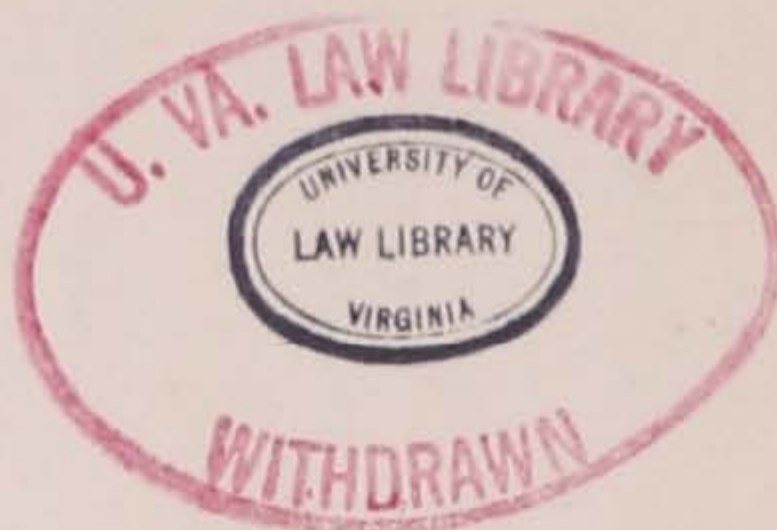



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OF THE

ADJUTANT GENERAL

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OF THE

STATE OF IOWA.

FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING
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STATE OF IOWA,
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To The Honorable Albert B. Cummins, Governor and Commander-in-Chief.

SIR: I have the honor to submit herewith my report as Adjutant General and Acting Quartermaster General, for the biennial period ending November 30, 1905.

The time covered in this report is from November 30, 1903, to November 30, 1905.

On February 1, 1905, it was my pleasure to receive from Your Excellency, my commission as Adjutant General, therefore much of this report will of necessity embrace the acts of my predecessor, General Melvin H. Byers, late Adjutant General, to whom I am indebted for many courtesies. Also to Major John T. Hume, Assistant Adjutant General, retired. It is due these officers that I express to them the appreciation of the Iowa National Guard for their long and faithful services.

MILITIA.

The number of persons subject to military duty in the State as shown by the returns of county auditors on file in this office, is as follows:

For the year 1904	313,504
For the year 1905	329,683

THE IOWA NATIONAL GUARD.

Consists of four regiments of Infantry of twelve companies, to the regiment, divided into three battalions of four companies, and one Signal company.

Total strength of the Guard commissioned and enlisted on November 30, 1905, 2,800, a gain of 250 over last biennial report.

Fifty-third Infantry, commanded by Colonel William G. Dows, Cedar Rapids.

Fifty-fourth Infantry, commanded by Colonel Frank W. Bishop, Muscatine.

Fifty-fifth Infantry, commanded by Colonel James Rush Lincoln, Ames.

Fifty-sixth Infantry, commanded by Colonel William B. Humphrey, Sioux City.

First Signal Company, First Lieutenant Joseph D. Liggett, commanding, Des Moines.

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FIFTY-THIRD INFANTRY.

Regimental Band, Marshalltown, October 31, 1904.
Company "D," Charles City, November 30, 1904.
Company "H," New Hampton, April 14, 1905.

FIFTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.

Company "A," Albia, April 15, 1905.

FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY.

Company "C," Glenwood, April 30, 1904.
Company "H," Chariton, July 10, 1905.
Company "I," Osceola, May 23, 1905.

FIFTY-SIXTH INFANTRY.

Company "D," Hampton, April 30, 1904.

MUSTERED IN SINCE LAST REPORT.

FIFTY-THIRD INFANTRY.

Regimental band, Waukon, June 9, 1905.
Company "D," Manchester, April 25, 1905.
Company "H," Clinton, April 7, 1905.

FIFTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.

Company "A," Fort Madison, May 5, 1905.

FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY.

Company "C," Ames, June 28, 1904.
Company "H," Atlantic, July 17, 1905.
Company "I," Creston, May 25, 1905.

FIFTY-SIXTH INFANTRY.

Company "D," Rock Rapids, June 2, 1904.

ENCAMPMENTS.

The encampments of the Iowa National Guard for the year 1904 were held as provisional brigade camps, under the command of Briga-

dier-General Melvin H. Byers, Adjutant General, on the State camp ground, Des Moines, Iowa, on dates as follows:

Fifty-sixth Infantry, Colonel William B. Humphrey, commanding, and the Fifty-fourth Infantry, Colonel Frank W. Bishop, commanding, from July 14 to 21st, 1904, inclusive.

Fifty-fifth Infantry, Colonel James Rush Lincoln, commanding, and the Fifty-third Infantry, Colonel William G. Dows, commanding, from August 26 to September 2, 1904, inclusive.

The encampments for 1905 were regimental encampments, held on the State camp ground, Des Moines, on dates as follows:

Fifty-sixth Infantry, Colonel William B. Humphrey, commanding, from July 6 to 13, 1905, inclusive.

Fifty-third Infantry, Lieutenant Colonel Hubert A. Allen, commanding from July 15 to 22, 1905, inclusive.

Fifty-fourth Infantry, Colonel Frank W. Bishop, commanding, from July 24 to 31, 1905, inclusive.

Fifty-fifth Infantry, Colonel James Rush Lincoln, commanding, from August 2 to 9, 1905, inclusive.

The reports of regimental commanders with their recommendations on the above camps, are published in this report, and merit the careful consideration of the Guard.

First Signal Company encamped for the year 1904, from August 26th to September 2d, inclusive, with the Fifty-third and Fifty-fifth Regiments. For the year 1905, with the Fifty-fifth Regiment, from August 2d to 9th, inclusive.

INSPECTIONS.

There has been an annual inspection of the Guard by the Inspector General's Department. Also by Major J. A. Olmsted of the United States army, retired, on duty with the Guard, as provided by General Orders No. 71, War Department, series of 1903.

The report of Colonel John R. Prime, Inspector General, is full of valuable information and good suggestions, which merit careful consideration. I recommend that the rating of organizations hereafter be as follows: For those obtaining a marking of 90 per cent or better, to be classed as excellent; those of 75 per cent or better as good; those of 60 per cent or better as fair and those falling below 60 per cent, unsatisfactory and subject to muster out for inefficiency. The reports of Inspectors to show classification only.

It is further recommended that the time for holding the annual inspection of the Guard at the home stations, be changed to the fall months, as the troops will be found in better condition for inspection then than at any other time of the year, and it would greatly lessen the work of company commanders if the inspections were made at that time, when the maximum strength, efficiency in drill and discipline of their companies are at their zenith for the year.

Following the encampments for a month or two, there is a general

lack of interest and a falling off in attendance at drill which is a natural reaction that follows the more active camp service and it is believed if the inspections were made at this time they would stimulate interest and bridge over the time that is now more or less a loss to the service. Holding inspections at the time of year as heretofore, January, February and March has greatly interfered with the work of company commanders in preparing their companies for the annual encampments and for practice on the rifle range. It is now proposed to have a regular course of indoor rifle practice for each company, to begin January 1st and continue up to the time for opening of regular practice season on the range, May 1st. Many of our companies have special prize drills between individual soldiers, squads and platoons which interest their men and have proven to be of very great benefit to the service, and the best time to conduct these drills is in the winter months. All recruiting is discouraged on the part of company commanders until after inspections and as to this they can scarcely be blamed, as every recruit reduces their percentage, therefore the sooner the inspections are held and the recruiting begins, the better it will be for the service in general. There should be as few enlistments as possible after the early part of the year and previous to encampments, and if this can be encouraged and brought about by earlier inspections, we will have accomplished a world of good for the Guard. The weather conditions are more favorable to fall inspections, both in the attendance and convenience in travel for inspecting officers. In the spring months prior to the annual encampments would be a good time to hold these inspections, but it is proposed to use this time for inspections conducted by regimental commanders.

I further recommend that these inspections be made by the United States Army Officers on duty with the Iowa National Guard, or by special detail of an officer from the United States Army, on the active list, assisted by the Majors of the battalions. This would result in a saving of over \$1,000.00 to the Guard fund annually, as the United States Army Officers would be compensated for their services by the general government.

That the markings and grading at these inspections be made by the Army Officer and not given out in advance of their publication in orders from the Adjutant General. That there be an annual inspection of the companies at their home stations by the regimental commanders or by a field officer or officers detailed by them, and it is suggested that these inspections be made just prior to the annual encampments, as the good of the service requires that regimental commanders should have a personal knowledge of the condition of their companies at this time, to assure more efficient work at the camps.

SURGEON GENERAL'S REPORT.

Colonel Wilton McCarthy, Surgeon General, deserves much credit for the advance steps taken by his department. The faithful and

efficient work accomplished by this department can only be fully appreciated when applied to the troops in active service.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

RIFLE RANGES AND INDOOR RIFLE PRACTICE.

To further promote and encourage rifle practice, it is recommended that companies be allowed out of the annual appropriation for the Guard, one hundred dollars per year, for the construction rental and maintenance of company rifle ranges, and for the construction of regimental rifle ranges, five hundred dollars per regiment, and for rent and maintenance of same, two hundred dollars per year.

For indoor rifle practice it is recommended that the State furnish each company with at least one Pope rifle barrel, .22 caliber.

These barrels are the latest invention for indoor rifle practice and the states which have adopted them, recommend them very highly.

This barrel has the same sights and can be adjusted to the stock of the .30 caliber magazine rifle, giving the soldier practically the same rifle for use in both his indoor and outdoor rifle practice.

They have the further advantage of reducing the expense for ammunition to the minimum, a saving that would more than pay for the cost of the barrels in one year.

ARMORY RENT.

The present maximum allowance for armory rent for companies and bands, three hundred dollars per year, is ample for bands, but not enough for companies. The large amount of floor space required for drill, and rooms for care of military property, necessitate larger armories than can be secured for the small rental of twenty-five dollars per month. This armory question is one of vital importance to the Guard, and should be met by a liberal appropriation from the State. I therefore most earnestly recommend that there be allowed each company annually for armory rent, lights, water, fuel and janitor services, the sum of six hundred dollars.

COMPETITION IN RIFLE PRACTICE.

Special attention is called to the reports of Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas F. Cooke, Acting General Inspector of Small Arms Practice, in relation to the Iowa Rifle Team in the National Competition at Sea Girt, New Jersey, and Fort Riley, Kansas.

The National Competition in rifle practice was inaugurated three years ago by Act of Congress to encourage rifle practice in the Army, Navy and National Guard of the various states. The first Annual Competition was held at Sea Girt, N. J., in 1903. The second at Fort Riley, Kansas, in 1904, and the third at Sea Girt, N. J., in 1905. At the first competition nine Army, Navy and National Guard

teams competed. The second year eighteen teams competed, and the third year thirty-seven teams competed, the account of which is given in Colonel Cooke's report.

The concensus of opinion is that these competitions have greatly aided and stimulated rifle practice throughout the country.

The Iowa National Guard should be put on an equal footing with other states by ample appropriation to cover expenses preparing for, and taking part in these competitions.

Further attention is directed to the report of Colonel W. H. Evans, General Inspector of Small Arms Practice for the year 1905, and the report of Colonel W. E. H. Morse, late General Inspector of Small Arms Practice for the year 1904.

That there may be more harmony, unity of action, and greater development in rifle firing, it is recommended that there be an annual competition by regiments, between company teams of five men from each company on regimental rifle ranges under the direction of regimental commanders or such officers as they may detail, assisted by the officer of the small arms practice department assigned to their command. This would open the way for regimental commanders to include instruction as well as competition at these meetings, which has been the expressed desire of some of our regimental commanders. All trophies could be competed for as now, except those competed for by regimental teams. At the close of the regimental meeting or competition, regimental teams of twelve men and three alternates to be selected to represent the regiment in State competition between the regimental teams of the entire guard, and from those competing at the State competition to be selected the State rifle team of twelve men and three alternates to represent the State in National Competition for that year. All competitions to be closed in time for the State team to have practice together before the National Competition begins, that they may perfect themselves in team work before participating in the National Competition.

REGIMENTAL AND COMPANY CLERK HIRE.

The paper work as now required of the regimental and company commanders, under the increasing demands of the service, has become so burdensome that the State has lost the service, by resignation, of many of her best officers, and for the State to longer require this service without some compensation, would be a great injustice to these officers. It is therefore recommended that regimental and company commanders be allowed annually for clerk hire, postage, stationery and other necessary expenses in their offices, the sum of one hundred dollars, to be paid semi-annually.

STAFF.—COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

That the staff of the Commander-in-Chief be selected from the officers of the Iowa National Guard.

The Adjutant General to be appointed by the Governor.

The Assistant Adjutant General on the recommendation of the Adjutant General, appointed by the Governor.

The remainder of the staff to be filled by detail from officers of the Guard by the Commander-in-Chief. Detailed officers so serving to retain former rank and assignment.

ELECTIONS.

That field officers be elected by vote of the line officers of their regiments.

BOARDS.

That military examining boards, for examining officers for commission, be appointed for a period of not less than one year.

RE-ENLISTMENTS.

That the time for re-enlistment to make service continuous, be extended to ninety (90) days.

PRACTICE MARCHES.

That in place of the annual encampments for the year 1906, there be practice marches, combined with such maneuvers as the terrain of the country marched over would permit.

The regiments to be mobilized at a central point in their respective territories and from there the march to begin, and end at a point having ample railroad facilities for the return of the troops to their home stations. Troops to be reviewed by the Commander-in-Chief on the last day completing tour of duty.

Section 18, Militia Act of January 21, 1903, reads as follows:

"That each State or Territory furnished with material of war under the provisions of this or former acts of Congress shall during the year next preceding each annual allotment of funds, in accordance with section 1661 of the Revised Statutes as amended, have required every company, troop, and battery in its organized militia not excused by the Governor of such State or Territory to participate in practice marches or go into camp of instruction at least five consecutive days."

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SERVICE BADGES.

That service badges be awarded for long and faithful service, and to encourage continuous service in the Iowa National Guard. It is recommended that the State furnish, at the cost of the State, service badges to be given to officers and enlisted men who have served in the military service of the State for five or more years.

For five years' service, a "silver badge," and for each five years'

service thereafter, including twenty years, a "silver bar" to be attached to the five-year badge, and for twenty-five years or longer service a "gold badge." The design and selection of badges to be made by a committee of officers, appointed by the Governor.

SCHOOLS OF INSTRUCTION.

That a school of instruction for officers be held annually at such time and place as will be most convenient for all concerned. That officers be required to attend, the State paying transportation, subsistence and quarters, but no per diem.

PAY FOR OFFICERS' UNIFORM.

The Military Code of Iowa provides that all commissioned officers of the Guard "shall provide themselves with the uniform prescribed within ninety days from date of commission." It costs our officers to uniform under this provision of the law, from one hundred to one hundred and fifty dollars each, according to rank. This expense has caused many of our most capable young guardsmen to refuse commission. The door to promotion in the Guard should be open alike to all. There should be no discriminations in the law, orders or regulations that would act as a bar to any competent member of the Iowa National Guard from holding or accepting commission. The State should at least provide for a part of the expense of uniforming Guard officers. I therefore most earnestly recommend that all officers of the Iowa National Guard be allowed annually the sum of fifteen dollars for uniforms furnished by them as required by regulations. Said payments to be made the officer at the end of each full year's service under commission.

LOSSES, CAUSES AND REMEDY.

Attention is called to the publication in this report of a table giving the losses by resignation and discharge, which gives a percentage of loss that is alarming and discouraging to those interested in the future welfare of the Guard. It is believed that in the adoption of the foregoing recommendation there will be found a remedy, providing there is greater care exercised on the part of company commanders in making enlistments. Every recruit before enlistment, should have explained to him all that is required of him under his enlistment, and unless the applicant can satisfy the recruiting officer of his ability to carry out in good faith all the conditions of his enlistment, he should then be rejected. When enlisted he should be held for the full term of his service, unless sooner discharged for good and sufficient reasons.

There has been too much laxity in the discharge of men. Failure to attend drill or a neglect of other military duties should be met with such discipline as would ordinarily correct such unsoldierly conduct, and if still persisted in, the soldier should then be dishonorably discharged from the service and said discharge should be a bar against his future enlistment in the Guard or holding commission in the military service of the State, or in the militia or volunteer service with Iowa troops.

The names of all dishonorable discharged soldiers should be published in General Orders and promulgated to the Guard, and there should be a record kept in the Adjutant General's office of all such discharged soldiers.

ESTIMATE OF ANNUAL APPROPRIATION REQUIRED FOR THE
SUPPORT OF THE IOWA NATIONAL GUARD FOR
THE FISCAL YEAR 1907.

Armory drill pay	\$20,000.00
Armory rent, light, fuel and janitor service	30,600.00
Clerk hire for regimental and company commanders.....	5,300.00
Postage, staff departments	200.00
Examining boards and expenses of candidates.....	1,100.00
Inspection by U. S. Army Officer, Regt. Commanders and Bat- talion Commanders	1,200.00
Inspection of company rifle ranges by Inspectors S. A. P.....	375.00
Physical examinations	750.00
Clerk hire Adj. Genl's. Office.	2,800.00
Miscellaneous expenses Adj. Genl's. Office.....	500.00
Telegraphing, telephone Arsenal and toll calls.....	150.00
Express and freight Q. M. Department	2,000.00
Cleaning and repairing clothing and tentage	500.00
Miscellaneous for administration of Guard.....	500.00
Extra help required in Q. M. Department.....	100.00
Pay of troops, Annual Encampment	36,800.00
Subsistence Annual Encampment.....	3,600.00
Transportation Annual Encampment	8,000.00
Fuel for Annual Encampment	225.00
Ice for Annual Encampment	225.00
Medical supplies for Annual Encampment	60.00
Horse hire, feed and care.....	300.00
Expenses and entertainment Commander-in-Chief and Staff at Annual Reviews.. ..	400.00
Street car transportation, Annual Encampment.....	200.00
Interurban freight, Annual Encampment.....	200.00
Miscellaneous expenses, Annual Encampment.....	1,000.00
Officers' School, pay, transportation and subsistence.....	1200.00
Rent and maintenance rifle range	7,700.00
Company indoor rifle practice	1,500.00
Transportation regimental ranges	400.00
Pay troops at regimental ranges	2,240.00
Subsistence regimental ranges	300.00
Miscellaneous expenses rifle range camps.....	500.00
Transportation of Regimental teams to State Range.....	200.00
Subsistence teams at State Range.. ..	160.00
Pay of teams and headquarter details State Range.....	730.00
State team pay preliminary practice.....	350.00
Subsistence, State team preliminary practice.....	50.00
Transportation, State team to National competition.....	756.00
Pay of team at National competition.....	910.00
Subsistence team at National competition.....	382.00
Ammunition and supplies for target practice.....	10,000.00
Uniforms, arms and equipment	20,000.00
Books, text, for use of Guard.....	500.00
Service badges and bars	200.00
Officers uniform allowance	3,240.00
Total.....	\$168,403.00

Appropriation to meet the above expenses are as follows:

Balance to the credit of the State with the United States under Section 1661, R. S.....	\$ 16,730.55
Credit under Act of March 2, 1903.....	14,165.57
To credit of Disbursing Officer Iowa National Guard.....	9,018.48
State apportionment from the General Government for the fiscal year 1907, based on the apportionment for the fiscal year 1906	25,932.01
Total U. S.....	\$ 65,846.61
Annual State appropriation	70,000.00
Total U. S. and State.....	\$135,846.61
Annual estimate expenses as above.....	\$168,403.00
Appropriation to meet same.....	135,846.61
Leaves unprovided deficit of.....	\$ 32,556.39

INCREASED APPROPRIATIONS.

The recent legislation by Congress in the passage of what is known as the "Dick Bill" to promote the efficiency of the militia and for other purposes has made it incumbent on the States to change their militia laws to conform to the requirements of this act.

That Iowa may be fairly compared with other States in the administration and support of her Guard, I most earnestly recommend legislation along the lines above suggested as necessary to meet present and future conditions and that the State appropriation for the Guard be increased to one hundred thousand dollars per annum, as it has been shown by the above estimates that the present annual appropriation of seventy thousand dollars is not sufficient to meet the requirements of the service.

For the the purpose of comparison and to show what other States are doing for their Guards, I have carefully tabulated from data furnished me by Adjutant Generals, the following table, giving the strength of guard and State appropriations apportioned to the individual members.

State	Strength	Appropriation	Per man
California	3,603	\$252,332.00	\$70.00
Massachusetts	6,608	375,000.00	55.23
Wisconsin ..	2,903	140,000.00	48.00
Minnesota	1,837	80,000.00	43.54
Washington State	879	37,600.00 (1)	42.75
Pennsylvania	9,553	405,000.00 (2)	42.40
Michigan	3,208	131,000.00	40.00
Rhode Island	1,339	54,300.00	40.00
Ohio	6,149	244,000.00	39.68
Illinois	6,926	276,000.00	39.00
New Jersey	4,711	186,960.00	38.60
Delaware	350	13,000.00	37.00
Colorado ..	1,111	40,000.00	36.00
Oregon	1,326	45,000.00	33.86
Indiana	2,278	75,000.00	32.48
New York	14,433	467,400.00 (3)	32.38
Kansas	1,403	43,200.00	30.78
Maryland	2,007	60,000.00 (4)	29.89
Iowa.....	2,800	70,000.00	25.00

(1). The State of Washington in addition makes special appropriation for Armories of \$68,550.00.

(2). Pennsylvania makes additional appropriation for uniforming her officers, \$40.00 for mounted officers and \$30.00 for unmounted officers each, per year.

(3). New York, armory rent not included.

(4). Maryland will ask her next Legislature for an appropriation of \$100,000.00.

By comparing Iowa's present appropriation of \$70,000.00 with the appropriations of the other States, it will be found that Iowa is at the foot of the list.

If Iowa should increase her appropriation to \$100,000.00, the amount asked for by the Guard, she would then only equal Illinois and fall below Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin, States which Iowa aims to keep abreast of in public matters.

From this showing it is evident that the Iowa National Guard is not unreasonable in her request for an increased appropriation.

PROPOSED MILITIA LEGISLATION BY CONGRESS.

The proposed bill for increasing the efficiency of the militia to be introduced in Congress, approved by the Inter-State National Guard Association in convention at St. Paul, June, 1905.

Amending section 1661 of the Revised Statutes increasing the annual appropriation for the militia to two million dollars to be apportioned among the several States according to the number of Senators and Representatives in Congress and to the Territories and District of Columbia under such regulations as the President may prescribe. Providing that no State shall be entitled to the benefits of the appropriation unless the number of its regularly enlisted, organized and uniformed active militia shall be at least one hundred men for each Senator and Representative to which such State is entitled in the Congress of the United States.

The bill enlarges the uses for which said appropriation is available for the support of the militia. Also provides for Board of Survey to relieve the States of responsibility for lost or destroyed property and for unserviceable or unsuitable property. That this bill should receive the favorable consideration of Congress and become a law, is of vital importance to the Iowa National Guard.

The "Army War College" has under consideration, the feasibility of a plan looking to the organization of a "Militia Reserve" having for its object to promote rapid recruitment to the required war strength from ex-members of the organized militia.

I believe a Militia Reserve organized along the right lines liberally supported by the general Government, would be beneficial to the Iowa National Guard and I have so recommended to the War Department.

STATE CAMP GROUNDS.

The State now owns a quarter section of land adjoining the Fort Des Moines Military Reservation, five and a quarter miles south of the city of Des Moines, where the annual encampment for the years 1904 and 1905 were held. The improvement of these grounds for

military uses has so far been temporary, as funds available for that purpose were limited. The grounds have been seeded with view to having the entire tract in grass. A one-story frame building 30x48 feet has been constructed, for storage of quartermaster and commissary stores for use of troops in camp, and for the housing of the tents and other camp equipage, when not in use for camp purposes, which was necessary to save expense of moving this property to and from the Arsenal in the city. A temporary building with shower baths and a few other smaller buildings have been constructed. These grounds were purchased by the State for the use of the Iowa National Guard as a place for holding their annual encampments and other military purposes—a generous act on the part of the State in response to an earnest appeal on the part of the Guard.

Attention is called to the reports of the regimental commanders and Inspector General on the Encampments for the year 1905, in which they raise certain objections to the further use of the present State Camp Grounds.

I am decidedly in favor of State Camp Grounds, and believe it would be a serious mistake should the Guard return to the old system of holding their encampments in regimental districts, as has been suggested. This question is of such vital importance to the Guard, that it demands careful and thoughtful consideration before any definite action is taken, or additional expenses are incurred in the way of permanent improvements on the present State Camp Grounds.

I therefore recommend that this matter be referred to a joint committee composed as follows:

Four to be members of and appointed by our next Legislature, and four from the officers of the Iowa National Guard, appointed by the Governor, the committee empowered to make such investigation as will enable them to arrive at a just and fair conclusion of this matter, and report their findings with recommendations to the Legislature for their action.

I am not in favor of holding the encampments for 1906 on the State Camp Grounds in their present condition, as their use would damage the new growth of grass and prevent the forming of a perfect sod. Also for the reason that their use without additional improvements would complicate matters. For these reasons, together with an earnest desire on the part of quite a number of the Guard officers, I have recommended that practice marches combined with maneuvers take the place of the annual encampments for the year 1906. A practice march would be a change, that would be popular with the Guard, and would serve the special purpose of developing the Guard along other lines that would be required in active service, not obtainable at the annual encampments. The National Guard as a whole is no different from the individual company in this, that they require diversity in their military training in order to keep up the required interest, and no one realizes this fact more than our company commanders, who I believe will heartily approve of the change.

WAR RECORDS.

The Adjutant General's Department, being the natural custodian of all official records, reports and files pertaining to the services of Iowa Volunteers in the Civil War and Spanish-American War, as well as those of the State Militia during the years of the Civil War, is constantly in receipt of requests from ex-soldiers, their widows or sons and daughters for certificates of military service or data in connection with such service, to enable them to prosecute claims for pension, homestead and additional homestead, or to procure admission to Soldiers' Homes or Grand Army Posts.

The State has wisely provided a Record Clerk in this Department, which position is now held by Thos. L. Stephens, a veteran of the Civil War, who has performed his duties to the entire satisfaction of this department, and who has charge of all these old, sacred records and archives, and to whom is turned over these inquiries and requests of the veterans and their friends, together with all requests coming from societies, associations, officials and individuals for data of an historic character in connection with the services of Iowa Volunteers and militia men.

It is the policy of this office to give careful attention to every such inquiry, to make painstaking search through records and files for the information requested, and to furnish such information to those requesting it as completely and promptly as possible.

Forty years have past since the close of the Civil War, in which Iowa baptized with the blood of her noble sons and sealed forever the State's loyalty to the Union. There is not a man or woman in the great State of Iowa, but feels a just pride in her soldier boys of the Civil War and with open arms would do them honor.

That the record of these brave men has not been compiled for present reference and future history, is a mistake, which the State should hasten to rectify. I therefore recommend that a commission be created by Act of Legislature to compile and publish a complete roster of the Iowa Volunteers in the Civil War, and all other Wars in which Iowa took part, said roster to include the individual service record of each officer and soldier, giving name, rank, residence, when enlisted, service rendered, re-enlistment, promotions, final discharge and present postoffice address when obtainable.

A roster of this kind is needed to meet the constant inquiries made at the Adjutant General's Office pertaining to soldiers' records but aside from this, the State owes it to herself, that the services of her soldiers, so loyally rendered, be preserved for future generations.

Iowa is one of the few States who have not compiled rosters similar to the one above suggested.

ARMS AND EQUIPMENTS.

Under my administration additional arms and equipments have been issued the Guard as follows:

Two hundred and forty-five (245) U. S. Magazine Rifles with bayonets and equipments, increasing the armed force from 40 to 45 to a company, making total armed 2205.

The First Signal Company has been issued the U. S. Magazine Carbine, with additional equipments for its special line of service.

Two thousand five hundred and seventy-eight shelter tent halves with poles, pins and blanket straps have been issued in place of the old antiquated blanket bags.

UNIFORMS.

Recent issues of uniforms are as follows:

Olive drab shirts, 2,500.

Dress caps (blue), 2,630.

Blue blouses to fill out old issue, 300.

Canvas leggings, 2,630.

Campaign hats, 1,500.

We have the promise of the Quartermaster General of the Army that the Iowa National Guard shall be issued the new regulation blue dress coats in time for use at our annual encampments for 1906.

The system of keeping records and other methods used in the conduct of the Adjutant General's Office, I have changed somewhat to more modern methods. We are now inaugurating the card index system, which is believed will be a decided improvement over the old system. This change will necessitate much extra work, and can only be accomplished with present office force by working overtime.

I am indebted to Major J. A. Olmsted, U. S. Army (retired), on duty with the Iowa National Guard for assistance rendered, able counsel and advise.

I have been ably assisted by Major Guy E. Logan, Assistant Adjutant General in the administration of this office, together with the efficient office force under me.

In conclusion, Governor, I am under very great obligations to you personally, for wise counsel and valuable advice. Your earnest desire for the welfare of the Guard has been an inspiration to me.

Your obedient servant,

W. H. THRIFT,
Adjutant General.

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ADJUTANT GENERALS OF IOWA.

Daniel S. Lee, Lee county, appointed April 3, 1851.

George W. McCleary, Louisa county, appointed May 16, 1855.

Elijah Sells, Muscatine county, appointed January 15, 1857.

Jesse Bowen, Johnson county, appointed January 18, 1858.

Nathaniel B. Baker, Clinton county, appointed July 25, 1861, and served until September 13, 1876, date of death.

John H. Looby, Clarke county, appointed Oct. 1, 1876.

Noble Warwick, Lee county, appointed June 27, 1878.

William L. Alexander, Lucas county, appointed September 1, 1878, resigned October 9, 1889, to accept commission in United States army.

Byron A. Beeson, Marshall county, appointed October 9, 1889, resigned May 1, 1890.

George Greene, Linn county, appointed May 1, 1890.

John R. Prime, Polk county, appointed February 1, 1894.

Henry H. Wright, Appanoose county, appointed February 1, 1896.

Melvin H. Byers, Mills county, appointed February 1, 1898.

William H. Thrift, Dubuque County, appointed February 1, 1905.

ROSTER OF IOWA NATIONAL GUARD.

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF:

HIS EXCELLENCY, ALBERT B. CUMMINS.

GOVERNOR OF IOWA.

Inaugurated January 16, 1902.

Inaugurated January 14, 1904.

STAFF OF THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

Adjutant-General and Acting Quartermaster General.

Brigadier. General William H. Thrift, Des MoinesFebruary 1, 1905

Assistant Adjutant General.

Major Guy E. Logan, Des MoinesApril 1, 1905.

Quartermaster-General.

Colonel John C. Loper, Des MoinesFebruary 1, 1902

Inspector-General.

Colonel John R. Prime, Des MoinesFebruary 1, 1902

Commissary-General.

Colonel Hugh B. Hedge, Des MoinesFebruary 1, 1902

Surgeon-General.

Colonel Wilton McCarthy, Des MoinesFebruary 1, 1902

Judge Advocate-General.

Colonel Chas. G. Saunders, Council BluffsFebruary 1, 1902

General Inspector Small Arms Practice.

Colonel Wm. H. Evans, Red OakOctober 12, 1905

Chief of Engineers.

Colonel Chas. J. Wilson, WashingtonMay 1, 1903

Chief Signal Officer.

Colonel Charles S. Crail, FairfieldFebruary 1, 1902

Military Secretary.

Major Joe Beeson, OskaloosaFebruary 1, 1902

Aids.

