

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

ADJUTANT-GENERAL

OF THE

WISCONSIN MILITIA.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, RACINE,
February 6th, 1852.

To HIS EXCELLENCY L. J. FARWELL,
Governor, Commander-in-Chief, &c.

SIR—In obedience to the requirements of the 11th section of an act entitled an act relating to the Militia, approved March 11, 1851, I herewith transmit to you my first Annual Report.

On the 28th day of April last, I forwarded to the clerk of the several boards of supervisors throughout the state, blank forms, and instructions for the several assessors in each county, for the purpose of aiding them in the discharge of their duty in enrolling the Militia.

On the 21st day of September last, I issued the following General Order, a copy of which was forwarded to each of the commanding officers of regiments and battalions throughout the state :

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Racine, Sept. 21, 1852.

In pursuance of an order issued by the Commander-in-Chief, under date of September 21st, 1852, the commanding officer of each regiment and separate batalion, are required to report to

this office, without delay, a separate roll of each company within the bounds of their command; and also to recommend suitable persons for the office of captains and 1st and 2nd lieutenants in each company precinct within their several commands.

Your Excellency is aware that the few and imperfect records kept by the former administrations, so far as the military department was concerned, has been the cause of much delay in getting the reports from the several regiments and battalions throughout the state, it was almost impossible to ascertain where, and to whom, commissions had been given. In consequence of which, many of the commanders of regiments and battalions did not receive the above General Order, so as to make their report in time to be of any service to this department for the present year.

Under our present military system, there appears to be no penalty for a neglect of duty, save the forfeiting of a commission. This penalty, it is to be hoped, will be put in force in all cases of wilful neglect, for I know of no other way that we can accomplish the great object of our present military organization, save to eject those from office, who neglect or refuse to do their duty, and appoint those who are willing to comply with the requisitions of the law. The duties of the commanding officers of regiments and battalions are very trifling, the whole time required to perform the entire duties of any one year, need not exceed two hours; all that is required of them is to forward to this office an abstract of the militia list, as returned to the clerk of the board of supervisors by the assessors. The neglect or refusal to make this return, not only embarrasses the adjutant general, but is a pecuniary loss to the state, as we draw from the General Government in proportion to the number of enrolled militia. The main object to be gained by effecting an organization under our present system, is to enable the adjutant general to make a full report of the effective military force of the state, to the General Government, in order that we may draw our full proportion of arms, annually distributed among the several states of the Union.

Returns have been received from most of the regiments, and some few of the battalions, which has enabled me to make my report to the General Government, as required by the several acts of Congress, relating to the militia of the United States, which report has already been forwarded to the proper department, and acknowledgment of its receipt returned to this office.

In some instances the assessors have not performed their duty, as required by the 9th section of the act of 1851 relating to the militia, but it is hoped and believed, that there will be but very little to complain of under this head the present year. I am fully satisfied that our present military system is a good one, when its objects are fully understood; while it is neither burdensome to the citizen, nor expensive to the state, it still answers all the requirements of the General Government.

I shall proceed to detail to your Excellency such an abstract from the documents returned to this office, as may present as complete a roster of the militia of the state, as I am at this time able to make out. It will be seen by the following, that much has already been accomplished; there yet remains considerable to be done, all of which we hope to see accomplished the present year.

GENERAL STAFF.

Leonard J. Farwell, Commander in Chief.

Benjamin F. Hopkins,

C. C. Washburn,

Coles Bashford,

Charles Clement,

} Aids to Commander-in-Chief.

David Atwood,

Quarter Master.

William L. Utley,

Adjutant General.

James B. Martin,

Paymaster General.

John W. Hunt,

Surgeon General.

James Richardson,

Commissary General.

N. Bishop Eddy,

Judge Advocate.

William Dudley,

Military Secretary.

FIRST DIVISION.

Rufus King,	Major General.
1st Brigade, W. H. Besley,	Brigadier General.
2d Brigade, Philo White,	Brigadier General.

FIRST REGIMENT.

Duncan C. Reed,	Colonel.
Charles Geisberg,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Perley J. Shumway,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported for this Regiment. This Regiment includes the county and city of Milwaukee. The abstract of Militia lists reported to this office is as follows:

First Ward, no returns.	-	-	-
Second Ward,	-	-	1262
Third Ward,	-	-	545
Fourth Ward,	-	-	600
Fifth Ward,	-	-	638
Town of Granville,	-	-	267
„ Greenfield,	-	-	294
„ Franklin,	-	-	174
„ Lake,	-	-	264
„ Oak Creek,	-	-	272
„ Wauwatosa,	-	-	385
„ Milwaukee,	-	-	226
		Aggregate	4827

No names reported for Company officers.

SECOND REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Waukesha.

Orson Reed,	Colonel.
David L. Watson,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Peter G. Jones,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported to this office. The Returns of this Regiment were reported to this office by the Clerk of the

Board of Supervisors, the Commander having neglected to do so and are as follows :

Town of Muskego,	-	-	-	120
" Brookfield, not reported	-	-	-	-
" Menomonee,	-	-	-	244
" New Berlin,	-	-	-	223
" Lisbon,	-	-	-	160
" Pewaukee,	-	-	-	137
" Waukesha,	-	-	-	509
" Genesee,	-	-	-	220
" Vernon,	-	-	-	90
" Mukwanago, not reported	-	-	-	-
" Delafield,	-	-	-	220
" Oconomowoc,	-	-	-	180
" Merton,	-	-	-	171
" Summit,	-	-	-	86
" Ottawa, not reported	-	-	-	-
" Eagle,	-	-	-	268
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Aggregate, Rank and File				2628
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No names reported for Company officers.

