

term for which the members of said Board shall be appointed as aforesaid shall be six years, and until their successors shall have been appointed and qualified. In case of a vacancy occurring in said Board by reason of the death of any member, or of his incapacity, neglect or refusal to act, or in any other way, the Governor shall, from a list of duly qualified dentists of double the number of vacancies to be filled, chosen, submitted and proposed to him as hereinbefore provided, appoint a successor or successors of said member or members, who shall hold office for the remainder of the unexpired term or terms of said member or members. Any member of said Board, who, without adequate reason shall be absent from two successive meetings thereof shall cease to be a member thereof.

3. Said Board shall choose one of its members president, and one secretary thereof, whose duties shall be those usually appertaining to their respective offices. The secretary shall also be the legal custodian of all the property, money, minutes, records, proceedings and the seal of said Board. Said Board shall hold regular meetings in the months of June and November of every year, and special meetings as it may deem necessary, upon call of the president or secretary thereof and upon due notice. A majority of said Board shall at all times constitute a quorum, but a less number may adjourn from time to time; the proceedings thereof shall at all reasonable times be open to public inspection. The Board shall adopt and have a seal inscribed substantially as follows: "Maryland State Board of Dental Examiners, 1884." Said Board shall annually on or before the first day of December in each year, submit to the Governor a report in writing of its proceedings.

4. Any person of good moral character, twenty-one or more years of age, who has been graduated and admitted to the degree of Doctor of Dental Surgery, Doctor of Dental Medicine, or other equivalent degree by any university or college duly incorporated and authorized to grant said degree by the laws of the United States or any of its territories, districts or possessions, or by the laws of any State of the United States, and recognized by the Board as maintaining an acceptable course in Dental Education, may make application in writing to said Board to be examined by it with reference to his or her qualifications to practice dentistry as aforesaid, and upon his or her passing an examination satisfactory to said Board, which examina-