rived from Mr. Roberts, Seaforth, declining, on the plea of other business, the seat offered him. Thereupon Mr. R. M. Thurtell, of Teeswater, whose section of the Province is unrepresented, was nominated to take Mr. D'Avignon's place in the Council.

In the question concerning Botany, referred to the Educational Committee, it was settled that next term this subject and Materia Medica should occupy the same amount of time as set down in the 1889 announcement. Microscopy will be treated separately and lectured upon once a week.

Notice was given that at the next semiannual meeting Mr. Watters, seconded by Mr. Daniel, will move that the salary of Registrar Lewis be increased to \$1,000 per annum.

This ended the business of the session. The Council will meet next at 2.30 p.m. on the first Tuesday in February, 1841.

#### Prospects of the Opium Crop.

Messrs. E. J. Lavino & Co., Philadelphia and Smyrna, under date of July 15, have issued the following circular to the trade:

Smyrna writes under date of the 28th of June: "Reports reached us that the appearance of the poppy plants in the districts of Karahissar, Aksheir, and Konieh was discouraging, and the agents here of the principal native operators of Aksheir got orders to buy on the Smyrna market on speculation.

"It seems now almost positive that 4,000 baskets is a high estimate for the total yield of the opium crop of Turkey. The district of Guneh gives us an illustration of the damage caused by the continu ous drouth in some parts of the country. That district will yield, in an abundant year, about 100 baskets, or 40 to 50 haskets in any ordinary year; the estimates a month ago were 15 baskets, provided rain would fall before gathering time. The amount gathered has been 3 baskets:

"No doubt the outlook is not bad in the other districts of the high plateaux, for some had rain, but not in sufficient quantity, and first estimates have to be daily greatly curtailed. The districts raising high-grade opium seemed to have fared best, as Malatia, Tokat, Baloukissar, will yield as much as in 1889, i. e., an average crop. Everywhere else in Anatolia the shortage is considerable, and with the data now in hand everything points towards a crop of less than 4,000 baskets, equal to about 3,500 cases. The Salonica crop is all gathered and has given about 1,100 baskets; Malatia, Tokat, etc., will yield about 500 baskets; the other high grades, such Boghaditch, Baloukissar, etc., about 500 baskets more, or 2,100 baskets of rich grades of opium all told. This will leave only about 1,900 baskets, or 1,700 cases of the ordinary kinds.

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Take of

Oil of geranium					3	dem.
Oil of bergamotte					Ę	drm.
Oil of patchouli		•		٠.	.5	minims

From one to five drops to each block may be used according to the moderation or extravagance of the manufacturer.

#### LAVENDER SOLID PERFUME.

Take of

Oil of lavendar 2	
Essence of bergamotte 1	07.
Oil of cassia 3	minim•
Oil of geranium 40	••
Oil of orange	••

Mix, and perfume the wax as before

#### BOQUET SOLID PERFUME.

Take of

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Oil of cloves		2 drms.				
Oil of nutmeg		; " .				
Oil of lavender		3 "				
Oil of sandal	• • • • • • • •	1 "				
Oil of bergamotte		l oz.				
Otto of rose		3 drm.				
Oil of geranium		å drm.				
Oil of orange	. <b>.</b>	10 minims.				
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#### COLOGNE SOLID PERFUME.

Take of

Essence of bergamotte . 1	07.
Essence of lemon 1	
Oil of citronella	07.
Oil of neroli	
Oil of rosemary 80	minims
Oil of geranium 10	minims.

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