THIRD REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Jefferson.

Daniel Howell,	Colonel.
Austin Kellogg,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Benjamin Nute, jr.	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported to this office. This report is made from the Abstract of 1851, and is as follows :

Town of Koshkonong,	-	-	-	255
" Cold Spring,	-	-	-	89
" Palmyra,	-	-	-	161
" Concord,	-	-	-	84
" Sullivan,	-	-	-	109
" Hebron,	-	-	-	107

Town of Jefferson,	-	-	-	371
" Oakland,	-	-	-	136
" Lake Mills,	-	-	-	104
" Aztalan,	-	-	-	101
" Farmington,	-	-	-	118
" Ixonia,	-	-	-	187
" Watertown,	-	-	-	426
" Milford,	-	-	-	163
" Waterloo,	-	-	-	89
Aggregate, Rank and File				2463

No names reported for Company officers.

FOURTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Racine.

Seth Johnson,	Colonel.
Orson B. Sheldon,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Martin Clancy,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported to this office.

COMPANY (A) Racine,	James Mott Titus,	Captain.
"	Eliphath Cram,	1st Lieut.
"	David Wiltsie,	2d Lieut.—3
"	Rank and File,	148
		Total 151

COMPANY (B) Mount Pleasant,	John Fisher,	Captain.
"	Luther Secor,	1st Lieut.
"	Fred. F. Kellogg,	2d Lieut.—3
"	Rank and File,	153
		Total 156

COMPANY (C)	Caledonia,	-	Thomas Butler,	Captain.	
	"		Gilbert Vandenburg,	1st Lieut.	
	"		Gilbert Adams,	2d Lieut.	3
	"		Rank and File,		233
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			Total		236
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COMPANY (D)	Yorkville,	-	Roland Ives,	Captain.	
	"		William H. Reed,	1st Lieut.	
	"		Daniel D. McEuchnon,	2d Lieut.	3
	"		Rank and File		197
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			Total		200
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COMPANY (E)	Raymond,	-	John C. Mills,	Captain.	
	"		Morris White,	1st Lieut.	
	"		Mathias Lower,	2d Lieut.	3
	"		Rank and File,		162
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			Total		165
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COMPANY (F)	Dover,	-	Daniel F. Haughton,	Captain.	
	"		Timothy Rogers,	1st Lieut.	
	"		James Mealey,	2d Lieut.	3
	"		Rank and File,		128
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			Total		131
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COMPANY (G)	Burlington,	-	Nathaniel Dickinson,	Captain.	
	"		Charles Jones,	1st Lieut.	
	"		Liberty Fisk,	2d Lieut.	3
	"		Rank and File,		163
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			Total		166
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COMPANY (H)	Rochester,	-	Nathaniel Moulton,	Captain.	
	"		John Anthony,	1st Lieut.	
	"		Hezekiah Mason,	2d Lieut.	3
	"		Rank and File,		214
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COMPANY (F) Norway.	Homer W. Landen,	Captain,	
"	John Anthony,	1st Lieut.	
"	Robert Waltimeore,	2d Lieut.	3
"	Rank and File,		142
		Total	<u>145</u>
	Numerical strength	-	<u>1564</u>

RACINE CITY BATTALION.

This Battalion is attached to the Fourth Regiment, 2d Brigade, 1st Division of the Wisconsin Militia, according to the very able report of the Brigadier General Philo White, for the year 1851, though I find no record of it in any thing belonging to this department. The abstract enrolment of this Battalion is as follows:

George Wustum,	Major, Commander.
Thomas Falvy,	Adjutant.
James L. Page,	Hospital Surgeon.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

GOVERNOR'S GUARDS,	Ferdinand Elminger,	Captain.	
"	Earnest Hoeffner,	1st Lieut.	
"	Charles Bliss,	2d Lieut.	
"	Peter Heterick,	2d 2d Lt.	4
"	Non-commissioned Officer and Privates		43
	Numerical strength of the Company		<u>47</u>

EMMET GUARDS,	Edward M'Key,	Captain.	
"	Thomas Falvey,	1st Lieut.	
"	John McGinnis,	2d Lieut.	
"	Dennis Smith,	2d 2d Lt.	4
	Non-commissioned Officer and Privates		37
	Numerical strength	-	<u>41</u>

RACINE CITY RIFLES,	J. S. Crane,	Captain.	
	J. Suit,	1st Lieut.	
	G. Near,	2d Lieut.	
	J. Near,	2d 2d Lt.	4
	Non-commissioned Officer and Privates		
Numerical strength		- -	<u>34</u>

ENROLLED COMPANIES.

