

National Guard, to whom it is ordered to report, a form of enlistment, to be prescribed by the Governor, for a term of not less than thirty (30) days nor more than ninety (90) days at one time, and if the service of said Motor Corps shall not be required for the full term of their enlistment they shall be discharged by the Governor. All members of said organization, when called out into the service of the State, as herein provided, shall be equipped and paid by the State and shall be protected in the discharge of their duties and in obeying the orders of the Governor, as though a part of the National Guard of the State.

1916, ch. 311, sec. 86.

**84.** To promote efficiency, and as a reward for continuous service, the Commander-in-Chief shall have power, under regulations to be prescribed by him, to issue service medals of appropriate designs to officers and enlisted men of the Maryland National Guard who shall complete ten years of continuous service.

1916, ch. 311, sec. 87.

**85.** All certificates of membership of any legally organized volunteer company of the militia shall be signed by the commanding officer thereof, which certificates shall be issued on or before the first day of April in each year, to such persons as may then compose the uniformed and active members of said company; every such company may receive and have as many honorary members as it has active and uniformed members, and no more, on payment, in advance, by each person desiring to become such honorary member, of not less than ten dollars per annum, which said money shall be received by the commanding officer of the company, and be by him applied to the payment of armory rent or the purchase of uniforms for the rank and file of the active members of his company or to such purposes as may be authorized by the by-laws of said company; and the commanding officer of every company shall, on or before the first day of June and December of every year, render to the Adjutant General an account of the money so received and expended by him, and every such honorary member shall be entitled to receive a certificate of honorary membership of the company, to be signed as aforesaid, and bearing date at the time of its issue; which certificates of membership, whether of uniformed and active members, or of honorary members, shall exempt the person therein named from petit jury duty for the period of one year from the date of his said certificate; provided, he files his said certificate with the clerk of the court before the drawing of the jury.

1916, ch. 311, sec. 88.

**86.** In order to reward those members of the Maryland National Guard who volunteered for service in the Spanish-American War, the Commander-in-Chief shall have power, under regulations to be prescribed by him, to issue medals of appropriate designs to officers and