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An Act to Incorporate the Queen's College  
of Physicians and Surgeons, Kingston.

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Hon. Mr. Atty. Gen. MACDONALD.

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An Act to Incorporate the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Kingston.

**W**HEREAS John R. Dickson, John Mair, Fife Fowler, Michael La-  
vell, Roderick Kennedy, Duncan Maclean, Michael Sullivan, and  
Richard A. Reeve, have by their petition prayed to be incorporated as  
a College of Physicians and Surgeons; and whereas it is expedient  
5 to grant the prayer of the said petition; Therefore, Her Majesty, by  
and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly  
of Canada, enacts as follows :

1. The said John R. Dickson, John Mair, Fife Fowler, Michael La-  
vell, Roderick Kennedy, Donald Maclean, Michael Sullivan, and Rich-  
ard A. Reeve, and their successors, shall be and are hereby constituted  
10 a body politic and corporate, by the name of the "Royal College of  
Physicians and Surgeons of Kingston," and by that name shall have per-  
petual succession and a common seal, with power to break, alter or re-  
new the same, and may by that name sue and be sued; plead and be im-  
15 pleaded in any courts of law or equity in this Province, and may pur-  
chase, lease, take and hold real estate and personal property, and may  
alienate and acquire other property instead thereof; provided always,  
that the said estate held by the said corporation does not exceed the  
value of twenty thousand dollars.

2. There shall be elected by and from among the members of the said  
corporation, a President, Registrar, Professors, and such other officers  
as may from time to time be deemed necessary for the purpose of this  
Act, and in such way and manner as the said corporation may in their  
By-laws direct, who shall hold their offices for such time as may be pre-  
25 scribed by the said By-laws.

3. Whenever any of the members of the said Corporation shall die  
or shall resign, or it shall be deemed advisable by the corporation to  
increase the number of members thereof, then the said Corporation shall  
proceed according to their By-laws, for that purpose made and enacted,  
30 to elect such additional members in the place and stead of those so  
dying or resigning, or as the case may be.

4. The said corporation shall have power to make such By-laws as  
may be necessary for the conduct of its affairs and business, the appoint-  
ment and removal of its members, professors, and officers, the govern-  
35 ment, education, and certificates of its students and graduates, the  
admission of licentiates and fellows, and all other things necessary for  
carrying into effect the provisions of this Act, as the members thereof  
shall from time to time appear expedient, and shall not be in any wise  
repugnant to law, or inconsistent with this Act; provided always, that  
40 no member of the said corporation shall be removed, nor shall any pro-

Preamble.

Certain persons incorporated.

Elections of officers.

Vacancies.

Power to make By-laws.

Proviso.

fessor be deprived of his office save and except under the terms of the By-laws under which he was appointed, until after enquiry has been duly instituted upon charges or complaints made, and a two-thirds vote of the members of the corporation present at a meeting to be specially called for considering the same recorded against him. 5

Certificates of qualification.

5. Whenever any student of the said College of Physicians and Surgeons shall in his medical studies, and in all other particulars have complied with the requirements of the corporation of the said college, and of the existing, or any future law regulating the practice of the medical profession in Upper Canada, it shall and may 10 be lawful for the corporation of said college to grant him or them certificates of qualification, or diploma, or such other credential, or any or either of which shall entitle him to registration.

College to be entitled to rights conferred on colleges by the Medical Act of U. C.

6. The said corporation of the said college of Physicians and Surgeons shall be entitled to all the rights and privileges conferred on the 15 colleges mentioned in the fourth section of an Act passed in the last session of Parliament, intituled, "The Medical Act for Upper Canada;" or any future Act referring thereto; and shall and may transmit from time to time to the Registrar mentioned in the said Act, lists certified under their seal, of the several persons who in respect of quali- 20 fications granted by the said college, are for the time being entitled to be registered under the said Act, stating the respective qualifications and places of residence of such persons; and it shall be lawful for the said Registrar thereupon, and upon such payment of the fee mentioned in said Act in respect of each person to be registered, to enter in the reg- 25 ister the persons mentioned in the list, with their qualifications and places of residence as therein stated, without other application in relation thereto.

College may officiate.

7. If at any time the said corporation of College of Physicians and Surgeons shall deem it advisable or expedient to procure for their stu- 30 dents university honors or degrees in medical surgery and midwifery, it shall and may be lawful for such purpose to affiliate with any university empowered to grant degrees in this Province, and such university is hereby empowered to affiliate and grant such degrees.

Public Act.

8. This Act shall be deemed a public Act. 35