

HEADQUARTERS MINNESOTA NATIONAL GUARD,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
ST. PAUL, JAN. 31, 1908. }

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 3.

The following changes have taken place in the military forces of the State since the publication of General Orders No. 19, A. G. O., dated November 30, 1907.

RESIGNED.

First Infantry.

Harry V. Knocke, Captain Company "D," honorably discharged Jan. 23, 1908, S. O. No. 3, A. G. O., c. s.
James E. Thieband, Second Lieutenant Company "D," honorably discharged Jan. 23, 1908, S. O. No. 4 A. G. O., c. s.

Second Infantry.

Anton Schaefer, Captain Company "F," honorably discharged Jan. 31, 1908, S. O., No. 5, A. G. O., c. s.

Third Infantry.

Charles E. Johnson, Lieutenant-Colonel, promoted to Colonel, Dec. 27, 1907.
Frederick E. Resche, Major, promoted to Lieutenant-Colonel, Dec. 27, 1907.

First Artillery.

William Keller, First Lieutenant Battery "A," honorably discharged Dec. 5, S. O., No. 39, A. G. O., series of 1907.

RETIRED.

Third Infantry.

Colonel Charles A. VanDuzee, Dec. 19, 1907, S. O. No. 43, A. G. O., series of 1907.
Major Edward S. Person, Dec. 19, 1907, S. O. No. 44, A. G. O., series of 1907.

First Artillery.

Captain Albert F. Pray, Jan. 7, 1908, S. O., No. 2, A. G. O., c. s.

COMMISSIONED.

Second Infantry.

Ernest N. Chute of Fairmont, Captain Company "E," Dec 30, 1907, vice Roy A. Everett, resigned.
Ernest R. Brown of Mankato, Second Lieutenant Company "H," Dec. 2, 1907, vice Morgan E. Bowen, resigned.

Third Infantry.

Charles E. Johnson of Mankato, Colonel, Dec. 27, 1907, vice Charles A. VanDuzee, retired.
Frederick E. Resche of Duluth, Lieutenant-Colonel, Dec. 27, 1907, vice Charles E. Johnson, promoted.
Edgar F. Davis of Zumbrota, First Lieutenant Company "D," Feb. 28, 1907, vice John R. Johnson resigned.

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GENERAL ORDERS

No. 4.

1. The annual inspection of the Minnesota National Guard, prescribed by Section 1079, Chapter 12, Revised Laws of Minnesota 1905, and of all funds and public property in hands of troops will be made by Lieutenant-Colonel William Gerlach, U. S. A., retired, Inspector, at the armories of the various organizations upon the following dates:

Company "F," Second Infantry, Worthington, Monday March 9.
Company "H," Second Infantry, Mankato, Tuesday March 10.
Headquarters, First Brigade, New Ulm, Wednesday March 11.
Band, Second Infantry, New Ulm, Wednesday March 11.
Company "A," Second Infantry, New Ulm, Wednesday March 11.
Company "K," First Infantry, Stillwater, Friday March 13.
Company "C," First Infantry, St. Paul, Monday March 16.
Company "E," First Infantry, St. Paul, Tuesday March 17.
Headquarters, Third Infantry, St. Paul, Wednesday March 18.
Company "E," Third Infantry, St. Paul, Wednesday March 18.
Company "D," First Infantry, St. Paul, Thursday March 19.
Company of Engineers, First Artillery, St. Paul, Saturday March 21.
Company "H," Third Infantry, Olivia, Monday March 23.
Company "D," Third Infantry, Zumbrota, Wednesday March 25.
Company "G," First Infantry, Red Wing, Thursday March 26.
Company "C," Second Infantry, Winona, Friday March 27.
Headquarters, Second Infantry, Austin, Monday March 30.
Company "G," Second Infantry, Austin, Monday March 30.
Company "I," Second Infantry, Owatonna, Tuesday March 31.
Company "B," Second Infantry, Faribault, Wednesday April 1.
Company "D," Second Infantry, Northfield, Thursday April 2.
Headquarters, First Infantry, Minneapolis, Monday April 6.
Band, First Infantry, Minneapolis, Monday April 6.
Company "A," First Infantry, Minneapolis, Monday April 6.
Company "B," First Infantry, Minneapolis, Tuesday April 7.
Company "I," First Infantry, Minneapolis, Wednesday April 8.
Company "F," First Infantry, Minneapolis, Thursday April 9.
Battery "B," First Artillery, Minneapolis, Friday April 10.
Band, Third Infantry, Duluth, Monday April 13.
Company "A," Third Infantry, Duluth, Monday April 13.
Company, "C," Third Infantry, Duluth, Monday April 13.
Company "I," Third Infantry, Crookston, Wednesday April 15.
Headquarters, First Artillery, St. Paul, Friday April 17.
Battery "A," First Artillery, St. Paul, Friday April 17.
Company "B," Third Infantry, Anoka, Monday April 20.
Company "G," Third Infantry, Princeton, Tuesday April 21.
Company "E," Second Infantry, Fairmont, Friday April 24.

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First Artillery.

Frederick L. Burns of St. Paul, Second Lieutenant Battery "A,"
Dec. 6, 1907, Chapter 443, General Laws 1907.

TRANSFERRED.

Company "F," Third Infantry, stationed at Worthington, to Second
Infantry, Nov. 30, 1907, S. O. No. 42, A. G. O., series of
1907.

DECORATIONS.

Faithful Service Medals (20 years.)

Edward S. Person of Zumbrota, Major, Third Infantry, Nov. 8,
1907.

Faithful Service Medals (10 years)

Charles E. French of St. Paul, First Lieutenant Company "D,"
First Infantry, Nov. 1, 1906.
Feodor E. Krembs of St. Paul, First Sergeant Company "D,"
First Infantry, Nov. 28, 1907.

By Command of the Governor.

FRED B. WOOD,

Adjutant General.

GENERAL ORDERS

No. 5.

2. To avoid inconvenience and expense incident to the assembling of the Brigade Staff, Regimental Field Staff, Non-Commissioned Staff and Hospital Corps at their respective headquarters, members thereof are authorized to report to the inspecting officer at the company station nearest their home on the dates set for inspection there.

A list of all absentees showing cause and duration of absence must be handed the inspector with the inspection roll, or immediately following the conclusion of the muster of troops.

3. In view of the recent examination of public property in the hands of troops by the Military Storekeeper, under orders from these headquarters, no property returns need be handed the inspector. All articles however must be conveniently arranged for thorough inspection.

4. The annual inspection of the Minnesota National Guard provided for in Section 14, act of Congress, approved January 21, 1903, will be made by Lieutenant-Colonel William Gerlach, U. S. A., retired, on duty with the organized Militia of the State (infantry and engineers) at the time and place specified in paragraph 1.

The name of the regular army officer designated by proper authority to inspect the Artillery Battalion, will be announced later.

By Command of the Governor.