COMPANY (A) 1ST WARD,	Clark W. Spafford,	Captain.	
	Seneca Raymond,	1st Lieut.	
	Charles B. Roff,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,		364
	Total		
COMPANY (B) 2D WARD,	Henry J. Ullman,	Captain.	
	Moses Armer,	1st Lieut.	
	William Beswick,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,		177
	Total		
COMPANY (C) 3D WARD,	Wesley W. Cary,	Captain.	
	Hugh D. Williams,	1st Lieut.	
	Samuel Beauman,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,		220
	Total		
COMPANY (D) 4TH WARD,	Mathew W. King,	Captain.	
	Michael Gorman,	1st Lieut.	
	William Wall,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,		178
	Total		

COMPANY (E)	-	R. J. Munn,	Captain.	
		John Bangs,	1st Lieut.	
		Samuel G. Knight,	2d Lieut.	3
		Rank and File,	-	97
			Total	<u>100</u>

Aggregate numerical strength of Battalion 1,055

120 stand of Muskets and Appendages, and 60 stand of Rifles, are on deposit with the three Volunteer Companies attached to this Battalion.

FIFTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the County of Kenosha.

John R. Sharpstein,	Colonel.
James B. Carter,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Josiah Bond,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported.

VOLUNTEER COMPANIES BELONGING TO 5TH REGIMENT.

KENOSHA CITY GUARDS.	Daniel Quigley,	Captain.	
	John Duffy,	1st Lieut.	
	Patrick Kelly,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,	-	36
		Total	<u>39</u>

KENOSHA RIFLES, - Henry Hinsdale, Captain.

No report from this Company.

ENROLLED COMPANIES.

CITY OF KENOSHA.

COMPANY (A) 1st Ward.	Benj. L. Sharpstein,	Captain.	1
	Rank and File,	-	341
		Total	<u>342</u>

COMPANY (B) 2d Ward,	-	John Bullen, jr.	Captain.	1
			Rank and File,	- - 137
			Total	<u>138</u>
COMPANY (C) 3d Ward,	-	John V. Yates,	Captain.	1
			Rank and File,	- - 197
			Total	<u>198</u>
COMPANY (D) Town of Southport,	-	Joseph K. Clark,	Captain.	1
			Rank and File,	- - 40
			Total	<u>41</u>
COMPANY (E) Pleasant Prairie,	-	Oscar B. Harris,	Captain.	1
			Rank and File,	- - 115
			Total	<u>116</u>
COMPANY (F) Bristol,	-	Peter H. Wood,	Captain.	1
			Rank and File,	- - 169
			Total	<u>170</u>
COMPANY (G) Salem,	-	Elias Woodworth,	Captain.	1
			Rank and File,	- - 121
			Total	<u>122</u>
COMPANY (H) Wheatland,	-	R. G. McClellan,	Captain.	1
			Rank and File,	- - 202
			Total	<u>203</u>
COMPANY (I) Brighton,	-	William Shanley,	Captain.	1
			Rank and File,	- - 87
			Total	<u>88</u>

COMPANY (J) Paris, -	John Bohannen,	Captain.	1
	Rank and File,	- .	159
	Total		160
COMPANY (K) Somers, -	Ambrose Spencer,	Captain.	1
	Rank and File,	- .	141
	Total		142

Aggregate numerical strength of 5th Regiment 1,821

60 stand of Muskets and Appendages, and 60 stand of Rifles, are deposited with the two Volunteer Companies attached to this Regiment.

SIXTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Walworth.

Erasmus D. Richardson,	Colonel.
Adam E. Ray,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Edwin Brainard,	Major.

REGIMENTAL STAFF.

Samuel H. Stafford,	Adjutant.
Eleazer Wakeley,	Quarter Master.
Emory Thayer,	Pay Master.
Alexander S. Palmer,	Surgeon.

ENROLLED COMPANIES.

COMPANY (A) East Troy, -	H. B. Clark,	Captain.	
	John L. Wilcox,	1st Lieut.	
	William Vanzant,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,	- .	175
	Total		178
COMPANY (B) Troy, - -	John A. Perry,	Captain.	
	Ralph Goodrich,	1st Lieut.	
	Israel Dean,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,	- .	185
	Total		188

COMPANY (C) Lagrange, -	Volney A. McCracken, Captain.	1
	Rank and File, - -	206
	Total	207
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COMPANY (D) Whitewater,	R. A. Connors, Captain.	
	Charles King, 1st Lieut.	
	L. Bierge, 2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File, - -	290
Total	293	
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COMPANY (E) Richmond, -	James Cotter, Captain.	
	George James, 1st Lieut.	
	S. M. Fisk, 2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File, - -	135
Total	138	
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COMPANY (F) Sugar Creek,	P. G. Harrington, Captain.	
	Wyman Spooner, jr. 1st Lieut.	
	J. B. Edwards, 2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File, - -	143
Total	146	
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COMPANY (G) Lafayette, -	Wm. H. Conger, Captain.	
	Sherman Rockwood, 1st Lieut.	
	Harvey Curtis, 2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File, - -	123
Total	126	
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COMPANY (H) Spring Prairie,	E. D. Smith, Captain.	
	Stephen Bull, 1st Lieut.	
	William R. Berry, 2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File, - -	237
Total	240	
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COMPANY (I) Hudson,	- Lathrop Bullen,	Captain.	
	Abner Farnam,	1st Lieut.	
	Edward Quigley,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,	- -	166
		Total	<u>169</u>
COMPANY (J) Geneva,	- John M. Nelson,	Captain.	
	Thomas J. Smith,	1st Lieut.	
	Samuel C. Spafford,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,	- -	253
		Total	<u>256</u>
COMPANY (K) Delavan,	- William Pierce,	Captain.	
	H. A. Johnson,	1st Lieut.	
	A. Briggs,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,	- -	297
		Total	<u>300</u>
COMPANY (L) Darien,	- Archib. Woodward,	Captain.	
	O. Carter,	1st Lieut.	
	H. Clark,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,	- -	168
		Total	<u>171</u>
COMPANY (M) Sharon,	- E. C. Allen,	Captain.	
	J. A. Treat,	1st Lieut.	
	R. Young,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,	- -	197
		Total	<u>200</u>
COMPANY (N) Walworth,	- John M. Cramer,	Captain.	
	E. Easton,	1st Lieut.	
	J. Weston,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,	- -	192
		Total	<u>195</u>

