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OF THE

ADJUTANT GENERAL OF KENTUCKY

TO

HIS EXCELLENCY GOVERNOR BLACKBURN,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1879

J. P. NUCKOLS, Adjutant General.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S REPORT.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
FRANKFORT, KY., December 31st, 1879. }

HON. LUKE P. BLACKBURN, *Governor of Kentucky:*

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report:

THE STATE GUARD.

Under the Military Law, which took effect April 8th, 1878, for the organization of the "Active Militia," there is now in the State service, known as "The Kentucky State Guard," twelve companies of infantry, one company of artillery, and one company of cavalry, located as follows, viz:

INFANTRY.

Louisville Legion, First Battalion K. S. G.,	
composed of four companies, - - -	Louisville.
Blackburn Guards, - - - - -	Midway.
Bowling Green Guards, - - - - -	Bowling Green.
Butler Guards, - - - - -	Carrollton.
Covington Light Guard, - - - - -	Covington.
Kenton Light Guard, - - - - -	Ludlow.
Lexington Guard, - - - - -	Lexington.
Mason County Guard, - - - - -	Maysville.
McCreary Guards, - - - - -	Frankfort.

ARTILLERY.

Battery A, Louisville Light Artillery, -	Louisville.
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CAVALRY.

McDowell Guard, - - - - -	Woodlake.
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A return in detail of which will be found appended.

The infantry companies are all armed with the Springfield breech-loading muskets, and, except the Butler Guards, at Carrollton, are furnished with patent leather equipments, and uniformed. The discipline is generally good, and a healthy sentiment prevails throughout the command. The Louisville Legion—four companies—has in its ranks much of the *élite* of the city, is officered by accomplished soldiers, and, I be-

lieve, is the equal of any similar body of troops in the most favored States. Two infantry companies have recently been organized—the Lexington Guard and Bowling Green Guard—both composed of first-class material, and well officered. Embodying all the elements of popularity, with the good will of their respective communities, I confidently predict that these companies will take and hold a front position in the State Guard.

The Louisville Light Artillery has four 3-inch rifle guns, and is only partially equipped. This company has already reached a high degree of excellence in the drill, and, so far as discipline can be applied to State volunteer troops, is a model command. At the St. Louis Fair, in September last, a section of this company took the second prize in a competitive drill, participated in by troops of more experience and better equipped. This circumstance is creditable to the State Guard.

The McDowell Guard—cavalry—is well armed and equipped, and although of recent organization, will not, in my opinion, detract from the popularity of the State's military establishment.

The law authorizes sixteen companies of infantry, two of artillery, and two of cavalry. From observation and experience, I would recommend the acceptance of the remaining companies to fill the quota, if offered from suitable localities.

It is my duty to say here, that it is a mistake to place public arms in the hands of men not uniformed. Human wisdom has never devised any law or system to make soldiers of men in citizen's dress, and I suppose never will. It often occurs that the people of some locality, town, or city in the State, realize the need of a military company, and encourage a sufficient number of young men to offer themselves for muster into the State Guard. In a majority of cases they commence their organization at the wrong end. Instead of procuring uniforms, fitting up an armory and drill-room, and going to work in the elementary drill, they first secure arms and soldiers' accoutrements, and when these are obtained and put into the hands of men—no two of whom look alike—they present so unsoldierly an appearance, that their friends, who have promised to aid in paying for uniforms, are disappointed, and they themselves disgusted. So that is generally the last of the company. The guns are distributed behind counters, or piled in a Masonic or Odd Fellows' Hall, and other unsuitable places, and go to ruin as fast as rust can accomplish its work.

A report of arms in possession of ununiformed companies and military schools will be found appended.

I submit, with much deference, that the best and most desirable condition for the State, in a military point of view, would be to have the State Guard quota full, say, sixteen companies of infantry, two companies of cavalry, and two companies of artillery, with sufficient ordnance and quarter-master's stores on hand to arm the whole body of the militia, if trouble should occur.

Other States are moving forward with renewed energy in perfecting State military organizations, and it is now too late for Kentucky to ignore the propriety of keeping pace with them. The State Guard is a good military school, and is quite sufficient to keep alive in our youth a proper respect for the profession of arms. If necessary, it could furnish officers and instructors to a large body of troops.

As an evidence of the good standing of the State Guard, the President recently appointed Charles A. Churchill, private in the Louisville Legion, to a Lieutenancy in the U. S. Army. Lieutenant Churchill's military education was obtained in the drill-room in Louisville, and in some very hard but creditable service in Breathitt county.

About four years ago the military tax of twenty-five cents on each male person, between eighteen and forty-five years, was repealed. This adverse legislation disbanded most all the State Guard companies, especially in the city of Louisville, where the city authorities even refused to furnish a room to store the arms. This proved to be unwise and dangerous, for when the riots of July, 1877, broke out, there was not a corporal's guard in Louisville, and but for the prompt action of Governor McCreary in dispatching arms and ammunition, without stint, for distribution, the city would have fared badly, and would probably have been sacked by the mob, as was Pittsburg, where many millions' worth of property was destroyed at that time. The lesson was a profitable one to observant people everywhere in the State. The city government of Louisville and the people have done, and are doing, their duty. If now only remains for the State to do her part. So long as the present military force is kept up, there need be no fear of organized violence or interruption of good order in Kentucky.

The State Guard has grown up under some difficulties, and from a small beginning, is now a robust body; its conservative influence is such as to discourage any interruption to the continued supremacy of the civil law.