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

In order to conform more closely to the formation of the organized militia of the United States and pursuant to authority vested in the Governor of Minnesota by Section 1049, Chapter 12, Revised Laws of Minnesota 1905, the number and grade of brigade, regimental and company officers, non-commissioned officers and other enlisted men of the Minnesota National Guard are fixed as follows:

1. Brigade—The brigade shall consist of—

- 1 Brigadier General.
- 1 Assistant Adjutant General (Major).
- 1 Surgeon (Major).
- 1 Inspector General (Major).
- 1 Quartermaster (Major).
- 1 Judge Advocate (Major).
- 1 Commissary of Subsistence (Major).
- 1 Inspector of Small Arms Practice (Major).
- 1 Ordnance Officer (Major).
- 1 Chaplain (Captain).
- 1 Aid-de-camp (Captain).
- 3 Regiments of Infantry, and
- 1 Battalion of field artillery, to consist of two batteries of artillery and one company of engineers.

2. Infantry—The minimum strength in the different grades for a company of infantry shall be as follows:

- 1 Captain.
- 1 First Lieutenant.
- 1 Second Lieutenant.
- 1 First Sergeant.
- 1 Quartermaster Sergeant.
- 4 Sergeants.
- 6 Corporals.
- 2 Cooks.
- 2 Musicians.
- 1 Artificer.
- 41 Privates.

58 Total enlisted (minimum.)

The maximum enlisted strength of a company of infantry shall be 73 as prescribed by law.

3. A battalion of infantry shall consist of—

- 1 Major.
- 1 Adjutant (First Lieutenant).
- 1 Quartermaster and Commissary (Second Lieutenant).
- 1 Sergeant Major.
- 4 Companies.

233 Total enlisted (minimum).

4. A regiment of infantry shall consist of—

- 1 Colonel.
- 1 Lieutenant Colonel.
- 1 Regimental surgeon (major).
- 1 Adjutant (Captain).
- 1 Quartermaster (Captain).
- 1 Commissary (Captain).
- 2 Assistant Surgeons (Captains or First Lieutenants).
- 1 Judge Advocate (First Lieutenant).
- 1 Chaplain.
- 1 Sergeant Major.
- 1 Quartermaster Sergeant.
- 1 Commissary Sergeant.
- 2 Color Sergeants.
- 1 Sergeant, first class
- 2 Sergeants
- 3 Corporals
- 12 Privates, first class
- 1 Chief Musician
- 1 Principal Musician
- 1 Drum Major
- 4 Sergeants
- 8 Corporals
- 1 Cook
- 12 Privates
- 3 Battalions.

Hospital Corps—18 enlisted.

Band—28 enlisted.

750 Total enlisted (minimum).

5. Field Artillery—The minimum strength in the different grades for a battery of field artillery shall be as follows:

- 1 Captain.
- 2 First Lieutenants.
- 2 Second Lieutenants.
- 1 First Sergeant.
- 1 Quartermaster Sergeant.
- 1 Stable Sergeant.
- 6 Sergeants.
- 12 Corporals.
- 3 Cooks.
- 1 Chief Mechanic.
- 4 Mechanics.
- 2 Musicians.
- 102 Privates.

133 Total enlisted (minimum).

The maximum enlisted strength for a battery of field artillery may be as high as 150.

6. Engineers—The minimum strength in the different grades for a company of engineers shall be as follows:

- 1 Captain.
- 1 First Lieutenant.
- 1 Second Lieutenant.

- 1 First Sergeant.
- 1 Quartermaster Sergeant.
- 4 Sergeants.
- 6 Corporals.
- 2 Cooks.
- 2 Musicians.
- 42 Privates.

58 Total enlisted (minimum).

The maximum enlisted strength of a company may be as high as 73 as prescribed by law.

The battalion of field artillery will hereafter be designated as First Battalion, First Regiment, Field Artillery, M. N. G., and shall consist of—

- 1 Major.
- 1 Adjutant (Captain).
- 1 Engineer Officer (Captain).
- 1 Quartermaster and Commissary (First Lieutenant).
- 1 Ordnance Officer (First Lieutenant).
- 1 Assistant Surgeon (rank of Captain or First Lieutenant).
- 1 Veterinarian.
- 1 Sergeant Major.
- 1 Quartermaster Sergeant.
- 1 Commissary Sergeant.
- 1 Chief Trumpeter.
- 1 Sergeant, first class
- 1 Sergeant
- 1 Corporal
- 4 Privates, first class
- 2 Batteries.
- 1 Company of Engineers.

Hospital Corps—7 enlisted.

335 Total enlisted (minimum).

All orders inconsistent with the above order are hereby revoked.

JOHN A. JOHNSON.
Governor.

ATTEST:
FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

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ST. PAUL, FEBRUARY 29, 1908. }

GENERAL ORDERS

No. 6.

The following changes have taken place in the military forces of the State since the publication of General Orders No. 3, A. G. O., dated Jan. 31, 1908.

RESIGNED.

First Brigade.

Melvin J. Wiley, Captain and Ordnance Officer, honorably discharged Jan. 31, 1908, S. O. No. 7, A. G. O., c. s.

First Infantry.

Frank A. Jones, Captain Company "F," honorably discharged Feb. 3, 1908, S. O. No. 6, A. G. O., c. s.

William E. Per Lec, Second Lieutenant Company "K," promoted to First Lieutenant Nov. 21, 1907.

Second Infantry.

Harrison W. Maltby, Captain Company "H," Second Infantry, honorably discharged Feb. 21, 1908, S. O. No. 9, A. G. O., c. s.

Third Infantry.

Frank W. Matson, Captain and Regimental Adjutant, promoted to Major Dec. 27, 1907.

Edward M. Van Duzee, Jr., Second Lieutenant and Battalion Quartermaster and Commissary, promoted to Captain and Regimental Adjutant Dec. 27, 1907.

Albert F. Pratt, Captain Company "B," promoted to Major Dec. 27, 1907.

Ernest H. Sellhorn, Second Lieutenant Company "G," promoted to First Lieutenant Dec. 16, 1907.

First Artillery.

George E. Leach, First Lieutenant Battery "B," promoted to Captain Jan. 10, 1908.

James C. Melville, Second Lieutenant Battery "B," promoted to First Lieutenant Jan. 10, 1908.

COMMISSIONED.

First Brigade.

Anton Schaefer of Rushmore, Ordnance Officer with rank of Captain, Jan. 31, 1908, vice Melvin J. Wiley, resigned.

First Infantry.

William E. Per Lee of Stillwater, First Lieutenant Company "K," Nov. 21, 1907, vice John M. Nolan, resigned.

Emmett A. Nolan of Stillwater, Second Lieutenant Company "K," Nov. 21, 1907, vice William E. Per Lee, promoted.

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Third Infantry.

Albert F. Pratt of Anoka, Major, Dec. 27, 1907, vice Edward S. Person, retired.
Frank W. Matson of St. Paul, Major, Dec. 27, 1907, vice Frederick E. Resche, promoted.
Edward M. Van Duzee, Jr., of St. Paul, Regimental Adjutant with rank of Captain Dec. 27, 1907, vice Frank W. Matson, promoted.
Robert K. Lee of Duluth, Second Lieutenant Company "A," Dec. 10, 1907, vice S. Elliott Finch, resigned.
Ernest H. Sellhorn of Princeton, First Lieutenant Company "G," Dec. 16, 1907, vice Guy R. Caley, resigned.

First Artillery.

