

THE MARYLAND STATE BOARD OF MOTION PICTURE CENSORS

211 North Calvert Street, Baltimore.

Name.	Postoffice.	Term Expires.
Chairman:		
George Heller, M. D.	Baltimore	1935
Vice-Chairman and Treasurer:		
Asa C. Sharp	Knollwood	1933
Secretary:		
Marie W. Presstman	Baltimore	1934
Chief Clerk:		
Helen L. Odum		Baltimore
Stenographer:		
Florence W. Jones		Baltimore
Inspectors:		
Charles Bonnett		Baltimore
Mrs. Martha P. Gaskins		Baltimore
Mrs. Mary H. Duvall		Baltimore
Sadie M. Dorsey		Baltimore
Michael A. Coughlan		Baltimore
Mrs. Edith B. Reed		Baltimore
Film Examiner and Measurer:		
Edward Williams		Baltimore
Moving Picture Operators:		
Arthur J. Stewart		Baltimore
George T. Sewell		Baltimore
Moving Picture Operator's Assistant:		
William Gershourtz		Baltimore

The Board consists of a Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Secretary, appointed by the Governor, with the consent of the Senate, for a term of three years. (Ch. 390, 1922.)

The duties of the Board are to examine all films, reels or views to be exhibited or used in the State of Maryland; to approve such as are moral and proper, and to condemn or eliminate those which, in the judgment of the Board, tend to debase or corrupt morals, or incite to crime.

The Board receives in advance a fee of \$2.00 for each 1,000 feet of film, or fractional part thereof, submitted for examination, and \$1.00 for each duplicate of 1,000 feet, or fractional part thereof, if submitted within a year after the examination and approval of the original film. Upon completion of the examination the Board issues a certificate stating the result of the examination and furnishes an official approval seal, record of which is kept by the Board.

Persons submitting films to the Board for examination, if dissatisfied with the result of the first examination, may, upon appeal, submit the same film to the Board for re-examination, and finally to the City Court of Baltimore.

Any person failing to display the approval seal of the Board may be fined from \$5.00 to \$10.00, or in default of payment shall be sentenced to imprisonment from two to five days.