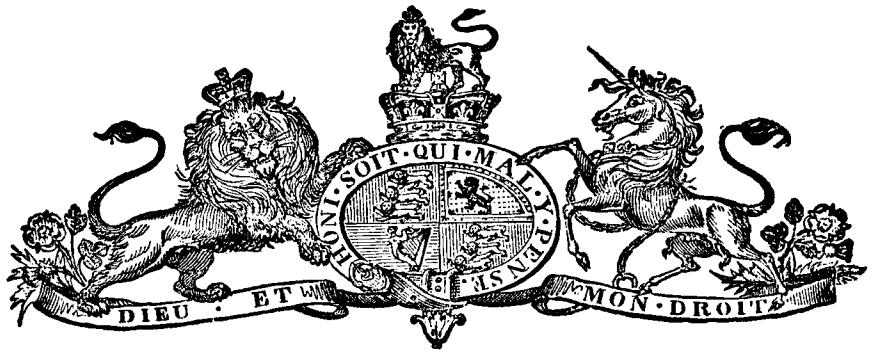


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CAP. XXI.

An Act to amend the Medical Act (1858).

[19th *April* 1859.]

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the last Session of Parliament, Chapter Ninety, "The Medical Act," Provision is made for the Registration of Members of the Medical Profession, and certain Disabilities are imposed, after the First Day of *January* One thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, on Members of that Profession who are not then registered: And whereas, by reason of the Time required for the Collection and Examination of the proper Evidence on the first Formation of "The Medical Register," it is expedient to amend the said Act as herein-after mentioned: And whereas it is expedient that Schedule D. of the aforesaid Act should be amended: And whereas in Sections Thirty-one and Forty-seven of the Medical Act (1858) the Terms "Fellow" and "Member" of the Royal Colleges of Physicians of *London* and *Edinburgh* are made use of, whilst in Schedule A. in the same Act "Fellows," "Licentiates," and "Extra Licentiates" of the said Colleges are alone entitled to be registered: Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, as follows: 21 & 22 Vict. c. 90.

I. The First Day of *July* One thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine shall be substituted, in Sections Thirty-two, Thirty-four, Thirty-six, 1st July 1859 to be substituted in ss. 32, 34,

36, and 37, of recited Act for 1st Jan. 1859.

six, and Thirty-seven respectively of the said Act, for the First Day of *January* One thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine; and the said several Sections, and all Provisions of the said Act having reference thereto, shall be construed and take effect as if the Word *July* had been originally inserted in each of the said Sections instead of the Word *January*.

Section 33 of recited Act repealed.

II. Section Thirty-three of the said Act shall be repealed, and no Person shall by reason of the said Act be or be deemed to have been disqualified to hold such Office as mentioned in the said Section Thirty-three, or any Appointment mentioned in the said Section Thirty-six, unless he shall have failed to be registered on or before the First Day of *July* One thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine.

Fourth Column of Schedule D. repealed.

III. The Fourth Column of Schedule D. of the said Act with its Heading shall be repealed and omitted.

The Term "Member" to be added in First and Second Heads of Schedule A.

IV. The Term "Member" shall be added after the Term "Fellow" to the Qualifications described in the First and Second Heads of Schedule A.

The Words "Forty-six" to be substituted for "Forty-five" in Schedule A.

V. And whereas in Schedule A. of the said Act there is a Reference to Section "Forty-five," but the Word "five" is there inserted by Mistake: Now it is hereby enacted, That the Words "Forty-six" shall be deemed to be substituted in this Schedule in the Place of the Words "Forty-five."

Any Person not a British Subject having obtained his Degree or Diploma may act as Resident Physician, &c. of any Hospital exclusively for Foreigners.

VI. Nothing in the said Act contained shall prevent any Person not a *British* Subject who shall have obtained from any Foreign University a Degree or Diploma of Doctor in Medicine, and who shall have passed the regular Examinations entitling him to practise Medicine in his own Country, from being and acting as the Resident Physician or Medical Officer of any Hospital established exclusively for the Relief of Foreigners in Sickness: Provided always, that such Person is engaged in no Medical Practice except as such Resident Physician or Medical Officer.

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