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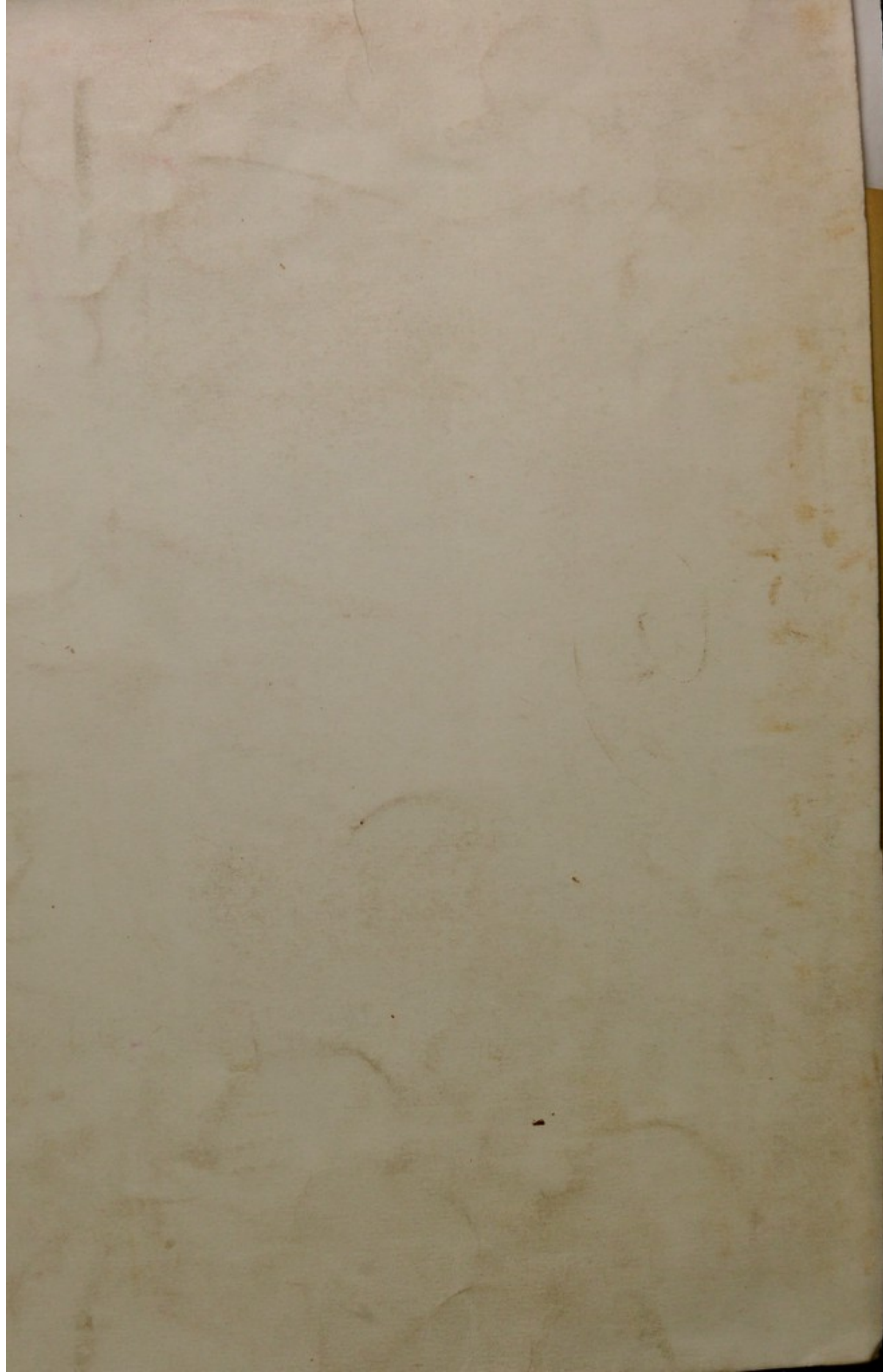
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MARISCHAL COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY,
ABERDEEN.

