

Qualifications  
for  
membership.

**4.** Any white male person over the full age of eighteen years may, subject to the terms of the duly enacted by-laws of the Association from time to time in effect, become a member of the Association, provided that the Association shall, upon the acquisition of the affairs of the Letters Patent Association mentioned in the next following section, admit all persons who are at the time of such acquisition members in good standing of the said Letters Patent Association as then constituted. 5

Powers  
of the  
Association.

**5.** (1) The Association shall have power: 10

(a) To organize, establish and carry on local branches of the Association, which branches shall be called "clubs".

(b) To propagate and develop among the members of the Association, a spirit of mutual co-operation, assistance, and friendship. 15

(c) To advance and protect the interests of all commercial travellers, and in particular, the members of the Association, and for such purpose to negotiate agreements and co-operate with any government, corporation, society, person or persons, whenever such agreements and co-operation may be calculated either directly or indirectly to assist or promote the welfare or convenience of commercial travellers. 20

(d) To establish insurance benefit funds as follows: 25

(i) A fund for providing death benefits and endowment benefits within the powers in that behalf conferred on fraternal benefit societies under *The Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act 1932*; and

(ii) A personal accident and sickness fund for providing benefits in the event of death from any cause whatever, or of injury by accident, of a member, and for providing indemnity during the incapacity of a member arising out of accident or sickness. 30

1932, c. 46.

Acquisition  
of Letters  
Patent  
Association.

(2) Subject to sections thirteen and fourteen of this Act, the Association may acquire the whole or any part of the rights and property, and may assume the obligations and the liabilities of the Associated Canadian Travellers, a company incorporated by Letters Patent issued under the *Companies Act* of Canada, on the twentieth day of October, A.D. 1921, hereinafter called "the Letters Patent Association". 35 40

R.S. 1906,  
c. 79.

Dominion  
Council.

**6.** The Dominion Council of the Association which shall be constituted as provided in the constitution and bylaws of the Association, shall be the final legislative and governing body of the Association. 45

Dominion  
Council  
Executive.

**7.** The Dominion Council Executive which shall be constituted as provided in the constitution and bylaws of