

Trade Notes.

N. Aikins, druggist, Hamilton, Ont., has sold his business.

N. Iapsley, druggist, Stevenson, B.C., is moving to Skagway Bay, B.C.

Allan Stark, druggist, St. Johns, Newfoundland, has made an assignment.

Drs Burridge and Morrison are opening a new drug store at Holland Man.

E. W. Cameron has purchased the drug business of R. A. Davis, Tilbury, Ont.

Fred. J. Hardison has purchased the drug business of J. H. Burgor, Welland, Ont.

Dr. A. W. Argue has purchased the drug business of Dr. J. Hutchison, Grenfell, Assa.

C. H. Cranston, druggist, Winnipeg, Man., has taken W. Whitehead into partnership.

J. Abey, of Revelstoke, B.C., is opening a branch drug store at Trout Lake City, B.C.

W. D. Coate, druggist, Rat Portage, Ont., has been closed under chattel mortgage.

Thos. B. Barker, of the wholesale drug firm of T. B. Barker & Sons, St. John, N.B., is dead.

Dr. W. G. Hepworth, Grand Forks, B.C., has sold his drug business to Goodeve Bros.

R. E. Strong has purchased the drug business at Trail, B.C. from McLean & Morrow, of Rossland, B.C.

The Abbey Effervescent Salt Company Limited, Montreal, Que., with capital stock of \$50,000, has been registered.

Arthur Young, formerly with his brother, W. Young, at Neepawa, Man., has opened a new drug store at Macleod.

George A. Burbridge, and Geo. H. Colwell have opened a new drug store at Halifax, N.S.; firm name, Burbridge and Colwell.

The Canada Chemical Preparation Co. has been registered at Montreal, the proprietors being Lachance Trudeau and Joseph M. Dechene.

The semi-annual examinations of the Pharmaceutical Association of Quebec for major and minor candidates were held in Laval University, Quebec, Oct. 12th.

The drug store of X. Bourque, corner Inspector and St. Antoine streets, Montreal, Que., was entered by burglars Sept. 21st, and about \$100 worth of goods stolen.

The wholesale drug firm of Lyman, Sons & Co. having been dissolved owing to the death of Mr. Henry Lyman, the business will be continued by Henry H.

Lyman and Arthur Lyman under the same firm name.

The firm of Mitchell & McLean, doing business at 60 Queen street east, and 390 Wilton avenue, Toronto, Ont., has been dissolved. Mr. Mitchell retains the Wilton avenue business, and Mr. McLean the Queen street.

Joseph Dilworth, druggist, 63 Jarvis street, Toronto, was fined \$20 without costs for a breach of the Pharmacy Act in selling carbolic acid without labelling it or registering the sale as required by the Act. Mr. Dilworth had sold the acid simply as a disinfectant.

The Holgate, Fielding Company, Limited, manufacturing chemists and drug grinders, Melinda street, Toronto, Ont., has been reorganized, Mr. Fielding retiring, and Mr. Holgate retaining the business, with Mr. Winsor Barker as manager. It is proposed to extend the business of the firm.

Montreal Notes.

The cry, is "Still they come," and the number of candidates anxious to undertake the late and early and all-day Sunday drudgery of a Montreal drug store is about an average.

Mr. Ebenezer Muir, the indefatigable secretary and registrar of the Pharmaceutical Association, leaves to-day to take part in the semi annual examinations which will be held in Laval University, Quebec, on Tuesday, the 12th inst.

Mr. E. F. G. Daniel, 1593 Notre Dame street, came very near having a serious fire a couple of week's since. Fortunately, the fire station on St. Gabriel street is only a block or two distant, and the incipient blaze was quickly extinguished. Loss very slight.

Mr. T. E. Barbeau, of the "St. James' Pharmacy," 218 St. James St., has purchased the branch pharmacy of Mr. S. Lachance. This pharmacy was lately carried on by Mr. Taillorette, and it is said there is a good local trade attached to it. Mr. Barbeau, who is a clever pharmacist, ought to make something of the business.

A new trial is to take place in the case of Dr. England *versus* Mr. Dart and Messrs. Kerry, Watson & Co. To the lay element in legal matters it seems funny how the plaintiff can have an action against a firm with whom he had no transaction whatever. One would suppose the first case to be settled would be England *versus* Dart, then in case of a judgment against Dart, a new action by Dart against Kerry *et al*.

No. 4 clause in Mr. Gibson's motion at the meeting of the P. A. T. Association held on Sept. 7 in Toronto, "that manufacturers shall make it a condition with newspapers that under no circumstances shall advertisements offering the same medicines at cut rates be inserted

in the papers contracted with," appears to be a good idea and would curtail the publicity sought for by cutters. There are other good points in the Gibson motion, notably clause 3.

A bomb shell has fallen amongst the Benefit Societies by the recent resolution of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of this province, which will prevent physicians from contracting with these bodies to attend the members and their families at a fixed annual payment. Abuses appear to have crept in which has necessitated such action. Most of these societies seem to think that cheap doctors and cheap druggists are the great desideratum. Like the modern bargain hunter quality is no object.

Manitoba and N.W.T. Notes.

Dr. J. Wilkinson has opened a drug store at Stockton.

Dr. J. Hutichson, Grenfell, has sold his drug business at that place.

Doctor Burridge was at Winnipeg recently purchasing the stock.

Dr. H. A. Wright, Oak Lake, has just returned from a trip to the east.

Mr. Joseph Taylor, Portage La Prairie, has just returned from Rossland, where he was called on business.

A new drug store will be opened at Holland about the 15th of October, by Doctors Burridge and Morrison.

Mr. J. K. Hill, Portage La Prairie, has been enjoying a well earned holiday by spending a few days in and about Winnipeg.

The Medical Hall stock, Rat Portage, was seized under chattel mortgage, Sept. 17th. It was advertised for sale by public auction Oct. 7th.

Mr. W. R. Austin, Winnipeg, is removing his drug business from Higgins avenue to Portage avenue, where a new building has been erected for him.

Mr. C. Flexon, President of the Manitoba Pharmaceutical Association was a delegate to the American Drug Association convention held at Manitonka recently.

The drug trade throughout the provinces is reported good. New stores are being opened, and a general feeling of confidence as to fall and winter trade is prevalent.

Mr. C. H. Cranston, proprietor of the People's Popular Prescription Pharmacy, Winnipeg, is moving his business to more commodious premises up town. The popular pharmacy will, when the decorations are completed, be a credit to the drug trade of Winnipeg.

Mr. J. R. Wynne, Vice-President of the Martin, Bole & Wynne Co., Winnipeg, has just returned from an extended trip to the east. Mr. Wynne attended the provincial rifle matches at Toronto and at annual shoot of the Dominion Rifle Association at Ottawa, where he captured some good prizes.