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APOTHECARIES.

RETURNS to an ADDRESS to HIS MAJESTY, dated 29 June 1833;—for,

AN ACCOUNT of the Number of Persons who have obtained CERTIFICATES from the SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES, to practise as Apothecaries in *England* and *Wales*, conformably to the Act 55 Geo. 3, c. 194, in each Year from 29th March 1825, distinguishing the Number of CERTIFICATES granted for *London* and within Ten Miles thereof, and for the rest of *England* and *Wales*; also, the Number of Persons who were EXAMINED and REJECTED in the same period.

AN ACCOUNT of the MONEY which has been RECEIVED by the SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES for CERTIFICATES granted to persons who have been Examined under the Act 55 Geo. 3, c. 194, from 29th March 1825.

AN ACCOUNT of the manner in which the MONEY RECEIVED by the SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES of *London*, for CERTIFICATES granted by the Court of Examiners of the said Society, under the Act 55 Geo. 3, c. 194, has been APPROPRIATED from 29th March 1825.

AN ACCOUNT of the Number of PROSECUTIONS by the SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES for PENALTIES, under Act 55 Geo. 3, c. 194, since 29th March 1825.

AN ACCOUNT of all SUMS of MONEY expended by the SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES of *London*, in support of a BOTANIC GARDEN LECTURES, and other means adopted by them for the Promotion of Knowledge in Botany, Materia Medica and Pharmaceutical Chemistry, from 1st January 1825.

AN ACCOUNT of the Description and Number of all such Persons as are entitled to FREE ADMISSION to the BOTANIC GARDEN of the SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES, to the LECTURES, and other means adopted by them for the Promotion of Knowledge in Botany, Materia Medica and Pharmaceutical Chemistry.

(Mr. Francis Baring.)

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APOTHECARIES' COMPANY.

—(1.)—

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	Examined	Rejected.	Certificates granted.	Of these for London Practice.	For Country Practice.
From 29 March 1825 to 31 July 1825	213	8	205	16	189
From 1 Aug. 1825 to 31 July 1826	482	43	445	51	391
From 1 Aug. 1826 to 31 July 1827	465	47	418	52	366
From 1 Aug. 1827 to 31 July 1828	510	70	440	40	400
From 1 Aug. 1828 to 31 July 1829	365	65	300	42	258
From 1 Aug. 1829 to 31 July 1830	525	86	439	48	391
From 1 Aug. 1830 to 31 July 1831	465	104	361	38	323
From 1 Aug. 1831 to 31 July 1832	446	73	373	44	329
From 1 Aug. 1832 to 19 June 1833	317	55	262	42	220
	3,788	551	3,235	373	2,867

—(2.)—

AN ACCOUNT of the Money which has been received by the SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES for CERTIFICATES granted to Persons who have been Examined under the Act of 55 Geo. 3, c. 194, from 29th March 1825.

1825.		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
From 29 March to 31 July 1825.	For Certificates for Country Practice	1,190	14	—						
	— London ditto	168	—	—						
	Two additional payments on Country Certificates				1,358	14	—			
					8	8	—			
From 1 Aug. 1825 to 31 July 1826.	For Certificates for Country Practice	2,463	6	—				1,367	2	—
	— London ditto	567	—	—						
	— One Assistant	2	2	—						
	12 additional payments on Country Certificates				3,032	8	—			
					50	8	—			
From 1 Aug. 1826 to 31 July 1827.	For Certificates for Country Practice	2,305	16	—				3,082	16	—
	— London ditto	546	—	—						
	Four additional payments on Country Certificates				2,851	16	—			
					16	16	—			
From 1 Aug. 1827 to 31 July 1828.	For Certificates for Country Practice	2,520	—	—				2,868	12	—
	— London ditto	420	—	—						
	11 additional payments on Country Certificates				2,940	—	—			
					46	4	—			
From 1 Aug. 1828 to 31 July 1829.	For Certificates for Country Practice	1,625	8	—				2,986	4	—
	— London ditto	441	—	—						
	15 additional payments on Country Certificates				2,066	8	—			
					63	—	—			
From 1 Aug. 1829 to 31 July 1830.	For Certificates for Country Practice	2,463	6	—				2,129	8	—
	— London ditto	504	—	—						
	32 additional payments on Country Certificates				2,967	6	—			
					134	8	—			
From 1 Aug. 1830 to 31 July 1831.	For Certificates for Country Practice	2,034	18	—				3,101	14	—
	— London ditto	399	—	—						
	— One Assistant	2	2	—						
	24 additional payments on Country Certificates				2,436	—	—			
					100	16	—			
From 1 Aug. 1831 to 31 July 1832.	For Certificates for Country Practice	2,072	14	—				2,536	16	—
	— London ditto	462	—	—						
	— One Assistant	2	2	—						
	43 additional payments on Country Certificates				2,536	16	—			
					180	12	—			
From 1 Aug. 1832 to 19 June 1833.	For Certificates for London Practice	1,386	—	—				2,717	8	—
	— Country ditto	441	—	—						
	49 additional payments on Country Certificates				1,827	—	—			
					205	16	—			
								2,032	16	—
								£.	22,822	16

