CHAPTER 33.

Passed Feb. AN ACT to provide Bounty for Soldiers entering the service of the United States, to fill the quotas of Maryland under the call of the president of the United States, of December, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, and under future calls.

Bounty to be paid.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That whenever, under the aforesaid proclamation of the President, or any other similar one hereafter made, a draft shall take place in this State to fill her quota or the residue of her quota under such call, a bounty of three hundred dollars shall be paid to every person drafted and held to service, or to every person volunteering or furnishing a representative substitute, or his authorized agent or attorney, under the call of the President, of December, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, or any other similar one which shall hereafter be made.

State Bounty Board to be appointed.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That three responsible citizens shall be appointed by the Governor of the State, by and with the advice of and consent of the Senate, for each county, and one for each of the Legislative Districts of the city of Baltimore, to be called the "Maryland State Bounty Boards," for the said counties and city respectively; and that the said boards, upon giving bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars, by each member of said boards, to be approved by the Governor, shall have the right to draw upon the Treasurer, upon the warrant of the Comptroller of the State, for the amount of three hundred dollars for each drafted man, volunteer or representative substitute, or his authorized agent or attorney, to be paid to such persons as may furnish proper certificates from the officer authorized to grant such certificates, that he has volunteered, been drafted and held to service, or furnished a substitute under said call, or any similar call hereafter made, and credited as a part of the quota of the sub-districts in which such volunteer, drafted man or principal of such substitute may reside; and every member of the said boards so constituted under this section, shall receive a compensation of two hundred dollars (\$200)