COMPANY (O) Linn, - -	Albert T. Wheeler,	Captain.	
	Robert Foot,	1st Lieut.	
	Otis H. Hall,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,	- -	132
	Total		<u>135</u>
COMPANY (P) Bloomfield, -	Charles W. Sibley,	Captain.	
	Henry S. Fox,	1st Lieut.	
	Charles Allen,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,	- -	136
	Total		<u>139</u>
COMPANY (Q) Elkhorn, -	Hollis Latham,	Captain.	
	Alva J. Frost,	1st Lieut.	
	Squier Stanford,	2d Lieut.	3
	Rank and File,	- -	96
	Total		<u>99</u>

Aggregate numerical strength of 6th Regiment 3,180

SECOND DIVISION.

John H. Roundtree,	Major-General.
1st Brigade, John A. Brown,	Brigadier-General.
2d Brigade, Charles Bracken,	Brigadier-General.

No Staff reported.

SEVENTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Dane.

The Abstracts of Militia lists of the several Towns within the bounds of this Regiment, are as follows :

George B. Smith,	Colonel.
Cassius Fairchild,	Lieutenant Colonel.
H. H. Giles,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported.

Town of Windsor,	-	-	-	196
” Dunkirk,	-	-	-	163
” Middletown,	-	-	-	63
” Cross Plains,	-	-	-	50
” Greenfield,	-	-	-	91
” Albion,	-	-	-	87
” Berry,	-	-	-	47
” Spring Dale,	-	-	-	57
” Vernon,	-	-	-	75
” Christiana,	-	-	-	109
” Sun Prairie,	-	-	-	107
” Dane,	-	-	-	65
” Rockberry,	-	-	-	62
” Blooming Grove,	-	-	-	57
” York,	-	-	-	129
” Primrose,	-	-	-	80
” Black Earth,	-	-	-	64
” Montrose,	-	-	-	73
” Oregon,	-	-	-	128
” Pleasant Springs,	-	-	-	101
“ Westport,	-	-	-	53
“ Rutland,	-	-	-	112
” Madison,	-	-	-	509

Aggregate strength of Seventh Regiment **2,546**

No names for Company's Officers reported.

EIGHTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the County of Rock.

Ezra Miller,	Colonel.
John Banister,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Alfred S. Blakeslee,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported.

Abstract of Militia list for this Regiment, is as follows :

COMPANY (A) Janesville, recommended William Murdock for Captain.
 " Adam G. Allen " 1st Lieut.
 " Peleg Cheesbrough " 2d Lieut.
 Rank and File - - - 972

COMPANY (B) Magnolia, recommended George McKenzie for Captain.
 " Ogden Barrett " 1st Lieut.
 " Freeman W. Reed " 2d Lieut.
 Rank and File - - - 112

COMPANY (C) Spring Valley, recommend. Belah Hungerford for Captain.
 " Everhard Welter " 1st Lieut.
 " Sidney Rose " 2d Lieut.
 Rank and File, - - - 123

COMPANY (D) Avon, recommended Alman Kinney for Captain.
 " John Burr " 1st Lieut.
 " Rank and File - - - 95

COMPANY (E) Newark, recommended John L. Thomas for Captain.
 " Joseph Wright " 1st Lieut.
 " Levi Grant " 2d Lieut.
 " Rank and File - - - 176

No recommendation for Officers in the following Towns :

Town of Porter,	-	-	-	133
" Lima,	-	-	-	193
" Union,	-	-	-	100
" La Prairie,	-	-	-	66
" Turtle,	-	-	-	146
" Milton,	-	-	-	180
" Beloit,	-	-	-	515
" Clinton,	-	-	-	192
" Johnstown,	-	-	-	150
" Rock,	-	-	-	162

Town of Bradford,	-	-	-	116
" Harmony,	-	-	-	151
" Janesville,	-	-	-	972
" Centre,	-	-	-	115
" Fulton,	-	-	-	179
" Plymouth,	-	-	-	102
			Aggregate	<u>4035</u>

NINTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Green.