Thomas C. Daggett of St. Paul, First Lieutenant Battery "A," Dec. 6, 1907, vice William Keller, resigned.
George E. Leach of Minneapolis, Captain Battery "B," Jan. 10, 1908, vice Albert F. Pray, retired.
James C. Melville of Minneapolis, First Lieutenant Battery "B," Jan. 10, 1908, vice George E. Leach, promoted.
Clarence D. Tearse of Minneapolis, Second Lieutenant Battery "B," May 10, 1907, vice George W. Dulany, Jr., promoted.
James C. Melville of Minneapolis, Second Lieutenant Battery "B," May 10, 1907, Chapter 443, General Laws 1907.

Naval Militia.

Rene T. Hugo of Duluth, Ensign, Jan. 20, 1908, vice Clyde W. Kelly, promoted.

DECORATIONS.

Faithful Service Medals (20 years.)

Oscar Seebach of Red Wing, Major, First Infantry, Feb. 24, 1908.

Faithful Service Medals (10 years)

Edward W. Murphy of Minneapolis, Colonel and Aid-de-Camp, General Staff, Sept. 6, 1899.
William E. Per Lee of Stillwater, First Lieutenant Company "K," First Infantry, Jan. 10, 1907.

By Command of the Governor,

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

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ST. PAUL, MARCH 15, 1908. }

GENERAL ORDERS

No. 7.

The following rules governing the Receipts and Disbursements of Company Commanders, are published for the information and guidance of all concerned, and will take effect upon the date of the Annual Inspection of the respective Companies for the year 1908:

1. Company commanders will enter in a cash book furnished by the Adjutant General, all their receipts and disbursements in chronological order.
2. All moneys received by company commanders from any source will be immediately deposited in a responsible bank and disbursed upon check only. The source of the receipts and purpose of the disbursement will be entered in the proper column in the cash book.
3. Checks will be numbered consecutively, and all invoices, vouchers and receipts pertaining to any disbursement will be given the number of the check issued in payment thereof.
4. At the annual inspection the cash book and bank book will be balanced and, together with cancelled checks and vouchers, will be submitted to the inspecting officer for examination.
5. These records will be transmitted by company commanders to their successors in office.

By Command of the Governor.

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

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ST. PAUL, MARCH 31, 1908.

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 8.

The following changes have taken place in the military forces of the State since the publication of General Orders No. 6, A. G. O., dated February 29, 1908.

RESIGNED

General Staff

Daniel Aberle, Major and Assistant Commissary General, promoted to Colonel and Aid-de-Camp March 19, 1908.

George S. Koffend, Major and Aid-de-Camp, promoted to Major and Assistant Quartermaster General March 19, 1908.

William R. Wylie, Major and Aid-de-Camp, promoted to Major and Assistant Commissary General March 19, 1908.

First Brigade

Andrew J. Eckstein, Captain and Assistant Inspector General, honorably discharged Feb. 20, 1908, S. O. No. 46, A. G. O., c. s.

Einar Hoidale, Captain and Judge Advocate, honorably discharged Feb. 20, 1908, S. O. No. 47, A. G. O., c. s.

William H. Hart, Captain and Quartermaster, honorably discharged Feb. 20, 1908, S. O. No. 45, A. G. O., c. s.

John P. Graff, Captain and Commissary of Subsistence, honorably discharged Feb. 20, 1908, S. O. No. 48, A. G. O., c. s.

Anton Schaefer, Captain and Ordnance Officer, honorably discharged Feb. 20, 1908, S. O. No. 49, A. G. O., c. s.

Orris E. Lee, Captain and Inspector of Small Arms Practice, honorably discharged Feb. 20, 1908, S. O. No. 50, A. G. O., c. s.

First Infantry

Charles E. French, First Lieutenant Company "D," promoted to Captain Jan. 30, 1908.

COMMISSIONED

General Staff

Daniel Aberle of St. Paul, Aid-de-Camp with rank of Colonel, March 19, 1908.

George S. Koffend of Minneapolis, Assistant Quartermaster General with rank of Major, March 19, 1908, vice Robert H. McClelland, term expired.

William R. Wylie of Minneapolis, Assistant Commissary General with rank of Major, March 19, 1908, vice Daniel Aberle, promoted.

First Brigade

Andrew J. Eckstein of New Ulm, Inspector General with rank of Major, Feb. 20, 1908, G. O. No. 5, A. G. O., c. s.

Einar Hoidale of Minneapolis, Judge Advocate with rank of Major, Feb. 20, 1908, G. O. No. 5, A. G. O., c. s.

William H. Hart of St. Paul, Quartermaster with rank of Major, Feb. 20, 1908, G. O. No. 5, A. G. O., c. s.

John P. Graff of New Ulm, Commissary of Subsistence with rank of Major, Feb. 20, 1908, G. O. No. 5, A. G. O., c. s.

Anton Schaefer of St. Paul, Ordnance Officer with rank of Major, Feb. 20, 1908, G. O. No. 5, A. G. O., c. s.

Orris E. Lee of Stillwater, Inspector of Small Arms Practice with rank of Major, Feb. 20, 1908, G. O. No. 5, A. G. O., c. s.

First Infantry

Charles E. French of St. Paul, Captain Company "D," Jan. 30, 1908, vice Harry V. Knocke, resigned.
 Feodor E. Krembs, of St. Paul, First Lieutenant Company "D," Jan. 30, 1908, vice Charles E. French, promoted.
 Walter H. Barnacle of St. Paul, Second Lieutenant Company "D," Jan. 30, 1908, vice James E. Thiebaud, resigned.
 Arthur J. Stobbart of St. Paul, Captain Company "L," March 24, 1908, S. O. No. 22, A. G. O., c. s.
 Otto N. Raths of St. Paul, First Lieutenant Company "L," March 24, 1908, S. O. No. 22, A. G. O., c. s.
 Clifton T. Smith of St. Paul, Second Lieutenant Company "L," March 24, 1908, S. O. No. 22, A. G. O., c. s.

Second Infantry

Oliver J. Quane of St. Peter, Captain Company "K," Feb. 28, 1908, S. O. No. 11, A. G. O., c. s.
 Francis Magnier of St. Peter, First Lieutenant Company "K," Feb. 28, 1908, S. O. No. 11, A. G. O., c. s.
 Charles A. Key of St. Peter, Second Lieutenant Company "K," Feb. 28, 1908, S. O. No. 11, A. G. O., c. s.
 Myron W. Hingeley of Redwood Falls, Captain Company "L," March 6, 1908, S. O. No. 14, A. G. O., c. s.
 Charles S. Mook of Redwood Falls, First Lieutenant Company "L," March 6, 1908, S. O. No. 14, A. G. O., c. s.
 Alfred C. Dolliff of Redwood Falls, Second Lieutenant Company "L," March 6, 1908, S. O. No. 14, A. G. O., c. s.

Third Infantry

Walter B. Miser of Duluth, Captain Company "E," March 27, 1908, S. O. No. 23, A. G. O., c. s.
 Edward L. Bender of Duluth, First Lieutenant Company "E," March 27, 1908, S. O. No. 23, A. G. O. c. s.
 George W. Stiles of Duluth, Second Lieutenant Company "E," March 27, 1908, S. O. No. 23, A. G. O., c. s.

TRANSFERRED

Company "E," Third Infantry, stationed at St. Paul, to First Infantry as Company "H," March 2, 1908, S. O. No. 10, A. G. O., c. s.

MUSTERED IN**First Infantry**

Company "L" at St. Paul, March 24, 1908, S. O. No. 22, A. G. O., c. s.

