Rule 13. Before putting the question, the N.G. shall ask: "Is the Lodge ready for the question?" If no brother rise to speak, he shall rise and put it, and after he has risen and put the question no brother shall be permitted to speak upon it. While the N.G. is addressing the Lodge or putting the question, silence shall be observed in the Lodge Room.

Rule 14. After any question, except one for indefinite postponement, has been decided, any two brothers who voted in the majority may at the same time, or at the next regular meeting, move for a reconsideration thereof; but no discussion of the main question shall be allowed unless reconsidered.

Rule 15. When a brother has been called to order for the manifestation of temper or improper feeling, he shall not be allowed to speak again at that meeting, unless by special permission of the Lodge.

Rule 16. No brother shall vote on any question in which he is immediately interested.

Rule 17. Every brother present shall vote, unless for special reasons, except in the case specified in the preceding rule, and provided this rule does not interfere with the provisions of the By-laws regarding new members, etc.