Gen. S. V. Benét, Chief of Ordnance U. S. A., in his report to the Secretary of War for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1879, is able,

article, discusses the propriety of organizing and maintaining, by Congressional appropriations, a militia force of 200,000 men. He estimates the cost of this large military establishment, annually, at one million dollars for arms and equipments, and four million for expenses of an annual encampment—per diem, &c., for twenty days in camp. This is probably too costly an establishment, unless it is intended to disestablish, and, to some extent, take the place of the U. S. Army, which, in an economical point of view, if in no other, would be very desirable, as the maintenance of 200,000 men would only cost *five* million dollars, whereas the standing army of twenty-five thousand, costs *thirty-five* millions. But the high character and official position of the distinguished author entitle his views to great consideration, and will arrest the attention of military men everywhere. For all purposes of State autonomy and State control of their own militia, Gen. Benét's recommendations look too much in the direction of Federal supervision, and would have the influence of a great standing army. It is hoped and believed, however, that the distinguished gentleman's suggestions may induce Congress to enlarge the militia appropriation.

Further illustrating the general interest in the more efficient organization of State troops, is the National Guard Association, which, in September last, held its second annual meeting in St. Louis, Missouri. Many prominent military men attended, and took part in the deliberations of this meeting. The Kentucky State Guard was represented by Capt. E. H. Moise, Louisville Light Artillery, Capt. Breckinridge Viley, Blackburn Guards, and Adjutant Pinckney F. Green, Louisville Legion. A bill was prepared asking Congress for increased facilities, and a system of organization adopted, in which the two principals seem to struggle for supremacy—*i. e.*, State control of the militia on the one hand and national supervision on the other. I hope, however, that the National Guard Association may result in great good to the State Militia.

The annual appropriation of \$200,000, under a law of 1808, to arm the militia of the several States, is now clearly inadequate for that purpose. From that appropriation, Kentucky gets, annually, the sum of \$5,757.42 in ordnance and ordnance stores. The law is very well, no doubt, only an increase of the *amount* is needed. The Federal Government furnishes the arms, the States furnish the men. The States ought to furnish their own quarter-master's stores, and pay the men when on duty, either active or in camps of instruction. If the amount should be increased to six hundred thousand dollars, it would, in my opinion, be quite sufficient.

Detachments from the State Guard were on active service in Breathitt county in December and January last, and again in July, upon the application of the Circuit Judge, to enable him to hold court. On the first trip the troops suffered considerably from the extreme cold weather, being scantily supplied with overcoats and blankets. The services performed by the State Guard on these occasions cannot be over-appreciated when it is remembered that lawlessness in Breathitt had become proverbial—peaceful methods and obedience to civil authority almost unknown. From present appearances troops will not be needed again in that hitherto lawless and troublesome section at any early period.

The uniforms worn on this service were in many instances so damaged as to be unfit for further use; and being private property, have been replaced by the State, and paid for out of the Military Fund.

THE MILITARY FUND AND STATE WAR CLAIM.

By section 35 of the Military Law, \$10,000 is set apart annually from collections on the War Claim as a Military Fund. Said fund is to be disbursed by the Governor for the organization and equipment of the State Guard.

Since the law went into effect I have received on the War Claim	\$6,091 80
And from the proceeds of the sale of some old ordnance	2,630 00
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Making in all	<u>\$8,721 80</u>

Which amount has constituted the Military Fund under the present law.

This fund has been disbursed, under orders of the Executive, for the use and benefit of the State Guard. A portion of it, however, has been used for purposes not contemplated by the statute. It occurred in this way: when the pay-roll for active service in Breathitt county, in July, 1879, was made out, the Auditor had found it necessary to suspend payment of claims. The law says—section 36: "When called into active service by the Governor, the troops shall be paid out of the Treasury;" but as that could not be done, Governor McCreary, in order that troops who had served the State so efficiently should not have to wait indefinitely for their small pittance, directed the Auditor to pay it from the Military Fund. I applied to the Auditor to have the amount paid back, which he declined to do, stating that as the Governor had directed it to be used to that extent, he, the Auditor, could not properly restore it, and that I would have to go to the Legislature. The amount was \$1,031 25.

Again, on a recent occasion, Governor Blackburn sent Col. J. W. Bryan, of his staff, to Carter county to investigate and report as to the Underwood and Holbrook troubles. Many citizens had petitioned the Governor to send a military force. An armed force would have cost the State many thousand dollars, and before expending so much money the Governor wished to know the exact condition. The report showed the inutility of sending troops, and the whole cost was \$89 45, which was also paid out of the Military Fund. The two sums amount to \$1,120 70, which I very respectfully submit should be restored by the Legislature.

The fund is designed to defray the expenses incidental to military training, and thus prepare the State Guard for active service when needed.

Of the War Claim, the sum of \$15,000, in addition to the foregoing, has been reported to me by the accounting officers of the Treasury, which has been suspended for many years, until recently taken up, at my request, for re-examination upon additional proof. It only requires now an appropriation by Congress for the payment of this sum, which I hope will be done at an early day. Unless we can get some legislation removing some legal doubts from the Treasury officials, it is difficult to make collections. Many thousand dollars are suspended on account of the omission of one word in an act passed June 8, 1872, appropriating one million dollars to pay all our just claims. I think if it was only needed to restrain a too liberal payment, a bill to construe the act could be passed without trouble. I am not without hope, however, that Congress will yet take such action as will secure to Kentucky a fair settlement of all proper claims.

The balance on the War Claim, disallowed and suspended, is	\$376,494 47
For arms furnished the United States to aid in carrying on the war against the Confederate States	190,650 00
Total claimed by the State	<u>\$567,144 47</u>

I would recommend that all collections on the War Claim, after 1880, be covered into the Treasury, and the militia tax of twenty-five cents, on persons between eighteen and forty-five years, restored. This small sum cannot possibly injure any one, and will exempt all persons, except the State Guard, from the military service.

OLD ORDNANCE.

A resolution of the last General Assembly directed the Quarter-Master General to paint and place at the foot of the military monument, in

the State Cemetery, some old cannon, said to be trophies of the Mexican and other wars. There were four pieces in all, two mounted and two dismounted. These last I had mounted on carriages and all painted, and placed as directed at a cost of \$25. I know nothing whatever of the true history of these guns. Tradition asserts that they are trophies of Kentucky prowess. They are obsolete now, and unfit for use, other than to appropriately ornament the warlike monument which marks the last resting-place of heroes.

MILITARY EQUIPMENTS.