— (3.) —

AN ACCOUNT of the manner in which the Money received by the SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES of London, for CERTIFICATES granted by the Court of Examiners of the said Society, under the Act 55 Geo. 3. c. 194, has been APPROPRIATED, from the 29th March 1825.

	£.	s.	d.
Payments to Court of Examiners, from 29th March 1825 to 19th June 1833 - - - - -	10,218	12	-
Payment to the secretary of the court for his salary during same period - - - - -	980	-	-
Allowance to ditto for messengers, for same period - - - - -	86	1	-
Remuneration to beadle for extra trouble during same period - - - - -	465	-	1
Ditto to housekeeper, &c., during same period - - - - -	173	2	5
Paid for printing lists, &c., during same period, and for printing regulations and other papers relative to candidates and their examinations - - - - -	794	17	6
Paid for furniture, and repair of ditto - - - - -	37	18	-
Paid for stationery, and books for Court of Examiners, during same period - - - - -	112	11	11
Paid expenses of searching shops of apothecaries under the Act - - - - -	71	13	-
Paid law charges, from 1st January 1824 to 19th June 1833 - - - - -	4,604	5	3
Paid expenses of court of assistants, held solely for the purpose of electing and swearing Court of Examiners - - - - -	226	16	-
Paid for advertising - - - - -	42	13	11
Paid for coals, gas and other lights, postages, porterages and incidental expenses, during the same period - - - - -	750	19	4
	£.	18,564	10 5

— (4.) —

A RETURN of the Number of PROSECUTIONS by the SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES for PENALTIES, under Act 55 Geo. 3. c. 194, since 29th March 1825.

TERMS.	NAMES.	COUNTIES.	OBSERVATIONS.
Michaelmas Term, 1825.	The Society of Apothecaries - v. Seed -	Lancashire -	- - Judgment by default; penalty and costs, taxed at 16 <i>l.</i> 16 <i>s.</i> , not recovered; defendant not heard of since judgment.
	Same - - v. Fernyhough -	Staffordshire -	- - Verdict for defendant; costs paid to him, 151 <i>l.</i> 5 <i>s.</i> 5 <i>d.</i>
Hilary Term, 1826.	Same - - v. Seily -	Norfolk -	- - Quitted practice till he received certificate; no costs or penalty recovered.
Trinity Term	Same - - v. Bumford -	Montgomeryshire -	- - Not proceeded in for want of evidence.
Michaelmas Term, 1827.	Same - - v. Webster -	Yorkshire -	- - Judgment by default; penalty and costs not recovered.
Easter Term, 1828.	Same - - v. Brown -	Kent -	- - Judgment by default; received certificate; costs paid; penalty remitted; 13 <i>l.</i> 9 <i>s.</i> 6 <i>d.</i>
	Same - - v. Salvage -	Surrey -	- - Died before any proceedings beyond the writ was taken.
	Same - - v. Manifold -	Cheshire -	- - Quitted practice till he received certificate; costs and penalty not recovered.
Trinity Term	Same - - v. Serjeant -	Cornwall -	- - Verdict for plaintiffs; costs taxed at 171 <i>l.</i> 9 <i>s.</i> ; defendant discharged under Insolvent Act; and penalties and costs not recovered.
Michaelmas Term.	Same - - v. Evans -	Middlesex -	- - Liberated on security of warrant of attorney; quitted practice; since dead; costs and penalty not recovered.

