

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 36

House of Representatives, Jan. 28, 1919.

Referred to Committee on Public Health and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Williams of Auburn.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND
NINE HUNDRED AND NINETEEN

AN ACT to amend section twenty-five of chapter 18 of the
Revised Statutes.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 25 of chapter 18 of the Revised Statutes is hereby
2 amended by inserting in the thirteenth line thereof after the
3 word "fills" the following:

'All said appointments shall be made in the following man-
2 ner: The Maine Dental Society may at its annual meeting
3 each year nominate six (6) members of said society who
4 fulfill all the foregoing requirements, whose names shall be
5 forthwith certified to the governor by the president and the
6 secretary of said society, and if said list is so submitted in

7 any year the governor shall, until the date of the next an-
8 nual meeting of said society, appoint as dental examiners
9 only those men whose names appear on said list. In case
10 of the failure in any year of the Maine Dental Society to
11 nominate candidates as aforesaid, the governor shall, until
12 the date of the next annual meeting of said society, make said
13 appointments from the members of said society in good
14 standing.' So that said section, as amended, shall read as
15 follows:

'Sect. 25. Appointment of Board of Dental Examiners;
2 vacancies; removal. 1913, chapter 53, sections 2, 3, 4. The
3 governor with the advice and consent of the council, shall
4 appoint a board of dental examiners, consisting of five mem-
5 bers of the dental profession, who shall be graduates of a re-
6 putable dental college, and who shall have been in the actual
7 practice of dentistry in this state for at least five years im-
8 mediately preceding the appointment. One member shall be
9 appointed annually, as the terms of the present members ex-
10 pire, to hold office for five years from the first day of Jan-
11 uary. After five years from the thirteenth day of March,
12 nineteen hundred and thirteen, no person shall be eligible
13 to appointment on said board who shall have served ten
14 years or more on a dental examining board in this state.
15 Any vacancy in said board shall be filled by the appointment
16 of a person qualified as aforesaid, to hold office during the
17 unexpired term of the member whose place he fills. All
18 said appointments shall be made in the following manner:

19 The Maine Dental Society may at its annual meeting each
20 year nominate six (6) members of said society who fulfill
21 all the foregoing requirements, whose names shall be forth-
22 with certified to the governor by the president and the sec-
23 retary of said society, and if said list is so submitted in any
24 year the governor shall, until the date of the next annual
25 meeting of said society, appoint as dental examiners only
26 those men whose names appear on said list. In case of the
27 failure in any year of the Maine Dental Society to nominate
28 candidates as aforesaid, the governor shall, until the date of
29 the next annual meeting of said society, make said appoint-
30 ments from the members of said society in good standing.
31 The governor, with the advice and consent of the council,
32 may remove any member of said board on proven charges
33 of inefficiency, incompetence, immorality or unprofessional
34 conduct.'