

enforce the execution of the laws ; but shall not take the command in person without the consent of the General Assembly.

SEC. 12. He shall take care that the laws be faithfully executed. His duties.

SEC. 13. He shall nominate, and by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint all civil and military officers of the State, whose appointment or election is not otherwise herein provided for, unless a different mode of appointment be prescribed by the law creating the office. Appointments.

SEC. 14. In case of vacancy, during the recess of the Senate, in any office which the Governor has power to fill, he shall appoint some suitable person to said office, whose commission shall continue in force till the end of the next session of the General Assembly, or till some other person is appointed to the same office, whichever shall first occur, and the nomination of the person thus appointed during the recess, or of some other person in his place, shall be made to the Senate within thirty days after the next meeting of the General Assembly. Appointments during recess. 3 Md 341. 14 Md 215 1862, ch 68.

SEC. 15. No person after being rejected by the Senate, shall be again nominated for the same office at the same session, unless at the request of the Senate ; or be appointed to the same office during the recess of the General Assembly. Persons rejected not to be appointed.

SEC. 16. All civil officers appointed by the Governor and Senate, shall be nominated to the Senate within fifty days from the commencement of each regular session of the General Assembly ; and their term of office, except in cases otherwise provided for in this Constitution, shall commence on the first Monday of May next ensuing their appointment, and continue for two years (unless sooner removed from office,) and until their successors respectively qualify according to law. Time of Nomination. Term of Office.

SEC. 17. The Governor may suspend or arrest any military officer of the State for disobedience of orders, or other military offence, and may remove him in pursuance of the sentence of a court-martial ; and may remove, for incompetency or misconduct, all civil officers who received ap- Courts Martial. 14 Md. 215.