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TERMS.	NAMES.	COUNTIES.	OBSERVATIONS.
Michaelmas Term, 1828.	The Society of Apothecaries - v. Menzies -	Surrey -	- - Judgment by default; received certificate; paid costs; penalty remitted.
	Same - - v. Gowland -	Surrey -	- - Judgment by default, because bankrupt and quitted practice; penalty and costs not recovered.
	Same - - v. Leeson -	Middlesex -	- - Received certificate; penalty and costs not recovered.
	Same - - v. Davis -	Middlesex -	- - Judgment by default; penalty and costs recovered; costs 14 l. 2 s. 6 d.
Hilary Term, 1829.	Same - - v. Fawthrop	Yorkshire -	- - Received certificate; costs and penalty not recovered.
Easter Term	Same - - v. Hicks -	Bedfordshire	- - Quitted practice; penalty and costs not recovered.
	Same - - v. Clarke -	Kent -	- - Received certificate; penalty and costs received; costs 18 l. 18 s. 6 d.
Trinity Term	Same - - v. Greenwood	Yorkshire -	- - Verdict for plaintiffs; penalty and costs not recovered; costs taxed at 250 l. 11 s. 5 d.
	Same - - v. Proctor -	Shropshire -	- - Quitted practice; penalty and costs not recovered.
	Same - - v. Barker -	Yorkshire -	- - Action not proceeded, the parties not being able to furnish sufficient evidence; cost and penalty not recovered.
	Same - - v. Winter -	Hampshire	- - Quitted practice; penalty and costs not recovered.
Michaelmas Term.	Same - - v. Thomas -	Middlesex -	- - Judgment by default; has quitted practice; penalty and costs not recovered; costs taxed at 11 l. 15 s.
	Same - - v. Sargant -	Surrey -	- - Received certificate; penalty and costs not recovered.
Hilary Term, 1830.	Same - - v. Nairne -	Essex -	- - Received certificate; penalty remitted; costs not recovered.
	Same - - v. Wharton -	Yorkshire -	- - Verdict for plaintiffs; penalty (and costs, taxed at 169 l. 4 s. 8 d.) not recovered; discharged under Insolvent Act.
Easter Term.	Same - - v. Lockwood	Yorkshire -	- - Judgment by default; penalty and costs not recovered; defendant not heard of since.
	Same - - v. Clark -	Yorkshire -	- - Costs received; penalty remitted; received certificate; costs 15 l. 16 s. 4 d.
	Same - - v. Fox -	Warwickshire	- - Has quitted practice; penalty and costs not received.
	Same - - v. West -	Lincolnshire	- - Judgment by default; defendant taken in execution; discharged under Insolvent Act; costs taxed at 12 l.
	Same - - v. Tucker -	Dorsetshire	- - Ran away.
	Same - - v. Tweddle -	Cumberland	- - Judgment by default; received certificate; penalty and costs not recovered.
	Same - - v. Huskinson	Middlesex -	- - Action not proceeded in; proved to be in practice before 1815.
Trinity Term.	Same - - v. Flood -	Yorkshire -	- - Judgment by default; penalty and costs not recovered; defendant not heard of since.
	Same - - v. Carpenter	Lincolnshire	- - Judgment by default; penalty and costs recovered; costs 9 l. 6 d.
	Same - - v. Wardroper	Middlesex -	- - Judgment by default; received certificate; penalty remitted; costs 15 l. 16 s. recovered.