Samuel F. Nichols,	Colonel.
Amos K. Stearnes,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Henry Adams,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported to this office. The Abstract of Militia list is as follows:

COMPANY (A) Monroe,	recommended	Hiram Stevens	for Colonel.
	"	Alfred Goddard	" Lt. Colonel.
	"	Laurin Hubbart	" Major.
		Rank and File -	- - -
COMPANY (B) Albany,	recommended	John H. Warren	for Captain.
	"	James Humphrey	" 1st Lieut.
	"	S. A. Pond	" 2d Lieut.
		Rank and File -	- - -
COMPANY (C) Brooklyn,	recommended	J. G. Day	for Captain.
	"	Martin Flood	" 1st Lieut.
	"	H. M. Allen	" 2d Lieut.
		Rank and File -	- - -
COMPANY (D) Decatur,	recommended	John B. Sawyer	for Captain.
	"	J. R. Dye	" 1st Lieut.
	"	W. A. Wheaton	" 2d Lieut.
		Rank and File -	- - -

COMPANY (E) Spring Grove, recommend.	Hallis Button	for Captain.	
	" Benjamin Mitchell	" 1st Lieut.	
	" Franklin Derrick	" 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File -	- - -	118
COMPANY (F) Jefferson, recommended	John Barry	for Captain.	
	" John Chryst	" 1st Lieut.	
	" Joseph Guns	" 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File -	- - -	121
COMPANY (G) Sylvester, recommended	Chas. F. Thompson	for Captain.	
	" Solomon Sutherland	" 1st Lieut.	
	" M. Cotton	" 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File -	- - -	127
COMPANY (H) Mt. Pleasant, recommended	J. H. Marshall	for Captain.	
	" William Wood	" 1st Lieut.	
	" Martin Cotton	" 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File -	- - -	100
COMPANY (I) Exeter, recommended	Y. P. Safford,	for Captain.	
	" John Porter	" 1st Lieut.	
	" William J. Fuller	" 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File -	- - -	109
COMPANY (J) New Glaurus, recommend.	Joshua Wild	for Captain.	
	" Peter Jenny	" 1st Lieut.	
	" Jacob Stensey	" 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File -	- - -	65
COMPANY (K) Washington, recommended	Elijah Roby	for Captain.	
	" Walter S. Wescott	" 1st Lieut.	
	" Frederick Streiff	" 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File -	- - -	80
COMPANY (L) Clarno, recommended	William Boyls	for Captain.	
	" Israel Smith	" 1st Lieut.	
	" John W. Shewey	" 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File,	- - -	132

COMPANY (M) Cadiz,	recommended William Bridges	for Captain.	
	„ Westley Swank	„ 1st Lieut.	
	„ William Dale	„ 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File -	- - -	110
COMPANY (N) Jordan,	recommended Elijah G. Stevens	for Captain.	
	„ John Scott	„ 1st Lieut.	
	„ Isaac Trembly	„ 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File -	- - -	75
COMPANY (O) York,	recommended John Stewart	for Captain.	
	„ Horace Green	„ 1st Lieut.	
	„ Hiram Gabriel	„ 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File -	- - -	39
COMPANY (P) Adams,	recommended Thomas Briggs	for Captain.	
	„ Samuel Shook	„ 1st Lieut.	
	„ Z. H. Master	„ 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File -	- - -	47

Aggregate numerical strength of Ninth Regiment 1,708

TENTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the County of Iowa.

John B. Ferry,	Colonel.
Amasa Cobb,	Lieutenant Colonel.
John Bracken,	Major.

Aggregate numerical strength of this Regiment 1,263

No Returns from this Regiment.

[Since the foregoing was written, Returns have been received from Iowa.]

ELEVENTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Lafayette.

Charles Bracken,	Colonel.
E. L. Townsend,	Lieutenant Colonel.
James Earnest,	Major.

No Report from this County for 1852.

TWELFTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Grant.

David McKee,	Colonel.
William Henry,	Lieutenant Colonel.
William Richardson,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported to this office.

This Abstract was reported to this Office by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Grant County, the Commander of the Regiment having failed to do so.

Town of Clifton	-	-	-	88
" Hazel Green	-	-	-	228
" Potosi	-	-	-	372
" Jamestown	-	-	-	163
" Harrison,	-	-	-	94
" Lima,	-	-	-	101
" Highland,	-	-	-	62
" Patch Grove,	-	-	-	250
" Lancaster,	-	-	-	188
" Paris,	-	-	-	58
" ———	-	-	-	105
" Wingvill,	-	-	-	57
" Waterloo,	-	-	-	30
" ———	-	-	-	112
" Cassville,	-	-	-	123
" Benton,	-	-	-	175
Aggregate numerical strength				2,204

THIRD DIVISION.

Erastus M. Drury,	Major General.
1st Brigade, James T. Lewis,	Brigadier General.
2d Brigade, Gideon M. Waugh,	Brigadier General.

THIRTEENTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Dodge.

Charles Billinghamurst,	Colonel.
George Smith,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Paul Juneau,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported to this office.

