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Quebec Pharmaceutical Association.

The regular meeting of the Pharmaceutical Association of the Province of Quebec, was held in the committee room, 595 Truachetierre street, Montreal on Tuesday, November 8th, 1892.

Present: H. R. Gray, R. W. Williams, A. E. DuBerger, A. LaRue, D. Watson, W. S. Kerry, Joseph Contant, Edmond Giroux, jr., L. A. Bernard, John T. Lyons.

Mr. H. R. Gray, President, in the chair.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and duly confirmed.

An application was presented from Madam Dion, of Levis, for registration as a licentiate of pharmacy. This was supported by affidavits and recommendations, but upon careful consideration of the case, it was decided that the Council could not grant to Madam Dion the certificate applied for, inasmuch as she had failed to present her application to the Council within the limit of time prescribed by clause 8 of the Quebec Pharmacy Act of 1885.

An application was presented from Mr. Osborne Thomas Kennedy for permission to be allowed to present himself for the next preliminary examination, and in the interval to be permitted to perform the duties of an apprentice. The application was laid on the table for future consideration, and the Registrar instructed to correspond with the authorities of the Glasgow University as to the antecedents of the applicant.

The Registrar reported that judgment had been rendered against the Association

in the case brought against Dr. Watters, of Quebec, and in order not to lose the right of appeal, he had instructed the attorneys at Quebec to take the necessary steps for entering said appeal. Considerable discussion took place as to the advisability or otherwise of pressing the appeal in this case, when the following resolution was presented, namely:

Resolved, - "That this Council, on the advice of their solicitors recommending an appeal, hereby authorize the Secretary Registrar to appeal from the recent judgment given by Judge Chauveau, in the case of the Association *versus* Watters." Carried, two members of the Council dissenting.

Before proceeding definitely with the case, the Registrar was instructed to ask the legal advisers of the Association to consult with the Hon Mr. Geoffrion.

The Registrar reported that since the last meeting the following prosecutions have been taken, namely: Two cases in Quebec for illegally selling Paris green, judgment being obtained in each case for the penalty of \$25 and costs. Two actions against Dr. C. O. Cloutier, of Fraserville, were settled by the defendant paying the penalty of \$50, the Association paying costs. Two actions against Dr. Prevost, of Montreal, in which the defendant confessed judgment and paid the penalty of \$50 and costs. Two actions against Dr. Audec Marien; these cases had been taken *en d'libro* by the judge, but no judgment had yet been rendered. An action against Charles Maria, St. Cunegonde, who was fined \$25 and costs. Four actions against Narcisse Archambault, two being for the second offence, judgment being obtained for the penalty of \$100 and costs.

Pharmaceutical Association, Hamilton District.

The eighth annual meeting of the P. A. H. D. (postponed from October) was held in their rooms, King St. E., on Friday evening, Nov. 11th, the President, A. Vincent, in the chair.

R. Brierly, Treasurer, presented his annual report showing a slight deficit to carry over to the present year, but, as the amount is only \$-31, the Association can hardly be said to be in difficulties.

J. W. Sutherland, Secretary, in his annual report, gave an interesting resume of the year's work, in which he stated there had been four withdrawals from the

Association and two new members added, leaving a total of twenty-nine.

General felicitations were indulged in by the members present at the happy termination of what in the spring promised to be a serious epidemic of cutting, and Messrs. Howell, Gerrie and Clark were complimented on all sides on the tact and good judgment displayed by them in their difficult role of peace-makers.

The balloting resulted in the following officers being elected. President, M. C. Wild, 1st Vice President, G. W. Spackman; 2nd Vice President, J. A. Zimmerman, Treasurer, R. Brierly; Secretary, Fred H. Yapp; Auditors, W. B. Smith and H. S. Case.

It was decided to hold the annual dinner as usual, on a date to be decided later, the arrangements being left in the hands of the entertainment committee of last year.

After a hearty vote of thanks to the retiring officers, acknowledged by the President, the meeting adjourned.

FRED H. YAPP, Secretary.

Annual Dinner Pharmaceutical Association, Hamilton District.

The annual dinner of the P. A. H. D., was held on the evening of Nov. 23rd at Newport's, Hamilton. It was, in point of numbers, enthusiasm and general good will, one of the most successful of these annual reunions. Thirty-one druggists were present, including representatives from Toronto and Brantford. Mr. M. C. Wild, President of the P. A. H. D., presided and made a model chairman.

After the good things of the table had been done justice to, the chairman, in a witty speech and effective manner, introduced the following

TOAST LIST.

Our Queen and Country. - Received with "three times three, the company singing "God Save the Queen"

Our Guests. Mr. Mutchison, Toronto, responded, expressing the pleasure it gave him to be present, and thanking the P. A. H. D. on behalf of the Provincial Association, which he represented, for their kind invitation. He paid a graceful compliment to the Hamilton druggists for the unanimity and good feeling always shown by them, and pointed out the great influence which could be wielded by a Provincial Association, were each member uni-