TERMS.	NAMES.	COUNTIES.	OBSERVATIONS.
Michaelmas Term, 1830.	The Society of Apothecaries } v. Baker	Middlesex	-- Judgment by confession; penalty and costs recovered; received certificate; costs 40 l.
	Same - - v. Jefford	Dorsetshire	-- Quitted practice; paid costs, 13 l. 7 s.
	Same - - v. Maggs	Somersetshire	-- Judgment by default; defendant taken in execution; discharged under Insolvent Act.
	Same - - v. Ryan	Kent	-- Verdict for plaintiffs; penalty and costs not recovered; costs 268 l. 2 s. 7 d.
Hilary Term, 1831.	Same - - v. Henry	Surrey	-- Quitted practice till he received his certificate; penalty and costs not recovered.
	Same - - v. Jefford	Dorsetshire	-- Quitted practice; penalty and costs not recovered.
	Same - - v. Fletcher	Nottinghamshire.	-- Evidence insufficient to proceed; no costs.
Trinity Term.	Same - - v. Phillips	Shropshire	-- Received certificate; costs paid; penalty remitted; costs 16 l.
	Same - - v. Astle	Leicestershire	-- Judgment by default; penalty and costs not recovered; discontinued practice.
	Same - - v. Wharton	Yorkshire	-- Second action against defendant; has given up practice; penalty and costs not recovered.
	Same - - v. Davison	Northumberland.	-- Quitted practice; penalty and costs not recovered.
Michaelmas Term.	Same - - v. Bruce	Yorkshire	-- Judgment by default; penalty and costs not recovered.
	Same - - v. Carson	Cumberland	-- Received certificate; paid costs; penalty remitted; costs 19 l. 5 s. 3 d.
	Same - - v. Ryan	Middlesex	-- Received certificate; penalty remitted; costs 27 l. 17 s. 10 d.; 6 l. received.
	Same - - v. Morris	Middlesex	-- Judgment by default; paid part of penalty and costs.
	Same - - v. Chambers	Middlesex	-- Judgment by default; received certificate; paid costs; penalty remitted; costs 34 l. 5 s.
	Same - - v. Wallas	Middlesex	-- Received certificate; paid costs, 2 l. 11 s.; penalty remitted.
	Same - - v. Ord	Middlesex	-- Judgment by confession; quitted practice; penalty remitted; costs 54 l. 8 s. 2 d.; received 42 l.
	Same - - v. Lindeman	Hunts	-- Action not proceeded in, in consequence of defendant having been in practice before 1815.
Hilary Term, 1832.	Same - - v. Lindsey	Yorkshire	-- Received certificate; paid costs; penalty remitted; costs 2 l. 16 s. 4 d.
	Same - - v. Hall	Derbyshire	-- Action not proceeded in, not sufficient evidence.
	Same - - v. Altham	Yorkshire	-- Judgment by default; penalty and costs not received; has quitted practice; costs 10 l. 10 s. 2 d.
	Same - - v. Davis (Second action.)	Middlesex	-- Received certificate; no costs or penalty recovered.
Easter Term.	Same - - v. King	Middlesex	-- Judgment by default; received certificate; costs not recovered; penalty remitted.
	Same - - v. Collins	Dorsetshire	-- Cause tried; verdict for plaintiffs; costs taxed at 171 l., and penalty not yet recovered.

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TERMS.	NAMES.	COUNTIES.	OBSERVATIONS.
Easter Term, 1832.	The Society of Apothe- caries - - Same - -	v. Corbang - v. Allen - Lincolnshire	Lancaster - -- Not proceeded in; evidence not sufficient. -- Verdict for plaintiffs; taxed costs 147 <i>l.</i> 10 <i>s.</i> ; defendant ran away.
Trinity Term	Same - - Same - - Same - - Same - -	v. Phelps - v. Sweeny - v. Spence - v. Barlow -	Somersetshire Hertfordshire Yorkshire - Essex -
Michaelmas Term.	Same - - Same - - Same - - Same - - Same - - Same - - Same - -	v. Allison - v. Dowse - v. Robinson - v. Stuart - v. Birkinshaw	Yorkshire - Yorkshire - Suffolk - Cambridge- shire. Yorkshire -
Hilary Term Easter Term, 1833.	Same - - Same - - Same - - Same - - Same - -	v. Becke - v. Phipps - v. Barlow - (Second Action.) v. Dyer -	London - Middlesex - Essex - Surrey -
			-- Judgment by default; does not now practice; costs not re- covered. -- Judgment by default; penalty and costs recovered, 28 <i>l.</i> 13 <i>s.</i> -- Judgment by default; penalty and costs taxed at 13 <i>l.</i> 15; not recovered. -- Received certificate; costs received, 1 <i>l.</i> 3 <i>s.</i> 8 <i>d.</i> ; penalty remitted. -- Received certificate; penalty and costs not recovered. -- Judgment by default; costs taxed at 15 <i>l.</i> 10 <i>s.</i> ; defendant ran away. -- Judgment by default; penalty and costs not yet recovered. -- Depending. -- Depending. -- Received certificate; paid costs, 5 <i>l.</i> 12 <i>s.</i> 4 <i>d.</i> ; penalty re- mitted. -- Received certificate; costs and penalty not recovered.

THE following Persons have been Indicted by the SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES for the several Offences mentioned below.

	NAMES.	OFFENCES.	PUNISHMENT.
1828	Dennis Leman - -	-- For producing fraudulent indentures.	-- Found guilty; imprison- ment six months.
	Robert Horsman - -	-- -- Ditto - - -	-- -- Ditto.
	John Atto - - -	-- -- Ditto - - -	-- -- Ditto.
	John Clapham - -	False affidavit of age -	-- -- Ditto.
1831	Harry Fry - - -	Fabricated indentures -	-- Twelve months impri- sonment.

