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64. Any officer of the Maryland National Guard, on conviction of any of the offenses mentioned in Section 63 of this Act, may be sentenced to be dismissed from the service, fined to an amount not exceeding \$100 or reprimanded, or to all or either of such fines and penalties. Any enlisted man of the Maryland National Guard, on conviction of any of the offenses mentioned in Section 63 of this Act, may be sentenced to be dishonorably discharged, reprimanded, and if a non-commissioned officer, reduced to the ranks or fined to an amount not exceeding \$50.00, or to all or either of such fines and penalties. No excuse shall be valid for any absence from assemblies except bona fide absence from the city or place where such assemblies are ordered, illness of member (such as would prevent attention to ordinary pursuits) or sickness in family requiring his personal care and presence; provided, however, that the Court may, in its discretion, excuse his absence for any other reason satisfactory to it. No excuse will be valid for absence from annual inspection except illness of member, such as would prevent his attendance, or illness in family requiring his presence and personal care.

Service of summons to appear before a court-martial shall be made by delivery to and leaving with each delinquent a copy thereof or by reading it to him, or by leaving a copy at his last known place of abode or business, or by mailing to him a copy directed to his last known place of abode or business. The officer or enlisted man serving such summons shall, if required, make a return thereof containing the time, place and manner of such service, which may be verified by oath before any commissioned officer. Such certified returns shall be as good evidence on the trial of such person so summoned of the facts therein stated, as if such officer or enlisted man had testified to the same before the court-martial on such trial.

77. Each officer and enlisted man ordered for duty by the Governor, or, under his authority, by the commanding officer of the brigade or the Naval Brigade, shall receive the pay herein specified for every day actually on duty. Officers, according to their rank, shall be entitled to pay at the same rate per diem that officers of like rank receive in the service of the United States, including longevity pay. Enlisted men shall be paid the following rates per day: Non-commissioned staff officers, first sergeants and company quartermaster sergeants, two dollars; sergeants, one dollar and seventy-five cents; corporals, cooks and farriers, one dollar and fifty cents; musicians and private, one dollar and twenty-five cents; enlisted men of the