

1894, ch. 278.

67. The State veterinary medical board shall examine all diplomas as to their genuineness, and each applicant not holding a diploma shall submit to a theoretical and practical examination before the State veterinary medical board, said examination to be written, oral or both, which examination, if passed to the satisfaction of the said board, shall entitle the applicant to practise veterinary medicine and surgery, subject to provisions and regulations of this sub-title and regulations of the said board.

Ibid.

68. All examinations of persons not graduates shall be made directly by the State veterinary medical board, and the certificates given by the said board shall authorize the possessors to practise veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Maryland. All examinations of ungraduated practitioners must take place before the thirty first day of December, eighteen hundred and ninety-four. After that date no certificate shall be granted, except to persons presenting diplomas from legally chartered colleges.

Ibid.

69. Any person shall be regarded as practising veterinary medicine and surgery, within the meaning of this sub-title, who shall have received a license as mentioned in section 67; but nothing in this sub-title shall be construed to prohibit members of the medical profession from prescribing for domestic animals in case of emergency and collecting a fee therefor, nor to prohibit gratuitous services in an emergency, nor to prevent any person from practising veterinary medicine and surgery on any animal belonging to himself or herself. And this sub-title of this article shall not apply to commissioned veterinary surgeons in the United States army.

Ibid.

70. It shall be the duty of such board to keep a register of all practitioners qualified under this sub-title practising veterinary medicine and surgery or any branches thereof in this State, and to cause the same to be published at least once a year in two newspapers published in the city of Baltimore.