

C H A P 55.

An Act to amend and consolidate the law respecting physicians and surgeons in the Province of Quebec

[Assented to 7th May, 1909]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows :

1. Section second of chapter fourth of title tenth of the Revised Statutes, and its amendments, is replaced by the following :

R.S.Q., Title X, ch. IV, s. II, replaced.

"SECTION II

§ 1.—*Declaratory provisions*

"**3969.** 1 This section may be cited as the "Quebec Medical Act."
Short title.

2. If there is a difference between the French and English versions of this act, the French version shall prevail.
French text to prevail.

3. The acts 61 Victoria, chapter 31 ; 63 Victoria, chapter 27, and all acts and regulations inconsistent with the provisions of this section, are repealed, and the corporation created by this section is vested with all the rights and assumes all the obligations of the former College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec ;
61 V., c. 31 ; 63 V., c. 27, &c., repealed, &c.

"§ 2.—*Incorporation of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec*

"**3970.** 1. All persons resident in the Province, authorized to practise medicine, surgery and midwifery therein, and registered under this section, are hereby constituted a corporation by the name of "The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec," hereinafter called the "College", and are styled "Members of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec", and by such name, they shall have perpetual succession and a common seal, with power to change, alter, break or renew the same ;
Persons incorporated.

2. By such name they may be parties to judicial proceedings and are capable in law to have, hold, receive, enjoy, possess and retain for the purposes of this section and for the benefit of the said College, all money at any time paid, given or bequeathed to and for the use of the said College ;
May be parties to legal proceedings, &c.

3. The corporation may, at any time, and without any letters
May acquire

&c., certain property, &c. of mortmain, acquire, receive, have, hold, possess and enjoy any lands, tenements or hereditaments, and any estate or interest derived or arising therefrom, but solely for the purposes of the College ; and it may sell, grant, lease, demise, alienate or dispose of the same, and do or execute all and singular the matters and things that to them shall or may appertain.

Limit as to value of immoveables. The value of the real estate held by the corporation shall not, at any time, exceed one hundred thousand dollars."

Place of business, &c. " **3971.** The corporation shall have a place of business in the city of Quebec or in the city of Montreal, in charge of the registrar appointed under article 3989.

Where it shall be fixed. Such office shall be either at Quebec or Montreal, as may be determined by by-law, as hereinafter mentioned.

Service upon corporation, &c. Service upon the corporation may be effected at such office, by speaking to the registrar or to a person employed therein ; and in all legal proceedings the domicile of the corporation shall be sufficiently designated by the following words : "having a place of business in the city of Quebec (*or in the city of Montreal, as the case may be*).

§ 3.—Provincial Medical Board

I.—GOVERNMENT OF THE COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS

Provincial Medical Board. " **3972.** 1. The affairs of the College shall be conducted by a Board of Governors, hereinafter called " The Provincial Medical Board ", which shall comprise, saving the provisions of paragraph 5, of article 3980, forty-one members elected for four years, of whom thirty-five shall be chosen by the members of the College, and two by each of the following institutions, namely :

How composed. The faculty of medicine of Laval University, at Quebec ;
The Montreal School of Medicine and Surgery, faculty of medicine of Laval University, at Montreal ;
The faculty of medicine of McGill University.

Dates of general elections of Governors. 2. The general elections of the Governors chosen by the College shall, beginning with the month of September, 1910, take place every four years, on the first Wednesday of September, or if such day be a non-judicial day, then on the next following judicial day ;

Districts. 3. For the purposes of such elections, the Province is divided into four districts, namely : the districts of Quebec, Montreal, Three Rivers and Saint Francis.

DISTRICT OF QUEBEC

“ **3973.** The district of Quebec shall comprise the following ^{District of Quebec.} electoral divisions :

1. The electoral division of Quebec-Centre ;
2. The electoral divisions of Quebec West, Quebec East and St. Sauveur ;
3. The counties of Lévis and Lotbinière ;
4. The counties of Montmorency, Quebec and Portneuf ;
5. The counties of Charlevoix, Chicoutimi and Lake St. John ;
6. The counties of Beauce and Dorchester ;
7. The counties of Bellechasse, Montmagny and L'Islet ;
8. The counties of Kamouraska and Temiscouata ;
9. The counties of Rimouski, Matane, Gaspé, Bonaventure and the Magdalen Islands.

The groups of electoral divisions mentioned in paragraphs ^{Number of} 1 and 2 of this article, shall each elect three governors, and ^{governors.} each of the other groups of electoral divisions shall elect one governor.

DISTRICT OF MONTREAL

3974. The district of Montreal shall comprise the following ^{District of Montreal.} electoral divisions :

1. Electoral divisions Nos, 1 and 2 of the city of Montreal ;
2. Electoral divisions Nos. 3 and 4 of the city of Montreal ;
3. Electoral divisions Nos. 5 and 6 of the city of Montreal ;
4. The counties of Terrebonne, Two Mountains, Argenteuil and Laval ;
5. The counties of Joliette, L'Assomption, Montcalm and Berthier ;
6. The counties of Ottawa and Pontiac ;
7. The counties of Beauharnois, Chateauguay, Huntingdon, Soulanges and Vaudreuil ;
8. The counties of Shefford, Brome and Missisquoi ;
9. The counties of St. John's, Chambly, Napierville, Iberville and Laprairie ;
10. The counties of St. Hyacinthe, Bagot and Rouville ;
11. The counties of Richelieu, Yamaska, and Verchères ;
12. All that part of the county of Hochelaga, comprising the municipalities of Pointe-aux-Trembles, Longue-Pointe, Rivière des Prairies, Sault-au-Récollet, the town of Maisonneuve, village of Petite Côte, St. Léonard de Port Maurice, and the town of St. Louis, and Hochelaga,

Saint Denis, St. Jean Baptiste and de Lorimier wards of the city of Montreal, together with all their present or future subdivisions,—which shall be known as Hochelaga-East ;

13. The county of Jacques Cartier, and all that part of the county of Hochelaga, comprising the municipalities of Verdun, the town of St. Paul, the city of Westmount, the towns of Outremont, Notre-Dame de Grâces and Montreal West, and St. Gabriel, St. Henry, Ste. Cunégonde and Mount Royal wards of the city of Montreal, together with all their present or future subdivisions,—which shall be known as “ Hochelaga West.”

Number of
governors.

The three groups of electoral divisions firstly, secondly and thirdly mentioned in paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 of this article shall each elect two governors, and each of the other groups shall elect one governor.”

DISTRICT OF THREE RIVERS

District of
Three Rivers.

“ **3975.** The district of Three Rivers shall comprise the following electoral divisions :

1. The counties of Drummond, Arthabaska, Megantic and Nicolet ;
2. The city of Three Rivers and the county of Champlain ;
3. The counties of St. Maurice, and Maskinongé.

Number of
governors.

Each of these groups of electoral divisions shall elect one governor.