Colonel I. B. Santee, DanburyFebruary 1, 1902

Colonel Truman A. Potter, Mason CityFebruary 1, 1902

Colonel Charles E. Mitchell, MarionFebruary 1, 1902

Colonel A. A. Penquite, ColfaxFebruary 1, 1902

Colonel Walter M. Davis, Iowa CityFebruary 1, 1902

Colonel Charles W. Bopp, HawkeyeFebruary 1, 1902

Colonel Herbert M. Blgelow, Grundy CenterFebruary 1, 1902

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ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Adjutant-General.

Brigadier-General William H. Thrift, Des MoinesFebruary 1, 1905

Assistant Adjutant-General.

Major Guy E. Logan, Des MoinesApril 1, 1905

INSPECTOR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Inspector-General.

Colonel John R. Prime, Des MoinesFebruary 1, 1902

Assistant Inspector-General.

Major Frank E. Lyman, Jr., Des MoinesJune 7, 1904

SURGEON GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-General.

Colonel Wilton McCarthy, Des MoinesFebruary 1, 1902

Deputy Surgeon-General.

Lieutenant Colonel Van Buren Knott, Sioux City,May 25, 1905

Surgeons.

Major Charles S. Grant, RiversideMay 20, 1904

Major David S. Fairchild, Jr. ClintonMay 8, 1905

Major Donald Macrae, Jr., Council BluffsJuly 22, 1903

Major D. Arthur Jay, EldonMay 8, 1903

Assistant Surgeons.

Captain Edward L. Martindale, ClintonMay 8, 1905

Captain Wilber S. Conkling, Des MoinesMay 8, 1905

Captain Elliott R. King, West LibertyMay 20, 1904

Captain Albert B. Deering, BooneMay 8, 1905

First Lieutenant Pierre McDermid, FontanelleJuly 23, 1903

First Lieutenant George M. Middleton, DavenportMay 25, 1904

First Lieutenant Charles S. Krause, Cedar RapidsMay 8, 1905

First Lieutenant Amos Horner, Polk CityMay 8, 1905

INSPECTOR SMALL ARMS PRACTICE DEPARTMENT.

General Inspector.

Colonel Wm. H. Evans, Red OakOctober 12, 1905

*Assistant General Inspector.**Inspectors.*

Captain Will F. Smith, Webster CitySept. 29, 1904

Captain Lloyd D. Ross, Red OakApril 27, 1903

Captain Edwin S. Geist, WaterlooApril 17, 1904

Captain H. C. Armstrong, RakeOctober 7, 1904

ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

Chief of Engineers.

Colonel C. J. Wilson, WashingtonMay 1, 1903

Engineer.

Lieutenant Seth Dean, GlenwoodMarch 8, 1901

SIGNAL DEPARTMENT.

Chief Signal Officer.

Colonel Charles S. Crall, FairfieldFebruary 1, 1902

First Signal Company.

First Lieutenant Joseph D. LiggettDecember 27, 1904

FIFTY-THIRD INFANTRY.

Organized as a twelve company regiment by General Orders No. 8, A. G. O. April 18, 1892, by transfer of companies from the First, Fourth and Sixth Regiments. Mustered into the United States service War with Spain as the 49th Iowa Infantry Volunteers, June 2, 1898. Mustered out of the United States service at Savannah, Georgia, May 13th, 1899. Completed re-organization as 49th Regiment Iowa National Guard, March 26th, 1900. Number designation changed to 53d Infantry by General Orders No. 19, A. G. O. November 26th, 1902.

Headquarters at Cedar Rapids.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission.
William G. Dows..	Colonel	Cedar Rapids	March 26, 1905
Hubert A. Allen..	Lieutenant Colonel	Independence	May 8, 1905.
Frank R. Fisher..	Major	Waterloo	March 26, 1905
Louis J. Rowell...	Major	Tipton	March 26, 1905
Elza C. Johnson..	Major	Maquoketa	June 5, 1905
Albert M. Jaeggi..	Capt. and Adjutant.	Dubuque	April 11, 1905
George A. Evans..	Capt. and Q. M....	Cedar Rapids	July 9, 1905
	Capt. and Comsy..		
Charles S. Grant..	Maj. and Surgeon.	Riverside	May 20, 1904
E. L. Martindale..	Capt. & Asst. Surg.	Clinton	May 8, 1905
Charles S. Knapp..	1st. Lt. & Asst. Surg	Cedar Rapids	May 8, 1905
Edwin S. Geist...	Capt. & I. S. A. P.	Waterloo	April 17, 1904
Oscar H. L. Mason	Capt and Chaplain.	Boone	July 9, 1905
Frank K. Hahn...	1st. Lt. & Bat. Adj.	Cedar Rapids	June 15, 1902
Carl E. Frudden..	1st. Lt. & Bat. Adj.	Ackley	July 22, 1902
George W. Sanders	1st. Lt. & Bat. Adj.	Vinton	Feby. 3, 1903

BAND STATIONED AT WAUKON.

CHIEF MUSICIAN, BENJAMIN O. MARSH, DECORAH.

FIRST BATTALION.

MAJOR FRANK R. SMITH, *Commanding.*

FIRST LIEUTENANT FRANK K. HAHN.

COMPANY "B" WATERLOO.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission
Charles W. Cotton	Captain	Waterloo	February 7, 1905
J. H. Hildebrand..	First Lieut	Waterloo	December 30, 1904
Fred L. Fisher...	Second Lieut	Waterloo	December 30, 1904

COMPANY "G", VINTON.

James E. Whipple.	Captain	Vinton	September 21, 1904
Clyde H. DeAcres.	First Lieut	Vinton	December 14, 1903
Holland M. Scott..	Second Lieut	Vinton	December 14, 1903

COMPANY "L", INDEPENDENCE.

Roy A. Campbell..	Captain	Independence	June 16, 1902
Roy A. Cook.....	First Lieut	Independence	July 24, 1903
E. M. Sheehan....	Second Lieut	Independence	June 16, 1902

COMPANY "D", MANCHESTER.

Harry G. Utley...	Captain	Manchester	April 25, 1905
Jesse O. Young....	First Lieut	Manchester	April 25, 1905
Jesse G. Lewis....	Second Lieut	Manchester	April 25, 1905

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SECOND BATTALION.

MAJOR LOUIS J. ROWELL, *Commanding.*FIRST LIEUTENANT CARL E. FRUDDEN, *Adjutant.*

COMPANY "F", TIPTON.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission.
John E. Bartley...	Captain	Tipton	June 1, 1905
A. M. McCormick..	First Lieut	Tipton	October 1, 1901
W. W. Aldrich....	Second Lieut	Tipton	December 3, 1901

COMPANY "C", CEDAR RAPIDS.

T. A. Berkebile....	Captain	Cedar Rapids	November 25, 1904.
	First Lieut		
John F. Rau.....	Second Lieut	Cedar Rapids	September 10, 1903

COMPANY "H", CLINTON.

Louis E. Schmitt..	Captain	Clinton	April 7, 1905.
F. A. Burdick....	First Lieut	Clinton	April 7, 1905
Levi F. Swaney...	Second Lieut	Clinton	April 7, 1905

COMPANY "K", TOLEDO.

Fred Dragoun.....	Captain	Toledo	October 24, 1905
E. H. Reichmann..	First Lieut	Toledo	October 24, 1905
	Second Lieut		

THIRD BATTALION.

MAJOR ELZA C. JOHNSON, *Commanding.*FIRST LIEUTENANT GEORGE W. SANDERS, *Adjutant.*

COMPANY "I", WAUKON.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission
N. Colsch, Jr.	Captain	Waukon	February 8, 1905
A. S. Bowen	First Lieut	Waukon	March 8, 1904
H. C. Johnson	Second Lieut	Waukon	August 9, 1905.

COMPANY "E" CRESCO.

Carl W. Reed	Captain	Cresco	June 23, 1902
F. G. Brooks	First Lieut	Cresco	June 23, 1902
J. L. Scripture ...	Second Lieut	Cresco	June 23, 1902

COMPANY "A", DUBUQUE.

C. P. Skemp	Captain	Dubuque	April 10, 1905
A. A. Agard	First Lieut	Dubuque	April 10, 1905
C. H. Wunderlich..	Second Lieut	Dubuque	April 10, 1905

COMPANY "M", MAQUOKETA.

G. M. Johnson ...	Captain	Maquoketa	June 12, 1905
Gene J. Jensen ...	First Lieut	Maquoketa	June 12, 1905
E. W. DeFratls ...	Second Lieut	Maquoketa	June 12, 1905

FIFTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.

Organized as a twelve company regiment by General Orders No. 8, A. G. O. April 18, 1892, by transfer of companies from the First, Second and Third Regiments. Mustered into the United States Service, War with Spain, May, 17, 1898. Mustered out United States Service at Camp McKinley, Des Moines, November 30th, 1898. Completed re-organization as the 50th Regiment, Iowa National Guard, March 20th, 1899. Number designation changed to 54th Infantry by General Orders No. 19, A. G. O. November 26th, 1902.

Headquarters at Muscatine.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission.
Frank W. Bishop..	Colonel	Muscatine	March 20, 1904
Elliott E. Lambert.	Lieut. Colonel	Newton	May 2, 1904
F. E. Wetherell...	Major	Des Moines	March 16, 1903
R. P. Howell.....	Major	Iowa City	March 20, 1904
F. S. Holsteen....	Major	Burlington	June 30, 1904
C. U. Frack.....	Capt. and Adj.	Muscatine	March 26, 1904
Harry Kern.....	Capt. and Q. M....	Muscatine	March 29, 1904
Stanley Miller	Capt. and Coms.	Washington	May 8, 1905
D. S. Fairchild Jr..	Major and Surg....	Clinton	December 24, 1903
A. B. Deering.....	Capt. & Asst. Surg.	Boone	May 8, 1905
G. M. Middleton...	1st. Lt. & Asst. Surg	Davenport	May 25, 1904
W. F. Smith	Capt. & I. S. A. P.	Webster City	Sept. 29, 1904
W. H. Frost	Capt. and Chaplain.	Oskaloosa	April 8, 1903
Lorie D. Perrine..	1st. Lt. & Bat. Adj.	Burlington	Sept. 29, 1904
H. Bert Speck....	1st. Lt. & Bat. Adj.	Oskaloosa	June 4, 1904
R. C. Williamson..	1st. Lt. & Bat. Adj.	Iowa City	April 28, 1904

BAND STATIONED AT OTTUMWA.

CHIEF MUSICIAN, RUSSELL W. HARPER, OTTUMWA.

FIRST BATTALION.

MAJOR FRANK E. WETHERELL, *Commanding.*

FIRST LIEUTENANT H. BERT SPECK, *Adjutant.*

COMPANY "G", OTTUMWA.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission
C. E. Caughlan ...	Captain	Ottumwa	November 3, 1902
E. J. Rosenauer ..	First Lieut	Ottumwa	November 3, 1902
John A. Meler	Second Lieut	Ottumwa	November 3, 1902

COMPANY "F", OSKALOOSA.

F. A. Moore	Captain	Oskaloosa	April 20, 1903
J. C. Bradbury ...	First Lieut	Oskaloosa	October 9, 1905
N. J. Kissick.....	Second Lieut	Oskaloosa	August 3, 1903

COMPANY "E", CENTERVILLE.

C. A. Baker	Captain	Centerville	December 19, 1904
V. W. Greene	First Lieut	Centerville	July 6, 1903
	Second Lieut		

COMPANY "L", NEWTON.

T. C. Dalzell	Captain	Newton	September 5, 1905
F. H. Clements ...	First Lieut	Newton	January 30, 1905
William Smith ...	Second Lieut	Newton	January 30, 1905

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SECOND BATTALION.

MAJOR RALPH P. HOWELL, *Commanding.*FIRST LIEUTENANT RALPH C. WILLIAMSON, *Adjutant.*

COMPANY "B", DAVENPORT.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission
E. D. Middleton..	Captain	Davenport	April 18, 1901
J. D. Mason	First Lieut	Davenport	April 13, 1903
O. W. Kulp	Second Lieut	Davenport	April 13, 1903

COMPANY "K", GRINNELL.

H. L. Triplett	Captain	Grinnell	October 24, 1905
	First Lieut		
	Second Lieut		

COMPANY "I", IOWA CITY.

G. W. Ball	Captain	Iowa City	May 9, 1904
R. M. Anderson...	First Lieut	Iowa City	October 30, 1905
G. N. Spinden....	Second Lieut	Iowa City	October 30, 1905

COMPANY "C", MUSCATINE.

W. S. Norton	Captain	Muscatine	November 20, 1905
Geo. Luckhardt ...	First Lieut	Muscatine	November 6, 1905
Ralph Othmer	Second Lieut	Muscatine	November 6, 1905

THIRD BATTALION.

MAJOR FRED S. HOLSTEEN, *Commanding.*FIRST LIEUTENANT LORIE D. PERRINE, *Adjutant.*

COMPANY "M", FAIRFIELD.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission
E. E. Lucas	Captain	Fairfield	August 3, 1905
J. F. Ready	First Lieut	Fairfield	April 11, 1904
C. C. Cummings..	Second Lieut	Fairfield	April 25, 1904

COMPANY "D", WASHINGTON.

D. W. Harvey	Captain	Washington	June 9, 1902
J. H. Steck.....	First Lieut	Washington	July 21, 1905
P. J. Wallace	Second Lieut	Washington	January 11, 1904

COMPANY "H", BURLINGTON.

J. G. Raichle	Captain	Burlington	September 12, 1904
F. G. Woellhaf ..	First Lieut	Burlington	October 31, 1904
H. A. Woellhaf ..	Second Lieut	Burlington	October 31, 1904

COMPANY "A" FORT MADISON.

J. R. Frailey	Captain	Ft. Madison	May 5, 1905
T. P. Hollowell, Jr	First Lieut	Ft. Madison	August 28, 1905
J. L. Prichett	Second Lieut	Ft. Madison	August 28, 1905

FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY.

Organized as a twelve company regiment by General Orders No. 8, A. G. O. April 18th, 1892, by transfer of companies from the Third and Fifth Regiments. Mustered into the United States service War with Spain, May 30th, 1898. Mustered out United States service at San Francisco, Calif., November 2, 1899. Completed re-organization as 51st Regiment, Iowa National Guard, March 26th, 1900. Number designation changed to 55th Infantry, by General Orders No. 19, A. G. O. November 26th, 1902.

Headquarters at Ames.

Name	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission
J. R. Lincoln	Colonel	Ames	March 26, 1905
E. R. Bennett	Lieut. Colonel	Des Moines	February 17, 1902
W. C. Mentzer	Major	Knoxville	March 26, 1905
M. A. Tinley	Major	Council Bluffs	February 17, 1902
D. W. Turner	Major	Corning	April 7, 1902
E. C. Worthington	Capt. and Adjt.	Des Moines	April 25, 1905
H. C. Lane	Capt. and Q. M.	Red Oak	May 14, 1905
Guy S. Brewer	Capt. and Comsy.	Des Moines	March 27, 1905
D. A. Jay	Major and Surg.	Eldon	May 8, 1905
W. S. Conkling	Capt. & Asst. Surg.	Des Moines	May 8, 1905
E. R. King	Capt. & Asst. Surg.	West Liberty	May 20, 1904
L. D. Ross	Capt. & I. S. A. P.	Red Oak	April 27, 1903
A. A. Walburn	Capt. and Chaplain	Osceola	April 25, 1905
G. L. Garton	1st, Lt. & Bat. Adjt.	Des Moines	May 22, 1905
Sam C. Smith	1st, Lt. & Bat. Adjt.	Winterset	July 30, 1901
P. I. VanOrder	1st, Lt. & Bat. Adjt.	Council Bluffs	July 14, 1904

BAND STATIONED AT CENTERVILLE.

CHIEF MUSICIAN, GEO. W. LANDERS, CENTERVILLE.

FIRST BATTALION.

MAJOR WM. C. MENTZER, *Commanding.*

FIRST LIEUTENANT S. C. SMITH, *Adjutant.*

COMPANY "E", SHENANDOAH.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission
G. H. Castle	Captain	Shenandoah	June 26, 1905
G. M. Castle	First Lieut	Shenandoah	June 26, 1905
H. E. Schriver	Second Lieut	Shenandoah	June 26, 1905

COMPANY "L", COUNCIL BLUFFS.

R. D. Rutherford	Captain	Council Bluffs	October 28, 1904
S. A. Greene	First Lieut	Council Bluffs	October 28, 1904
W. F. Richmond	Second Lieut	Council Bluffs	October 28, 1904

COMPANY "G", WINTERSET.

C. W. Alkins	Captain	Winterset	September 18, 1905
F. D. Hudson	First Lieut	Winterset	September 18, 1905
P. R. Wilkinson	Second Lieut	Winterset	September 18, 1905

COMPANY "C", AMES.

Herman Kuapp	Captain	Ames	November 22, 1905
E. C. Bartholomew	First Lieut	Ames	June 28, 1904
F. A. Underwood	Second Lieut	Ames	June 28, 1904

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SECOND BATTALION.

MAJOR MATHEW A. TINLEY, *Commanding.*

FIRST LIEUTENANT PAUL I. VAN ORDER, *Adjutant.*

COMPANY "B", VILLISCA.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission
J. T. Posten	Captain	Villisca	January 14, 1901
Ben Baker	First Lieut	Villisca	April 11, 1903
G. E. Whan	Second Lieut	Villisca	July 20, 1905

COMPANY "K", CORNING.

C. M. Stanley	Captain	Corning	May 27, 1902
	First Lieut		
J. A. Conaway ...	Second Lieut	Corning	April 26, 1905.

COMPANY "D", KNOXVILLE.

J. C. Myers	Captain	Knoxville	March 14, 1904
P. E. Bellamy	First Lieut	Knoxville	July 15, 1902
R. E. Brady	Second Lieut	Knoxville	March 14, 1904

COMPANY "M", RED OAK.

Ivan E. Ellwood ..	Captain	Red Oak	April 17, 1905
E. C. Hessler	First Lieut	Red Oak	April 17, 1905
G. R. Logan	Second Lieut	Red Oak	April 17, 1905

THIRD BATTALION.

MAJOR DANIEL W. TURNER, *Commanding.*

FIRST LIEUTENANT GEORGE L. GARTON, *Adjutant.*

COMPANY "A", DES MOINES.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission.
LaForest F. Blyler	Captain	Des Moines	December 10, 1901
Vernon Forbes ...	First Lieut	Des Moines	December 10, 1901
G. G. T. Freberg..	Second Lieut	Des Moines	October 24, 1904

COMPANY "I", CRESTON.

Wm. Bell	Captain	Creston	May 25, 1905
W. F. Ohlschlager.	First Lieut	Creston	May 25, 1905
E. F. Heaton	Second Lieut	Creston	May 25, 1905

COMPANY "F", DES MOINES.

A. W. Brandt	Captain	Des Moines	July 17, 1905
Chas. Tillotson Jr..	First Lieut	Des Moines	November 4, 1905
E. O. Fleur	Second Lieut	Des Moines	March 24, 1905

COMPANY "H", ATLANTIC.

	Captain	Atlantic	July 17, 1905
B. E. Kennedy	First Lieut	Atlantic	July 17, 1905
J. F. O'Connell ...	Second Lieut		

FIFTY-SIXTH INFANTRY.

Organized as a twelve company regiment by General Orders No. 8, A. G. O. April 18th, 1892, by transfer of companies from the first, third and sixth regiments. Mustered into the United States service, War with Spain, May 25, 1898. Mustered out of the United States service at Camp McKinley, Des Moines, October April 20th, 1899. Number designation changed by General Orders No. 19, A. G. 30th, 1898. Completed re-organization as 52d Regiment, Iowa National Guard, O. November 26th, 1902.

Headquarters at Sioux City.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission
W. B. Humphrey..	Colonel	Sioux City	April 20, 1905
T. F. Cooke	Lieut Colonel	Des Moines	July 11, 1904
G. M. Parker	Major	Sac City	April 20, 1904
W. T. Chantland..	Major	Fort Dodge	May 8, 1904
T. J. Mahoney	Major	Boone	May 24, 1905
W. C. Beck	Capt. and Adjt....	Sioux City	July 14, 1904
A. L. Rule	Capt. and Q. M....	Mason City	May 28, 1903
E. H. Brown	Capt. and Comsy..	Sioux City	June 21, 1904
D. Macrae, Jr	Major and Surg....	Council Bluffs	July 22, 1903
P. McDermid	1st. Lt. & Asst. Surg	Fontanelle.....	July 22, 1903
Amos Horner	1st. Lt. & Asst. Surg	Polk City	May 8, 1905
H. C. Armstrong ..	Capt. & I. S. A. P.	Rake	October 7, 1904
E. S. Johnson	Capt. and Chaplain	Rock Rapids	June 21, 1904
E. A. Ringland ...	1st. Lt. & Bat. Adjt.	Boone	June 21, 1904
M. W. Newby	1st. Lt. & Bat. Adjt.	Onawa	November 10, 1903
C. F. Starr	1st. Lt. & Bat. Adjt.	Emmetsburg	March 24, 1905

BAND STATIONED AT FORT DODGE.

CHIEF MUSICIAN, CARL QUIST, FORT DODGE.

FIRST BATTALION.

MAJOR GEORGE M. PARKER, *Commanding.*

FIRST LIEUTENANT EDMUND A. RINGLAND, *Adjutant.*

COMPANY "F", ALGONA.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission
W. E. H. Morse ..	Captain	Algona	February 20, 1905
C. F. Osler	First Lieut	Algona	September 12, 1904
	Second Lieut		

COMPANY "C", WEBSTER CITY.

N. P. Hyatt	Captain	Webster City	June 2, 1904
G. M. Teed	First Lieut	Webster City	March 30, 1903
F. J. Lund	Second Lieut	Webster City	January 4, 1904

COMPANY "A", MASON CITY.

W. S. Rankin	Captain	Mason City	January 26, 1903
C. F. Helbig	First Lieut	Mason City	February 13, 1905
J. A. Stewart.....	Second Lieut	Mason City	June 15, 1903

COMPANY "I", BOONE.

H. B. Wilson.....	Captain	Boone	June 12, 1905
M. E. Sargent.....	First Lieut	Boone	June 12, 1905
G. L. Lawson	Second Lieut	Boone	June 12, 1905

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SECOND BATTALION.

MAJOR WILLIAM T. CHANTLAND, *Commanding.*

FIRST LIEUTENANT MILES W. NEWBY, *Adjutant.*

COMPANY "E", SHELDON.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission
J. B. Frisbee	Captain	Sheldon	June 16, 1902
W. H. Bailey	First Lieut	Sheldon	May 7, 1903
G. M. Walker	Second Lieut	Sheldon	April 11, 1904

COMPANY "K", EMMETSBURG.

J. E. Williams ...	Captain	Emmetsburg	March 9, 1903
F. D. Grout	First Lieut	Emmetsburg	March 9, 1903
T. F. Rutledge ...	Second Lieut	Emmetsburg	December 24, 1900

COMPANY "D", ROCK RAPIDS.

C. J. Miller	Captain	Rock Rapids	October 23, 1905
Grant Vickers.....	First Lieut	Rock Rapids	June 2, 1904
J. S. Kelliham	Second Lieut	Rock Rapids	June 2, 1904

COMPANY "H", SIOUX CITY.

W. M. Flynn	Captain	Sioux City	September 12, 1904
F. W. Hood	First Lieut	Sioux City	July 11, 1904
T. E. Harrington..	Second Lieut	Sioux City	August 8, 1904

THIRD BATTALION.

MAJOR TIMOTHY J. MAHONEY, *Commanding.*

FIRST LIEUTENANT CHARLES FREEMAN STARR, *Adjutant.*

COMPANY "B" IDA GROVE.

Name.	Rank.	Residence.	Date of Commission
Gray Warren	Captain	Ida Grove	July 28, 1903
A. C. Johnston ...	First Lieut	Ida Grove	March 8, 1904
F. G. Stough.....	Second Lieut	Ida Grove	March 8, 1904

COMPANY "G" FORT DODGE.

B. J. Price.....	Captain	Fort Dodge	June 13, 1904
F. Larrabee	First Lieut	Fort Dodge	July 28, 1903
	Second Lieut		

COMPANY "M", SAC CITY.

H. S. Parker	Captain	Sac City	September 22, 1905
	First Lieut		
S. B. Culp	Second Lieut	Sac City	March 30, 1905

COMPANY "L" SIOUX CITY.

H. H. Edwards ...	Captain	Sioux City	November 8, 1905.
E. G. Knos	First Lieut	Sioux City	August 9, 1905
F. J. Taylor	Second Lieut	Sioux City	September 25, 1905

RELATIVE RANK OF OFFICERS.

GENERAL OFFICERS.

Number	Name, Date of Rank, Date of Commission, Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
1.	Brig. Gen. Wm. H. Thrift, (Adjutant General) Born Oct. 13, '47 in Iowa. Age 58 Rk. Feby. 1, 1905.	pvt. co. D, 16 Iowa Inf. dec. 2, 61; dis. by reason of wound nov. 21, 62; pvt. co. "C" N. B. Brig. aug. 5 63; mus. out, sept. 16, 63 upon disbandment of company; pvt. co. F, Northern Border Brigade sept 17, 63; mus. Oct. 14, 63; m. o. dec. 9, 63 at Spirit Iowa Lake, pvt. co. D, 44 Iowa Inf. June 1, 64; m. o. sept. 15, 64; maj. and add. paymaster U. S. vols. May 28, 98; m. o. June 13, 99.	pvt. co. H, 4 regt. I. N. G. July 77; capt. feb. 20, 78; insp. gen. Jan 27, 80; col. 4 regt. Aug. 8, 81; res. Oct. 19, 85; capt. co. A, 4 regt. I. N. G. Oct. 13, 85; res. Oct. 26, 87; capt. co. A, 4 regt. I. N. G. June 11, 90; co. tra. to co. A, 1 regt. April 30, 92; term expired June 11, 95; capt. and insp. s. a. p. 1 regt. June 18, 95; m. o. June 2, 98; capt. co. A, 49 regt. I. N. G. Sept. 18, 99. Com. expir. Sept. 18, 04. Re-el. capt. A, 53 Inf. Sept. 19, 04; Adj. Gen'l. Feb. 1, 05.

COLONELS.

1.	Col. Jas. Rush Lincoln, (Colonel 55th Infty.) Born Feby. 2, '45 in Maryland. Age 60. Rk. May 1, 1890. Com. Mch. 26, 1905.	brig. gen. U. S. vols. May 27, 98; m. o. March 15, 99.	Served during entire period war of rebellion; capt. co. F, 3 regt. I. N. G. May 27, 76; re-elected July 19, 79; maj. 8 regt. Sept. 20, 79; lt. col. July 1, 80; res. Oct. 26, 81; capt. co. A, 1 regt. Oct. 7, 82; res. May 29, 84; capt. co. D, 1 regt. May 29, 84; res. April 14, 88; lt. col. a. d. c. to gov. Jan. 29, 90; ch. of eng. and ch. sig. officer May 1, 90; insp. gen. April 29, 92; re-app. Feb. 1, 94; re-app. Feb. 1, 96; re-app. Feb. 1, 98; res. July 7, 98; re-app. insp. gen. March 16, 99; col. 51 regt. I. N. G. March 26, 00. Com. expir. March 26, 05, re-el. col. 55 Inf. Mar 26, 05; a. d. c. to gov. Feb. 1, 96; J. A. G. Feb. 1, 98; re-app. Feb. 1, 00; re-app. Feb. 1, 02.
2.	Col. Chas. G. Saunders, (Judge Advocate General). Born Apr. 10, '61 in New York. Age 44. Rk. Feby. 1, '96. Com. Feby. 1, '02.		

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Number	Name, Date of Rank, Date of Commission, Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
3.	Col. Wm. B. Humphrey (Colonel 56th Infy). Born Aug. 8, '55 in Maine. Age 50. Rk. Apr. 30, '97. Com. Apr. 20, 1904.	col. 52 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. H. 3 regt. I. N. G. june 22, 87; sergt. and 1 sergt. 88 and 89; co. trs. to co. H, 6 regt. 89; 2 lt. dec. 30, 89; capt. june 2, 90; co. trs. to co. H, 4 regt. april 30, 92; maj. 4 regt. june 4, 92; lt.-col. nov. 23, 94; col. april 30, 97; m. o. may 25, 98; col. 52 regt. I. N. G. april 20, 99. com. explr. apr. 20, 04; re-el. apr. 20, 04. ex-am. apr. 27, 04.
4.	Colonel William G. Dows, (Colonel 53d Infy.) Born Aug. 12, '64 in Iowa. Age 41 Rk. Apr. 4, '98. Com. Mar. 26, '05.	col. 49 inf. Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. june 2, 98; m. o. may 13, 99.	4 yrs. Shattuck school; pvt. co. C. 1 regt. I. N. G. jan. 9, 84; 1 sergt. aug. 4, 84; 2 lt. april 6, 85; 1 lt. jan. 18, 86; adjt. 1 regt. jan. 6, 90; maj. dec. 21, 91; lt. col. april 30, 97; col. april 4, 98; mus. out june 2, 98; col. 49 regt. march 26, 00. com. explr. mar. 26, 05; re-elected col. 53 rd. inf. mar 26, 05.
5.	Colonel John R. Prime, (Inspector General). Born July 4, 47 in N. Y. Age 50. Rank Rk. Feby. 1, 1902.	pvt. co. K, 27 Iowa inf. feb. 15, 64; dls. jan. 20, 66; major 42 inf. U. S. vols. aug. 17, 99; m. o. June 28, 01.	pvt. co. B. 6 regt. I. N. G. april 18, 78, 2lt. may 6, 78; 1 lt. sept. 12, 78; capt. july 28, 80; maj. and asst. insp. genl. may 7, 84; resig. aug. 21, 85, re-app. sept. 28, 85; maj. 4 regt. april 30 92; adjt. genl. feb. 1, 94, to feb. 1, 96; brlg. genl. march 26, 96; resig. oct. 7, 99; insp. genl. feb. 1, 02.
6.	Colonel John C. Loper, (Quartermaster General). Born Jany. 28, '51 in Ohio. Age 54. Rk. Feby. 1, 1902.	col. 51 inf. Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	capt. co. H. 3 regt. I. N. G. july 15, 89; maj. 3 regt. jan. 23, 92; lt. col. sept. 3, 95; col. mar. 14, 98; m. o. may 30, 98; q. m. genl. feb. 1, 02.
7.	Colonel Charles E. Mitchell, (Aid-de-Camp). Born July 20, '46 in Ohio. Age 59. Rk. Feby. 1, 1902.	pvt. 17 Ohio artillery, aug. 14, 62, to July 20, 65.	a. d. c. to gov. feb. 1, 96; a. d. c. to gov. feb. 1, 02.
8.	Colonel Hugh B. Hedge, (Commissary General). Born Oct. 29, '39 in Pa. Age 66. Rk. Feby. 1, 1902.	5th cor. and sergt. Ringgold's cav. and 22 Pa. cav. from june 26, 61, to july, 64.	appt. com. genl. feb. 1, 02.