Second Infantry

Company "K" at St. Peter, Feb. 28, 1908, S. O. No. 11, A. G. O., c. s.
 Company "L" at Redwood Falls, March 6, 1908, S. O. No. 14, A. G. O., c. s.

Third Infantry

Company "E" at Duluth, March 27, 1908, S. O. No. 23, A. G. O., c. s.

DECORATIONS**Faithful Service Medals (15 years)**

William W. Kinne of Northfield, Captain Company "D," Second Infantry, July 14, 1905.

Faithful Service Medals (10 years)

John M. Logan of Zumbrota, Sergeant Company "D," Third Infantry, Feb. 7, 1908.

By command of the Governor.

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

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ST. PAUL, APRIL 30, 1908.

**GENERAL ORDERS
No. 9.**

The following changes have taken place in the military forces of the State since the publication of General Orders No. 8, A. G. O., dated March 31, 1908.

RESIGNED**First Infantry**

Mathias Baldwin, Second Lieutenant Company "F," promoted to Captain Feb. 6, 1908.

Third Infantry

Henry B. Whitaker, First Lieutenant Company "A," honorably discharged April 20, 1908, S. O. No. 29, A. G. O., c. s.

COMMISSIONED**First Infantry**

Mathias Baldwin of Minneapolis, Captain Company "F," Feb. 6, 1908, vice Frank A. Jones, resigned.
 William D. Barring Gould of Minneapolis, Second Lieutenant Company "F," Feb. 6, 1908, vice Mathias Baldwin, promoted.
 Anthony X. Schall, Jr., of Minneapolis, Captain Company "M," April 2, 1908, S. O. No. 24, A. G. O., c. s.
 Bertram G. Dickinson of Minneapolis, First Lieutenant Company "M," April 2, 1908, S. O. No. 24, A. G. O., c. s.
 Hosmer A. Brown of Minneapolis, Second Lieutenant Company "M," April 2, 1908, S. O. No. 24, A. G. O., c. s.

Third Infantry

Milton A. Gallup of St. Paul, Battalion Quartermaster and Commissary with rank of Second Lieutenant, Dec. 27, 1907, vice Edward M. Van Duzee, promoted.
 Adam E. Otto of Bemidji, Captain Company "K," April 14, 1908, S. O. No. 28, A. G. O., c. s.
 John Hillaby of Bemidji, First Lieutenant Company "K," April 14, 1908, S. O. No. 28, A. G. O., c. s.
 Kenneth H. Kelley of Bemidji, Second Lieutenant Company "K," April 14, 1908, S. O. No. 28, A. G. O., c. s.

MUSTERED IN**First Infantry**

Company "M," at Minneapolis, April 2, 1908, S. O. No. 24, A. G. O., c. s.

Third Infantry

Company "F" at Eveleth, April 2, 1908, S. O. No. 25, A. G. O., c. s.
 Company "K" at Bemidji, April 14, 1908, S. O. No. 28, A. G. O., c. s.

By command of the Governor.

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

HEADQUARTERS MINNESOTA NATIONAL GUARD,
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ST. PAUL, MAY 18, 1908. }

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 10.

1. In observance of Memorial Day, May 30th, the organizations of the Minnesota National Guard will when requested take part in the exercises pertaining to that day which may be held at their home stations.
2. In accordance with the United States Regulations the flag will be hoisted at half staff on the different armories in the State at sunrise, remaining at half staff until noon, when it will be hoisted to the top of the staff, remaining until sunset.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

GENERAL ORDERS

No. II.

1. The organizations of the National Guard named below will assemble at Camp Lakeview, near Lake City, Minn., for a ten days' tour of duty and instruction as hereinafter designated.

Third Infantry—Colonel Charles E. Johnson commanding, Monday June 15th, ending Wednesday June 24th.

First Infantry—Colonel Charles McC. Reeve commanding, Monday July 6th, ending Wednesday July 15th.

Second Infantry—Colonel Arthur W. Wright commanding, Thursday July 16th, ending Saturday July 25th.

First Battalion of Artillery—Major George C. Lambert commanding, Monday August 17th, ending Wednesday August 26th.

2. Brigadier General Fred B. Wood, Adjutant General, is charged with the execution of this order, and for that purpose will, accompanied by general headquarters, proceed to and remain at Camp Lakeview while troops are in camp. All official correspondence should be addressed to Camp Lakeview.

3. The following named officers are ordered into service during the encampment of the several organizations of the Minnesota National Guard, as stated in Paragraph 1:

Brigadier General Fred B. Wood, Adjutant General and Disbursing Officer; Major Charles W. Fisher, Assistant Inspector General; Major Edward W. Bird, Assistant Judge Advocate General; Major William H. Hart, Brigade Quartermaster; Major Orris E. Lee, Brigade Inspector of Small Arms Practice, and Captain William H. Hatcher, Military Storekeeper.

Major Fisher, Major Bird, Major Hart, Major Lee and Captain Hatcher will report to the Adjutant General for duty in connection with their respective departments.

4. The Adjutant General will prepare the grounds and also procure and furnish the transportation and pay necessary to the execution of all orders.

5. For purpose of instruction, regimental quartermasters and commissaries will make consolidated requisitions to these headquarters for supplies pertaining to their respective departments while in camp.

6. The Commanding Officer of the First Artillery will send one gun to camp in charge of three competent men, on the 13th day of June 1908, together with the necessary ammunition for salute firing. This detachment will report to the commanding officer of the camp for the time being, and when not engaged in artillery duty will be ordered to report to Captain William H. Hatcher, Military Storekeeper, for work in his department.

7. The senior medical officer on duty with each regiment and with the battalion of artillery will within ten days after the close of his tour of duty, make report in writing of his observations to the regimental commander and also to the surgeon general, who with his remarks and conclusions endorsed thereon will forward the same to these headquarters.

8. The taking of "substitutes" is strictly prohibited, and regimental commanders will prosecute violations of this provision.

9. The commanding officer of each regiment will assume general charge of the camp and be responsible for its appearance during the time his command shall occupy it, and leave the same in perfect sanitary condition.

10. Enlisted men are strictly prohibited from boarding or interfering with trains stopping at or passing through the camp grounds, unless pro-

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vided with proper transportation. Regimental commanders will cause charges to be preferred against any members of their command who violate this order.

11. Driving nails in tent poles, defacing tent walls or other public property will not be tolerated. Officers or enlisted men occupying tents or using public property will be held responsible for the proper care thereof, and any damage thereto will be deducted from their per diem in camp.

12. In case of accidents or wounds, and in case of serious damage to property, the commanding officer of the camp will at once make report thereof direct to the Adjutant General. He will also without further instructions, immediately convene a board of officers to ascertain and determine the injury or damage and to fix the responsibility and forward the report of the board with his conclusions thereon, as soon as practicable, to the Adjutant General.

13. Company commanders will make daily reports to regimental headquarters immediately after the morning roll call, using the Regular Army Morning Report blank, and commanding officers at camp will render to these headquarters direct, a consolidated morning report of their command on each day.

14. Regimental commanders using blank ammunition in drill, will instruct their men to save the empty shells and turn the same over to the ordnance officer.

15. A general report from each regimental commander, the commanding officer of the battalion of artillery and the surgeon general, will be made to the Adjutant General within thirty days from the close of their encampment.

By Command of the Governor,

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, JUNE 1, 1908. }

GENERAL ORDERS

No. 12.

