

## Trade Notes

E. J. Bishop, druggist, Steveston, B.C., is dead.

Richard Brierly, druggist, Hamilton, Ont., died last month.

A. W. Bleasdel has opened a new drug store at Fernie, B.C.

J. W. Hall, druggist, Sydney Mines, N.S., has gone out of business.

J. H. Abercrombie has opened a new drug store at Grand View, Man.

R. J. Patton has purchased the drug business of P. L. Scott, Paris, Ont.

A. H. Fowle, formerly of Orillia, is opening a drug store in Midland, Ont.

L. Gourlay has purchased the drug business of A. M. Edwards, Galt, Ont.

Geo. Kennedy, Ottawa, Ont., has sold his drug business to Graham & Elliott.

G. M. Hatchings, Cannington, Ont., has moved his drug business to Brechin, Ont.

W. E. McCartney, manager Kamloops Drug Co., Limited, Kamloops, B.C., is dead.

Dr. Kirk Co., Montreal, manufacturers of medicines, have registered a co-partnership.

Geo. E. Rason & Co. have purchased the drug business of W. J. Dyas, Strathroy, Ont.

The drug stock of G. H. Colwell, Halifax, N.S., was partially destroyed by fire last month.

The drug store of R.R. Hopkins, Grand Valley, Ont., was destroyed by fire on October 27.

The executors of the late T. Cumines, druggist, Welland, Ont., have disposed of the business.

Wells, Richardson & Co., wholesale patent medicines, etc., Montreal, Que., have dissolved partnership.

David Watson, wholesale druggist, Montreal, Que., has registered under the name of D. Watson & Co.

J. T. Curtis has purchased from E. E. Rutherford, the Hooper & Co. drug business, 45 King street west, Toronto, Ont.

C. P. Wilmot has re-purchased the drug business at 700 Yonge street, Toronto, which he sold some time ago to J. T. Curtis.

W. S. Kerry, wholesale druggist, Mont-

real, Que., has registered as doing business under the firm name of Kerry, Watson & Co.

F. H. Dennis, formerly with Dr. Campbell, Newmarket, Ont., has purchased the drug business of G. W. Pinkerton, Schomberg, Ont.

Messrs. T. & H. Smith & Co., of Edinburgh, have been awarded the "Grand Prix" at the Paris Exhibition for their exhibit of chemical products.

Dr. Robillard, of Magog, Que., has purchased the branch drug store of John T. Lyons, at the corner of Fulford and Coursol streets, Montreal, Que.

W. A. Hendrie has removed his branch drug store from 1040 St. Catherine street to the corner of St. Catherine street and DeLorimer avenue, Montreal, Que.

A fire, followed by a terrible explosion, occurred in the wholesale drug warehouse of Tarrant & Co., Greenwich street, New York City, on Oct. 29. A number of lives were lost and much property destroyed.

### Personals.

We regret to note the death of the wife of J. D. McKee, druggist, Acton, Ont.

H. Homer Black, proprietor of the Hamilton Road Drug Store, London, Ont., was married Oct. 30 to Miss Long of London.

Mr. Saml. Roberts, of May, Roberts & Co., of London, Eng., was a caller at our office last month. He has been on a pleasure trip throughout Canada.

Dr. Edward R. Squibb, one of the best known manufacturing chemists of the United States died Oct. 26, in Brooklyn, from heart trouble after a brief illness. Dr. Squibb was 81 years old. He was born at Wilmington, Del., of Quaker parentage.

Miss Prevost, the daughter of Madame E. G. Prevost, of Sorel, is the first lady who has passed through the full course of the Montreal College of Pharmacy obtaining the college diploma and also the first lady who has gained the Diploma and Licenses of the Pharmaceutical Association which she obtained at the recent Pharmaceutical examinations in Quebec.

Richard Brierly, the oldest druggist of Hamilton, Ont., died last month. He had been ailing for some time, and suffered from a paralytic stroke about ten days previous to his death. Deceased was 72 years of age, and was born in England. He had been a resident of Hamilton for many years. He was a prominent Mason, being a Past Master of Barton Lodge, P.D.D.G.M. of this district, a member of St. John's Chapter, and one of the charter members of the Scottish Rite.

The death took place at Galt, Ont., Nov. 8, of Mr. Richard S. Strong, jr., in his forty-sixth year, and who up to a short time ago was engaged in the drug business in Galt. Deceased was the eldest son of Mr. R. S. Strong, sr., manager of the Gore Fire Insurance Co., was born in Galt and was a graduate of the old Tassie Grammar School. He entered the drug business in his native town and afterward entered the employment of Lyman Bros Co., Toronto, and subsequently kept a store in Wingham. He returned to Galt 19 years ago and resided there since. He was organist of Trinity Church for fifteen years, and prominent in local music circles. A widow, son and daughter survive him.

### Presentation.

Mr. Alf. Russell, city traveller for Kerry, Watson & Co., wholesale druggists, of London, Ont., was agreeably surprised Monday evening, Oct. 29, by being called into the warehouse of the firm and presented with a beautifully engraved gold watch, as a slight token of the esteem in which he is held by his fellow-employees. Mr. Mattinson, the manager of the firm, made the presentation, and Mr. Russell, although completely taken by surprise, made a very neat speech. Mr. Russell has accepted a position with the same firm in Montreal as foreman of the warehouse. At the same time and place the retail druggists of the city presented Mr. Russell with a gold locket beautifully engraved, together with the following written address, which was read by Mr. S. Horn, and signed by twenty of the retail druggists:

"Mr. Alf. Russell, London:

"The druggists of London learn with regret that you have decided to remove from their midst, but are glad to know the change is for your welfare. You have their very best wishes for your future prosperity and happiness.

"They desire you to kindly accept the