

are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

445.

(a) Any person wishing to practice Chiropractic in this State, before it shall be lawful for him to do so, shall make application to said Board of Chiropractic Examiners, through the Secretary-Treasurer thereof, upon form thereof and in such manner as to be adopted and directed by the Board, at least ten (10) days prior to any meeting of said Board. Each applicant shall be a graduate of a Chiropractic school or college whose curriculum, teaching standards and facilities are approved by said Board, and whose minimum course for granting the degree of Doctor of Chiropractic (D. C.) is four years of eight months each, comprising not less than four thousand (4,000) sixty minute hours of resident study; provided that any student shall be entitled to apply upon graduation if he is enrolled as of January 1, 1949, in a school which is approved by the Board, which teaches a resident course of thirty-two (32) months, comprising not less than thirty-six hundred (3600) hours, and which requires active attendance in the same. The applicant shall have a first grade four (4) years high school education or the equivalent thereof. Application shall be made in writing and shall be signed by the applicant in his own handwriting and shall be sworn to before some officer authorized to administer oath, and shall recite the history of the applicant as to his educational advantages, his experience in matters pertaining to a knowledge of the care of the sick, how long he has studied Chiropractic, under what teachers, what collateral branches, if any, he has studied, the length of time he has been engaged in clinical practice, accompanying same by reference therein, with any proof thereof in shape of diplomas, certificates, etc., and shall accompany said applications with satisfactory evidence of good character and reputation.

(c) The Board shall have the power to investigate, by personal inspection, any school for the purpose of ascertaining whether it meets the requirements of this sub-title. The Board shall have the power to recognize schools recommended by the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners in the territories in which the schools may be located, or through mutual State Boards.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1949.

Approved May 6, 1949.