In order to conform more closely to the formation of the organized Militia of the United States, and pursuant to authority vested in the Governor of Minnesota by Section 1049, Chapter 12, Revised Laws of Minnesota 1905, General Orders No. 5, c. s., from these headquarters are hereby amended.

1. The grade of regimental judge advocate is hereby abolished.
2. The grade of regimental inspector of small arms practice is created with the rank of captain.
3. On and after October 1st, 1908, the minimum strength in the different grades for a company of infantry shall be as follows:
 - 1 Captain.
 - 1 First Lieutenant.
 - 1 Second Lieutenant.
 - 1 First Sergeant.
 - 1 Quartermaster Sergeant.
 - 4 Sergeants.
 - 6 Corporals.
 - 2 Cooks.
 - 2 Musicians.
 - 42 Privates.

58 Total enlisted (minimum).
4. On and after October 1st, 1908, the minimum strength in the different grades for the company of engineers shall be as follows:
 - 1 Captain.
 - 1 First Lieutenant.
 - 1 Second Lieutenant.
 - 1 First Sergeant.
 - 1 Quartermaster Sergeant.
 - 4 Sergeants.
 - 6 Corporals.
 - 2 Cooks.
 - 2 Musicians.
 - 21 Privates, First Class.
 - 21 Privates, Second Class.

58 Total Enlisted (minimum).
5. All orders or parts of orders inconsistent with the above are hereby revoked.

JOHN A. JOHNSON,
Governor.

ATTEST:

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
ST. PAUL, JUNE 12, 1908. }

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 13.

The Governor and Commander-in-Chief will review the organizations of the Minnesota National Guard named below, at Camp Lakeview on the following dates:

Third Infantry - - - Tuesday June 23rd,
First Infantry - - - Friday July 10th.

The Brigade Commander will review the several commands of the Minnesota National Guard at Camp Lakeview, on such dates as he may designate by orders.

By Command of the Governor.

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
ST. PAUL, JULY 16, 1908. }

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 14.

1. In continuation of camp work under provisions of General Orders No. 11, c. s., from these headquarters, the annual competition for the State Trophy by regimental rifle teams and company rifle teams, will take place on the State Rifle range, Camp Lakeview, beginning July 27th, 1908, at 7:30 o'clock a. m.
2. Brigadier General Fred B. Wood, Adjutant General, will proceed to Camp Lakeview from these headquarters in time to personally supervise the work ordered in Paragraph 1, and in connection with the selection and practice of a rifle team to represent the State of Minnesota in the rifle matches at Camp Perry, Ohio, August 10th to 29th, 1908.
3. The first day will be devoted to preliminary practice by the regimental and company teams.
4. The forenoon of the second day will be devoted to the company team match and the afternoon to the beginning of the regimental team match, which will be completed as soon as practicable.
5. Upon completion of the regimental match, team captains will each, in addition to themselves, designate seven men of their teams, and the Brigade Inspector of Small Arms Practice will designate three men to compete for places on the state team, to consist of twelve men and three alternates to be selected from those making the highest scores during said competition.
6. Upon completion of the regular contests, the 800 and 1000 yard ranges will be open to all present who have qualified as sharpshooters but not as experts during the present season, and they will be permitted to fire four scores at those distances with a view of qualifying as experts.
7. The company team match will be the marksman's course, under Special Course "C," U. S. Firing Regulations. The regimental team match, and the contest for places on the state team will be the expert rifleman's course. In all matches two sighting shots will be allowed at slow fire stages.
8. Major Edward W. Bird, Assistant Judge Advocate General, M. N. G.; Major Orris E. Lee, Brigade Inspector of Small Arms Practice; Major William H. Hart, Brigade Quartermaster; Captain William H. Hatcher, Military Storekeeper, M. N. G.; and Captain Arthur E. Clark, Jr., Aid-de-Camp, Brigade Staff, will report in person to the Adjutant General at Camp Lakeview, July 26th, 1908, for duty during this encampment.
9. Alternates on regimental teams will act as scorers and clerks for the Brigade Inspector of Small Arms Practice.

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10. Regimental commanders will on receipt of this order furnish the Adjutant General at Camp Lakeview, Minn., a list giving the full name and designation of each member of regimental and company teams of their respective commands.

11. Upon completion of the state competition, the Adjutant General will select from those who have participated therein, a team to consist of twelve members and three alternates to represent the Organized Militia of Minnesota in the National Rifle Match of 1903. This team will remain in camp and will engage in such practice as may be ordered.

All retained in camp in connection with this additional practice, the team and those detailed to go with it to Camp Perry, will receive pay at the rate of two dollars per day with subsistence and transportation, for the time going to and in camp, en route to and at Camp Perry, Ohio, and returning to their stations.

By Command of the Governor.

FRED B. WOOD,

Adjutant General.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
ST. PAUL, JULY 31, 1908.

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 15.

The following changes have taken place in the military forces of the State since the publication of General Orders No. 9, A. G. O., dated April 30, 1908.

RESIGNED

First Infantry

Harry B. Dyer, First Lieutenant and Judge Advocate, honorably discharged June 1, 1908, S. O. No. 52, A. G. O., c. s.

Roy Pearse, First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant, honorably discharged June 1, 1908, S. O. No. 51, A. G. O., c. s.

Frederick W. Foot, Second Lieutenant Company "G," honorably discharged May 10, 1908, S. O. No. 36, A. G. O., c. s.

Second Infantry

Harry L. Bullis, First Lieutenant and Judge Advocate, honorably discharged June 1, 1908, S. O. No. 53, A. G. O., c. s.

Frank V. Burdick, First Lieutenant Company "E," honorably discharged May 10, 1908, S. O. No. 37, A. G. O., c. s.

Marshall N. Pratt, Second Lieutenant Company "E," honorably discharged June 1, 1908, S. O. No. 40, A. G. O., c. s.

Stelle S. Smith, First Lieutenant Company "F," promoted to Captain Feb. 25, 1908.

Third Infantry

James C. Ferguson, First Lieutenant and Assistant Surgeon, promoted to Captain June 6, 1908.

Richard D. O'Brien, First Lieutenant and Judge Advocate, honorably discharged June 1, 1908, S. O. No. 54, A. G. O., c. s.

Robert K. Lee, Second Lieutenant Company "A," promoted to First Lieutenant April 28, 1908.

Arthur A. Caswell, First Lieutenant Company "B," promoted to Captain March 16, 1908.

William M. Tuthill, Second Lieutenant Company "B," promoted to First Lieutenant March 16, 1908.

Richard E. Strassburger, Second Lieutenant Company "I," promoted to First Lieutenant May 6, 1908.

First Artillery

Edward A. Meyering, First Lieutenant and Assistant Surgeon, promoted to Captain June 2, 1908.

William L. Kelly, Jr., Captain Battery "A," honorably discharged June 1, 1908, S. O. No. 38, A. G. O., c. s.

Thomas C. Daggett, First Lieutenant Battery "A," honorably discharged July 22, 1908, S. O. No. 44, A. G. O., c. s.

Frederick L. Burns, Second Lieutenant Battery "A," honorably discharged June 1, 1908, S. O. No. 39, A. G. O., c. s.

COMMISSIONED

First Infantry

Roy Pearse of Minneapolis, Inspector of Small Arms Practice with rank of Captain June 1, 1908, G. O. No. 5, A. G. O., c. s.

