

Richards, George J.

## Eastonian Named Brigadier General

Mrs. Elmer P. Richards of Easton, wife of the late Postmaster, has another reason to be proud of her son George J. Richards, who was nominated by President Roosevelt to be promoted from colonel to brigadier general.

Col. Richards was graduated from



**GEORGE J. RICHARDS**  
Brigadier General

Easton high school in 1909 and attended Lafayette college. He was appointed to West Point by A. Mitchel Palmer of Stroudsburg, then U. S. Representative from this district. He was graduated from the Academy in 1915 and now has a son at West Point who is in the third class.

Col. Richards is a brother of Charles W. Richards, former faculty director of athletics at Easton high school, who now holds the rank of Captain and is stationed at Camp Murphy, Fla.

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