ARTICLE 74.

PILOTS.

4. Examination of applicants; license.

An. Code. 1924, sec. 4. 1912, sec. 4. 1904, sec. 4. 1888, sec. 4. 1853, ch. 214, sec. 1. 1918, ch. 90. 1931, ch. 27.

4. The Board of Examiners shall examine each applicant producing such certificate; and if upon public examination, the person shall appear to the board of sufficient ability, skill and experience they shall grant him one of three kinds of warrants of appointment and license, under seal, according to the qualification of such person, thereby authorizing him for one year from the date of such warrant either to pilot such vessels of any draught of water, or vessels not exceeding seventeen feet draught, or vessels not exceeding twelve feet draught; and every person receiving such warrant and appointment shall thereafter be reported a lawful pilot.