

anotherapy, naprapathy; provided, however, that nothing in Sections 419 or 423 shall apply to graduates who have diplomas or certificates from a recognized chiropractic school, college or institution; or who shall, under any other term or name practice or attempt to practice osteopathy as defined in Section 421 of this Article, or who, for the purpose of obtaining such license, shall falsely represent himself or herself to be the holder of a diploma as herein provided, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof in the Criminal Court of Baltimore City, or the Circuit Court of the County in which the offense may have been committed, shall pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars, nor more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the City or County jail for not less than thirty days nor more than ninety days for each offense, either or both, at the discretion of the Court; provided, however, that nothing contained in this sub-title shall be construed in affecting¹ the so-called practice of medicine.

See notes to secs. 131 and 419.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 362. 1912, sec. 303. 1914, ch. 786.

424. On and after April 13, 1914, the State Board of Osteopathic Examiners shall refuse to grant a license to an applicant to practice osteopathy in this State, and is empowered to revoke a license conferring on a person the right to practice osteopathy upon the presentation to said State Board of Osteopathic Examiners of a court record showing the conviction, in due course of law, of said person for procuring, aiding or abetting in producing a criminal abortion or miscarriage, by any means whatsoever. The State Board of Osteopathic Examiners, upon such evidence and proof, shall cause the name of said convicted licentiate to be removed from the record in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Baltimore City or the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County. The State Board of Osteopathic Examiners may refuse, revoke, or suspend the right to practice osteopathy in this State upon any or all of the following reasons; to wit, the conviction of a crime involving moral turpitude; habitual intemperance in the use of ardent spirits or stimulants, narcotics or any other substance which impairs intellect, and judgment, to such an extent as to incapacitate the performance of professional duties. Any person who is a licentiate under this sub-title, or who is an applicant for examination for licensure to practice osteopathy in this State, against whom any of the foregoing charges are preferred, for causing the revocation or suspension of license or for causing the refusal of the right to be examined for licensure, shall be furnished by the State Board of Osteopathic Examiners with a copy of the complaint and shall have a hearing before said board, in person or by attorney, and witnesses may be examined by said board, respecting guilt or innocence of said accused. The suspension of license of any licentiate under this sub-title shall be removed when said narcotic or vicious habit, hereinbefore specified, shall have been adjudged by the proper authorities to be cured or overcome, and said suspended licentiate deemed again capable of practicing his profession.

Any citizen of Maryland having information which causes him to believe that any person has been heretofore wrongfully and improperly registered as osteopath, upon his application to the Clerk of any Court may apply, by petition, to the Circuit Court of the County wherein such registration was made, or to the Circuit Court of Baltimore City, if such registration was

¹ This way in the Act.