Note.—In consequence of the great unwillingness and backwardness in parties, when called upon, to furnish evidence or to come forward as witnesses in cases where information is given the Society respecting unqualified persons who are in practice as Apothecaries, the endeavours of the Society to enforce the law have been in very many instances frustrated.

In addition to the cases above stated, numerous persons have complied with the Act by passing examinations, or have discontinued practice in consequence of applications made to them by the Society; but as it was unnecessary to follow up such applications by any legal proceedings, no account has been kept of the number of such persons.

—(5.)—

AN ACCOUNT of all Sums expended by the SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES of London, in support of a BOTANIC GARDEN, LECTURES, and other means adopted by them for the Promotion of Knowledge in Botany, Materia Medica and Pharmaceutical Chemistry, from 1st January 1825.

1825:—1st January to 31st December:			£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Expenses of Botanic Garden at Chelsea, including Demon-								
strator's salary of 52 <i>l.</i> 10 <i>s.</i> - - - - -			662	5	9			
Expenses of Lectures given at the Hall, on Materia Medica								
and Pharmaceutical Chemistry, by W. Thos. Brande, Esq.			52	10	-			
Expenses of Herbarising Excursions at various distances								
from London, and Lectures on Botany at the Society's								
Garden at Chelsea, by T. L. Wheeler, Esq., Demonstrator			81	19	6			
of Botany to the Society - - - - -						796	14	9
1826:—1st January to 31st December:								
Expenses of Botanic Garden at Chelsea, including Demon-								
strator's salary of 52 <i>l.</i> 10 <i>s.</i> - - - - -			590	11	1			
Expenses of Lectures on Materia Medica, &c. - - - - -			52	10	-			
Expenses of Herbarisings and Lectures at Chelsea - - - - -			79	6	5			
						722	7	6
1827:—1st January to 31st December:								
Expenses of Botanic Garden at Chelsea, including Demon-								
strator's salary, 52 <i>l.</i> 10 <i>s.</i> - - - - -			692	18	6			
Expenses of Lectures on Materia Medica, &c. - - - - -			52	10	-			
Expenses of Herbarisings and Lectures at Chelsea - - - - -			63	14	2			
						807	2	8
1828:—1st January to 31st December:								
Expenses of Botanic Garden at Chelsea, including Demon-								
strator's salary, 52 <i>l.</i> 10 <i>s.</i> - - - - -			590	18	7			
Expenses of Lectures on Materia Medica, &c. - - - - -			52	10	-			
Expenses of Herbarisings and Lectures at Chelsea - - - - -			114	18	8			
						758	7	3
1829:—1st January to 31st December:								
Expenses of Botanic Garden at Chelsea, including Demon-								
strator's salary, 52 <i>l.</i> 10 <i>s.</i> - - - - -			735	5	2			
Expenses of Lectures on Materia Medica, &c. - - - - -			52	10	-			
Expenses of Herbarisings and Lectures at Chelsea - - - - -			66	2	1			
						853	17	3
1830:—1st January to 31st December:								
Expenses of Botanic Garden at Chelsea, including Demon-								
strator's salary, 80 <i>l.</i> - - - - -			613	16	11			
Expenses of Lectures on Materia Medica, &c. - - - - -			52	10	-			
Expenses of Herbarisings and Lectures at Chelsea - - - - -			114	14	5			
						781	1	4
N. B. In this year the Lectures at Chelsea were								
opened to students generally, and the first Medals								
were given.								
1831:—1st January to 31st December:								
Expenses of Botanic Garden at Chelsea, including Demon-								
strator's salary, 80 <i>l.</i> - - - - -			893	5	10			
Expenses of Lectures on Materia Medica, &c. - - - - -			52	10	-			
Expenses of Herbarisings and Lectures at Chelsea - - - - -			295	-	6			
						1,240	16	4
This includes making the Die for the Medal, and								
fitting up the Garden for giving the Lectures.								
1832:—1st January to 31st December:								
Expenses of Botanic Garden at Chelsea, including Demon-								
strator's salary, 80 <i>l.</i> - - - - -			721	16	-			
Expenses of Lectures on Materia Medica, &c. - - - - -			52	10	-			
Expenses of Herbarisings and Lectures at Chelsea - - - - -			88	15	3			
						863	1	3
1833:—1st January to 19th June:								
Expenses of Botanic Garden at Chelsea, including propor-								
tion of Demonstrator's salary - - - - -			235	12	10			
Expenses of Lectures on Materia Medica, &c. - - - - -			52	10	-			
Expenses of Herbarisings and Lectures at Chelsea - - - - -			31	12	6			
						319	15	4
			£.			7,143	3	8