DISTRICT OF ST. FRANCIS

District of
St. Francis.

“ **3976.** The district of St. Francis shall comprise the following electoral divisions :

1. The city of Sherbrooke ;
2. The counties of Richmond and Wolfe ;
3. The counties of Compton and Stanstead.

Number of
governors.

Each of these groups of electoral divisions shall elect one governor.

Limits of
above coun-
ties.

“ **3977.** 1. The counties and electoral divisions mentioned in articles 3973, 3974, 3975 and 3976, are those which were in existence on the first of July, 1899, for the purposes of representation in the Legislative Assembly with the boundaries then respectively assigned to them.

Qualifica-
tions of
governors.

2. Every governor elected for one of the electoral divisions enumerated in the preceding articles, shall over and above the other conditions prescribed by by-law, have his office in the division which he represents, and must also be elected

by the members of the College having their offices in such division.

3. Each governor elected, must under pain of forfeiture of his office, *ipso facto*, continue at all times, while in office, a member of the College, and have his office in the electoral division which he represents. Must be members of College, &c.

“ **3978.** The manner of holding and the procedure at the said elections shall be prescribed by the by-laws of the Provincial Medical Board, and, in default of such by-laws, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may fix the time and prescribe the manner of holding such elections. How elections to be held, &c.

“ **3979.** In case of doubt or dispute as to the validity of the election of a governor elected by the College, the Provincial Medical Board may hold an enquiry and decide whether such election is valid ; and if the Board finds that such election is invalid, it may order a new one, and its decision shall be without appeal. Inquiry in case of doubtful election, &c.

“ **3980.** 1. Each of the institutions mentioned in article 3972, shall regulate, as it thinks proper, the date and manner of the election of the two governors who are to represent it upon the Provincial Medical Board. Such governors shall be chosen from among the members of the College qualified to represent such institution, and shall be elected every four years, like those elected by the College, and about the same time. How representatives of certain institutions to be elected, &c.

2. A return of such election mentioning the names, surnames, and residences of the governors elected, shall be transmitted by the respective secretaries of such institutions to the registrar of the College, within one month after the date fixed for the election of the other governors. Return of such elections, &c.

3. Vacancies among the members representing each of such institutions, shall be filled by each such institution, and the return of the elections occasioned by such vacancy shall be transmitted, within one month, to the registrar of the College. Vacancies how filled, &c.

4. The governors elected by the said institutions, need not have their elections approved or confirmed by the College, but they must under pain *ipso facto*, of ceasing to hold office, continue members of the College, at all times during their term of office. Such elections not confirmed by College, &c.

5. Every institution above mentioned that ceases to teach medicine, shall, *ipso facto*, lose the power to elect representatives to the Provincial Medical Board, and shall cease to be presented upon the Board, and such power and right to be re- When such institutions not to cease to be represented, &c.

presented shall not revive, unless and until the said institution *bona fide* resumes teaching.

Certain mem-
bers' seats
declared
vacant.

“ **3981.** If it appears that a member elected, had not, at the time of his election, the qualifications required, or if a member of the Provincial Medical Board ceases practice or dies, or incurs civil degradation, the said Board shall declare his seat vacant.

Meetings of
Board.

“ **3982.** 1. The members of the Provincial Medical Board shall meet for the performance of their duties, at least twice a year, at the time and place prescribed by by-law.

Loss of seat
for non-
attendance
at meetings.

2. Every governor who, without just cause, fails to attend two consecutive regular meetings of the Provincial Medical Board, shall be deemed to have resigned his office, and the Board may, by vote of two-thirds of the members present, declare the seat of such governor vacant, and order a new election in accordance with the provisions of this section.

Quorum.

“ **3983.** 1. The quorum of the Provincial Medical Board shall be fifteen members.

Majority to
govern, &c.

2. Every disputed question shall be decided by the vote of the majority of the governors present including that of the chairman; and if there be a tie, the chairman shall also have a casting vote.

Votes of
certain offi-
cers.

3. The officers who are members of the Provincial Medical Board, may vote as such with the other members at all meetings of the Provincial Medical Board.

Special meet-
ings of Board,
Notice there-
of, &c.

“ **3984.** The chairman of the Provincial Medical Board, shall call a special meeting of the said Board, whenever required so to do by at least twelve members thereof. A notice, by registered letter, mentioning the time, place and object of such meeting, shall be sent to the address of each member of the Board at least fifteen days before the day fixed for the meeting.

2.—THE POWERS OF THE PROVINCIAL MEDICAL BOARD

By-laws of
Board.

“ **3985.** The Provincial Medical Board may pass, repeal or amend, and enforce by-laws touching the good government and welfare of the College and of its members, and touching all matters which interest or affect or may interest or affect the College; provided, however, that such by-laws are not inconsistent with the laws of this Province or with the laws of Canada.

“ **3986.** Without restricting the power and authority conferred by article 3985 upon the Provincial Medical Board, the said Board, for the purposes and objects comprised in the said articles, as well as for matters enumerated in the present article has power :

1. To regulate the manner of holding and the procedure at elections of governors chosen by the College, as well as the election of the chairman and officers of the Provincial Medical Board ;

2. To define the duties of the officers and other functionaries of the College ;

3. To appoint examiners to examine candidates for admission to study and to practice medicine, as well as to examine women who are candidates for admission to study and to practice midwifery ;

4. To appoint as many permanent or special committees as may be thought necessary for the good government of the College, or the promotion of medical studies, to define the powers of such committees, and to fix their quorum ;

5. To appoint a committee called “ the committee on credentials,” consisting of the officers of the Board and of one representative of each university mentioned in article 3972.

6. To define the duties of examiners for the examination of candidates to study and to practice medicine ;

7. To prescribe the fees to be paid to examiners and to the officers and other functionaries of the College ;

8. To fix, from time to time, the indemnity, and the travelling and boarding and lodging expenses, to be paid to the members of the Provincial Medical Board, as well as to the members of the council and of the committees sitting otherwise than at ordinary meetings thereof.

9. To make and amend tariffs of fees, for the costs of proceedings before the council, and for the costs of appeal to the Provincial Medical Board ;

10. To fix the fees, (which shall not exceeding twenty-five dollars), payable by candidates for admission to study medicine ; the fees, (which shall not exceed fifty dollars), payable by candidates for admission to practice medicine, and those payable for registration ;

11. To regulate the admission to the study and practice of medicine, surgery, and midwifery, and the study of medicine, surgery and midwifery ; to define the manner of conducting and the subjects of the examinations of candidates to study and to practice, as well as the qualifications required from candidates in addition to those hereinafter specified ;

12. To regulate the admission of women to the study and

women to study and practice midwifery, &c. practice of midwifery ; to prescribe the nature and extent of the knowledge required, and to fix the fees, (which shall not exceed twenty dollars,) payable for the license authorizing them to practice midwifery, as well as an annual subscription of not more than two dollars ;

Fixing locality of place of business. 13. To fix the locality of the place of business of the College, whether at Quebec or Montreal.

