Division Orders, June 6, 1794.

The late Orders for electing a Brigadier General to the 1st Brigade of the 8th Division, having, from various causes, failed of the object for which they were given, Major General Starks is pleased to order the Field Officers of the 1st Brigade of the Division, to assemble at the Dwellinghouse of Orchard Hill, Easton, on the 25th day of August next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to elect a Brigadier General, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Adm. Dearborn, in command of the 1st Brigade of the 8th Division aforesaid. The senior Officer present will preside at the election, and make report to the Major General, as soon as may be thereafter. The Commanding Officers of Regiments will be answerable that this order is regularly & reasonably communicated to each of the other Field Officers of the Regiments they respectively command.

At the time appointed by the present militia law for examination of arms, &c. in companies, has elapsed before the Abolites mustered for the 1st Brigade arrived, the Major General directs each to order that all the companies in the 1st Brigade of the Division, on Tuesday the 25th day of August, meet in order to make the examination of arms & perfect the muster rolls conformable to the blanks furnished herewith, as prescribed by the Militia Law assigned to be done on the first Tuesday of May, annually. And the Commanding Officers of Regiments & companies will see this order carried into punctual execution.

During the present state of the Division, the Major General directs that all returns of Regiments in the 1st Brigade be made directly to the Deputy A. General, who will, under present circumstances, receive them without being digested into a Brigade Return, according to the returning officer's view of the matter, and that the annual return required by law, &c. which returns, when complete, must be made out and sent in without delay.

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