

5. Perpetual members shall consist of those persons eligible for admission into the Society who deposit in the funds of charity a sum of forty dollars, they shall always have a right to take part in the business of the Society, and shall, with their own consent, be always eligible for election to its offices.

6. Honorary Members shall consist of those persons eligible for membership:

- (1) Those who are passengers and sojourners rather than residents in the City.  
They shall on their election contribute to the funds of the Society a sum not less than six dollars and, if such members shall subsequently become residents in the City, they shall be transferred to the list of ordinary members, and contribute as such.
- (2) Those whom the members for good reasons may decide to add to this list, or ordinary members removing from the City.
- (3) Those ordinary members who, having paid quarterly dues for twenty years, in succession, may at their own request be added to this list.

7. At the annual meeting in November the Secretary shall present a list of all members three years or more in arrears of dues. Any member thus reported shall be specially notified to pay the same, and, failing to do so, may be suspended. Any member thus suspended may be reinstated on the payment of dues owing at the time of his suspension, by a majority vote of the Society.

8. Should any member, not in arrears, resign from the Society, he shall have the privilege of again submitting his name for membership, and if elected, he shall be admitted free from payment of entry fee.

### SECTION III.

#### MEETINGS: ELECTION OF OFFICERS: ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. For cultivating a mutual good understanding among the members, and for conducting the business of charity, the Society shall be assembled four times in the year, in addition to its Anniversary Meetings, namely, on the first Thursday of the months of February, May, August and November.

2. The President, or in his absence, the officer highest in rank who may be in the City, shall, when any emergency occurs which, in his opinion, may render it expedient, or upon the written requisition of ten members, call a special meeting of the Society. Fifteen members shall be necessary to form a quorum at a special meeting, and no resolution shall be declared carried at such special meeting unless at least ten members shall vote in favor of such resolution. Whenever such meetings are called, each member shall be notified, in writing, as to the time and place of meeting.

3. At all meetings of the Society, after the President or Vice-President has taken the chair, the rules shall be laid on the table for the perusal and direction of the members.

4. Every member speaking on business shall stand up and address himself to the Chair, and no member shall speak more than once on the same subject, except by leave from the Chair, or to explain something already offered.