPERTY.

The following tables show the amount of military property in the hands of municipal officers and individuals; also the amount in the possession of the military companies of the State, in the arsenals at Portland and Bangor, and at this office :

QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S REPORT.

TABLE No. 1.

CAPTAIN NATHAN G. FESSENDEN.

Company A, 1st Regiment Infantry Maine Volunteer Militia—Portland Light Infantry.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS, &c.

59 Springfield breech-loading rifle muskets	5 Wipers.
59 Bayonets for same.	3 Ball screws.
1 Springfield rifle musket.	1 Instruction book.
1 Bayonet for same.	5 Packing boxes.
35 Screw drivers.	75 Bayonet scabbards.
3 Main springs.	49 Waist belts.
3 Sear springs.	49 Waist belt plates.
3 Tumbler screws.	63 Gun slings.
3 Ejector springs.	50 Tompions.
1 Extractor.	2 N. C. O. swords, (complete.)
3 Cam latch springs.	2 Tenor drums.
13 Firing pins.	3 Pair drum sticks.
53 Firing pin springs.	1 Orderly book.
3 Firing pin screws.	1 Upton's Tactics.
3 Breech block cap screws.	60 Uniform dress coats.
5 Tumbler punches.	60 Pair pants.
3 Spring vises.	60 Full dress caps.
10 Cones.	

CAPTAIN CHARLES J. PENNELL.

Company B, 1st Regiment Infantry Maine Volunteer Militia—Portland Mechanic Blues.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS, &c.

61 Springfield breech-loading rifle muskets.	6 Waist belts.
61 Bayonets for same.	5 N. C. O. swords, (complete.)
42 Springfield rifle muskets.	4 Tenor drums.
40 Bayonets for same.	4 Pair drum sticks.
75 Tompions.	1 Orderly book.
6 Spring vises.	1 Militia Law.
4 Ball screws.	1 Upton's Tactics.
110 Gun slings.	1 Army Regulations.
75 Bayonet scabbards.	60 Uniform dress coats.
75 Cap pouches.	60 pairs pants.
1 Cartridge box plate.	60 Full dress caps.

CAPTAIN DELANCE YOUNG.

Company C, 1st Regiment Infantry Maine Volunteer Militia—Auburn Light Infantry.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS, &c.

80 Springfield breech-loading rifle muskets—cal. 50.	17 Tumbler screws,	} For B. L. rifle muskets.
80 Bayonets for same,	7 Extractors,	
80 Tompions,	17 Ejector springs,	
96 Gun slings,	17 Cam latch springs,	
70 Screw drivers,	17 Firing pins,	
14 Tumbler punches,	17 Firing pin springs,	
7 Spring vises,	17 Firing pin screws,	
17 Main springs,	17 Breech block cap screws,	
17 Sear springs,	3 Arm chests.	
90 Enfield rifle muskets.	23 Spare cones for Enfield rifle muskets.	
89 Bayonets.	19 Wipers and screw drivers for muskets.	
176 Bayonet scabbards.	6 Ball screws and vises for muskets.	
70 Cap pouches.	5 Packing boxes for guns.	
76 Gun slings.	2 Packing boxes.	
176 Cartridge boxes.	1 Fife.	
173 Cartridge box plates.	2 Tenor drums	
85 Cartridge box belts.	2 Set drum sticks.	
59 Cartridge box belt plates.	1 Orderly book.	
140 Waist belts.	1 Copy Upton's Tactics.	
141 Waist belt plates.	60 Uniform dress coats.	
4 N. C. O. swords, (complete.)	60 Pairs pants.	
	60 Full dress caps.	

CAPTAIN W. W. WHITMARSH.

Company D, 1st Regiment Infantry Maine Volunteer Militia—Norway Light Infantry.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS, &C.

68 Springfield breech-loading rifle mus-	2 Pairs drum sticks.
kets—cal. 50.	68 Springfield rifle muskets.
68 Bayonets.	68 Bayonets for same.
52 Gun slings.	75 Bayonet scabbards.
68 Tompions.	75 Cap pouches.
52 Screw drivers.	68 Gun slings.
10 Tumbler punches.	75 Cartridge boxes.
5 Spring vises.	75 Cartridge box plates.
13 Main springs.	20 Cartridge box belts.
13 Sear springs.	20 Cartridge box belt plates.
13 Tumbler screws.	75 Waist belts.
5 Extractors.	75 Waist belt plates.
13 Ejector springs.	5 N. C. O. swords, (complete.)
13 Cam latch springs.	50 Tompions.
13 Firing pins.	1 Packing box for guns.
13 Firing pin springs.	1 Packing box.
13 Firing pin screws.	1 Orderly book.
13 Breech block cap screws.	60 Uniform dress coats.
4 Arm chests.	60 Pairs pants.
1 Packing box.	60 Full dress caps.
2 Tenor drums.	

ARTILLERY.

1 6-pounder rifle cannon, (brass.)	1 Tompion collar and straps.
1 Carriage.	1 Rammer and sponge head.
1 Limber.	1 Ladle and worm.
1 Tar bucket, (iron.)	1 Sponge bucket, (wooden.)
1 Prolong.	2 Pole straps.
1 Gunner's haversack.	2 Artillery harnesses, (complete.)
2 Trail handspikes.	1 Riding saddle.
1 Tow hook.	1 Valise saddle.
1 Lint stock.	1 Valise.
1 Vent cover.	1 Leg guard.
1 Tube lanyard.	2 Nose bags.
1 Vent gimlet.	1 Whip.
1 Tube box.	2 Halters.
1 Priming wire.	1 Packing box.
1 Priming horn.	

CAPTAIN ISAAC DYER.

Company E, 1st Regiment Infantry Maine Volunteer Militia—Skowhegan Light Infntry.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS, &C.

72 Springfield breech-loading rifle mus-	4 Spring vises,	} For B. L. rifle mus- kets.
kets—cal. 50.	40 Screw drivers,	
72 Bayonets for same.	10 Ejector springs,	
144 Bayonet scabbards.	8 Tumbler punches,	
72 Tompions.	4 Extractors,	
72 cap pouches.	10 Main springs,	
72 Gun slings.	10 Sear springs,	
72 Cartridge boxes.	10 Firing pins,	
72 Cartridge box plates.	10 Firing pin springs,	
72 Cartridge box belts.	10 Firing pin screws,	
72 Cartridge box belt plates.	10 Tumbler screws,	
144 Waist belts.	10 Breech block cap screws,	
144 Waist belt plates.	10 Cam latch springs,	
5 N. C. O. swords.	4 Packing boxes for guns,	
1 Orderly book.	2 Packing boxes,	
500 Ball cartridges.	60 Uniform coats.	
	60 Pairs pants.	
	60 Full dress caps.	

CAPTAIN CHARLES B. MORTON.

Company F, 1st Regiment Infantry Maine Volunteer Militia—Capital Guards, Augusta.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS, &c.

59 Springfield breech-loading rifle muskets	5 N. C. O. swords.	
59 Bayonets.	5 N. C. O. waist belts.	
60 Cartridge boxes.	5 N. C. O. waist belt plates.	
60 Cartridge box plates.	5 N. C. O. shoulder belts.	
60 Waist belts.	5 N. C. O. shoulder belt plates.	
60 Waist belt plates.	1 Copy Upton's Tactics.	
60 Cap pouches.	3 Arm chests.	
60 Bayonet scabbards.	6 Extractors,	
60 Rifle slings.	15 Cam latch springs,	} For Spring- field B. L. R. Muskets
60 Screw drivers,	15 Firing pins,	
12 Tumbler and band punches	14 Firing pin springs,	
6 Spring vises,	15 Firing pin screws,	
15 Main springs,	15 Breech block cap screws,	
15 Sear springs,	1 Orderly book.	
15 Tumbler screws,	58 Uniform dress coats.	
15 Ejector springs.	58 Pairs pants.	
1 Tenor drum.	58 Full dress caps.	
1 Pair drum sticks.		

CAPTAIN E. E. SMALL.

Company G, 1st Regiment Infantry Maine Volunteer Militia—Jameson Guards, Bangor.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS, &c.

70 Springfield B. L. rifle muskets.	73 Bayonet scabbards.
70 Bayonets for same.	73 Cartridge boxes.
68 Screw drivers.	73 Cartridge box plates.
17 Main springs.	73 Waist belts.
7 Spring vises.	73 Waist belt plates.
17 Sear springs.	73 Cap pouches.
17 Tumbler screws.	70 Gun slings.
14 Tumbler and band spring punches.	5 N. C. O. swords.
17 Ejector springs.	5 N. C. O. waist belts.
7 Extractors	22 Camp stools.
17 Cam latch springs.	2 Tenor drums.
17 Firing pins.	2 Pairs ebony drum sticks.
17 Firing pin springs.	1 Orderly book.
17 Firing pin screws.	60 Uniform dress coats.
17 Breech block cap screws.	60 Pairs pants.
3 Instruction books.	60 Full dress caps.
4 Arm chests.	

CAPTAIN ANDREW E CLARK.

Company H, 1st Regiment Infantry Maine Volunteer Militia—Belfast City Guards.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS &c.

