

cessfully an examination in whatever branches of medical science the said College may determine upon, shall subject to the regulations contained in clause XII. of Ordinance No. 5, of 1846, become and be a member of the Medical Board, and entitled to all the privileges of such members.

3. The examination of holders of foreign diplomas or licenses shall be conducted by sealed papers, in such a manner and under such regulations and conditions, as the Royal College of Physicians of London and the Medical Board, by bye-laws to be approved of by His Excellency the Governor, shall think fit.

4. No proceeding to recover any penalty under this Ordinance shall be commenced except with the fiat of the Attorney General.

Passed in Council this first day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

A. C. ROSS,  
*Clerk of the Council.*

## No. 2.—1873.

*1st April.*

AN ORDINANCE for the licensing of Burial Grounds.

(L. S.) W. H. RENNIE, *Administrator.*

*5th April, 1873.*

**B**E it enacted by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, as follows:—

1. From and after the passing of this Ordinance it shall not be lawful to bury the dead in any place not being a licensed burial ground: And any person who shall bury any body, or in anywise act or assist in the

Penalty for burying the dead in unlicensed burial ground.

burial of any body in any place not being a licensed burial ground, shall, for every such offence, be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

Existing  
burial  
grounds  
deemed to be  
licensed.

2. The cemeteries and burial grounds mentioned in the schedule to this Ordinance, and now used as such, shall be deemed to be and are hereby declared to be licensed burial grounds within the meaning of this Ordinance.

Power to  
Governor to  
set apart and  
license public  
burial  
grounds.

3. It shall be lawful for the Governor to set apart and license as a public burial ground any parcel of land, whether Crown land or private property, which may hereafter be required for the purpose of a public burial ground, not being within the limits of the Borough of Port-of-Spain or the Borough of San Fernando; and in case such land shall be private property, the Governor shall, on behalf of Her Majesty, contract and agree with the owner of such land for the purchase of such land and for the compensation to be paid to such owner for such land; and if any owner of such land shall refuse to accept such sum of money as may be offered by the Governor for the purchase-money of such land or as compensation, or if no such offer of compensation shall be made to such owner within three calendar months after such land shall be so licensed, the amount of such compensation shall be settled by the verdict of a jury to be obtained in the manner and according to the procedure expressed and given by the Ordinance numbered 2 for 1856, and entitled "An Ordinance for the laying down of a sewer from the lands called Orange Grove to the sea."

Power to  
Governor to  
fix fees for  
interments in  
public burial  
grounds and  
to make rules  
for regulation  
of such burial  
grounds.

4. It shall be lawful for the Governor, from time to time to fix the fees to be charged for interments in burial grounds hereafter to be licensed as public burial grounds, and to make all such rules and regulations as he shall think proper for the general government of burial grounds so licensed by him, and for the burying of the dead therein, and for defraying the expenses thereof, and also to fix a penalty not exceeding two pounds in such rules and regulations for the infringing of any of them; and it shall be the duty of the warden

of each ward to enforce such rules and regulations; and such rules and regulations shall be published in the *Royal Gazette*.

5. All burial grounds to be hereafter licensed by the Governor shall be under the charge and control of the warden of the ward in which they may be respectively situated.

Burial grounds to be under charge of Wardens.

6. It shall be lawful for the warden of any ward union, from time to time as he shall see fit, to license as a private burial ground any place within his ward union now used as such,—not being a place mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed; and also, if he see fit, any place which any person may hereafter desire to set apart as a private burial ground, not being within the limits of the town of Saint Joseph or of the village of San Juan or Arima.

Private burial grounds may be licensed by Wardens.

7. Notice of the licensing of any place as a burial ground shall in all cases be forthwith published in the *Royal Gazette*.

Notice of the granting of a license to be published in *Royal Gazette*.

8. In case it shall appear to the Governor that for the protection of the public health, burials in any burial ground should be discontinued, it shall be lawful for the Governor to order that, after a time mentioned in the order, burials in such burial grounds shall be discontinued: provided that notice of the time mentioned in the said order for the discontinuance of burials in such burial ground shall be published in the *Royal Gazette* one calendar month before such order take effect, and after the expiration of the period mentioned in such order such burial ground shall cease to be a licensed burial ground.

Governor may order discontinuance of burials in any burial ground.