When certain by-laws to come into force. " **3987.** 1. By-laws made by the Board in virtue of paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11 12 and 13 of article 3986, unless they fix some other time, shall come into force from the day upon which they have been passed ;

Approval of certain other by-laws. 2. By-laws passed by the Board in virtue of paragraphs 9 and 10 of article 3986, must be approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, and shall not come into force until thirty days after their publication in the *Quebec Official Gazette* ;

3.—OFFICERS OF THE COLLEGE AND THEIR DUTIES

Appointment of officers of Board. " **3988.** At its first meeting after a general election, the Provincial Medical Board shall appoint its officers, in accordance with this section.

Officers of College. " **3989.** The officers of the College shall include : a president, three vice-presidents, and a registrar. These officers shall be elected by ballot by the Governors, and shall remain in office until the first meeting of the Provincial Medical Board following the next general election.

Registrar, his qualifications. " **3990.** The registrar need not be a member of the Provincial Medical Board, but must be a member of the College.

What officers Board may appoint. " **3991.** The Board may appoint any other officers which it thinks necessary for the purposes and for the enforcement of this section.

President. " **3992.** 1. The president shall preside over all the meetings of the College and of the Provincial Medical Board ;

Senior vice-president. 2. In case of the absence of the president, the senior vice-president shall replace him temporarily, and in case of death shall replace him until the next general election of the officers of the Board.

Registrar his duties " **3993.** 1. The registrar shall act as recording secretary at the meetings of the Provincial Medical Board. His duties are to give notice of the date and place of such meetings. He shall also, under the direction of the president, cause the reports

of the proceedings at meetings to be printed and shall distribute them among the members ;

2. The registrar shall keep a book called the " Quebec Quebec Medical Register. Medical Register ", in the form prescribed by Form 1, in which he shall enter, in alphabetical order, the names and surnames of every person entitled to such registration, the place and date of his birth, his domicile and address, as well as his qualifications and the name of the institution where he has obtained his degrees.

The registrar shall also, by order of the Board, cause to be printed, and to be distributed to each member of the College, Copies of same to be sent to members. a true copy of such register ;

3. The registrar shall also keep a book in which he shall enter the names and surnames, the date and place of birth and the domicile of those who have obtained from the Provincial Medical Board the certificate of competency mentioned in article 3,999 ; Register of members, &c.

4. He shall also keep another book in which he shall register the names and surnames, the date and place of birth, the domicile and address, the date of license, and the qualifications of every woman who has complied with the regulations of the Board respecting the practice of midwifery in the Province. Register of certain women, &c.

5. The registrar is the keeper of the seal of the College.

" **3994.** Every member of the College, has the right to consult the books of the Provincial Medical Board. Registrar, keeper of seal. Members may consult books.

" **3995.** 1. Copies of registers kept by the registrar, as well as copies of tariffs and by-laws of the College and extracts therefrom certified to be true and signed by the registrar, are authentic, and make proof of their contents before the courts. Certain copies of registers, &c., authentic.

2. The registrar shall collect the moneys due to the College. Collection of moneys.

3. The registrar shall forthwith deposit the funds of the Board in a saving's bank, duly chartered in the Province, or, by order of the Provincial Medical Board, invest them in safe securities. Deposit of moneys.

4. At each semi-annual meeting, as well as at any other time, if required so to do by the president, the registrar shall furnish a complete statement of the receipts and expenses of the College, with vouchers. Statement of receipts and expenses.

5. He shall take out in some guarantee company, a guarantee policy to the amount fixed by the Provincial Medical Board, the premium whereof shall be payable by the College. Guarantee policy.

6. The registrar shall pay by cheque all accounts due by the College and approved by the president. Accounts to be proved by cheques.

Registrar to enforce by-laws.

“ **3996.** 1. The registrar is charged, under the direction of the president, with the enforcement of the provisions of this section, and of the by-laws of the Provincial Medical Board.

Acting registrar.

2. In case of absence or death of the registrar, the president of the Provincial Medical Board, shall appoint a member of the College, to act as registrar, temporarily in case of absence, or until the next meeting of the Provincial Medical Board in case of death.

Surrender of books, &c., by retiring officers.

“ **3997.** 1. The retiring officers shall forthwith hand over to their successors the books and other documents relating to their duties.

Dismissal &c., of officers, &c.

2. The Provincial Medical Board may dismiss at will any officer and appoint another in his place, but no officer shall be so dismissed unless the absolute majority of the members vote for his dismissal.

4.—AUDITORS

Auditors.

“ **3998.** The Provincial Medical Board shall appoint one or two auditors, not being members of the medical profession, whom it shall instruct to make each year, a careful examination of the books, accounts, and other documents in the possession of the registrar and to prepare a faithful and correct report of the financial condition of the College.

Date of their report.

Such report shall be made early enough to enable the president to submit it to the second semi-annual meeting of the Provincial Medical Board, as well as at the meeting next preceding the general election of Governors.

§ 4.—*Admission to study medicine*

Who to be admitted to study.

“ **3999.** 1. No one can be admitted to study medicine, surgery, and midwifery, until he has obtained a certificate of competency from the Provincial Medical Board.

2. The persons entitled to such certificate are :

a. Every holder of a degree of Bachelor of Letters, Bachelor of Science, or Bachelor of Arts conferred upon him by an university of Canada or of the British Isles ;

b. Those who have passed successfully the examination required by the Provincial Medical Board from candidates for admission to study ;

c. Those who have passed successfully a preliminary examination accepted as equivalent by the Provincial Medical Board, before a college or board authorized by law to hold such examination outside the Province.

" **4000.** Holders of bachelors' degrees shall, at least ten days before the date of the meeting of the Provincial Medical Board, send to the address of the registrar, their diplomas, as well as their certificate of birth, and the amount of the fees prescribed by by-law for candidates for admission to study. They shall also annex to the above mentioned documents an affidavit taken before a justice of the peace or a commissioner of the Superior Court, according to Form 2.

" **4001.** Before being admitted to take his examination before the board of examiners, for admission to study medicine, the candidate shall at least fifteen days before the day fixed for the examination, give the registrar a notice in writing, according to Form 3, of his intention to present himself to be examined. Such notice shall state the names, surname, date and place of birth and residence of the candidate, and the institutions in which and places where he has studied, and shall be accompanied by the candidate's act of birth and by the amount of the fees prescribed by by-law of the Provincial Medical Board.

" **4002.** The reports of the above examinations made out according to Form 4 shall be sent to the registrar of the College. The Provincial Medical Board shall, in accordance with such reports, deliver to the candidate the certificate of competency mentioned in article 3999.

The studentship shall commence to run from the date of such certificate.