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Number	Name, Date of Rank, Date of Commission, Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
9.	Colonel Charles S. Crail, (Chief Signal Officer). Born Dec. 24, '77 in Iowa. Age 27. Rk. Feby. 1, 1902.	pvt. 12 co. U. S. vols. signal corps june 22, 98; sgt. july 1, 98; first class sergt. march 9, 99; dis. april 18, 99.	appt. chief signal officer feb. 1, 02.
10.	Colonel Wilton McCarthy, (Surgeon General). Born June 18, '72 in Iowa. Age 33. Rk. Feby. 1, 1902.		appt. surg. genl. feb. 1, 02.
11.	Colonel Isaac B. Santee, (Aid-de-Camp). Born March 7, '52 in West Vir. Age 53. Rank Feby. 1, 1902.		1 year West Virginia university; a. d. c. to gov. feb. 1, 02.
12.	Colonel Truman A. Potter, (Aid-de-Camp). Born Feby. 6, '71 in Iowa. Age 34. Rk. Feby. 1, 1902.		a. d. c. to gov. feb. 1, 02.
13.	Colonel Arthur A. Penquite, (Aid-de-Camp). Born Apr. 1, '59 in Ohio Age 46. Rk. Feby. 1, 02.		a. d. c. to gov. feb. 1, 02.
14.	Colonel Walter M. Davis, (Aid-de-Camp). Born Nov. 30, '68 in Iowa. Age 37. Rk. Feby. 1, 1902.		3 years in state university of Iowa under a regular army officer. a. d. c. to gov. feb. 1, 02.
15.	Colonel Charles W. Bopp, (Aid-de-Camp). Born Mch. 23, '68 in Iowa. Age 37. Rk. Feby. 1, 1902		a. d. c. to gov. feb. 1, 02.
16.	Colonel Herbert M. Bigelow, (Aid-de-Camp). Born May 2, '63 in Ill. Age 42. Rk. Feby. 1, 1902.		a. d. c. to gov. feb. 1, 02.
17.	Colonel Charles J. Wilson, (Chief of Engineers). Born Nov. 11, '50 in Iowa. Age 55. Rk. May 1, '03.	pvt. co D, 2 regt. I. N. G. april 18, 78; re-enl. may 5, 81; re-enl. june 26, 83; q. m. sergt. 2 sergt jan. 1, 88; 1 lt. and c. of s. 2 regt. jan. 12, 95; dis. may 17, 98; 1 lt. and c. of s. 50 regt. I. N. G. april 15, 99; chief of eng. may 1, 03.	

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Number	Name, Date of Rank, Date of Commission, Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
18.	Colonel Frank W. Bishop, (Colonel 54th Infy). Born May 5, '68 in Ill. Age 37. Rk. March 20, 1904.	enl. 2 U. S. inf. feb. 4, 90; dis. as sergt. feb. 4, 95; capt. co. C. 50 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 17, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	enl. Ill. N. G. jan. 3, 87; dis. as corp. jan. 3, 90; 1 lt. and bat. adj. 2 reg. I. N. G. may 29, 95; capt. co. C. 2 regt. jan. 11, 98; m. o. may 17, 98; capt. co. C. 50 regt. I. N. G. feb. 13, 99; maj. 50 regt. dec. 20, 99; lt. col. 54 regt. I. N. G. dec. 22, 02; examined jan. 30, 1903; col 54th inf. mar. 20, 04.
19.	Colonel William H. Evans, (General In- spector Small Arms Practice). Born June 26, '48 in England. Age 57. Rk. Oct. 12, 1905.		pvt. co. K, 5 regt. I. N. G. july 31, 78; corp. may 1, 80; 2 lt. july 9, 87; 1 lt. july 18, 90; q. m. 5 regt. oct. 19, 91; maj. 3 regt. april 30, 92; maj. and insp. s. a. p. 1 brig. aug. 26, 95; re- app. march 25, 96; asst. genl. insp. s. a. p. july 4, 00; com. expir. july 4, 05; re-appt. asst. genl. insp. s. a. p. july 4, 05; genl. insp. s. a. p. oct. 12, 05.

LIEUTENANT-COLONELS.

1.	Lieut. Col. Ernest R. Bennett, (Lieut. Col. 55th Infy). Born Oct. 13, '69 in Ia. Age 36. Rk. Feby. 17, 1902.	1 lt. co. H, 51 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. H, 3 regt. I. N. G. july 11, 89; 2 lt. oct. 16, 94; 1 lt. march 5, 95; res. nov. 18, 95; pvt. co. H, 3 regt. mar. 16, 96; 1 lt. aug. 17, 97; m. o. may 30, 98; capt. co. H, 51 regt. I. N. G. feb. 15, 00; maj. 51 regt. march 26, 00; lt. col. feb. 17, 02; ex- amined march 27, 02.
2.	Lieut. Col. Elliott E. Lambert, (Lieut. Col. 54th Infy). Born Jany. 8, '63 in Ohio. Age 42. Rk. May 2, 1904.	lt. col. 50 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 18, 98; col. aug. 29, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	pvt. co. B, 3 regt. I. N. G. july 15, 88; capt. mar. 8, 89; maj. 2 regt. april 30, 92; lt. col. jan. 11, 97; m. o. may 18, 98; enl. co. L, 50 regt. I. N. G. feb. 5, 00; maj. 50 regt. july 16, 00; lt. col. 54 inf. may 2, 04; ex- amined june 21, 04.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
3	Lieut. Col. Thos. F. Cooke. (Lieut. Col. 56 Infty). Born Jany. 29, '63 in Ia. Age 42. Rk. July 11, '04.	capt. co. F, 52 regt. Iowa vols. april 26, '98; mus. may 25, '98; m. o. oct. 30, '98.	capt. co. F, 6 regt. I. N. G. july 2, '89; act. insp. s. a. p. 2 brig. '90; genl insp. s. a. p. july 28, '92 re-app. feb. 8, '94; re-appt. feb. 1, '96; re-app. feb. 1, '98; m. o. may 25, '98; re-app. oct. 30, '98; re-app. feb. 1, '00; m. o. feb. 1, '02; insp. s. a. p. march 19, '03; exam. june 5, '03; lt. col. 56 inf. I. N. G. july 11, '04; exam. aug. 9, '04.
4	Lieut. Col. Hubert A. Allen. (Lieut. Col. 53d Infty). Born April 4, '71 in Ia. Age 34. Rk. May 8, '05.	capt. co. E, 49 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, '98; mut. june 2, '98; m. o. may 13, '99.	1 year Iowa Age. Col. pvt. co. H. 4 regt. I. N. G. feb. 24, '90; 1 lt. dec. 10, '91; mus. out with co. dec. 16, '92; capt. co. E, 1 regt. I. N. G. june 4, '96; mus. out june 2, '98; maj. 49th. regt. june 1, '00; lt. col. 53d inf. may 8, 1905; exam. june 16, '05. lt. col. 3 inf. may 8, 1905.
5	Lieut. Col. Van Buren Knott. (Deputy Surgeon Gen.). Born Nov. 14, '71 in Ill. Age 34. Rk. May 25, '05.	asst. sur. 52d Iowa vols. april 26, '98; mus. may 6, '98; m. o. oct. 30, '98.	pvt. co. H, 6 regt. I. N. G. dec. 31, '88; dis. dec. 29, '92; capt. and add. asst. surg. 4 regt. I. N. G. dec. 4, '94; surg. 52 regt. I. N. G. may 20, '99; resig. feb. 16, '00; deputy sur. genl. may 25, '05.

MAJORS.

1	Major Frank R. Fisher. (Major 53d Infty). Born June 20, '57 in Ill. Age 48. Rk. May 24, '98. Com. March 26, '05.	maj. 49 inf. Iowa vols. may 24, '98; mus. june 2, '98; mus. out may 13, '99.	pvt. co. B, 4 regt. I. N. G. july 6, '88; sergt. july 26, '90; 2 lt. july 19, '91; 1 lt. jan. 25, '92; trs. to 1 regt. april 30, '92; capt. oct. 27, '93; maj. 1 regt. may 24, '98; mus. out june 2, '98; maj. 49 I. N. G. mar. 26, '00; com. expir. mar. 26, '05; re-elected maj. 53d inf. march 26, '05.
2	Major Charles S. Grant. (Surgeon). Born July 6, '72 in N. Y. Age 33. Rk. Sept. 2, '98. Com. May 20, '04.	1 lt. and asst. surg. 50 regt. Ia. vols. may 6, '98; mus. may 6, '98; app. surg. sept. 2, '98; mus. sept. 2, '98; m. o. nov. 30, '98.	pvt. co. I, 2 regt. I. N. G. mar. 26, '94; dis. june 6, '95; pvt. hosp. corps 2 regt. june 18, '96; m. o. may 6, '98; maj. and surg. I. N. G. may 20, '99; com. expir. may 20, '04; re-app. surg. may 20, '04.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
3.	Major David S. Fairchild Jr. (Surgeon). Born March 23, '71 in Minn. Age 34. Rk. Dec. 5, '98. Com. May 8, '05.	ast. surg. 51 inf. Iowa vols. may 6, 98; mus. may 6, 98; maj. and surg. 51 Iowa vols. dec. 5, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	2 yrs. Iowa Agr. Col. maj. and surg. I. N. G. april 11, 00; com. explr. apr. 11, 04; re-app. may 8, 05.
4.	Major Louis J. Rowell, (Major 53d Infy). Born March 26, '72 in Iowa. Age 33. Rk. March 26, '00. Com. March 26, '05.	capt. co. F, 49 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. june 2, 98; mus. out may 13, 99.	2 years State University of Iowa; pvt. co. B, 1 regt. I. N. G. feb. 18, 88; co. tra. to co. M, 2 regt. april 30, 92; 2 lt. july 29, 92; capt. may 28, 94 tra. with co. to co. F, 1 regt. dec. 10, 96; mus. out june 2, 98; capt. co. F, 49 regt. I. N. G. sept. 25, 99; maj. 49 regt. march 26, 00; com. exp. mar. 26, 05; re-el. maj. 53d inf. mar. 26, 05.
5.	Major Wm. C. Mentzer, (Major 55th Infy). Born Oct. 13, 67 in Ind. Age 38. Rk. Mch. 26, '00. Com. Mch. 26, '05.	2 lt. co. D, 51 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; regt. adjt. aug. 25, 99; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. D, 3 regt. I. N. G. feb. 16, 97; 2 lt. apr. 5, 97; m. o. may 30, 98; maj. 51 regt. I. N. G. mar. 26, 00; com. explr. mar. 26, 05; re-el. maj. 55 inf. mar. 26, 05.
6.	Major Joe Beeson, (Military Secretary). Born June 8, '71 in Ill. Age 34. Rk. Feby. 1, '02.	sgt. co. F, 51 regt. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. F, 3 regt. I. N. G. mar. 30, 91; dis. aug. 4, 93; re-enl. april 23, 98; m. o. may 30, 98; pvt. co. F, 51 regt. I. N. G. mar. 7, 1900; batt. adjt. april 28, 1900; re-sig. may 7, 01; military secy. feb. 1, 02.
7.	Major Mathew A. Tinley, (Major 55th Infy). Born Mch. 5, '76 in Iowa Age 29. Rk. Feby. 17, '02.	2 lt. co. —, 51 inf. Iowa vols. may 10, 98; mus. may 30, 98; 1 lt. aug. 5, 99; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. L, 3 regt. I. N. G. june 4, 94; m. o. may 30, 98; capt. co. L, 51 regt. I. N. G. jan. 18, 00; maj. feb. 17, 02; examined march 13, 02.
8.	Major Daniel W. Turner, (Major 55th Infy). Born Mch. 17, '77 in Ia. Age 28. Rk. Apr. 7, '02.	pvt. co. K, 51 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; corp. june 20, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. K, 3 regt. I. N. G. april 22, 98; m. o. may 30, 98; 1 lt. co. K, 51 regt. I. N. G. feb. 24, 00; capt. nov. 5, 00; maj. april 7, 02; examined april 24, 02.
9.	Major Frank E. Wetherell, (Major 54th Infy). Born Sept. 5, '69 in Ohio. Age 36. Rk. Mch. 16, '03.		3 years State Univ. bat. pvt. co. F, 3 regt. I. N. G. april 1, 87; 1 sergt. july 90; 2 lt. july 21, 91; 1 lt. oct. 20, 91; res. may 15, 97; capt. co. F, 51 regt. I. N. G. mar. 7, 00; rfd. to 54; maj. mar. 16, 03; examined april 3, 03.

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Number	Name, Date of Rank, Date of Commission, Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
10.	Major Donald Macrae, Jr. (Surgeon). Born Jany. 24, '70 in Iowa. Age 35. Rk. July 22, '03.	1 lt. and asst. surg. 51 inf Iowa vols. may 6, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	1 lt. and asst. surg. I. N. G. april 11, 00; maj. and surg. july 22, 03.
11.	Major Ralph P. Howell, (Major 54th Infy). Born Dec. 12, '70 in Ia. Age 35. Rk. Mch. 20, '04.	capt. and com. of sub. U. S. vols. may 17, 98; m. o. sept. 10, 98.	1 yr. State Univ. of Iowa, pvt. co. C, 3 regt. I. N. G. jan. 13, 90; co. trs. to co. I, 2 regt. april 30, 92; corp. and sergt. 93 and 94; maj. and j. a. 1 brig. jan. 25, 95; re-app jan. 11, 97; m. o. may 17, 98; capt. co. I, 50 regt. I. N. G. dec. 3, 00. maj. 54 inf. mar. 20, 04.
12.	Major Geo. M. Parker, (Major 56th Infy). Born Mch. 3, '47 in Ill. Age 58. Rk. April 20, '04.	pvt. co. H, 21 inf. Iowa vols. june 25, 62; mus. aug. 23, 62; m. o. july 15, 65; sergt. 18 U. S. inf. 66 to 69.	capt. co. M, 52 regt. I. N. G. june 6, 1900; maj. 56th inf. apr. 20, 04; examined apr. 27, 04.
13.	Major Wm. T. Chantland, (Major 56th Infy). Born June 27, '70 in Ia. Age 35. Rk. May 8, '04.	capt. co. G, 52 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	in bat. state university of Iowa, pvt. 88; corp. 89; 1sergt. 90; capt. 91; 1 lt. co. G, 6 regt. I. N. G. feb. 13, 92; co trs. to co. G, 4 regt. april 30, 92; capt. jan. 21, 95; m. o. may 25, 98; pvt. co G, 56 inf. I. N. G. july 13, 03; capt. july 28, 03; examined aug. 11, 03. resig. may 25, 04; major 56th inf. may 8, 04; exam. june 21, 04.
14.	Major Frank E. Lyman, Jr. (Asst. Insp. Genl). Born June 20, '69 in Ohio Age 36. Rk. June 7, '04.	capt. sig. corps U. S. V. june 11, 98 to apr. 17, 99; 1 lt. sig. corps U. S. V. apr. 17, 99 to may 26, 01; 1 lt. U. S. A. may 27, to mar. 25, 04.	pvt. co. H, 3 regt. I. N. G. july 11, 89; eng. and sig. officer 1 brig. aug. 23, 92 to jan. 11, 97; asst. insp. genl. with rank of maj. june 7, 1904; exam. june 21, 04.
15.	Major Fred S. Holsteen, (Major 54th Infy). Born July 5, '73 in Iowa. Age 32. Rk. June 30, 04.		5 yrs. State University of Iowa, last year as commandant of cadets with rank as cadet maj. pvt. co. I, 50 regt. I. N. G. mar. 6, 99; dis. sept. 2, 99; pvt. co. F, 50 regt. I. N. G. july 16, 00; 1 sergt; capt. june 12, 01; exam. july 15, 01; maj. 54th inf. june 30, 04; exam. aug. 9, 04.
16.	Major Guy E. Logan, (Asst. Adj. Genl). Born Mch. 11, '71 in Ia. Age 34. Rk. April 1, '05.	1 lt. co. M, 51 inf Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	2 lt. co. M, 3 regt. I. N. G. oct. 18, 93; m. o. may 30, 98; 1 lt. co. M, 51 regt. I. N. G. nov. 21, 99; capt. april 23, 00; asst. adjt. genl. apr. 1, 05.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
17.	Major D. Arthur Jay. (Surgeon). Born Oct. '66 in Iowa. Age 39. Rk. May 8, '05.		2 years Iowa State Univ. 1 lt. and asst. surg. I. N. G. may 29, 99; com. exp. may 29, 04; re-app. capt. and asst. surg. may 20, 04; surgeon may 8, 05.
18.	Major Timothy J. Mahoney, (Major 56th Infty). Born Oct. 16, '76 in Ia. Age 29. Rk. May 24, '05.	pvt. co. I, 52 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; corp. july 1, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	4 years Iowa Agr. Col. pvt. co. I, 4 regt. I. N. G. june 27, 96; m. o. may 25, 98; 1 lt. co. I, 52 regt. I. N. G. april 5, 99; capt. june 6, 01; ex- am. july 11, 01; maj. 56 inf. may 24, 05.
19.	Major Elza C. Johnson, (Major 53d Infty). Born April 14, '73 in Ia. Age 32. Rk. June 5, '03.	capt. co. M, 49 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. june 2, 98; m. o. may 13, 99.	corp. Iowa State Univ. 90; sergt. and 1 lt. 91 and 93, capt. co. M, 1 regt. I. N. G. dec. 8, 93; m. o. june 2, 98; capt. co. M, 49 regt. I. N. G. jan. 17, 00; maj. 53 inf. june 5, 05.

CAPTAINS.

1.	Emory C. Worthington. (Regtl. Adj. 55th In- fty.) Born Nov. 23, '70 in Ia. Age 35. Rk. May 5, 93. Com. Apr. 25, 05.	capt. co. H, 51 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. H, 3 regt. I. N. G. july 15, 89; sergt. aug. 2, 89; 2 lt. feb. 26, 92; 1 lt. march 28, 93; capt. may 5, 93; m. o. may 30, 98; regt. adjt. 51 regt. I. N. G. april 25, 00. Com. expir. apr. 25, 05. Re-appt. regtl. adjt. 55 Inf. apr. 25, 05.
2.	George A. Evans (Quartermaster 53d Infty). Born June 7, '56 in Ia. Age 49. Rk. Jany. 13, 95. Com. July 9, 05.	capt. co. C, 49 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98, mus. june 2, 98, m. o. may 13, 99.	genl. Baker Guards, aug. 74; dis. march 75; enl. co. A, 1 regt. I. N. G. aug. 75; sergt. jan. 76; dis. june 76; enl. co. F, 1 regt. I. N. G. jan. 77; sergt. dec. 77; m. o. nov. 80; enl. co. C. 1 regt. I. N. G. nov. 1, 83; corp., sergt. and 1 sergt. 83-86; 1 lt. aug. 21, 93; capt. jan. 13, 95; m. o. june 2, 98; Insp. s. a. p. june 11, 00; q. m. 49 regt. I. N. G. july 9, 00. Com. expir. July 9, 05. Re- appt. Q. M. 53d inf. July 9, 05.

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Number	Name, Date of Rank, Date of Commission, Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
3.	Edward L. Martindale (Asst. Surg.) Born Dec. 3, '68 in Ill. Age 36. Rk. Apr. 8, 95. Com. May 8, 05.	1 lt. and asst. surg. 49 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus may 6, 98; m. o. may 13, 99.	pvt. co. L, 1 regt. I. N. G., july 30, 94; capt. and add. asst. surg. 1 regt. april 8, 95; m. o. may 6, 98; capt. and asst. surg. I. N. G. april 12, 00. Com. expir Apr. 12, 05; Re-appt. capt. and asst. surg. may 8, 05.
4.	Ebenezer S. Johnson (Chaplain 56th Infy). Born Feby. 8, '66 in En- gland Age 39. Rk. May 20, 98. Com. June 21, 04.	chap. 52 inf. Iowa vols. may 20, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct 30, 98.	1 yr. med. staff corps England; chap. 52 regt. I. N. G. june 21, 99. Com. expir. June 21, 04. Re-appt. June 21, 04.
5.	Oscar H. L. Mason (Chaplain 53d. Infy). Born June 27, '66 in Iowa. Age 39. Rk. May 24, 98. Com. July 9, 05.	chap. 49 inf. Iowa vols. may 24, 98; mus. june 2, 98; m. o. may 13, 99.	three yrs. state univ. of Iowa; chap. 49 regt. I. N. G. july 9, 00. Com. expir. July 9, 05. Re- appt chap. 53d Inf. july 9, 05.
6.	Charles W. Cotton (Co. B, 53d Infy). Born Nov. 27, '68 in Ia. Age 37. Rk. May 25, '98. Com. Feby. 7, '05.	capt. co. B, 49 inf. Iowa vols. may 25, 98; mus. june 2, 98; m. o. may 13, 99.	pvt. co. B. 4 regt. I. N. G. feb. 3, 90; co. trs. to 1 regt. april 30, 92; corp and sergt. 92 and 93; 1 lt. june 15, 96; capt. may 25, 98; m. o. june 2, 98; capt. co. B, 49 regt. I. N. G. feb. 6, 00. Com. expir. feby. 6, 05; Re-elected feby. 7, 05.
7.	Albert M. Jaeggi (Regtl. Adj. 53d Infy). Born May 30, '65 in Iowa. Age 40. Rk. May 31, 98. Com. April 11, '05.	regt. adjt. 49 inf. Iowa vols. may 31, 98; mus. june 2, 98; mus. out may 13, 99.	pvt. co. A, 4 regt. I. N. G. dec. 17, 85; corp and sergt. 88 and 90; 2 lt. july 11, 90; co. trs. to 1 regt. april 30, 92; 1 lt. april 3, 93; bat. adjt. 1 regt. june 3, 97; regt. adjt. may 31, 98; m. o. june 2, 98; regt. adjt. 49 regt. I. N. G. april 5, 00. Com. expir. Apr. 5, 05. Re-appt. Regt. Adj. 53d Inf. apr. 11, 05.
8.	W. E. H. Morse (Co. F, 56 Infy). Born May 29, '62 in Maine. Age 43. Rk. Mch. 15, 99. Com. Feb. 20, '05.		add. asst. surg. 4 regt. I. N. G. aug. 2, 92; asst. surg. 4 regt. dec. 4, 94; rejected acct. physical dis. may 5, 98; capt. co. F, 52 regt. I. N. G. march 15, 99; genl. insp. small arms practice, feb. 1, 02. Capt. Co. "F", 56 Inf. I. N. G. Feby. 20, 05.

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Number	Name, Date of Rank, Date of Commission, Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	Service. National Guard and Other
9.	Norman P. Hyatt (Co. "C", 56th Infy). Born Oct. 28, '66 in Iowa. Age 39. Rk. June 1, 99. Com. June 2, 04.	1 lt. and bat. adjt. 52 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	9 yrs. Cornell Col.; 3 yrs. Iowa State Univ.; pvt. co. C, 6 regt. I. N. G. july, 88; sergt. jan. 91; 1 lt. and bat. adjt. 4 regt. july 2, 92; m. o. may 25, 98; 1 lt. co. C, 52 regt. I. N. G. march 16, 99; capt. june 1, 99. Com. explr. june 1, 04; Re-el. capt. co. "C" 56 Inf. june 2, 04. Exam. June 21, 04.
10.	James E. Whipple (Co. "G", 53d Infy.) Born Sept. 3, '57 in Iowa. Age 48. Rk. Sept. 21, 99. Com. Sept. 21, 04.	q. m. sergt. co. G, 49 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. june 2, 98; m. o. may 13, 99.	pvt. co. G, 1 regt. I. N. G. april 22, 98; m. o. june 2, 98; capt. co. G, 49 regt. I. N. G. sept. 21, 99. Com. explr. sept. 21, 04; Re-el. capt. co. G, 53d Inf. sept. 21, 04.
11.	Will F. Smith (Insp. S. A. P.) Born Oct. 6, '51 in Scotland. Age 54. Rk. Sept. 29, 99. Com. Sept. 29, 04.		pvt. co. C 6th regt. I. N. G. nov. 26, 84; 2 lt. dec. 1, 84; 1 lt. june 8, 87; res. june 6, 89; enl. june 10, 89; Co. C, 6th regt. sergt. july 4, 89; insp. s. a. p. 4 regt. july 8, 97; dis. may 25, 98; insp. s. a. p. sep. 29, 99. Com. explr. sept. 29, 04; re-appt. sept 29, 04.
12.	Nicholas Colsch, Jr., (Co. "I", 53d Infy). Born August 18, '69 in Iowa. Age 36. Rk. Feby. 8, 00. Com. Feby. 8, 05.	1 sergt. co. I, 49 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; sergt. sept. 14, 98; m. o. may 13, 99.	pvt. co. I, 4 regt. I. N. G. june 25, 89; co. trs. to 1 regt. april 30, 92; corp. and sergt. 92 and 93; 1 lt. july 29, 95; m. o. with co. may 11, 97; pvt. co. I, 1 regt. reorg. june 24, 97; 1 sergt. july 20, 97; m. o. june 2, 98; pvt. co. I, 49 regt. feb. 8, 00. capt. feb. 8, 00. Com. explr. Feby. 8, 05. Re-el. capt. co. I, 53d Inf. Feby. 8, 05.
13.	A. A. Walburn (Chaplain 55th Infy). Born March 31, '63 in Penn. Age 42. Rk. Apr. 25, 00. Com. Apr. 25, 05.		chap. 51 regt. I. N. G. april 25, 00. Com. explr. apr. 25, 05; Re-appt chaplain 55th inf. Apr. 25, 05.

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Number	Name, Date of Rank, Date of Commission, Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
14.	John E. Bartley (Co. "F" 53d Infty). Born Oct. 21, '66 in Iowa. Age 39. Rk. May 2, 00. Com. June 1, 05.	2 lt. co. F, 49 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. june 2, 98; 1 lt. dec. 12, 98; m. o. may 13, 99.	pvt. co. B, 1 regt. I. N. G. may 21, 91; sergt. 91; co. trs. to co. M, 2 regt. april 30, 92; bat. sergt. maj. 2 regt. june 28, 92; 2 lt. co. M. 2 regt. june 22, 96; co. trs. to co. F, 1 regt. dec. 10, 96; m. o. june 2, 98; 1 lt. co. F, 49 regt. I. N. G. sept. 25, 99; capt. may 2, 00; 1 yr. Iowa agr. col. Com. exp. may 2, 05; re-el. capt. co. F, 53d inf. june 1, 05.
16.	Herbert C. Lane (Quartermaster 55th Infty). Born in Iowa. Rk. May 14, '00. Com. May 14, 05.	1 lt. and bat. adjt. 51 inf. Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. M, 3 regt. I. N. G. oct. 18, 93; re-enl. oct. 19, 96; 1 lt. and c. s. 3 regt. april 11, 98; m. o. may 30, 98; capt. and q. m. 51 regt. I. N. G. may 14, 00. Com. expir. may 14, 05. Re-appt q. m. 55 Inf. I. N. G. may 14, 05.
16.	George H. Castle, (Co. "E", 55th Infty). Born Aug. 30, '43 in Ill. Age 62. Rk. June 12, 00. Com. June 26, 05.	pvt. co. A, 9 inf. Mo. vols. june 25, 61; trs. to 59 Ill. inf. feb. 62; corp. nov. 24, 63; sergt. dec. 16, 64; 1 sergt. may 1, 65; m. o. jan. 15, 66.	pvt. co. E, 5 regt. I. N. G. may 21, 78; 1 lt. may 18, 80; maj. 5 regt. aug. 16, 84; lt. col. may 9, 85; col. july 3, 86; term expired july 3, 91; placed on retired roll sept. 22, 92; capt. co. E. 51 regt. I. N. G. june 12, 00. Com. expir. June 12, 05: Re-el. capt. co. E 55 Inf. june 26, 05.
17.	Edwin E. Lucas. (Co. "M", 54th Infty). Born Mch. 30, '67 in Iowa. Age 38. Rk. Aug. 3, 00. Com. Aug. 3, 05.	1 sergt. co. M. 50 inf. Iowa vols., april 26, 98; mus. may 17, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	pvt. co. M, 2 regt. I. N. G. jan. 25, 97; corp. and sergt. 97-98; m. o. may 17, 98; 1 lt. co. M, 50 regt. I. N. G. feb. 21, 99; capt. aug. 3, 00. Com. expir. Aug 3, 05. Re-el. capt. co. M, 54 inf. aug. 3, 05.
18.	John T. Poston (Co. "B", 55th Infty). Born Apr. 15, '62 in Iowa. Age 43. Rk. Jany. 14, 01.		pvt. co. B, 5 regt. I. N. G., 79; corp., 80; col. sergt. 5 regt., 81-84; re-enl. co. B. 5th regt. 88; 1 lt. aug. 9, 89; re-elected sept. 25, 94; m. o. may 30, 98; 1 lt. co. B. 51 regt. I. N. G. dec. 10, 99; capt. jan. 14, 1901; examined mar. 7, 01.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
19.	Edward D. Middleton (Co. "B", 54th Infty.) Born July 18, '78 in Iowa. Age 27. Rk. April 18, '01.	sergt. co. B, 50 inf. Iowa vols., april 26, 98; mus. may 17, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	pvt. co. B, 2 regt. I. N. G., june 24, 96; corp. and sergt, 97 and 98; m. o. may 17, 98; 2d lt. co. B, 50 regt. I. N. G. feb. 17, 01; capt. april 18, 01, examined may 16, 01.
20.	L. F. Blyler (Co. "A", 55th Infty.) Born Nov. 6, '75 in Iowa. Age 30. Rk. Dec. 10, 01.		pvt. co. A, 3d regt. I. N. G. aug. 1, 92; re-enl. aug. 1, 95; 2d lt. nov. 13, 95; reslg. jan. 18, 97; re-enl. feb. 7, 97; dischg. oct. 7, 97; pvt. co. A, 51 regt. I. N. G. dec. 10, 01; capt. dec. 10, 01; examined dec. 19, 01.
21.	Claude M. Stanley (Co. "K", 55th Infty.) Born March 5, '72 in Iowa. Age 33. Rk. May 27, 02.	corp. co. K, 51 inf. Iowa vol. april 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; dis. jan. 14, 99.	pvt. co. K, 3 regt. I. N. G. apr. 22, 98; m. o. may 30, 98; 2 lt. co. K, 51 regt. I. N. G. feb. 24, 00; 1 lt. nov. 5, 00; capt. may 27, 02; examined june 19, 02.
22.	David W. Harvey (Co. "D", 54th Infty.) Born March 7, '66 in Iowa. Age 39. Rk. June 9, 02.	capt. co. D, 50 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 18, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	pvt. co. D, 2 regt. I. N. G., mar. 22, 92; 2 lt. nov. 29, 93; capt. oct. 15, 96; m. o. may 17, 98; pvt. co. D, 50 regt. I. N. G., may 29, 02; capt. june 9, 02; examined june 19, 02.
23.	Jerome B. Frisbee (Co. "E", 56th Infty.) Born May 27, '73 in Wisc. Age 32. Rk. June 16, 02.	sgt. co. E, 52 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; 2 lt co. C, 52 regt. Iowa vols. sept. 1, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	2 yrs. Col. N. G.; 2 lt. 4 yrs. Iowa State College, rank of lt. col.; pvt. co. L, 2 regt. I. N. G. oct. 17, 92; dis. nov. 18, 92; pvt. co. E, 4 regt. april 23, 98; sgt. may, 98; m. o. may 25, 98; pvt. co. E, 52 regt. I. N. G. june 16, 02; capt. june 16, 02; examined june 20, 02.
24.	Robert A. Campbell (Co. "L", 53d Infty.) Born March 11, '67 in N. Y. Age 38. Rk. June 16, 02.		1 yr. co. B, 1 regt. Wisc., N. G. 6 mos; co. "B" Rockford Rifles; capt. co. L, 49 rgt. I. N. G. june 16, 02; examined july 2, 02.
25.	Carl W. Reed (Co. "E", 53d Infty.) Born May 6, '73 in Ia. Age 32. Rk. June 23, 02.		1 yr. in cadet batt, university of Wisc., pvt. co. E, 53 inf. I. N. G. june 23, 02; capt. june 23, 02; exam. july 2, 02.
26.	Cyrus E. Caughlan, (Co. G, 54 Infty.) Born Sept. 10, '64 in Mo. Age 41. Rk. Nov. 3, '02.		pvt. co. G., 50 regt. I. N. G. feb. 24, 99; 2 lt. nov. 25, 01; examined dec. 19, 01; capt. nov. 3, 02; examined dec. 4, 02.