Harry B. Dyer of Hopkins, Battalion Adjutant with rank of First Lieutenant, June 1, 1908, vice Roy Pearse, promoted.

Second Infantry

- Harry L. Bullis of Blue Earth, Inspector of Small Arms Practice with rank of Captain, June 1, 1908, G. O. No. 5, A. G. O. c. s.
Stelle S. Smith of Worthington, Captain Company "F," Feb. 25, 1908, vice Anton Schaefer, resigned.
M. Alfred Larson of Madison, Captain Company "M," April 30, 1908, S. O. No. 32, A. G. O., c. s.
James H. Chalmers of Madison, First Lieutenant Company "M," April 30, 1908, S. O. No. 32, A. G. O., c. s.
Walter F. Rosenwald of Madison, Second Lieutenant Company "M," April 30, 1908, S. O. No. 32, A. G. O., c. s.

Third Infantry

- James C. Ferguson of St. Paul, Assistant Surgeon with rank of Captain, June 6, 1908, Section 1057, Chapter 12, Revised Laws of 1905.
Richard D. O'Brien of St. Paul, Inspector of Small Arms Practice with rank of Captain, June 1, 1908, G. O. No. 5, A. G. O., c. s.
William S. Emery of Amboy, Chaplain with rank of First Lieutenant, June 1, 1908, G. O. No. 5, A. G. O., c. s.
John McKee Hefner of Brainerd, Battalion Quartermaster and Commissary with rank of Second Lieutenant, May 8, 1908, vice Emil Kjall, resigned.
Robert K. Lee of Duluth, First Lieutenant Company "A," April 28, 1908, vice Henry B. Whitaker, resigned.
Walter L. Dash of Duluth, Second Lieutenant Company "A," April 28, 1908, vice Robert K. Lee, promoted.
Arthur A. Caswell of Anoka, Captain Company "B," March 16, 1908, vice Albert F. Pratt, promoted.
William M. Tuthill of Anoka, First Lieutenant Company "B," March 16, 1908, vice Arthur A. Caswell, promoted.
Edward B. Cutter of Anoka, Second Lieutenant Company "B," March 16, 1908, vice William M. Tuthill, promoted.
Roy M. Cornwell of Eveleth, Captain Company "F," April 2, 1908, S. O. No. 25, A. G. O., c. s.
Edward H. Hatch of Eveleth, First Lieutenant Company "F," April 2, 1908, S. O. No. 25, A. G. O., c. s.
Fergus R. Ellsworth of Eveleth, Second Lieutenant Company "F," April 2, 1908, S. O. No. 25, A. G. O., c. s.
Richard E. Strassburger of Crookston, First Lieutenant Company "I," May 6, 1908, vice Charles E. Hitchcock, resigned.
Peter I. Eide of Crookston, Second Lieutenant Company "I," May 6, 1908, vice Richard E. Strassburger, promoted.
Christian A. Wiste of Thief River Falls, Captain Company "L," April 21, 1908, S. O. No. 42, A. G. O., c. s.
James E. Bulman of Thief River Falls, First Lieutenant Company "L," April 21, 1908, S. O. No. 42, A. G. O., c. s.
William B. Fuller of Thief River Falls, Second Lieutenant Company "L," April 21, 1908, S. O. No. 42, A. G. O., c. s.
George O'Sullivan of Hibbing, Captain Company "M," May 14, 1908, S. O. No. 34, A. G. O., c. s.
John A. Healy of Hibbing, First Lieutenant Company "M," May 14, 1908, S. O. No. 34, A. G. O., c. s.
Bazil F. Fitch of Hibbing, Second Lieutenant Company "M," May 14, 1908, S. O. No. 34, A. G. O., c. s.

First Artillery

- Edward A. Meyerding of St. Paul, Assistant Surgeon with rank of Captain, June 2, 1908, Section 1057, Chapter 12, Revised Laws of 1905.

MUSTERED IN

Second Infantry

- Company "M" at Madison, April 30, 1908, S. O. No. 32, A. G. O., c. s.

Third Infantry

- Company "L" at Thief River Falls, April 21, 1908, S. O. No. 42, A. G. O., c. s.
Company "M" at Hibbing, May 14, 1908, S. O. No. 34, A. G. O., c. s.

APPOINTED

Examining Surgeons

- Howard R. Weirick, M. D., Hibbing, April 28, 1908, S. O. No. 41, A. G. O., c. s.
Francis W. Bullen, M. D., Hibbing, April 28, 1908, S. O. No. 41, A. G. O., c. s.

DECORATIONS

Faithful Service Medals (15 years)

- Harry V. Knocke of St. Paul, Captain Company "D," First Infantry, Jan. 4, 1908.
Albert F. Koch of Echo, First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant, Second Infantry, April 18, 1908.

Faithful Service Medals (10 years)

- Winfield S. Brisbin of St. Paul, Captain and Quartermaster, Third Infantry, April 26, 1908.
Frederick G. Hanson of Duluth, Second Lieutenant Company "C," Third Infantry, April 27, 1908.
Fred H. Wood of Duluth, First Sergeant Company "C," Third Infantry, April 4, 1908.

By command of the Governor.

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
ST. PAUL, SEPTEMBER 30, 1908.

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 16.

The following changes have taken place in the military forces of the State since the publication of General Orders No. 15, A. G. O., dated July 31, 1908.

RESIGNED.

First Brigade.

Ezra C. Clemans, Captain and Chaplain, promoted to Major Sept. 26, 1908.

Third Infantry.

Frederick E. Resche, Lieutenant Colonel, honorably discharged Aug. 10, 1908, S. O. No. 56, A. G. O., c. s.

First Artillery.

Edward A. Meyerding, Captain and Assistant Surgeon, elected Captain Battery "A" June 12, 1908.

Edward H. Slater, Second Lieutenant Battery "A," honorably discharged Aug. 1, 1908, S. O. No. 57, A. G. O., c. s.

Naval Militia.

Clyde W. Kelly, Lieutenant (Junior Grade) Second Division, promoted to Lieutenant April 30, 1908.

Oscar A. Anderson, Ensign Second Division, promoted to Lieutenant (Junior Grade) April 30, 1908.

TRANSFERRED.

Third Infantry.

Richard D. O'Brien, Captain and Inspector of Small Arms Practice, to First Brigade.

COMMISSIONED.

First Brigade.

Ezra C. Clemans of Duluth, Chaplain with rank of Major, Sept. 26, 1908, Act April 21, 1904.

Richard D. O'Brien of St. Paul, Assistant Ordnance Officer with rank of Captain, S. O. No. 58, A. G. O., c. s.

Third Infantry.

Frederick E. Resche of Duluth, Inspector of Small Arms Practice with rank of Captain, Aug. 10, 1908, vice Richard D. O'Brien, transferred.

First Artillery.

Edward A. Meyerding of St. Paul, Captain Battery "A," June 12, 1908, vice William L. Kelly, Jr., resigned.

Otto Burri of St. Paul, First Lieutenant Battery "A," July 24, 1908, vice Thomas C. Daggett, resigned.

Harry W. Paulson of St. Paul, Second Lieutenant Battery "A," June 12, 1908, vice Frederick L. Burns, resigned.