" **4002a.** At the regular meeting at the expiration of the term of office of the present Board, the Provincial Medical Board shall appoint for four years and so on every four years thereafter, four persons then engaged in teaching in the Province, two speaking the French, and two the English language, to examine the candidates for the study of medicine, surgery and midwifery, on the literary and scientific subjects hereinafter mentioned, namely :

Geometry, arithmetic, algebra, elementary chemistry, physics, philosophy and natural philosophy, botany, zoology, in the science branch ; Latin, literature, history, geography, French and English, one of the two latter as the mother tongue and the other as a foreign language, in the literary branch.

The Provincial Medical Board may regulate by by-law any matter relating to the proceedings at these examinations.

§ 5.—*Study of medicine*

" **4002b.** Every student in medicine, surgery and midwifery, admitted to study after the first day of January, 1910, shall

students at universities, term of study, &c.

for five years, follow a course of lectures in medicine, surgery and midwifery, in a university in the Province upon the following subjects :

Theoretical and practical chemistry and toxicology ;
 Descriptive anatomy ;
 Dissection or practical anatomy ;
 General and special physiology ;
 Theoretical and practical medical electricity; physiotherapy ;
 Normal and pathological histology ;
 General pathology ;
 Hygiene ;
 Materia Medica, theoretical and practical pharmacology ;
 Clinical therapeutics ;
 Theoretical and practical obstetrics ;
 Internal pathology ;
 External pathology ;
 Theoretical and clinical pediatrics ;
 Medical jurisprudence ; diseases of the mind ; nervous diseases ;
 Surgical clinics in a hospital of at least 50 beds ;
 Medical clinics in a hospital of at least 50 beds ;
 Obstetrical clinics in a lying-in-hospital affiliated to or recognized by an university, including attendance at a certain number of confinements, determined by the regulations ;
 Surgery and minor surgery ;
 Ophthalmology, otology, rhino-laryngology, both theoretical and clinical ;
 History of Medicine ;
 Medical ethics ;
 Theoretical and practical dermatology and syphilography ;
 Theoretical and practical bacteriology.

Number of lectures.

“ **4002c.** The number of theoretical, clinical and practical lectures shall be fixed by by-law, in accordance with an agreement between each of the faculties of medicine and the Provincial Medical Board.

§ 6.—*Admission to the practice of medicine, and the practice of medicine*

Medical Board of Examiners.

“ **4002d.** For the purpose of examining candidates for the practice of medicine, a board shall be established called the “ Medical Board of Examiners ”, two-thirds of whom shall be professors of the faculties of medicine of the universities mentioned in article 3972, and one-third representatives of the College.

Term of office.

The examiners of such medical board shall remain in office for four years.

" **4002e.** 1. The date of the examinations and the total number of examiners shall be determined by the deans of the faculties of medicine of each of the universities, and the chairman of the Provincial Medical Board.

Date of ex-
aminations
how fixed.

The English and French languages shall be the only official languages for such examinations.

Official
languages.

Examinations shall be held in each of the universities.

Examina-
tions where
held.

" **4002f.** 1. The candidates for the practice of medicine who wish to pass the examination before the Medical Board of Examiners, shall, in addition to the other conditions prescribed by by-law, give the registrar of the College a written notice in accordance with Form 5, at least fifteen days before the examination, that he wishes to pass, and such notice shall be accompanied by the fee fixed by by-law.

Notice by
candidates
for admis-
sion to
practice.

2. Such notice shall set forth the names and surname of the candidate as entered in his certificate of birth, and shall indicate the university where he wishes to pass his examination.

Contents of
notice.

" **4002g.** 1. The examiners whom the Provincial Medical Board shall assign to Laval University at Quebec, and to Laval University at Montreal shall be French speaking physicians and those whom it shall assign to McGill University shall be English speaking physicians ;

Language of
certain ex-
aminers.

2. The universities and the College shall each pay the examiners they appoint.

Payment of
examiners.

" **4002h.** The reports of the above examinations made in accordance with Form 6 shall be sent to the registrar of the College. The Provincial Medical Board shall grant a license in accordance with such reports, and on presentation of a university degree of doctor of medicine. The rights granted by such license shall be exercised only from the date when the licensee shall have taken the oath according to Form 12.

Reports of
examiners.

License, &c.

4002i. No person who has passed the examination for admission to practice medicine, shall commence to practice as a physician, until after the expiration of five consecutive years from the date of the registration in the office of the College of his bachelor's diploma or certificate of admission to study.

When prac-
tice to begin.

" **4002j.** No person can practice medicine, surgery and midwifery in the Province, unless he has obtained a license from the Provincial Medical Board. To obtain such license, he must comply with the requirements of this section and be the holder of a university degree of doctor of medicine granted by one of

License from
Board, &c.

the universities mentioned in article 3972 or approved by the Provincial Medical Board.

What is
practice of
medicine.

“ **4002k.** Without limiting the meaning of the words “ practice of medicine ”, the attending at confinements, treating habitually and continuously following the treatment of diseases or surgical affections, either by giving medicine or by making use of mechanical, physical or chemical processes or of radio-therapy or of X rays, shall constitute the practice of medicine.

Licenses by
whom signed.

“ **4002l.** The license permitting the practice of medicine, surgery and midwifery in this Province, shall be signed by the president, and by the registrar and by one of the vice-presidents, and shall bear the seal of the College.

Registration
of certain
licensees.

“ **4002m.** Every member of the medical profession, who, at the time of the passing of the act 40 Victoria, chapter 26, was the holder of a license from the College, and who has not subsequently caused himself to be registered according to this section, is entitled to do so provided he proves his status to the satisfaction of the registrar and pays the prescribed fee for obtaining the license.

Granting of
licenses to
certain per-
sons after one
year's study
and exami-
nation.

“ **4002n.** Subject to the privileges granted by article 4002o every person who having followed a regular and complete course in a university outside the Province, has obtained a degree of doctor of medicine from such university, and who has moreover followed a medical course considered equivalent by the Provincial Medical Board to that given by the universities of the Province of Quebec, and who furnishes to the satisfaction of the said Board proof that he has passed a preliminary examination equivalent to that required in the Province of Quebec, shall be entitled to a license on payment of the fees exacted, provided he follows the last year's course of one of the schools of medicine in this Province and successfully passes the examination for candidates to the practice of medicine before the Medical Board of Examiners.

License with-
out exami-
nation to cer-
tain persons
provided.

“ **4002o.** The persons whose names are registered in the medical register of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, under the Imperial medical acts, shall be entitled, on producing proof of such registration, and of their good reputation, and on payment of the fees then exigible for granting such license, to obtain such a license without having to pass any examination, provided they establish, to the satisfaction of the Provincial Medical Board ;

Proviso.

Must obtain

1. That they had obtained from the Provincial Medical

Board, a certificate of admission to study medicine five years certain cer-
at least before their registration in the medical register of the tificate ;
United Kingdom; or

2. That they are registered in the medical register of the And be re-
United Kingdom and have been qualified to practice their gistered in
said profession in the said United Kingdom, after a period of certain re-
not less than five years' study during which they have resided gister, &c
without interruption in the said United Kingdom.