I have lately received for the State Guard a quantity of quarter-master's stores, such as tents, overcoats, knapsacks, haversacks, and canteens, of good quality. When we shall have a full supply of these for the whole force, together with blankets and shakos, or other head gear, I will consider the equipment about complete.

ENCAMPMENTS.

So far the Governor has not had the means to put the State Guard in camp. It is to be hoped that better and more adequate provision will be made, as it is of great importance to have the force in annual encampment. Volunteer troops will learn more of the life and duties of the soldier in camps of instruction, even for a few days, than otherwise in a year.

Rifle and target practice cannot with propriety be omitted. The adoption of breech-loading arms has practically changed the science of tactics. Battles will be fought with elastic and flexible lines. The soldier firing rapidly, often at great distance, accuracy at long range and short range is of great importance; also, men should be taught to estimate distances, and take advantage of shelter and inequalities in the ground. To these ends, rifle ranges, target practice, and military teams, have been inaugurated in other States, and I recommend that they be adopted as part of the discipline in the State Guard.

INSPECTION.

The Adjutant General is *ex officio* Inspector General. Since the first day of October last, when the present law took effect, I have not had time to spare from office duties to hold inspections; but it is my purpose to make at least annual inspections of troops, arms, ammunition, and armories, commencing in Louisville on the 22d day of February.

AMENDMENTS TO THE MILITARY LAW.

Experience suggests some amendments to the present Militia Law, and I will here mention such as occur to my mind:

1st. Amend section 35 so as to cover all collections on the War Claim, after 1880, into the Treasury, and restore the militia tax of twenty-five cents on male persons between eighteen and forty-five years, exempting such persons as are properly entitled to exemption.

2d. After company organization, provide to fill vacancies by *promotion*. One lively *election* for a commissioned office often demoralizes a company to the extent that it will not be recovered from.

3d. The Adjutant General should be *ex officio* Paymaster General. Under the law it devolves on him to certify pay-rolls, and there is no provision for paying the troops for active service. This causes inconvenience.

4th. Under sections 8 and 36 the military, when called into active service, is subordinate to the local civil authorities. It should, in my opinion, have the local official sanction and approval to the extent that where a company is organized, the county court should provide an armory suitable for storing the arms and for military instruction. This provision was embraced in the General Statutes, and it seems was omitted in the present law by an oversight.

Returns will be found in the Appendix, in detail, of ordnance, ordnance stores, and quarter-master's stores, in the State Arsenal, magazine, and elsewhere in the State.

Some repairs are needed at the Arsenal.

I have the honor to be,

Very respectfully,

J. P. NUCKOLS, *Adjutant General.*

APPENDIX I.

THE STATE GUARD.

FIRST BATTALION—INFANTRY—LOUISVILLE LEGION.

ROLL OF FIELD AND STAFF.

Name.	Rank.	Location.
John B. Castleman	Major	Louisville, Ky.
	Adjutant	"
A. M. Cunningham	Quarter-Master Sergeant	"
	Assistant Surgeon	"
Charles Bibb	Sergeant-Major	"
	Quarter-Master Sergeant	"

COMPANY A, LOUISVILLE LEGION.

Geo. K. Speed	Captain	Louisville, Ky.
J. D. Wilson	First Lieutenant	"
Vernon Wolfe	Second Lieutenant	"
C. F. Grainger	Sergeant	"
T. F. Wood	"	"
C. H. Montgomery	"	"
H. E. Sentency	"	"
J. P. Barbour	Corporal	"
L. A. Densham	"	"
J. P. Monroe	"	"
E. Ormsby	"	"
P. T. Allin	Private	"
L. W. Avery	"	"
Jno. Barbee, jr.	"	"
W. W. Beeler	"	"
B. J. Baldwin	"	"
J. A. Batsford	"	"
E. P. Batsford	"	"
W. C. Churchill	"	"
E. L. Colston	"	"
D. J. Davis	"	"
H. C. Dembitz	"	"
W. L. Dickson	"	"
E. A. Finsch	"	"
J. B. Holloway	"	"
J. B. Hutchins	"	"
F. N. Hartwell	"	"
R. A. Jones	"	"
Jno Jenkins	"	"
R. C. Judge	"	"
A. H. Kent	"	"
J. Lehman	"	"
D. B. Leight	"	"

COMPANY A, LOUISVILLE LEGION—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Location.
W. R. Loving	Private	Louisville, Ky.
J. E. McGrath	"	"
Wm. G. Munn	"	"
R. Montgomery	"	"
F. L. Wood	"	"
J. E. Neal	"	"
T. A. Perkins	"	"
H. H. Purcell	"	"
W. M. Robinson	"	"
W. T. Ralph	"	"
W. D. Roy	"	"
F. J. Semple	"	"
J. B. Smith	"	"
L. W. J. Shepherd	"	"
A. B. Semple	"	"
C. A. Smith	"	"
A. L. Terry	"	"
O. W. Thomas, jr.	"	"
Wm. Von Borries	"	"
O. C. Welch	"	"
R. B. Wheeler	"	"
B. L. Woolfolk	"	"
F. Barnett	"	"

COMPANY B, LOUISVILLE LEGION.