REGULATIONS FOR GRANTING MEDICAL DEGREES.

CURRICULUM.

1.—FOUR years of attendance on Medical Classes, of which two years may be passed at a recognised Medical School; but two must be passed in a University, and one of them, at least, in this University. The attendance, in each year, must embrace not fewer than two Medical Classes of six months each; or one of six months, with two of three months each. But it will be held equivalent to one of these four years of attendance, *first*, in a Master of Arts, to have attended one Medical Class while passing through the Curriculum of Arts; or, *secondly*, in any other Candidate, to have attended a Medical Class in each of two years, along with Classes in the Curriculum of Arts. The attendance must include the following Classes, each for a course of six months—ANATOMY, PRACTICAL ANATOMY, CHEMISTRY, MATERIA MEDICA, INSTITUTES OF MEDICINE, PRACTICE OF MEDICINE, SURGERY, MIDWIFERY; and the following Classes, each for a Course of three months—BOTANY, PRACTICAL CHEMISTRY, MEDICAL JURISPRUDENCE.

In regard to *Practical Anatomy*, every Candidate must produce a Certificate that he has dissected all the parts of the human body.

2.—Eighteen Months of attendance on the Medical and Surgical Practice of an Hospital containing not fewer than Eighty Beds, along with attendance for six months on Lectures on Clinical Medicine, and for three months on Lectures on Clinical Surgery.

3.—Six months of Compounding and Dispensing Medicines in the Laboratory of an Hospital, or of a Public Dispensary, or of a Licensed General Practitioner, or of a regular Dispensing Druggist.

EXAMINATIONS.

4.—There shall be one Examination Term in each year, commencing on the second Tuesday of April.

5.—Every Candidate, who is not a Master of Arts, nor possessed of a Diploma or a Licence in Medicine or in Surgery from any authority established by Law within the United Kingdom, shall undergo a PRELIMINARY examination on the Latin Language (the book to be used being *CELSUS de Medicinâ*); on the Etymology of such Terms in the Medical Sciences as are derived from the Latin and the Greek; and on the Elements of Mental Science (the book to be used being *ABERCROMBIE on the Intellectual Powers*).

The Preliminary Examination may be undergone, at the option of the Candidate, at any Examination Term after the expiry of the first session of his attendance on Medical Classes.

6.—Every Candidate shall undergo two separate PROFESSIONAL Examinations; the first on the *Theoretical*, and the second on the *Practical* branches of Medical Science, as under, viz. :—

FIRST EXAMINATION.

Anatomy,
Physiology,
Botany,
Chemistry,
Materia Medica.

SECOND EXAMINATION.

Medical Jurisprudence,
Midwifery,
Surgery,
Practice of Medicine.

Physiology will comprehend the Doctrines of Physics, illustrative of Animal Structure and Function.

7.—Any Candidate that so desires shall be admitted to the two Professional Examinations at different terms, viz. :—to the *first* Examination, at the end of his third year of Medical Classes; and, provided he be twenty-one years of age, to the *second* Examination, at the end of his fourth year. But no longer interval than two years will be allowed to intervene between the two Examinations without a full renewal of the previous one.

8.—In order to be received for Examination, certificates must have been lodged with the Professor of Medicine, fourteen days before the commencement of the Examination Term, stating the age of the Candidate, what Classes he has attended, and that he is of good moral character. Along with such Certificates, must be lodged a Schedule, filled up in his own handwriting, containing a list of them, and specifying such additional branches of Education, professional and general, as he may have studied.

REGULATIONS REGARDING PRACTITIONERS.

9.—It will be held equivalent to the *Curriculum* prescribed in the foregoing Regulations, to have obtained a Diploma or a Licence in Medicine or in Surgery, from any authority established by law within the United Kingdom, and to have subsequently attended Medical Classes in this University during one Winter Session.

The Senatus reserves to itself the right of exempting Medical Practitioners of *experience and high respectability*, from residence at the University previous to Examination.

