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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

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GENERAL ORDER No. 13.

The Order of the COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF of the 26th inst., (No. 9) requiring the Major Generals to concentrate *ten* Companies within *each* of their respective Divisions, to constitute the second, third and fourth of the Volunteer Regiments, that may be raised under Act of 25th inst., authorized the allowance of pay, subsistence and rations to each of said Companies from the time of their organization by the election of officers; their time thenceforward being spent in drilling and instruction, as contemplated in the second section of said Act, which provides that "the officers and men of said force shall be paid only for the time actually spent in drilling and instruction under the order and direction of the Governor, and until ordered into actual service under the State or National Government." The Commander-in-Chief orders and directs that the Major Generals *immediately* designate the Companies for said Regiments.

The time required to be actually spent by Companies, (other than those composing the first four Regiments,) in drilling and instruction, for which officers and men will receive pay as provided by said Act, will be specified in a future Order.

BY ORDER OF

ISRAEL WASHBURN, Jr.,

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.

JOHN L. HODSDON, *Adjutant General.*