W. O. Harris	Captain	Louisville, Ky.
Jno. W. Green	First Lieutenant	"
Jas. F. Read	Second Lieutenant	"
B. A. Adams	Sergeant	"
F. W. C. Humphrey	"	"
Jas. P. Hehen	"	"
T. M. Tucker	"	"
W. T. Hunt	"	"
Jno. Barret	Corporal	"
H. C. Smith	"	"
W. E. Jackson	"	"
W. G. Allen	"	"
L. R. Atwood	Private	"
J. S. Barnett	"	"
J. S. Beeler	"	"
W. M. Bent	"	"
J. W. Beilstein	"	"
E. S. Brewster	"	"
T. P. Booker	"	"
Jas. R. Burton	"	"
C. R. Caspard	"	"
H. P. Cassin	"	"
E. S. Cochill	"	"
G. M. Davie	"	"
A. Elliott, jr.	"	"
James Floyd	"	"
D. W. Gray	"	"
J. A. Gray	"	"
Grant Green	"	"
W. P. Grunth	"	"
J. L. Hazlett	"	"

COMPANY B, LOUISVILLE LEGION—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Location.
E. W. Heming	Private	Louisville, Ky.
A. P. Humphrey	"	"
J. B. Hundley	"	"
R. C. Isaacs	"	"
H. P. Jobson	"	"
J. C. Jackson	"	"
Joel Johnson	"	"
S. R. Knott	"	"
W. L. Knott	"	"
Jno. Marshall	"	"
L. R. McDowell	"	"
E. H. Owings	"	"
Frank Pardon	"	"
G. K. Peay	"	"
J. S. Peay	"	"
J. C. Russell	"	"
W. P. Semple	"	"
J. F. Speed	"	"
T. E. Tracey	"	"
J. L. Von Borries	"	"
J. N. Wallwork	"	"
J. H. Ward	"	"
R. Weissinger	"	"
W. P. Winston	"	"
H. W. Wheeler	"	"
M. B. Wise	"	"
D. M. Wood	"	"
H. M. Young	"	"
C. H. Zook	"	"

COMPANY C, LOUISVILLE LEGION.

Jno. H. Leathers	Captain	Louisville, Ky.
D. F. C. Weller	First Lieutenant	"
Kenneth McDonald	Second Lieutenant	"
A. H. Jackson	Sergeant	"
T. P. Grant	"	"
E. A. Goddard	"	"
W. J. Garrety	"	"
Ewing Marshall	Corporal	"
F. S. Miller	"	"
C. H. King	"	"
A. J. Elwang	"	"
J. M. Adams	Private	"
A. H. Alford	"	"
Frank Baker	"	"
Eno Bryan	"	"
G. E. Bly	"	"
W. A. Brasher	"	"
Gilbert Burnett	"	"
T. L. Burnett, jr.	"	"
J. W. Britton	"	"
J. M. Borntraeger	"	"
J. E. Clemens	"	"
Travis Carroll	"	"
W. Chamber	"	"
J. M. Dabney	"	"

COMPANY C, LOUISVILLE LEGION—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Location.
L. B. Doerr	Private	Louisville, Ky.
J. F. Dobbin	"	"
A. W. Eiwang	"	"
W. E. Fowler	"	"
Geo. Francke	"	"
H. B. Fitch	"	"
E. A. Grant, jr.	"	"
Jac. T. Gains	"	"
C. H. Hewitt	"	"
J. E. Holman	"	"
Alex. Jackson	"	"
C. W. Johnston	"	"
S. B. Kirby	"	"
T. E. Kohlhas	"	"
A. G. Link	"	"
G. M. Lemon	"	"
A. F. Moore	"	"
B. K. Marshall	"	"
H. W. Middleton	"	"
Percy McCormick	"	"
G. W. McDonald	"	"
J. W. McDonald	"	"
Roy McDonald	"	"
E. H. Payne	"	"
H. R. Phillips	"	"
C. E. Powell	"	"
C. E. Riley	"	"
James Roy	"	"
A. L. Semple	"	"
W. B. Sale	"	"
Jno. F. Stultz	"	"
Jacob Smith	"	"
Henry Schimpeler	"	"
A. Van Vleet	"	"
H. T. Warder	"	"
Soc. Waide	"	"
N. J. Winstandley	"	"
W. E. Ward	"	"
R. A. White	"	"
L. L. Williams	"	"

COMPANY D, LOUISVILLE LEGION.

John Mason Brown	Captain	Louisville, Ky.
A. R. Mulliken	First Lieutenant	"
E. W. Brown	Second Lieutenant	"
Gay C. Sibley	Sergeant	"
W. L. Lyons	"	"
W. D. McCampbell	"	"
W. A. Hughes	"	"
A. L. Mead	Corporal	"
J. M. Schar	"	"
L. J. Kaye	"	"
J. M. Armstrong	Private	"
C. M. Bridge	"	"
J. C. Burnett	"	"
M. S. Barker	"	"

COMPANY D, LOUISVILLE LEGION—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Location.
A. Brandies	Private	Louisville, Ky.
H. C. Barder	"	"
H. C. Clement	"	"
Ben. Clark	"	"
L. R. Courtney	"	"
J. F. Davis	"	"
F. C. Dickson	"	"
J. W. Davidson	"	"
G. C. Ferguson	"	"
R. Ferguson	"	"
T. Ferguson	"	"
Geo. G. Fetter	"	"
J. F. Gamble	"	"
J. L. Gamble	"	"
R. C. Gray	"	"
J. C. Hughes	"	"
J. M. Harris	"	"
J. P. Hunt	"	"
G. Holloway	"	"
L. W. Homire	"	"
T. C. Hobbs	"	"
W. H. Hyde	"	"
Sam Huston	"	"
T. D. Johnston	"	"
W. B. Konisker	"	"
W. E. Kaye	"	"
A. Kaye	"	"
A. Krack	"	"
W. B. Kerlin	"	"
J. P. Kelly	"	"
S. I. Leach	"	"
T. B. Mullikin	"	"
J. M. Murphey	"	"
J. H. Murphey	"	"
J. F. McGehee	"	"
T. B. Moore	"	"
P. P. Pulliam	"	"
D. B. Summers	"	"
T. C. Stokes	"	"
H. M. Samuels	"	"
R. M. Smith	"	"
N. B. Terry	"	"
Robt. Tyler	"	"
W. R. Thornton	"	"
G. L. Travis	"	"
W. E. Wilson	"	"
J. R. Williamson	"	"
J. D. Langhorne	"	"

BLACKBURN GUARD, MIDWAY, KY.

