CAP. XVII.

An Act to repeal a certain Act or Odinance therein mentioned, and to provide effectual Regulations concerning the Practice of Physic, Surgery and Midwifery.

[31st March, 1831.]

Picamble

HEREAS it is expedient to repeal an Act or Ordinance passed in the twentyeighth year of the Reign of His Majesty George the Third, intituled, "An Act or Ordinance to prevent persons practising Physic and Surgery within " the Province of Quebec, or Midwifery in the Towns of Quebec and Montreal, " without Licence," and to provide more effectual Regulations with respect to persons practising Physic and Surgery within this Province, as well as Midwifery, and to regulate Druggists and others vending or distributing Medicines by retail: Be it therefore enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Lower-Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, intituled, "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, " intituled, ' An Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of "the Province of Quebec, in North-America," and to make further provision for " the Government of the said Province;" And it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that the said Act or Ordinance, passed in the twenty-eighth year of the Reign of His Majesty George the Third, intituled, "An Act or Ordinance to " prevent persons Practising Physic and Surgery within the Province of Quebec, or Midwifery in the Towns of Quebec and Montreal, without Licence," shall be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordinance 28 Geo. 3, Cap. 8, repealed.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that no person shall hereafter, under the penalty hereinafter mentioned, practice for gain or profit, as a Physician, Surgeon and Man Midwife in this Province, unless he shall have obtained a Licence or Commission to that effect, from the Governor, Lieutenant Governor or person administering the Government of this Province, in the manner hereinafter mentioned, or be otherwise authorized thereunto, pursuant to this Act.

Persons studying Physic, and wishing a licence to undergo an

examination.

Physician &c. not to

practice with.

out a licence.

III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that all persons who may be desirous of studying Physic or any branch thereof, with the view of ultimately procuring a Licence or permission to practise as Physician, Surgeon, or Apothecary