

struction and completion of buildings ; in exercising administrative control over the operations of contractors who supply material and labor incident to the construction and completion of buildings ; in officiating as arbitrator of contracts and stipulating terms of obligations and fulfilment between proprietor and contractor.

#### SECTION XII.

COMPENSATIONS.—No Member shall accept direct or indirect compensation for services rendered in the practice of his profession other than the fees received from his clients.

#### SECTION XIII.

FAILURE TO PAY DUES.—Should any member fail for one year to pay his dues, the Board of Directors may at its discretion, drop his name from the roll.

#### SECTION XIV.

MISCONDUCT.—Should charges of misconduct be preferred against any member, they must be made in writing, and be signed by the person making such charges ; whereupon the Board of Directors, at its next meeting, must take the matter up, and the said Board may, at its discretion, drop the name from the roll. The decision of the Board shall be final and absolute. The member against whom the charges are made shall, however, have the right to be heard in his own defence.