The returns from this Regiment are as follows :

Town of Ashippun,	-	-	-	202
" Beaver Dam,	-	-	-	215
" Burnett,	-	-	-	130
" Calumus,	-	-	-	55
" Chester,	-	-	-	140
" Clyman,	-	-	-	145
" Elba,	-	-	-	103
" Emmett,	-	-	-	195
" Fox Lake,	-	-	-	204
" Hermon,	-	-	-	180
" Hubbard,	-	-	-	163
" Hustisford,	-	-	-	108
" Lebanon,	-	-	-	144
" Leroy,	-	-	-	86
" Lamyra,	-	-	-	131
" Lowell,	-	-	-	145
" Oak Grove,	-	-	-	200
" Portland,	-	-	-	109
" Rubicon,	-	-	-	184
" Shields,	-	-	-	110
" Theresa,	-	-	-	162
" Trenton,	-	-	-	139
" Westford,	-	-	-	50
" Williamstown,	-	-	-	142

Aggregate numerical strength of 13th Regiment 3,442

FOURTEENTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Columbia.

No Regimental Staff reported.

Henry Merrill,	Colonel.
John Delaney,	Lieutenant Colonel.
William T. Bradley,	Major.

The returns from this Regiment are as follows :

Town of Winnebago, -	-	-	516
„ Port Hope, -	-	-	61
„ Scott, -	-	-	94
„ Spring Vale, -	-	-	82
„ Dekora, -	-	-	174
„ Otsego, -	-	-	103
„ Fountain Prairie,	-	-	106
„ Hampden, -	-	-	88
„ Leeds, -	-	-	83
„ Lodi, -	-	-	103
„ Westpoint, -	-	-	87
„ Marcellon, -	-	-	110
„ Randolph, -	-	-	109
„ Portage Prairie,	-	-	88
„ Wyocena, -	-	-	138
„ Lowvill, -	-	-	190
„ Columbus, -	-	-	147

Aggregate numerical strength of 14th Regiment 2,129

No recommendation for Company officers.

FIFTEENTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Marquette.

Satterlee Clark,	Colonel.
John S. Ward,	Lieutenant Colonel.
George S. Roberts,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported to this office. This report is made from the returns of 1851, and is as follows:

Town of Mackford,	-	-	-	130
„ Green Lake,	-	-	-	165
„ Brooklyn,	-	-	-	129
„ Albany,	-	-	-	89
„ Middletown,	-	-	-	86
„ Pleasant Valley,	-	-	-	276
„ Marquette,	-	-	-	89
„ Buffalo,	-	-	-	144
„ Melin,	-	-	-	291
„ Kingstown,	-	-	-	117
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			Aggregate	1,516
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No recommendation for Company officers.

SIXTEENTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Fond du Lac.

Peter V. Sang,	Colonel.
Nelson Wood,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Seth G. Pickett,	Major.

This report is taken from the returns of 1851, and is as follows:

Town of Friendship,	-	-	-	65
„ Calumet,	-	-	-	271
„ Empire,	-	-	-	68
„ Eldorado,	-	-	-	64
„ Auburn,	-	-	-	63
„ Rosendale,	-	-	-	102
„ Ashford,	-	-	-	107
„ Osceola,	-	-	-	45
„ Eden,	-	-	-	99
„ Ceresco,	-	-	-	139
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			Aggregate	1,023
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The remainder of the Towns not reported.

No recommendation for Company officers.

SEVENTEENTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Sheboygan.

Horatio N. Smith,	Colonel.
John D. Murphy,	Lieutenant Colonel.
William B. Woodbury,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported to this office. There has been but three Towns in this county reported, in consequence of the Assessors not performing their duty, which are as follows :

Town of Olio,	-	-	-	60
„ Lima,	-	-	-	118
„ Scott,	-	-	-	88
			Aggregate	<u>266</u>

EIGHTEENTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Washington.

H. L. Totten,	Colonel.
Patrick Toland,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Timothy Hall,	Major.

No report from this county.

FOURTH DIVISION.

George Reed,	Major General.
1st Brigade, Leonard P. Crany,	Brigadier General.
2d Brigade, Theodore Conky,	Brigadier General.

NINETEENTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Winnebago.

William G. Gumeear,	Colonel.
Henry C. Jones,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Lyman Pomeroy,	Major.

This Abstract is taken from the returns of 1851, none having been made for 1852 :

Town of Winnebago, -	-	-	550
„ Rushford, -	-	-	299
„ Utica, -	-	-	100
„ Winneconne, -	-	-	84
„ Clayton, -	-	-	103
„ Nekime, -	-	-	107
„ Algoma, -	-	-	153
„ Neenah, -	-	-	343
		Aggregate	<u>1738</u>

No recommendation for Company Officers.

TWENTIETH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Calumet.

A. D. Dick,	Colonel.
J. B. Dewell,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Z. T. Peters,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported. But one Town reported this Regiment, the Assessors having neglected their duty :

Town of Charlestown, -	-	-	81
		Aggregate	<u>81</u>

TWENTY FIRST REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Manitowoc.

G. C. O. Malmrose,	Colonel.
Jesse M. Sherwood,	Lieutenant Colonel.
James L. Kyle,	Major.

No Returns from this Regiment.

TWENTY SECOND REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Brown.

Earl S. Goodrich,	Colonel.
John F. Lessey,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Matthew Mead,	Major.

No Returns from this Regiment.

TWENTY THIRD REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Outagamie.

