

cellence from all candidates. In the department of Therapeutics and practice the questions shall be in harmony with the tenets of the school selected by the candidate; the standard of acquirements therein to be established by each board for itself: Whenever members of any board are necessarily absent from meetings held for the examination of applicants for license, suitable temporary provision shall be made for thorough examination in each and all of the aforesaid subjects by the members present. The examination shall be fundamental in character and such as can be answered in common by all schools of practice. The votes of all the examiners present shall be "yes" or "no," written with their signature upon the backs of the examination papers of each candidate for the respective branches.

"43. All persons, except physicians who were practising medicine in this State on the first day of June, 1892, who are now practising medicine or surgery without being duly licensed and registered, or who shall commence the practice of medicine or surgery in any way of their branches after the passage of this Act, shall make a written application for license to the president of either board of medical examiners which said applicant may elect, accompanied by satisfactory proof that the applicant is more than twenty-one years of age, is of good moral character, has obtained a competent common school education, and has either received a diploma conferring the degree of doctor of medicine from some legally incorporated medical college in the United States, or a diploma or license conferring the full right to practice all the branches of medicine and surgery in some foreign country; said diploma, if from a college in the United States, must have been conferred by a legally incorporated college requiring a three years' standard of education as defined by the American Medical College Association or the Inter-Collegiate Committee of the American Institute of Homœopathy, respectively; provided, that this requirement shall not apply to any physician who shall prior to the passage of this Act have practiced outside of this State for at least three years and who shall have been duly registered or licensed in the place where he has so practised; provided, further, that two courses of medical lectures, both of which shall be either begun