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Number	Name, Date of Rank, Date of Commission, Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
27.	Wiley S. Rankin (Co. "A" 56th Infty.) Born Oct. 6, '74 in Ill. Age 31. Rk. Jany. 26, 03.	sergt. co. A, 52 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. A, 4 regt. I. N. G. july 10, 94; mus., corp. and sergt. m. o. may 25, 98; 2 lt. co. A, 52 regt. I. N. G. march 22, 99; capt. jan. 26, 03; examined feb. 26, 03.
28.	James E. Williams (Co. "K", 56th In- fty.) Born March 7, '79 in Iowa. Age 26. Rk. Mch. 9, 03.	pvt. co. K, 52 inf. Iowa vols. may 8, 98, mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. K, 52 regt. I. N. G. march 14, 99; sergt. march 14, 99; re-enl. March 14, 02; capt. march 9, 03; examined april 2, 03.
29.	Wm. H. Frost (Chap- lain 54th Infty.) Born March 1, '65 in Canada. Age 40. Rk. Apr. 8, 03.		Chap. 54 inf. I. N. G. april 8, 1903.
30.	Fred A. Moore (Co. "F", 54th Infty.) Born April 29, '75 in Iowa. Age 30. Rk. Apr. 20, 03.	q. m. sergt. co. F, 51 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; sergt. july 14, 98; 1 sergt. aug. 4, 99; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. F, 3 reg. I. N. G. may 22, 96; sergt. june 29, 97; m. o. may 30, 98; 1 lt. co. F, 51 regt. I. N. G., mar. 7, 00, tld. co. F, 54; capt. april 20, 03; examined june 4, 03.
31.	Lloyd D. Ross (Insp. S. A. P.) Born July 9, '76 in Iowa. Age 29. Rk. Apr. 27, 03.	corp. co. M, 51 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. M, 3 reg. I. N. G. june 28, 94; re-enl. july 16, 97; m. o. may 30, 98; pvt. co. M. 51 regt. I. N. G. nov. 21, 99; 2 lt. april 8, 01; exam. may 16, 01; insp. s. a. p. apr. 27, 03; exam. july 1, 03.
32.	Harry Kern (Quar- termaster 54th Infty.) Born Oct. 9, '77 in Iowa. Age 28. Rk. May 18, 03. Com. Mch. 29, 04.	q. m. sergt. co. C, 50 inf. Iowa vols., april 26, 98; mus. may 17, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	pvt. co. C, 2 regt. I. N. G. june 29, 95; dis. jan. 11, 96, enl. june 5, 96; m. o. may 17, 98; enl. co. "C" 50th rgt. I. N. G. feb. 13, 99, 2 lt. feb. 5, 00; 1 lt. and bat. adjt. mar. 4, 01; examined may 16, 01; capt. may 18, 03; ex- amined june 5, 03. capt. and q. m. 54th. inf. march 29, 04.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
33.	Arthur L. Rule (Quartermaster 56th Infty.) Born Jany. 4, '76 in Iowa. Age 29. Rk. May 28, 03.	1 lt. and bat. adjt. 52 inf. Iowa, vols., april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; res. july 7, 98.	pvt. corp. sergt. Shattuck school cadets, 92 and 93, capt. 94; mus. co. A, 6 regt. I. N. G. aug. 9, 87; trs. to co A, regt. april 30, 92; 4 regt. aug. 4, 92; 1 lt. and bat. adjt. 4 regt. oct. 14, 95; m. o. may 25, 1 maj. and asst. insp. gen. july 23, 98, res. dec. 26, 00, bat. adjt. 49 regt. I. N. G. dec. 24, 00; capt. co. C 49 regt. I. N. G. dec. 2, 01; examined dec. 19, 01; res. oct. 20, 02; capt. and Q. M. 56 regt. I. N. G. may 28, 03.
34.	Gray Warren (Co. "B", 56th Infty.) Born June 22, '74 in Ill. Age 31. Rk. July 28, 03.		pvt. co. B, 56 inf. I. N. G. july 28, 03; capt. july 28, 03; examined aug. 11, 03.
35.	Wilbur S. Conkling (Asst. Surgeon.) Born Sept. 17, '73 in Iowa. Age 32. Rk. Feby. 27, 04. Com. May 8, 05.	hosp. std. 51 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; 1 lt. and asst. surg. 51 inf. feb. 27, 99, mus. mar. 3, 99; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. H, 3 regt. I. N. G., mar. 18, 96; trs. to 3 regt. hosp. corps april 8, 98; m. o. may 30, 98; 1 lt. and asst. surg. I. N. G., april 11, 00. Com. explr april 11, 05; Re-appt. capt. and asst. surg. may 8, 05.
36.	John C. Myers (Co. "D", 55th Infty.) Born Oct. 13, '77 in Iowa. Age 28. Rk. Mch. 14, 04.	pvt. co. D, 51 inf. Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. D, 3 regt. I. N. G. apr. 23, 97; m. o. may 30, 98; 2 lt. co. D, 55 regt. I. N. G. jan. 12, 03; examined jan. 29, 03; capt. mch. 14, 04 exam. apr. 28, 04.
37.	Charles U. Frack (Regtl. Adjt. 54th Infty.) Born April 14, '70 in Iowa. Age 35. Rk. Mar. 26, 04.	2 sergt. co. C, 50 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. May 17, 98; 1 sergt. sep. 27, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	pvt. co. C, 2 regt. I. N. G. june 1, 95; sergt. feb. 17, 97; m. o. may 17, 98; 2 lt. co. C, 50 regt. I. N. G. feb. 13, 99; 1 lt. feb. 5, 00; res. July 3, 01; re-enl june 10, 02; batt. sergt. maj. aug. 10, 02; 1 lt. co. C, 54 inf. I. N. G. aug. 3, 03; examined aug. 27, 03. capt. regtl. adjt. 54th inf. march 26, 04, examined may 29, 04.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
38.	Edwin H. Brown (Commissary 56th Infty.) Born Jany. 20, 62 in N. Y. Age 43. Rk. Apr. 15, 04. Com. June 21, 04.	1 lt. and bat. adjt. 52 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. H, 6 regt. I. N. G. july 19, 86; ord. sergt. 4 regt. aug. 1, 92; 1 lt and bat. adjt. 4 regt. may 1, 95; com. of sub. 4 regt. july 8, 97; 1 lt and bat. adjt. 4 regt. april 26, 98; m. o. may 25, 98; 1 lt. and com. of sub. 52 regt. I. N. G. june 21, 99. com. expir june 21, 04; re-appt capt. and csy of sub. 56th. inf. june 21, 04.
39.	Stanley Miller (Commissary 54th Infty). Born March 29, '77 in Iowa. Age 28. Rk. Apr. 15, 04. Com. Dec. 24, 03.	pvt. co. D, 50 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 17, 98; corp. 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	pvt. co. D, 2 regt. I. N. G. feb. 21, 98; m. o. may 17, 98; 2 lt. co. D, 50 regt. I. N. G. feb. 15, 99; m. o. may 12, 02; elect. 2 lt. june 9, 02; exam. june 19, 02; comy, of sub. dec. 24, 03;
40.	Edwin S. Gelst (Insp. S. A. P.) Born March 15, '73 in Iowa. Age 32. Rk. Apr. 17, 04.	1 lt. co. B, 49th inf. Iowa vols. may 25, 98; mus. june 2, 98; m. o. may 13, 99.	pvt. co. B, 1 regt. I. N. G. april 8, 95; 1 sergt. july 27, 96; 1 lt. may 25, 98; m. o. june 2, 98; 1 lt. co. B, 49 regt. I. N. G. feb. 6, 00; insp. s. a. p. apr. 17, 04; exam. dec. 8, 04.
41.	George W. Ball (Co. "I", 54th Infty.) Born Feby. 16, '81 in Iowa. Age 24. Rk. May 9, 04.		4 years State Univ. pvt. co. I, 50 regt. I. N. G. july 9, 00; 2 lt. april 3, 01; exam. may 16, 01; 1 lt. june 22, 03; capt. co. I, 54 inf. may 9, 04; exam. june 21, 04.
42.	Elliott R. King (Asst. surg.) Born June 12, '69 in Iowa. Age 36. Rk. May 20, 04.		pvt. co. C, 2 regt. I. N. G. july 5, 92; corp. jan. 95; dis. june 10, 96; 1 lt. and asst. surg. I. N. G. may 20, 99; com. expir. may 20, 04; re-appt. capt. and asst. sur. may 20, 04.
43.	Bertram J. Price (Co. "G", 56th Infty.) Born Jany. 17, '78 in Penn. Age 27. Rk. June 13, 04.		pvt. co. G, 52 regt. I. N. G. mar. 1, 00; dis. aug. 9, 01; re-enl. july 13, 03; 2 lt. aug. 29, 03; exam. sep. 7, 03; capt. co. G, 56 inf. I. N. G. jun. 13, 04; exam. jun. 21, 04.
44.	W. Cornish Beck (Regtl. Adj. 56th Infty.) Born May 23, '81 in Iowa. Age 24. Rk. July 14, 04.		pvt. co. L, 56 I. N. G. june 9, 03; bat. sergt. maj. june 11, 03; 2d lt. co. L, 56 inf. I. N. G. oct. 14, 03; exam. jan. 28, 04; capt. and regtl. adjt. 56 I. N. G. july 14, 04. exam. nov. 14, 04.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
45.	Willard M. Flynn (Co. "H", 56th In- fty.) Born in Iowa. Rk. Sept. 12, '04.	capt. A, 49th Iowa vols. apr. 26, '98; mus. june 2, '98; m. o. may 13, '99, at Savannah, Ga.	pvt. co. A, 4 I. N. G. july 2, '90; corp. sep. 14, '92; co. trs. to 1 regt. apr. 30, '92; sergt. aug. 20, '94; 1 sergt. apr. 10, '95; re-enl. july 2, '95; re-enl. july 2, '96; 2d lt. may 7, '97; 1 lt. june 22, '97; capt. dec. 6, '97; m. o. june 2, '98; capt. H, 56 I. N. G. sept. 12, 1904; exam. nov. 14, '04.
46.	John G. Raichle (Co. "H", 54th In- fty.) Born March 12, '74 in Germany. Age 31. Rk. Sept. 12, '04.	corp. 6 Iowa batt. light art. vols. june 25, '98; mus. july 8, '98; m. o. sept. 5, '98.	pvt. co. F, 50 regt. I. N. G. july 16, '00; 2 lt. june 16, '02; co. trs. to co. H, 54 inf. nov. 26, '02; exam. aug. 5, '02; capt. sept. 12, '04; ex. nov. 22, '04.
47.	Harry C. Armstrong (Insp. S. A. P.) Born Feby. 24, '75 in Iowa. Age 30. Rk. Oct. 7, '04.	2 m. sgt. co. K, 52d inf. Iowa vols. mus. may 25 '98; m. o. Oct. 30, '98.	pvt. co. K, 4 regt. I. N. G. june 17, '94; re-enl. june 14, '97; m. o. may 25, '98; pvt. co. K, 52 regt. I. N. G. mar. 14, '99; sgt. july 8, '97; capt. may 28, '00; resig. jan. 28, '03; insp. s. a. p. Oct. 7, '04; exam. dec. 24, '04.
48.	R. D. Rutherford, (Co. L, 55th Infty). Born Nov. 30, '79 in West Virginia. Age 26. Rk. Oct. 28, '04.	pvt. co. L, 51 inf. Iowa vols. apr. 26, '98; mus. may 30, '98; mus. sept. 12, '99; m. o. nov. 2, '99.	pvt. co. L, 3 regt. I. N. G. apr. 23, '98; m. o. may 30, '98; pvt. co. L, 51 regt. I. N. G. jan. 18, '00; dls. dec. 6, '01; re- en. july 10, '02; 2 lt. sept. 22, '03; exam. oct. 9, '03; 1 lt. may 31, '04. capt. oct. 28, '04; exam. dec. 17, '04.
49.	Thos. A. Berkebile, (Co. C 53d Infty). Born June 9, '71 in Penn. Age 34. Rk. Nov. 25, '04.		pvt. co. H, 3 inf. Mo. N. G. from 91 to 94; capt. co. C, 53 inf. I. N. G. nov. 25, '04; exam. jan. 7, '05.
50.	Claude A. Baker, (Co. E, 54th Infty). Born July 22, '81. in Iowa. Age 24. Rk. Dec. 19, '04.	pvt. co. E, 50 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, '98; mus. may 17, '98; m. o. nov. 30, '98.	pvt. co. E, 2 regt. I. N. G. may 24, '97; m. o. may 17, '98; pvt. co. E, 50 regt. I. N. G. feb. 2, '99; re-enl. feb. 10, '02; re-enl. feb. 11, '03; 2 lt. july 6, '03; exam. sept. 16, '03; capt. co. E, 54 inf. dec. 19, '04; exam. jan. 7, '05.

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Number	Name, Date of Rank, Date of Commission, Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
51.	Guy S. Brewer, (Comsy. 55th Infty). Born Dec. 2, '75 in Ia. Age 30. Rk. March 27, '05.	pvt. co. H, 51 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; corp. june 20, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99 at San Francisco, Cal.	pvt. co. H, 3 I. N. G. apr 21, 98; m. o. may 30, 98; pvt. co. H. 51 I. N. G. feb. 15, 00; dis. may 21, 00; Ord. sgt. 51 I. N. G. sept. 1, 00; regt. sgt. maj. aug. 17, 01; comsy. of sub. 55th inf. mar. 27, 05.
52.	Louis E. Schmitt, (Co. H, 53d Infty). Born June 29, '72 in Wisc. Age 33. Rk. Apr. 7, '05.		mil. instr. at Wisc. Univ. during part of 92 and 93; mil. instr. Ia. State Normal School about 7 mos; pvt. co. H, 53 inf. I. N. G. apr. 7, 05; capt. apr. 7, 05.
53.	Charles P. Skemp, (Co. A, 53d Infty). Born Aug. 30, '75 in Ill. Age 30. Rk. Apr. 10, '05.	pvt. co. A, 49 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. june 2, 98; corp. dec. 1, 98; m. o. may 13, 99.	pvt. co. A, 1 regt. I. N. G. feb. 25, 98; m. o. june 2, 98; pvt. co. A, 49 regt. I. N. G. sept. 18, 99; sergt. sep. 18, 99; 1 lt. oct. 5, 01; exam. nov. 21, 1901; capt. A, 53 inf. apr. 10, 05; exam. june 16, 05.
54.	Ivan E. Ellwood, (Co. M, 55th Infty). Born Dec. 1, '76 in Ia. Age 29. Rk. Apr. 17, '05.	mus. co. M, 51 inf. Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; corp. june 20, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. M, 3 regt. I. N. G. oct. 18, 93; re-en. oct. 19, 96; m. o. may 30, 98; pvt. co. M, 51 regt. I. N. G. nov. 21, 99; corp. june 21, 00; sergt. july 31, 01; re-en nov. 21, 02; 2 lt. aug. 3, 03; exam. aug. 27, 03; 1 lt. jan. 23, 05; capt. apr. 17, 05; exam. june 16, 05.
55.	Harry G. Utley, (Co. D, 53d Infty). Born Jany. 4, '74 in Ia. Age 31. Rk. Apr. 25, '05.		pvt co D, 53d inf. I. N. G. apr. 25, 05; capt. apr. 25, 05; exam. june 16, 05.
56.	Joseph R. Fralley, (Co. A, 54th Infty). Born March 2, '76 in Iowa. Age 29. Rk. May 5, '05.	2 lt. co. F, 50 inf. Iowa vols. may 14, 98; mus. may 17, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	4 yrs. as pvt. corp. sergt. and capt. cadets State University; pvt. co. F, 2 regt. I. N. G. may 14, 94; corp. and sergt. 97; 2 lt. may 14, 98; m. o. may 17, 98; 1 lt. co. F, 50 regt. I. N. G. feb. 22, 99; bat. adjt. 50 regt. apr. 15, 99; app. reg. q. m. april 29, 01; exam. dec. 19, 01; resg. oct. 8, 03; capt. co. A, 54 inf. may 5, 05.
57.	Albert B. Deering, (Asst. Surgeon). Born July 27, '74 in Ia. Age 31. Rk. May 8, '05.	hosp. std. 49 inf. Iowa vols. may 20, 98; mus. june 2, 98; dis. jan. 10, 99.	2 years Iowa Agr. Col. 1 lt. and asst. surg. I. N. G. april 26, 00; com. explr. april 26, 05; re- appt. capt. and asst. surg. may 8, 05.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
58.	William Bell, (Co. I, 55th Infy). Born March 13, 56 in Oregon. Age 50. Rk May 25, '05.		1 sgt. 5th I. N. G. drum major aug. 20, 1888; to July 2, 91; 1 sgt. drum maj. July 2, 91 to July 5, 92; bat. adjt. 3 I. N. G. July 5, 92; m. o. May 98; pvt. co. 1 55 I. N. G. May 25, 05; capt. May 25, 05; exam. June 16, 05.
59.	George M. Johnson, (Co. M, 53d Infy). Born Oct. 10, '75 in Conn. Age 30. Rk. June 12, '05.	1 lt. co. M, 49 inf. Iowa vols. May 12, 98; mus. June 2, 98; m. o. May 13, 99.	4 years State Univ. of Ia. as pvt sergt. 1 lt. capt. 97; co. M, 1 regt. I. N. G. Dec. 14, 93; corp. sergt. 94 and 95; 2 lt. Aug. 8, 96; 1 lt. May 12, 98; m. o. June 2, 98; 1 lt. co. M, 49 regt. I. N. G. Jan. 17, 00; capt. co. M, 53 inf. June 12, 05.
60.	Harley B. Wilson, (Co. I, 56h Infy). Born Oc. 23, '75 in Ia. Age 30. Rk. June 12, '05.	sergt. co. I, 52 inf. Iowa vols. April 26, 98; mus. May 25, 98; m. o. Oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. I, 4 regt. I. N. G. April 9, 95; corp. and sergt. 98; re-enl. April 9, 98; m. o. May 25, 98; pvt. co. I, 52 regt. I. N. G. April 5, 99; 2 lt. May 24, 00; 1 lt. June 6, 01; exam. July 11, 01; capt. June 12, 05.
61.	Amos W. Brandt, (Co. F, 55th Infy). Born Aug. 24, '50 in Ind. Age 55. Rk. July 17, '05.	capt. co. M, 7 rgt. U. S. vol. inf. June 26, 98; m. o. Feb. 2, 99; capt. co. F, 32 rgt. inf. U. S. vols. July 5, 99; m. o. May 8, 01.	capt. co. F, 55 inf. I. N. G. July 17, 05.
62.	Harry H. Edwards, (Co. L, 56th Infy). Born Nov. 24, '75 in S. Dak. Age 30. Rk. Aug. 9, 05.	pvt. co. L, 52 Iowa vols. Apr. 26, 98; mus. May 25, '98; m. o. Oct. 30, 98 at Des Moines, Ia.	pvt. co. L, 4 regt. I. N. G. May 14, 96; trs. to 52 Ia. vols. Apr. 26, 98; re-enl. co. L, 52 I. N. G. Mar. 10, 99; corp. Mar. 10, 99; sgt. Nov. 22, 99; dis. Mar. 10, 02; re-enl. Mar. 10, 02; ser. Apr. 2, 02; dis. Nov. 26, 02; pvt. 1 sig. co. Mar. 28, 03; capt. June 28, 03; exam. July 1, 03; resig. Nov. 4, 03; re-enl. co. L, 56 inf. I. N. G. Nov. 14, 03; bat. sgt. Maj. Jan. 1, 04; regt. sgt. Maj. July 7, 04; 1 lt. co. L, 56 inf. I. N. G. Jan. 12, 05; capt. Aug. 9, 05.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
63.	Thomas C. Dalzell, (Co. L, 54th Infy). Born Aug. 15, '66 in Ill. Age 39. Rk. Sept. 5, '05.	capt. co. B, 50 inf. Iowa vols. april 28, 98; mus. may 17, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	pvt. co. B, 2 regt. I. N. G. oct. 29, 91; 1 lt. jan. 15, 94; capt. dec. 28, 96; m. o. may 17, 98; pvt. co. B, 50 regt. I. N. G. feb. 14, 99; capt. feb. 14, 99; maj. mar. 20, 99; res. july 7, 99; re-enl. july 31, 99; capt. sept. 11, 99; res. apr. 18, 01; re-enl. apr. 22, 01; trs. to co. L, 50 regt. I. N. G. jan. 2, 02; sergt. mar. 11, 02; bat adjt. feb. 20, 02; exam. apr. 24, 02; 1 lt. co. L, 54 regt. I. N. G. dec. 22, 02; capt. sept. 12, 03; exam. sep. 16, 03; resig. jan 3, 05; re-enl. as pvt. co. L, 54 inf jan. 28, 05; reg. q. m. sergt. july 7, 05; capt. L, 54 inf. sept. 5, 05.
64.	Charles W. Alkins, (Co. G, 55th Infy). Born March 19, '71 in Iowa. Age 34. Rk. Sept. 18, '05.		2lt. co. G, 51 regt. I. N. G. mar. 11, 01; exam. april 4, 01; 1 lt. jan. 12, 03; capt. sept. 18, 05; exam. dec. 7, 1905.
65.	Harry S. Parker, (Co. M, 56th Infy). Born Jany. 10, '80 in Iowa. Age 25. Rk. Sept. 22, 05.		military instr. at Iowa State Normal School 1 year; 2 lt. co. M, 56 I. N. G. dec. 26, 04; exam. feb. 23, 05; 1 lt. mar. 16, 05; capt. sept. 22, 05; exam. dec. 7, 1905.
66.	Clarence J. Miller, (Co. D, 56th Infy). Born Dec. 24, 71 in Ia. Age 33. Rk. Oct. 23, 05.	pvt. co. E, 52 Iowa vols. may 23, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98; at Des Moines, Ia.	pvt. co. D, 56 I. N. G. june 2, 04; sgt. june 27 04; capt. oct. 23, 05; exam. dec. 7, 05.
67.	Fred Dragoun, (Co. K, 53d Infy). Born July 1, 79 in Ia. Age 26. Rk. Oct. 24, '05.		pvt. co. K, 49 inf. I. N. G. dec. 6, 99; corp. jan. 28, 01; sergt. july 01; 1 lt. june 16, 02; exam. oct. 16, 02. capt. oct. 24, 05; exam. dec. 7, 1905.
68.	H. L. Triplett, (Co. K, 54th Infy). Rk. Oct. 24, '05.		capt. co. K, 54 inf. I. N. G. oct. 24, 1905; exam. dec. 7, 1905.
69.	W. S. Norton, (Co. C, 54th Infy). Rk. Nov. 20, 05.		capt. co. C, 54 inf. I. N. G. nov. 20, 05; exam. dec. 7, 1905.
70.	Herman Knapp, (Co. C, 55th Infy). Rk. Nov. 22, 05.		capt. co. C, 55 inf. I. N. G. nov. 22, 05.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

1.	Edmund A. Ringland (Bat. Adj. 56 Infty) Born Nov. 6, '74 in Ia. Age 31. Rk. June 21, '99. Com. June 21, '04.	capt. co. 1, 52 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. A, 4 regt. I. N. G. may 25, 91; co. trs. to co. I, 4 regt. apr. 30, 92; sergt. july 25, 92; 2 lt. feb. 5, 95; capt. aug. 17, 97; m. o. may 25, 98; 1 lt. and bat. adjt. 52 regt. I. N. G. june 21, 99; com. explr. june 21, 04; re-appt. june 21, 04; exam. june 21, 04.
2.	Conrad F. Helbig, Co. A, 56th Infty). Born Sept. 5, '70 in Mo. Age 35. Rk. Jan. 3, 00.	pvt. co. A, 52 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	3 years co. I, 5 regt. Ill. N. G. pvt. co. A, 4 regt. I. N. G. april 23, 98; m. o. may 25, 98; pvt. co. A, 52 regt. I. N. G. mar. 22, 99; corp. mar. 22, 99; 1 lt. jan. 3, 00.
3.	George L. Garton, (Bat. Adj. 55th Infty). Born Apr. 16, '77 in Ia. Age 28. Rk. May 15, '00. Com. May 22, '05.	sergt. co. H, 51 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; reg. q. m. sergt. mar. 29, 99; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. H, 3 regt. I. N. G. oct. 11, 92; corp. and sergt; m. o. may 30, 98; 1 lt. and bat. adjt. 51 regt. I. N. G. may 15, 00; com. explr. may 15, 05; re-app. bat. adjt. 55 inf. may 22, 05.
4.	Miles W. Newby, (Bat. Adj. 56 Infty) Born June 2, '68 in Ind. Age 37. Rk. June 6, '00. Com. Nov. 10, '03.		1 lt. co. M, 52 regt. I. N. G. june 6, 00; bat. adjt. nov. 10, 03; exam. dec. 17, 03.
5.	Lorle D. Perrine, (Bat. Adj. 54 Infty) Born Dec. 27, '75 in Ill. Age 30. Rk. July 16, '00. Com. Sept. 29, '04.	sergt. 6 bat. Iowa vols june 24, 98; mus. june 8, 98; m. o. sept. 5, 98.	pvt. co. G, 2 regt. I. N. G. july 1, 95; dis. sept. 27, 95; 1 lt. co. F, 50 regt. I. N. G. july 16, 00; 1 lt. and bat. adjt. 54 inf. sept. 29, 04.
6.	Seth Dean, (Eng. Officer). Born Oct. 20, '51 in Ia. Age 54 Rk. March 8, '01.		pvt. co. C, 5 regt. I. N. G. april 22, 79; corp. and sergt. 80 and 82; 2 lt. jan. 31, 87; term explr. jan. 31, 92; 1 lt. and eng. off. I. N. G. mar. 9, 01; exam. july 11, 01.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
7.	Sam C. Smith, (Bat. Adj. 55th Infy). Born Feby. 2, '68 in Mass. Age 37. Rk. July 30, '01.		2 years Iowa State Normal School, 2 yrs. State Univ. of Iowa; pvt. co. G. 51th regt. I. N. G. march 11, 01; 1 lt. and bat. adjt. 51 regt. July 30, 01; exam. Aug. 8, 01.
8.	Andrew M. McCormick, (Co. F, 53d Infy). Born Feby. 25, '79 in Ia. Age 26. Rk. Oct. 1, '01.	sgt. co. F, 49 inf. Iowa vols. April 26, 98; mus. June 2, 98; m. o. May 13, 99.	pvt. co. F, 1 regt. I. N. G. May 1, 95; re-enl. May 1, 98; m. o. June 2, 98; pvt. co. F, 49 regt. I. N. G. July 27, 00; 1 lt. Oct. 1, 01; exam. Nov. 21, 01.
9.	Vernon Forbes, (Co. A, 55th Infy). Born Jan. 15, '74 in Ill. Age 31. Rk. Dec. 10, '01.		pvt. co. A, 51 regt. I. N. G. Dec. 10, 01; 1 lt. Dec. 10, 01; exam. Dec. 19, 01.
10.	Frank K. Hahn, (Bat. Adj. 53 Infy). Born Oct. 24, '74 in Ia. Age 31. Rank June 15, '02.	1 sergt. co. C, 49 Iowa vols. June 2, 98; mus. out May 13, 99.	Cornell College Bat. 1890 to 1892; pvt. co. C, 1 regt. I. N. G. July 10, 95; sergt. Jan. 7, 97; 1 ser. April 5, 97 to May 13, 99; capt. co. C, 49 regt. I. N. G. Dec. 7, 99; re-slg. Nov. 30, 01; bat. adjt. June 15, 02; exam. June 19, 02.
11.	Fred C. Brooks, (Co. E, 53d Infy). Born Aug. 27 '74 in Kans. Age 31. Rk. June 23, '02.	pvt. co. I, 49 inf. Iowa vols. July 1, 98; mus. July 1, 98; m. o. May 13, 99.	pvt. co. E, 53 inf. I. N. G. June 23, 02; 1 lt. June 23, 02; exam. July 2, 02.
12.	Paul E. Bellamy, (Co. D, 55th Infy). Born Nov. 17, '79 in Ia. Age 26. Rk. July 15, '02.	5 cor. co. D, 51 inf. Iowa vols. Apr. 26, 98; mus. May 30, 98; dis. Aug. 6, 99.	pvt. co. D, 3 regt. I. N. G. July 11, 95; m. o. May 30, 98; pvt. co. D, 51 regt. I. N. G. June 23, 02; 1 lt. July 15, 02; exam. July 23, 02.
13.	Carl E. Frudden, (Bat. Adj. 53 Infy). Born Jan. 27, '79 in Iowa. Age 26. Rk. July 22, '02.	pvt. co. A, 49 Iowa vols. April 28, 98; mus. June 2, 98; dis. Jan. 23, 99, at Havana, Cuba.	pvt. co. A, 1 regt. I. N. G. June 15, 96; mus. out June 2, 98; pvt. co. A, 49 regt. I. N. G. June 17, 01; regt. sergt-maj. Nov. 20, 01; bat. adjt. July 22, 02; exam. Oct. 16, 02.
14.	Edward J. Rosenauer (Co. G, 54 Infy). Born Oct. 13, '81 in Ia. Age 24. Rk. Nov. 3, 02.		pvt. co. G, 50 regt. I. N. G. Feb. 24, 99; corp. Aug. 7, 00; sergt. Oct. 29, 01; 2 lt. Feb. 10, 02; 1 lt. Nov. 3, 02; exam. Feb. 20, 02.

