

14. Every member of the Lodge, or any visitor thereto, may spend such sum of money as he may desire, upon his account, in a letter addressed to the Secretary, and shall then be entitled to a certificate, provided he be in good order, and keep up the books.

15. No member who is entitled may be fit for the election of officers, or any business connected with the Lodge, who hath had six months imprisonment or dues; and no member who hath twelve months imprisonment or dues, shall be presently summoned to pay the same, and if he doth not comply therewith, shall be suspended from the privileges of this Lodge, till the same be paid, and shall be reported to the P. G. Lodge accordingly.

16. The funds of the Lodge shall at all times be at the disposal of two thirds of the members present in Lodge, but if the amount proposed to be voted exceed sixteen dollars, the consideration thereof shall, at the request of any member, be postponed until the next regular meeting. Nothing in this By-Law shall effect the right to reconvene, any member, in case of a vote so rescind.

17. A general committee shall be appointed annually and shall have charge of all the moneys of the Lodge, which it may be proper at any time to refer to their consideration; and it shall be their duty to inspect and audit annually the accounts of the Secretary and Treasurer, and report thereon, at the regular meeting in December of each year, and upon such report being confirmed by the Lodge, the Committee shall see that all moneys, books, papers, and other property belonging to the Lodge, in the hands of the retiring Secretary and Treasurer, be handed over to their successors immediately after.

18. The duties of the Secretary shall be to keep minutes of the proceedings of the Lodge that may be found necessary to be recorded, to keep an account of all moneys received and paid by him to the Treasurer on account of the Lodge, and to keep a register of all members of the Lodge, and of all persons initiated therein with the dates of their initiation, admission, passing and rising, also their ages at the time and their abilities, for which duty he shall be exempt from the payment of dues, if reasonably constant in his attendance, and the minutes of the evening shall be read by him at the close of every Lodge meeting.

19. The duties of the Treasurer shall be to receive all moneys of the Lodge from the hands of the Secretary, and discharge all debts and demands against the Lodge, and with the authority and sanction of the Master and a majority of the members present; to keep a regular account of the receipts and