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No. 87 of 1912.

An Act to Amend the Dental Profession Act.

(Assented to 1912.)

HIS MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, enacts as follows:

1. Section 11 of *The Dental Profession Act*, being chapter 22 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1906, is amended by striking out all the words after the word "board" in the third line thereof and including the word "them" in the sixth line thereof.

2. Sections 14 and 15 of the said Act are hereby repealed.

3. Section 16 of the said Act is amended by striking out all the words in the said section after the word "practitioner" in the fourth line thereof and before the word "and" in the seventh line thereof.

4. Section 16 of the said Act is further amended by repealing the proviso thereto, and substituting therefor the following:

"Provided that the fees hereinbefore mentioned shall not in any case exceed the following: Indenture fee, \$10.00; registration fee, \$50.00; annual fee, \$10.00."

5. Section 20 of the said Act is amended by striking out all the words therein before clause (c) thereof and by adding thereto the following:

"(d) If the certificate of the Dominion Dental Council of Canada issued to a practitioner who has procured a license under the provisions of this section is cancelled for any cause by the said council, the license of such practitioner to practise in Alberta shall be null and void and the board shall remove the name of such person from the register."

6. The said Act is further amended by adding thereto as section 20a the following:

"20a. The board of directors shall have power to appoint a member of the association to be a member of the Senate of the University of Alberta, who shall hold office for two years or until his successor is appointed."

7. Section 21 of the said Act is hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"The board shall on receipt of a certificate from the Registrar of the University of Alberta, that the person to whom such certificate is issued is duly qualified to practise the profession of dentistry as herein provided, issue to such person a license to practise on payment by such person of the necessary registration fee:

"Provided, however, that no certificate or license shall be granted to any person who is under twenty-one years of age."

8. Section 22 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"Every license issued under the provisions of this Act shall be sealed with the corporate seal of the association and shall be signed by the registrar and the production of a license purporting to be so sealed and signed shall be *prima facie* evidence of the issue and contents thereof."

9. Section 23 of the said Act is hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"EXAMINATIONS.

"23a. The examination of candidates for admission to study and for admission to practise the profession of dentistry in the Province of Alberta shall be under the control of the University of Alberta, the examiners for this purpose being appointed by the Senate of the University to the University board of examiners, on the joint nomination of the President of the University or someone deputed by him for that purpose, and the board of directors of the Alberta Dental Association.

"(b) A candidate for admission to study shall be required to pass the matriculation examination in the Arts Faculty of the University of Alberta or to have an academic standing which in the opinion of the Senate of the University of Alberta is equivalent thereto.

"(c) Except as hereinafter provided every person before being permitted to practise shall be required to pass an examination in the following subjects: Histology, Dental Anatomy, Anatomy, Chemistry, Metallurgy, Physiology, Materia Medica, Therapeutics, Dental Pathology, Dental Medicine and Surgery, Operative Dentistry, Prosthetic Dentistry and Orthodontia, Anaesthetics and Bacteriology, and such other subjects as may be added from time to time by the Senate of the University of Alberta, and to perform operations before the examiners, to exhibit specimens of his skill as a Prosthetic dentist, and if called upon to construct practical cases in the presence of an examiner.

"(d) The examination of candidates for admission to study or to practise the profession of dentistry in the Province of Alberta shall be held twice a year, one between the 1st and 15th of May, and the other between the 15th and 30th of September, the exact dates to be fixed by the Senate of the University of Alberta from time to time.

"(e) Every person desirous of being examined whether for admission to study or to practice shall on or before the first day of April or on or before the fifteenth of August, according to the time the examination is to be held, pay to the Registrar of the University the required fees, and, in case of a candidate for admission to practice, furnish him satisfactory evidence that his term of indentureship has been fulfilled, or of his right to take the examinations as provided in the next subsection, and also as to the applicant's integrity and good morals.

"(f) The following persons upon payment of the required fees shall be entitled to receive licenses to practise dentistry in the province from the board of directors of the said association, namely:

"Any person who is a graduate of any school or college of dentistry or a member of any dental association recognized by the Senate of the University of Alberta as hereinafter provided, and who produces sufficient evidence of identity and fulfils the qualifications prescribed for admission to study and passes the final examination prescribed for admission to practice.

“(g) The Senate of the University of Alberta may by resolution set forth and declare the names of such schools, colleges and associations the graduates or members of which shall be entitled to receive licenses as aforesaid, and may at any time by resolution recognize any other school, college or association, or rescind any former resolution recognizing any such school, college or association, and until such resolution is made by the Senate the schools, colleges or associations now recognized by law shall continue to be recognized by the University and by the board.

“(h) On the passing of any examination by a candidate, or on the acceptance by the Senate of qualifications in lieu thereof as herein provided, the Registrar of the University shall notify the Registrar of the Dental Association, who shall take the necessary action in connection therewith.”

10. Section 24 of the said Act is amended by striking out the word “a” before the word “registration” in the fifth and eighth lines thereof and substituting therefor the words “the required,” and by striking out the words “of two dollars” in the fifth and ninth lines thereof.

11. Section 25 of the said Act is amended by inserting therein after the word “Registrar” in the first line thereof the words “of the board.”

12. Subsection (2) of section 26 of the said Act is hereby repealed.

13. Clause (a) of section 28 of the said Act is hereby repealed.

14. The said Act is further amended by adding thereto as sections 28a, 28b and 28c the following:

“28a. No member of the association shall in the practise of the profession of dentistry and dental surgery use any trade name or designation or corporate name, or any distinguishing name for any premises in which he carries on the practise of his profession, but every such member shall, for all purposes in connection with his profession, use his own proper name.

“28b. No company incorporated, registered or licensed under any of the Acts of the Province of Alberta regulating or respecting joint stock companies shall carry on or attempt or purport to carry on the practise of the profession of dentistry or dental surgery in the Province of Alberta, and no member of the association shall assist or enter the employ of any such company to carry on or attempt or purport to carry on such practice in any wise whatever.

“28c. No member of the association shall publish, use or issue any advertisement, card, handbill, poster or sign calling attention to any particular style or mode of work or stating fees for materials or services.”

15. Any violations of any of the provisions of the three next preceding sections of this Act shall render the member offending liable to the penalties provided in section 32 of this Act.

16. Schedule B to the said Act is amended by striking out the words “Certificate of Registration” in the form in said schedule and substituting therefor the word “license.”

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