C. W. Smith. C. E. Nikirk. W. R. Winder.	Middletown
Office Boy: Gordon Van Lill	Baltimore
Washington Agent: Charles E. Beane	ge's County

Governor, with consent of Senate, appoints one Commissioner for a term of two years from the first Monday in May (Ch. 687, 1916). The Commissioner appoints all others in his office.

The Commissioner is authorized to appoint such assistants and at such salaries as he may deem necessary, subject to the approval of the Governor; he is also authorized to appoint an agent, who shall maintain an office in Washington, D. C., for the issuance of licenses. It is the duty of the Commissioner to employ, with the consent and approval of the Governor, a number of Motor Cycle Officers to enforce the motor vehicle traffic throughout the entire State.

In addition to issuing licenses, it is the duty of the Commissioner to exercise reasonable effort to secure the enforcement of the Automobile Law.

## STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS.

Secretary, Dr. F. F. Drew, 701 N. Howard St., Baltimore.

Name	Postoffice.	Term Expires.
Dr. T. L. McCarriar	Baltimore	1920
Dr. H. A. Wilson	Baltimore	1920
Dr. Frederick F. Drew	Baltimore	1922
Dr. J. S. Hopkins	Belair	
Dr. Albert B. King	Baltimore	1924
Dr. Charles V. Hayden, Jr	Leonardtown	

Governor appoints six; two bi-ennially for a term of six years from the first Monday in May, from a list of nine practicing dentists furnished by the Maryland State Dental Association. (Bagby Code, Art. 32, Sec. 2.)

The paramount duty of the Dental Board, as provided by the Dental Practice Act of this State, is to regulate the practice of Dentistry in Maryland by testing the qualifications of candidates.

It requires that all applicants for license shall be twenty-one years of age and shall be graduates of dental colleges duly incorporated to grant degrees in Dental Surgery by the laws of one of the United States.

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Two annual examinations are held—lasting two days each—one being in the month of May, the other in that of November. Each applicant for examination files with the Secretary of the Board a sworn statement setting forth his age, name and address, college of graduation, etc., together with the examination fee of ten dollars.

The examinations are both theoretical (written) and practical.

Each member of the Board is assigned certain subjects for examination and is allowed ten questions.

The written examinations comprise Anatomy, Physiology, Chemistry, Bacteriology, Oral Surgery, Pathology, Therapeutics, Materia Medica, Operative and Prosthetic Dentistry.

The practical tests are the insertion of a gold and amalgam filling in the mouth and the soldering of a gold plate or bridge before the Board.