

and file all returns made to him according to law and regulation, and annually make a detailed report thereof to the commander-in-chief, and perform such other duties as may properly belong to his office, or which may be enjoined upon him by the commander-in-chief; he shall act as inspector general, visit the arsenals and examine the military property and things therein deposited; it shall be his duty to inquire and determine whether the regulations respecting their preservation and safe keeping are duly observed, to inspect every branch of the military service of the State, to attend all camps of instruction and other camps when ordered by the commander-in-chief, and to perform such other duties appertaining to his office as may be enjoined upon him by the regulations of the commander-in-chief.

6. The Governor is hereby fully authorized and empowered to prescribe by such further rules and regulations such other duties to the adjutant general as he may deem necessary and proper.

7. The business of the quartermaster, commissary and surgeon general's departments when organized as hereinafter directed shall be transacted and the accounts kept and made out in the same manner, as near as may be, as is required by the system and regulations governing similar departments in the army of the United States; accounts current of all transactions therein with proper vouchers shall be rendered by them quarterly to the commander-in-chief.

8. The Governor is hereby authorized and empowered to organize in his discretion, the said staff departments and by and with the advice and consent of the Senate to appoint chiefs to each who shall hold their commission during his pleasure, and to prescribe by rules and regulations the duties to be performed by the said chiefs of department, which shall, as far as may be, conform to those which are prescribed for the government of similar departments in the army of the United States; and he is also authorized and empowered to appoint such number of aids de-camp as in his judgment may be necessary to enable