B. Viley	Captain	Midway, Ky.
W. F. Smith	First Lieutenant	"
T. M. Nickols	Second Lieutenant	"
W. A. Sheets	Sergeant	"
R. M. Davis	"	"
M. W. Thomasson	"	"

BLACKBURN GUARD, MIDWAY, KY.—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Location.
Geo. Williams	Sergeant	Midway, Ky.
R. A. Jones	Corporal	"
J. P. Hammond	"	"
Lee P. Thompson	"	"
H. C. Ricketts	"	"
Jno. N. Alford	Private	"
J. W. Arnett	"	"
Davis Baugh	"	"
Jno. M. Head	"	"
W. F. Hammond	"	"
Thos. Jones	"	"
W. M. Jones	"	"
J. H. Kircheval	"	"
G. H. Lackland	"	"
Geo. L. Lockett	"	"
M. T. Martin	"	"
W. J. Montague	"	"
Chas. L. Nave	"	"
J. L. Ramsey	"	"
G. H. Satterwhite	"	"
Chas. F. Sullivan	"	"
Brice Steele	"	"
G. E. Stout	"	"
Richard Taylor	"	"
W. P. Sacra	"	"
L. P. Tompson	"	"
W. D. Tompson	"	"
Jno. W. Tompson	"	"
D. Vanderverter	"	"
W. D. Vanderverter	"	"
Eugene Wallace	"	"
James Wiggs	"	"
J. R. Williams	"	"
R. A. Wilson	"	"
Isaac Worsham	"	"
Jno. W. Vanderverter	"	"

BOWLING GREEN GUARD, BOWLING GREEN, KY.

M. H. Crump	Captain	Bowling Green Ky.
J. Whit. Potter	First Lieutenant	"
A. M. Ralledge	Second Lieutenant	"
Geo. A. Callett	Sergeant	"
R. N. Covington	"	"
J. O. Burge	"	"
J. B. Cook	Corporal	"
H. L. Underwood	"	"
S. M. Marrock	"	"
T. L. Loving	Private	"
Wm. Potter	"	"
T. O. Carson	"	"
N. R. Strong	"	"
E. M. Covington, Jr.	"	"
A. W. Cooke	"	"
V. M. Potter	"	"
J. D. Grand	"	"
S. W. Combs, Jr.	"	"

BOWLING GREEN GUARD, BOWLING GREEN, KY.—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Location.
D. E. O'Sullivan	Private	Bowling Green, Ky.
J. M. Holman	"	"
Wm. B. Row	"	"
Jno. Underwood	"	"
Lucien Graham	"	"
Jno. J. Pence	"	"
Samuel Kirtley	"	"
A. W. Baker	"	"
F. J. Valentine	"	"
W. O. Burnham	"	"
J. E. Coilen	"	"
Wm. B. Hill	"	"
Geo. W. Clark	"	"
V. G. Bingham	"	"
H. P. Potter	"	"
Chas. E. Waring	"	"
B. C. Harrison	"	"
Thos. B. Wright, jr.	"	"
Jas. L. Baker	"	"
R. H. Alexander	"	"
B. M. Setler	"	"
A. H. Taylor	"	"
W. C. Cooksey	"	"
Wm. H. Natcher	"	"
Chas. Drake	"	"
Nat Porter	"	"

BUTLER GUARD, CARROLLTON, KY.

Jno. T. Lewis	Captain	Carrollton, Ky.
Geo. W. Anderson	First Lieutenant	"
J. E. Grobinger	Second Lieutenant	"
H. Foster	Sergeant	"
J. W. Parkham	"	"
W. S. Eblin	"	"
H. Helmass	"	"
John Casey	Corporal	"
P. B. Taylor	"	"
Wm. McCracken	"	"
J. T. Hart	"	"
R. Berg	Private	"
J. C. Branock	"	"
W. T. Bostwick	"	"
J. W. Bingan	"	"
Thos. Coyne	"	"
W. T. Carraco	"	"
J. W. Coburn	"	"
J. R. Collyar	"	"
J. T. Darling	"	"
John Dowell	"	"
Wm. Elder	"	"
J. F. Eblin	"	"
J. N. Eblin	"	"
W. F. Forsee	"	"
J. M. Gaunt	"	"
Lewis Grobinger	"	"
H. C. Grobinger	"	"

BUTLER GUARD, CARROLLTON, KY.—Continued.

Name	Rank.	Location.
J. R. Grobinger	Private	Carrollton, Ky.
W. F. Howe	"	"
J. F. Hill	"	"
R. J. Howe	"	"
F. Locamp	"	"
Jas. Hillion	"	"
P. Mead	"	"
Wm. Minish	"	"
E. Masterson	"	"
Chas Metcalf	"	"
H. Neimberg	"	"
N. E. Pratt	"	"
R. B. Powell	"	"
A. G. Packham	"	"
A. M. Russell	"	"
W. E. Scott	"	"
T. D. Salyers	"	"
Jno Seppenfield	"	"
Henry Tombrink	"	"
F. Thammar	"	"
H. H. Vance	"	"
W. A. Williams	"	"
Wm Windson, jr.	"	"

COVINGTON LIGHT GUARD, COVINGTON, KY.

Frank Wood	Captain	Covington, Ky.
Frank R. Peck	First Lieutenant	"
C. P. Morse	Second Lieutenant	"
S. B. Morse	Sergeant	"
J. A. Seely	"	"
P. Stout	"	"
C. A. Perry	"	"
D. Whitaker	Corporal	"
R. Cantrell	"	"
E. Seears	"	"
Geo. McNamara	"	"
W. Adams	Private	"
G. Asmann	"	"
T. Blumenstiel	"	"
B. Cohen	"	"
S. Cochran	"	"
P. Connelly	"	"
J. Davenick	"	"
F. J. Eckman	"	"
C. Gray	"	"
S. Gray	"	"
W. N. Gray	"	"
C. I. Gray	"	"
R. H. Gray	"	"
C. Hall	"	"
P. Keen	"	"
C. Kelley	"	"
H. Kelley	"	"
J. H. Kline	"	"
A. Kline	"	"
E. Kline	"	"

COVINGTON LIGHT GUARD, COVINGTON, KY.—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Location.
H. Kendall	Private	Covington, Ky.
J. Kyle	"	"
C. Lehman	"	"
J. McGill	"	"
O. Phillips	"	"
R. Reed	"	"
W. H. Rust	"	"
D. Richardson	"	"
J. Rhesenson	"	"
W. P. Shine	"	"
J. P. Sullivan, jr.	"	"
J. Vance	"	"
W. H. Voige	"	"
B. Williams	"	"
W. Wallace	"	"
D. Kingsley	"	"
E. Brumback	"	"

KENTON LIGHT GUARD, LUDLOW, KY.

