## ARTICLE XXXII.

## DENTISTRY.

- Unlawful to practice without certificate.
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- 8. Fee of applicants.
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- Penalties for violating provisions of this article.
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- 12. Prosecution of past offenses.

1904, art. 32, sec. 1. 1888, art. 32, sec. 1. 1884, ch. 150. 1886, ch. 372. 1896, ch. 378, sec. 1.

1. It shall be unlawful for any person to practice dentistry in this State unless such person shall have obtained a certificate, as hereinafter provided.

See notes to sections 4 and 11.

Ibid. sec. 2. 1888, art. 32, sec. 2. 1884, ch. 150, sec. 2. 1896, ch. 378, sec. 2.

There shall be a State board of dental examiners which shall consist of six practicing dentists of recognized ability and honor who have held regular dental diplomas for five years, whose duty it shall be to carry out the purposes and enforce the provisions of this article. The members of said board shall be appointed by the governor out of a list of nine dentists proposed by the Maryland State Dental Association and chosen by a majority vote of the members of said association present at a meeting called for that purpose, of which meeting two weeks' notice shall be given. The term for which the members of said board shall hold their office shall be for six years, except that the members of said board first to be appointed under this section shall be designated by the governor to serve: one-third for a term of two years, one-third for a term of four years and one-third for a term of six years, unless sooner removed by the governor, and until their successors shall be duly appointed. In case of a vacancy occurring in said board, such vacancy shall be filled by the governor from the list above mentioned. member of said board who shall be absent from two successive regular board meetings shall cease to be a member of it.