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Number	Name Rank, Date of Rank, Date of Comm., Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
15.	George W. Sanders, (Bat. Adj. 53 Infty) Born Feby. 22, '75 in Ia. Age 30. Rk. Jany. 5, '03. Com. Feby. 3, '03.	1 sergt. co. G. 49 inf. Ia. vols. april 26, 98; mus. June 2, 98; 2 lt. dec. 14, 98; mus. out may 13, 99.	pvt. co. G, 1 regt. I. N. G. april 23, 94; corp. and sergt. 94 and 98; mus. out June 2, 98; 2 lt. co. G, 49 regt. I. N. G. July 2, 00; 1 lt. Jan. 5, 03; exam. Jan. 29, 03; bat. adj. 53, Feb. 3, 03; ex- am. Feb. 9, 03.
16.	Frank D. Grout, (Co. K, 56 Infty). Born Apr. 18, '78 in Ia. Age 27. Rk. Mar. 9, '03.	4 corp. co. K, 52 inf. Ia. vols. april 26, 98; mus. May 25, 98; m. o. Oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. K, 4 regt. I. N. G. april 12, 95; re-enl. a- april 23, 98; m. o. May 30, 98; pvt. co. K, 52 regt. I. N. G. april 9, 00; corp. april 9, 00; 1 lt. Mar. 9, 03; exam. april 2, 03.
17.	George M. Teed, (Co. C, 56 Infty). Born Oct. 17, '75 in Ia. Age 30. Rk. March, 30, '03.		pvt. co. C, 4 regt. I. N. G. Mar. 22, 95; corp. July 15, 97; re-enl. Mar. 22, 98; dis. May 18, 98; pvt. co. C, 52 regt. I. N. G. Mar. 16, 99; sergt. april 16, 00; re-enl. Mar. 27, 02; re-enl. Mar. 30, 03; 1 lt. Mar. 30, 03; exam. June 4, 03.
18.	Ben Baker, (Co. B, 55th Infty). Born Nov. 11, '70 in Ia. Age 35. Rk. Apr. 11, '03.	co. A, U. S. A. 2 inf. sept. 26, 91 to Oct. 29, 93; corp. Oct. 14, 93; pvt. co. K, 51 inf. Iowa vols June 13, 98; mus. June 13, 98; corp. June 20, 98; m. o. as pvt. Nov. 2, 99.	enl. co. B, 5 regt. I. N. G. 89 to 91; pvt. co. B, 3 regt. I. N. G. March 10, 94; trs. to N. C. staff as bat. sergt. Maj. Feb. 16, 96; dis. May 26, 98; pvt. co. B, 51 regt. I. N. G. Dec. 13, 99; re-enl. Jan. 10, 03; 1 lt. April 11, 03; exam. June 4, 03.
19.	James D. Mason, (Co. B, 54 Infty). Born May 20, '80 in Ia. Age 25. Rk. Apr. 13, '03.	pvt. co. B, 50 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. May 17, 98; corp. Sep. 19, 98; m. o. Nov. 30, 98.	pvt. co. B, 2 regt. I. N. G. June 8, 97; corp. and sergt. m. o. May 17, 98; pvt. co. B, 50 regt. I. N. G. Feb. 14, 99; corp. and sergt. 99; 2 lt. Mar. 5, 01; exam. March 7, 01; 1 lt. April 13, 03.
20.	Winfred H. Bailey, (Co. E, 56 Infty). Born July 21, '80 in Wisc. Age 25. Rank, May 7, '03.		pvt. co. E, 52 regt. I. N. G. June 16, 02; corp. June 16, 02; sergt. July 10, 02; 1 lt. May 7, 03; exam. June 4, 03.
21.	Volla W. Green, (Co. E, 54th Infty). Born Sept. 26, '74 in Ind. Age 31. Rank July 6, '03.	pvt. co. E, 50 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. May 17, 98; m. o. Nov. 30, 98.	one and one-half yrs. in Iowa Wesleyan Univ. pvt. co. E, 2 regt. I. N. G. June 29, 95; m. o. May 17, 98; pvt. co. E, 50 regt. I. N. G. Feb. 18, 99; re-enl. Feb. 19, 02; re-enl. Feb. 18, 03; elected 2 lt. Dec. 22, 02; 1 lt. July 6, 03; exam. Feb. 26, 03.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
22.	Pierre McDermid, (Asst. Surg.). Born Dec. 4, '75 in Ia. Age 30. Rk. July 23, '03.		enl. I. N. G. July 23, 00; app. hosp. stw. dis. ex. term. July 23, 03; app. asst. surg. July 23, 03.
23.	Roy A. Cook, (Co. L, 53 Infty). Born June 29, '79 in Ia. Age 26. Rk. July 24, '03.		4 years State Univ. of Ia. pvt. co. E, 49 inf. I. N. G. July 25, 00; m. o. May 10, 02; pvt. co. L, 49 inf. I. N. G. June 16, 02; sergt. June 16, 02; 1 lt. July 24, 03; exam. Aug. 13, 03.
24.	Frederic Larrabee, (Co. G, 56 Infty). Born Nov 3, '73 in Ia. Age 32. Rk. July 28, '03.		pvt. co. G, 56 inf. I. N. G. July 13, 03; 1 lt. July 28, 03; exam. Nov. 20, 03.
25.	H. Bert Speck, (Bat. Adj. 54 Infty). Born Dec. 17, '73 in Ia. Age 32. Rank Aug. 3, 03. Com. June 4, '04.		pvt. co. F, 51 regt. I. N. G. June 12, 00; sergt. Jan. 29, 01; q. m. sergt. July 1, 01; co. trs. to co. F, 54 regt. I. N. G. 2 lt. April 20, 03; 1 lt. Aug. 3, 03; examined June 4, 03; 1 lt. and bat. adjt. 54 inf. June 4, 04.
26.	Clyde H. DeAcres, (Co. G, 53 Infty). Born Oct. 6, '82 in Ia. Age 23. Rk. Dec. 14, '03.	musc. co. G, 49 inf. Iowa vols. April 26, 98; mus. June 2, 98; corp. Mar. 21, 99; m. o. May 13, 99.	pvt. co. G, 1 regt. I. N. G. Mar. 22, 97; m. o. June 2, 98; pvt. co. G, 49 regt. I. N. G. Sept. 21, 99; bat. sergt. Maj. Jan. 15, 02; re-enl. Oct. 15, 02; 2 lt. Jan. 5, 03; exam. Jan. 29, 03; 1 lt. Dec. 14, 03; exam. Apr. 28, 04.
27.	Albert S. Bowen, (Co. I, 53 Infty). Born July 28, '79 in Ia. Age 26. Rk. Mar. 8, '04.		pvt. co. I, 49 I. N. G. May 12, 00; lance corp. July 4, 00; corp. Sept. 11, 00; sgt. July 22, 01; q. m. sgt. Feb. 12, 02; co. trs. to co. I, 53 I. N. G. Nov. 26, 02; dis. May 12, 03; re-enl. May 22; 03; 1 lt. Mar. 8, 04; exam. Apr. 28, 04.
28.	Albert C. Johnston, (Co. B, 56 Infty). Born May 16, '80 in Ia. Age 25. Rk. Mch. 8, '04.		pvt. co. B, 51 I. N. G. Dec. 13, 99; dis. Dec. 13, 02; pvt. co. I, 54 I. N. G. Apr. 7, 03; trs. to co. B, 56 I. N. G. Sept. 5, 03; 1 lt. Mar. 8, 04; ex- amined Apr. 28, 04.
29.	John F. Ready, (Co. M, 54 Infty). Born Nov. 14, '72 in Ia. Age 33. Rk. Apr. 11, '04.		pvt. co. M, 50 regt. I. N. G. Feb. 21, 99; corp. Aug. 8, 00; 2 lt. April 29, 01; exam. May 16, 01; 1 lt. April 11, 04.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
30.	Ralph C. Williamson, (Bat. Adj. 54 Infy). Born Aug. 3, '78 in Ia. Age 27. Rk. Apr. 28, '04.	pvt. co. F, 50 inf. Iowa vols. may 14, 98; mus. may 17, 98; trs. co I, 50 vols. June 20, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	State University of Iowa, 4 years; pvt. co. I, 50 regt. I. N. G. mar. 6, 99; re-enl. mar. 7, 02; sergt. nov. 21, 99; 2 lt. July 6, 03; exam. aug. 11, 03; 1 lt. and bat. adjt. 54 inf. Apr. 28, 04.
31.	George M. Middleton, (Asst. Surg.). Born Nov. 19, '74 in Ia. Age 31. Rk. May 25, '04.		pvt. co. B, 2 regt. I. N. G. 1894 and 1895; 1 lt. and asst. surg. I. N. G. May 25, 04. May 25, 04.
32.	Grant Vickers, (Co. D, 56 Infy). Born Sept. 20, '73 in Ia. Age 32. Rk. June 2, '04.	1st. sgt. co. E, 52 Iowa vols. April 26, 98; mus. May 25, 98; wounded by accidental discharge of revolver Sept. 19, 98; m. o. Oct. 30, 98 as 1 sgt. at Des Moines Iowa.	pvt. co. E, 4 I. N. G. Jan. 25, 92; corp. July 92; sgt. Apr. 93; dis. Jan. 20, 97; re-enl. Jan. 25, 97; trs. to 52 Iowa vols. as 1 sgt. Apr. 26, 98; re-enl. co. E, 52 I. N. G. Mar. 13, 99; bat. sgt. Maj. June 30, 99; reg. sergt. Maj. July 15, 01; dis. Mar. 13, 02; pvt. co. D, 56 inf. I. N. G. June 2, 04; 1 lt. June 2, 04; exam. June 22, '04.
33.	C. Edgar Bartholo- (Co. C 55 Infy). Born ec. 24, '71 in Ohio. Age 28. Rk. June 28, 04.	pvt. co. H, 51 inf. Iowa vols. June 16, 98; dis. Feb. 18, 99; at Ames, Ia. dis. revoked Mar. 17, 99; m. o. Nov. 2, 99 at San Francisco, Cal.	military instr. at Iowa State Col.; pvt. co. C, 55 inf. I. N. G. June 28, 04; 1 lt. June 28, 04; exam. Aug. 10, 04.
34.	Frederick W. Hood, (Co. H, 56 Infy). Born Oct. 30, '69 in Canada. Age 36. Rk. July 11, '04.	1 sergt. co. H, 52 inf. Ia. vols. April 26, 98; mus. May 25, 98; m. o. Oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. H, 6 regt. I. N. G. May 18, 96; sergt.; re-enl. May 18, 96; re-enl. May 18, 97; re-enl. May 18, 98; m. o. May 25, 98; 1 lt. co. H. 52 regt. I. N. G. Mar. 10, 99; res. Nov. 16, 00; re-enl. Nov. 20, 02; 2 lt. Dec. 8, 02; exam. Feb. 26, 03; 1 lt. July 11, 04.
35.	Paul I. Van Order, (Bat. Adj. 55 Infy). Born Mch. 20, '79 in Ia. Age 26. Rk. July 14, '04.		pvt. co. L, 3 regt. I. N. G. July 16, 97; dis. May 28, 98; pvt. co. L, 51 regt. I. N. G. May 1, 00 dis. as sergt. April 29, 01; National Guard of Mo. May 12, 01; corp. June 1, 01; dis. June 30, 01; re-enl. co. L, 51 inf. July 13, 01; 2 lt. Dec. 23, 01; exam. Feb. 20, 02; 1 lt. April 22, 02; capt. Aug. 18, 03; exam. Oct. 9, 03; resig. April 20, 04; 1 lt. and bat. adjt. 55 inf. July 14, 04.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
36.	Charles F. Osler, (Co. F, 56 Infty). Born Mch. 30, '71 in Wisc. Age 34. Rk. Sept. 12, '04.		pvt. co. F, 52 I. N. G. feb. 14, 02; 1 lt. sept. 12, 04; exam. nov. 22, 04.
37.	Samuel A. Greene, (Co. L, 55 Infty). Born Nov. 22, '77 in Ia. Age 28. Rk. Oct. 28, '04.	pvt. co. L, 51 Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; m. o. nov. 2, '99 at San Francisco, Cal.	Council Bluffs High Schl. cadets ind. org. for 3 years; pvt. co. L, 3 I. N. G. april 23, 98; trs. to 51 Ia. vols. april 26, 98; pvt. co. L, 51 I. N. G. june 19, 00; dis. june 19, 03; re-enl. july 14, 03; dis. july 14, 04; re-enl. july 21, 04; 2 lt. may 31, 04; exam. june 22, 04; 1 lt. oct. 28, 04.
38.	Frank G. Woellhaf, (Co. H, 54 Infty). Born Aug. 1, '77 in Ia. Age 28. Rk. Oct. 31, '04.	pvt. 6 Iowa bat. lt. art. vols. july 7, 98; mus. july 8, 98; m. o. sept. 5, 98 at Des Moines, Ia.	pvt. co. F, 50 I. N. G. july 20, 00; corp. dec. 7, 00; sgt. oct. 5, 01; 1 sgt. june 16, 02; co trs. to co. H, 54 inf. I. N. G. nov. 26, 02; re-enl. july 20, 03; 1 sgt. 1 lt. oct. 31, 04; exam. nov. 22, 04.
39.	Joseph D. Liggett, (1st. Sig. Co.). Born June 12, 66 in Ia. Age 39. Rk. Dec. 27, '04.		pvt. co. A, 3 I. N. G. july 12, 86; corp. sgt.; 1 sgt.; re-enl. july 1, 91; insp. s. a. p. 3 rgt. I. N. G. oct. 4, 94; m. o. may 98; 1 lt.; 1 sig. co. dec. 27, 04; exam. feb. 23, 05.
40.	John H. Hildebrand (Co. "B", 53d Infty.) Born Apr. 7, '74 in Iowa. Age 31. Rk. Dec. 30, 04.	pvt. co. B, 49 inf. Iowa vols. may 6, 98; mus. june 2, 98; dis. jan. 1, 99.	pvt. co. B, 1 regt. I. N. G. may 6, 98; m. o. june 2, 98; pvt. co. B, 49 regt. I. N. G. feb. 6, 00; 2 lieut. april 29, 02; exam. june 19, 02; lt. dec. 30, 04.
41.	Frank H. Clements (Co. "L", 54th Infty.) Born Nov. 11, '71 in Iowa. Age 34. Rk. Jany. 30, 05.		pvt. co. L, 2d I. N. G. april 1, 92; re-enl. april 1, 95; corp. jany. 3, 96; re-enl. april 7, 96; re-enl. may 2, 97; sgt. july 26, 97; dis. may 17, 98; pvt. co. L, 50th I. N. G. june 23, 01; 2d lt. jany. 11, 04; exam. april 29, 04; 1st lt. jany. 30, 05.
42.	Charles Freeman Starr (Bat. Adj. 56th Infty.) Born Dec. 13, '76 in Iowa. Age 29. Rk. Mch. 24, 05.	1st. Sgt. Co. K, 52d Ia. vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98 at Des Moines, Ia.	pvt. co. K, 4th I. N. G. june 14, 94; dis. june 14, 97; re-enl. june 14, 97; m. o. may 25, 98; re-enl. co. K, 52d I. N. G. Mch. 14, 99; 1st. lt. Mch. 14, 99; resig. apr. 15, 02; 1st. lt. and bat. adjt. 56th I. N. G. Mch. 24, 05.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service
43.	Frank A. Burdick (Co. "H", 53d Infty.) Born Oct. 15, '72 in Iowa. Age 33. Rk. Apr. 7, 05.		pvt. co "E", 1st. I. N. G. aug. 8, 92; dis. aug. 8, 95; re-enl. co E, 1st regt. aug. 16, 95; enl. co. "H", 53d. I. N. G. april 7, 05; 1st. lt. april 7, 05.
44.	Alvin A. Agard (Co. "A", 53d Infty.) Born Aug. 19, '73 in Iowa. Age 32. Rk. Apr. 10, 05.	pvt. co. A, 49th Ia. vols. april 26, 98; mus. june 2, 98; corp. sept. 30, 98; m. o. may 13, 99 at Savannah, Ga.	pvt. co. A, 1st. I. N. G. july 9, 90; dis. july 25, 95; re-enl. july 9, 95; dis. july 11, 96; pvt. co. A, 49th I. N. G. sep. 18, 99; dis. sep. 18, 02 as 1st. sgt.; re-enl. oct. 13, 02; dis. oct. 13, 03; as 1st. sgt.; re-enl. oct. 14, 03; dis. oct. 14, 04 as 1st. sgt.; re-enl. oct. 15, 04; 2d. lt. sep. 19, 04; exam. feby. 23, 05 1st. lt. april 10, 05.
45.	Earle C. Hessler (Co. "M", 55th Infty.) Born Oct. 15, '78 in Iowa. Age 27. Rk. April 17, 05.	pvt. co. D, Nebr. vols. april 28, 98; mus. apr. 28, 98; dis. may 7, 99 as 1st sgt.	mil. instr. in Red Oak High School 93-94; mil. instr. in univ. of Nebr. 2 yrs. 96-97; pvt. Nebr. N. G. co. D, june 96; dis. april 28, 98 as corp. acct. mus. into U. S. vols. pvt. co. M, 51st I. N. G. nov. 21, 99; sgt.; dis. nov. 21, 02; re-enl. nov. 21, 02; dis. nov. 21, 03; re-enl. dec. 16, 03; 2d lt. jan. 23, 05; exam. feb. 23, 05; 1st. lt. april 17, 05.
46.	Jesse O. Young (Co. "D", 53d Infty.) Born in Iowa. Age. Rk. April 25, 05.		pvt. co. "D", 53d. Inf. april 25, 05; 1st. lt. april 25 05.
47.	Charles S. Krause (Asst. Surg.) Born Jan. 17, '76 in Iowa. Age 29. Rk. May 8, 05.		pvt. hosp. corps 50th I. N. G. june 22, 01; actg. hosp. stew. july 1, 02; dis. june 22, 04, expir. of term of enl.; pvt. hosp. corps I. N. G. june 23, 04, 1st. lt. and asst. surg. may 8, 05.
48.	Amos Horner (Asst. Surg.) Born May 17, '79 in Iowa. Age 26. Rk. May 8, 05.		pvt. hosp. corps on duty with 54th Inf. mch 23, 04, 1st. lt. and asst. surg. may 8, 05.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service
49.	William F. Ohlschla- ger (Co. "I" 55th In- Born Feby. 7, '63 in Ger- many. Age 42. Rk. May 25, 05.	1st. lt. co. G, 51st Ia. vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; capt. july 26, 99; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. G, 3d I. N. G. june 11, 92; corp. apr. 25, 93; sgt. aug. 24, 93; dis. june 29, 95; re- enl. july 1, 95; 1st. lt. june 29, 96; m. o. apr. 26, 98; pvt. co. I, 55th I. N. G. may 25, 05; 1st. lt. may 25, 05.
50.	Merton E. Sargent (Co. "I", 56th Infty.) Born Jan. 23, '75 in Iowa. Age 30. Rk. June 12, 05.	sergt. co. I, 52 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. I, 4 regt. I. N. G. april 9, 95; corp. and sergt. 97 and 98; m. o. may 25, 98; pvt. co. I, 52 regt. I. N. G. april 5, 99; sergt. apr. 5, 99; 2 lt. aug. 21, 01; ex- amined nov. 21, 01. 1st. lt. june 12, 1905.
51.	Gene J. Jensen (Co. "M", 53d Infty.) Born dec. 7, '81 in Iowa. Age 24. Rk. June 12, 05.		pvt. co. M, 49th I. N. G. may 17, 00; dis. may 17, 03 as corp.; re-enl. may 19, 03; dis. may 19, 05 as 1st. sgt.; re- enl. may 19, 05; 1st. lt june 12, 05.
52.	George M. Castle (Co. "E", 55th Infty.) Born Oct. 28, '78 in Iowa. Age 27. Rk. June 26, 05.		pvt. co. E, 51st I. N. G. dec. 12, 99; dis. dec. 12, 02; re-enl. dec. 16, 02; 1st. lt. june 26, 05.
53.	Burt E. Kennedy (Co. "H", 55th In- fty.) Born Feby. 22, '81 in Iowa. Age 24. Rk. July 17, 05.		pvt. co. H, 55th I. N. G. july 17, 05; 1st. lt. july 17, 05.
54.	John H. Steck (Co. "D", 54th Infty.) Born Oct. 4, '76 in Iowa. Age 28. Rk. July 21, 05.	3d. corp. D, 50th Ia. vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 18, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98 at Des Moines, Ia.	pvt. co. D, 2d I. N. G. sep. 20, 97; m. o. may 18, 98; pvt. D, 50th I. N. G. march 25, 01; m. o. with co. may 15, 02 as sgt; re-enl. may 29, 02; sgt. july 14, 02; re-enl. june 29, 05; sgt.; 1st. lt. july 21, 05. exam. dec. 7, 05.
55.	Thomas P. Hollowell, Jr. (Co. "A", 54th Infty.) Born Apr. 28, '78 in Iowa. Age 27. Rk. Aug. 28, 05.	pvt. co. F, 50th inf. Ia. vols. april 26, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98 at Des Moines, Ia.	pvt. co. F, 2d I. N. G. apr. 23, 98; trsf. to 50th Ia. vols.; pvt. co. F 50th I. N. G. feby. 22, 99; sgt.; dis. july 10, 00, m. o. of org. pvt. co. A, 54th Inf. may 3, 05; 2d. lt. may 5, 05; 1st. lt. aug. 28, 05.
56.	Fred D. Hudson (Co. "G", 55th Infty.) Born May 31, '76 in Iowa. Age 29. Rk. Sept. 18, 05.		pvt. co. G, 51 regt. I. N. G. mar. 11, 01; 2 lt. jan. 12, 03; examined jan. 29, 03; 1st lt. sep. 18, 05.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service
57.	Eric G. Knos (Co. "L", 56th Infty.) Born April 3, '74 in Sweden. Age 31. Rk. Sept. 25, 05.	musc. L, 52d Ia. vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98 at Des Moines, Ia.	pvt. L, 4th I. N. G. may 23, 96; m. o. may 25, 98; re-enl. co. L, 52d I. N. G. mch. 10, 99; corp. nov. 22, 99; sgt. april 4, 00; re-enl. march 10, 02; sgt. nov. 26, 02; 2d lt. dec. 28, 04; exam. feb. 23, 05; 1st lt. sep. 25, 05.
58.	John C. Bradbury (Co. "F", 54th Infty.) Born Dec. 4, '78 in Iowa. Age 26. Rk. Oct. 9, 05.		pvt. F, 3d I. N. G. may 22, 96; dis. may 21, 98; pvt. F, 51st I. N. G. june 18, 00; corp. july 4, 00; sgt. april 10, 01; co. trsf. to F, 54th I. N. G. nov. 26, 02; re-enl. june 18, 03; 1st. sgt. sep. 10, 03; re-enl. june 18, 04; re-enl. june 18, 05; 1st. lt. oct. 9, 05. exam. dec. 7, 05.
59.	Edward H. Relchmann (Co. "K", 53d Infty.) Born June 5, '67 in N. Y. Age 38. Rk. Oct. 24, 05.		pvt. co. K, 1 regt. I. N. G. may 12, 90; corp. co. K, 4 regt. oct. 10, 92; re-enl. may 12, 95; re-enl. may 25, 96; sergt. co. K, 1 regt. june 1, 96; re-enl. may 25, 97; dis. may 4, 98; pvt. co. K, 49 regt. I. N. G. dec. 6, 99; dis. dec. 6, 02; re-enl. jan. 5, 03; 2 lt. mch. 19, 03; exam. april 2, 03. 1st. lt. oct. 24, 05.
60.	Rudolph M. Anderson (Co. "I", 54th Infty.) Born June 30, '77 in Iowa. Age 28. Rk. Oct. 30, 05.	pvt. co. F, 52d Ia. vols. may 2, 98; mus. may 25, 98; corp. july 1, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98 at Des Moines, Ia.	mil. instr. cadet batt. univ. of Iowa 5 yrs.; pvt. co. A, cannoneer battery artillery june 00; 1st. sgt. battery june 16, 01; capt. june 9, 02; major sept. 25, 02 to feby. 12, 03; insp. s. a. p. univ. battn. feb. 12, 03 to june 03; asst. comdt. s. u. i. battn. actg. adjt. 2 mos. in 04; ph. b. univ. of Iowa 03; pvt. co. I, 50th I. N. G. july 9, 00; corp. jan. 1, 01; sgt. july 18, 02; q. m. sgt. aug. 2, 02; dis. july 9, 03; re-enl. july 10, 03; 2d. lt. may 9, 04; exam. june 22, 04; 1st. lt. oct. 30, 05.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service
61.	Chas. Tillotson, Jr. (Co. "F", 55th Infty.) Born August 14, '75 in Iowa. Age 30. Rk. Nov. 4, 1905.		pvt. F, 55th I. N. G. nov. 4, 03; corp. feb. 13, 04; q. m. sgt. jan. 1, 05; 1st. sgt. april 1, 05; 1st. lt. nov. 4, 05; exam. dec. 7, 05.
62.	George Luckhardt (Co. "C", 54th Infty.) Born June 30, '76 in Germany. Age 29. Rk. Nov. 6, 05.	pvt. co. C, 50th inf. Ia. vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 17, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	pvt. co. C 50th inf. feby. 13, 99; corp. july 26, 99; re-enl. feby. 13, 02; 2d lt. june 6, 04; exam. aug. 10, 04; 1st lt. nov. 6, 05.

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Second Lts.			
1.	Thomas F. Rutledge (Co. "K", 56th Infty.) Born Dec. 18, '73 in Wisc. Age 32. Rk. Dec. 23, 00.	sergt. co. K, 52 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. K, 4 regt. I. N. G. june 14, 94; m. o. may 25, 98; pvt. co. K, 52 regt. I. N. G. march 14, 99; 2 lt. dec. 23, 00.
2.	William W. Aldrich (Co. "F", 53d Infty.) Born Sept. 28 '77 in Iowa. Age 24. Rk. Dec. 3, 01.	pvt. co. F, 49 inf. Iowa vols. april 26, 98; mus. june 2, 98; corp. feb. 11, 99; m. o. may 13, 99.	pvt. co. F, 1 regt. sept. 22, 97; m. o. june 2, 98; pvt. co. F, 49 regt. I. N. G. sept. 25, 99; dis. sept. 7, 00; pvt. may 15, 01; 2 lieut. dec. 3, 01; exam. dec. 19, 1901.
3.	Edward M. Sheehan (Co. "L", 53d Infty.) Born Sept. 27, '79 in Iowa. Age 26. Rk. June 12, 02.		pvt. co. E, 49 regt. I. N. G. feb. 5, 00; m. o. may 10, 02; pvt. co. L 49 regt. I. N. G. june 16, 02; 2 lieut. june 16, 02; exam. july 2, 02.
4.	James L. Scripture (Co. "E", 53d Infty.) Born March 13, '70 in Iowa. Age 35. Rk. June 23, 02.		pvt. co. A, 1 regt. I. N. G. april 25, 92; dischg. jan. 8, 94; pvt. co. E, 49 regt. I. N. G. june 23, 02; 2 lt. june 23, 02; exam. july 2, 02.
5.	John H. Meier (Co. "G", 54th Infty.) Born Oct. 7, 78 in Ill. Age 27. Rk. Nov. 3, 02.		pvt. co. G, 50 regt. I. N. G. feb. 24, 99; corp. nov. 24, 99; sergt. aug. 1, 00; 2 lt. nov. 3, 02; exam. dec. 4, 02.
6.	Oliver W. Kulp (Co. "B", 54th Infty.) Born July 4, '74 in Iowa. Age 31. Rk. Apr. 13, 03.	pvt. co. B, 50 inf. Ia. vols. may 2, 98; mus. may 17, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98;	pvt. co. B, 50 regt. I. N. G. feb. 14, 99; re-enl. feb. 21, 02; 2 lt. april 13, 03; exam. june 4, 03.

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Number	Name, Rank, Date of Rank, Date of Comm., Date and place of birth and age.	Service	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service
7.	John A. Stewart (Co. "A", 56th Infy.) Born Feby. 22, '64 in Iowa. Age 41. Rk. June 15, 03.		pvt. co. A, 4 regt. I. N. G. July 4, 93; corp. June 10, 95; sergt. Sept. 28, 95; dis. May 7, 98; pvt. co. A, 52 regt. I. N. G. March 22, 99; sergt. March 22, 99; re-enl. March 7, 02; 2 lt. June 15, 03; examined July 1, 03.
8.	Norman J. Kissick (Co. "F", 54th Infy.) Born Dec. 22, '80 in Iowa. Age 25. Rk. Aug 3, 03.		pvt. co. F, 51 regt. I. N. G. March 19, 00; sergt. Sept. 21, 00; 1 sergt. July 1, 01; co. trsf. to co. F, 54 regt. I. N. G. Nov. 26, 02; re-enl. March 19, 03; 2 lt. Aug. 3, 03; exam. Aug. 27, 03.
9.	John F. Rau (Co. "C", 53d Infy.) Born Sept. 10, '80 in Penn. Age 25. Rk. Sept. 10, 03.		pvt. co. C, 49 I. N. G. Aug. 3, 00; corp. May 19, 02; sgt. March 9, 03, 1 sgt. May 18, 03; dis. Aug. 3, 03; re-enl. co. C, 53 inf. Aug. 5, 03; 2 lt. Sept. 10, 03; exam. April 29, 04.
10.	Holland M. Scott (Co. "G", 53d Infy.) Born Nov. 21, '67 in Iowa. Age 38. Rk. Dec. 14, 03.	2d. sgt. co. G, 49th inf. Ia. vols. April 26, 98; mus. June 2, 98; col. sgt. 99 at Savannah, Ga. July 4, 98; 1st. sgt. Dec. 31, 98; m. o. May 13,	pvt. co. G, 1st I. N. G. Nov. 26, 87; corp. May 90; sgt. May 90; dis. Nov. 26, 92; re-enl. Nov. 26, 92; re-enl. Nov. 26, 93; re-enl. Nov. 26, 94; re-enl. Nov. 26, 95; trsf. to 49th Ia. vols. as 2d. sgt. pvt. co. G, 53d I. N. G. May 19, 03; 2d. lt. Dec. 14, 03; exam. April 29, 04.
11.	Frank J. Lund (Co. "C", 56th Infy.) Born Feby. 5, '76 in Iowa. Age 29. Rk. Jany. 4, 04.		pvt. co. C, 52d I. N. G. May 21, 00; corp. Aug. 17, 01; sgt. Mch. 20, 03; dis. May 21, 03; re-enl. June 10, 03; sgt.; 2d lt. Jany. 4, 04; exam. Apr. 29, 04.
12.	Pollok J. Wallace (Co. "D", 54th Infy.) Born Oct. 19, '75 in Iowa. Age 30. Rk. Jan. 11, 04.		pvt. co. D, 2d I. N. G. June 22, 94; dis. June 22, 97; pvt. co. D, 50th I. N. G. Apr. 15, 01; dis. May 15, 02 muster out of co.; re-enl. co. D, 50th I. N. G. at re-org. May 29, 02; 2d. lt. Jan. 11, 04; exam. April 29, 04.
13.	Fred G. Stough (Co. "B" 56th Infy.) Born August 17, '81 in Iowa. Age 24. Rk. Mch. 8, 04.		1½ yrs. Iowa State College; pvt. co. B, 56th I. N. G. July 28, 03; sgt.; 2d lt. March 8, 04; exam. April 29, 04.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service
14.	Roy E. Brady (Co. "D", 55th Inftry.) Born March 29, '82 in Iowa. Age 23. Rk. Mch. 14, 04.		pvt. co. D, 51st I. N. G. dec. 11, 99; corp. and sgt; dis. dec. 11, 02; re-enl. dec. 11, 02; 2d. lt. march 14, 04; exam. april 29, 04.
15.	George M. Walker, (Co. "E", 56th Inftry.) Born Nov. 17, '72 in Mo. Age 33. Rk. Apr. 11, 04.	pvt. co. L, 52d Ia. vols. june 28, 98; mus. june 28, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98 at Des Moines, Ia.	pvt. co. E, 52d I. N. G. june 16, 02; sgt. june 16, 02; dis. dec. 26, 02; pvt. co. E, 56th I. N. G. july 1, 03; 2d lt. apr. 11, 04; exam. april 29, 04.
16.	Charles C. Cummings (Co. "M", 54th Inftry.) Born Oct. 23, '72 in Iowa. Age 33. Rk. Apr. 25, 04.	pvt. co. M, 50th inf. Ia. vols. may 17, 98; mus. may 17, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 99.	pvt. co. M, 2d. I. N. G. feby. 1, 97; trsf. to 50th Ia. vols. may 17, 98; pvt. co. M, 50th I. N. G. feby. 21, 99; corp. sept. 1, 00; sgt. may 31, 01; re-enl. feby. 21, 02; 2d. lt. april 25, 04; exam. aug. 10, 04.
17.	Jesse S. Kellihan (Co. "D", 56th Inftry.) Born Sept. 16, '81 in Iowa. Age 24. Rk. June 2, 04.	pvt. co. L, 50th Ia. vols. may 3, 98; mus. may 17, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98 at Des Moines, Ia. corp. co. K, 18th U. S. A. april 18, 99 to april 17, 02.	pvt. co. L, 2d I. N. G. May 3, 98; trsf. to 50th Ia. vols. may 3, 98; pvt. co. D, 56th I. N. G. june 2, 04; 2d. lt. june 2, 04; exam. june 22, 04.
18.	Francis A. Underwood (Co. "C", 55th Inftry.) Born May 24, '76 in Iowa. Age 29. Rk. June 28, 04.	pvt. co. F, 52 Iowa vols. may 1, 98; mus. may 25, 98; Lance corp july 1, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98 at Des Moines, Ia.	1 yr. Iowa State College; pvt. co. F, 52d I. N. G. mch. 15, 99; dis. july 27, 99; pvt. co. C, 55th I. N. G. june 28, 04; 2d. lt. june 28, 04. exam. aug. 10, 04.
19.	Thomas E. Harrington (Co. "H", 56th Inftry.) Born Aug. 10, '73 in Iowa. Age 32. Rk. Aug. 8, 04.	pvt. co. H, 52d Ia. vols. april 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; corp. july 1, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98 at Des Moines, Iowa.	pvt. co. H, 4th I. N. G. may 24, 97; trsf. to 52d Ia. vols. april 26, 98; re-enl. co. H, 52d I. N. G. mch. 10, 99; dis. mch. 10, 02; re-enl. mch. 20, 02; dis. mch. 20, 03; re-enl. mch. 20, 03; dis. mch. 20, 04; re-enl. mch. 20, 04; 2d. lt. aug. 8, 04. Exam. nov. 14, 04.
20.	Gustave G. T. Freberg (Co. "A", 55th Inftry.) Born July 14, '84 in Iowa. Age 20. Rk. Oct. 24, 04.		pvt. A 51st. I. N. G. dec. 10, 01; corp. feby. 20, 02; sgt. april 23, 02; 1st. sgt. feb. 4, 03; 2d. lt. oct. 24, 04; exam. dec. 12, 04.

