

Pounds for each full Period of a Year, in which he shall act as Examiner.

XVII. The Degree of Master in Surgery shall not be conferred on any Person, who does not at the same Time obtain the Degree of Bachelor of Medicine.

XVIII. The Degree of Doctor of Medicine may be conferred on any Candidate who has obtained the Degree of Bachelor of Medicine, and is of the Age of Twenty-four Years, and has been engaged, subsequently to his having obtained the Degree of Bachelor of Medicine, for at least Two Years in Attendance on an Hospital, or in the Military or Naval Medical Service, or in Medical and Surgical Practice: Provided always, that the Degree of Doctor of Medicine shall not be conferred on any Person, unless he be a Graduate in Arts within the Fifth Section of this Ordinance, or unless he shall, before or at the Time of his obtaining the Degree of Bachelor of Medicine, or within Three Years thereafter, have passed a satisfactory Examination in Greek, and in Logic or Moral Philosophy, and in One, at least, of the following Subjects, namely, French, German, Higher Mathematics, Natural Philosophy, and Natural History.

XIX. The Senatus Academicus shall, from Time to Time, as they think expedient, appoint the Period or Periods of the Year at which Degrees in Medicine shall be conferred.

XX. The Provisions of this Ordinance shall come into Operation at the Commencement of the Winter Session in the University next after the Approval thereof by Her Majesty in Council.

XXI. Candidates, who shall have begun their Medical Studies before the Date at which this Ordinance shall come into Operation, shall be entitled to graduate under the System in force before or after that Date, according as they shall comply with the Regulations in force in the University before or after that Date.

In Witness whereof, these Presents are sealed with the Seal of the Commission.

JOHN INGLIS, *Chairman.*

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SCOTTISH UNIVERSITIES COMMISSION.

At Edinburgh, the Sixteenth Day of March Eighteen Hundred and Sixty-one Years.

WHEREAS, by an Act passed in the Twenty-first and Twenty-second Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, Chapter Eighty-three, intitled, 'An Act to make Provision for the better Government and Discipline of the Universities of Scotland, and improving and regulating the Course of Study therein; and for the Union of the Two Universities and Colleges of Aberdeen,' the Commissioners under the said Act are empowered, *inter alia*, to make Rules for the Management and Ordering of the several Universities of Scotland, the Course of Study and Manner of Teaching therein, the Amount and Exaction of Fees, the Manner of Examination, with the Qualifications, Appointment, and Number of Examiners, and the Amount and Manner of their Remuneration, and the granting of Degrees, whether in Arts, Divinity, Law, or Medicine, in the several Universities of Scotland: the Commissioners statute and ordain with reference to the

granting of Degrees in Medicine in the University of Aberdeen, as follows:—

I. The Degrees in Medicine to be hereafter granted by the University of Aberdeen shall be divided into Three Classes, and be designated respectively Bachelor of Medicine (M.B.), Master in Surgery (C.M.), and Doctor of Medicine (M.D.).

II. The preliminary Branches of Extra-Professional Education shall be English, Latin, Arithmetic, the Elements of Mathematics, and the Elements of Mechanics; and the Proficiency of Students in these Branches shall, as far as possible, be ascertained by Examination prior to the Commencement of their Medical Study.

III. No Candidate shall be admitted to a Professional Examination, who has not passed a satisfactory Examination on at least Two of the following Subjects, in addition to the Subjects mentioned above:—Greek, French, German, Higher Mathematics, Natural Philosophy, Natural History, Logic, Moral Philosophy; and the Examination on these Subjects also shall, as far as possible, take Place before the Candidate has entered on his Medical Curriculum.

IV. The Examinations in Extra-Professional Education shall be conducted by some of the Examiners in Arts (who may be Professors), together with some of the Medical Examiners.

V. A Degree in Arts (not being an honorary Degree) of any of the Universities of England, Scotland and Ireland, and also a Degree in Arts of any Colonial or Foreign University, which may for this Purpose have been specially recognised by the University Court, shall exempt Candidates from all preliminary Examination.

VI. No one shall be admitted to the Degree of Bachelor of Medicine or Master in Surgery, who has not been engaged in Medical and Surgical Study for Four Years—the Medical Session of each Year, or *Annus Medicus*, being constituted by at least Two Courses of not less than One hundred Lectures each, or by One such Course and Two Courses of not less than Fifty Lectures each; but in the Case of the Clinical Courses, it shall be sufficient that the Lectures be given at least Twice a Week during the prescribed Periods.

VII. Every Candidate for the Degrees of Bachelor of Medicine and Master in Surgery shall give sufficient Evidence by Certificates:—

(1) That he has studied each of the following Departments of Medical Science, viz:—

- ANATOMY,.....
- CHEMISTRY, .....
- MATERIA MEDICA and PHARMACY, .....
- INSTITUTES of MEDICINE, or PHYSIOLOGY, PRACTICE of MEDICINE, SURGERY, .....
- MIDWIFERY, and the DISEASES peculiar to WOMEN and CHILDREN; Two Courses of Midwifery, of Three Months each, being reckoned equivalent to a Six Months Course, provided different Departments of Obstetric Medicine be taught in each of the Courses, .....

During Courses including not less than One Hundred Lectures.

PRACTICAL ANATOMY, ..Six Months.

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