75 Springfield muskets.	70 Springfield B. L. rifle muskets.
75 Bayonets.	70 Bayonets for same.
75 Cartridge boxes.	68 Screw drivers.
75 Cartridge box plates.	17 Main springs.
75 Waist belts.	7 Spring vises.
75 Waist belt plates.	17 Sear springs.
75 Gun slings.	17 Tumbler screws.
75 Cap pouches.	14 Tumbler and band spring punches.
75 Bayonet scabbards.	17 Ejector springs.
10 Tumbler punches.	7 Extractors.
10 Screw drivers.	17 Cam latch springs.
5 N. C. O. swords, (complete.)	17 Firing pins.
4 Arm chests.	17 Firing pin springs.
1 Packing box.	17 Firing pin screws.
1 Fife.	17 Breech block cap screws.
1 Tenor drum.	3 Instruction books.
1 Pair drum sticks.	4 Arm chests.
1 Orderly book.	

CAPTAIN FRANK G. FLAGG.

Company I, 1st Regiment Infantry Maine Volunteer Militia—Crosby Guards, Hampden.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS, &c.

50 Enfield rifle muskets.	60 Springfield B. L. rifle muskets.
50 Bayonets.	60 Bayonets.
70 Springfield muskets.	60 Tompions.
70 Bayonets.	60 Screw drivers.
71 Bayonet scabbards.	15 Main springs.
70 Cap pouches.	6 Spring vises.
70 Cartridge boxes.	15 Sear springs.
70 Cartridge box plates.	15 Tumbler screws.
71 Waist belts.	12 Tumbler and band spring punches.
71 Waist belt plates.	15 Ejector springs.
120 Gun slings.	6 Extractors.
50 Tompions.	15 Cam latch springs.
5 N. C. O. swords.	15 Firing pins.
5 Waist belts.	15 Firing pin springs.
5 Waist belt plates.	15 Firing pin screws.
5 Shoulder belts.	15 Breech block cap screws.
5 Shoulder belt plates.	3 Instruction books.
6 Arm chests.	3 Arm chests.
1 Orderly book.	2 Drums, tenor.
	2 Pairs drum sticks.

CAPTAIN M. M. FOLSOM.

Company K, 1st Regiment Maine Volunteer Militia—Hershey Light Infantry, Oldtown.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS, &c.

70 Springfield muskets.	5 Tompions.
70 Bayonets.	58 Screw drivers.
70 Bayonet scabbards.	15 Main springs.
70 Cap pouches.	4 Spring vises.
130 Gun slings.	15 Sear springs.
70 Waist belts.	15 Tumbler screws.
70 Waist belt plates.	12 Tumbler and band spring punches.
70 Cartridge boxes.	15 Ejector springs.
70 Cartridge box plates.	6 Extractors.
10 Screw drivers.	15 Cam latch springs.
4 Arm chests.	15 Firing pins.
2 Tenor drums.	15 Firing pin springs.
2 Pairs drum sticks.	15 Firing pin screws.
2 Fifes.	15 Breech block cap screws.
1 Copy Upton's Tactics.	1 Instruction book.
1 Orderly book.	1 Packing box.
1 Copy Militia Law.	5 Arm chests.
65 Springfield B. L. rifle muskets.	5 N. C. O. swords, (complete.)
65 Bayonets for same.	300 Rounds metallic ball cartridges.

CAPTAIN A. S. PERHAM.

Androscoggin Light Artillery—Lewiston and Auburn.

ORDNANCE AND ORDNANCE STORES.

2 3-Inch rifled cannon, (iron.)	4 Gunners' haversacks.
2 Carriages and limbers.	12 Trail handspikes.
2 Caissons and limbers.	8 Lanyards.
4 Spare wheels.	8 Paulins.
4 Spare poles.	4 Priming wires.
2 12-Pdr. cannon, smooth bore, (brass.)	4 Prolongs.
2 Carriages and limbers.	8 Sponge covers.
2 Caissons and limbers.	4 Sponges and rammers.
2 Limbers.	8 Thumb stalls.
4 Sponges and rammers.	4 Vent covers.
2 Tube pouches.	2 Worms and staves.
4 Sponge buckets, (iron.)	2 6-Pounder rifled cannon, (brass.)
4 Gunners' gimlets.	2 Carriages.

ANDROSCOGGIN LIGHT ARTILLERY—(CONCLUDED.)

ORDNANCE, ORDNANCE STORES, &c.

2 Limbers and ammunition chests.	14 Bridles.
2 Gunners' haversacks.	32 Halters.
2 Trail handspikes.	16 Whips.
2 Swabs and rammers.	8 Leg guards.
2 Priming wires.	50 Nose bags.
1 Gunner's gimlet.	4 Pendulum hawfers and pouches.
1 Thumb stall.	8 Extra wheel and lead traces.
2 Prolongs.	16 Watering buckets.
1 Lanyard.	12 Pole straps.
100 Sabres.	6 Horse bunters for caisson poles.
100 Sabre belts and plates.	4 Pick axes,
1 Post horn.	4 Spades,
5 Field Artillery Tactics.	4 Chopping axes,
1 Orderly book.	5 Packing boxes for harnesses.
20 Connecting links.	90 Uniform dress coats,
32 Artillery harnesses, wheel and lead.	90 Pairs pants,
30 Riding saddles.	90 Full dress caps,
16 Valise saddles.	1 Artillery guidon.

CAPT. AUG. J. McMAHON—PORTLAND MONTGOMERY GUARDS.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS, &c.

82 Enfield rifle muskets.	82 Gun slings.
82 Bayonets for same.	6 Wipers, ball screws, &c.
82 Bayonet scabbards.	5 N. C. O. swords, (complete.)
82 Cartridge boxes.	2 Tenor drums.
82 Cartridge box plates.	2 Pairs drum sticks.
82 Waist belts.	4 Arm chests.
82 Waist belt plates.	1 Packing box.
82 Cap pouches.	1 Orderly book.

CAPT. J. M. ANDREWS—BIDDEFORD LIGHT INFANTRY.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS, &c.

98 Windsor rifles.	98 Gun slings.
98 Sabre bayonets.	2 Drums, tenor.
98 Sabre bayonet scabbards.	2 Pair drum sticks.
98 Sabre bayonet frogs.	200 Rounds ball cartridges.
98 Cartridge boxes.	5 Arm chests.
98 Cartridge box plates.	2 packing boxes.
98 Cap pouches.	1 Copy Militia Law.
98 Waist belts.	2 Copies Upton's Tactics.
98 Waist belt plates.	1 Orderly book.

TABLE No. 2.

MAJOR GENERAL J. L. CHAMBERLAIN, BRUNSWICK.

ORDNANCE, ORDNANCE STORES, &c.

2 12-Pounder cannon, (brass.)	12 Tow hooks.
2 Carriages and limbers.	6 Tube pouches.
2 Caissons and limbers.	4 Vent covers.
2 3-Inch rifled cannon, (iron.)	4 Vent pouches.
2 Carriages and limbers.	4 Fuse cutters.
2 Caissons and limbers.	2 Worms and staves.
4 Sponges and rammers.	4 Pole pads.
4 Spare wheels.	6 Pole straps.
4 Spare poles.	4 Axes.
4 Sponge buckets, (iron.)	4 Pick axes.
8 Tar buckets, (iron.)	4 Shovels.
16 Watering buckets.	7 Packing boxes.
4 Gunners' gimlets.	50 Rounds blank cartridges, (12-pounder.)
8 Gunners' haversacks.	75 Rounds solid shot, do
4 Gunners' pincers.	75 Rounds Shell-fixed, do
12 Trail handspikes.	25 Rounds case shot, do
8 Lanyards.	25 Rounds canister, do
8 Paulins.	200 Friction primers.
4 Pendulum saws.	26 Packing boxes for ammunition.
4 Pouches for same.	2 Fifes.
4 Priming wires.	2 Tenor drums.
4 Prolongs	2 Pairs drum sticks.
8 Sponge covers.	2 Army Regulations.
4 Sponges and rammers.	2 Upton's Tactics.
8 Thumb stalls.	

COL. CHARLES P. MATTOCKS—1st Regiment Infantry Maine Volunteer Militia.

250 Bayonet scabbards.	2 Regimental colors, infantry, (National and State.)
400 Waist belts.	4 Regimental markers.
400 Waist belt plates.	2 Regimental guidons.
41 N. C. O. waist belts and plates.	5 Copies Militia Law.
30 Musicians' swords.	1 Copy Upton's Tactics.
30 Musicians' belts and plates.	10 Company morning report books.
10 Tenor drums.	10 Company descriptive books.
10 Pairs drum sticks.	1 Regimental morning report book.
5 Fifes.	
2 Packing boxes.	

LIEUT. S. J. GALLAGHER, Quartermaster 1st Regt. Inf. Maine Volunteer Militia.

6 Water pails, wooden.	58 Spoons, table.
2 Camp kettles.	72 Knives, table.
31 Dippers, tin.	69 Forks, table.
12 Plates, tin.	5 Chopping axes.

LIEUT. MATTHEW ADAMS, Adjutant 1st Regiment. Inf. Maine Volunteer Militia.

5 N. C. O. swords.	5 Pairs pants for N. C. Staff.
5 Uniform dress coats for N. C. Staff.	5 Full dress caps for N. C. Staff.

COL. ELIAS MILLIKEN, Augusta—Assistant Commissary General.

1 Field Artillery Tactics.	1 Militia Law.
1 Army Regulations.	

COL. GEORGE L. BEAL, Chief of Staff to General Chamberlain.

1 Copy Upton's Tactics.

TABLE No. 3.

Return of Military Property in the hands of Municipal and other Authorities and Citizens, December 1, 1873.

ARTILLERY AND AMMUNITION.

