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SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 461

House of Representatives, March 20, 1919.

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and ordered printed under joint rules.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Amend Section Twenty-five of Chapter Eighteen
of the Revised Statutes Relating to Appointments of Mem-
bers of Board of Dental Examiners.

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

Section twenty-five of chapter eighteen of the revised
2 statutes is hereby amended by inserting in the thirteenth
3 line thereof after the word "fills" the following:

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

6 president and the secretary of said society, and if said list
7 is so submitted in any year the governor shall until the
8 date of the next annual meeting of said society, appoint
9 as dental examiners only those men whose names appear
10 on said list. In case of the failure in any year of the
11 Maine Dental Society to nominate candidates as aforesaid,
12 the governor shall, until the date of the next annual meet-
13 ing of said society, make said appointments from the mem-
14 bers of said society in good standing.' So that said sec-
15 tion, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sect. 25. Appointment of board of dental examiners;
2 vacancies; removal. 1913, c. 53, sections 2, 3, 4. The gov-
3 ernor with the advice and consent of the council, shall
4 appoint a board of dental examiners, consisting of five
5 members of the dental profession, who shall be graduates
6 of a reputable dental college, and who shall have been in
7 the actual practice of dentistry in this state for at least
8 five years immediately preceding the appointment. One
9 member shall be appointed annually, as the terms of the
10 present members expire, to hold office for five years from
11 the first day of January. After five years from the thir-
12 teenth day of March, nineteen hundred and thirteen, no
13 person shall be eligible to appointment on said board
14 who shall have served ten years or more on a dental ex-
15 amining board in this state. Any vacancy in said board
16 shall be filled by the appointment of a person qualified as
17 aforesaid, to hold office during the unexpired term of the

18 member whose place he fills. All said appointments shall
19 be made in the following manner: The Maine Dental So-
20 ciety may at its annual meeting each year nominate six
21 (6) members of said society who fulfill all the foregoing
22 requirements, whose names shall be forthwith certified to
23 the governor by the president and the secretary of said
24 society, and if said list is so submitted in any year the
25 governor may, until the date of the next annual meeting
26 of said society, appoint as dental examiner one of those
27 men whose names appear on said list. The governor, with
28 the advice and consent of the council, may remove any
29 member of said board on proven charges of inefficiency,
30 incompetence, immorality or unprofessional conduct.'