Jno. Grace	Captain	Ludlow, Ky.
Adolph Hautt	Second Lieutenant	"
Frank Casey	Sergeant	"
O. F. Hill	"	"
Wm. Casey	"	"
C. A. Bently	"	"
F. S. Evans	Corporal	"
Harry Jenkins	"	"
Frank Marcus	"	"
Wm. Brock	"	"
Chas. F. Barr	Private	"
Jas. Dean	"	"
Chas. Emery	"	"
W. H. Fighter	"	"
T. Jeff. Fields	"	"
J. H. Gravener	"	"
B. S. Gravener	"	"
Wm. Hagerty	"	"
Gustave Hautt	"	"
D. Y. Johns	"	"
O. F. Jolly	"	"
Wm. Jenkins	"	"
Joseph Masten	"	"
J. C. Masten	"	"
C. H. Masten	"	"
N. Newhemy	"	"
Wm. Massey	"	"
Michael Newlan	"	"
Wm. Ordlemund	"	"
Jno. Plummer	"	"
Jno. Powers	"	"
Casper Ritchie	"	"
James Turner	"	"
Christian Toole	"	"
Edwin Verne	"	"
Thos. Verne	"	"
Chas. Verne	"	"
E. W. Verne	"	"
M. R. Gravener	"	"

Left the State
Ludlow, Ky.

Left the State.

LEXINGTON LIGHT GUARD, LEXINGTON, KY.

Name.	Rank.	Location.
J. R. Morton	Captain	Lexington, Ky.
S. G. Sharp	First Lieutenant	"
D. V. Johnson	Second Lieutenant	"
J. C. Warfield	Sergeant	"
F. F. Wiehl	"	"
W. H. Thompson	"	"
J. H. Davidson	"	"
R. B. Allen	"	"
W. G. Boyd	Corporal	"
Jas. H. Robinson	"	"
Thos. H. Smith	"	"
Jno. R. Allen	"	"
H. L. B. Brutton	Private	"
R. J. Breckinridge	"	"
Chas. W. Bear	"	"
E. E. Brown	"	"
W. D. Berand	"	"
R. B. Barr	"	"
W. E. Bell, jr	"	"
W. P. Beard	"	"
L. Dus Cognets	"	"
G. W. Dunn	"	"
A. H. Gratz	"	"
Frank Kidd	"	"
H. P. Kinkead	"	"
J. B. Kidd	"	"
J. C. B. Leach	"	"
R. A. E. Leslie	"	"
T. L. McConnell	"	"
Ed. H. Moore	"	"
W. Mahon	"	"
Watts Parker	"	"
L. W. Rodes	"	"
Jas. C. Rodgers	"	"
J. B. Keardon	"	"
J. A. Simond	"	"
J. C. Shropshire	"	"
Fred. Shryock	"	"
Jas. A. Todd	"	"
R. E. Nelson	"	"
J. M. Williams	"	"
Jas. Wilkerson	"	"
W. L. Yelliman	"	"
J. N. Sayre	"	"

MASON COUNTY GUARD, MAYSVILLE, KY.

M. C. Hutchins	Captain	Maysville, Ky.
James Heffin	First Lieutenant	"
Richard H. Stanton, jr	Second Lieutenant	"
W. H. Wadsworth, jr	Sergeant	"
H. K. Adamson	"	"
M. K. Gilmore	"	"
A. C. Respass	"	"
E. W. Fitzgerald	"	"
W. B. McAtee	Corporal	"
W. C. Shackelford	"	"

MASON COUNTY GUARD, MAYSVILLE, KY.—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Location.
C. C. Kirk	Corporal	Maysville, Ky.
Chas. Baughmer	Private	"
R. Browning	"	"
C. M. Browning	"	"
Septimo O. Clark	"	"
T. D. Clare	"	"
F. Cahill	"	"
W. T. Cooper	"	"
Fred. Drissel	"	"
Jno. R. Dillon	"	"
Jno. C. Everet	"	"
Henry Froman	"	"
T. F. Fitzgerald	"	"
J. Fitzsimmons	"	"
Jno. T. Hanly	"	"
G. M. Harding	"	"
Horatio Hall	"	"
David Harding	"	"
Lewis Harding	"	"
Jno. G. Helser	"	"
Robt. L. Hile	"	"
Sol. Kinsler	"	"
Stanley Lee	"	"
Edward Lenord	"	"
M. J. McCarty	"	"
W. S. McCreary	"	"
Chas. McCauliff	"	"
Wm. H. Memache	"	"
Thomas Maher	"	"
A. H. Means	"	"
R. J. Nichol	"	"
Dias Powers	"	"
W. F. Powers	"	"
D. H. Rice	"	"
Jno. Short	"	"
James Smith	"	"
R. D. Stockton	"	"
Lewis B. Stockton	"	"
W. H. Vice	"	"
H. M. Wood	"	"
E. C. Whittaker	"	"
A. A. Wadsworth	"	"
Chas. Wadsworth	"	"
Jno. Zeck	"	"

McDOWELL GUARD, WOODLAKE, KY.—CAVALRY.

