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The Council of the Quebec Board of Trade, when required by the Supervisor so to do, shall elect four Merchants practically acquainted with the Lumber Trade; and the Supervisor shall, by an instrument under his hand and seal, appoint four licensed Cullers; and the said four Merchants and four Cullers shall constitute a Board of Examiners, of which Board the Supervisor shall *ex-officio* be a member and Chairman; and as often as vacancies occur in the said Board by death, change of residence or otherwise, such vacancies shall be filled by election in the case of Merchants, and by new appointment in the case of Cullers, forming the said Board.

The Board shall meet at the Office of the Supervisor or elsewhere on the first Monday of May and August in each year, or upon any other day, when notified by the Supervisor so to do, and four of the number of the Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and the decision of any majority of the members present at such meeting shall be held to be the decision of the Board.

Every certificate issued by the Board of Examiners, appointed under the provisions of the Act, shall state the qualifications of the person to whom such certificate is issued and what description of culling he is best qualified to perform.

The Governor in Council may from time to time make such regulations as to the manner of granting licenses to Cullers as he may deem necessary,

The Governor in Council may appoint such number of qualified Cullers duly licensed in the manner provided by the Act hereby amended, as may be necessary for the proper performance of the work of culling timber, deals, deal boards, staves and other articles in the manner provided in the said Act, and may assign to them such fees as may from time to time be deemed proper.