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Number	Name, Rank, Date of Rank, Date of Comm., Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
21.	William F. Richmond (Co. "L", 55th Infy.) Born May 6, '82 in Iowa. Age 43. Rk. Oct. 28, 04.		2 yrs. member of High School Cadet co. pvt. co. L, 51st I. N. G. nov. 18, 02; corp. sept. 8, 03; sgt. may 25, 04; 2d. lt. oct. 28, 04; exam. nov. 22, 04.
22.	Henry A. Woellhaf (Co. "H", 54th Infy.) Born June 5, '75 in Iowa. Age 30. Rk. Oct. 31, 04.		pvt. co. F, 50th I. N. G. july 16, 00; corp. july 19, 01; sgt. nov 4, 01; q. m. sgt. apr. 8, 02; co. trsf. to co. H, 54 inf. I. N. G. nov. 26, 02; re-enl. july 16, 03; sgt. nov. 1, 03; 2d lt. oct. 31, 04; exam. nov. 22, 04.
23.	Fred L. Fisher (Co. "B", 53d. Infy.) Born Jany. 15, '80 in Iowa. Age 24. Rk. Dec. 30, 04.		pvt. co. B, 49 I. N. G. feby. 6, 00; sgt.; re-enl. feby. 6, 03; re-enl. feby. 6, 05; 2 lt. dec. 30, 04; exam. feby. 23, 05.
24.	William Smith (Co. "L", 54th Infy.) Born Dec. 10, '77 in Iowa. Age 28. Rk. Jany. 30, 05.		pvt. co. L, 54 inf. I. N. G. april 8, 03; corp. jany. 11, 04; 2 lt. jany. 30, 05; exam. feby. 23, 05.
25.	Edward O. Fleur (Co. "F", 55th Infy.) Born June 22, '74 in Sweden. Age 31. Rk. Mch. 24, 05.	musc. co. H, 51st Ia. vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; assign. to duty as priv. june 22, 98; corp. apr. 10, 99; m. o. nov. 2, 99 at San Francisco, Cal.	3 yrs. course at the Royal Swedish Military School at Stockholm, Sweden. pvt. co. H, 3d I. N. G. april 5, 98; trsf. to 51st. Ia. vols. april 26, 98; pvt. co. F, 55th I. N. G. feb. 27, 05; 2d. lt. mch. 24, 05.
26.	Samuel B. Culp (Co. "M", 56th Infy.) Born June 9, '76 in Iowa. Age 29. Rk. Mch. 30, 05.	pvt. co. C, 52d Ia. vols. may 6, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. C, 4th I. N. G. may 5, 98; trs. to 52 Ia. vols. pvt. co. M, 52 I. N. G. june 6, 00; dis. jan. 15, 01; pvt. co. M, 52 I. N. G. may 30, 01; dis. mch. 4, 02; pvt. co. M, 52 I. N. G. april 9, 02; dis. april 9, 05; re-enl. april 24, 05. 2d. lt. march 30, 05
27.	Levi F. Swaney (Co. H, 53d Infy.) Born April 9, '70 in Iowa. Age 35. Rk. Apr. 7, 05.		pvt. co. H, 53d I. N. G. april 7, 05; 2d. lt. april 7, 05.

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		U. S. Army	National Guard and Other Service.
28.	Charles H. Wunderlich (Co. "A", 53d Infy.) Born June 27, '80 in Iowa. Age 25. Rk. Apr. 10, 05.		military instr. at Iowa State College at Ames, pvt. co. A, 49th I. N. G. sep. 18, 99; dis. sep. 18, 02; re-enl. oct. 13, 02; dis. oct. 13, 03; re-enl. oct. 14, 03; sgt. nov. 27, 03; dis. oct. 14, 04; re-enl. oct. 15, 04; 2d. lt. april 10, 05.
29.	G. Ray Logan (Co. "M", 55th Infy.) Born Sept. 25, '80 in Iowa. Age 25. Rk. Apr. 17, 05.		1 yr. Nebr. Univ.; pvt. co. M, 51st I. N. G. mch. 12, 00; corp.; dis. mch. 12, 03; re-enl. april 1, 03; corp.; dis. april 1, 04; re-enl. april 30, 04; corp. and sgt.; 2d. lt. april 17, 05.
30.	Jesse G. Lewis (Co. "D", 53d Infy.) Born Aug. 26, '74 in Iowa. Age 31. Rk. Apr. 25, 05.		pvt. co. D, 53d inf. april 25, 05; 2d. lt. april 25, 05.
31.	Jay A. Conaway (Co. "K", 55th Infy.) Born Dec. 7, '75 in Iowa. Age 30. Rk. Apr. 26, 05.	1st. sgt. co. K, 55th Ia. vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99 at San Francisco, Cal.	pvt. co. K, 3d I. N. G. july 22, 93; dis. aug. 4, 96; re-enl. aug. 8, 96; dis. aug. 8, 97; re-enl. aug. 12, 97; trsf. to 51st Ia. vols. april 26, 98 as 1st sgt.; re-enl. co. K, 51st I. N. G. feb. 24, 00; 1st sgt. feb. 24, 00; ord. sgt. 51st I. N. G. aug. 17, 01; dis. feb. 24, 03; re-enl. mch. 11, 03; 1st. sgt.; 2d. lt. april 26, 05.
32.	Everett F. Heaton (Co. "I", 55th Infy.) Born Dec. 25, '77 in Ill. Age 28. Rk. May 25, 05.	pvt. co. G, 51st Ia. vols. june 14, 98; corp. oct. 1, 98; dis. july 1, 99 at San Fernando, P. I. to enlist in U. S. vols. pvt. co. G, 36th U. S. vols. july 4, 99; corp. july 25, 99; sgt. nov. 5, 99; dis. march 16, 01.	pvt. co. I, 55th I. N. G. may 25, 05; 2d. lt. may 25, 05.
33.	George L. Lawson (Co. I, 56th Infy.) Born Feby. 8, '79 in Iowa. Age 26. Rk. June 12, 05.		pvt. co. I, 52d I. N. G. june 23, 00; corp. jan. 1, 02; dis. june 23, 03; re-enl. july 3, 03; sgt. april 15, 05; 2d. lt. june 12, 05.
34.	Eugene W. DeFratlis (Co. "M", 53d Infy.) Born Dec. 12, 79 in Illinois. Age 25. Rk. June 12, 05.	pvt. co. K, 37th U. S. A. aug. 19, 99; 1st. sgt; m. o. feby. 20, 01.	pvt. co. M, 1st. I. N. G. jany. 8, 95; dis. mch. 31, 95; pvt. co. M, 53d. I. N. G. jany. 29, 03; sgt. feby. 2, 03; 2d. lt. june 12, 05.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service
35.	Harry E. Schriver (Co. "E", 55th Infy.) Born May 3, '81 in Kans. Age 24. Rk. June 26, '05.		pvt. co. E, 51st I. N. G. dec. 12, 99; corp. mch. 17, 02; dis. dec. 12, 02; re-enl. dec. 16, 02; corp. sgt. feby. 19, 03; 1st. sgt; 2d lt. june 26, 05.
36.	John F. O'Connell (Co. "H", 55th Infy.) Born March 13, '84 in Iowa. Age 21. Rk. July 17, '05.		pvt. co. H, 55 Infy july 17, 05; 2 lt. july 17, 05.
37.	George E. Whan (Co. "B", 55th Infy.) Born Oct. 21, '78 in Iowa. Age 27. Rk. July 20, '05.	pvt. co. B, 51 Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99 at San Francisco, Cal.	pvt. co. B, 3 I. N. G. apr. 5, 97; trs. to 51 Ia. vols. apr. 26, 98; re-enl. co. B, 51 I. N. G. dec. 13, 99; corp. dis. dec. 13, 02, re-enl. jan. 2, 03; sgt; 2 lt. july 20, 05.
38.	Herman C. Johnson, Co. I, 53 Infy). Born Aug. 29, '79 in Ia. Age 25. Rk. Aug. 9, '05.		pvt. co I, 49 I. N. G. feb. 8, 00; re-enl. feb. 26, 03; 2 lt. Aug. 9, 05; exam. dec. 7, 05.
39.	John L. Prichett, (Co. A, 54 Infy). Born May 10, '76 in Ia. Age 29. Rk. Aug. 28, '05.	2 sgt. F, 50 Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 17, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98 at Des Moines, Ia.	pvt. F, 2 I. N. G. feb. 26, 94; re-enl. feb. 26, 97; re-enl. mar. 15, 98; m. o. may 17, 98; re-enl. F, 50 I. N. G. feb. 22, 99; bat. sgt. maj. june 8, 99; dis. june 8, 02; pvt. co. A, 54 I. N. G. may 5, 05; 2 lt. aug. 28, 05; exam. dec. 7, 1905.
40.	Phil R. Wilkenson, (Co. G, 55 Infy). Born Sept. 30, '78 in Ia. Age 26. Rk. Sept. 18, '05.		pvt. co. G, 51 Inf. I. N. G. mar. 28, 01; sgt; re-enl. mar 28, 04; 2 lt. sept. 18, 05; exam. dec. 7, 05.
41.	Grant N. Spinden, (Co. I, 54 Infy). Born Mch. 4, '81. Age 24. Rk. Oct. 30, '05.		pvt. co. I, 50 I. N. G. mar. 6, 99; re-enl. mar. 7, 02; corp. july 18, 02; sgt.; may 24, 04; re-enl. mar. 7, 05; 2 lt. oct. 30, 05; exam. dec. 7, 05.
42.	Ralph Othmer, (Co. C, 54 Infy). Born July 18, '82 in Ia. Age 23. Rk. Nov. 6, 05.		pvt. co. C, 50 I. N. G. july 11, 01; sgt. feb. 17, 02; re-enl. july 11, 04; sgt. 2 lt. nov. 6, 05; exam. dec. 7, 05.
43.	Frederick J. Taylor, (Co. L, 56 Infy). Born April 17, '77 in England. Age 28. Rk. Nov. 8, 05.		pvt. co. L, 56 I. N. G. jan. 28, 03; L corp. apr. 17, 04; q. m. sgt. sept. 14, 04; red. to corp. at own request jan. 17, 05; reg. comsy. sgt. june 29, 05; 2 lt. co. L, 56 Inf. nov. 8, 05; exam. dec. 7, 05.

OFFICERS RETIRED SINCE LAST BIENNIAL REPORT.

Number	Name, Rank, Date of Rank, Date of Comm., Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
	ADJUTANT GENERAL With Rank Of BRIGADIER GENERAL. Byers, Melvin H.	pvt. co. B, 29 inf. Ia. vols. jan. 5, 64; m. o. aug. 10, 65.	2 lt. co. C, 5 regt. I. N. G. mar. 1, 80; 1 lt. aug. 1, 81; capt. jan. 2, 84; re-elect, feb. 4, 89; co. trs. to co. C, 3 regt. apr. 30, 92; re-elected capt. apr. 23, 94; maj. 3 regt. sept. 3, 95; adjt. gen. feb. 1, 98; re-app. feb. 1, 00; re-app. jan. 16, 02; term expir. feb. 1, 1905.
	COLONELS. Caughlan, Harry H. 54 Infy.	maj. 50 regt. Iowa vols. may 15, 98; mus. may 18, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	pvt. co. G, 2 regt. I. N. G. june 2, 87; sergt. and 1 sergt. 88 and 89; 1 lt. june 8, 91; capt. jan. 5, 94; maj. 2 regt. may 15, 98; m. o. may 18, 98; col. 50 regt. I. N. G. mar. 20, 99; com. exp. mar. 20, 04.
	LIEUTENANT COLONELS. Clapp, Samuel E. 53 Infy.	maj. 49 inf. Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. june 2, 98; m. o. may 13, 99.	pvt. co. H, 1 regt. I. N. G. mar. 31, 90; 1 lt. jan. 3, 91; trs. to co. K, 4 regt. apr. 30, 92; capt. mar. 13, 93; trs. to co. K, 1 regt. june 7, 94; maj. 1 regt. feb. 25, 96; mus. out june 2, 98; maj. 49 regt. I. N. G. mar. 26, 00; lt. col. may 10, 00; com. exp. may 10, 07.
	Haynes, Henry C. 50 Infy.	capt. co. E, 50 inf Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. in may 17, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98.	pvt. co. E, 2 regt. I. N. G. june 15, 85; corp. and 1 sgt. 88 and 89; re-enl. june 14, 90; 1 sgt. july 91; 1 lt. aug. 6, 91; cap. june 2, 92; reslg. dec. 16, 92; drum maj. 3 regt. july 23, 95; capt. co. E, 2 regt. june 26, 96; m. o. may 17, 98; capt. co. E, 50 regt. I. N. G. feb. 9, 99; lt. col. mch. 20, 99; reslg. sept. 1, 02.

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		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
	Parker, Sanford J. 56 Infy.	maj. 52 inf. Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. H, 6 regt. I. N. G. 80; corp. sergt. 82; 2 lt. sept. 9, 85; 1 lt. aug. 15, 88; capt. july 8, 91; co. trs. to co. D, 4 regt. april 30, 92; maj. 4 regt. feb. 26, 94; m. o. may 25, 98; lt. col. 52 regt. I. N. G. april 20, 99. com. expired apr. 20, 04.
	MAJORS. Dunlap, John A. 54 Infy.	capt. co. L, 50 inf. Iowa vols. may 10, 98; mus. may 17, 98; m. o. nov. 30, 98;	1 lt. co. A, 2 regt. I. N. G. mar. 31, 90; 1 lt. and bat. adj. 2 regt. mar. 12, 94; capt. co. L, 2 regt. may 10, 98; m. o. may 17, 98; maj. 50 regt. I. N. G. mar. 20, 99; com. expir. mar. 20, 04.
	Hilo Otto. 56 Infy.	maj. 52 inf. Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. A, 1 regt. I. N. G. april 23, 86; corp. aug. 1, 88; 2 lt. sept. 10, 88; capt. july 24, 91; co. trs. to co. 1, 4 regt. april 30, 92; maj. 4 regt. june 24, 97; m. o. may 25, 98; maj. 52 regt. I. N. G. april 20, 99; com. expir. apr. 20, 04.
	Hume, John T. Asst. Adj. Gen'l.	maj. 51 inf Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 30, 98; m. o. nov. 2, 99.	pvt. co. A, 3 regt. I. N. G. june 13, 82; corp. nov. 15, 82; 2 lt. july 30, 83; 1 lt. mar. 20, 86; adjt. 3 regt. mar. 24, 86 res. may 16, 88; cap. co. A, 3 regt. I. N. G. feb. 4, 89; asst. insp. gen. 1 brig. may 24, 90; res. july 1, 93; app. col. and asst. adjt. gen. sep. 21, 92; declined adjt. 3 regt. july 1, 93; maj. 3 regt. apr. 30, 97; m. o. may 30, 98; insp. s. a. p. may 21, 00; asst. insp. gen. dec. 24, 00; maj. and asst. Adj. Genl. apr. 15, 04; exam. June, 15, 04; term exp. apr. 1, 05.
	Lee, Jesse W. 53 Infy.	capt. co. C, 52 inf. Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. C, 6 regt. I. N. G. 88; corp. 90; 2 lt. mar. 16, 91; 1 lt. dec. 31, 91; co. trs. to co. C, 4 regt. apr. 30, 92; capt. dec. 14, 95; m. o. may 25, 98; capt. co. C, 52 regt. I. N. G. mar. 16, 99; maj. 52 regt. may 8, 99; com. expir. may 8, 04.

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OFFICERS RETIRED—CONTINUED.

Number	Name, Date of Rank, Date of Commission, Date and place of birth and age.	Service.	
		U. S. Army.	National Guard and Other Service.
	Odle, David M. 56 Infty.	capt. co. E, 52 Inf. Iowa vols. apr. 26, 98; mus. may 25, 98; m. o. oct. 30, 98.	pvt. co. E, 6 regt. I. N. G. june 25, 91; 1 sergt. april 92; co. trs. to co. E, 4 regt. apr. 30, 92; 1 lt. june 5, 93; capt. july 22, 95; m. o. may 25, 98; capt. co. E, 52 regt. I. N. G. mar. 13, 99; maj. 52 regt. may 10, 00; com. expir. may 10, 05.
	CAPTAIN. Emery, Daniel A. Regt. Adj. 54 Infty.		pvt. co. B, University bat. State Univ. of Iowa, 81; pvt. co. G, 2 regt. I. N. G. apr. 19, 84; corp. sgt. 1 sgt. 85, 86 and 87; 2 lt. july 15, 87; 1 lt. june 4, 88; capt. mar. 21, 90; resig. dec. 20, 93; capt. and q. m. 1 brig. jan. 11 97; capt. and regtl. adj. 50 rgt. april 1, 99; re-sig. mar. 31, 04.

SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS NATIONAL GUARD FUND.

Summary of disbursements made from the National Guard Fund from Nov. 30th, 1903, to Nov. 30th., 1905. (Itemized Statement Filed With The Governor).

Salaries and clerk hire	\$ 5,555.00
Telegraph and telephone	81.86
Express, freight and cartage	2,309.62
Drill pay	29,168.15
Armory rent, fuel and light, postage and stationary	30,463.88
Inspections, expenses and per diem	2,560.55
Camp pay	30,064.37
State Rifle Range, pay details and rifle teams	5,059.05
Transportation	2,579.40
Subsistence annual camp	219.89
Subsistence rifle range	622.76
Allowance for Company Rifle Ranges	1,830.00
Cleaning and repairing clothing etc.	196.10
Physical examinations	1,361.18
Miscellaneous expense	1,025.41
Miscellaneous expense State Rifle Range	716.75
Pay members examining boards	675.54
Miscellaneous expense annual camps	6,025.50
Uniforms	4,894.40
Total	\$ 125,409.41
Balance in fund Dec. 1, 1903	6,831.14
Appropriation Mar. 10, 1904	10,000.00
Appropriation Apr. 15, 1904, pro rata to June 30, 1904	2,635.42

Appropriation to June 30, 1905	70,000.00
Appropriation to June 30, 1906	70,000.00
Cash turned into State Treasury for sales of stores and for net refunds	4,758.07
Total	\$164,224.63
Total expenditures	\$125,409.41
Balance on hand Nov. 30, 1905	\$ 38,815.22

STATEMENT OF DISBURSEMENTS ARSENAL RENT FUND.

Disbursements from Nov. 30, 1903, to Nov. 30, 1905 in Temporary Arsenal Fund, appropriated under Sec. 20, Chapter 146, Laws of 1904. (Itemized statement filed with the Governor).

Total \$ 1,417.28

CLASSIFIED AND ITEMIZED STATEMENT

Of Expenditures for the office of Adjutant General from November 30, 1903, to November 30, 1905, inclusive —Purchase and improvement permanent camp ground—Chapter 151, Laws of 1904.

DATE.	TO WHOM PAID.	FOR WHAT.	AM'T.
1904.			
July 11	Maggie Wilson,	Purchase of a permanent camp ground for the Iowa National Guard.	\$ 6,666.67
11	Maggie Wilson, guardian,	Same	13,333.33
29	J. Howard Henry,	Abstract of title S.-W. $\frac{1}{4}$ 27, 78, 24	33 00
Dec. 17	Lt. Seth Dean, Eng. Officer.	Services self and assistants and expense while making survey of camp ground	43.70
1905.			
May 3	Iowa Seed Company,	Grass seed for seeding camp ground	53 36
June 24	Frost Pressed Brick Co.	Brick for foundation store room on ground	6 00
July 5	B. Schreiner, C. E.	Services as civil engineer camp ground	6.85
8	A. J. Danielson,	22 days labor on camp ground	38 50
19	Carr & Adams Co.	Paroid for roofing store room	63 00
19	Ewing & Jewett	Lumber for improvements	111.30
19	Dempster Mfg. Co.	Tanks, pumps, hose etc. for camp ground	61 40
19	St. John & Barquist Co.	Tanks, urinal troughs etc. for camp grounds.	79 00
19	Garver Hardware Co.	Hdw. paints, oils etc. for camp grounds	28 55
19	Martin, Culbertson Co.	Splicing flag pole for camp gr'd	12 50
Oct. 5	Matthews & Woolgar Carriage Co.	Iron bands for splicing flag pole for camp ground	1 25
5	Dempster Mfg. Co.	Erecting tank State camp gr'd ..	7.89
		Total	\$20,545 70

CLASSIFIED AND ITEMIZED STATEMENT

Of Gray Uniform Fund for the office of Adjutant General from November 30, 1903, to Nov. 30, 1905, inclusive. Paid from appropriation under Chapter 153, Laws 26th G. A.

DATE.	TO WHOM PAID.	FOR WHAT.	AM'T.
1904.		Balance in fund Dec, 1, 1903.....	\$ 804 25
May 19 1905.	Mary E. Brenton, widow of Wm. H. Brenton, Co. D, 2nd Inf.	Gray uniform \$ 14.2 ⁵	
Oct. 30	James Owens, Co. G, 3rd Inf.	Gray uniform..... 14.25	28 50
		Balance in fund Nov. 30, 1905	\$ 775 75

INSPECTOR GENERAL'S REPORT.

OFFICE;
INSPECTOR GENERAL.

DES MOINES, IA. SEPT. 1, 1905.

The Adjutant General of Iowa.

SIR,—In compliance with S. O. No. 88, A. G. O. Des Moines, Iowa, July 6th. 1905, I attended the annual regimental encampments of the Iowa National Guard for the year 1905 on the following dates, to-wit:

The 56th. Infantry July 11th, 12th. and 13th.

The 53rd. Infantry July 20th, 21st, and 22d.

The 54th. Infantry July 29th. 30th. and 31st.

The 55th. Infantry August 7th. 8th. and 9th.

and in compliance with said order I have the honor to submit the following observations and recommendations for the information and consideration of the Commander-in-Chief.

The dates named in the case of each regiment were the three last days of their respective camps and included the day set for the review of the regiment by the Commander-in-Chief, and the last day in camp, or rather, the day in which the camp was broken up. During this time I was also charged with the duty of mustering each organization in the several camps.

Par. II of the special order directing this service says:

"This officer will confine himself to an *inspection of observation* as to the drill, discipline, care and conduct of the troops, the issue and care of rations, care of public property, sanitation and such other observations as shall enable him to make a complete report of the troops in camp for the information of the Commander-in-Chief."

The duties imposed under the order and the very limited time allowed both *prohibited* and precluded the possibility of arriving at any but the most general idea of the efficiency of the several commands and hence this report must be of a general rather than of a specific nature. Taking the subjects mentioned to be reported upon in their order, we may treat the "drill, discipline care and conduct of the troops" as one subject, and under this head I remark:

• First.—The drills were mostly conducted by company and battalion and the different units of the commands were occupying drills grounds widely separated so that it was impossible, except in the most general way to observe their movements or judge of their proficiency or progress. However, I noted with satisfaction that *with a few exceptions* the drill hours were being utilized for the purpose for which they were intended

viz: a time of *work* and not a time of *rest*, in other words, most of the organizations kept "faithfully at it" until recall sounded. This is a most encouraging feature, for, as field officers especially have but this one opportunity during the year to either exercise direct command or demonstrate their theoretical knowledge, they should make the most of it. This does not mean that the enlisted men of their commands should be worked to exhaustion, but that every moment of the short time allotted for field instruction should be profitably employed.

Presuming that the term "drill" in this connection includes ceremonies, I would say that, as usual, the ceremonies of Guard Mounting, parade and review were creditably performed by all the regiments, although some of the formations were slow and there were noticable errors in the matter of distances in column and intervals between companies and battalions in line.

The 56th. regiment had "Shelter tent" drill by battalions as a regular exercise and part of the field instruction. The 55th. regiment gave an exhibition of this drill, by regiment, at the close of the review of the regiment by the Commander-in-Chief.

As the whole force is now equipped with the shelter tent the instruction in this drill should receive the attention of company officers throughout the entire command. It can be readily taught in the armory at the company stations.

Second.—Discipline was fairly well maintained in most of the organizations, and the camps were quiet and orderly and military courtesies were generally observed. It was evident, however, that there were a large number of enlisted men, including non-commissioned officers who were not properly instructed in this respect.

CARE AND CONDUCT OF TROOPS.

Third.—Not being present at the time of the arrival of the regiments in camp I can make no report on their care and conduct enroute, but during my official stay in the several camps I observed no lack of care on the part of the company officers for their men and they seemed to be supplied with all the necessities of a soldier in camp and, with few exceptions, were conducting themselves in a soldierly manner and devoting their time to the performance of their military duties. In this connection I may remark that I was pleased to observe a more careful attention, on the part of company commanders, to the police of their company streets and supervision of their company kitchens than heretofore, in fact, so satisfactory was the police arrangements and care of the field kitchens of one or two of the regiments that Major Deshon (the Major Surgeon of the 11th. U. S. Cavalry stationed at Fort Des Moines) an officer of wide experience both in the line and the medical department who kindly consented to accompany me on my tour of inspection, said to me that he had never seen better policed or regulated field kitchens in the regular establishment. I mention this circumstance because this is a subject to which the Inspector General's Department has been giving **special attention during the last three years**, and it is gratifying to the

department and *very encouraging* to the organization to receive such commendation from an officer and professional soldier of Major Deshon's rank and experience.

THE ISSUE AND CARE OF RATIONS.

Under this head I remark that in accordance with my recommendation in report of last year's encampments, a commissary and quartermaster store house had been built near the camp site thus affording much better facilities for supplying the troops with the necessary commissary and quartermaster stores and especially facilitating the prompt issue of rations to the companies.

An inspection was made of the commissary and quartermaster store house during the camp of each regiment and in each case the officers and non-commissioned officers of these departments were found attending to their respective duties in an intelligent and soldierly manner, and a careful inspection of rations and inquiry of the non-commissioned officers in charge of company kitchens demonstrated in each case that the command was being promptly supplied with the full allowance of rations of good quality. Careful observation and inquiry as to the amount and quality of rations being issued to the several commands developed no complaint worthy of mention. My observation was that in most cases, the ration was sufficient, of good quality, properly cared for, well cooked and served.

THE CARE OF PUBLIC PROPERTY.

The Commissary and Quartermaster store house before mentioned afford a very convenient and commodious place for the storing and care of public property during encampments, but is not of a sufficiently permanent character, in its present condition, to provide safe storage during the whole season.

My observation was that most company commanders were talking proper care of government property in their charge.

Upon inquiry as to whether property has been receipted for by regimental quartermasters and to them by company commanders, I found that the quartermasters of some of the regiments had receipted for no public property and neglected or declined to do so on the ground that the property was not properly turned over to them and the distribution of it, to company commanders was in charge of a non-commissioned officer of the Adjutant General's Department. The General Order establishing the camps of 1905 provided that regimental commanders were to have full control of their respective camps and were to be held responsible for the care of property, and the efficiency and conduct of their commands. Under this order it would seem that the entire equipment and supplies for the camp should have been turned over to the regimental commander for such distribution as he might direct; otherwise he could not reasonably be held responsible for the care and preservation of public property used by his command.

SANITATION.

Semi-permanent latrines were constructed for the use of the troops this year and served their purpose fairly well, but, if they are to be continued, in use, some more sanitary method should be adopted for disposing of their contents, as in emptying them into the scavenger cart more or less of the fecal matter was dumped upon the ground and produced a foul and unsanitary condition about the latrines. Precautions were taken against this becoming offensive by liberal applications of lime, but the system was neither sanitary or satisfactory.

If the ground that has been used for camp purposes for the camps of 1904 and 1905 is to be continued in use for that purpose, some proper drainage system should be installed. It would seem that the ravine on the west side of the camp ground might be utilized as the main conduit and lateral drains from the camp grounds proper run into it, thus affording a very satisfactory drainage system at a minimum cost.

A building and equipment for shower baths was installed this year but were not completed in time for the use of the first troops in camp. The lateral drain from the bath house was not extended far enough and as a consequence the waste water accumulated in it and became very stagnant and foul, a condition that I called attention to several times, but without any apparent effect, for I found the same condition existing upon an inspection at the close of the last camp.

The medical officers and detachments with all the regiments were, as usual, energetic and efficient in the discharge of their duties, and there was very little sickness of a serious nature in any of the regiments.

A careful inspection at the close of each camp after the troops had left, demonstrated that more care than heretofore had been exercised by all the regiments in the police of all the ground before leaving it. Tents were rolled, tent floors taken out and turned over and the ground inside the tents well policed. In one or two instances I found that the bath house and the ground about it had not received proper attention in this respect.

REVIEWS BY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

The Commander-in-Chief accompanied by his staff reviewed each regiment during its tour of camp duty. The ceremony of review was very creditably performed by all the regiments. Upon the invitation of Colonel Bishop, Colonel Thomas commanding the 11th. U. S. Cavalry stationed at Fort Des Moines, accompanied by his staff, joined the Commander-in-Chief in his review of the 54th. regiment. In the interest of promoting friendly acquaintance between the officers of the regular establishment and the National Guard, such courtesies should be more frequently extended, for Colonel Thomas and all his officers have shown themselves very friendly and cordial in their attitude toward the officers of our service. Personally I am under many obligations to them for favors received and interest shown in the work of the Inspector General's Department.

The First Signal Company, Captain Domback commanding, encamped with the 55th. regiment, and under command of this energetic and

competent officer again demonstrated the great value of this branch of the service, by installing telegraph, telephone and electric light plants. Power for this service was furnished by a traction engine, and a field telephone switchboard, constructed by the company, was in operation. The service of the company in all respects, so far as opportunity was afforded to observe it, was very creditable.

GUARD DUTY SHOWS SOME IMPROVEMENT.

A noticable improvement in the performance of Guard Duty was observed. This was no doubt due to the interest aroused by requiring this, the most important duty of a soldier, to be studied and demonstrated by each company at its station inspection last winter. Heretofore it has been a much neglected part of the instruction of the non-commissioned officers and enlisted men of most of the companies. The performance of this duty was, however, far from perfect and the necessity for continued instruction and drill in it was very apparent.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

I again call attention to the lack of proper transportation facilities, for both passengers and baggage, between the city of Des Moines and the camp grounds. The service rendered by the street railway company between the city and the camp ground, was if possible, less adequate or satisfactory this year than last, and was the subject of many complaints. The cars were few and crowded, the running time was very slow, the employees of the company were discourteous and disobliging, and little or no attention was paid to the requirements or comforts of their patrons. The street railway company, on whom the state officials must necessarily depend for this service, seem to be entirely oblivious and indifferent to the benefits of the location of the permanent camp ground near Des Moines and, so far, have exhibited no disposition to co-operate with the authorities by providing suitable and adequate facilities for the transportation of the troops, people and baggage.

