

PHARMACEUTICAL.—We have received a sample of pills and granules prepared by William Warner & Co., Philadelphia, and we beg leave to bear our testimony to the careful manner in which they are put up. The pills are beautifully sugar-coated and of moderate size. The granules are a most convenient and pleasant mode of administering such remedies as arsenious acid, strychnine, &c. We can confidently recommend these preparations to the profession.

APPOINTMENTS.—Thomas Henry Thornton, M.D., of the village of Consecow, to be an Associate Coroner for Prince Edward. Dr. Wright, of the village of Waterloo, to be Associate Coroner for the county of Waterloo.

VICTORIA COLLEGE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT EXAMINATION.—The following gentlemen have passed their examination—Final—J. S. McCallum, (gold medalist), Angus Nichol, (silver medalist); William S. Boyle, (honorable mention), M. Washington, Colin Campbell, J. A. Abbott, H. Brant, — Shepherd, J. S. Ferguson, T. S. Barclay and R. Carter. Primary—William H. Johnson, F. C. Lawrence and William Philip.

ALPENA MINERAL SPRINGS.—The bathing-houses at these Springs will be opened for the accommodation of visitors and invalids on the 1st of May, 1872. This is a favorite resort for those afflicted with chronic ailments of various kinds, and has been very highly spoken of by those who have availed themselves of it.

CORRESPONDENCE.

MEDICAL BILL.

To the Editor of the Canada Lancet.

SIR,—The draft of amendments prepared by the committee, published in the March number of the LANCET, is certainly anomalous, if not unwise. The 7th clause aims at over-riding the Magna Charta and the Bill of Rights, by converting the Registry office into a medical Star Chamber—where the Registrar is to be endowed with absolute power over the moral character and professional status of every member of the College—