10.—Practitioners who may be exempted from residence, shall undergo two separate Professional Examinations, which may be taken at the same or at two different terms:—the *first* examination to include Anatomy, Physiology, Pathology, and Therapeutics,—the *second*, Practice of Medicine, Surgery, Midwifery, and Medical Jurisprudence. And the competency of their knowledge, in these branches, will be tested by examination on the following books, viz.:—

QUAIN'S *Elements of Anatomy*, by SHARPEY & QUAIN.

CARPENTER'S *Manual of Physiology*.

WILLIAMS' *Principles of Medicine*.

WATSON'S *Lectures on the Principles and Practice of Physic*.

MILLER'S *Principles and Practice of Surgery*.

CHURCHILL'S *Theory and Practice of Midwifery*.

TAYLOR'S *Manual of Medical Jurisprudence*.

CONFERRING OF DEGREES.

11.—The Degree of *Bachelor of Medicine* may be conferred on any Candidate who has passed the prescribed Examinations.

12.—The Degree of *Doctor of Medicine* may be conferred on any Candidate, after passing the prescribed Examinations, who is twenty-two years of age, or on any Candidate who has been at least twelve months a Bachelor of Medicine of this University.

13.—Graduates who have attended the several Medical Classes in this University will be charged no Graduation Fees; but from all others the usual Fees will be required.

MARISCHAL COLLEGE, ABERDEEN,

March, 1849.

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Those having a Diploma
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Morbid Anatomy—Mr. Henry.
 Chemistry—Mr. Taylor and Mr. Hirsch.
 SUMMER SESSION, commencing MAY 1st, 1850.
 Midwifery and Diseases of Women and Children—Mr. Babington.
 Materia Medica and Therapeutics—Dr. Stewart.
 Forensic Medicine—Dr. R. G. Hatham.
 Botany—Mr. Bentley, F.L.S.
 Morbid Anatomy—Mr. Henry.
 Demonstrative Anatomy—Mr. Nunn.
 Practical Chemistry—Mr. Taylor and Mr. Hirsch.
 General fee for attendance on the Hospital Practice and Lectures required
 by the College of Surgeons and Apothecaries' Company, £75.
 This sum may be paid by instalments of £30 at the beginning of the first
 session; £30 at the beginning of the second session; and £15 at the begin-
 ning of the third session.
 Fee for eighteen months' medical and three years' surgical practice,
 £30.
 Prospectuses and further information may be obtained on application to
 Mr. DE MORGAN, at the Hospital, daily, from Twelve to Two; to any of the
 Lecturers; or to Mr. CORRE, the Apothecary at the Hospital.
 St. George's Hospital Medical School,
 London.—The Session 1849-50 will commence on MONDAY, OCTO-
 BER 1st, with an INTRODUCTORY ADDRESS, by Dr. BENGE JONES,
 F.R.S., at half-past one o'clock.
 Descriptive and Surgical Anatomy—Mr. Prescott Hewett and Mr.
 Pollock.
 Physiology and General Anatomy—Mr. Athol Johnson.
 Practical Anatomy—Mr. Pollock and Mr. Athol Johnson.
 Chemistry—Mr. Noad and Dr. Benge Jones, F.R.S.
 Practical Chemistry—Mr. Noad.
 Materia Medica—Dr. Pitman.
 Medicine—Dr. Nairne and Dr. Page.
 Surgery—Mr. Tatum.
 Midwifery—Dr. Robert Lee, F.R.S.
 Medical Jurisprudence—Dr. Haller and Mr. H. C. Johnson.
 Botany—Mr. Henry, F.L.S.
 Clinical Lectures on Medicine and Surgery are given by the Physicians
 and Surgeons of the Hospital, during the Winter and Summer Sessions.
 Some lectures on the application of Chemistry to the Diagnosis and Treat-
 ment of Disease, will be given, by Dr. Benge Jones, F.R.S.
 Practical Chemistry is taught in the Laboratory of the School.
 Hospital. Practical Pharmacy, under the superintendence of the Apothecary of the
 A Course of Lectures on Midwifery will be given by Dr. ROBERT LEE,
 F.R.S., during the Winter Session of 1849-50.

