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SPECIAL REMINDERS.

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Council Troubles.

BY LITERA.

In the journalistic discussions that are taking place in regard to the trouble between the Council and the teaching staff of the College, many of the writers seem to have lost sight of the fact that the Council, in all College affairs, are the elected representative rulers on behalf of the druggists generally, and as such, are perfectly justified in taking any step that, in their knowledge of such affairs, will be in the highest and truest interests of the College—educationally, pecuniarily or otherwise.

Judging from the energetic manner in which they have so far performed a thankless, unpaid duty, the druggists may rest assured that when they put their hands to the plough they will not stop until they have finished the work.

It is always to be expected that when radical reformation is being introduced, opposition will be incurred, and this instance is not likely to prove an exception.

The present Council has been hampered in every change they have sought to make, and especially by those who, from a sense of duty, if not inclination, should have been the first to render such assistance as laid in their power.

It is not claimed that our representatives are infallible in judgment or in action, or are any less liable than others having antagonistic influences to suppress

to escape a fair amount of criticism, but such criticism comes with bad grace from those who are engaged and paid by them to carry out College work upon lines which the Council are legally required to define on behalf of the druggists whose accredited representatives they are, and to whom alone they are responsible for their actions.

It is quite natural that the Professors should oppose any change in an old arrangement whereby they were fast becoming masters of the College situation and of the funds which should have supported it, yet the bringing about of such a change does not justify them in vilifying their employers, or in seeking to create dissensions amongst the druggists for the purpose of levying undue influence in their favor.

Very many druggists in this Province, amongst whom may be classed the writer, have in the past entertained deep feelings of respectful regard for the gentlemen who for a number of years have labored in our College for the advancement of pharmaceutical education, and who are deserving of a share of the credit attaching to the standing which our college has attained; and I feel sure that I voice the regrets of many that they have seen fit to oppose in such a petty, spiteful way the changes that have been introduced by the Council to keep our College abreast with the times, and in a position to rank with the best American Colleges in scope of instruction and equipment.

Such actions are unworthy of them and only serve to tarnish the good reputation they have hitherto enjoyed, besides making it impossible for the Council to retain their services and co-operate with them for the best interests of tutive instruction.

I cannot but think, that, had the Professors the power to undo many of the obstructive acts they have been guilty of, they would be undone; while I am even more assured that the Council, since asserting their right to govern in the matter, have become more fully convinced than ever that their action in displacing the Professors, under the circumstances, was the shortest, safest and best way out of a difficulty which involved the supremacy of the teaching staff, or that of the Council, and which, if permitted to continue, would speedily have placed in ridicule the entire system of pharmaceutical government which they were elected to sustain.

Ontario College of Pharmacy.

JUNIOR EXAMINATION.

The junior examination was held on December 17th, 18th, and 19th, 87 candidates presenting themselves, the names of those who passed are given in the order of merit:—

FIRST CLASS HONORS.

H. E. Bletcher, Peterboro'; C. A. Yates, Goderich; C. W. Clarke, St. John, N. B.; G. J. Sadler, Ottawa; H. Elliott, Toronto; W. H. Gregory, Lindsay; W. Elliott, Toronto; W. Sylvester, Bright; R. Reid, Mount Forest; W. N. Hartman, Clarksburg; R. A. Davis, Woodstock; W. H. Meek, Orangeville; F. R. Brown, Brownsville, E. B. Kilgour, Mount Forest; D. S. Meldrum, Toronto; W. A. McIntyre, Toronto; E. W. Martin, Hespeler; H. W. Thompson, Fenelon Falls; T. Sweeney, Belleville; C. Ruby, Berlin; J. McIntyre, Paisley; M. G. Sherk, Toronto; A. H. Dunlop, Belleville.

SECOND CLASS HONORS.

J. Brough, Guelph; W. Hookway, St. Marys; R. Baxter, Windsor; R. N. Miller, Tamworth; J. A. Stewart, Meaford; F. G. Walley, Ingersoll; W. S. Stone, Port Hope; A. B. Moyer, Toronto; E. M. Carpenter, Collingwood; A. E. Brethour, Ottawa; C. A. Cook, Brantford; W. T. Armour, Owen Sound; R. S. Armstrong, Port Colborne; E. W. Stickney, Newburgh; R. H. Smith, Smith's Falls; W. J. H. Cherry, Ottawa; W. Sharp, Brampton; H. G. Horton, Goderich; W. C. McDougall, Guelph; Y. W. Campbell, St. Thomas.

PASSED.

R. Norris, Elora; G. A. Peaker, Brampton; J. Lynch, Peterboro'; H. Daneam, Almonte; A. L. Hamilton, Shedden; F. C. Hagyard, Orangeville; W. Latimer, Eugenia Falls; A. McMaster, Guelph; E. A. Gayfer, Ingersoll; J. K. Sutherland, Belleville; W. H. Roger, Ottawa; W. H. Campbell, Bradford; E. A. Tanner, Lakefield; A. D. Deverall, Whitby; J. McMaster, Angus; M. C. Rose, Toronto; J. Gray, Elora; B. J. E. Freer, Kincardine; R. L. Smith, Hamilton; J. P. McLeay, Watford; T. Graham, Sturgeon Point; H. P. Eakin, Unionville; W. J. H. McKindsey, Streetsville; A. E. Sauter, Toronto; R. Hill, Norwich; J. H. Smelle, Chesley; H. H. Warren, Oshawa; W. J. Fraser, Toronto; C. A. Buchanan, Kemptville; W. T. Kendall, Simcoe; J. McRobie, Petrolia; J. F.