GENEALOGY DATABASE ENTRY

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Beer, Georg Joseph 1763 - 1821

DEGREE: MD DATE: 1786 PLACE: Vienna

TEACHER/RESEARCH ADVISOR: Barth

professor of opthalmology and wrote a textbook on the subject; studied cataracts; improved some surgical methods; founded the first opthalmological clinic; founder of scientific opthalmology; considered his seven years of studies under Barth his "martyr years" due to Barth's treatment of him.

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