I would therefore recommend that if this condition is not changed and ample and satisfactory facilities are not provided or guaranteed by them before the next annual encampments, that the present camp grounds be disposed of by sale or otherwise and the permanent camp be located elsewhere.

I recommend that some better method be adopted for disposing of the sewage and garbage so that the ground about the latrines and kitchens may be kept in a more sanitary condition.

As the annual encampments afford the only opportunity of demonstrating and judging of the relative proficiency of the several organizations and officers in field and camp duties, I recommend that the practice of having inspecting officers on duty in all the camps during the entire tour of each regiment be resumed, and that they be authorized and directed to observe, inspect and mark all organizations, and especially field and company officers on their proficiency in field and camp duty. I make this recommendation, not only because I believe it to be the best method for judging of the efficiency of the several organizations in field

service but because many of the line and field officers of all the regiments expressed to me their disappointment and regret that the inspections and markings for proficiency in field and camp duty had been discontinued.

There are, of course, a few weak officers and organizations who naturally object to being inspected anywhere at any time, but it is safe to say that, as a rule, the money spent by the state on such officers and organizations is wasted, and it is to prevent the continuance of such waste of time and money on the part of the state, that such inspections should be had.

I recommend that encampments by regiments be continued and that the regimental commander, the adjutant, the quartermaster, the commissary and a sufficient detail of non-commissioned officers and privates be ordered to report for duty at least two days before the beginning of their respective camps, and that all the equipment and supplies necessary to establish their camps be turned over to the regimental commanders and that they be charged with the duty and responsibility of laying out their several camps and the care and conduct of their regiment during the tour of camp duty.

I recommend that hereafter on the occasion of reviews by the Commander-in-Chief, his staff in the matter of uniform conform to the dress of the troops, as is done in the regular establishment.

Very respectfully,

Jno. R. Prime,
Colonel, Inspector General.

DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 18, 1906.

Adjutant General, Des Moines, Iowa.

SIR—I have the honor to submit the inclosed report.

Wilton McCarthy,
Surg. Gen., I. N. G.

Reasons why the Surgeon General of the Iowa National Guard should be selected from the Senior Medical Officers of the Guard:

1. *To avoid an inefficient Medical Department.*

To avoid camp diseases and to keep troops always fit to march and to fight, requires that a medical officer be a specialist in the two professions of medicine and arms. He must possess skill in military hygiene, military medicine and military surgery, be trained in the complex system of book-keeping and record making necessary to shelter, feed, clothe, pay, transport, transfer, discharge, pension, and enter military patients shifted about by the vicissitudes of war, and he must be fully conversant with all the varying daily features of a soldier's life. This knowledge can only be gained by several years of service with troops.

A Surgeon General who has not had this training, labors under the same disadvantage in handling his department that a Colonel without previous military experience would encounter on taking command of a regiment. Each would be obliged to depend wholly upon a subordinate

whose judgment and loyalty might be good or bad. An efficient department in any business requires an efficient head. It is especially true of the Medical Department of an Army. To appoint an untrained Surgeon General is unjust to him, unjust to the department as a whole, and can result only in a break-down when the day of strain arrives.

2. *To encourage zeal on the part of other medical officers.*

Under the present system a medical officer may serve five, ten, or fifteen years but he can never rise beyond a regimental surgeon. With each change of administration, he sees a new and usually an untrained head placed over him. He witnesses needless mistakes and lapses; he becomes apathetic and finally leaves the guard in disgust. His services are lost to the State just when experience is making them most valuable.

A regular flow of promotion, *in which efficiency alone should count*, so that an intelligent, active medical officer might look forward to passing through all the grades from Assistant Surgeon to Surgeon General, would do much to arouse the medical department from its present indifference and to prevent the spectacle of medical officers intentionally absenting themselves from the yearly encampments.

SUGGESTED CHANGES.

1. Select the Assistant Surgeon General from the Senior Regimental Surgeons.

2. Require the Assistant Surgeon General to perform the duties of Medical Inspector of the Guard, visiting each camp for two or more days and making reports to the Surgeon General of comparative sanitary conditions and of the relative efficiency of the medical personnel.

3. Promote the Assistant Surgeon General to the position of Surgeon General when a vacancy occurs. By this means the head of this most important department will have had the technical training and personal knowledge of his department necessary to handle it to best advantage in time of need.

4. Detail a conveniently accessible medical officer to accompany the Governor on occasions of ceremony as Attending Surgeon for the Headquarters staff.

5. Require the Surgeon General to prescribe each year a course of instruction for medical officers and hospital corps and to inform the Adjutant General in his Annual Report of the program made.

6. Inefficient medical officers and hospital corps men should be discharged the service on the recommendation of the Surgeon General.

7. These provisions should be *covered by legislation.*

REPORT OF LIEUTENANT-COLONEL ALLEN.

INDEPENDENCE, IOWA, AUG. 10, 1905.

Adjutant General, Des Moines, Iowa.

SIR,—Pursuant to Par. 11 of G. O. No. 16 A. G. O., dated June 8, 1905, I have the honor to submit herewith my report of duty during the encampment of the 53rd. Iowa National Guard of July 15th. and 22d. inclusive.

I found the camp grounds, which had been used by the 56th. Regiment the week previous, in excellent condition having been thoroughly policed, tents rolled, tent floors removed and turned bottom side up.

The first companies arrived about 6 A. M. July 15th., and the last arrived about 6 P. M. the same day. There was no delay in getting the men to the camp grounds, but nearly every instance there was a delay from three or seven hours in getting the baggage out to the camp.

Our week was a very profitable one, only losing one drill on account of the weather. Battalion and Regimental drills were held each day, covering thoroughly the different movements in the drill Regulations including close and extended order Advance and Rear Guard and battle formations. Particular attention was given to the instruction of the guard. A Field Officer being detailed for that purpose. We found the Rations ample and excellent.

The medical department under Major Grant performed their duties as laid down by order No. 10 A. G. O. in a highly commendable manner.

I enclose herewith report of Major C. S. Grant, which I desire to make a part of this report. The Regiment was reviewed by His Excellency, Governor Cummins, Thursday afternoon; review followed by an inspection of quarters, General Order No. 16 also asks for recommendation, and it is with a feeling of hesitancy that I venture on this subject.

The entire purpose of the National Guard as I understand it, is to have a force drilled, equipped and disciplined in case of need; an auxiliary or reserve to the Regular army. Such being the case anything that affects the companies in any way detrimental, should be avoided.

I am convinced after two years camping at the permanent camp grounds at Des Moines, that a permanent camp ground located at Des Moines, is a detriment to the Guard for various reasons among which I might mention the following: Anything that tends to dampen the enthusiasm of the members toward attending camp is detrimental. That there is very little desire among men who have attended one camp at the permanent camp ground to attend another is well known to most company commanders, at least in the 53rd Regiment.

I find that the best companies are those who have the earnest and hearty support of their home communities, that if their weekly drills are attended by their home citizens it has a very encouraging and beneficial effect upon the company. Why shouldn't the same thing hold true in camp. If there are large crowds out to see the drills, is there not an incentive for the men to make their most creditable appearance and do their best work. There is in every company a certain percent of the "true soldier," who, no matter where the camp or what the situation, would go, but on the other hand quite a number join the guard from various reasons; the opportunity for a good time; the glamor of "brass buttons," the opportunity to attract attention, etc. Yet the company commander must interest these different men in order to keep his company up to standard.

There is in the 53rd. Regiment possibly only four towns that are large enough to support an "awaiting list" i. e. always having applicants waiting for membership. In towns of 2500 it is a serious problem for the company commander to get 50 men that meet the physical and moral qualifications required.

Camps have been and should be a great inducement to men to join and others to stay in. If a permanent camp fails to do this we should revert to the old method of "passing it around." Our National Guard is largely dependant for its popularity and therefor its enthusiastic support upon the good opinion which the people of our state entertain toward the organization. In my way of thinking a yearly encampment in different cities give the officers and men standing and influence in every such encampment in a different city and adds that much to the constituency to the guard.

I believe that the matter of expense would be less in temporary, than in permanent camps. In the case of this Regiment by locating that camp at some central point it would be possible to have all the regiment there the first day and all stay till the last, also every community visited by the guard considers itself under obligation to support our reasonable needs, and after all we are much more dependent upon the state of Iowa than upon the National Government and the State must stand back of our future growth.

The orders of this year assigning an officer of the Inspector General's Department on duty with the Regiment for the purpose of inspection and report, proved very satisfactory and I believe more so than the inspections conducted at previous camps, where the troops were paraded for drill and inspection much to the annoyance of Regimental Commanders, who desired to carry out any plan of drill or instruction for their regiments. The plan this year gave us the advantage of having the presence of an officer of the Inspector General's Department with us, without in any way interfering with any program that might have been arranged by the Regimental Commander.

That duty with my Regiment was performed by Col. John R. Prime to whom I am indebted for many suggestions and much valuable advice.

In conclusion I want to thank your office for the many kindnesses and the help so cheerfully given on every occasion.

Respectfully yours,
Your Obedient servant,
Hubert A. Allen,
Lieutenant Colonel,
Commanding 53rd. Regt. I. N. G.

REPORT OF COLONEL BISHOP.

HEADQUARTERS 54th INFTRY.,
MUSCATINE, IOWA, AUG. 31, 1905.

To the Adjutant General of Iowa.

SIR—In compliance with General Order No. 16, A. G. O. Des Moines, Iowa, June, 8. 1905. I have the honor to report that I issued such General and Special Orders as I deemed consistent to insure the prompt and uniform compliances with the above General Order for encampment.

The Field, Staff and Non-commissioned Staff of the 54th Infantry, in compliance with my Special Request, preceded the Regiment into camp and arrived July, 23 1905, enabling me to hold a school of instruction and make arrangements for the arrival of the troops.

Special Order No. 98. A. G. O. Des Moines, Iowa, July, 19th and 106. A. G. O. Des Moines, Iowa July, 27, 1905, provided for transportation to and from camp. Although ample arrangements were made by the Adjutant General, with the railway companies, the troops were delayed from one to two hours and the baggage would not have arrived as early as it did had not a Staff Officer (detailed for that purpose) insisted that same be forwarded without delay. Some companies were compelled to wait for transfer of railroads two or three hours which is a detriment to discipline and annoyance of troops. The transportation of horses to camp was not satisfactory, as the time consumed in transit was too great and Officers were compelled to rent horses for more days than their pay allowance. The teaming of baggage to camp was insufficient as teams were required to remove the garbage from the ground. Transportation from camp was very satisfactory, as six teams were provided, and railroads were more punctual.

The Commissaries were ample and of the best quality, with few exceptions.

The Quartermaster and Commissary building was occupied by the State and Regimental Quartermaster and Commissary Officers with no separate apartments, and each had keys to the entire building, making responsibility for property questionable.

The camp was laid out by a previous Regiment, and as the buildings did not admit of a change of location, I was forced to accept the camp as permanent. The topography of the camp grounds, in its present state, does not permit the laying out of a camp with proper drainage, or in accordance with the Drill Regulations. The present location of the permanent camp grounds does not prove satisfactory to Officers and men of the 54th Infantry.

The Regimental camp proved more satisfactory than Brigade, in that Regimental Commanders were given full control, which enabled them to instruct their commands preparatory for more extensive work.

The discipline of the separate commands was much improved, Officers and men performed their duty with fair knowledge and progressive interest.

The Medical Department, under command of Major D. S. Fairchild, was well organized and assisted the Regimental Commander in compliance with G. O. No. 10. c. s. A. G. O. on the sanitation of the camp.

The system of latrines was a much needed improvement, and served its purpose, as shown by the cleanliness of the camp. The bath house was also a welcome addition, much to the comfort of the command.

The tentage was ample and in good condition.

The strength of the command was the largest attendance at camp since the Spanish-American War, and enabled drills more in conformity with the Regulations.

The new equipment and clothing, not only proved useful, but added to the appearance of the Regiment, although many uniforms need altering to conform with the men's physique.

The heavy fall of rain made the camp almost untenable in its congested state and a small stack of straw was appropriated to place company streets in a sanitary condition.

Guard duty was performed by Battalions (Colonel E. E. Lambert acting as special instructor) thus enabling the other Battalions to have their full quota for drill. Outpost duty was performed at night, giving practical experience of protecting the camp under cover of darkness, which proved to be interesting and more instructive.

July, 24, 1905, the troops arrived in camp too late to admit of any drills or ceremonies except Guardmounting and Retreat.

July 25, 1905. A. M. Battalion drill in close order. P. M. Battalion extended order drill, Guardmounting and Parade.

July 26, 1905. Rain prevented drills and ceremonies except Parade and Guardmounting.

July 27, 1905. A. M. Wet weather making drill impractical, companies were given setting up and bell-bar exercise. P. M. extended order drill, Guardmounting and Parade.

July 28, 1905. A. M. Battalion drill. P. M. advance guard, formation for attack, Guardmounting and Parade.

July 29, 1905. A. M. Battalions drilled bell-bar exercises by music. P. M. Regimental drill, troops reviewed by the Governor of Iowa and Retreat.

July 30, 1905. A. M. Church Services. P. M. Muster and pay of troops, Guardmount and Parade.

July 31, 1905. The early departure of troops prevented other duties than breaking camp, and policing grounds, previous to entraining for home stations.

In closing my report I have the honor to recommend, for the improvement of the Guard,

That the maximum strength of companies be increased, as it is a hardship to company commanders to require them to furnish an aggregate strength of 52 for camp out of a possible 55. The smaller attendance at camp greatly interferes with the progress of instruction.

More uniforms and equipment to each company, as company commanders cannot fit forty-nine men correctly with forty-nine uniforms unless they have a larger stock to select from and each man should have his equipment without having to borrow from some temporary absentee.

Better transportation of troops, baggage and horses will educate promptness and encourage mounted Officers to bring their own horses with which they are familiar.

Uniform mess chests and lockers etc., provided for the companies would lessen the baggage and make transportation easy.

Regimental Quartermaster and Commissary Officers might be given more responsibility in providing for the arrival of the troops which would prove an education of advantage in case of active service.

Quartermaster and Commissary should be provided with separate quarters where their accountability for property would not be divided or questioned.

The ordering of Regimental, Field, Staff and Non-commissioned Staff to report for a school of instruction one day previous to camp would insure uniformity and facilitate in the instruction of the troops.

Very respectfully,

Frank W. Bishop,

Colonel comdg. 54th Infty., I. N. G.

REPORT OF COLONEL LINCOLN.

HEADQUARTERS 55TH INFANTRY I. N. G.
AMES, IA. AUG. 25, 1905.

The Adjutant General of Iowa, Des Moines, Iowa.

SIR,—I have the honor to submit the following report of the tour of duty of the 55th Infantry, I. N. G. for the year 1905, in compliance with G. O. No. 16 A. G. O. June 8, 1905.

The several companies of the Regiment and the Signal Company reached camp as scheduled in S. O. No. 105 A. G. O. July 27, 1905. Some delay was experienced in getting Company baggage to camp owing to the demoralized condition of the street railway.

Upon reaching camp each company was rationed and supplied with cleaning materials. Tent floors were scrubbed, camp grounds were drained, tents dried and prepared for occupancy.

The heavy rain of the night of Aug. 1st, had covered the greater part of the camp grounds with from one to three inches of water, making the mud ankle deep and the work very trying in putting the camp in sanitary condition. After the surface water was drained off the camp was soon in proper condition and remained in good sanitary condition for the full time occupied by the regiment.

Full and regular work commenced August 3d, and was uninterrupted during the regiment's stay in camp.

The drills covered the entire Drill Regulations up to and including "Evolutions of the Regiment," with ceremonies, including "Review," "Parade," "Escort of the Colors," "Guard Mounting" and "Muster" by the Inspector General of Iowa.

In addition Shelter Tent pitching was given, the Regiment, after instruction, completing a Shelter Tent Camp in 4 minutes. At the signal "To Arms," the men all being inside their tents, the regiment was formed ready for the march or action in 15 seconds. At the signal "The General" tents were struck, packs closed and the regiment formed for the march in 5 minutes.

On Saturday, August 5th, the regiment made a practice march to North River to a point six miles from camp. There the regiment went into bivouac, placing Out-Posts so as to guard all approaches to the camp from all directions. The regiment's position was reconnoitred by the 11th Cavalry U. S. A. from Ft. Des Moines, but no attempt was made to engage the Out-Posts, who were found on the alert. On the march out the 1st Battalion was handled as an "Advance Guard," under the command of Maj. Mentzer; the 2d Battalion, under Maj. Tinley, was held as the main body; the 3d Battalion under Maj. Turner protecting the

column as a Rear Guard, Lt. Col. Bennett assisting. The work of the several Battalions was quietly and efficiently performed, no confusion resulting. The men stood the march well, only a few prostrations of a light character. The column on its return march was protected by mounted scouts who searched the country thoroughly to the front and flanks. We found the roads very rough and closed in by high weeds which made the marching very uncomfortable by cutting off the light breeze that might have been refreshing on properly cared for roads.

His Excellency, Governor Cummins, reviewed the Regiment August 8th, and witnessed a drill in camp pitching and extended order, and expressed himself as pleased with the work of the command.

The Regiment was promptly paid off the night of Aug. 8th and morning of Aug. 9th by Maj. Guy E. Logan.

Wednesday, Aug. 9th, the Regiment broke camp, rolled tents, piled floors, and policed grounds thoroughly, leaving them in perfect order, and returned to their several home stations as ordered by S. O. No. 111 A. G. O. Aug. 7, 1905.

The quarter-master, Capt. Lane, handled the baggage of the command as promptly as was possible with the condition of the street railway.

The food supplied was good and promptly issued by the Commissary, Capt. Brewer, and no criticisms were heard. The water was more or less muddy, but not deemed impure.

The new sinks provided the camp were certainly a success and a great improvement over any system ever used in any previous State Camp.

The sanitary conditions of the camp were carefully looked after by the medical department, Maj. Jay and Capt. Conkling, and the perfect condition of the kitchens and Co. streets showed how closely they looked after every detail. The fact that every man was fit for duty the morning of Aug. 9th speaks well for the health of the command, which worked hard and under new conditions of living.

The Signal Company, under command of Capt. Domback, was encamped to the north of the regular camp and was a well disciplined, hard working body of men who improved every moment of their time in perfecting themselves in their line of work. They were ever ready to render service when called upon, and are a credit in every way to the state.

The discipline of the Regiment was good; but as usual a few recruits exposed their ignorance, as well as unsoldierly greenness, by their attempts to ape the manners and appearance of veterans, but as a body the Regiment is a most worthy body of young men.

The method of inspection in the Camps of this year was, beyond question, a very great improvement over any had heretofore. The Guard has outgrown its kindergarten period and it is no longer, if it ever were, necessary to have a watch placed over the Officers and men of the Guard while they are in Camp.

In this year's Camp the Inspecting Officer saw each regiment do its work as ordered by its Commander, and had an opportunity to judge of its efficiency and the thoroughness of its instruction and discipline. Set drills and programs are alright for High School Corps, but it is belittling to soldiers to treat them in a way that implies unfitness to even conduct an ordinary drill without the directions of a set program. And too, it is in the direction of improvement to give up the old marking system. "Poor," "Efficient" and "Excellent" are sufficient for all military markings of condition of organizations. If "Poor" muster the Company out of the service, if "Efficient" the Company is serviceable, if "Excellent" the Company is to be commended. Twelve efficient companies make a better regiment with more good feeling and esprit de corps which makes fighters, than the same twelve companies grading from 80 to 100. Markings for target practice and attendance are facts, while markings for drills are simply opinions, and too often the drills not under like conditions so comparisons can be possible. The feeling of harmony existing in our Camps this year was most pleasant and encouraging.

Enclosed will be found G. O. No. 1 Hdqs. 55th Inft. I. N. G. dated July 21, 1905.

I have the honor to respectfully make the following recommendations:

1. That no company be allowed to attend camp which cannot take into camp eighty per cent of its enlisted strength with two commissioned officers.

2. That camps be held for a period of ten days.

3. That at least 1000 rounds of blank cartridges to each company should be supplied for use in camp for the proper training of men in fire control. Marksmen who cannot be controlled under the excitement of maneuvering under fire will be of very little more value than untrained men, for troops can be held for the decisive moment only when under perfect fire control, and such control can only be gained by work such as blank cartridges will permit.

4. That each Battalion, under command of its major, be assembled each year for two day's work in target practice. This would give valuable training and interest and instruct the men in rifle firing.

5. That each major be allowed to visit his Battalion once or twice a year without expense to himself.

6. That leaves of absence and furloughs be not given later than thirty days preceeding camp, unless required by extraordinary causes.

7. That railroads provide trains for the return of troops to their home stations, so the Regiment as a body can leave its camp and be embarked for home on the afternoon of the day upon which camp closes and avoid necessity of companies being compelled to lay around, waiting for trains. The last day in camp can be made a day of instruction and work and the state not made to pay for services of a Micawber like inaction.

8. Absence from "Check Roll Call" at "Taps" was caused mainly by inability of men to return to camp in time calculated upon on account of

uncertain car service. If troop trains could be arranged to take men to town and return them on prearranged time, said service would be a great convenience to all concerned.

9. That only manufactured ice be issued to troops when it is possible to obtain such ice.

10. That the Regimental Commander have control of all details regarding target practice as well as along other lines of work, and that the Department of Inspector Small Arms Practice be for instruction and not command.

I have the honor to submit the following recommendations by the staff of the Regiment, which I fully endorse:

1. That all blanks used for reports, returns, muster and pay rolls, etc. shall conform strictly to forms used in the U. S. Army, thus requiring no change in methods when in service of the United States.

2. That camp sutlers, if allowed, be compelled to obey all orders received from the Chief Surgeon of a camp regarding anything offered for sale by them, giving the Surgeon full power to prohibit sale of undesirable stuff.

3. That water and garbage cans should be marked with large letters "Water" and "Garbage" respectively, also tubs used as "Urinals" should be marked as such and stored separately from all others.

4. That a hole should be dug 20 inches deep and 4 feet square and cased with a wooden frame and to be 4 inches higher than surface of ground at each kitchen, for the water cans to be set inside of this frame and the frame filled with clear gravel around cans to absorb spilled water and keep the place clean and wholesome.

5. That hospital mattresses and pillows be condemned and new ones procured, as the old ones are a source of danger.

6. That all bed sacks be washed and disinfected before being used again.

I desire to express my appreciation of courtesies received at your hands and the ever ready aid given in every way possible to make the tour of duty of the regiment successful and pleasant.

Jas. Rush Lincoln,
Colonel 55th Infty. I. N. G.

REPORT OF COLONEL HUMPHREY.

SIOUX CITY, IOWA, NOV. 28, 1905.

To The Adjutant General of Iowa, Des Moines, Iowa.

SIR.—I have the honor to submit the following report of the tour of duty of the 56th Infantry at Camp Cummins, Des Moines, Iowa, for a period of eight days, from July 6th, to 13th, 1905, inclusive.

I arrived at Camp Cummins early on the morning of July 5th with my Adjutant, Quarter-master and Commissary Officer. Found ground for camp had been selected and staked out as seemed best by your department, taking into consideration the conformation of the ground. Camp was in column of companies. The Companies commenced to arrive at eleven thirty a. m. on July 6th and all were well in camp by five p. m. with the exception perhaps of one company. Floors had been provided for the tents and upon arrival of the companies, these, with canvas and straw for bed sacks, were issued by the Quarter-master so the regiment suffered no inconvenience and were well settled by seven p. m.

Informal guard mounting was the only work performed on this day. Regular routine of camp was started at five a. m. July 7th and continued until the morning of July 13th. The instruction was largely in battalions as far as drill was concerned.

Guard detail was by companies and was found to be most satisfactory and great improvement over previous camps, as each company had the advantage of drill at their home station and by reason of this system, the relative proficiency of the different companies was more easily determined.

Close inspection from a sanitary standpoint were made daily by the Commanding Officer and the Surgeons. Company officers and men were carefully instructed in regard to the effect of sanitation on the health of the Command and I am pleased to report that the result was all that could have been expected. There was practically no sickness with exception of one or two cases where trouble was contracted before coming to camp; these cases were well taken care of and the men sent home in as good condition as could be expected.

The new sinks erected by the Adjutant General's Department, after a little experience, were found to be an improvement over the old way, had they been more carefully constructed, but think would only be of value in a permanent camp. Owing to the present condition of the camp ground and the many inconveniences getting to and from same, it would

in my judgment, be better for a year or so, to have the annual encampment at some place within the confines of the regiment that might be decided upon latter.

The selling of privileges, especially for a sutler's quarters, I think very detrimental to the discipline and health of the regiment.

This regiment, having a competent as well as an experienced Chaplain, could in my judgment do away with Y. M. C. A. quarters, as I can see no advantage and possibly some disadvantages. This being a school of instruction in Military duties instead of religion.

I would respectfully recommend that Quarter-Master and Commissary stores for entire tour of camp duty be issued with perhaps the exception of fresh meat and bread. which could be by due bills, and receipts taken therefor as soon as possible after the arrival of the proper officers at camp and that same be returned and receipts taken therefor before such officers leave camp; that ground should be left in same condition as it is found in, wear and tear excepted.

As to inspection of the regiment by the Inspector General's Department at camp, would say that as far as I have been able to observe in previous years, it has in no way interfered with the drill or instruction of this regiment. It is my judgment that the old order of inspection should be resumed; it was certainly a benefit to the regiment in that it kept each company on its mettle to be first in every thing. I do not want to seem to be unfair to my officers by saying the regiment would not be effective without it, but I do think that any inspection helps the officer in his duties. As to time of inspection to show the companies to the best advantage, I would say while at camp, when they will certainly be in best condition. As soon as the companies return to their home stations, after the tour of camp duty, it has been customary to relax a little from the strenuous efforts put forth preparing for camp and companies are largely instructed in target practice only after January 1st, the old routine is resumed in the armories and the companies recruited for spring and summer drills.

The Hospital Corps as now formed is a great improvement over the old way and I wish to thank Major Macrae and his assistants for their splendid work.

A house for shower baths was in course of construction but as it was not completed before the expiration of the tour of duty of the regiment, I can make no report as to its efficiency.

Never in my experience have I known the officers and men to take more interest in their work than at this camp, their soldierly bearing and actions was a source of much satisfaction to the Commanding Officer.

Very respectfully,

W. B. Humphrey,
Colonel 56th Infantry.

LIST OF FLAGS

Carried by Iowa regiments during the War of the Rebellion, deposited in Capitol Building.

Arm of Service.	National.	Banners.	Guidons.
CAVALRY.			
First regiment..	1		
Second regiment..			4
Third regiment..	2		2
Fourth regiment..	1		2
Fifth regiment..			2
Seventh regiment..		1	
Eighth regiment..		1	2
ARTILLERY.			
First battery..		2	
Second battery..	2		
Third battery..		1	
INFANTRY.			
First regiment..	1		
Second regiment..	4	2	
Third Regiment..	2		
Fourth regiment..	1	2	
Fifth regiment..	1	2	
Sixth regiment..	2	1	
Seventh regiment..	2	1	
Eighth regiment..	2	2	
Ninth regiment..	3	2	
Tenth regiment..		2	
Eleventh regiment..	3	1	
Twelfth regiment..	2	2	
Thirteenth regiment..	1		
Fourteenth regiment..	1	1	
Fifteenth regiment..	4	3	
Sixteenth regiment..	2	2	
Seventeenth regiment..	3	2	
Eighteenth regiment..	1	2	
Nineteenth regiment..	1	2	
Twentieth regiment..	1	2	
Twenty-first regiment..	1	1	
Twenty-second regiment..	1	2	
Twenty-third regiment..	1	1	
Twenty-fourth regiment..	1		
Twenty-fifth regiment..	2	3	
Twenty-sixth regiment..	2	1	
Twenty-seventh regiment..	1	2	
Twenty-eighth regiment..	2	2	
Twenty-ninth regiment..		1	
Thirtieth regiment..	2		
Thirty-first regiment..	2	2	
Thirty-second regiment..	1		
Thirty-third regiment..	1	1	
Thirty-fourth regiment..	2	1	
Thirty-fifth regiment..	3	2	
Thirty-sixth regiment..		2	
Thirty-eighth regiment..	1		
Thirty-ninth regiment..	2	1	
Fortieth regiment..	1		
Unknown..		1	
COLORED TROOPS.			
First Infantry (60th U. S. vol. A. D.)..	1		
Total..	70	59	12

FLAGS CARRIED IN SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR.

Forty-ninth Infantry..	one banner, one national flag
Fiftieth Infantry..	one banner, one national flag
Fifty-first Infantry..	one banner, one national flag
Fifty-second Infantry..	one banner, one national flag

NUMBER OF PERSONS SUBJECT TO MILITARY DUTY.

Number of Persons Subject to Military Duty, as Reported by County Auditors, 1904 and 1905.

Counties.	Number.		Counties.	Number.		Counties.	Number.	
	1904.	1905.		1904.	1905.		1904.	1905.
Adair	2,464	2,594	Floyd.....	2,523	2,807	Monona	2,569	2,604
Adams.....	1,887	2,077	Franklin.....	2,413	2,326	Monroe	3,782	4,032
Allamakee	2,758	2,863	Fremont.....	2,440	2,560	Montgomery..	2,556	2,420
Appanoose	4,316	4,219	Greene	2,695	2,716	Muscatine.....	2,138	2,341
Audubon.....	1,694	1,921	Grundy.....	*2,208	2,449	O'Brien.....	2,524	2,686
Benton.....	3,289	3,485	Guthrie.....	2,393	2,380	Osceola	1,221	1,352
Black Hawk ...	4,798	4,575	Hamilton....	2,628	3,028	Page	3,791	3,925
Boone	4,450	4,449	Hancock	1,698	2,071	Palo Alto	1,953	1,860
Bremer	2,247	2,431	Hardin.....	3,125	3,216	Plymouth.....	3,370	3,496
Buchanan.....	2,694	2,766	Harrison.....	3,495	3,574	Pocahontas....	2,313	2,361
Buena Vista ...	2,631	2,534	Henry.....	2,922	2,899	Polk	14,709	10,662
Butler.....	2,877	2,934	Howard.....	2,145	1,995	Pottawattamie..	5,575	7,208
Calhoun.....	*2,703	2,447	Humboldt....	1,898	1,846	Poweshiek	5,836	2,786
Carroll.....	2,762	2,870	Ida	1,391	1,654	Ringgold	2,058	2,362
Cass	3,165	3,332	Iowa.....	2,684	2,777	Sac	2,376	2,781
Cedar	2,880	2,891	Jackson.....	2,876	3,218	Scott.....	7,830	8,618
Cerro Gordo ...	3,593	3,522	Jasper	3,891	5,734	Shelby.....	2,494	2,750
Cherokee	2,407	1,993	Jefferson....	2,340	2,370	Sioux.....	3,481	3,389
Chickasaw	1,091	2,686	Johnson....	3,903	4,068	Story.....	3,421	3,601
Clarke	1,883	1,941	Jones.....	2,622	2,965	Tama	3,516	3,517
Clay	1,634	2,015	Keokuk.....	3,482	3,431	Taylor.....	2,532	2,740
Clayton.....	4,235	4,352	Kossuth.....	3,559	4,009	Union.....	2,236	2,357
Clinton	5,110	6,106	Lee	3,511	5,291	Van Buren.....	2,363	2,469
Crawford	3,202	3,567	Linn.....	5,566	8,432	Wapello.....	5,990	5,685
Dallas	3,139	3,212	Louisa.....	1,708	2,008	Warren.....	2,794	2,931
Davis.....	2,054	2,192	Lucas.....	2,118	2,264	Washington....	3,171	3,155
Decatur	2,519	2,597	Lyon.....	2,029	2,056	Wayne.....	2,549	2,878
Delaware.....	2,526	2,781	Madison.....	2,660	2,901	Webster.....	4,810	4,967
Des Moines....	*3,085	3,270	Mahaska.....	4,444	2,811	Winnebago	1,890	1,858
Dickinson.....	1,182	1,207	Marion.....	3,362	3,272	Winneshiek	2,728	3,666
Dubuque.....	8,794	8,671	Marshall....	3,939	4,038	Woodbury.....	7,386	10,839
Emmet.....	1,637	1,578	Mills.....	2,327	2,278	Worth.....	1,609	1,698
Fayette.....	4,610	4,826	Mitchell....	2,143	2,263	Wright.....	2,479	2,988
Total.....							313,504	329,683

* Number taken from former report; no report filed.

