

a competent witness in his own behalf on the trial thereof, his deposition be taken in like manner and upon the same contingencies and for the same cause or causes as the deposition of any witness not a party to such action.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved April 8, 1867.

CHAPTER 95.

[Published April 12, 1867.]

AN ACT to amend section 14 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, entitled "of medical societies."

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows :

SECTION 1. Section 14 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, entitled "of medical societies," is hereby amended, by adding thereto as follows: "but no person practicing physic and surgery shall have the right to collect, in any action in any court of this state, fees for the performance of medical service, nor to testify in a professional capacity as a physician and surgeon in any case, unless such person shall have received a diploma from some incorporated medical society or college, or shall be a member of the state or some county medical society legally organized in this state."

No physician can enforce collection of a debt for medical services, unless he has a diploma.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved April 8, 1867.