COUNTIES.	Cannon.		Gun Carriages.	Trail handspikes. Sponges and Rammers.	Ladle and worms.	Lint stocks.	Priming horns.	Prolongs.	Bricoles.	Friction Primers.	Thumb stalls.	Gimlets.	Priming wires.	Lead aprons.	Ammunition Chests.	Gunners' haver- sacks.	Cannon Powder, (Kegs.)	Four pound solid shot.	Four pound canister shot.	Six pound solid shot.	Six pound canister shot.
	Rifled.	Smooth bore.																			
Androscoggin	1	....	1	....	....	1	1	1	8	100	....	1	1	1	1	1	3	....	....	12	12
Aroostook .....	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Cumberland .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Franklin .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Kennebec .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Knox	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	100	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Lincoln .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	10	250	....	....	....	2	1	2	2	....	....	....	....
Oxford .....	....	....	....	2	....	1	1	1	8	100	1	1	1	1	1	1	49	6	10	10	....
Penobscot	2	1	3	2	5	4	....	3	28	480	....	1	5	....	3	3	67	30	30	35	35
Piscataquis .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Sagadahoc	2	1	2	4	6	2	....	2	....	100	1	2	2	....	....	2	36	....	....	60	....
Somerset .....	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Waldo .....	....	2	2	....	....	....	....	1	....	100	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10	10
Washington	2	2	4	4	2	2	2	2	4	200	....	....	2	....	2	2	28	....	....	50	50
York .....	....	4	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
U. S. Authorities, Fort Sullivan, Fort Mc- Clary and Naval Service .....	....	5	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	8	17	23	10	15	8	4	11	8	58	1430	4	6	13	4	7	212	40	40	231	160

TABLE No. 4.

Return of Military Property in the hands of Municipal and other Authorities and Citizens, December 1, 1873.

ARTILLERY AND AMMUNITION.

COUNTIES.	Stenke rifle shot.	Cartridge bags.	Harnesses.	Caisons.	Lumber wheels, (sets)	Collar and straps	Port fires.	Port fire stocks.	Pole chains.	Sponge buckets.	Tarpaulins.	Port fire cases.	Tar buckets.	Vent aprons and straps.	Slow matches.	Artillery swords.	Trace chains.	Lanterns.	Port fire clippers	Collars.	Drag ropes.	
Androscoggin	24	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Aroostook
Cumberland	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Franklin
Kennebec
Knox	60	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lincoln	3	90	.....	1	.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Oxford	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Penobscot	145	.....	.....	1	.....	5	6	1	1	1	2	.....	1	15	10	8	4	1	.....	.....	2
Piscataquis
Sagadahoc	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Somerset	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Waldo	25	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washington	106	.....	3	2	.....	.....	.....	6	2	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
York	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
U. S. Authorities, Fort Sullivan, Fort Me- Clary and Naval service.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	3	470	-	18	4	2	5	10	7	6	6	4	2	1	15	18	8	4	2	2	.....	4

TABLE No. 5.

Return of Military Property in the hands of Municipal Authorities and Citizens, December 1, 1873.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS AND CAMP EQUIPAGE.

COUNTIES.	Springfield rifle muskets.	Enfield rifle muskets.	Colt's rifles	Cadet muskets.	Partridge rifles.	Musketoons.	Bayonets.	Sabre bayonets.	Bayonet scabbards.	Cap pouches.	Gun slings.	Drums.	Drum sticks, (pairs.)	Musicians swords.	N. C. O. swords.	N. C. O. shoulder belts.	N. C. O. shoulder belt plates.	Cartridge boxes.	Cartridge box plates.	Cartridge box belts.	Cartridge box belt plates	Waist belts	Waist belt plates.
Androscoggin.....	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	120	40	40	2	2	5	5	5	5	40	40	100	100	40	40
Aroostook.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cumberland.....	.....	85	.....	.....	.....	.....	85	.....	80	80	80	5	5	5	15	15	15	80	80	80	80	80	80
Franklin.....	.....	.....	60	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hancock.....	.....	141	.....	.....	.....	.....	146	.....	150	149	148	5	7	6	15	20	20	149	150	142	147	149	149
Kennebec.....	60	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	160	.....	160	160	160	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	160	160	160	160	160	160
Knox.....	40	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	44	.....	3	4	42	2	2	2	5	4	4	3	5	8	8	4	4
Lincoln.....	.....	140	.....	.....	.....	.....	140	.....	190	140	150	3	3	2	5	5	5	140	140	140	140	140	140
Oxford.....	2	.....	60	.....	.....	.....	62	.....	51	17	.....	2	2	2	5	5	5	53	53	40	40	.....	.....
Penobscot.....	295	230	.....	.....	.....	10	435	.....	431	622	470	13	16	4	36	36	36	650	661	699	699	569	585
Piscataquis.....	.....	65	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	.....	12	11	10	2	4	2	2	2	2	11	11	13	11	13	17
Sagadahoc.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	25	125	.....	150	150	100	2	2	2	8	8	8	150	150	150	150	150	150
Somerset.....	.....	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	60	60	60	2	2	.....	5	5	5	60	60	60	60	60	60
Waldo.....	.....	160	.....	.....	60	.....	220	60	190	190	190	4	6	6	5	5	5	190	190	190	190	190	190
Washington.....	100	410	.....	.....	.....	.....	510	.....	400	460	450	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	400	400	400	400	400
York.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	497	1493	100	60	60	35	2091	60	1997	2083	1850	44	53	36	108	110	110	2086	2100	2182	2185	2005	2025

TABLE No. 6.

Return of Military Property in the hands of Municipal Authorities and Citizens, December 1, 1873.

SMALL ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS AND CAMP EQUIPAGE.

COUNTIES.	Wipers.	Ball screws.	Screw drivers.	Spring vises.	Rifle appendages (sets.)	Cones.	Tompsons.	Tumbler punches.	Bullet moulds.	Swages.	Casey's Tactics.	Rifles and bayonets.	Cavalry sabres.	Sabre belts.	Pistols.	Holsters.	Canteens and straps.
Androscoggin			100				100					80					
Aroostook																	
Cumberland	20	20	20	20		80	65	20			2		3				82
Franklin																	
Hancock	44	40	44	40		140	112	25			1						
Kennebec	30	30	30			120	75	30									
Knox	28	22	32	22		83	79	20			1						
Lincoln												50					
Oxford	60	6	60	11		60	60	18									
Penobscot	150	70	89	72	25	70	70	130	10	70	4		50	50	100	50	
Piscataquis	24	6	6			75	40	12			1						
Sagadahoc	94	94	94	94		100	100	94									
Somerset	6	6	6	6		60	6	6									
Waldo	15	1	15	1							1						
Washington	15	15	15	15			60	15									
York																	
	486	310	511	281	25	788	767	370	10	70	10	130	53	50	100	50	82

TABLE No. 7.

Return of Military Property issued in 1867, '68, '69, '70, '71, '72 and '73, in the hands of Individuals.

ORDNANCE AND ORDNANCE STORES.

TO WHOM ISSUED.	6-Pounder rifled cannon, (brass.)	6-Pounder smooth bore cannon, (brass.)	Gun carriages.	Limbers.	Tar buckets, (iron.)	Ammunition chests.	Prolongs.	Gunners' haversacks.	Trail Handspikes.	Tow hooks.	Vent covers.	Thumb cots.	Tube lanyards.	Vent gimlets.	Tube boxes.	Priming wires.	Tarpaulins.	Priming horns.	Tompson collars and straps.	Rammers and sponge heads.	Ladles and worrus.	Sponge buckets, (wooden.)	Kegs cannon powder.	Trace chain.	Pole chain.
Hon. D. K. Hobart, Dennysville, Me.	1	...	1	1	1	...	1	2	1	1	1	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	1	2	1	1	1	...	...
Hon. Joshua Gray, Mayor, Gardiner	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	2	...	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...
Dr. Philip C. Jones, Springfield, Me. ....	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Hon. John D. Hopkins, Ellsworth. ....	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	...
Hon. Moses Webster, Vinalhaven.	1	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	1
	3	2	5	5	1	4	3	6	9	1	2	2	2	2	2	6	2	1	2	6	5	3	1	1	1

TABLE No. 8.

Return of Military Property issued in 1867, '68, '69, '70, '71, '72 and '73 in the possession of Independent Companies,
Maine State College, Orphan Asylum and Individuals.

SMALL ARMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS.

TO WHOM ISSUED.	Old English muskets and bayonets.	Colt's rifles.	Bayonets for same.	Springfield rifles.	Bayonets for same.	Springfield muskets.	Bayonets for same.	Springfield rifle muskets.	Bayonets for same.	Enfield rifle muskets.	Bayonets for same.	Windsor rifles.	Sabre bayonets.	Musketoons.	Musketoon bayonets.	Sabre bayonet scabbards.	Sabre bayonet frogs.	Bayonet scabbards.	Cap pouches.	Gun slings.	Cartridge boxes.	Cartridge box plates.	Cartridge box belts.	Cartridge box belt plates.	Waist belts.	Waist belt plates.		
Maine State College, Orono, Me.	77	77	...	30	30	50	50	20	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	100	177	100	100	50	50	100	100		
Gen. S. J. Anderson, for High School Cadets, Portland.	26	16	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	80	16	44	...	1	3	60	80	80		
Hon. D. K. Hobart, Dennysville.	25	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	50	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25		
Alden Bradford, Eastport.	50	50	...	...	50	50	...	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50		
N. B. Nutt, Eastport.	50	50	...	...	50	50	...	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50		
Ignatius Sargent, Machias.	70		
Dr. G. Z. Higgins, Lubec.	39		
W. B. Smith and G. H. Libby, Portland.	50	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	12	...	12	12	12	12	12	12		
E. W. Wedgewood, Mayor, Biddeford.	40	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	40	40	40	40	...	...	...	40		
Major H. A. Shorey, Bridgton.	50	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50		
John F. Foster, Bangor.	10	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	10		
William Flye, Brunswick.	50	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	50	...	50	50	...	...	...	50		
T. H. Hubbard, Esq., Biddeford.	60	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60		
Supt. Public Buildings, Augusta.	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60
H. M. Sprague, Auburn.	60	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	60	60	60	60	...	...	...	60	
Hon. J. W. Palmer, Bangor.	25	...	...	...	...	...	60		
J. Cunningham & R. Costello, Portland.	42	42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60		
Hon. Benj Kingsbury, Jr., Portland.	40	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82	82	82	82	82	...	...	...	82		
Dr. J. R. N. Smith, Pembroke.	25	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	25	...	25	25	...	...	...	25		
	12	60	60	77	77	150	50	155	155	111	101	202	202	100	100	2	2	100	100	594	630	663	604	605	250	307	694	803

TABLE No. 8—Continued.