¶ This article shall take effect only in so far as the Imperial Proviso.
Medical Act of 1886, and its amendments shall apply to the
Province of Quebec.

“ **4002p.** The decision of the Provincial Medical Board Decisions of
as to the acceptance of the certificates mentioned in articles Board final.
4002n and 4002o, is final and without appeal.

“ **4002q.** As soon as a medical board of examiners is estab- Recognition
lished similar to that established in this section, or as soon as of licenses of
there is established an institu tion recognized by the Legislature other pro-
of any other province of Canada, as the only board of examiners vinces, &c.
for the purpose of granting certificates of competency, and
in which the course of study is deemed equivalent to that in
the Province of Quebec, the holder of such certificate shall,
upon satisfactory evidence be entitled to registration by the
Provincial Medical Board of the Province of Quebec, provided
the same privilege be granted by such medical board of ex-
aminers or institution to the holders of certificates from the
Provincial Medical Board of the Province of Quebec.

“ **4002r.** No person entitled to be registered under this Physicians
section, and who while practising medicine, surgery and mid- not registered
wifery in the Province, neglects or omits to have himself to practice,
registered, can claim any of the rights and privileges granted &c.
by this section, and he shall be liable to all the penalties
imposed by it or by any other act, against any person prac-
tising medicine, surgery and midwifery without having been
registered as required.

Every physician may keep the medicines, drugs, and the Physicians
medical, chemical, or mechanical apparatus which he may may keep
require, and may use the same in the practice of his profession. certain drugs
&c.

“ **4002s.** 1. Practising medicine, surgery or midwifery Practising
under a false name is prohibited under the penalty enacted under false
by article 4002rr. name.

2. Midwives are forbidden to use instruments. In the case Midwives
of a difficult confinement they shall call in a licensed physician not to use
under the penalty enacted by article 4002rr. instruments,
&c.

Official physicians to be registered. " **4002t.** Every physician occupying a public or other position, because of his being a physician, shall also be bound to have himself registered and shall be subject to all the other obligations of the members of the College.

Contributions of members. " **4002u.** Every member of the College, shall pay a yearly contribution of four dollars. Such contribution shall be payable in advance at the registrar's office on the first of July of every year and every suit for the recovery thereof shall be brought in the district in which the said office is situated.

Procedure upon ceasing to practice. " **4002v.** 1. Every physician ceasing to practice his profession may relieve himself from the payment of contributions during the whole time he does not practice, by previously sending the arrears due by him and by giving written notice to the registrar of his intention to no longer practice his profession. (See form 8.)

Striking names off register. It shall be the duty of the registrar to strike the name of such physician from the medical register at the date specified in the notice.

Consequence of practising after giving retiring notice. If, after the date specified in such notice as that at which he is to cease practising, he practices his profession, he shall continue to be subject to the provisions of this section as if notice had not been given.

Resumption of practice. 2. Such physician may resume the practice of his profession by giving notice of his intention to that effect to the registrar of the College. (See form 9).

Application for re-admission. On payment of his contributions for the current year, the registrar shall forward his application to the president of the College and re-enter his name on the register, if the president does not object.

Submission of application to council on discipline &c. 3. If the president of the College objects to the re-entry of the physician's name in the register on account of the occupation followed by such physician in the interval or for any other reason, the question shall be submitted to the council on discipline which, after hearing the parties, may refuse or grant such physician permission to practice his profession, and shall enter the reason therefor in the judgment.

Appeal from decision of Council. An appeal from such decision shall lie to the Provincial Medical Board."

Contributions, &c., how recoverable. **4002w.** 1. The annual contributions and their arrears shall be recoverable, both from the physician in arrears himself and from his heirs and representatives, by the registrar in the name of the College.

Description of defendant in suit. 2. In every suit for the recovery of such contributions and arrears, it shall be sufficient to give the initials of the

defendant's Christian names as entered on the Quebec Medical Register.

3. It shall also be sufficient to allege that the defendant physician or his heirs or representatives are indebted to the College for the years' contributions demanded. Allegations in suits.

4. The statement of the account of the physicians from whom or from whose heirs such contributions or arrears are demanded, bearing the seal of the College and purporting to be signed by the registrar, shall be received before all courts as *prima facie* evidence of its contents. Certain statements of account prima facie evidence.

" **4002x.** 1. The action for the recovery of yearly contributions is prescribed by ten years. Prescription.

2. The fiscal year of the College, shall commence on the first of July. Fiscal year.

No member of the College shall be allowed to vote at the elections of members of the Provincial Medical Board or shall be eligible as governor unless he has paid all he owes the College on or before the first of July preceding the election. Members in arrears of dues not to vote.

" **4002y.** 1. During the month of August of every year the registrar shall make out a list of all the physicians who, in addition to the contribution for the current year, also owe the contribution for the year immediately preceding, or any other arrears for previous years. List of members in arrears.

2. After such list is made, the registrar shall, with all reasonable diligence, send, by registered letter, to all the physicians whose names are on it, a notice that he will apply for their suspension at the next session of the Provincial Medical Board. Notice of application for suspension.

Such notice shall be posted at least fifteen days before the session at which the suspension is asked for. Posting of notice.

3. The certificate under oath of the registrar showing that he has sent such notice in accordance with paragraph 2 of this article, shall be sufficient proof of its having been sent. Certificate of sending notice.

4. The Provincial Medical Board may, at any ordinary session without other formality, order the suspension of all or any physicians so in arrears in the payment of their contributions for the current year, and a notice of such suspension shall be given to the said physicians by the registrar. Order of suspension.

5. The effects of such suspension shall last until the suspended physician relieves himself therefrom by payment : Effects of suspension.

a. Of his arrears ;

b. Of the costs incurred in connection with the suspension as taxed by the Provincial Medical Board in its order ;

c. The costs of publishing of such order.

Only registered physician can recover fees, &c.

“ **4002z.** 1. No one shall have the right to sue for or recover any fees or compensation for any medical or surgical opinion, for professional services, operations, prescriptions, medicine or apparatus he may have prescribed or furnished, or to avail himself of any right or privilege conferred by this section, unless he is registered in the Quebec Medical Register, and has paid his annual contributions to the College.

Nor give valid physician's certificate.

2. No certificate given by a person in his capacity of physician and surgeon, shall be valid unless such person is registered in the Quebec Medical Register.

Physician believed on his oath, &c.

“ **4002aa.** 1. A physician shall be believed on his oath as to the requisition, nature and duration of the services rendered by him, but such testimony may be contradicted like any other evidence.

Need not reveal professional secrets. C.C.P. 332 to apply Physicians need not accept medical offices, &c.

2. A physician cannot be compelled to declare what has been revealed to him in his professional character.

3. Article 332 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall apply to physicians.

4. Physicians are not obliged to accept any municipal office, or any office under a school corporation or to serve as petty jurors.

