

ARTICLE LXV.

MILITIA.

I. RESERVE MILITIA AND GENERAL STAFF.

SECTION 1. The Militia of this State shall consist of all able bodied male citizens between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years, and not exempt by the laws of the United States, Militia subjects. except persons holding any civil office created by the Constitution and laws of the State, practicing physicians, ministers of any church or religious denomination, conductors and engineers of railways, captains and chief engineers of steam vessels and licensed pilots; all such exempted persons shall be liable to military duty in case of war, insurrection, invasion or imminent danger thereof.

SEC. 2. In case of war, rebellion, insurrection or threatened invasion of this or any neighboring State, the Governor, as commander-in-chief, is hereby authorized to order out for actual service, either by calling for volunteers, by draft or otherwise, as many of the Militia as the exigency may in his judgment require, and in such cases he is hereby vested with the full power and authority to make all needful rules and regulations therefor, which rules and regulations shall have the force of law. When militia to be ordered out.

SEC. 3. At all times the commander-in-chief is hereby authorized to make and publish all needful rules and regulations for the control, discipline, armament and equipment of the Militia to carry out the provisions of this Article, which rules and regulations shall, as far as practicable, conform to the laws and regulations governing the organization of the United States volunteer forces, their discipline, armament, equipment and officers, and which rules and regulations shall have the force of law. Rules and regulations.

SEC. 4. Whenever the commander-in-chief shall deem it necessary he may order an enrollment of all persons, other than members of the National Guard, liable to military duty, to be made by persons by him designated. Enrollment. Such enrollment shall state the name, residence, age and occupation of the persons enrolled. Two copies of such enrollment shall be made, one to be filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court of Baltimore City, or with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for the county wherein such enrollment shall be made, the other to be filed in the office of the Adjutant General of the State. The officer making such enrollment shall, at the time of making