

Inspector to have access to books, papers &c.

7. It shall be the duty of the Secretary and Treasurer of every such society, or in the absence of such Secretary or Treasurer, of the President or Vice-President of such society to submit to and suffer to be inspected by such Inspector, the books, papers and securities of such society, and such officer shall give to such Inspector all such information as he may require in reference to such books, papers and securities and the affairs generally of such society.

Penalties on Officers of society refusing such access.

8. Any Secretary, Treasurer, President or Vice-President of any such society who shall refuse to submit the books, papers and securities of the society or any of them to such Inspector, or who shall refuse to give all such information as it may be in his power to give when required so to do by such Inspector, and any person who shall obstruct, hinder or interfere with such Inspector or any assistant employed by him in the examination of such books, papers or securities, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, on conviction before any one or more of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the city or county where the offence shall be committed, be condemned to be imprisoned in the common gaol of the county for any period not exceeding calendar months, or to the payment of a fine of not less than \$ nor more than \$ to be levied by distress of the offender's goods and chattels; and the Act chapter one hundred and three of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada respecting duties of Justices of the Peace out of session, in relation to Summary Convictions and Orders and the forms and proceedings thereby provided, as far as they can be adopted thereto, shall apply to offences under this Act. And no dividend or profits shall be declared or divided until such information is given as may be required by the Inspector.

Payment of shares in full.

9. The thirty-ninth section of the Act shall be amended by adding the following proviso thereto; Provided always, that any share or shares may at any time be paid up in full and capitalized, and any such share or shares heretofore paid, in such manner, shall be as valid as if the same had been paid by periodical subscription.