

Anatomy Ordinance.

Provides for reference to Register.

V. That such Returns, Book, and Register, shall be open at all reasonable hours for the inspection of any Medical Practitioner who may desire to inspect the same, on payment of a Fee of Fifty Cents for the use of the Medical Registrar.

Bodies to be impartially distributed.

VI. That Person or Persons in charge of the Public Hospitals as aforesaid, and the Coroners, shall make an impartial distribution of the bodies, in rotation, according to the actual wants of the claimants.

Receipt to be given for body, and fee paid.

VII. That on delivery of every such unclaimed body as aforesaid, the Person or Persons in charge of the Hospital or the Coroner, as the case may be, shall take from the Medical Practitioner receiving the body a receipt, in the Form A. in the Schedule to this Ordinance, and such Practitioner shall pay the sum of Ten Dollars to the Person from whom he receives the body, and take a receipt therefor, in the Form B. in the said Schedule; and such sum shall in every case be applied towards the support and maintenance of the Public Hospitals in the Colony.

Coroner may give unclaimed body to be dissected.

VIII. The Coroner who presides at the Inquest on any body found publicly exposed, and unclaimed by *bona fide* friends or relatives, shall deliver up the body to any Medical Practitioner (on application by him), duly qualified to receive the same under this Ordinance.

Medical practitioners availing themselves of this Ordinance to give security to Medical Registrar.

IX. That every Medical Practitioner wishing to avail himself of the benefits of this Ordinance shall appear before the Medical Registrar of the Colony, or his deputy, and give security, himself in the sum of One Hundred Dollars, and two sureties in the sum of Fifty Dollars each, for the decent interment of the bodies after they have served the purposes required.

Short Title.

X. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the "Anatomy Ordinance, 1869."

Passed the Legislative Council the 16th day of February, A. D. 1869.

CHARLES GOOD,
Clerk of the Council.

WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG,
Presiding Member.

Assented to, on behalf of Her Majesty, this 11th day of March, 1869.

FREDERICK SEYMOUR,
Governor.

SCHEDULE.

FORM A.

Received from [Coroner or the Person, &c., &c.] the body of [name, age, sex, &c., &c.] for the purpose of dissection and anatomical instruction.

Dated the day of , A. D. 18 .

Witness,

FORM B.

Received of [Medical Practitioner's name] the sum of Dollars, for the body of [name, age, sex, &c., &c.] and I hereby certify that the said body has not been claimed by *bona fide* friends or relatives.

Dated the day of , A. D. 18 .

Witness

VICTORIA, B. C.:

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