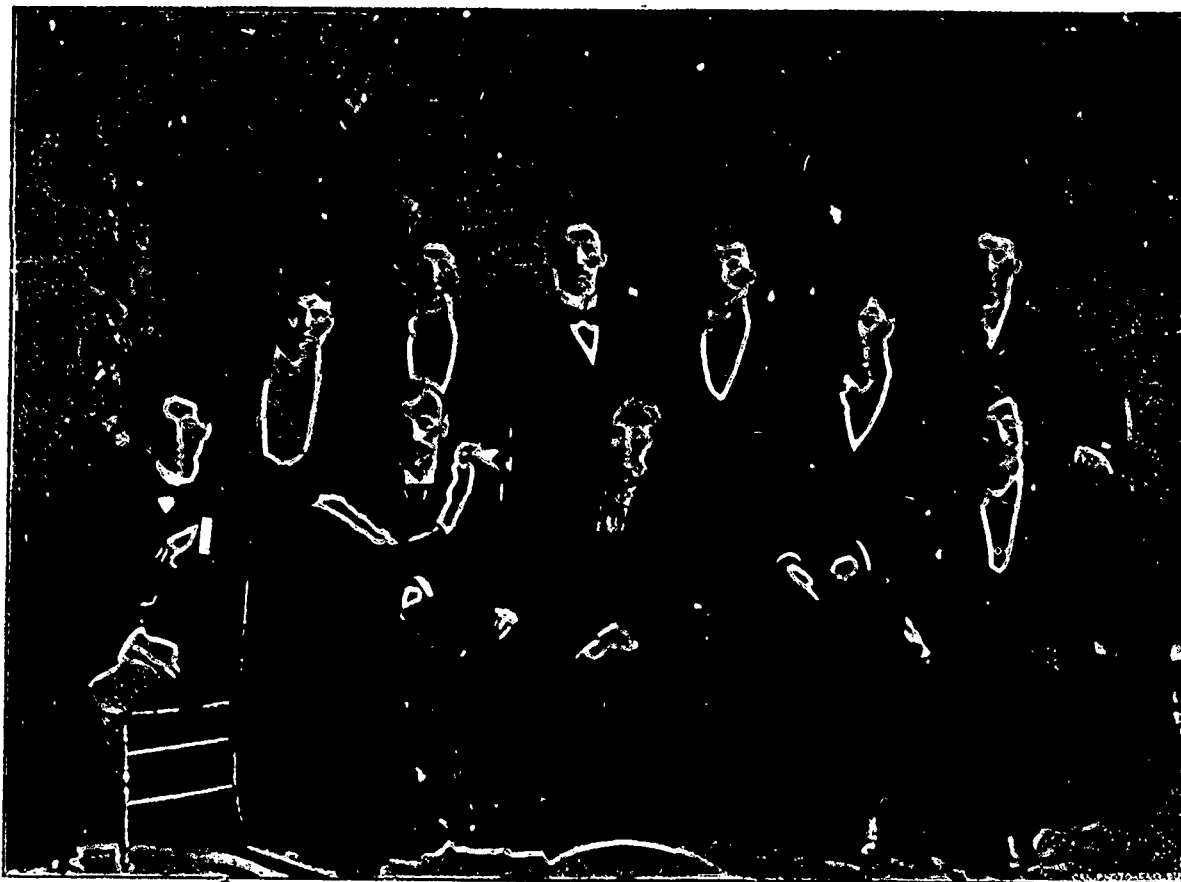


Ontario College of Pharmacy.



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OFFICERS OF 1897 CLASS.

H. Hawkins, Treas. A. E. Dewdney. C. W. Field, Sec. G. E. Robb. J. Chambers. W. H. VanWinkle.
T. Day, Vice-Pres. Prof. F. C. Hibner, Hon. Pres. Miss M. H. A. Johnson, Hon. Vice-Pres. R. Griffin, Pres.

O.C.P. Annual Dinner.

Ye Pharmacy man goes out to dine—
Swe-de-le-we-dum bum,
But never touches any wine—
Swe-de-le-we-dum bum;
He makes the stock of victuals fly—
Swe-de-le-we-tchu-hi-ra-si,
And tackles all from soup to pie—
Swe-de-le-we-dum bum.

CHO.—Litoria, Litoria—
Swe-de-le-we-tchu-hi-ra-si;
Litoria, Litoria—
Swe-de-le-we-dum bum.

The annual dinner of the faculty and students of the Ontario College of Pharmacy was held at the Rossin House, Toronto, on the evening of February 19th.

Over one hundred of the students and their guests sat down to an excellent repast, and the occasion was one of enjoyment and feasting. The chair was ably filled by Mr. B. Griffin, the president of the class of 1897, and he was supported on his right and left by Rev. W. Patterson of Cooke's Church, and Dean Heebner, O.C.P. Letters of regret were read from Premier Hardy, Hon. G. W. Ross, Mayor Fleming, Prof. Loudon, Toronto University, Dr. Parkin, Principal Upper Canada College, Hon. W. Mulock, postmaster-general and others.

The dining-room was tastefully decorated with the colors of the college, red, yellow, and black, and music was furnished by Neapolitano's orchestra.

The menu card was very tastefully gotten up, bearing the colors of the college and having photogravures of the professors and registrar.

After full justice was done to the bill of fare, President Griffin made a short speech congratulating the class on the success which had attended their efforts, and thanked the committee in charge for the excellent arrangements made. After the toast of the Queen was right royally drunk, Rev. Mr. Patterson was called upon to respond to Canada, which he did in a speech full of eloquence, wit and sound advice. He spoke of the patriotic feeling which should always prevail, and that Canadians, no matter where situated, should always uphold the honor of the land of their birth, and, in the future, as in the past, they would be found holding positions of trust and amongst the leading men in whatever locality they might be.

The toast of the Ontario College of Pharmacy was responded to. Mr. C. D. Daniel who spoke of the great progress the college had made, and the splendid lot of students who had graduated there.

He also spoke of the excellent staff of teachers which he believed were equal to any in America, and also mentioned the registrar, whose absence he regretted, and who was so universally held in esteem. (Cheers were given for Mr. Lewis.)

Mr. W. A. Karn also responded to this toast, and dwelt on the unsatisfactory condition of trade, and advised the vigorous action in order to wipe out the "pharmaceutical vampires" which were taking the life-blood away from true pharmacists. He also spoke of the desirability of always employing a graduate, not leaving the business of the store to be looked after by inexperienced boys, and thus losing the confidence of the public.

"The Faculty" was responded to by Dean Heebner in an excellent speech. He strongly advised students, not to cease being such immediately they had graduated and obtained their diploma, but to keep on studying, and keeping pace with whatever was new in pharmacy, etc. Dr. Chambers also responded briefly.

"The Examiners" responded to by Messrs. Sneath and Scott.

"The Medical Profession" was ably responded to Dr. Fotheringham.

"Sister Institutions," by Mr. Nixon, for the Toronto School of Medicine; Mr.