Thomas L. Brown of Minneapolis, Second Lieutenant Battery "B," Jan. 10, 1908, vice James C. Melville, promoted.

Naval Militia.

Clyde W. Kelly of Duluth, Lieutenant Second Division, April 30, 1908, vice Carl E. Melby, resigned.

Oscar A. Anderson of Duluth, Lieutenant (Junior Grade) Second Division, April 30, 1908, vice Clyde W. Kelly, promoted.

DECORATIONS.

Faithful Service Medals (15 years.)

Charles F. Cook of Austin, Captain Company "G," Second Infantry, July 24, 1908.

A. F. William Kerston of St. Paul, Corporal Company "D," First Infantry, Feb. 1, 1906.

Faithful Service Medals (10 years.)

Matthew C. McMillan of Stillwater, Captain Company "K," First Infantry, May 22, 1908.

Ira D. Parker of Revere, First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant, Second Infantry, April 28, 1908.

John McKee Hefner of Brainerd, Second Lieutenant, Third Infantry, May 10, 1908.

George R. Egbert of Minneapolis, Regimental Commissary Sergeant, First Infantry, June 17, 1908.

Charles H. Lipke of St. Paul, First Sergeant Company "E," First Infantry, April 27, 1908.

Arnold Arneson of St. Paul, Private Company "C," First Infantry, April 28, 1908.

By command of the Governor.

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
ST. PAUL, OCT., 30, 1908 }

GENERAL ORDERS

No. 17.

The issue to the Minnesota National Guard of the service (olive drab) uniforms will be made as rapidly as the articles required for and to be procured by purchase are received.

In order to complete the full equipment of all the troops this year, the strictest economy must be practiced, and no surplus stock for contingencies or exchange of sizes will be available.

Company, battery commanders and regimental adjutants will therefore submit without delay, requisitions for actual number of service coats, breeches and caps needed by the enlisted men now under their command, being careful in giving sizes in accordance with G. O. No. 169, W. D., Aug. 14th, 1907, pages 55 and 58.

When received by troops, the service uniform will be worn on all occasions of duty at home stations, except parades and other occasions of ceremony, when the dress uniform may be used at the discretion of commanding officer.

The issue of the khaki uniform will not be discontinued, but will be used as heretofore in annual camp.

In order to keep it in thorough order and ready for immediate use at all times, it should be carefully examined when troops return to station from field duty, and if necessary, laundried and repaired without delay.

The expenditure of 25 cents per suit is hereby allowed, and bills for such service, not exceeding this allowance, should be duly certified and sent to these headquarters for settlement. Expenditures in excess of 25 cents per uniform must be defrayed from annual inspection allowance.

Battalion commanders and other officers making inspections of organizations under P. 1329, Rules and Regulations of the Minnesota National Guard 1904, are especially charged to see that orders relative to khaki uniforms are fully complied with.

By Command of the Governor,

FRED B. WOOD,

Adjutant General.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, OCTOBER 30, 1908. }

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 18.

In order to conform more closely to the formation of the organized Militia of the United States, and pursuant to authority vested in the Governor of Minnesota by Section 1049, Chapter 12, Revised Laws of Minnesota 1905, General Orders No. 5, c. s., from these headquarters are hereby amended.

The battalion of field artillery will hereafter be designated as First Battalion, First Regiment, Artillery, M. N. G., and shall consist of:

1 major
1 adjutant (captain)
1 engineer officer (captain)
1 quartermaster and commissary (first lieutenant)
1 ordnance officer (first lieutenant)
1 assistant surgeon (captain or first lieutenant)
1 veterinarian
1 sergeant major
1 quartermaster sergeant
1 commissary sergeant
1 chief trumpeter.
1 sergeant first-class
1 sergeant
1 corporal
4 privates first-class
3 batteries

} Hospital Corps—7 enlisted

410 total enlisted (minimum)

All orders or parts of orders inconsistent with the above order are hereby revoked.

Attest:

JOHN A. JOHNSON,
Governor.

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

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ST. PAUL, OCTOBER 31, 1908. }

GENERAL ORDERS
No 19.

The following changes have taken place in the military forces of the State since the publication of General Orders No. 16, A. G. O., dated September 30, 1908.

RESIGNED

FIRST BRIGADE

Richard D. O'Brien, Captain and Assistant Ordnance Officer, honorably discharged Oct. 2, 1908, S. O. No. 75, A. G. O., c. s.

FIRST INFANTRY

Henry A. Andres, First Lieutenant Company "H," honorably discharged Oct. 14, 1908, S. O. No. 76, A. G. O., c. s.

SECOND INFANTRY

Clarence D. Lang, Second Lieutenant Company "B," honorably discharged Oct. 21, 1908, S. O. No. 78, A. G. O., c. s.

THIRD INFANTRY

Frederick E. Resche, Captain and Inspector of Small Arms Practice, honorably discharged Oct. 2, 1908, S. O. No. 74, A. G. O., c. s.
Richard E. Strassburger, First Lieutenant Company "I," honorably discharged Oct. 14, 1908, S. O. No. 77, A. G. O., c. s.

COMMISSIONED

THIRD INFANTRY

Frederick E. Resche of Duluth, Lieutenant Colonel, Oct. 2, 1908, vice Frederick E. Resche, resigned.
Richard D. O'Brien of St. Paul, Inspector of Small Arms Practice with rank of Captain, Oct 2, 1908, vice Richard D. O'Brien, transferred.

NAVAL MILITIA

Rene T. Hugo of Duluth, Ensign Second Division, June 25, 1908, vice Oscar A. Anderson, promoted.

DECORATIONS

FAITHFUL SERVICE MEDALS (20 YEARS)

Frederick E. Resche of Duluth, Lieutenant Colonel, Third Infantry, Oct. 1, 1908.
William H. Hart of St. Paul, Major and Quartermaster, First Brigade, April 18, 1906.

FAITHFUL SERVICE MEDALS (15 YEARS)

George K. Sheppard of St. Paul, Captain Company "C," First Infantry, Sept. 17, 1908.

FAITHFUL SERVICE MEDALS (10 YEARS)

Erle D. Luce of Minneapolis, Captain Company "B," First Infantry, Oct. 13, 1908.
Percy L. McClay of Minneapolis, First Lieutenant Company "B," First Infantry, April 27, 1908.
Charles W. McQuery, of Minneapolis, Color Sergeant First Infantry, Jan. 2, 1908.
Charles M. Price of Minneapolis, Sergeant Company "B," First Infantry, Oct. 13, 1908.
Emmett T. White of Minneapolis, Cook Company "B," First Infantry, Sept. 9, 1907.
Henry A. Andres of St. Paul, First Lieutenant Company "H," First Infantry, June 3, 1908.
Edward M. Van Duzee, Jr., of St. Paul, Captain and Adjutant, Third Infantry, Sept. 16, 1908.

By command of the Governor.

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

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ST. PAUL, NOVEMBER 30, 1908.

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 20.

The following changes have taken place in the military forces of the State since the publication of General Orders No. 19, A. G. O., dated October 31, 1908.

RESIGNED

First Infantry

Jay C. Price, First Lieutenant Company "E," honorably discharged Nov. 14, 1908, S. O. No. 81, A. G. O., c. s.

Second Infantry

George P. Rodman, First Lieutenant Company "H," promoted to captain Feb. 24, 1908.