§ 7.—Council on discipline

1.—GENERAL PROVISIONS

Council on discipline.

4002bb.—1. For the better observance of the by-laws of the Provincial Medical Board and of the rules of medical ethics there shall be a council of three members chosen from among the governors and called the council on discipline.

Members of council.

The president of the Provincial Medical Board shall *ex officio* be a member and chairman of the council and the other two members shall be appointed by the Provincial Medical Board at its first meeting after the general election of governors.

Vacancies.

Any vacancy which may occur in the council on discipline during the interval between the session of the Provincial Medical Board may be filled by the two other members of the said council.

By-laws of council.

2. The council on discipline shall have the right to make by-laws for its government and for the proceedings to be taken before it.

Quorum &c.

3. The quorum of the said council shall be two members and the registrar of the college shall act as its secretary.

Term of office.

4. The members of the council remain in office until replaced.

Nevertheless the members of the council or the majority who have taken cognizance of a matter which has been submitted to them shall give their decision, notwithstanding the expiration of the term for which they had been appointed whether re-elected or not as members of the Provincial Medical Board.

5. Any member of the council who has been duly notified to attend a meeting of the council and who makes default to do so may be replaced by the two other members of the council and his successor shall remain in office until the council is renewed.

“ **4002cc.** It shall be the duty of the Council on discipline to enquire into, to consider, hear and decide finally and to the exclusion of any court, subject to appeal to the Provincial Medical Board, every charge or complaint against any member of the College, for infraction of his professional duties or any act derogatory to the honor and dignity of the profession.

The following acts alone are declared to be derogatory to professional honor :

a. Accepting money or any other benefit, or the promise of money or any other benefit by a member of the Provincial Medical Board for contributing or for having contributed to have any proceeding or decision adopted by the Provincial Medical Board ;

b. Divulging a professional secret ;

c. Abandoning a patient in danger without any sufficient reason, without giving him an opportunity to retain the services of another physician ;

d. Through desire to please, or for any other reason, giving a false certificate respecting birth, death, the nature of a disease, state of health, vaccination, disinfection or respecting any matter relating to life, health, or accident insurance ;

e. Dividing between physicians, or between physicians and druggists, any profits that may result, either from consultation or from prescriptions, or from surgical operations, without the patient's knowledge.

f. Associating or having consultations with quacks or bone-setters ;

g. The habitual abuse of alcoholic liquor or of narcotics.

“ **4002dd.** The Provincial Medical Board may, by by-law determine the time and place of the sittings of the Council and the manner of convening the same, and order that the Council may hold general or special sittings.

“ **4002ee.** In the exercise of the powers conferred upon it the Council shall deliberate and may have recourse to all means

Performance of certain duties after term of office expired.

Replacing of absent members.

Hearing, &c., of charges against physicians.

Unprofessional conduct :

Acceptance by members of Board, of bribe ;

Divulging secrets ;
Abandoning a patient ;

Giving false certificates ;

Dividing certain profits ;

Associating with quacks, &c. ;

Abuse of liquor, &c.

Power of Board re Council meetings.

Powers of council upon complaints.

it deems expedient for securing information as to the facts to be ascertained, and to permit the accused to defend themselves.

Loss of membership for certain crimes.

“ **4002ff.** The commission of a criminal offence legally proved and followed by final sentence by a competent court ordering imprisonment in the penitentiary, shall entail loss of membership in the College.

Notice of conviction to registrar.

“ **4002gg.** The clerk of any court having criminal jurisdiction in this Province, before whom a member of the College is prosecuted, shall, without delay, notify the registrar of the College of the sentence pronounced against such member, and shall send the registrar a certified copy of such sentence.

Suspension &c for certain crimes.

“ **4002hh.** A member of the College found guilty of a criminal offence, followed by final sentence by a competent court, but not sentenced to the penitentiary, may be suspended or dismissed by the Provincial Medical Board on production of a certified copy of the judgment and without other enquiry.

Suspension &c for unprofessional conduct.

2. If it is established by a final judgment without appeal to a court, that a member of the College has committed some serious infringement of his professional duties or has committed an act derogatory to the honor of the profession, the Council may suspend or dismiss such member from the College, without investigation, on production of a certified copy of the judgment.

Notice to registrar.

3. In the two cases mentioned in paragraphs 1 and 2 of this article, the clerk of the court which has pronounced the sentence, shall forward a copy of such sentence without delay to the registrar of the College.

II.—COMPLAINTS AGAINST PHYSICIANS

Complaints to be in writing, &c.

“ **4002ii.** 1. Every complaint against a member of the College shall be made in writing, under oath taken before the registrar or a justice of the peace, and addressed to the registrar.

By-laws re procedure upon complaints.

2. The Provincial Medical Board shall have power to make by-laws to determine in what manner and within what delays such complaints shall be disposed of, to summon the accused and witnesses and generally to prescribe the procedure to be followed upon complaints against a member of the College.

Hearing of complaints.

3. Every complaint against a member of the College may be heard by the Council at a general or special meeting.

Deposit upon complaints, &c.

4. Every complaint made to the registrar must be accompanied by a deposit of twenty-five dollars, but if such complaint is to be heard by the Council, at a special sitting at

the request of the complainant, the deposit shall be fifty dollars. But in either case the complainant and the accused must further disburse on demand and during the course of the proceedings, the costs and fees fixed by the tariff.

5. The complaint shall indicate summarily the nature, time place and circumstances of the offence, and be accompanied by a list containing the names, surnames, occupation and residence of the witnesses whom the complainant wishes to be heard.

“ **4002jj.** 1. In the exercise of its functions, the council may summon witnesses and shall have all the powers of the Superior Court to compel them to appear and answer and to punish them in case of a refusal. Every member of the council has a right to swear the parties and witnesses.

2. The council shall have the right to have every document deemed necessary to enable it to pronounce upon such complaint to be laid before it. It shall have the powers of the Superior Court for compelling the production of such documents.

3. The council may order one of its members to hold an investigation and to report to it upon any complaint pending before it, and in connection with any question or matter within its jurisdiction under this section ; and such member may be authorized by the Council to proceed to such place as he may deem expedient for the purpose of such investigation.

“ **4002kk.** In rendering its decision, the Council shall have power to order either of the parties to pay the costs incurred or to divide them between them and to tax the costs which are not provided for by the tariff.

“ **4002ll.** The disciplinary penalties which may be imposed by the Provincial Medical Board or by the Council shall be :

1. Deprivation of the right to vote at elections of governors and at all general meetings of the members of the College for a certain time.

2. Deprivation of the right to be elected to the office of governor.

3. Deprivation of the right of a member of the Provincial Medical Board to sit at one or more sittings.

4. Censure.

5. Dismissal from the Provincial Medical Board.

6. Suspension from the practice of the profession of medicine and surgery, which entails during suspension the dismissal of such member from the College.