C. K. Wallace	Captain	Woodlake, Ky.
G. F. Thompson	First Lieutenant	"
Thos. Murphy	Second Lieutenant	"
Waller Hawkins	Sergeant	"
F. M. Branham	"	"
Robt. Wilson	"	"
Joseph Holton	"	"
J. W. Wilson	Corporal	"
W. Ireland	"	"
H. C. McDaniel	"	"

McDOWELL GUARD, WOODLAKE, KY.—CAVALRY—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Location.
J. H. Frazer	Private	Woodlake, Ky.
L. Leyman	"	"
Ino. Ireland	"	"
W. Whalen	"	"
Geo. Daugherty	"	"
Lee Wilson	"	"
J. D. Glass	"	"
W. L. Thomson	"	"
Ino. Hicky	"	"
Jas. Greenup	"	"
Chas. Seay	"	"
W. C. Drennon	"	"
F. M. Smith	"	"
Alvin Featherston	"	"
S. Thomas	"	"
B. F. Buffin	"	"
Chil. Jackson	"	"
Wistor Butler	"	"
Ford Jackson	"	"
Joe Cantrill	"	"
Gater Cohan	"	"
W. L. Thomas	"	"
Robt. Seay	"	"
W. D. Hawes	"	"
Ino. Ayres	"	"
W. Hockersmith	"	"
J. C. Long	"	"
Joseph Hancock	"	"
B. Blackburn	"	"
J. S. Thompson	"	"
B. G. Graham	"	"
N. C. Hancock	"	"
Clay McDowell	"	"
David Lyman	"	"
W. A. McDaniel	"	"
Joseph Wood	"	"
W. Mallen	"	"
A. C. McDonald	"	"
L. T. Graham	"	"

McCREARY GUARD, FRANKFORT, KY.

E. H. Tisdor	Captain	Frankfort, Ky.
W. C. Thompson	First Lieutenant	"
H. B. Phythian	Second Lieutenant	"
J. L. Price	Sergeant	"
J. M. Lobban	"	"
T. J. Crutcher	Corporal	"
T. L. Taylor	"	"
F. A. Murray	"	"
H. C. Baron	"	"
E. H. Berry	Private	"
G. E. Berry	"	"
C. Bridgford	"	"
H. B. Cammack	"	"
S. L. Casey	"	"
G. P. Collins	"	"

McCREARY GUARD, FRANKFORT, KY.—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Location.
J. Cox	Private	Frankfort, Ky.
W. C. Dudley	"	"
S. T. Egbert	"	"
J. S. Evans	"	"
V. W. Foote	"	"
W. A. Gaines	"	"
F. W. Graham	"	"
G. C. Graham	"	"
H. C. Graham	"	"
M. P. Gray	"	"
W. C. Herndon	"	"
F. C. Hutchison	"	"
F. E. Jouett	"	"
H. Kersey	"	"
J. H. Kersey	"	"
J. E. Kershaw	"	"
J. A. McAuliffe	"	"
J. B. Meek	"	"
Ino. Milan	"	"
W. S. Morris	"	"
F. Noel	"	"
Ino. A. Noonan	"	"
C. G. Payne	"	"
G. L. Payne	"	"
John T. Pendleton	"	"
F. M. Pryor	"	"
E. T. Quinn	"	"
J. Robinson	"	"
J. M. Sargent	"	"
Wm. Shelton	"	"
W. C. Sneed	"	"
H. T. Stephens	"	"
R. T. Taylor	"	"
G. B. Thomson	"	"
D. Todd	"	"
T. B. Tremere	"	"
W. B. Tucker	"	"
B. Williams	"	"
J. P. Williams	"	"
L. C. Woodson	"	"

LOUISVILLE LIGHT ARTILLERY, LOUISVILLE, KY.

E. H. Moise	Captain	Louisville, Ky.
Steward Owens	First Lieutenant	"
T. S. Evans	First Lieutenant	"
A. C. Speed	Second Lieutenant	"
W. K. Evans	Sergeant	"
Geo. S. Bowman	"	"
C. B. Bly	"	"
Oscar Davis	"	"
J. H. Mansie	Corporal	"
J. M. Fultz	"	"
V. S. Wright	"	"
T. P. Helm	"	"
A. E. Mayers	"	"
W. D.	"	"

LOUISVILLE LIGHT ARTILLERY, LOUISVILLE, KY.—Continued.

Name.	Rank	Location.
W. F. Elwell	Corporal	Louisville, Ky.
E. B. Bodiker	Private	"
N. P. Avery	"	"
J. L. Baldwin	"	"
J. M. Brent	"	"
W. R. Brown	"	"
M. M. Cassidy	"	"
Geo. W. Clarke	"	"
W. P. Clarke	"	"
W. D. Cochran	"	"
W. P. Dobson	"	"
W. J. Durning	"	"
A. E. German	"	"
G. W. Griffith	"	"
Alf. Hassan	"	"
R. C. Hill	"	"
F. B. Hodges	"	"
J. Hollingsworth	"	"
E. F. Hublein	"	"
L. T. Irwin	"	"
Thos. R. King	"	"
W. P. Lincoln	"	"
Haiden Miller	"	"
D. H. Mortimore	"	"
B. L. Morton	"	"
Thos. R. Moore	"	"
M. G. Munn	"	"
A. V. Oldham	"	"
Geo. G. Palmer	"	"
W. N. Pinkston	"	"
A. E. Sabrie	"	"
J. Smith Speed, jr	"	"
B. F. Schardin	"	"
R. D. Skillman	"	"
H. C. Thornton	"	"
Geo. E. Tuck	"	"
C. H. Vanarsdale	"	"
J. H. Vanarsdale	"	"
Chas. Whittingham	"	"
M. Weisen	"	"

APPENDIX II.

STATE GUARD ROSTER.