COMMISSIONED

First Infantry

Daniel J. Metzler of Red Wing, Second Lieutenant Company "G," May 21, 1908, vice Frederick W. Foot, resigned.

Second Infantry

William P. Townsend of Faribault, Second Lieutenant Company "B," Nov. 9, 1908, vice Clarence D. Lang, resigned.

James H. Clark of Fairmont, Second Lieutenant Company "E," June 15, 1908, vice Marshall N. Pratt, resigned.

George P. Rodman of Mankato, Captain Company "H," Feb. 24, 1908, vice Harrison W. Maltby, resigned.

Robert C. Ervin of Mankato, First Lieutenant Company "H," Feb. 24, 1908, vice George P. Rodman, promoted.

Third Infantry

Henry D. Marshall of Princeton, Second Lieutenant Company "G," Sept. 28, 1908, vice Ernest H. Sellhorn, promoted.

APPOINTED

Examining Surgeons

Edward A. Meyerding, M. D., St. Paul, Nov. 1, 1908, S. O. No. 80, A. G. O., c. s.

DECORATIONS

Faithful Service Medals (15 years)

Edward H. Whitcomb of St. Paul, Major and Assistant Surgeon General, General Staff, Oct. 3, 1907.

Faithful Service Medals (10 years)

Walter H. Barnacle of St. Paul, Second Lieutenant Company "D," First Infantry, Oct. 15, 1908.

George A. Goldthrite of Minneapolis, First Sergeant Company "A," First Infantry, Oct. 30, 1908.

Otto F. Behm of St. Paul, Quartermaster Sergeant Company "D," First Infantry, Oct. 31, 1908.

By command of the Governor.

FRED B. WOOD.

HEADQUARTERS MINNESOTA NATIONAL GUARD,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
ST. PAUL, DECEMBER, 17, 1908

GENERAL ORDERS
No 21.

1. The Minnesota National Guard Association will meet at the Armory, St. Paul, for a two days' session, beginning Monday January 4th, 1909, at 10:30 a. m. Members attending will wear dress uniform without side arms.
2. The necessary transportation will be furnished upon application by letter to the Adjutant General, St. Paul, Minn.

By command of the Governor.

FRED B. WOOD,
Adjutant General.

PROGRAM

The following program will be observed subject to the pleasure of the Convention:

MONDAY, JANUARY 4TH

MORNING SESSION: 10:30 A. M.

Call to Order—Roll-Call of Members.

Reading of Minutes of Previous Meeting.

Reports of Officers.

Reports of Standing Committees.

Reports of Special Committees.

Communications.

Papers and Topics for Discussion:

"Home ranges and the work accomplished and to be accomplished on same."

Capt. Fridolph E. Westerberg, Third Infantry.

Capt. Albert Pfaender, Second Infantry.

"The new three inch field gun."

Lieut. James C. Melville, First Artillery.

"Gallery practice."

Major Edward W. Bird,

Assistant Judge Advocate General.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Address—Governor John A. Johnson, Commander-in-Chief.

Papers and Topics for Discussion, continued:

"Matters pertaining to the increased efficiency of the Minnesota National Guard."

Gen. Fred B. Wood, Adjutant General

"Courts Martial and their procedure."

Major Frank W. Matson, Third Infantry.

"The Amended Dick Law."

Major George C. Lambert, First Artillery.

"Service on the range."

Capt. George O'Sullivan, Third Infantry.

"Prevention of germ diseases in camp."

Gen. Alexander J. Stone, Surgeon General.

"Lessons drawn from Gen. Kurpatkin's History of Russo-Japanese War."

Col. Arthur W. Wright, Second Infantry.

PROGRAM—Continued

TUESDAY, JANUARY, 5th
MORNING SESSION

Papers and Topics for Discussion, continued:

"Home training of the National Guard in preparation for field work and maneuvers."

Lieut. Col. William Gerlach, U. S. A., Retired
on duty with the M. N. G.

"First active duty of the Minnesota Naval Militia."

Commander Guy A. Eaton, M. N. M.

"Changes, interpretation and the hidden meaning in the Drill Regulations and Guard Manual."

Lieut. Walter O. Flodin, Third Infantry.

Question box:

Written questions on any subject pertaining to the service may be filed with the president of the Association on or before January 1st, 1909, and will be assigned to the proper officer for answer under this heading.

General business.
Election of officers.
Adjournment.

It is expected that in addition to the officers assigned to the above subjects, at least one officer from every regiment will participate in the discussion of each topic. Other topics may also be added and discussed at the pleasure of the members.

Officers of the Regular Army and visiting officers of the National Guard of other states are cordially invited to attend the Convention and join in the discussion of the different subjects.

NICHOLAS NICHOLSEN,

Major Second Infantry, M. N. G.

GEORGE W. DULANY, JR.,

President.

First Lieutenant First Field Artillery, M. N. G.,
Secretary.

NOTE—In order that the necessary arrangements may be made in advance for the theatre party, smoke social and lunch, members who desire to participate therein are requested to forward immediately the sum of one dollar to Major William H. Hart, Globe Building, St. Paul, Minn.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
ST. PAUL, DECEMBER 31, 1908

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 22

The following changes have taken place in the military forces of the State since the publication of General Orders No. 20, A. G. O., dated November 30, 1908.

RESIGNED

First Lieutenant—

John L. Lamprey, Second Lieutenant and Battalion Quartermaster and Commissary, honorably discharged Dec. 8, 1908, S. O. No. 84, A. G. O., c. s.

Naval Militia—

Benjamin F. Howard, Lieutenant and Navigating and Ordnance Officer, promoted to Lieutenant-Commander Aug. 1, 1907.

DIED

Second Infantry—

Edward J. Bobleter, First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant.
Oct. 29, 1908.

RETIRED

First Infantry—

Charles E. French, Captain Company "D". Dec. 11, 1908, S. O. No. 85, A. G. O., c. s.

COMMISSIONED

First Infantry—

Lee Roy Shur Ferguson of St. Paul, Chaplain with rank of First Lieutenant, Dec. 24, 1908, G. O. No. 5, A. G. O., c. s.

Naval Militia—

Benjamin F. Howard of Duluth, Navigating Officer with rank of Lieutenant-Commander, Aug. 1, 1907.

DECORATIONS

Faithful Service Medals (20 years)—

Frank B. Rowley, of Minneapolis, Major First Infantry, Dec. 6, 1908.

Faithful Service Medals (10 years)—

Edward A. Meyerding of St. Paul, Captain Battery "A," First Artillery, Nov. 4, 1908.

By command of the Governor.

FRED B. WOOD,

Adjutant General

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CIRCULAR
No. 1.

To conform to the requirements for recruits for the United States Army published in Circular No 4, War Department, January 24th, 1908, the following minimum visual requirements for recruits are announced and will supercede such requirements of the Epitome of Triplers manual as are in conflict therewith.

1. For the line of the Minnesota National Guard 20/40 for the better eye and 20/100 for the poorer eye, provided that no organic disease exists in either eye.

(a) Recruits may be accepted for the line of the Minnesota National Guard when unable with the better eye to correctly read all of the letters on the 20/40 line, provided that they are able to read some of the letters on the 20/30 line.

2. For the Hospital Corps 20/70 in each eye, correctable to 20/40 with glasses, providing that no organic disease exists in either eye.

By Command of the Governor.

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