7. Dismissal from the College.

How penalties imposed. " **4002mm.** The penalties other than dismissal from the College may be imposed separately or simultaneously."

Charge by registrar by order of Board. " **4002nn.** The Provincial Medical Board may, whenever it deems expedient, order the registrar to bring any charge properly drawn up before the council, in his own name.

3.—APPEAL TO THE PROVINCIAL MEDICAL BOARD

Appeal to Board from decisions of Council. " **4002oo.** 1. Every decision of the council on discipline entailing suspension or dismissal shall be subject to appeal to the Provincial Medical Board. Notice of such appeal shall be served by a bailiff upon the registrar who has reported the decision to the member of the College who has been suspended or dismissed, within fifteen days following that of the service.

Notice of appeal, &c. Such appeal shall be taken into consideration only at a regular session of the Provincial Medical Board.

Councillor who gave judgment not to sit. 2. A member of the Council cannot sit in appeal from a judgment rendered by the Council of which he forms part.

Recusation. 3. The grounds for recusing a judge set forth in articles 237 and 238 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall apply to the members of the Provincial Medical Board sitting in appeal.

Quorum in appeal. 4. The quorum of the members of the Provincial Medical Board sitting in appeal shall be twelve members.

Deposit for costs. 5. The appellant shall deposit with his notice of appeal the sum of fifty dollars on account of the costs occasioned by such appeal.

Returned to appellant if successful, &c. If he succeeds in such appeal, the said sum shall be returned to him. The losing party shall be condemned to pay it to the Provincial Medical Board with the other costs occasioned by such appeal.

Appeal to be decided summarily, &c. 6. The Provincial Medical Board shall decide the appeal summarily and the registrar shall within eight days forward a certified copy of such decision to the appellant, by registered letter.

No appeal to court. 7. No appeal shall lie to the courts from the decision rendered by the Provincial Medical Board or the Council except in the case of suspension or dismissal of a member of the College,"

Exception.

4.—EXECUTION OF THE DECISIONS OF THE COUNCIL AND RECOVERY OF COSTS

Service of decision upon losing party, and upon prothonotary. " **4002pp.** When the delay for the appeal has expired or, after final decision as the case may be, a copy of the decision of the Provincial Medical Board, or of the Council, certified by the registrar, shall be served by a bailiff within thirty days

upon the member of the College who has been suspended or dismissed, or upon any other losing party, and upon the prothonotary of the Superior Court of the district where such member of the College or such party resides.

The prothonotary of the Superior Court of the district where the party condemned resides, shall, on production of a certified copy of the decision of the Board or of the Council issue a warrant of execution for the recovery of the costs fixed by the tariff or taxed by the Council or the Board, both before and after the decision, as in the case of a judgment of the Superior Court.

2. If the losing party is a member of the College he shall not be allowed to practice his profession and shall be suspended *ipso facto* until he has paid the costs which he is condemned to pay.

“ **4002qq.** 1. In the case of suspension or dismissal of a member of the College, notice shall be given over the signature of the registrar, in four numbers of the *Quebec Official Gazette* immediately after the judgment by the Provincial Medical Board has been delivered, or after the expiration of the delay granted for the appeal, if no appeal is taken.

2. The effects of the suspension or dismissal shall date only from the last of such four publications.

3. With the exception mentioned in paragraph four of this article, a public notice of such suspension or dismissal, signed by the registrar, shall be immediately read and posted up on two consecutive Sundays by a bailiff of the Superior Court or by the secretary-treasurer of the council of the municipality upon the door of the church of the parish or of the township where the physician who has been suspended or dismissed has his domicile.

4. In the cities of Quebec, Montreal, Three-Rivers, Sherbrooke and Sorel and in the towns of St. Hyacinthe and St. Johns, such notice shall be published three times in French in a newspaper published in the French language, and three times in English, in a newspaper published in the English language, and if there be but one newspaper in the locality or if both are published in the same language, the notice shall be inserted in the two languages in the same newspaper.

§ 8.—Penalties and prosecutions

“ **4002rr.** 1. Every person not registered in this Province who is convicted of having practiced medicine and surgery or midwifery in contravention of the provisions of this section, shall incur a penalty of not more than fifty dollars for the first

offence and of not less than fifty dollars nor more than two hundred dollars for every subsequent offence.

Proviso.

This provision shall not apply to services rendered gratuitously by persons who, by reason of their calling, may, under special circumstances, do certain acts to which this act would otherwise apply.

And for wrongfully assuming a title of doctor, &c.

2. A penalty of fifty dollars for the first offence, of one hundred dollars for the second offence, and of two hundred dollars for every subsequent offence, shall be incurred by any person who assumes the title of doctor of medicine or of surgeon or any other name which might give reason to suppose that he is legally authorized to practice medicine, surgery or midwifery in this Province, if he cannot establish such fact by legal proof as required by this section and by law.

Wrongful advertising, &c., as registered physician, &c.

3. Every person who in an advertisement in a newspaper or in a written or printed circular or on a business card or on signs, assumes such a title, name or designation, as to lead people to suppose that he is duly registered or qualified to practice medicine, surgery or midwifery, or any person who either for himself or on account of a licensed physician, offers or gives his services as physician, surgeon or accoucheur, even gratuitously, if he be not duly authorized and registered in this Province under this section, shall, in each of such cases be liable to a penalty of fifty dollars for the first offence, of one hundred dollars for the second offence, and of two hundred dollars for all subsequent offences.

Burden of proof on accused. Penalties how recovered, &c.

In every prosecution under this section proof of registration shall be upon the person prosecuted.

4. The penalties imposed by this section shall be recoverable with costs, by a suit in the name of the College, in its corporate name, and they shall belong to the College for its own use.

Penalties before what courts recovered, &c.

The penalties imposed by this section may be recovered by an action at law in the name of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec, before the Superior Court or Circuit Court, according to the amount of the penalty which may be imposed, of the county or district where the defendant has his domicile or of the district in which the offence was committed, or by a prosecution before a justice of the peace under the provisions of part XV of the Criminal Code ;

What judgment if defendant condemned.

5. If the proof is sufficient, the court shall condemn the defendant to pay the penalties mentioned above with costs, within a delay which it shall specify, and to imprisonment for sixty days in the common gaol of the district if he fails to satisfy the judgment within such delay.

Warrant of imprisonment.

The warrant of imprisonment in such case shall issue under the signature of the clerk of the court, on the written application

of the attorney for the procecutor, and may be drawn up *mutatis mutandis* according to form 41, in part XXV of the Criminal Code, and executed in the ordinary manner.

“ **4002ss.** Independently of the damages that may result to the parties, every physician who has been suspended or dismissed and exposes a sign or anything else calculated to conceal his suspension or dismissal from the public or who practises medicine, surgery or midwifery, shall incur a penalty of one hundred dollars for each offence. Penalty for concealment of suspension, &c.