Henry S. Blood,	Colonel.
P. H. Smith,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Patrick Clark,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported. The Returns from the several Companies within the bounds of this Regiment, are as follows :

COMPANY (A) Grand Chute, recommended	Joseph Rork	for Captain.	
	Michael Johnston	„ 1st Lieut.	
	Robert S. Bateman	„ 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File	- -	133
COMPANY (B) Hartonia, recommended	Moses W. Allen	for Captain.	
	Joseph Wakefield	„ 1st Lieut.	
	Norman Nash	„ 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File	- -	64
COMPANY (C) Freedom, recommended	Louis A. Hine	for Captain.	
	Alfred Cook	„ 1st Lieut.	
	William Manahan	„ 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File,	- -	61
COMPANY (D) Greenville, recommended	Lorenzo E. Darling	for Captain.	
	Simeon Darling	„ 1st Lieut.	
	Isaac Wickwire	„ 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File	- -	53
COMPANY (E) Ellington, recommended	M. C. Cole	for Captain.	
	James Hardven	„ 1st Lieut.	
	James Madison	„ 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File	- -	40
Aggregate numerical strength of 23d Regiment			363

TWENTY FOURTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Door. No appointments appear to have been made for this county, and consequently no returns.

FIFTH DIVISION.

Hercules L. Dousman, Major General.
 1st Brigade, James Fisher, Brigadier General.
 2d Brigade, George W. Mitchell, Brigadier General.

TWENTY FIFTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Crawford.

Wiram Knowlton, Colonel.
 E. P. Wood, Lieutenant Colonel.
 E. W. Pelton, Major.

No returns from this Regiment.

TWENTY SIXTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Richland.

J. S. Haseltine, Colonel.
 J. W. Coffenbury, Lieutenant Colonel.
 E. M. Sexton, Major.

No Regimental Staff reported.

The returns from the several Companies within the bounds of this Regiment, are as follows :

COMPANY (A) Buena Vista, recommended Luther Fish	for Captain.	
" Alfred H. Bush	" 1st Lieut.	
" Nathaniel Wheeler	" 2d Lieut.	
Rank and File	- -	114
COMPANY (B) Rockbridge, recommended Alonzo E. Decker	for Captain.	
" George Pound	" 1st Lieut.	
" William Joslin	" 2d Lieut.	
Rank and File	- -	45

COMPANY (C) Richmond,	recommended	Moses Laws	for Captain.	
	"	Henry Miller	" 1st Lieut.	
	"	James Collins	" 2d Lieut.	
		Rank and File	- -	63

COMPANY (D) Richwood,	recommended	George C. White	for Captain.	
	"	Lawrence M. Sharp	" 1st Lieut.	
	"	William Connor	" 2d Lieut.	
	"	Rank and File	- -	64

Aggregate numerical strength of 26th Regiment 305

TWENTY SEVENTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Sauk.

Marvin C. Wait,	Colonel.
A. Ostrander,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Horace Crosswell,	Major.

No Regimental Staff reported. The Returns from the several Companies within the bounds of this Regiment, are as follows:

COMPANY (A) Brooklyn,	recommended	R. C. Gould	for Captain.	
	"	Isaac Bectal	" 1st Lieut.	
	"	C. H. Laughten	" 2d Lieut.	
		Rank and File	- -	341

COMPANY (B) Dells,	recommended	Dwight G. Brown	for Captain.	
	"	James G. State	" 1st Lieut.	
	"	George Huffman	" 2d Lieut.	
		Rank and File	- -	44

COMPANY (C) Delona,	recommended	D. G. Cook	for Captain.	
	"	W. C. Cady	" 1st Lieut.	
	"	William Debois	" 2d Lieut.	
		Rank and File	- -	91

COMPANY (D) Flora,	recommended	Putnam Fuller	for Captain.	
	"	J. M. Adams	" 1st Lieut.	
	"	M. Newell	" 2d Lieut.	
	"	Rank and File	- -	69

COMPANY (E) Freedom,	recommended	Otis Redder	for Captain.	
	"	E. Martin	" 1st Lieut.	
	"	A. Christie	" 2d Lieut.	
		Rank and File	- -	73
COMPANY (F) Honey Creek,	recommended	G. Alburtus	for Captain.	
	"	O. W. Liken	" 1st Lieut.	
	"	H. Myers	" 2d Lieut.	
		Rank and File	- -	100
COMPANY (G) Kingston,	recommended	A. Jameson	for Captain.	
	"	Thomas Stone	" 1st Lieut.	
	"	Samuel Shaw	" 2d Lieut.	
		Rank and File	- -	136
COMPANY (H) New Buffalo,	recommended	J. Brown	for Captain.	
	"	C. H. Foot	" 1st Lieut.	
	"	F. H. Brown	" 2d Lieut.	
		Rank and File	- -	93
COMPANY (I) Prairie du Sac,	recommended	Isaac R. Morehouse	for Captain.	
	"	E. H. Edwards	" 1st Lieut.	
	"	D. R. Baxter	" 2d Lieut.	
		Rank and File	- -	196
COMPANY (J) Reedsburg,	recommended	L. Gay Sperry	for Captain.	
	"	J. H. Rork	" 1st Lieut.	
	"	S. A. Dwinnell	" 2d Lieut.	
		Rank and File	- -	120
Aggregate numerical strength of 27th Regiment				1,253

TWENTY EIGHTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Adams.

