

## CHAPTER 231.

AN ACT to establish an additional hospital for the insane of the State of Maryland, and to appropriate a sum of money therefor.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That there shall be established in the State of Maryland, accessible by railroad or water transportation, an institution to be called the "Second Hospital for the Insane of the State of Maryland," which shall be under the control of the board of managers hereinafter provided for. Hospital for  
insane.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the said board of managers shall consist of the Governor, for the time being, ex-officio, State Treasurer, Comptroller of the Treasury and six other persons, who shall be appointed by the Governor, as follows: Two to serve for the term of six years, two to serve for the term of four years and two to serve for the term of two years each, from the first day of May, eighteen hundred and ninety-four; and the board so created shall constitute a body corporate under the title of the "Board of Managers of the Second Hospital for the Insane of the State of Maryland," and shall have power to make such by-laws, rules and regulations not inconsistent with law as they may deem necessary and proper for the public welfare and the best interests of the institution and its inmates, and shall also have power to appoint the necessary officers and agents, who shall be removable at their pleasure, and shall make an annual report of their proceedings to the Governor of the State, who shall submit the same, with such recommendations as he may deem proper, to the General Assembly at its next session thereafter. Board of  
managers.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That upon expiration of each of the terms of office of the board of managers hereinbefore provided for, the Governor shall, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint two persons, residents of this State, for the term of six years from the first day of May next ensuing their appointment, until their successors *and* qualified, and shall appoint from time to time during the continuance of said institution, as said terms expire, two persons, residents as aforesaid, for a full term of six years, so that the board of managers shall be divided into three classes, one-third of whom shall go out of office at the end of every two years; and the Governor shall also have power in the case of any vacancy Terms of  
office.