

RULES AND REGULATIONS, &c.

I. That on no condition shall any but Scotchman, or the Sons of Members be admitted ; and that only under the following ages and conditions, viz : from 18 to 45 years of age, on paying Ten Shillings currency, entrance money ; and from 45 to 55 years of age on paying the same entrance money and the monthly assessments herein after provided for the period they may be above the age of 45 years.

II. That any person proposed to become a Member must be recommended at a General Meeting by a Member of the Society, when his character will be investigated, and he cannot be elected but by a majority of votes ; and when duly elected his name must remain three years on the books of the Society before he can claim or derive any benefit therefrom.

III. That the benefits of this Society will be confined to Members only. Any person subject to any hereditary disease cannot under any consideration be admitted.

IV. That for the management of this Society, there shall be a Committee of twelve Members, whose duty it shall be to take a general account of all monies and matters, with this exception, that no member can be admitted except at a general meeting of the Society ; and that no law can be erased, or any new law made except at a general meeting, specially called for that purpose : but in all other respects the Committee shall have the entire and absolute management of all affairs appertaining to the Society, and are at liberty to call meetings of the members when they may deem it necessary.

V. That the Committee of Management shall consist of a President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, and eight managing Members, who are to be elected annually ; the election to take place on the First Tuesday of the month of November in each year.