

Proprietary Articles Trade Association.

The Proprietary Articles Trade Association of Canada held its third annual meeting at the Queen's Hotel, Toronto, on July 24 and 25, President J. H. McKinnon in the chair. The secretary's report showed sixty of the best proprietary manufacturers members of the Canadian association.

The following officers were elected: Honorary President, Hon. G. T. Fulford, Brockville, Ont., The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co.; President, J. A. McKee, Toronto, Dodd's Medicine Co.; Vice-President, Henry Miles, Montreal, Que.; Leeming, Miles & Co.; Secretary-Treasurer, L. S. Levee, Toronto, The T. A. Slocum Chemical Co., Limited.

The principal business transacted was legislation on the German Bill, known as 254, recently introduced in the Ontario Legislature, and the association will take immediate steps to defeat the bill in its entirety, as it is detrimental not only to the manufacturers of the proprietary articles, but also to the wholesale and retail drug trade at large. It was also decided to have the newspapers throughout the province assist in defeating this bill, and the necessary steps have been taken to place this matter before the Boards of Trade of Canada, seeking their opposition to the passage of legislation calculated to restrict and unduly interfere with commercial and manufacturing interests of this country, and that such Boards of Trade be requested to communicate their objection to the legislation in question to the Ontario Government.

The next place of meeting will be in Montreal, Que.

Don't Imagine

That because you may have graduated in pharmacy your fortune is assured.

That because you start in business in your native town all the people you know are going to deal with you.

That because you value your own importance everyone else will also.

That you can make a successful start in business by getting your clerks to conduct it for you.

That you can close your store at 9 p.m.; have a good time until 2 a.m.; get around for business at 10 a.m.; and that your creditors will not sooner or later hear of it.

That you can buy with cash if you don't sell for cash.

British Columbia Pharmaceutical Association.

TENTH ANNUAL MEETING.

The association convened in the Driad Hotel, in Victoria, at 8 o'clock, those present being President J. Cochrane, vice-president T. E. Atkins, councillors D. S. Curtis, J. R. Seymour, E. H. Hiscocks, Geo. Chadwick, and Messrs. C. Nelson, T. Shotbolt, W. W. Gardiner, H. E. Davies, A. E. Marrett, F. W. Fawcett, J. H. Emery, D. E. Campbell, A. E. Fawcett, W. Jackson, J. J. Moore, T. M. Henderson, T. A. Muir and J. K. Sutherland.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and adopted.

The secretary then read

THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COUNCIL.

VICTORIA, B.C., June 14, 1900.
To the Members of the British Columbia Pharmaceutical Association.

GENTLEMEN,—I have the honor to present herewith the report of the Council for the past year as follows:

The first meeting was held immediately after the last annual meeting in New Westminster, when Mr. J. Cochrane was elected president, Mr. T. E. Atkins, vice-president, and J. K. Sutherland, sec-treas.-registrar.

Messrs. T. E. Atkins, J. R. Seymour and the registrar were appointed a committee to confer with the examiners regarding arrangements, and procuring supplies for the examinations.

The treasurer was instructed to transfer the sum of \$500 from current account to the savings bank account.

The next meeting was held in Vancouver on Dec. 13, the full Council being present.

Application having been received from F. J. Donaldson, of Sandon, for registration under Sec. 12 b of the Act, the council ordered that the same be granted.

G. T. Burnett having applied for remission of his fee for the current year, the Council decided that in view of his misfortune in the New Westminster fire of Sept., 1898, that the same be granted.

The examiners were instructed to prepare an outline of studies for the minor and major examinations, the secretary to have the same printed and circulated.

The secretary was instructed to issue a circular notifying members that the Council has reason to believe that the pro-

visions of the Act regarding the registration of poisons are not being strictly complied with, that poison books may be obtained from the registrar at 50 cents each, and also asking members to furnish information of any business changes that may occur in their locality.

The report of the Board of Examiners and the treasurer's statement were presented and adopted.

The secretary was instructed to draw on all delinquent members and that if draft be not accepted that legal proceedings be taken.

The next meeting was held in this city, this evening, the full Council being present.

The application of A. A. McRae to be allowed to serve his apprenticeship in a wholesale store was not entertained.

J. Haughton having applied for registration and furnished proof of having been in business prior to the passing of the Pharmacy Act, the registrar was instructed to place his name on the register on payment of the annual fee.

The report of the Board of Examiners, and the treasurer's statement showing balance on current account of \$901.43 and cash \$20.50 were received and adopted.

JOHN K. SUTHERLAND,
Secretary.

TREASURER'S ANNUAL STATEMENT FROM JUNE 8, 1899, TO JUNE 11, 1900.

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June 8	Balance, Bank of B.C.	\$ 95 48
	Annual fees.....	\$780 00
	Registration fees....	151 00
	Examination fees....	164 00
	Refund, Late Car to N. W.....	7 50
	New Diploma.....	3 00
	Poison Book.....	3 00
		1108 50
		\$2003 98
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	Council expenses....	\$118 80
	Registrar.....	150 00
	Examination fees re- turned.....	34 00
	Annual fees returned.	26 00
	Banquet and car....	66 00
	Tryball & Son....	29 50
	J. B. Grant.....	3 00
	Examination expens's	94 75
	McPhillips & Wil- liams.....	11 50
	Province P. & P. Co.	14 00
	B. C. Gazette.....	17 50
	Expense, stamps, etc.	17 00
	Savings Bank acc't..	500 00
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