skilled practical plumber or qualified person under the provisions of this act; as also in cases of death or resignation.

Cost of cer-

SEC. 5. And be it enacted, That the said Board of Commissioners shall demand and receive from each applicant for a certificate of competency, whom they examine and pass, the sum of three dollars at the time of the issuance of said certificate, and the sum of one dollar for the renewal thereof each and every year thereafter, on or before the first day of May; provided, that no person who shall be engaged in the general plumbing business at the time of the passage of this act, shall be required to make application for such certificate of competency for the period of one year from the date of the passage of this act, commencing with the first day of May, next succeeding the passage of this act.

Proviso.

SEC. 6. And be it enacted, That the money received under the provisions of the foregoing section shall be used and applied by said Commissioners to defray the expenses accruing or arising under this act, and all surplus over and above the necessary expenses under this act shall be returned to the State Treasurer for the use of the State.

Payments-disposal of.

Sec. 7. And be it enacted, That the said Board of Commissioners are hereby empowered to make such rules and regulations from time to time, for the proper execution of the provisions of this act, as in their judgment they may deem necessary and requisite; and that they shall be required to make a report of the condition of the Board to the Governor biennially, on or before the first day of February.

Make report.

SEC. 8. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Effective.

Approved April 22, 1886.