

SECTION 3. For the purpose of defraying the claims and expenses arising as aforesaid, there shall annually be allowed from the treasury of the commonwealth a sum not exceeding twenty-five hundred dollars.

Expenditure.

SECTION 4. The provisions of this act shall apply to all claims as aforesaid resulting from the manœuvres held in this commonwealth in August, nineteen hundred and nine.

To apply to certain claims.

*Approved March 16, 1910.*

AN ACT TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL OFFICERS FOR THE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT OF THE MILITIA.

Chap.228

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section twenty of chapter six hundred and four of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and eight is hereby amended in the clause headed "The medical department shall consist of", by striking out the figures "9" and "12" opposite "assistant surgeons, with the rank of captain", and "assistant surgeons, with the rank of first lieutenant", respectively, and inserting in place thereof the figures:— 10 and 14, respectively, — so that the clause will read as follows:—

1908, 604, § 20, amended.

- 1 surgeon general, with the rank of brigadier general;
- 11 surgeons, with the rank of major;
- 10 assistant surgeons, with the rank of captain;
- 14 assistant surgeons, with the rank of first lieutenant; and a hospital corps.

Medical department.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved March 16, 1910.*

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF WOBURN TO MAKE ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR A HOSPITAL.

Chap.229

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. The city of Woburn is hereby authorized to raise annually by taxation and to pay to the Woburn Charitable Association, a corporation duly organized under the laws of this commonwealth, for the support and use of the Charles Choate Memorial Hospital, located in the said city, a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars.

The city of Woburn to appropriate money for the support of a certain hospital.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved March 16, 1910.*