SMALL ARMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS.

TO WHOM ISSUED.	N. C. O. swords.	N. C. O. waist belts and plates.	N. C. O. shoulder belts and plates.	Musicians' swords.	Musicians' sword belts and plates.	Musicians' sword frogs.	Spare cones.	Tumbler punches.	Screw drivers.	Spring vises.	Ball screws.	Wipers.	Main springs.	Saw springs.	Cavalry sabres.	Belts and plates for same.	Lances.	For Windsor Rifles.						
																		Wipers.	Screw drivers.	Spare cones.	Ball screws.	Spring vises.	Ball moulds.	
Adjutant General's Office.....															28	19	20							
Maine State College, Orono, Me.....	1		1					3	3	3	3	3												
Gen. S. J. Anderson, for High School Cadets, Portland.....				6	1	6	5						5	5										
Major B. H. Gilbreth, Augusta.....							125																	
Hon. D. K. Hobart, Dennysville.....									25			9												
Alden Bradford, Eastport.....									25															
N. B. Nutt, Eastport.....																		50	50	50	5	5	5	
Dr. G. Z. Higgins, Lubec.....							10		6	6	6	10						25	25	10	5	3	5	
Major H. A. Shorey, Bridgton.....									10															
John F. Foster, Bangor.....	3	3													1									
T. H. Hubbard, Esq., Biddeford.....	5																							
Henry M. Sprague, Auburn.....	6								10															
Hon. J. W. Palmer, Bangor.....	5	5	5																					
Hon. Benj. Kingsbury, Jr., Portland.....	10	10	10																					
Dr. J. R. N. Smith, Pembroke.....				10	10																			
	30	18	16	16	11	6	140	3	79	9	9	22	5	5	29	19	20	75	75	60	10	8	10	

TABLE No. 8.—Continued.
CAMP AND GARRISON EQUIPAGE.

TO WHOM ISSUED.	Rounds metallic cartridges.	Rounds ball cartridges—cal. 58	Musket percussion caps.	Packing boxes for guns.	Packing boxes.	Garrison flag.	Wall tent poles and pins	Large bell tents.	Small bell tents.	"A" tents, poles and pins.	Shelter tents.	Bell tents, poles and pins.	Mallets.	Tent pins.	Fifes.	Tenor drums.	Bass drums	Pairs drum sticks.	Camp stools	Cot bedsteads.	Woolen blankets.
Adjutant General's Office.....	100				5		6		1	1		3	11	387					24		24
Maine State College, Orono, Me.....				6		1															
Gen. S. J. Anderson, for High School Cadets, Port. E. W. Stetson, Damariscotta		200	200	2	1			1		1	1										
Mrs. Sampson, for Orphan Asylum, Bath																				6	
Hon. D. K. Hobart, Dennysville.....				2																	
Alden Bradford, Eastport.....				3	1																
N. B. Nutt, Eastport.....				3	1																
Col. E. R. Spear, Rockland.....									1												
Hon. J. A. Buck, Orland.....								1													
Hon. J. W. Porter, Burlington.....									1												
Hon. F. R. Webber, St. Albans.....								1													
Hon. E. W. Wedgewood, Mayor, Biddeford.....		300	150	2	2																
Gen. J. A. Hall, Damariscotta.....							1														
Major H. A. Shorey, Bridgton.....				3	1																
William Flye, Brunswick.....				3	1																
T. H. Hubbard, Esq, Biddeford.....				3	1											2		2			
James H. Tibbetts, Brunswick.....										1				14							
Col. A. B. Sumner, Lubec.....							2														
Superintendent of Public Buildings, Augusta.....				1												1		1			
Hon. J. W. Palmer, Bangor.....																					
James Cunningham and Robert Costello, Portland.....					2																
Hon. Benj. Kingsbury, Jr. Portland.....					2	1															
Dr. J. R. N. Smith, Pembroke.....					2																
	100	500	350	34	15	1	9	3	3	3	1	3	11	401	2	5	1	5	24	6	24

TABLE No. 9.

Return of Military Property issued from State Arsenals and Adjutant General's Office during the year 1873.

ORDNANCE AND ORDNANCE STORES.

FROM.	TO WHOM ISSUED.	6-Pounder rifled cannon, (brass.)	Carriages.	Limbers.	Ammunition boxes.	Trail handspikes.	Gunner's haversacks.	Prolongs.	Rammers and swabs.	Scoops and worms.	Priming wires.	Artillery harnesses.	Riding saddles.	Valise saddles.	Bridles.	Halters.	Whips.	Leg guards.	Nose bags.	Pendulum hawsers and pouches	Extra wheel and lead traces.	Watering buckets.	Pole straps.	Horse bunters for caisson poles.	Trace chains.	Pole chains.	Friction Primers.	Cartridge bags, 12-pounder.	Cartridge bags, 3-inch.	Kegs cannon powder.	Pick axes.	Spades.	Chopping axes.	Packing boxes for harnesses.	Connecting links.			
Portland Arsenal.	Capt. A. S. Perham, Androscoggin Light Art.	
Bangor Arsenal..	Capt. A. S. Perham, Androscoggin Light Art..	32	30	16	14	32	16	8	50	4	8	16	12	6	
Bangor Arsenal..	Hon. Moses Webster, Vinalhaven	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Adj. Gen. Office..	Capt A. S. Perham, Lewiston .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Adj. Gen. Office..	Gen. J. L. Chamberlain.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
		1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	32	30	16	14	32	16	8	50	4	8	16	12	6	1	1	450	100	53	12	4	4	4	5	20

TABLE No. 10.

Return of Military Property issued from State Arsenals and Adjutant General's Office during the year 1873.

SMALL ARMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS.

AT	TO WHOM ISSUED.	Springfield B. L.	Bayonets.	Springfield rifle	Bayonets	W. Field rifle	Windsor rifles.	Sabre bayonets	Sabre bayonet	Sabre bayonet	Tompions.	Screw drivers	Main springs.	Spring vises.	Saw springs.	Tumbler screws	Tumbler and band	spring punches.	Ejector springs.	Extractors	Cam latch springs.	Firing pins.	Firing pin springs	Firing pin screws.	Breech block cap screws.
		rifle muskets		muskets.		muskets.																			
Portland Arsenal	Jas. Cunningham and Robert Costello, Portland	....	....	....	12	42	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
do	Hon. Benj Kingsbury, Jr., Portland.....	5	5	....	9	40	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Port. & Bangor Arsenal	Capt. M. M. Folsom, Oldtown.....	....	....	....	....	....	98	98	98	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
do	Capt. J. M. Andrews, Biddeford.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
do	Col. C. P. Mattocks, Portland.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Portland Arsenal	Capt. N. G. Fessenden, Portland . . . . .	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
do	Capt. F. G. Flagg, Hampden . . . . .	....	....	....	25	25	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
do	Dr. J. R. N. Smith, Pembroke.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Bangor Arsenal	Capt. Daniel White, Bangor . . . . .	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
do	Capt. Delance Young, Auburn . . . . .	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
do	Lieut. Matthew Adams, Portland . . . . .	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
do	Rev. C. F. Allen, Maine State College . . . . .	....	....	50	50	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Adj. General's Office.	Capt. F. G. Flagg, Hampden.....	60	60	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	60	60	15	6	15	15	12	15	6	15	15	15	15	15	15
do	Capt. Daniel White, Bangor	70	70	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	68	17	7	17	17	14	17	7	17	17	17	17	17	17
do	Capt. Wm. H. Fogler, Belfast	70	70	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	68	17	7	17	17	14	17	7	17	17	17	17	17	17
do	Capt. M. M. Folsom, Oldtown.....	60	60	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	58	15	4	15	15	12	15	6	15	15	15	15	15	15
do	Capt. N. G. Fessenden, Portland	10	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10	3	3	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
do	Capt. G. L. Beal by transfer from Capt. Young	16	16	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	16	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
		291	291	75	75	82	82	98	98	98	81	264	67	24	67	67	52	67	27	67	77	117	67	67	67

TABLE No. 10.—*Concluded.*

SMALL ARMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS.

