

District school trustees. school commissioners on the first day of May, or at their first meeting thereafter, in each year, and who shall meet within thirty days after their appointment and enter upon the duties assigned them in chapter five of this article. At their first meeting they shall appoint a chairman to hold office for one year, and shall give notice of the appointment to the secretary of the board of county school commissioners.

Age of teachers. SEC. 64. No certificate of qualification as a teacher shall be issued to any male under nineteen years of age, or to any female under eighteen years of age.

Effective. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 6th, 1894.

CHAPTER 379.

AN ACT to repeal sections from sixty-seven to seventy-six, inclusive, of Article seventy-two of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Oysters," sub-title "State Shipping Commissioners," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Repeal. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That sections 67 to 76, inclusive, of article 72 of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Oysters," sub-title "State Shipping Commissioners," be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows :

Crews of oyster vessels to sign contracts. SEC. 67. No boat or vessel belonging to a resident or residents of this State, whose crew shall have been shipped from Baltimore city or Baltimore county, shall engage in catching oysters in the waters of this State, unless each member of the crew of such vessel shall have signed a contract of engagement before one of the State Shipping Commissioners of Baltimore city, binding themselves in accordance with provisions of sections 68 to 76 of this article.

State shipping commissioners. SEC. 68. That there shall be appointed by the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Senate, one State Shipping Commissioner for each of the seven oyster districts of this State, as prescribed by the act of 1886, chapter 296, section 24, and five State Shipping Commissioners for the city of Baltimore. The commissioners appointed for the city of Baltimore