SEC. 60. The departmental and military duties of the officers provided for in this act shall be correlative with those discharged by similarly designated officers in the Army of the United States.

SEC. 61. That the system of discipline and field-exercise ordered to be observed by the Army of the United States, or such other system as may hereafter be directed for the militia by-laws of the United States, shall be observed by the National Guard.

SEC. 62. That the commanding general, subject to the approval of the commander-in-chief, is authorized to make and publish regulations for the government of the militia in all matters not specifically provided for by law, conforming the same to the practice and regulations of the Army so far as they may be applicable.

SEC. 63. That the act "more effectually to provide for the organization of the militia of the District of Columbia," approved March third, eighteen hundred and three, is hereby repealed.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

CHAP. 329.—An act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to sell block of land one hundred and eight in the city of Houston, Texas.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized to sell, either at private or public sale, the interest held by the United States in and to block one hundred and eight, situated in the city of Houston, Texas, on the south side of Buffalo Bayou, and to make a quit-claim deed to the purchaser thereof.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

CHAP. 330.—An act to reappropriate to pay for alley condemned in square numbered four hundred and ninety-three.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That of the surplus that has been covered into the Treasury of the sum appropriated by the act approved June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty, entitled, "An act making appropriations for the District of Columbia for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-one", for amount due property owners for ground condemned and used for alleys, there be, and the same is hereby, reappropriated so much as will be sufficient to pay, with interest at the rate of six per centum per annum from August sixth, eighteen hundred and seventy, to the date of the approval of this act, the persons entitled to the amount awarded by the jury of condemnation for the land taken for an alley through square numbered four hundred and ninety-three, in the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

CHAP. 331.—An act to encourage the enlistment of boys as apprentices in the United States Navy.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in order to encourage the enlistment of boys as apprentices in the United States Navy, the Secretary of the Navy is hereby authorized to furnish as a bounty to each of said apprentices after his enlistment, and when first received on board of a training-ship, an outfit of clothing not to exceed in value the sum of forty-five dollars.

Approved, March 1, 1889.