AT	TO WHOM ISSUED.	Instruction books.	Arm Chests.	Metalic ball cartridges	Ball cartridges for Windsor rifles.	Cartridge boxes.	Cartridge box plates.	Bayonet scabbards.	Cap pouches.	Waist belts.	Waist belt plates.	Gun slings.	N. C. O. swords, (complete)	N. C. O. sword belts and plates.	N. C. O. waist belts and plates.	Musicians swords.	Belts and plates.	Drums, tenor.	Drum sticks, pairs.	Fifes.	Packing boxes.	
Portland Arsenal.....	Jas. Cunningham and Robert Costello, Portland	2	2																			
do	Hon. Benj. Kingsbury Jr., Portland.....	2	2			82	82	82	82	82	82	82	10									1
Port. & Bangor Arsenal	Capt. M. M. Folsom, Oldtown.....	1	500										5									1
do	Capt. J. M. Andrews, Biddeford.....	5		500	98	98			98	98	98	98						2	2			2
do	Col. C. P. Mattocks, Portland.....							250		400	400				41	30	30	10	10	5		2
Portland Arsenal.....	Capt. N. G. Fessenden, Portland.....											10						2	2			
do	Capt. F. G. Flagg, Hampden.....																	2	2			
do	Dr. J. R. N. Smith, Pembroke.....	2			25	25	25	25	25	25	25					10	10					
Bangor Arsenal.....	Capt. Daniel White, Bangor.....											70										
do	Capt. Delance Young, Auburn.....					80	80	80		80	80											
do	Lieut. Matthew Adams, Portland.....																					
do	Rev. C. F. Allen, Maine State College.....				50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	6	6	6							4
Adjt. General's Office	Capt. F. G. Flagg, Hampden.....	3	3																			
do	Capt. Daniel White, Bangor.....	3	4																			
do	Capt. Wm. H. Fogler, Belfast.....	3	4																			
do	Capt. M. M. Folsom, Oldtown.....	1	4									60										
do	Capt. N. G. Fessenden, Portland.....	1	1																			
do	Capt. G. L. Beal by transfer from Capt Young.	1	1																			
		11	29	500	500	335	375	487	255	735	735	370	21	6	47	40	40	16	16	5	10	

TABLE No. 11.

Return of Military Property issued from State Arsenals and Adjutant General's Office during the year 1873.

CLOTHING, CAMP AND GARRISON EQUIPAGE.

AT	TO WHOM ISSUED.	Uniform dress coats,	Uniform dress coats,	Uniform pants, Inf.	Uniform pants, Art.	Full dress caps, Inf.	Full dress caps, Art.	Regimental colors, Inf	Markers, regimental.	Guidons, regimental.	Guidons, artillery.	Plates, tin.	Dippers, tin.	Spoons, table.	Knives, table.	Forks, table.	Pails, water.	Camp kettles.	Chopping axes.	Field Artillery Tactics.	Army Regulations.	Militia Law.	Upton's Tactics	Descriptive books,	Morning report books,	Morning report books,	Regimental.	Orderly books.	
		Infantry	Artillery																					Company.	Company.	Regimental.			
Adj. Gen. Office	Capt. N. G. Fessenden, Co. A, 1st Regt. M. V. M.	60	60	60	60	60	60																						
do	Capt. C. J. Pennell, Co. B, "	60	60	60	60	60	60																						
do	Capt. Delance Young, Co. C, "	60	60	60	60	60	60																						
do	Capt. W. W. Whitmarsh, Co. D, "	60	60	60	60	60	60																						
do	Capt. Isaac Dyer, Co. E, "	60	60	60	60	60	60																						
do	Capt. C. B. Morton, Co. F, "	60	60	60	60	60	60																						
do	Capt. E. E. Small, Co. G, "	60	60	60	60	60	60																						
do	Lieut. M. Adams, Adjutant "	5	5	5	5	5	5																						
do	Capt. A. S. Perham, Androscoggin Light Artillery	90	90	90	90	90	90			1										4									
do	Gen. J. L. Chamberlain, Brunswick																				1								
do	Col. E. Milliken, Assistant Commissary General.																				1	1							
do	Col. C. P. Mattocks, 1st Regt. M. V. M.							2	4	2																			
do	Capt. M. M. Folsom, Co. K, 1st Regt. M. V. M.																												
do	Capt. A. M. Benson, Co. B, 1st Regt. M. V. M.																												
do	Capt. J. M. Andrews, Biddeford Light Infantry.																												
Port. Arsenal.	Lieut. S. J. Gallagher, Q. M. 1st Regt. M. V. M.											12	31	58	72	69	6		2	5									
		425	90	425	90	425	90	2	4	2	1	12	31	58	72	69	6	2	5	5	2	8	6	10	10	1	2		

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TABLE No. 12.

Return of Military Property received at State Arsenals and Adjutant General's Office during the year 1873.

ARTILLERY.

AT	FROM WHOM RECEIVED.													
		Sponge buckets, iron.	Tar buckets, iron.	Port fire stocks.	Port fire cases.	Tarpaulins.	Scoops and worms.	Priming horn.	Tompson.	Cartridge bags for 12-pounder.	Cartridge bags for 3-inch gun.	Kegs cannon powder.	Friction primers.	Packing boxes.
Portland Arsenal.....	W. H. Bigelow, keeper.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	53	.....	.....	.....
Portland Arsenal.....	G. L. Bailey, Portland, Me., by purchase.....	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	.....	.....	6	.....	.....
Bangor Arsenal.....	Capt. A. S. Perham, Lewiston.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Adjutant General's Office..	United States General Government.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000	1
		2	2	2	2	2	1	1	100	53	6	2,000	1	

TABLE No. 13.

Return of Military Property received at State Arsenals and Adjutant General's Office during the year 1873.

SMALL ARMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS.

At	FROM WHOM RECEIVED.	Springfield B. L. rifle	Bayonets.	Springfield muskets.	Bayonets.	Windsor rifles.	Sabre bayonets,	Screw drivers.	Tumbler punches	Main springs.	Sear springs.	Tumbler screws.	Ejector springs.	Firing pins.	Firing pin springs.	Firing pin screws.	Cam latch springs.	Extractors.	Breech block cap	Arm chests.	Sabre bayonet scab-	Gun slings.
		muskets.																	screws.	screws.	bards.	
Port. Arsenal..	H. E. Swasey, South Paris, Me.....	...	...	...	...	75	73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	73	...
Bangor Arsenal.	Capt. Daniel White, Bangor.....	...	...	98	98	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	74
Adj. Gen. Office	United States General Government	90	90	...	...	...	...	90	17	23	23	23	23	73	223	23	23	9	23	5	...	210
Port. Arsenal..	Capt. C. J. Pennell, Co. B, 1st Regt. M. V. M.	14	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		104	104	98	98	75	73	90	17	23	23	23	23	73	223	23	23	9	23	9	73	284

TABLE No. 14.

Return of Military Property received at State Arsenal and Adjutant General's Office during the year 1873.

CLOTHING, CAMP AND GARRISON EQUIPAGE.

At	FROM WHOM RECEIVED.	N. C. O. shoulder	N. C. O. shoulder	N. C. O. waist belts.	N. C. O. waist plates.	Musicians sword belts	Drums, tenor.	Drum sticks.	Commissary's chest	Uniform dress coats,	Uniform dress coats,	Pants, Infantry.	Pants, Artillery.	Full dress caps,	Full dress caps,
		belts.	plates.		and plates.				and contents.	Infantry.	Artillery.			Infantry.	Artillery.
Portland Arsenal.....	Increase Blake, by purchase .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
do	J. Maxwell, Bangor Arsenal, by transfer .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
do	Adj. M. Adams, First Regiment Me. Vol. Militia	6	6	6	6	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
do	Emery Waterhouse & Co., Portland.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
do	O. M. & D. W. Nash, Portland.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
do	Williamson & Greenwood, Augusta.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Adjutant General's Office..	Loring, Short & Harmon, Portland.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
do	Pollard & Leighton, Boston.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
do	Arthur Noble, Portland.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
do	Bent & Bush, Boston.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
do	John Boylan, New York.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	425	90	425	90	426	90
do	J. A. Merrill & Co., Portland.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
		6	6	6	6	6	15	30	1	426	90	426	90	426	90

TABLE No. 14.— *Concluded.*
CLOTHING, CAMP AND GARRISON EQUIPAGE.

AT	FROM WHOM RECEIVED.	Regimental colors, silk.	Markers, silk	Guidons, silk.	Artillery Guidon and staff.	Upton's Tactics.	Water pails.	Camp kettles.	Spades.	Chopping axes.	Dippers, tin.	Plates, tin.	Spoons, table.	Knives, table.	Forks, table.	Packing boxes.
Portland Arsenal.....	Increase Blake, by purchase.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
do	J. Maxwell, Bangor Arsenal, by transfer.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	800	799	800	..	..	4
do	Adj't. M. Adams, First Regiment Me. Vol. Militia	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
do	Emery, Waterhouse & Co., Portland.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	14	..	..	..	600	600	..
do	O. M. & D. W. Nash, Portland.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
do	Williamson & Greenwood, Augusta.....	..	..	..	..	60	52	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Adjutant General's Office..	Loring, Short & Harmon, Portland.....	..	..	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
do	Pollard & Leighton, Boston.....	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
do	Arthur Noble, Portland.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
do	Bent & Bush, Boston.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
do	John Boylan, New York.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
do	J. A. Merrill & Co., Portland.....	2	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
		2	4	2	1	12	60	55	14	14	800	799	800	600	600	4

TABLE No. 15.

*Return of Military Property in State Arsenal, Portland, Me., on the
1st day of December, 1873.*

ARTILLERY.