“ **4002tt.** Every fine or penalty imposed by article 4002ss shall be sued for and recovered by the registrar, in the name of the College, with the previous authorization of the Provincial Medical Board or of its chairman, before any competent civil court. Penalty under 4002ss, how recovered.

If the registrar is the person to be sued, the president shall act *ex-officio* in the name of the Provincial Medical Board. Who acts when register sued.

“ **4002uu.** The president of the College may, if he thinks proper, authorize, appoint and constitute by an order signed by him, any person whom he may select, other than the registrar, to take proceedings against anybody who is suspected of having infringed any of the provisions of this section. Appointment of special prosecutor.

2. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction. Coming into force.

FORMS

1.—(Article 3993)

Quebec Medical Register

Date of registration	Names and surname	Date of birth	Residence	Titles and qualifications

2.—(*Article 4000*)*Affidavit for holders of bachelors' degrees*

I, the undersigned
 aged _____ years, born at
 domiciled at _____ county of
 _____ Province of _____, Bachelor
 of _____ of _____ University, in the Province
 of _____, swear on the Holy Evangelists that the di-
 ploma I present, dated the _____ day of the
 month of _____, 19____, is really my property ;
 that the names and surname inscribed on it are mine and that
 I obtained it in a regular and lawful manner.

(*Applicant's signature*)

Sworn before me, }
 at _____, }
 this _____, }
 of _____ 19____. }

J. P.. or Com. S. C.

3.—(*Article 4001*)*Notice by candidate for admission to study*

To the Registrar of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of
 the Province of Quebec.

Sir,

I, the undersigned
 of _____, have the honour to inform you that I
 will present myself for examination for admission to study
 medicine on the _____ day of the month of _____.
 I am _____ years of age, and I studied at _____.
 I have the honour to be, etc.

(*Signature*)

N. B.—The candidate must send, with this notice, a certi-
 ficate from the principal of the institution where he studied, a
 certificate of birth, and the fee.

4.—(Article 4002)

Report of the examiners for the examination for the study of
medicine

No.	Names and surname	Candidate's address	Result		Remarks
			Science	Letters	

We, the undersigned examiners duly appointed by the Provincial Medical Board, certify that we were present at the preliminary examination at _____ which began on the _____ and ended on the _____, and we declare that the above report is in every respect conformable to the facts observed and to the truth.

In testimony whereof, we have signed at _____, on the _____ day of _____ 19 .

(Signature)

N. B.—This report must be addressed to the registrar.

5.—(Article 4002f)

Notice to registrar by candidate for examination

To the Registrar of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec.

Sir,

I, the undersigned
of _____, medical student of _____
have the honour to inform you that I will present myself at the next examination before the Medical Board of Examiners of the faculty of _____ to undergo examination on the following subjects :

N. B.—The candidate must send with this notice all certificates giving him the right to present himself for examination on the various subjects.

6.—(Article 4002h)

Report of the Medical Board of Examiners

Date	Names and surname	Address	Date of birth	Subject	Note	Remarks

We, the undersigned examiners duly appointed, certify that we began the examinations on the _____, 19____, and finished them on the _____, 19____, and we declare that the above report is in every respect true.

In testimony whereof, we have signed at the _____ day of _____, 19____.

(Signatures)

7.—(Articles 4002n, 4002o)

Notice by a candidate desiring to obtain a license for the practice of medicine

To the Registrar of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec.

Sir,

I, the undersigned _____, residing at _____, have the honour to inform you that I will present myself at the next meeting of the Provincial Medical Board at _____, on the _____ day of the month of _____ to obtain a license to practice medicine in the Province of Quebec.

(Signature)

N. B.—The candidate must send with this notice all the certificates giving him the right to present himself, diploma, fee, certificate of birth, etc., etc.

8.—(Article 4002v)

Notice by a physician who wishes to cease practising his profession

(Date)

To the Registrar of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec.

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that from and after the _____ of the month of _____ I shall cease to practise the profession of Physician and Surgeon and I ask you to strike my name from the Quebec Medical Register.

(Signature)

9.—(Article 4002v)

Notice by a physician who wishes to resume the practice of his profession after having ceased to practise

(Date)

To the Registrar of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec.

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that I intend to resume

the practice of the profession of physician and surgeon from this day and that my address is :

(Signature)

10.—(Article 4002y)

Notice by the registrar to a physician that he will ask for his suspension for non-payment of his contributions

To Dr.

(Address)

Sir,

You are hereby notified that it appears that you owe the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec, the annual contributions for the years amounting to the sum of \$. You are further notified that if you do not pay the said sum of \$ between now and the next meeting of the Provincial Medical Board, I shall be forced, according to law, to ask that your name be struck from the Quebec Medical Register.

(Signature)

11.—(Article 4002y)

Notice to a physician that his name has been struck from the Quebec Medical Register

To Dr.

(Address)

Sir,

You are hereby notified by me, the undersigned, registrar of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec, that, by a decision of the Provincial Medical Board, at the meeting of , held at , your name was struck from the Quebec Medical Register.

In testimony whereof, I have signed these presents at .

(Signature)

12.—(Article 4002h)

Form of oath for admission to the practice of medicine

I the undersigned swear, on the Holy Evangelists, that I am the person called and described by the name of , in the certificates and diplomas produced by me for my admis-

sion to the practice of medicine, and that I obtained such certificates and diplomas honestly and honourably after fulfilling all the formalities required.

I further swear that I will faithfully perform the duties devolving on me as physician and surgeon and that I will submit to all the regulations adopted by the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec for the government of the members of the profession.

So help me God.

(Signature)

C H A P . 56

An Act to amend the act respecting the College of Dental Surgeons of the Province of Quebec

[As entered to 29th May, 1909]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows :

1. Article 4055 of the Revised Statutes, as replaced by the act 52 Victoria, chapter 40, section 1, and amended by the acts 55-56 Victoria, chapter 32, section 1 ; 57 Victoria, chapter 37, section 1 ; 59 Victoria, chapter 30, section 1 ; 62 Victoria, chapter 36, section 1 ; 4 Edward VII, chapter 28, section 2 and 8 Edward VII, chapter 60, section 1, is again amended :

a. By replacing paragraph 2 by the following :

“ 2. The Board shall consist of eleven qualified members of the College elected at a general meeting held for this purpose. At least one of such members shall be domiciled in the district of Quebec, another in the district of Saint Francis, Arthabaska and Bedford, and nine in any part of the Province.

b. By replacing paragraph 3 by the following :

“ 3. The election of the eleven members of the Board of Governors eligible by the members of the College, shall be held as follows :

During the last ten days of the month of September of each year, the secretary of the Board shall receive the nominations of all the members of the College qualified to be elected to the office of governor provided they are in writing and signed by two members of the College qualified to vote at such election.

Nevertheless, no nomination-paper so signed and sent shall contain more than eleven nominations and, among such nominations, there must be at least one of a member of the College domiciled in the district of Quebec and another of &c.