

No. 16

AN ACT

To amend clause thirty-five of section two thousand four hundred three of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one (Pamphlet Laws, nine hundred thirty-two), entitled "An act relating to cities of the third class; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating thereto," further regulating the appropriation of moneys for the support, maintenance, discipline, and training of units of the National Guard, and the expenditure and accounting for of such moneys.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That clause thirty-five of section two thousand four hundred three of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one (Pamphlet Laws, nine hundred thirty-two), entitled "An act relating to cities of the third class; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating thereto," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Clause 35 of section 2403, act of June 23, 1931 (P. L. 932), amended.

35. Support of National Guard Units.—To appropriate annually a sum not exceeding seven hundred and fifty dollars for the support and maintenance, *discipline and training* of any dismounted company or similar unit of the National Guard, and a sum not to exceed fifteen hundred dollars for the support and maintenance of any mounted or motorized troop or similar unit of the National Guard. [using and occupying an armory, building, rooms, or quarters within the limits of the city] *Where such units are organized as a battalion, regiment or similar organization, the total amount due may be paid to the commanding officer of the battalion, regiment or similar organization.* Any moneys so appropriated shall be paid by warrant drawn to the order of the commanding officer of such company, *battalion, regiment or similar organization*, only when it shall be certified to the city, by the Adjutant General of the State, that the said company or companies have satisfactorily passed the annual inspection provided by law. The moneys so appropriated shall be used and expended solely and exclusively for the support and maintenance, discipline and training of the said company, *battalion, regiment, or similar organization*; and the commanding officer shall account, by the proper vouchers to the said city each year, for the expenditure of the money so appropriated, and no appropriation shall be made for any subsequent year until the expenditure of the previous year is duly and satisfactorily accounted for.

The accounts of such expenditures shall be subject to the inspection of the Department of Military Affairs, and shall be audited by the Auditor General in the manner

provided by law for the audit of accounts of State moneys.

APPROVED—The 10th day of March, A. D. 1937.

GEORGE H. EARLE

No. 17

AN ACT

To amend section four hundred twelve of the act, approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand two hundred seventy-eight), entitled "An act relating to counties of the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; and revising, amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto," further regulating the appropriation of moneys for the support, maintenance, discipline, and training of units of the National Guard, and the expenditure and accounting for of such moneys.

Section 412, act
of May 2, 1929
(P. L. 1278),
amended.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section four hundred and twelve of the act, approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand two hundred seventy-eight), entitled "An act relating to counties of the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; and revising, amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 412. Appropriation Toward Maintenance of Units of *the* National Guard. The board of commissioners may appropriate from any moneys in the county treasury, not otherwise appropriated, annually, a sum not exceeding seven hundred and fifty dollars for the support and maintenance, discipline and training, of any dismounted company or similar unit of the National Guard, and a sum not to exceed fifteen hundred dollars for the support and maintenance, discipline and training, of any mounted or motorized troop or similar unit of the National Guard. [using and occupying an armory building, rooms or quarters within the limits of such county] *Where such units are organized as a battalion, regiment or similar organization, the total amount due may be paid to the commanding officer of the battalion, regiment or similar organization.*

Any moneys so appropriated shall be paid by warrant of the commissioners, drawn to the order of the commanding officer of such [unit] *company, battalion, regiment or similar organization*, only when it shall be certified to the commissioners by the Adjutant General of the State that such unit or units have satisfactorily passed the annual inspection provided by law. [No appropriation shall be made for any year, until the expenditure of the appropriation for the previous year