No.	Description.	Remarks.
4	6-Pounder rifled cannon, (brass).....	Serviceable.
1	6-Pounder smooth bore cannon, (brass).....	Spiked.
5	Gun carriages.....	1 unserviceable.
1	Tumbrel cart, (old).....	To a 6-pounder.
6	Limbers to 6-pounder cannon.....	2 unserviceable.
4	Ammunition chests to 6-pounder gun.....	
8	Trail handspikes.....	
7	Prolongs.....	
15	Bricoles.....	Old.
2	Sponge buckets, (wooden).....	
7	Rammers, swabs and sponges for a 6-pounder.....	Worn.
3	Worms and staves for 6-pounder.....	Worn.
1	Lint stock.....	Worn.
5	Tow hooks.....	
4	Drag ropes.....	Old.
1	Vent copper.....	Old.
3	Pairs gunners' shears.....	Old.
2	Vent punches.....	Unserviceable.
2	Gunners' gimlets.....	Old.
2	Tube boxes.....	
2	Gunners' Haversacks.....	
3	Port fire clippers.....	Old.
3	Priming wires.....	
1	Priming horn.....	Old.
2	Tangent scales.....	
1	Axe.....	Old
1	Battery wagon and limber "C".....	} Both complete, with all the appliances belonging to new battery of 12-Pdr. cannon.
1	Travelling forge and limber "A".....	
18	Artillery harnesses, (wheel).....	} Belongs to new battery 12-Pdr. cannon.
40	Artillery harnesses, (lead).....	
29	Riding saddles.....	
29	Valise saddles.....	
29	Valises.....	
9	Leg guards.....	
30	Connecting links.....	
58	Nose bags.....	
29	Whips.....	
58	Halters.....	
4	Pairs pole straps to forge and battery wagon.....	
9	Packing boxes for harnesses.....	
AMMUNITION.		
7	Rounds shenkle shot.....	6-Pounder.
12	Rounds solid shot.....	6-Pounder.
28	Rounds canister shot.....	6-Pounder.

SMALL ARMS AND ACOUTREMENTS.

14	Springfield breech loading rifle muskets.....	New.
14	Bayonets to same.....	New.
92	Springfield muskets.....	Old.
94	Bayonets to same.....	Old.
579	Enfield rifle muskets.....	Old.
571	Bayonets to same.....	Old.

Return of Military Property in State Arsenal, Portland—Continued.

SMALL ARMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS.

No.	Description.	Remarks.	
101	Windsor rifles.....	Trophies.	
99	Sabre bayonets to same.....		
106	Sabre bayonet frogs.....		
99	Sabre bayonet scabbards.....		
43	Old English muskets and bayonets.....		
915	Bayonet scabbards.....		
1,045	Cap pouches.....		Old.
759	Gun slings.....		
1,227	Cartridge boxes.....		
1,196	Cartridge box plates.....		Old.
1,804	Cartridge box belts.....		
1,639	Cartridge box belt plates.....	Old.	
561	Waist belts.....		
410	Waist belt plates.....		
4	N. C. O. swords.....		
32	N. C. O. sword belts, (5 worthless).....		
23	N. C. O. sword belt plates.....		
6	Musicians' swords.....		Serviceable.
6	Musicians' sword belts.....		
6	Musicians' sword belt plates.....		
6	Musicians' sword belt frogs.....		
163	Screw drivers.....	For Springfield B. L. rifle muskets.	
16	Spring vises.....		
33	Tumbler punches.....		
48	Ejector springs.....		
48	Main springs.....		
48	Sear springs.....		
48	Firing pins.....		
48	Firing pin screws.....		
48	Firing pin springs.....		
48	Tumbler screws.....		
48	Cam latch springs.....	For Windsor rifles.	
48	Breech block cap screws.....		
19	Extractors.....		
190	Wipers.....		
190	Screw drivers.....		
205	Spare cones.....		
18	Ball screws.....		
14	Spring vises.....		
14	Ball moulds.....		
230	Spare cones.....		For Enfield rifle muskets.
49	Wipers and screw drivers.....		
161	Ball screws and vises.....		
72	Tumbler punches.....	For Springfield rifle muskets.	
83	Main springs.....		
11	Spring vises.....		
27	Sear springs.....		
40	Tumbler screws.....		
2	Ball screws.....	For Springfield muskets.	
344	Spare cones.....		
266	Screw drivers.....		
55	Tumbler screws.....	For Springfield B. L. rifle [muskets.	
95	Spare cones.....		
7,500	Metallic ball cartridges—cal. 50.....	For Springfield B. L. rifle [muskets.	
7,005	Musket elongated ball cartridges—cal. 58.....		
123,079	Musket percussion caps.....	Cavalry.	
40,800	Revolver percussion caps.....		
9	Cavalry sabres.....		
1	Garrison flag.....		
1	Standard and staff.....		

Return of Military Property in State Arsenal, Portland—Concluded.

CAMP AND GARRISON EQUIPAGE.

No.	Description.	Remarks.
5	N. Y. wall tents.....	} Old.
2	Large bell tents.....	
8	"A" tents.....	
1	Marquee.....	Needs repairs.
1	Tent fly.....	Old.
54	Tent poles.....	
999	Tent pins.....	
27	Mallets.....	
15	Tent tables.....	Round.
12	Gun racks.....	
5	Long tables.....	
1	Camp stool.....	
6	Seat benches.....	Old.
1	Wheelbarrow.....	Old.
5	Post horns.....	New.
1	Fife.....	New.
1	Bugle.....	Less mouthpiece.
7	Drum sticks.....	
4	Tenor drum heads.....	Serviceable.
2	Tenor drums.....	New.
1	Copper standard plate.....	
1	Copper adze.....	Old.
6	Copper powder measures.....	$\frac{1}{4}$ -lb., 2 1-lb., 2 2-lbs. and
1	Copper powder tunnel.....	[1 4-lbs.
2	Powder sieves.....	
1	Powder bowl.....	Wooden.
1	Tin tunnel.....	
1	Balances and weights.....	From 1 oz. to 4-lbs.
1	Desk.....	Old.
3	Sergeants' sashes.....	
4	Shevrons, (corporals).....	
2	Shoulder scales.....	
1	Roll lace, (woolen).....	
1	Ladder.....	Old.
2	Bench vises.....	Old.
1	Portable step.....	Worn.
1	Fall and blocks.....	Old.
3	Planes.....	Old.
1	Hand saw.....	Old.
1	Lot tools for cleaning guns.....	Old.
37	Arm chests.....	
49	Packing boxes.....	
16	Packing boxes for ammunition.....	
14	Spades.....	New.
9	Axes.....	New.
1	Commissary chest and contents.....	Complete.
742	Table spoons.....	Iron.
769	Dippers.....	Tin.
53	Camp kettles.....	Tin.
787	Plates.....	Tin.
528	Knives.....	Table.
531	Forks.....	Table.

T A B L E N o . 1 6 .

*Return of Military Property in State Arsenal, Bangor, Maine,
December 1, 1873.*

ARTILLERY.

No.	Description.	Remarks.
1	Travelling forge and Limber "A".....	Complete with appurtenan- do do [ces.
1	Battery wagon and limber "C".....	
1	Spare perch pole.....	Attached to new battery 3-inch rifled cannon.
8	Tar buckets (iron).....	
4	Gunners haversacks.....	
12	Tow hooks.....	
8	Tube pouches.....	
4	Vent gimlets.....	
4	Vent punches.....	
4	Artillery harnesses, (wheel).....	
24	Artillery harnesses, (lead).....	
20	Connecting links.....	
10	Nose bags.....	
15	Whips.....	
6	Extra lead traces.....	
14	Valise saddles.....	
30	Valises.....	
28	Halters.....	
2	Leg guards.....	
5	Packing boxes for harnesses.....	
50	Rounds percussion shell.....	3-inch, packed.
50	Rounds fuse shell.....	3-inch, fixed.
25	Rounds solid shot.....	3-inch packed.
25	Rounds canister shot.....	3-inch, fixed.
25	Rounds case shot.....	3-inch, fixed.
50	Rounds blank cartridges.....	3-inch.
3	6-Pounder rifled cannon, (brass).....	Old.
1	4-Pounder rifled cannon, (brass).....	Old.
3	Gun carriages for 6-pounder cannon.....	
2	Limbers.....	
2	Ammunition chests to limbers.....	
1	Ammunition box.....	Damaged.
5	Trail handspikes.....	
3	Scoops and worms.....	
1	Scoop and stave.....	
4	Rammers and swabs.....	
2	Sponge buckets, (iron).....	Worthless.
2	Sponge buckets, (wooden).....	
5	Tar buckets, (iron).....	1 worthless.
2	Tompson collars and straps.....	
2	Vent covers and straps.....	Damaged.
5	Gunners' haversacks.....	
3	Tube pouches.....	
1	Tangent scale.....	
3	Lint stocks.....	
2	Tow hooks.....	
5	Priming wires.....	
2	Port fire clippers.....	
2	Port fire cases.....	
2	Port fire stocks.....	
2	Tarpaulins.....	
1	Priming horn.....	
1	Vent gimlet.....	
4	Prolongs.....	
6	Bricoles.....	
1	Shovel, (iron).....	

Return of Military Property in State Arsenal, Bangor—Continued.

ARTILLERY.

No.	Description.	Remarks.
3	Artillery harnesses.....	Unserviceable.
5	Horse collars.....	
2	Trace chains.....	
3	Pole chains.....	
47	Rounds canister shot.....	For 6-Pdr. gun.
30	Rounds canister shot.....	For 4-Pdr. gun.
65	Rounds solid shot.....	For 6-Pdr. gun.
30	Rounds solid shot.....	For 4-Pdr. gun.
10	Rounds shenkle shot.....	For 6-Pdr. gun.
40	Cartridge bags.....	For 6-Pdr. gun.
50	Cartridge bags.....	For 4-Pdr. gun.
10	Cartridges.....	For 4-Pdr. gun.
4	Powder measures.....	

