

or letters under such circumstances as to induce the belief that the person who uses such terms is engaged in the practice of osteopathy, without having first obtained the license herein provided for, or contrary to the provisions of this Act; or who shall, under any other term or name, practice or attempt to practice osteopathy as defined in Section eleven of this Act; or who, for the purpose of obtaining such license, shall falsely represent himself or herself to be the holder of a diploma, as herein provided—shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof in the Criminal Courts of Baltimore City, or the Circuit Courts of the County, in which the offense may have been committed, shall pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars, nor more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the City or County jail for not less than thirty days nor more than ninety days for each offense, either or both, at the discretion of the court; provided, however, that nothing contained in this Act shall be construed as affecting the so-called practice of medicine.

SEC. 14. On and after the approval of this Act, the State Board of Osteopathic Examiners shall refuse to grant a license to an applicant to practice osteopathy in this State, and is empowered to revoke a license conferring on a person the right to practice osteopathy upon the presentation to said State Board of Osteopathic Examiners of a court record showing the conviction, in due course of law, of said person for procuring, aiding or abetting in producing a criminal abortion or miscarriage, by any means whatsoever. The State Board of Osteopathic Examiners, upon such evidence and proof, shall cause the name of said convicted licentiate to be removed from the record in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Baltimore City or the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County. The State Board of Osteopathic Examiners may refuse, revoke, or suspend the right to practice osteopathy in this State upon any or all of the following reasons; to wit, the conviction of a crime involving moral turpitude; habitual intemperance in the use of ardent spirits or stimulants, narcotics or any other substance which impairs intellect, and judgment, to such an extent as to incapacitate the performance of professional duties. Any person who is a licentiate under this Act, or who is an applicant for examination for licensure to practice osteopathy in this State, against whom any of the foregoing charges are preferred, for causing the revocation or suspension of license or for causing the refusal of the right to be examined for licensure, shall