Name.	Rank.	Date of commission.
John B. Castleman	Major	October 28, 1878.
Frank Woods	Captain	January 14, 1876.
E. H. Taylor	"	July 27, 1877.
E. H. Moise	"	August 27, 1877.
John Grace	"	February 5, 1878.
M. C. Hutchins	"	April 29, 1878.
W. O. Harris	"	May 30, 1878.
John H. Leathers	"	June 1, 1878.
Breckinridge Viley	"	May 10, 1879.
John T. Lewis	"	May 23, 1879.
C. K. Wallace	"	May 24, 1879.
Geo. K. Speed	"	June 14, 1879.
W. H. Crump	"	October 6, 1879.
John Mason Brown	"	October 14, 1879.
J. R. Morton	"	October 18, 1879.
Owen Stewart	First Lieutenant	June 20, 1875.
Jno. N. Green	"	May 30, 1878.
Frank R. Peck	"	July 17, 1878.
D. F. C. Wheeler	"	March 5, 1879.
Wm. F. Smith	"	May 10, 1879.
Jas. H. Heflin	"	May 10, 1879.
J. D. Wilson	"	May 19, 1879.
Geo. F. Thompson	"	May 24, 1879.
Geo. W. Anderson	"	May 30, 1879.
A. T. Mullikin	"	June 14, 1879.
T. S. Evans	"	July 26, 1879.
G. W. Thompson	"	September 8, 1879.
J. Whit. Potter	"	October 6, 1879.
S. G. Sharp	"	October 18, 1879.
Chas. P. Morse	Second Lieutenant	March 11, 1878.
Adolph Haupt	"	August 12, 1878.
R. H. Stanton, jr	"	September 23, 1878.
A. C. Speed	"	December 18, 1878.
Kenneth McDonald	"	March 13, 1879.
Vernon Wolfe	"	March 31, 1879.
Thos. Murphy	"	May 24, 1879.
J. F. Read	"	May 30, 1879.
J. E. Grobinger	"	June 13, 1879.
E. W. Brown	"	June 14, 1879.
T. M. Nichols	"	August 2, 1879.
H. B. Phythian	"	September 8, 1879.
A. M. Rutledge	"	October 6, 1879.
D. V. Johnson	"	October 18, 1879.

APPENDIX III.

SHOWING NUMBER AND KIND OF ARMS IN HANDS OF STATE GUARD.

INFANTRY.	Springfield muskets.	Sets accoutrements	Overcoats, knapsacks, haversacks, canteens.	Location.
Louisville Legion	270	270	250	Louisville.
Bowling Green Guard . .	40	40		Bowling Green.
Blackburn Guard	50	50		Midway.
Butler Guard	40	40		Carrollton.
Lexington Guard	40	40		Lexington.
Covington Light Guard . .	60	60		Covington.
Kenton Light Guard . . .	50	50		Ludlow.
Mason County Guard . . .	50	40		Maysville.
McCreary Guard	47	40	40 overcoats.	Frankfort.
Total	640	630		
ARTILLERY.				
Bat. A., Lou. Light Ar'ty.	4 3-inch rifle guns.	Partly equipped . .		Louisville.
CAVALRY.				
McDowell Guard	40 Ballard musketoons;	40 equipments . .		Woodlake.

REPORT OF STATE ARMS IN HANDS OF UNUNIFORMED COMPANIES AND MILITARY SCHOOLS.

INFANTRY.	Springfield muskets	Sets of equipments.	Location.
C. A. Hendricks	60	60	Lexington.
W. S. Miller	60	60	Lancaster.
Capt. Al. Hathaway	60	60	Owensboro.
Capt. Chris. Frank	60	60	Newport.
Capt. J. D. Wickliffe	60	60	Bardstown.
Capt. E. H. Britton	50	50	Elkton.
Gen. J. M. Wright	50	50	Louisville.
Kentucky University	298	300	Lexington.
Kentucky Military Institute	91	91	Farmdale.
Murray College	50	50	Murray.
St. Mary's College	50	50	Marion county.
S. K. Williamson	35	35	Elkton.
Total	924	626	
CAVALRY.			
Capt. J. D. Carter	Musketoons.		
Capt. A. D. Conner	64	64	Bryant's Station.
	60	60	Samuels' Depot.

APPENDIX IV.

INVENTORY OF ORDNANCE, ORDNANCE STORES, AMMUNITION, &c., IN THE STATE ARSENAL AND MAGAZINE, DECEMBER 31ST, 1879.

1	12-pounder brass cannon, caisson and limber.
4	6 pounder brass cannon, caisson and limber.
1	6-pounder rifle brass cannon, caisson and limber.
1	small brass cannon.
1	coffee-mill iron gun.
1,164	breech-loading muskets, calibre .50, with bayonets.
441	Ballard musketoons, calibre .46.
21	breech-loading muskets, calibre .50, cadetsize.
16	old muskets, muzzle loaders.
1,248	sets infantry accoutrements.
252	artillery sabres (old).
95	cavalry sabres (old).
7	non-commissioned officers' swords (old).
106	cavalry sabres (new).
12	commissioned officers' swords (new).
18	non-commissioned officers' swords (new).
1	John Brown pike.
10	carbine swivels
112	new tents, with flies
10	extra flies
2	tents, with flies (old).
2	tarpsaulins.
460	cartridge boxes, belts, and plates.
50	knapsacks (new)
250	new canteens
300	haversacks.
82,575	Ballard musketoon cartridges, calibre .46.
3,500	(blank) needle cartridges, calibre .50.
16,000	metallic needle cartridges, calibre .50.
360	(blank) cartridges for 3 inch cannon.
100	3 inch canister.
10	percussion shells.
10	case-shot
100	blank cartridges (3-inch).
90	round solid shot.
100	fuse shells.
90	percussion shells.
90	canister.
270	sets belts.
270	breast-plates.
7	new saddles.
5	old saddles.
100	overcoats (new).
6	new bridles.
12	new drums.
12	drumsticks.
12	fifes.
2	army platform scales.
3	pairs trucks.
1	grindstone.
1	monkey-wrench.
1	anvil.
1	forge.

INVENTORY OF ORDNANCE, &c.—Continued.

5 vises.
2 stoves.
2 blacksmith tongs.
2 shovels.
3 hatchets.
1 square.
1 handsaw.
1 brace and bit.
12 quires emory cloth.
12 quires sand-paper.
2 oil-cans.
50 tent-pins.
20 shell-wrenches.
1 spade.
4 pairs handcuffs.