SMALL ARMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS.

49	Springfield rifle muskets.....	
49	Bayonets to same.....	
54	Enfield rifles.....	
49	Bayonets to same.....	
8	Short rifles.....	Worthless.
123	Bayonet scabbards.....	Old.
72	Cap pouches.....	New.
170	Cap pouches.....	Old.
218	Gun slings.....	
6	Cartridge boxes.....	New.
75	Cartridge boxes.....	Patent leather.
184	Cartridge boxes.....	Old.
6	Cartridge box plates.....	New.
393	Cartridge box plates.....	Old.
96	Waist belts.....	Old.
120	Waist belt plates.....	Old.
388	Shoulder belts.....	New.
51	Shoulder belts.....	Old.
388	Shoulder belt plates.....	New.
66	Shoulder belt plates.....	Old.
5	N. C. O. swords.....	
26	Musicians' swords.....	
41	Shoulder belts, N. C. O. and musicians'.....	Black buff.
41	Shoulder belt plates, N. C. O. and musicians'.....	
41	Waist belts, N. C. O. and musicians'.....	Black buff.
41	Waist belt plates, N. C. O. and musicians'.....	
25	Main springs.....	For Springfield rifles.
18	Spring vises.....	For Enfield rifles.
7	Spring vises.....	For Springfield rifles.
26	Feather springs.....	For Springfield rifles.
20	Tumbler screws.....	For Springfield rifles.
8	Ball screws.....	For Springfield rifles.
17	Ball screws.....	For Enfield rifles.
19	Cone and cylinder punches.....	For Enfield rifles.
11	Tumbler punches.....	For Springfield rifles.
15	Screw drivers.....	For Enfield rifles.
12	Wipers.....	For Enfield rifles.
257	Rifle cones.....	
65	Rifle tompons.....	
9,500	Rounds rifle musket elongated ball cartridges.....	
820	Rounds ball cartridges— $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.....	For Windsor rifles.
14	"A" tents.....	
29	Tent poles.....	
78	Tent pins.....	
7	Mallets.....	
1	Camp stool.....	

Return of Military Property in State Arsenal, Bangor—Concluded.

CAMP AND GARRISON EQUIPAGE.

No.	Description.	Remarks.
1	Bass drum.....	Old.
1	Tenor drum shell.....	
9	Pairs ebony drum sticks.....	New.
3	Pairs drum sticks.....	Old.
2	Hatchets.....	
3	Candle sticks, (tin).....	
4	Tables.....	
1	Water pail.....	
2	Desks.....	
1	Broom.....	
1	Pick axe.....	
1	Bit stock and bits.....	
1	Draw knife.....	
1	Bench vise.....	
1	Portable steps.....	
1	Hand barrow.....	
1	Screw driver bit.....	
1	Rake, (iron head).....	
1	Dust pan.....	
1	Hand saw.....	
1	Cooper's Adze.....	
1	Whetstone.....	
1	Bail basket.....	
1	Tap borer.....	
1	Bung driver.....	
1	Worm for cask heads.....	
1	Iron hoop driver.....	
3	Ladders.....	
1	Broad axe.....	
3	Brands, "State of Maine".....	
1	Lot tools for cleaning guns.....	
3	Tool boxes.....	
1	Lot staging lumber.....	
3	Militia Laws of 1850.....	
1	Cooper's and Macomb's Tactics.....	
2	Hardee's Infantry Tactics.....	
1	Scott's Infantry Tactics.....	
1	Army Regulations.....	
25	Packing boxes for Enfield rifles.....	
17	Packing boxes for guns.....	New.
42	Packing boxes.....	Part incomplete.

TABLE No. 17.

Return of Military Property on deposit at the Adjutant General's Office, December 31, 1873.

No.	Description.	Remarks.
3	Springfield breech-loading rifle muskets.....	
3	Bayonets.....	
5	Screw drivers.....	
1	Main spring.....	
1	Sear spring.....	
1	Tumbler screw.....	
1	Ejector spring.....	
41	Firing pins.....	
151	Firing pin springs.....	
1	Firing pin screw.....	
1	Cam latch spring.....	
1	Breech block cap screw.....	
1	Tompson.....	
1	Packing box.....	
150	Gun slings.....	
1,550	Friction primers.....	
1	Infantry uniform, complete, (sample).....	
15	Copies Upton's Tactics.....	
1	Copy Artillery Tactics.....	

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,

Acting Quartermaster General.

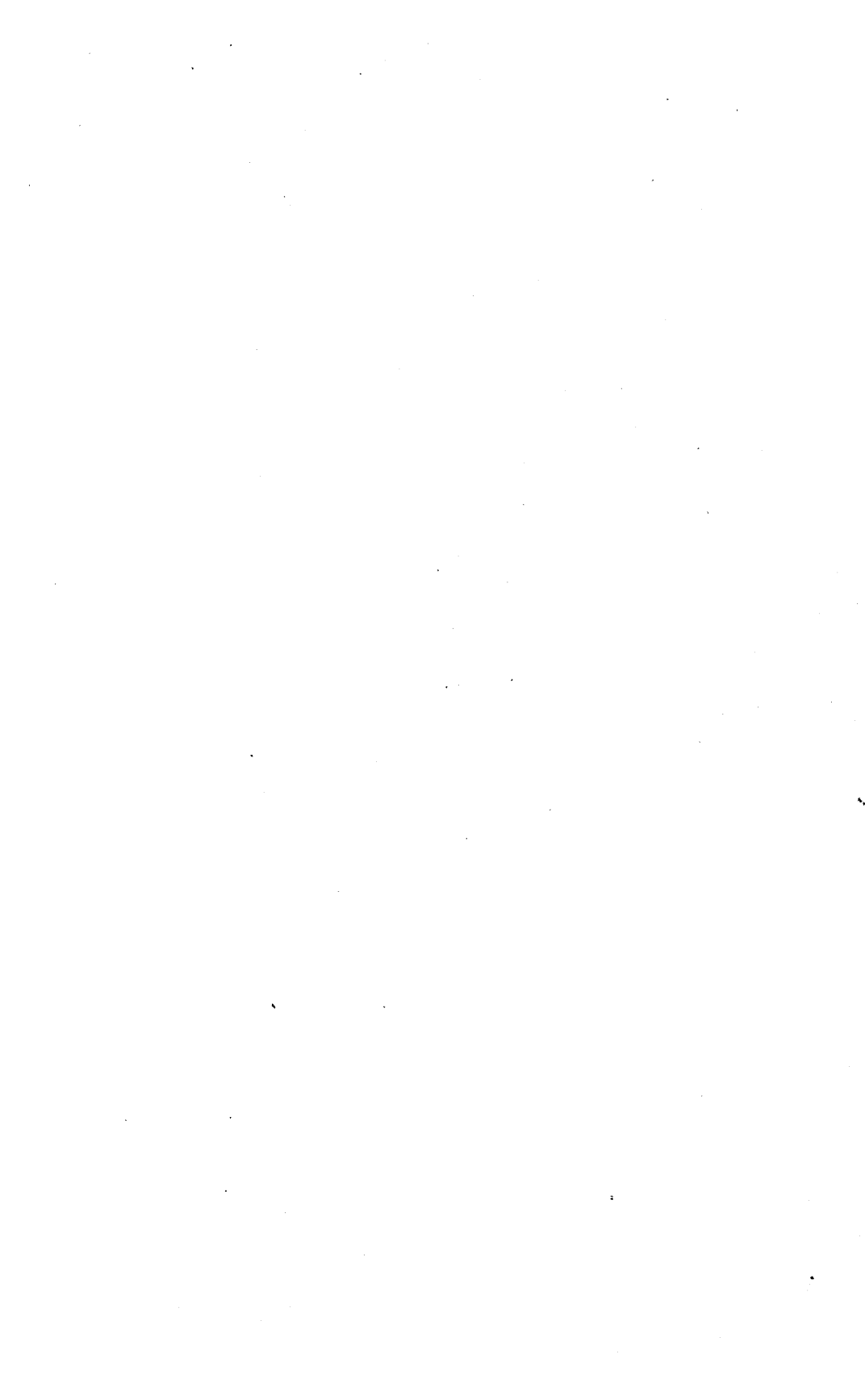
PAYMASTER GENERAL'S REPORT.

No money has been received or paid out by me as Acting Paymaster General for the present year.

Prior to this year, there had been paid since the commencement of the year 1861, by different Paymasters, for State Bounties, war of 1861..... \$4,658,538

B. B. MURRAY, JR.

Acting Paymaster General.



APPENDIX.

STATE OF MAINE

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Augusta, January 13, 1873. }

GENERAL ORDER No. 2.

The following officers are announced as the Staff of the Governor and Commander-in-Chief:

Brigadier General Benjamin B. Murray, Jr., Adjutant General,
Acting Quartermaster and Paymaster General.

Brigadier General James A. Hall, Inspector General.

Colonel Adoniram J. Billings, Assistant Surgeon General.

Colonel Elias Milliken, Assistant Commissary General.

Colonel J. Manchester Haynes, Assistant Judge Advocate
General.