9. All fees arising from interments shall go to the ward in which the interment shall take place; and all fines and penalties imposed by this Ordinance shall go to the use of the ward in which the offence may be committed; and all expenses incurred in the carrying out of this Ordinance shall be paid out of the funds of the ward in respect whereof the expense shall be incurred.

Appropriation of fees, fines, &c.

Mode of  
procedure for  
prosecution of  
offences—and  
recovery of  
penalties.

10. All offences and penalties under this Ordinance shall be prosecuted and recovered under the procedure and in manner given by the Ordinance numbered 5 for 1868, and entitled "An Ordinance respecting the Summary Administration of Justice."

Repeals  
Ordinance 16  
of 1867.

11. The Ordinance numbered 16 for 1867, bearing date the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, entitled "An Ordinance concerning the burial of the dead," shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

Commence-  
ment of  
Ordinance.

12. This Ordinance shall come into force on the first day of September now next ensuing.

Passed in Council this first day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

A. C. ROSS,  
*Clerk of Council.*

#### SCHEDULE.

LIST OF GROUNDS NOW USED AS BURIAL GROUNDS  
IN THE FOLLOWING PLACES, THAT IS TO SAY:

##### IN THE ARIMA WARD UNION.

*In the Arima Village—One.*  
*In Mausica—One.*  
*In Matura Village—One.*  
*In Turure Village—One.*

##### IN THE CARONI WARD UNION.

*In Chaguanas—One.*  
*In Caroni, Upper—One.*

##### CEDROS WARD UNION.

*In Cedros—On lands formerly forming part of the Lochmaben Estate.*  
*In Erin—Two.*  
*In Grandville—One.*  
*In Guapo Village—One.*  
*In Hicacos—One.*  
*In La Brea—One.*

## COUYA WARD UNION.

- In Carapichaima*—One.  
*In Couva*—Four.  
*In Savonetta Ward*—Two.  
*In Point-a-Pierre*—Two.

## DIEGO MARTIN WARD UNION.

- In Carenage*—One at St. Pierre Village.  
                   One at Anse Mitant.  
                   One at Mount Pleasant Village.  
                   One at Petit Bourg.  
*In Chaguaramas*—One at Union Bay.  
                   One at Island of Monos.  
                   One at Chacachacare.  
*Diego Martin Village*—Two.  
*In the Maraval Village*—Two.  
*Mucurapo*—Cocorite Village—Two.

## NAPARIMA WARD UNION—NORTH.

- In North Naparima Ward*—One in the Mount Stewart Village.  
                                   One on lands formerly forming part  
                                   of the Ne Plus Ultra Estate.  
*In Savana Grande North*—One in Guaracaro Settlement.  
                                   One in lands formerly forming part of  
                                   Williamsville Estate.  
                                   One at Iere Village.  
*Savana Grande South*—One in Mission Village.  
                                   One at American Settlement, Sec. A.  
                                   Idem                                Sec. B.  
                                   One in Dunmore Hill.  
                                   One in Indian Walk.

## NAPARIMA WARD UNION—SOUTH.

- In Oropouche*—Two.  
*South Naparima West*—Bourg Rambert Village.

## MAYARO WARD UNION.

- In Mayaro Ward*—One at Guayaguayare Bay.  
                                   One at Mayaro Bay.  
*In the Mansanilla Ward*—Two.  
*In the Nariva Ward*—One.

## MONTSERRAT WARD.

*Montserrat Ward*—One in Calcutta Village.  
 One in Montserrat Village  
 One in Tortuga Village.  
 One in Coolie Town.  
 One in Ponisal.

## ST. ANN'S WARD UNION.

*In Aricagua Ward*—One in the Village of San Juan.  
 One in the Hope Estate.  
*In Laventille Ward*—One on lands called Erthig.  
 One in Placide's land.  
 One at Belmont.  
 One adjoining the chapel of the Church of  
 England in the St. Joseph's Road.  
*In Santa Cruz Ward*—One.

## TACARIGUA WARD UNION.

*In the Town of Joseph*—Two.  
*In Tacarigua Ward*—One at St. Mary's Church.  
 Two at Arouca.

## TOCO WARD UNION.

*Toco*—One.  
*Blanchisseuse*—One.

## PORT-OF-SPAIN.

La Peyrouse.  
 Peschier's Ground within the Queen's Park.

## SAN FERNANDO.

One on lands formerly belonging to Paradise Estate.

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