

mittee having among its members two ex-registrars, Drs. Marsolais and Boucher, the former Board and myself, the Registrar has been entrusted with the task to carefully inquire into all complaints made, so as to appeal to the courts only when there is really a case.

With his well known talent as organizer, our Registrar has recruited detectives of good will which he sends where he wants at very slight cost, and whose reports are read and approved or rejected by the President. Experience shows that this method is much preferable to resorting to organized agencies.

The number of judgments obtained gives but a small idea of the number of inquiries made. Many cases that would be detrimental to the profession or to certain professional men are preferably and more satisfactorily settled by the discreet intervention of the Discipline Council. Others, being without foundation, are not proceeded with.

It is a well known fact that, since a year, the Courts, overcrowded with military matters, could not hear our complaints. We have presently over twenty cases outstanding.

During the year just ended, 19 cases judged or settled have brought to the administration \$970, and 11 inquiries have cost \$1,105.50.

The average cost of one inquiry has therefore been of \$25.00.

The average proceed of each case settled has been of \$51.05.

The cost of the inquiries and the proceeds of the actions taken since the beginning of the present administration have been calculated as follows:

	Cost of inquiries	Fines collected
1911-1915	\$1,112.80	\$1,537.85
1915-1916	758.00	1,333.65
1916-1917	610.00	718.00
1917-1918	1,105.50	970.00
	\$3,646.30	\$4,559.50