Lieut. Colonel Alexander B. Sumner, }
Lieut. Colonel Frederick E. Shaw, } Aides-de-camp.
Lieut. Colonel John W. Atwell, }
Lieut. Colonel George W. Parker, }

Major Henry A. Shorey, Military Secretary.

They will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

SIDNEY PERHAM,
Governor and Commander-in-Chief.

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, March 5, 1873. }

GENERAL ORDER No. 3.

The following act of the Legislature is published for the information of all concerned :

An Act additional to chapter twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, concerning the militia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :

SECTION 1. The volunteer company known as the Androscoggin Light Artillery, is hereby made subject to all the duties and granted all the privileges provided for volunteer companies of militia by chapter twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-nine.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

[Approved February 3, 1873.]

By order of the Governor and Commander-in-Chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, March 29, 1873, }

GENERAL ORDER No. 4.

I. The Board of Officers appointed by Special Order No. 5, from these Headquarters, current series, for the purpose of recommending a uniform to be prescribed for the Militia; having made their report, it is directed that the uniform, dress, &c., herein described, be adopted, and from this date constitute the uniform of the Militia of Maine.

II. The uniforms, equipments and dress for all General, Staff, Field and Line officers and of the enlisted men of the Militia, shall be the same as prescribed for the army of the United States by General Order No. 92, dated War Department, Adjutant General's

Office, October 26, 1872, with the following modifications and alterations :

HAT OR CAP—FULL DRESS. For General officers and officers of the General Staff,—Chapeau, according to pattern.

For officers of Light Artillery,—Black felt helmet, with gold cord and tassels and gilt trimmings, with plume, according to pattern. But officers may be allowed to wear cap of same pattern as for Infantry.

For all other officers,—Cap of dark blue cloth, ornamented with gold braid and trimmings, with plume, according to pattern.

For enlisted men of Infantry,—Cap of blue cloth, same pattern as for officers, ornamented with mohair braid, same color as facing of coat.

For enlisted men of Light Artillery,—Black felt helmets, with trimmings ; but caps of same pattern as for Infantry, ornamented with mohair braid of same color as facing of coat, may be worn instead of helmets.

FORAGE CAPS. For General, Staff, Field and Line officers, and for enlisted men, of dark blue cloth, according to pattern.

PLUME For General Officers and Officers of the General Staff, Two Black Ostrich Feathers.

For Officers of Infantry,—White plume, according to pattern.

For Officers of Light Artillery,—Horse Hair Plume, Red, according to pattern, when helmets are worn. Red Plume, with full dress cap.

PLUME AND POMPONS—FOR ENLISTED MEN. For Infantry, White, according to pattern ; for Light Artillery, Red, according to pattern ; Ball and Socket according to pattern.

For enlisted men of Light Artillery, when helmets are worn,—Horse Hair Plume, same size and color as for officers.

COAT—FOR ENLISTED MEN. The uniform coat shall have three rows of buttons upon the breast, six buttons upon the skirt, and three upon the sleeve, according to sample. The quality and shade of cloth shall be according to pattern in Adjutant General's Office.

TROUSERS. For General Officers and Officers of the General Staff,—Dark blue cloth, plain.

For all Regimental Officers of Infantry and Officers of Light Artillery,—Light blue cloth, same shade of color as for enlisted men, with stripe one and one-quarter inches wide, according to

pattern. Color of stripe : Infantry, dark blue, and Light Artillery, red.

For enlisted men,—Light blue, with stripe one and one-quarter inches wide, according to pattern. Color: For Infantry, dark blue; for Light Artillery, red.

BUTTONS. Buttons shall bear the seal of the State of Maine, and shall be according to patterns in the Adjutant General's Office, at Augusta.

III. All uniforms will be furnished by the State and issued to the Militia in lieu of commutation, and no greater number of uniforms will be issued to any company than the Governor is satisfied can be filled with good soldiers, and the number so issued shall in no case exceed two-thirds of the maximum number allowed by law.

IV. Clothing furnished by the State will be receipted for by company commanders, and will be accounted for in the same manner as other public property, the officer receipting for it being liable for its value in case of injury or loss.

V. Line officers of the State Militia will be allowed one year from the first of April, 1873, within which to provide themselves with new regulation side arms, equipments and shoulder knots.

VI. No officer or soldier of the Militia shall wear any other than the prescribed uniform when on duty, with the insignia of rank under the law of this State.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, April 5, 1873. }

GENERAL ORDER No. 5.

I. The following named companies will constitute the First Regiment of Infantry, Maine Volunteer Militia, viz :

Portland Light Infantry	Company A.
Portland Mechanic Blues.....	“ B.
Auburn Light Infantry.....	“ C.
Norway Light Infantry.....	“ D.
Skowhegan Light Infantry.....	“ E.
Capital Guards, Augusta.....	“ F.
Jameson Guards, Bangor.....	“ G.
Belfast City Guards.....	“ H.
Crosby Guards, Hampden.....	“ I.
Hersey Light Infantry, Oldtown.....	“ K.

II. An election for the choice of Field Officers of the Regiment is hereby ordered to be held at the State House, in Augusta, on Friday, the eleventh day of April, 1873, at five o'clock P. M.

All commissioned officers of the ten companies composing the Regiment are entitled to vote at this election.

Col. Elias Milliken will preside at the election and make return to these Headquarters.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR., *Adjutant General.*

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, April 14, 1873. }

GENERAL ORDER No. 6.

The following appointment to the General Staff is announced, viz:

I. George L. Beal, to be additional Aide-de-Camp, with the rank of Colonel.

II. Colonel Beal will report to Major General Joshua L. Chamberlain for duty.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR., *Adjutant General.*

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, May 1, 1873. }

GENERAL ORDER No. 8.

In all official correspondence relating to military affairs, the following rules will be observed :

I. Orders are to be transmitted through all intermediate commanders. When an intermediate commander is omitted, the officer who gives the order shall inform him, and he who receives it shall report it to his immediate superior.

II. Written communications from a commander to those under his command may be made by his staff officer ; in all other cases, by the officer himself.

III. In signing an official communication, the writer shall annex to his name his rank and corps. When he writes by order he shall state by whose order.

IV. Communications to or from a commander and those under his command, must pass through the Adjutant General, Assistant Adjutant General, or Adjutant, on duty with it.

All communications, whether from an inferior to a superior or *vice versa*, are, as a general rule, to be passed through the intermediate commanders.

The same rule must govern in verbal communications: for example, a lieutenant seeking an indulgence must apply through the captain, the captain through the adjutant, and so on.

V. Annual returns required at the Adjutant General's office will continue to be forwarded direct, as heretofore.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, June 30, 1873. }

GENERAL ORDER No. 9.

Until further orders the counties hereinafter mentioned will compose the First Division of the Militia of Maine, viz :

I. Androscoggin, Aroostook, Cumberland, Franklin, Hancock, Kennebec, Knox, Lincoln, Oxford, Penobscot, Piscataquis, Sagadahoc, Somerset, Waldo, Washington and York.

II. Major General Joshua L. Chamberlain is assigned to the command of the First Division.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, August 7, 1873. }

GENERAL ORDER No. 10.

The following changes are announced on the staff of the Commander-in-Chief:

I. The resignation of Brigadier General James A. Hall, Inspector General, is accepted, and he is honorably discharged to date from July 23, 1873.

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IV. Major Henry A. Shorey, Military Secretary, is promoted to be Aid-de-Camp, with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

They will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, August 14, 1873. }

GENERAL ORDER No. 11.

I. Andrew M. Benson of Portland, is appointed Military Secretary upon the Staff of the Commander-in-Chief, with the rank of Major.

He will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, August 15, 1873. }

GENERAL ORDER No. 12.

[*Extract.*]

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III. Colonel J. Manchester Haynes is promoted to be Inspector General, with the rank of Brigadier General.

IV. Lieut. Colonel Alexander B. Sumner is promoted to be Assistant Judge Advocate General, with the rank of Colonel.

They will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, October 27, 1873. }

GENERAL ORDER No. 13.

I. Alexander H. S. Davis of Farmington is appointed Military Secretary upon the Staff of the Commander-in-Chief, with the rank of Major.

II. He will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, June 5, 1873. }

SPECIAL ORDER No. 19.

The Biddeford Light Infantry, Captain James M. Andrews commanding, of the Volunteer Militia of Maine, is assigned to the command of Major General J. L. Chamberlain, to whom captain Andrews will report for orders.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta June 18, 1873. }

SPECIAL ORDER No. 21.

Authority is hereby granted under the provisions of section 171, chapter 307, Public Laws of 1865, to the students of Bowdoin College, to associate themselves together as a military company or organization, and to parade in public with arms.

This license may be understood to date from June 1, 1872, and to apply to the association known as "Company E, Bowdoin Cadets" from that date.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, June 30, 1873. }

SPECIAL ORDER No. 24.

Authority is hereby granted, under the provisions of section 171, chapter 307, Public Laws of 1865, to the association known as the "Portland Cadets" of Portland, Maine, to parade in public with arms.

By order of the Commander-in-chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, July 3, 1873. }

SPECIAL ORDER No. 25.

Authority is hereby granted, under the provisions of section 171, chapter 307, Public Laws of 1865, to the association known as the "Sheridan Cadets" of Portland, Me., to parade in public with arms.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 Augusta, July 3, 1873. }

SPECIAL ORDER No. 26.

Authority is hereby granted, under the provisions of section 171, chapter 307, Public Laws of 1865, to the association known as the "McLellan Cadets" of Portland, Me., to parade in public with arms.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.

B. B. MURRAY, JR.,
Adjutant General.