

organization for each district, and at their first meeting to elect by ballot twelve respectable regular physicians in the city of Baltimore, and six in each county and annually thereafter one half that number, who shall constitute a permanent board of examiners for each district.

Permanent board of examiners

Ibid. s. 3
To be divided into two classes.

3. Immediately after they shall be assembled in consequence of their first election, they shall be divided by lot into two equal classes; the seats of the examiners of the first class shall be vacated at the expiration of the first year, and those of the second class at the expiration of the second year, so that one-half may be chosen every year; and if vacancies happen by resignation or otherwise, the president of the faculty of the district shall make temporary appointments until the next meeting of the faculty, which shall then fill such vacancies.

Vacancies

Ibid. s. 4.
Quorum for examining candidates

4. Any six of the examiners elected for the city of Baltimore, and any three of those elected for each county shall constitute a quorum of the board in the said districts for examining such candidates as may apply; and shall subscribe their names to each license granted by them, which license shall also be countersigned by the president of the faculty of the district, and have the seal of the faculty of the state affixed thereto by the secretary, upon the payment into the hands of the treasurer of the sum of ten dollars; and any two of the said examiners may grant a license to practice until a board can be held in conformity with this act.

Licenses.

Ibid. s. 5.
Delegates to the central medical board of examiners.

5. On the second Monday next succeeding the election of the first permanent board of examiners each board shall send one delegate to the city of Baltimore, where they shall meet under the name of the Central Medical Board of Examiners for the state of Maryland, for the purpose of adopting a common seal, and making such rules and regulations as they may consider expedient to establish uniformity in the proceedings of the different boards.