DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

Minister of Militia; his duties.

5. There shall be a Minister of Militia, who shall be charged with and be responsible for the administration of Militia affairs and of the fortifications, ordnance, ammunition, arms, armouries, stores, munitions and habiliments of war belonging to Canada, including the initiative in all matters involving the expenditure of money.

Further duties.

2. The Governor in Council may, from time to time, make such orders as are necessary respecting the duties to be performed by the Minister of Militia.

Deputy and

6. The Governor in Council may appoint a deputy of the 10 Minister of Militia, and such other officers as are necessary for carrying on the business of the Department,—all of whom shall hold office during pleasure.

WORKS FOR DEFENCE.

Minister to have control of military

7. The Minister of Militia shall have the control and management (including charge of the maintenance and repair) of 15 buildings, etc. all military buildings, and also of the construction, maintenance and repair of all forts and fortifications and other works for defence in Canada.

Certain works for defence declared public works.

S. Every work in any part of Canada, certified by the Commander of His Majesty's Regular Forces in Canada to be re- 20 quired for the defence of Canada, shall be held to be a public work within the meaning of The Expropriation Act, and, for the purposes of such work, the expression "Minister" in the said Act shall include His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for War.

Sketching, etc., of milit-ary works without authority.

9. It shall not be lawful for any person, except an officer duly authorized in writing, to make any sketch, drawing, photograph, picture or painting, of any fort, battery, field-work, fortification, or other military work in Canada, under a penalty not exceeding five hundred dollars and imprisonment, with or 30 without hard labour, for a period not exceeding six months; and all sketches, drawings, photographs, pictures and paintings, and all tools and materials, or apparatus for sketching, drawing, photographing or painting, found in the possession of any person violating this section, shall be confiscated and forfeited 35 to the Crown, and may be seized and confiscated on view by any commissioned or non-commissioned officer, and shall be destroyed or otherwise dealt with, as the Minister directs.

Attempt to sketch, etc.

10. Any person who enters or approaches any fort, battery, field-work, fortification, or other military work, with sketching, 40 drawing, photographing or painting materials, or apparatus in his possession, with the intention, or apparent intention, of committing any breach of this Act, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars; and all tools, materials, or apparatus, for sketching, drawing, photographing, 45 or painting found in his possession shall be forfeited to the Crown, and may be seized and confiscated on view by any