

pointed out that the council is not a criminal court and had not even the power of initiative in such matters. He then went on to suggest that the electoral divisions of the college should be changed. It is 14 years since a rearrangement took place, and in that period there have been many changes in the Province. There were now many inequalities in the various electoral districts for the council. New Ontario was not properly represented and in old Ontario there were many changes required. He took up the subject of Dominion registration. It was a matter of regret that the efforts to bring this about had failed. He thought that something might be done to secure interprovincial registration, and in this way overcome the difficulty. He thought that a large majority of the profession would welcome such if it could be secured. He called attention to the fact that the council was meeting in its new quarters at 170 University Avenue. The present premises, well suited for the offices of the council, had been secured for \$21,000, and the council is now relieved of the duty of looking after the former large building and letting offices. He announced that the new register contained 3,807 names of members in good standing, or 406 more than in the former register.

The election of officers resulted as follows :—President, Dr. S. H. Glasco, Welland; Vice-President, Dr. E. A. P. Hardy, Toronto; Registrar, Dr. L. L. Bray, Toronto; Treasurer, Dr. H. Wilberforce Aikens, Toronto; Prosecutor, C. Rose, Toronto; Solicitor, H. S. Osler, K.C.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8TH.

There was an energetic discussion over the results of the recent examinations. It was thought that something must be wrong when from 60 to 65 per cent. of those who appeared for their intermediate examination had failed. Dr. W. Britton, of Toronto, expressed the opinion that he thought there were teachers on the staff of the University of Toronto Medical College, who were capable of giving proper instruction. He was not casting in aspersions on the examiners, but thought there was something worthy of investigation, when so many who had passed their primary examinations, had failed on their intermediate. The teaching or the method of examining must be at fault. He contended a full enquiry should be made.

Dr. Ryan, Kingston; Dr. Britton, Dr. Spankie, Dr. Gibson, Dr. Robertson, Dr. Moorehouse, and Dr. Temple were appointed to form a committee of investigation.

On motion of Sir James Grant the following resolution was passed :
“That the members of the Council of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario have observed with pleasure the judicious action of the Government of Canada in passing a measure for the thorough scientific expert examin-