— (6.) —

AN ACCOUNT of the Description and Number of all such Persons as are entitled to FREE ADMISSION to the BOTANIC GARDEN of the SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES, to the LECTURES, and other means adopted by them for the Promotion of Knowledge in Botany, Materia Medica and Pharmaceutical Chemistry.

Lectures at the Botanic Gardens at Chelsea.

PREVIOUSLY to 1829 these Lectures were open only to apprentices of members of the Society of Apothecaries.

The number of Pupils attending at that time was from 30 to 40 at each lecture.

On the 23d June 1829, it was determined to grant admission to the lectures at the gardens to pupils of the established professors and teachers in the kingdom, whether in Medicine, Chemistry, Materia Medica, or Botany. These lectures commenced on Friday, the 3d July, from nine till eleven o'clock, A. M., and on each succeeding Friday at the same hour.

This course terminated on the first Friday in October; the number of Pupils attending was from 80 to 120 at each lecture.

1830. In this year the lectures commenced on the first Wednesday in May, and terminated on the last Wednesday in September, the garden being open from nine till twelve o'clock, A. M.

The number of Pupils attending was,

1830: May 5, present -	162	1832: May 2, present -	130
12 -	145	9 -	206
19 -	169	16 -	162
26 -	140	23 -	188
June 2 -	178	30 -	155
9 -	156	June 6 -	176
16 -	119	13 -	183
23 -	159	20 -	155
30 -	139	27 -	169
July 7 -	92	July 4 -	108
14 -	112	11 -	139
21 -	101	18 -	114
28 -	97	25 -	118
Aug. 4 -	77	Aug. 1 -	100
11 -	82	8 -	100
18 -	77	* 15 -	75
25 -	81	22 -	70
Sept. 1 -	102	29 -	38
8 -	67	Sept. 5 -	56
15 -	81	12 -	64
22 -	68	19 -	44
29 -	68	26 -	54
	2,472		2,604
1831: May 4, present -	162	1833: May 1, present -	221
11 -	210	8 -	214
18 -	220	15 -	242
25 -	200	22 -	206
June 1 -	188	29 -	177
8 -	188	June 5 -	193
15 -	177	12 -	157
22 -	151	19 -	170
29 -	156		
July 6 -	120		
13 -	31		
20 -	123		
27 -	125		
Aug. 3 -	90		
10 -	104		
17 -	97		
24 -	83		
31 -	66		
Sept. 7 -	64		
14 -	53		
21 -	23		
28 -	68		
	2,699		

* The diminution of the numbers in attendance from this date is owing to the majority of the pupils going into the country during the summer and autumn, the schools not opening until the 1st October.

A gold medal, value 10*l.* 10*s.*, and a silver medal, of the value of 2*l.* 2*s.*, is given on the termination of each season to the pupils who pass the best and second best examination on botany.

The pupils of all the established professors and teachers are eligible to become candidates for these medals, except such as are apprentices to members of the Society of Apothecaries, for whom there is a separate examination and distinct prizes. The examination is conducted by gentlemen eminent for their knowledge of botany, and unconnected with the Society or the teaching of botany.

Medals were given as above stated in the year 1830, 1831 and 1832.

The garden is also open to all members of the Society, in number 532, and admissions are also given to persons wishing to visit it, on application to the master and wardens.

Botanic excursions are also given for the instruction of apprentices of members of the Society. They are allowed a breakfast, dinner and tea at the expense of the Society. There are five excursions annually.

From 1824 to 1830, the number of Apprentices attending was from 25 to 30.

1830: May 11, present	-	-	26	1832: May 15, present	-	-	36
25	-	-	25	29	-	-	40
June 8	-	-	27	June 14	-	-	42
July 13	-	-	28	July 13	-	-	23
Aug. 26	-	-	27	Aug. 25	-	-	23
			133				164
1831: May 17, present	-	-	43				
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Aug. 25	-	-	21				
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1826-7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72.
1827-8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72.
1828-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.
1829-30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58.
1830-31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.
1831-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69.
1832-3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68.

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