Thomas Weston,	Colonel.
A. Morehouse,	Lieutenant Colonel.
E. S. Miner,	Major.

No Report from this county.

TWENTY NINTH REGIMENT.

This Regiment includes the county of Portage.

Thomas J. Moorman,	Colonel.
James S. Alban,	Lieutenant Colonel.
Caleb S. Ogden,	Major.

No Report from this county.

**BATTALIONS BELONGING TO THE FIFTH DIVISION,
SECOND BRIGADE.**

FIRST BATTALION—WASHARA COUNTY.

Thomas J. Townsend, Major, Commander, &c.

No Report from this Battalion.

SECOND BATTALION—WAUPACA COUNTY.

C. E. P. Hobart, Major, Commander, &c.

No Report from this Battalion.

THIRD BATTALION—MARATHON COUNTY.

Walter D. McIndoe, Major, Commander, &c.

No Report from this Battalion.

FOURTH BATTALION—CHIPPEWA COUNTY.

L. E. Murphy, Major, Commander, &c.

No Report from this Battalion.

FIFTH BATTALION—ST. CROIX COUNTY.

F. T. Catlin, Major, Commander, &c.

No Report from this Battalion.

SIXTH BATTALION—LA POINTE COUNTY.

There is but one Town within the bounds of this County. The Returns of which are as follows:

S. Hale, Major, Commander, &c.

COMPANY (A)	La Pointe, recommended	Austin Corser	for Captain.
	"	Theoph. Remillaird	" 1st Lieut.
	"	Antoine Gaudine	" 2d Lieut.
		Rank and File	- - - 107

SEVENTH BATTALION—BAD AX COUNTY.

Isaac Spencer, Major, Commander, &c.

There is but one Town within the bounds of this Battalion; the Returns from which are as follows:

Town of Bad Ax,	recommended Andrew Briggs,	for Captain.	
”	William Der,	” 1st Lieut.	
”	Ransom Gillet,	” 2d Lieut.	
	Rank and File,	- -	181

EIGHTH BATTALION—LA CROSSE COUNTY.

Albert D. La Due, Major, Commander, &c.

No Report from this Battalion.

NINTH BATTALION—OCONTO COUNTY.

Edwin Heart, Major, Commander, &c.

No Report from this Battalion.

I regret to say that no Returns have been received from the Battalion composed of the Volunteer Corps of the City of Milwaukee.

This Battalion is composed of the Four Independent Companies belonging to the City, viz.:

WASHINGTON GUARDS, David George, Captain.

MILWAUKEE CITY RIFLES, Henry Miller, Captain.

CITY DRAGOONS, Henry Nunnunmacher, Captain.

MILWAUKEE CITY GUARDS, John Jinnings, Captain.

From the foregoing it would appear, that the aggregate numerical strength of the Militia of the State is not far from 41,591. I have no doubt but the Report for 1853 will show the Militia Force of the State to be over 50,000.

STATE ARMS.

I have been unable to ascertain the exact number of Arms Accoutrements, &c. belonging to the State; the quota for the year 1852 has been drawn in Rifles (percussion) of the very best quality

From the documents before me, it would seem that there is now deposited with Volunteer Companies and in store :

- 380 Muskets.
- 380 Bayonets.
- 380 Cartridge Boxes and Belts.
- 380 Bayonet Scabbards and Belts.
- 320 Rifles.
- 320 Powder Flasks.
- 320 Pouches.
- 45 Horseman's Pistols.
- 45 Swords.
- 45 Swords, Scabbards and Belts.

This, no doubt, falls short of the actual number of Arms owned by the State, but I have nothing to warrant me in setting it any higher.

It is very much to be regretted that the State has not before this, furnished some suitable place for the depositing and safe keeping of the State Arms; it would seem to be a matter of economy, inasmuch as this property is valuable, and requires nice care to keep it in order.

BOOKS OF DISCIPLINE.

The following Books of Discipline have been presented to this office by the Adjutant General of the U. S. Army :

- 1st. Instructions for the Service of Field Artillery.
- 2d. Instructions for Heavy Artillery.
- 3d. Instructions for Mounted Artillery.
- 4th. Cavalry Tactics. 3 vols.
- 5th. Tactics and Regulations for the Militia. Prepared by Brevet Capt. S. Cooper, now Brevet Colonel and Adjutant General of the U. S. Army.
- 6th. Sword Exercise. By Brevet Major Wayne.
- 7th. The Practice of Courts Martial. By the late General Macomb.
- 8th. Compilation of Military Laws.
- 9th. Official Army Register for 1852.
- 10th. Blank Annual Returns of Militia, &c.

EXPENSES OF OFFICE.

Under our present system of cheap postage the expenses of this office are very trifling.

I have not thought proper to make any great display of useless General Orders to be seen by men, consequently the whole expense of this office for postage, blanks, &c., since the 1st of April, 1852, up to the present time, has not exceeded \$32.

The foregoing presents all that it would seem necessary to report at this time.

I have the honor to be

Your obedient Servant,

WILLIAM L. UTLEY,

Adj. Gen. Wis. Militia.