

Insurrec-
tions, &c.

commanding officer of division aforesaid, without delay; and the militia shall be ordered out as aforesaid for the suppressing or preventing of an insurrection, or opposition to the laws, within the limits of the city aforesaid, when the mayor of the said city, or chief justice of Baltimore city court, or chief justice of Baltimore county court, shall, in writing, require it, and therein declare that he has good reason to believe that the peace and quiet of the state is likely to be endangered by an insurrection or opposition to the laws, and that military aid is necessary to suppress or prevent the same, and if any officer shall refuse or neglect to give such information as is required of him by this section, or shall refuse or neglect to order out the militia under his command, or such part thereof as he may be ordered or required to order out, as provided for in this section, or when so called out shall refuse or neglect to discharge the duties required of him in pursuance of the provisions of this section, he shall be liable to be cashiered, and fined not exceeding five hundred dollars, in the discretion of such court martial as the case may require; and if any non-commissioned officer or private shall refuse or neglect to obey any order given him by his superior officer in pursuance of the provisions of this section, such non-commissioned officer or private shall be liable to be fined, not exceeding one hundred dollars, in the discretion of such court martial as the case may require; and in cases provided for in this section, the commanding officer of the division shall have full power and authority to take such measures for issuing and transporting such supplies and orders within his division as he may deem requisite, until the orders of the commander-in-chief shall be known.

Penalties.

Arms and
accoutre-
ments,
report of
the number.

Bond for
return of.

SEC. 71. *And be it enacted*, That for the better preservation of the public arms in said division, it shall be the duty of each commanding officer of a company to report in March next to the commanding officer of the regiment to which he is attached, the number of arms and accoutrements, public and private, in his company, designating such as belong to the state; and the field officers of every regiment, shall, on or before the first day of May next, give bond with security to the state, to be approved by the governor and council, for the safe keeping of the arms and accoutrements belonging to the state, held by their respective regiments, and for the return of the same when required by the state, and thereupon the bonds heretofore given for such arms or accoutrements shall be cancelled; and when such public arms or accoutrements shall be left in the hands of any company by the field officers of the regiment to which such company belongs, the commissioned officers thereof shall give bonds to the commanding officer of the regiment to which such company is attached, to be by him approved, for the return of