

Meetings may be held at such an hour and place as the Executive Committee appoints, of which due notice shall be sent to every member.

XX. General meetings other than the regular monthly meetings may be called for the reading and discussion of papers, and for the transaction of business.

XXI. Extraordinary or urgent business may be transacted at any meeting without special notice, when considered absolutely necessary by a three-fourths majority of those present.

XXII. At all general meetings, whether special or annual, fifteen members shall form a quorum.

#### PAPERS

XXIII. Papers on subjects relating to the objects of the Association, and to cognate subjects, may be read by members, or by others who may be requested to do so, at any regular meeting or any special meeting called for this purpose.

Papers shall not exceed twenty minutes in length, but the time for reading may be extended by vote of the members.

All papers read shall become the property of the Association.

All ordinary members of the general Association, who are not in arrears for dues, and all honorary members shall receive a copy of the ANNUAL TRANSACTIONS, a family subscriber shall receive one copy only.

#### ORDER OF BUSINESS

- XXIV. 1. Reading of Minutes.  
 2. Reading of Correspondence.  
 3. Passing of Accounts.  
 4. Propositions for Membership.  
 5. Reports of Committees, — Executive, Investigating, Publishing, Ladies'.  
 6. Election to Membership.  
 7. Notices of Motion.      8. General Business.  
 9. Election of Officers.    10. Reading of Papers.

#### AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

XXV. The foregoing Constitution and By-Laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of any meeting, but notice of motion for such amendment must be given at least four weeks previous to the discussion of the same, of which notice the Secretary shall duly inform every member.