OFFICERS COMMISSIONED AND RE-COMMISSIONED.

OFFICERS COMMISSIONED AND RE-COMMISSIONED FROM NOVEMBER
30, 1903, TO NOVEMBER, 30, 1905.

BRIGADIER-GENERAL.

Name.		Date.
Thrift, William H., Adjutant General.....	.....	February 1, 1905.

COLONELS.

Name.	Infantry.	Date.
Bishop, Frank W.....	54th	March 20, 1904.
Dows, William G.....	53d	March 26, 1905.
Evans, Wm. H., General Insp. S. A. P.....	.....	October 12, 1905.
Humphrey, William B.....	56th	April 20, 1904.
Lincoln, James Rush.....	55th	March 26, 1905.

LIEUTENANT COLONELS.

Name.	Infantry.	Date.
Allen, Hubert A.....	53d	May 8, 1905.
Cooke, Thomas F.....	56th	July 11, 1904.
Knott, Van Buren, Deputy Surgeon General.....	.....	May 25, 1905.
Lambert, Elliott E.....	54th	May 2, 1904.

MAJORS.

Name.	Infantry.	Date.
Chantland, William T.....	56th	May 8, 1904.
Evans, Wm. H., Asst. Genl. Insp. S. A. P.....	.....	July 4, 1905.
Fairchild, David. S. Jr., Surgeon.....	.....	May 8, 1905.
Fisher, Frank R.....	53d	March 26, 1905.
Grant, Charles S, Surgeon.....	.....	May 20, 1904.
Holsteen, Fred. S.....	54th	June 30, 1904.
Howell, Ralph P.....	54th	March 20, 1904.
Hume, John T., Asst. Adj. Genl.....	.....	April 15, 1904.
Jay, D. Arthur, Surgeon.....	.....	May 8, 1905.
Johnson, Elza C.....	53d	June 5, 1905.
Logan, Guy E., Asst. Adj. Genl.....	.....	April 1, 1905.
Lyman, Frank E. Jr., Asst. Insp. Genl.....	.....	June 7, 1904.
Mahoney, Timothy J.....	56th	May 24, 1905.
Mentzer, William C.....	55th	March 26, 1905.
Parker, George M.....	56th	April 20, 1904.
Rowell, Louis J.....	53d	March 26, 1905.

OFFICERS COMMISSIONED AND RE-COMMISSIONED—CONTINUED.

CAPTAINS.

Name.	Company.	Infantry.	Date.
Aikins, Chas. W.	G	55th	Sept. 18, 1905.
Armstrong, Harry C., Inspector S. A. P.			Oct. 7, 1904
Baker, Claude A.	E	54th	December 19, 1904
Ball, George W.	I	54th	May 9, 1904.
Bartley, Chas. E.	F	53d	June 1, 1905.
Brandt, Amos W.	F	55th	July 17, 1905.
Beck, W. Cornish, Regimental Adjutant.		56th	July 14, 1904.
Bell, William.	I	55th	May 25, 1905.
Berkebile, Thos. A.	C	53d	November 25, 1904
Brewer, Guy S., Commissary		55th	March 27, 1905.
Brown, Edwin H., Commissary		56th	June 21, 1904.
Brown, Roy C.	C	54th	April 18, 1904.
Bryant, Albert B.	L	54th	January 30, 1905.
Castle, George H.	E	55th	June 26, 1905.
Clifton, George R.	K	54th	January 19, 1904.
Colsch, Nicholas, Jr.	I	53d	February 8, 1905.
Conkling, Wilbur S., Assistant Surgeon.			May 8, 1905.
Cotton, Charles W.	B	53d	February 7, 1905.
Dalzell, Thomas C.	L	54th	September 5, 1905
Deering, A. B., Assistant Surgeon.			May 8, 1905.
Domback, Charles M., First Signal Co.			April 19, 1904.
Dragoun, Fred	K	53d	October 24, 1905.
Edwards, Harry H.	L	56th	August 9, 1905.
Evans, George A., Quartermaster.		53d	July 9, 1905.
Ellwood, Ivan E.	M	55th	April 17, 1904.
Emmert, Max W.	H	55th	July 17, 1905.
Frack, Charles U., Regimental Adjutant.		54th	March 26, 1904.
Frailey, Joseph R.	A	54th	May 5, 1905.
Flynn, Willard M.	H	56th	September 12, 1904
Geist, Edwin S., Insp. S. A. P.			October 17, 1904.
Hyatt, Norman P.	C	56th	June 2, 1904.
Jaeggi, Albert M., Regimental Adjutant.		53d	April 11, 1905.
Jay, D. Arthur, Assistant Surgeon.			May 20, 1904.
Johnson, Ebenezer S., Chaplain		56th	June 21, 1904.
Johnson, Elza C.	M	53d	January 17, 1905.
Johnson, George M.	M	53d	June 12, 1905.
Karns, Howard G.	F	55th	February 27, 1905.
Kern, Harry, Quartermaster.		54th	March 29, 1904.
King, Elliott R., Assistant Surgeon			May 8, 1904.
Knapp, Herman	C	55th	November 22, 1905
Lane, Herbert C., Quartermaster.		55th	May 14, 1905.
Loring, Frank W.	M	56th	May 23, 1904.
Lucas, Edwin E.	M	54th	August 3, 1905.
Maloney, John J.	D	56th	June 2, 1904.
Martindale, Edward L., Assistant Surgeon.			May 8, 1905.
Mason, Oscar H. L., Chaplain.		53d	July 9, 1905.
McCord, Robert L., Jr.	M	56th	November 28, 1904
Miller, Clarence J.	D	56th	October 23, 1905.
Morse, W. E. H.	F	56th	February 20, 1905.
Myers, John C.	D	55th	March 14, 1904.
Norton, W. S.	C	54th	November 20, 1905
Parker, Harry S.	M	56th	September 22, 1905
Payne, Rosseel S.	C	55th	June 28, 1904.
Price, Bertram J.	G	56th	June 13, 1904.
Raichle, John G.	H	54th	September 12, 1904
Reinhart, Oscar.	L	56th	December 28, 1904.
Rutherford, Richard D.	L	55th	October 28, 1904.
Rutherford, Thomas R.	L	55th	May 31, 1904.
Skemp, Charles P.	A	53d	April 10, 1905.
Schmitt, Louis E.	H	53d	April 7, 1905.
Smith, Will F., Insp. S. A. P.			September 29, 1905
Thrift, William H.	A	53d.	September 19, 1904
Thurston, Lloyd.	I	55th	June 15, 1904.
Triplett, H. L.	K	54th	October 24, 1905.
Utey, Harry G.	D	53d	April 25, 1905.
Walburn, Albert A., Chaplain.		55th	April 25, 1905.
Weatherwax, Wm. W.	D	53d	June 13, 1904.
Whipple, James E.	G	53d	September 21, 1904
Wilson, Harley B.	I	56th	June 12, 1905.
Worthington, Emory C., Regimental Adjutant.		55th	April 25, 1905.

OFFICERS COMMISSIONED AND RE-COMMISSIONED-CONTINUED

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Name.	Company.	Infantry.	Date.
Anderson, Rudolph M.	I	54th	October 30, 1905.
Baker, Alva	L	54th	January 11, 1904.
Bartholomew, C. Edgar	C	55th	June 28, 1904.
Bradbury, John C.	F	54th	October 9, 1905.
Bowen, Albert S.	I	53d	March 8, 1904.
Buddin, George L.	K	55th	April 28, 1905.
Burdick, Frank A.	H	53d	April 7, 1905.
Castle, George M.	E	55th	June 26, 1905.
Champion, Roy B.	I	54th	May 9, 1904.
Clements, Frank H.	L	54th	January 30, 1905.
DeAcres, Clyde H.	G	53d	December 14, 1903.
Edwards, Harry H.	L	56th	January 12, 1905.
Ellwood, Ivan E.	M	55th	January 23, 1905.
Garton, George L., Battalion Adjut.	....	55th	May 22, 1905.
Green, Samuel B.	F	54th	August 29, 1904.
Greene, Samuel A.	L	55th	October 28, 1904.
Helbig, Conrad F.	A	56th	February 13, 1905.
Hessler, Earle C.	M	55th	April 17, 1905.
Hildebrand, John H.	B	53d	December 30, 1904.
Hollowell, Thos. P. Jr.	A	54th	August 28, 1905.
Hood, Frederick W.	H	56th	July 11, 1904.
Horner, Amos, Assistant Surgeon.	....	....	May 8, 1905.
Hudson, Fred D.	G	55th	September 18, 1905.
Jensen, Gene J.	M	53d	June 12, 1905.
Johnson, George M.	M	53d	January 17, 1905.
Johnston, Albert C.	B	56th	March 8, 1904.
Kennedy, Burt E.	H	55th	July 17, 1905.
Krause, Charles S., Assistant Surgeon.	....	....	May 8, 1905.
Knos, Eric G.	L	56th	September 25, 1905.
Liggett, Joseph D., First Signal Co.	....	....	December 27, 1904.
Loring, Frank W.	M	56th	December 7, 1903.
Luckhardt, George	C	54th	November 6, 1905.
McCord, Robert L. Jr.	M	56th	July 18, 1904.
Middleton, George M., Assistant Surgeon.	....	....	May 25, 1904.
Miller, Stanley, Commissary	....	54th	December 24, 1903.
Neely, Walter J.	K	54th	April 12, 1904.
Norwood, Fred E.	C	54th	June 30, 1904.
Ohlschlager, Wm. F.	I	55th	May 25, 1905.
Osier, Charles F.	F	56th	September 12, 1904.
Parker, Harry S.	M	56th	March 16, 1905.
Perrine, Lorie D., Battalion Adjutant	....	54th	September 29, 1904.
Ready, John F.	M	54th	April 11, 1904.
Reichmann, Edw. H.	K	53d	October 24, 1905.
Ringland, Edmund A., Battalion Adjutant.	....	56th	June 21, 1904.
Rutherford, Richard D.	L	55th	May 31, 1904.
Sargent, Merton E.	I	56th	June 12, 1905.
Starr, Chas. Freeman, Battalion Adjutant	....	56th	March 24, 1905.
Speck, H. Bert, Battalion Adjutant.	....	54th	June 4, 1904.
Steck, John H.	D	54th	July 21, 1905.
Smith, Percy P.	C	53d	February 1, 1904.
Smith, Roscoe R.	I	55th	June 15, 1904.
Smith, Sam. K., Battalion Adjutant	....	55th	January 4, 1904.
Tillotson, Chas. Jr.	F	55th	November 4, 1905.
Tillotson, Leroy R.	F	55th	November 9, 1904.
Van Order, Paul I., Battalion Adjutant	....	55th	July 14, 1904.
Vickers, Grant	D	56th	June 2, 1904.
Williamson, Ralph C., Battalion Adjutant	....	54th	April 28, 1904.
Woellhaf, Frank G.	H	54th	October 31, 1904.
Young, Jesse O.	D	53d	April 25, 1905.

OFFICERS COMMISSIONED AND RE-COMMISSIONED—CONTINUED.

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Name.	Company.	Infantry.	Date.
Agard, Alvin A.....	A	53d	September 19, 1904
Anderson, Rudolph M.....	I	54th	May 9, 1904.
Brady, Roy E.....	D	55th	March 14, 1904.
Blosser, Raymond W.....	F	55th	November 9, 1904.
Clements, Frank H.....	L	54th	January 11, 1904.
Conaway, Jay A.....	K	55th	April 26, 1905.
Culp, Samuel B.....	M	56th	March 30, 1905.
Cummings, Charles C.....	M	54th	April 25, 1904.
DeFratis, Eugene W.....	M	53d	June 12, 1905.
Flaherty, John J.....	G	56th	March 16, 1905.
Fleur, Edward O.....	F	55th	March 24, 1905.
Freberg, Gustave G. T.....	A	55th	October 24, 1904.
Fisher, Fred L.....	B	53d	December 30, 1904.
Greene, Samuel A.....	L	55th	May 31, 1904.
Harrington, Thomas E.....	H	56th	August 8, 1904.
Haynes, Fritz.....	E	54th	December 19, 1904.
Heaton, Everett F.....	I	55th	May 25, 1905.
Hessler, Earle O.....	M	55th	January 23, 1905.
Hollowell, Thos. P. Jr.....	A	54th	May 5, 1905.
Hutchins, Lawrence C.....	F	56th	February 20, 1905.
Johnson, Herman C.....	I	53d	August 9, 1905.
Jones, Edward M.....	K	54th	December 30, 1904.
Kelliham, Jesse S.....	D	56th	June 2, 1904.
Knos, Eric G.....	L	56th	December 28, 1904.
Lawson, George L.....	I	56th	June 12, 1905.
Lewis, Jesse G.....	D	53d	April 25, 1905.
Logan, G. Ray.....	M	55th	April 17, 1905.
Luckhardt, George.....	C	54th	June 6, 1904.
Lund, Frank J.....	C	56th	January 4, 1904.
McConaughy, C. H., First Signal Co.....			June 28, 1904.
McCord, Robt. L. Jr.....	M	56th	December 7, 1903.
Noll, Ashley J.....	K	54th	January 19, 1904.
O'Connell, John F.....	H	55th	July 17, 1905.
Othmer, Ralph.....	C	54th	November 6, 1905.
Parker, H. S.....	M	56th	December 26, 1904.
Prichett, John L.....	A	54th	August 28, 1905.
Richmond, Wm. F.....	L	55th	October 28, 1904.
Swaney, Levi F.....	H	53d	April 7, 1905.
Schrivver, Harry E.....	E	55th	June 26, 1905.
Smith, William.....	L	54th	January 30, 1905.
Spinden, Grant M.....	I	54th	October 30, 1905.
Scott, Holland M.....	G	53d	December 14, 1903.
Stough, Fred G.....	B	56th	March 8, 1904.
Taylor, Frederick J.....	L	56th	November 8, 1905.
Temple, Ernest C.....	I	55th	June 15, 1904.
Underwood, Francis A.....	C	55th	June 28, 1904.
Walker, George M.....	E	56th	April 11, 1904.
Wallace, Pollok J.....	D	54th	January 11, 1904.
Whan, George E.....	B	55th	July 20, 1905.
Wilkinson, Phil R.....	G	55th	September 18, 1905.
Woellhaf, Henry A.....	H	54th	October 31, 1904.
Wunderlich, Charles H.....	A	53d	April 10, 1905.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S REPORT.

LOST FROM THE SERVICE BY EXPIRATION OF COMMISSION AND
RESIGNATION.

NOVEMBER 30, 1903 TO NOVEMBER 30, 1904.

BRIGADIER-GENERALS.

Name.		Date.
Byers, Melvin H., Adjutant General .....	.....	February 1, 1905.

COLONELS.

Name.	Company.	Infantry.	Date.
Caughlan, Harry H	54th	March 20, 1904.
Dows, William G	53d	March 26, 1905.
Humphrey, William B	56th	April 20, 1904.
Lincoln, James Rush	55th	March 26, 1905.
Morse, W. E. H., General Inspector S. A. P		March 14, 1904.

LIEUTENANT COLONELS.

Clapp, Samuel E .....	.....	53d	May 10, 1905.
Parker, Sanford J .....	.....	56th	April 20, 1904.
Schooler, Lewis, Deputy Surgeon General .....	.....		May 25, 1905.

MAJORS.

Clarke, J. Fred, Surgeon .....	.....		April 12, 1905.
Dunlap, John A .....	.....	54th	March 20, 1904.
Evans, Wm. H., Assistant General Inspector, S. A. P .....	.....		October 12, 1905.
Fairchild, David S. Jr., Surgeon .....	.....		April 11, 1905.
Fisher, Frank R .....	.....	53d	March 26, 1905.
Grant, Charles S., Surgeon .....	.....		May 20, 1904.
Hile, Otto .....	.....	56th	April 20, 1904.
Hume John T., Assistant Inspector General .....	.....		April 15, 1904.
Hume, John T. Assistant Adjutant General .....	.....		April 1, 1905.
Lee, Jesse W .....	.....	56th	May 8, 1904.
Mentzer, William C .....	.....	55th	March 26, 1905.
Odle, David M .....	.....	56th	May 10, 1905.
Rowell, Louis J .....	.....	53d	March 26, 1905.

CAPTAINS.

Bartley, John E	F	53d	May 2, 1905.
Brown, Edwin H., Commissary .....	.....	56th	June 21, 1904.
Brown, Roy C	C	54th	September 20, 1905.
Bryant, A. B	L	54th	August 30, 1905.
Butterfield, Louis K	D	55th	December 10, 1903.
Byers, Rosco E., Commissary .....	.....	55th	March 27, 1905.
Castle, George H	E	55th	June 12, 1905.
Chantland, William T	G	56th	May 25, 1904.
Clark, W. H., Regimental Adjutant .....	.....	56th	July 14, 1904.
Clifton, George R	K	54th	October 13, 1905.
Cole, O. L	C	53d	November 4, 1904.
Colsch, Nicholas, Jr	I	53d	February 8, 1905.
Conkling, Wilbur S., Assistant Surgeon .....	.....		April 11, 1905.
Cooke, Thomas F., Inspector S. A. P .....	.....		July 11, 1904.
Cotton, Charles W	B	53d	February 6, 1905.
Crossley, Jas. J	G	55th	August 5, 1904.
Cushing, John G., Inspector S. A. P .....	.....		April 12, 1904.

LOST FROM THE SERVICE—CONTINUED.

CAPTAINS—Continued.

Name.	Company.	Infantry.	Date.
Dalzell, Thomas C.	L	54th	January 3, 1905.
Domback, Charles M., First Signal Company			November 14, 1905
Dull, Harry B.	C	55th	April 30, 1904.
Ebert, Milford O.	K	53d	February 25, 1905.
Emery, Daniel A., Regimental Adjutant		54th	March 31, 1904.
Emmert, Max W.	H	55th	September 10, 1905
Evans, George A., Quartermaster		53d	July 9, 1905.
Fee, Thomas G.	E	54th	September 30, 1904
Gilbride, W. H.	F	56th	December 24, 1904
Gooch, Harry A.	H	56th	August 15, 1904.
Hasselquist, L. A.	H	55th	June 13, 1905.
Haven, Willis E	D	53d	April 20, 1904.
Hyatt, Norman P	C	56th	June 1, 1904.
Ingram, F. C	A	54th	January 20, 1905.
Jaeggi, Albert M., Regimental Adjutant		53d	April 5, 1905.
Johnson, Elza C	M	53d	January 16, 1905.
Johnson, Ebenezer S., Chaplain		56th	June 21, 1904.
Karns, Howard G.	F	55th	December 31, 1904
Karns, Howard G	F	55th	June 20, 1905.
Lane, Herbert C, Quartermaster		55th	May 14, 1905.
Logan, Guy E	M	55th	April 1, 1905.
Loring, Frank W	M	56th	October 25, 1904.
Lucas, Edwin E	M	54th	August 3, 1905.
Maloney, John J	D	56th	October 6, 1905.
Martindale, Edward L, Assistant Surgeon.			April 12, 1905.
Mason, O. H. L., Chaplain		53d	July 9, 1905.
McCord, R. L. Jr	M	56th	July 24, 1905.
McCrillis, Gorham, T	D	56th	April 30, 1904.
Miller, Stanley, Commissary.		54th	December 24, 1903.
Nichols, Henry D	L	56th	November 30, 1904
Opdycke, Millard L.	H	53d	April 14, 1905.
Payne, Rosseel S	C	55th	October 14, 1905.
Reinhart, Oscar	L	56th	Jul 13, 1905.
Rutherford, Thomas R.	L	55th	October 20, 1904.
Stewart, Charles J., Commissary		53d	June 15, 1905.
Smith, W. F. Inspector S. A. P			September 29, 1904
Thrift, William H.	A	53d	September 19, 1904
Thrift, William H	A	53d	February 1, 1905.
Thurston, Lloyd	I	55th	May 23, 1905.
Van Order, Paul I	L	55th	April 20, 1904.
Walburn, Albert A., Chaplain		55th	April 25, 1905.
Weatherwax, Wm. W.	D	53d	November 30, 1904
Whipple, James E	G	53d	September 21, 1904
Williams, F. C	I	55th	March 31, 1904.
Worthington, Emory C., Regimental Adjutant		55th	April 25, 1905.

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Name.	Company.	Infantry.	Date.
Agard, Alvin A.	A	53d	April 10, 1905.
Anderson, John Q., Battalion Adjutant		55th	July 22, 1904.
Baker, Alva	L	54th	January 18, 1905.
Bowen, Isaac N, Battalion Adjutant		54th	March 5, 1904.

LOST FROM THE SERVICE-CONTINUED.

FIRST LIEUTENANTS-CONTINUED.

Name.	Company.	Infantry.	Date.
Buddin, Geo. L	K	55th	November 22, 1905
Champion, Roy B.	I	54th	October 6, 1905.
Claypoole, Charles T.	H	56th	June 4, 1904.
Deering, A. B., Assistant Surgeon			April 26, 1905.
Douglas, Alexander W.	I	53d	February 9, 1904.
Driver, Fred J	E	55th	May 24, 1904.
Garton, George L., Battalion Adjutant.		55th	May 15, 1905.
Geist, Edwin S.	B	53d	October 17, 1904.
Green, Sam B	F	54th	July 24, 1905.
Hancock, J. C., Assistant Surgeon			May 4, 1905.
Hawkins, Owen C.	M	55th	December 20, 1904
Haynes, Glenn C., Battalion Adjutant ...		54th	June 28, 1904.
Helbig, Conrad F.	A	56th	January 3, 1905.
Hollingsworth, Livingston	D	54th	June 12, 1905.
Hoxie, H. O	K	55th	March 10, 1905.
Jay, D. Arthur, Assistant Surgeon			May 20, 1904.
Johnson, George M	M	53d	January 16, 1905.
King, Elliott R., Assistant Surgeon			May 20, 1904.
Logan, Frank D	C	55th	April 30, 1904.
McNeal, Arthur H	F	55th	October 29, 1904.
Mitchell, George H	D	53d	March 18, 1904.
Murphy, Patrick H	H	53d	April 14, 1905.
Myers, John P	D	56th	April 30, 1904.
Neely, Walter J	K	54th	October 13, 1905.
Norwood, Fred E	C	54th	September 11, 1905
Pabst, Marcus D	A	54th	April 15, 1905.
Peddie, A. F., Battalion Adjutant		56th	February 24, 1905.
Ringland, E. A., Battalion Adjutant		56th	June 21, 1904.
Smith, Percy P	C	53d	November 24, 1905
Smith, Roscoe R	I	55th	May 23, 1905.
Smith, Sam K., Battalion Adjutant		54th	October 5, 1904.
Stover, Bruce H., Assistant Surgeon			May 20, 1904.
Tillotson, Leroy R	F	55th	July 30, 1905.

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Blosser, Raymond W	F	55th	February 15, 1905
Chavannes, Francis E ...	A	55th	October 13, 1904.
Clock, Ralph H	D	56th	April 30, 1904.
Colsch, John	I	53d	June 27, 1905.
Flaherty, John J.	G	56th	November 24, 1905
Hanks, John H ...	C	55th	April 30, 1904.
Haynes, Fritz	E	54th	August 31, 1905.
Husting, Victor A	H	53d	April 14, 1905.
Hutchins, Lawrence C.	F	56th	October 30, 1905.
Jones, Edward M	K	54th	October 13, 1905.
Kelly, Wm. A	B	55th	December 13, 1904
Leinen, Leo. M	I	55th	May 2, 1905.
Long, Edward S., First Signal Co.			December 3, 1903.
McConaughy, C. H., First Signal Co.			December 14, 1904.
Noll, Ashley J	K	54th	October 31, 1904.
Peterson, John	F	56th	January 9, 1905.
Schill, Otto F.	A	53d	September 18, 1904
Smith, Charles A.	E	56th	January 15, 1904.
Sutton, Jesse B	F	55th	June 16, 1905.
Temple, Ernest C	I	55th	May 23, 1905.

Table showing gain of enlisted men, during period from November 30, 1903 to November 30, 1905.

FIFTY-THIRD INFANTRY.					FIFTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.				
Companies.	By enlistment.	By re-enlistment.	By transfer.	Total.	Companies.	By enlistment.	By re-enlistment.	By transfer.	Total.
Band	34		1	35	Band.....	28	11		39
A.....	37	23		60	A.....	91	3	1	95
B.....	53	14	1	68	B.....	42	6		48
C.....	54	8	2	64	C.....	47	15		62
D.....	68	5	2	75	D.....	26	5		31
E.....	46	8		54	E.....	35	22		57
F.....	33	10		43	F.....	42	14	2	58
G.....	46	10		56	G.....	47	2	2	51
H.....	80			80	H.....	44	9		53
I.....	34	7		41	I.....	47	17		64
K.....	34	4		38	K.....	48	16	2	66
L.....	41	5		46	L.....	60	6		66
M.....	40	5		45	M.....	35	12	1	48
N. C. S.....		1	1	2	N. C. S.....			11	11
Hosp. Corps	10	2		12	Hosp. Corps	11			11
Total ..	610	102	7	719	Total....	603	138	19	760

FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY.					FIFTY-SIXTH INFANTRY.				
Companies.	By enlistment.	By re-enlistment.	By transfer.	Total.	Companies.	By enlistment.	By re-enlistment.	By transfer.	Total.
Band..	14	6		20	Band.....	18	1	4	23
A.....	36	8	1	45	A.....	48	6		54
B.....	34	2	1	37	B.....	20			20
C.....	74	1		75	C.....	46	11		57
D.....	39	10		49	D.....	68	4		72
E.....	32	2		34	E.....	37	10		47
F.....	44	1	1	46	F.....	38	15		53
G.....	29	17	2	48	G.....	53	15		68
H.....	83	9		92	H.....	31	22		53
I.....	84			84	I.....	28	19		47
K.....	37	17		54	K.....	33	11		44
L.....	50	7		57	L.....	54	6		60
M.....	40	15		55	M.....	32	13		45
N. C. S.....		1	5	6	N. C. S.....		2	7	9
Hosp. Corps	6	3		9	Hosp. Corps	14	1	1	16
Total....	602	99	10	711	Total	520	136	12	668
First Signal Company....						42	3	1	46
Grand total.....	2904								

Table showing loss of enlisted men during period from November 30, 1903,
to November 30, 1905.

FIFTY-THIRD INFANTRY.

Company	Expiration of term of enlistment.	Removal from company station.	Business engagements.	Removal from state.	Muster out of company.	Transfer.	Willful absence from company drill.	Enlistment in U. S. army.	Physically unfit for military duty.	Non-attendance at drill	By death.	Refusal to perform military duty.	Absence from inspection.	Disobedience of orders.	School duties preventing attendance at drill.	Good of the service.	Per special orders issued Apr. 18, 1904	Over age.	Total.
Band.....		4	2		20														26
A.....	33	9	9				1									1			56
B.....	23	13	15																58
C.....	10	7	24	18			1							3					63
D.....	6	5	8	3	45														67
E.....	18	5	6	17			2	2	1										51
F.....	21	4	1	4						3									33
G.....	13	16	10	5		3		3											50
H.....		13	6	1	48				1							2		1	72
I.....	13	6	2	5		1													27
K.....	13	10	5																28
L.....	7	30	9	1		4									1				52
M.....	10	21	4	10						1	2								48
N. C. S.	5																		5
Hosp Corps...	8		2																10
Total..	180	143	103	74	113	8	4	5	2	4	2			3	1	3		1	646

FIFTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.

Band. ..	12	8	7	4															31
A.....	22	3	4	14	36			1											80
B.....	11	12	9			1							2						35
C.....	25	6	24	1							1								57
D.....	15	6	4	9			1												35
E.....	32	2	6	11			2		1										54
F.....	19	15	7	10		1	1		1										54
G.....	12	9	18	4		1	3				1								48
H.....	16	11	16	7		2	1												53
I.....	19	15	13	9		2	1		2										61
K.....	29	18	1	1		1	1				1					3			55
L.....	7	19	9	9		1			1	1	1								48
M.....	18	4	5	13					1										41
N. C. S.	5	3	2	1															11
Hosp. Corps.	1																		1
Total..	243	131	125	93	36	9	10		7	1	4		2			3			664

TABLE SHOWING LOSS OF ENLISTED MEN—CONTINUED.

FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY.

Company	Expiration of term of enlistment.	Removal from company station.	Business engagements.	Removal from state.	Muster out of company.	Transfer.	Willful absence from company.	Enlistment in U.S. army.	Physically unfit for military duty.	Non-attendance at drill.	By death.	Refusal to perform military duty.	Absence from inspection.	Disobedience of orders.	School duties preventing attendance at drill.	Good of the service.	Per special orders issued Apr 18, 1901.	Over age.	Total.
Band..	8	5	1																14
A	13	8	21	4					1										47
B	9	6	6	9		2													32
C	2	26	9	13	22	2	5		1										80
D	19	15		13		1	4	1											53
E	9	7		9					1			5							31
F		8	8	6		3				4						2			31
G	27	4		12		1	1												45
H	21	5	2	4	50		4												86
I		16	10	15	38				2	1	1					2			85
K	22	12	4	8			1												47
L	17	1	18	18															54
M	17	6	7	1															31
N. C. S.	2					1													3
Hosp. Corps...	5			1		1													7
Total.	171	119	86	113	110	11	15	1	5	5	1	5				4			646

FIFTY-SIXTH INFANTRY.

Band		12	2														2		16
A	10	11	12	10				2							1	1			47
B		11	10																21
C	18	18	5	5				4	1										51
D	6	4		5	43		1												59
E	18	16	1	1		1						1							38
F	31	6	1	10															48
G	29	19	9	8		1		1											67
H	24	3	10	9			1												47
I	22	9	5	3															39
K	16	16				1													33
L	12	3	12	19		2													48
M	27	6	3	2				1	1										40
N. C. S.	6					1													7
Hosp. Corps	5		3	2															10
Total.	224	134	73	74	43	6	2	8	2				1		1	1	1	2	571

First Signal Co	15	12	7	3			1	1							1				40
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Grand total 2,567

Enlisted men gained by	
Enlistment	2377
Re-enlistment....	478
Transfer.....	49

Total gain of enlisted men 2904

Enlisted men lost by	
Expiration of enlistment	833
Removal from company station	539
On account of business engagements....	394
Removal from state	357
Muster out of company	302
Transfer	34
Wilful absence from company drills	32
Physically unfit for military duty	16
Enlistment in U. S. Army	15
Good of the service	11
Non-attendance at drill	10
Death	7
Refusal to perform military duty	5
Absence from inspection	3
Disobedience of orders	3
School duties	3
Per S. O. Apr. 18, 1904	2
Over age	1

Total loss of enlisted men 2567

	Governor's staff.	Gen'l. staff and staff dept's.	1st. Signal Co.	53d Infantry.	54th Infantry.	55th Infantry.	56th Infantry.	Total.
Officers gained	4	15	3	32	42	44	38	178
Officers lost	4	15	3	28	24	36	29	139
Enlisted men gained			46	719	760	711	608	2904
Enlisted men lost			40	646	664	646	571	2567
Strength of Guard Nov. 15, 1905	18	19	46	658	663	675	689	2768

