



# State of Maine.

Head Quarters,  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Augusta, April 26, 1861.

## GENERAL ORDER No. 9.

The Major Generals of the several Divisions of Militia, will immediately, upon the filling up of the Enlistment Rolls of Ten Companies within each of said Divisions, and the election of Officers, complete the Regimental organization of the Second, Third and Fourth of the Ten Regiments of Infantry, authorized by the act of April 25, 1861, by concentrating said Companies of each Division, and causing elections to be had for Regimental Officers when necessary, without further order from this Department, and make due return thereof. Regimental Staff offices will be promptly filled. Upon the final organization of said Regiments, and without awaiting the receipt of Commissions, the Major Generals will cause the respective Colonels to place their several commands under proper camp and police regulations, in accordance with military usage and discipline, and the rules and articles established by the laws of this State, for organizing the Militia, or any part thereof, when called into actual service, and will perfect them to the utmost extent possible in drill and discipline.

Pay, subsistence and quarters, for the respective Companies, will commence with the election of their officers. A bounty of two months' pay to every non-commissioned officer, musician and private, will be due and paid them, at the time the troops are mustered into the service of the United States. Descriptive Rolls of the several Companies will be made by their officers, as soon as organized, and be returned to this office. As the Regiments will be mustered into the service of the United States at the earliest moment possible, it is indispensable that all expenses duly arising under the act aforesaid, be forthwith ascertained and presented properly vouched and substantiated, in duplicate, to this Department, or the duly authorized accounting and disbursing officers thereof.

Doctor ALONZO GARCELON of Lewiston, has been appointed by the Governor and Commander-in-Chief, Hospital Surgeon and Head of the Medical Department of the forces authorized by the act of April 25, 1861; and he will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

JOHN L. HODSDON,

Adjutant and Acting Quarter Master General.