

IRISH UNIVERSITIES ACT, 1908.

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UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, GALWAY.

*STATUTE XXVI.*

WE, the Governing Body of University College, Galway, under and by virtue of the Power in that behalf conferred on us by the above Acts, DO by this present instrument under the Seal of University College, Galway, make the Statute in the Schedule hereof for the general government of the said College.

*SCHEDULE.—STATUTE XXVI.*

1. All previous Statutes of University College, Galway, shall be read and construed with the additions, modifications and amendments hereinafter set forth.

2. The Professorship of Irish Language, Philology and Literature is hereby extinguished and in lieu thereof there shall be in the College the following Professorships (in the event of such Professorships being instituted within the College by the Senate of The National University of Ireland):—

- (a) The Professorship of Old and Middle Irish and Celtic Philology.
- (b) The Professorship of Modern Irish.

PROVIDED that the Professorship of Modern Irish shall not be filled until the Lectureship in Modern Irish shall be extinguished. The Lectureship in Modern Irish shall be extinguished on the resignation of the Lecturer

conditional on his being appointed to the Professorship of Modern Irish or on the Lectureship becoming otherwise vacant.

3. The stipend of the Professorship of Old and Middle Irish and Celtic Philology shall be £768 per annum, with £32 additional per annum, as long as the present income of the College shall continue, and the following words of Statute 17, Chap. 16, Sec. 1 (1) are hereby revoked :-

“ The Professorship of Irish Language, Philology and Literature.

(a) The stipend of the present holder shall be £800 per annum.

(b) The stipend of any subsequent holder shall be £768 per annum, with £32 additional per annum, so long as the additional income of the College shall continue.”

4. The stipend of the Professorship of Modern Irish shall be £768 per annum with £32 additional per annum so long as the additional income of the College shall continue.

5. The annual pension payable in respect of the Professorship of Modern Irish and the Professorship of Old and Middle Irish shall be computed upon the basis of £10 for each completed year of service as such Professor, and Statute 24, Sec. 2 (7) and Sec. 3 (7) shall be read and construed accordingly and as if the words “ Professorships of Irish Language, Philology and Literature ” were deleted and the words “ Professorships of (a) (1) Old and Middle Irish and Celtic Philology and (a) (2) Modern Irish ” were substituted in lieu thereof. The words “ In the case of the present holder of the Professorship of Irish Language, Philology and Literature his years of service shall be counted from the 1st day of October, 1909 ” in both of the said Sections are hereby revoked.

6. The provisions of Statute XXIV, Sec. 2 (8) and 3 (8) for payment of pension to the Lecturer in Modern Irish

shall on the extinguishment of the Lectureship cease to apply to that office but without prejudice to the rights of the existing holder.

7. The provisions of Statute XXIV, Sec. 2, 10 (2) and 3, 10 (2) for payment of a gratuity as therein provided to holders of certain offices on retirement or their personal representatives in case of death shall apply to the Professorship of Old and Middle Irish and to the Professorship of Modern Irish and the said Sections shall be read and construed as if the words "Professors of Irish Language, Philology and Literature" in the said Sections were deleted and the words "Professors of (a) (1) Old and Middle Irish and Celtic Philology and (a) (2) Modern Irish" were substituted.

8. The provisions of Statute XXIV Sec. 2, 10 (V) and 3, 10 (V) for payment of gratuity to the Lecturer in Modern Irish shall on the extinguishment of the Lectureship cease to apply to that office but without prejudice to the rights of the existing holder.

9. The words "Irish Language, Philology and Literature" in Table "A" of the Pension Scheme in Statute XVII, Chap. 25. are hereby revoked and there shall be included in Table "B" of the Pension Scheme the additions hereunder set forth.

#### TABLE "B"

THE PROFESSORSHIP OF OLD AND MIDDLE IRISH  
AND CELTIC PHILOLOGY.

THE PROFESSORSHIP OF MODERN IRISH.

10. This Statute shall be construed with and as forming part of Statutes XVII and XXIV of University College, Galway, and it shall not affect any appointment made, right acquired, liability incurred or act done under any previous Statutes of the College.

11. This Statute shall come into operation on the twenty third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

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12. This Statute may be cited as Statute XXVI of  
University College, Galway or Stat. XXVI of Univ.  
Coll. Galway.

Present when the Common Seal  
of University College Galway  
was affixed :—

JOHN HYNES, *President.*

JAMES MITCHELL, *Secretary.*