

The same gentleman moved another amendment, proposing Dr. W. W. Ogden.—Lost.

The yeas and nays were called for, and given as follows:

YEAS—Drs. Agnew, Oldright, Bethune, C. B. Hall—4.

NAYS—Drs. Edwards, Hyde, Wm. Clarke, Pyne, Hamilton, McGill, Dewar, Day, Mostyn, Berryman, Aikins, Campbell, Allan, Field, Springer, Adams, Hopkins, Carson, Cornell, J. J. Hall.—20.

Upon the introduction of the clause in the Educational Report, appointing as examiners Dr. Campbell in Medical Jurisprudence, Dr. Field in Surgical Pathology, Dr. Cornell in Botany, and Dr. Hopkins in Sanitary Science, it was

Moved in amendment by Dr. OLDRIGHT, seconded by Dr. AGNEW,—“That there be no change in the interpretation of the clause in the Act exempting special subjects from the general examination, and that the general examination be conducted by several practitioners.

Dr. OLDRIGHT, understood that by the clause which he begged to amend, Homœopaths and Eclectics were to examine students of the regular profession. Was that it? (Voices, yes.) Well, then, as the representative there of the University of Toronto, he had to see that nothing be done which would cut off the recognition of our degrees by the Royal College of Surgeons and other bodies in England. He then read from a copy of Regulations sent to him by the Secretary of the Royal College, and dated July, 1868, the following extracts: “Members or licentiates of any legally constituted College of Surgeons in the United Kingdom and graduates in surgery of any University recognized for this purpose by this College, and graduates in medicine of any legally constituted College or University, recognized for this purpose by this College, will be admitted to examination on adducing, together with the *Diploma* or *degree*, proof of being twenty-one years of age, a certificate of proficiency in Vaccination, and satisfactory evidence of having been employed after the preliminary examination, at least four entire years in the acquirement of professional knowledge.” The following are named as recognized Colleges: University of Toronto, Victoria College, McGill College, and the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons. This would show that graduates of our Universities are admitted to those examinations on precisely the same terms as those of English Universities. Were members prepared to lose this recognition? All knew the stringent regulations of that Institution as to consulting with Homœopaths and Eclectics. How will it be when they come to know of the step contemplated in this report, to deal with men who must pass before Homœopathic and Eclectic examiners before they can practice in this Province, and to deal, furthermore, with Universities which do not protest against this?

Dr. BERRYMAN, though he had his doubts as to whether the Medical Council of Great Britain would or would not recognize the Diploma of the Ontario Medical Council, had none whatever as to their recognizing graduates of our Universities, which were certainly unconnected with this Council in their opinions of the justice or injustice of recognizing Homœopathies and Eclectics.

Dr. OLDRIGHT's motion was lost, on the following division:

YEAS—Drs. Agnew, Day, Mostyn, Oldright, Bethune, Aikins and Lavell—7.

NAYS—Drs. Edwards, Hyde, Clarke, Pyne, Hamilton, McGill, Dewar, Berryman, Campbell, Allan, Field, Springer, Adams, Hopkins, Carson, Cornell and Hall—17.

Moved by Dr. DEWAR, seconded by Dr. OLDRIGHT, that the Report of the Education Committee be amended by striking out in clause 7 the word “by” and inserting the word “before,” and deleting all after the word “examiners.” The clause to which this amendment refers reads as follows—“The oral examinations to be conducted by the whole Board of Examiners. Any member may put such questions to the candidates, upon any of the subjects of examination, as may to him appear proper.”

The yeas and nays were recorded as follows:

YEAS.—Drs. Edwards, Coverton, Hamilton, Agnew, Dewar, Day, Mostyn, Oldright, Berryman, Bethune, Aikins and Lavell—12.

NAYS.—Drs. Hyde, Clarke, Pyne, McGill, Campbell, Allan, Field, Springer, Adams, Hopkins, Carson, Cornell and J. J. Hall—13.

Upon motion the entire report of the Education Committee was adopted as amended and reads as follows:—

REPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE.

“Whereas power has been granted to the Council of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, to make By-laws for determining the admission and enrollment of students, and authority to fix and determine, from time to time, upon a curriculum of studies to be pursued by students, and to appoint examiners in preliminary education and a Board of Examiners; therefore be it enacted by the President, Vice-President and members of the said Council, as follows:”

Matriculation.

The examinations for matriculation will take place, in Toronto and Kingston, on the last Wednesday and Thursday of September, and the first Wednesday and Thursday of April, of every year.

Subjects of Examination.

1st. Compulsory. — English Language, including grammar and composition; Arithmetic, including vulgar and decimal fractions; Algebra, including simple equations; Geometry, first two books of Euclid; Latin, translation and grammar.

2nd. And one of the following optional subjects: Greek, French, German, or Natural Philosophy, including Mechanics, Hydrostatics, and Pneumatics.

Text Books.

Latin—Caesar (*De Bello Gallico*), first two books; Cicero, or Virgil, at the option of students.

Natural Philosophy—Peck's Ganot, or Sangster's first book.

Greek—First chapter of St. John's Gospel, or first two books of the Anabasis.

German—Older's Reader, first part.

Note.—Students are recommended to select natural philosophy or one of the modern languages.