

CHAP. 295.

Ch. 295 of 1823, and
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in force

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Formed into two
divisions

Name

Third division to
consist of

First and second
light brigade to
constitute first
light division

Issue Commissions

eighteen hundred and twenty-four, chapter one hundred and sixty-four, at December session, eighteen hundred and twenty-five, chapter one hundred and twenty-five, and at December session, eighteen hundred and twenty-nine, chapter one hundred and ninety-seven, all of which said acts, are supplements to the act for the better regulation of the Militia, of the city of Baltimore, be, and the same are hereby repealed, and that the aforesaid act, entitled, an act for the better regulation of the militia of the city of Baltimore, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and twenty-three, chapter one hundred and eighty-eight, and the supplements thereto, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and twenty-five, chapter fifty-six, and chapter two hundred and eighteen, be, and they are hereby declared to be in force in the city of Baltimore, except so far as the provisions thereof may be repealed by this act, or be inconsistent with the provisions hereinafter contained.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That all able bodied white male citizens, between the ages of twenty-one and forty-five years, residents of the city of Baltimore, and not exempted by the first section of the act of eighteen hundred and twenty-three chapter one hundred and eighty-eight, shall be and they are hereby formed into two divisions, one whereof shall be the third division, and the other to be raised, shall be called the first light division of Maryland volunteers.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the third division shall consist of all the brigades now attached to it, except the first light brigade of Maryland volunteers, which said brigade, together with a new brigade to be raised, and to be called the second light brigade of Maryland volunteers, shall constitute the first light division of Maryland volunteers, for which said new division, the Governor and Council shall issue commissions for a major general, with the usual division staff officers, and for which said new brigade, the Governor and Council shall issue commissions for a brigadier general, with the usual brigade staff officers as hereinafter directed.