members by death, resignation, disqualification or otherwise, the Governor shall fill such vacancy; that in addition to the above the Board of Regents shall consist of two representatives from each of the institutions affiliated with said University, which affiliated institutions shall be entitled to change such representatives, whenever the governing body of such affiliated institution shall see fit; provided that such changes be always made so as to take effect on the first Monday in May in each year; that the governing body of any institution so changing its representative shall always designate whom the newly-appointed representative is to succeed; and that for the first year and until their successors shall have been chosen and shall have qualified the following persons shall be the representatives on the Board of Regents of the various affiliated institutions with which they are associated, viz:

James Alfred Pearce and James W. Cain, representing Washington College;

Robert Moss and Thomas Fell, representing St. John's College;

Randolph Winslow and Philemon H. Tuck, representing the University of Maryland;

Thomas H. Lewis and Joshua W. Miles, representing the Western Maryland College;

William F. Lockwood and John W. Chambers, representing the College of Physicians and Surgeons:

Joseph H. Branham and Frederick Crowthers, representing the Maryland Medical College;

Edward C. Bixler and J. Walter Engler, representing Blue Ridge College;

- SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, That the said Board of Regents shall elect a Provost who shall be the executive head of the University and who shall be, ex-officio, a member of the Board of Regents; the Governor of Maryland shall be ex-officio Chairman of the Board of Regents, but said Board shall have power to choose from among the members a Vice-Chairman who shall act in the absence of the Governor.
- Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, That it shall be lawful for the said Maryland State University to enter into any contract, articles of agreement or mutual ordinances or statutes with any existing or hereafter created college, university, conservatory, institute, technical, professional, military or agricultural school, or other similar institution, and to affiliate said institution with the said University under such terms as may to the