

ions comprising said brigades or divisions; company officers shall be elected by the ballots of the members of their respective companies; the commissioned and non-commissioned staff shall be appointed by the commanding officer of the respective divisions, brigades, regiments, battalions or squadrons; non-commissioned officers of companies shall be appointed by the commanders of their respective companies; warrants for non-commissioned officers shall be issued by the regimental or battalion commanders.

Sec. 28. The commissioned officers of the National Guard shall be commissioned by the Governor; but he may in his discretion withhold such commission in order to determine the qualification of the person for the office to which he shall have been elected or appointed, and if upon reference to an examining board, to be appointed as hereinafter provided, a general, field, staff or company officer shall be adjudged unqualified, another officer shall, within ten days after due notice given in writing to the Adjutant General, to whom the presiding officer of said board shall report, be elected or appointed as provided by this Act, and in default of such election or appointment the vacancy shall be filled by the Commander-in-Chief.

To be commissioned.

Sec. 29. The Commander-in-Chief may, from time to time, and at any time, appoint a military board of examiners of not less than three nor more than five officers, whose duty it shall be to examine the capacity, qualification, propriety of conduct and efficiency of any commissioned officer who may be reported to him as a fit subject for examination, and upon the report of such board, if adverse to such officer and approved by the Commander-in-Chief, the commission of such officer may be revoked; provided always, that if practicable, two members at least of such board shall be of military rank at least equal to that of the officer to be examined; the Commander-in-Chief may also, when in his opinion it is necessary, call boards of officers for settling military questions or for other purposes relative to good order and discipline.

Appoint board of examiners.

Sec. 30. The Commander-in-Chief is authorized to order annually, in each district, one camp of instruction, for not less than two nor more than five

Camp of instruction.