

years of age at their nearest birthday to the date of application, if women, are eligible for membership.

97. (1) Aeronauts ; (2) professional rope and wire walkers ; (3) men engaged in the manufacture of explosive substances ; (4) coal miners and workers in coal mines ; (5) saloon-keepers, bartenders and others engaged in the retailing of intoxicating liquors as a beverage ; and persons employed in the making, compounding, distilling, rectifying, or brewing of malt, spirituous, vinous or intoxicating liquors, and all employees engaged in distributing the same ; (6) men engaged in the manufacture of preparations of lead, arsenic or phosphorus ; and (7) professional acrobats ; shall not be insured by the Order.

98. If any member should, after his admission to the Order, become or be engaged in any of the occupations mentioned or referred to in By-law No. 97, his policy shall thereby be voided and become null. Any insured member whose certificate has been in force for more than five years and who desires to enter upon any occupation which is prohibited to insured members by this by-law or which may have been (before the application hereinafter mentioned) declared or scheduled as prohibited under the provisions of any by-law may apply to the Head Consul Commander in writing in the form from time to time prescribed for permission to enter upon such prohibited occupation and shall in such application agree to submit to such terms and conditions and the payment of such further or other dues, fees, assessments and charges as the Head Consul Commander may in each case see fit to impose and require and shall in support of such application furnish such evidence as to the nature and effect of such occupation and such medical certificates and reports as the Head Consul Commander may ask for, and if such permission is granted and if the terms and conditions and payments imposed and required by such permission are adhered to and complied with and duly made, then but not otherwise the certificate referred to in such permission shall not be avoided by reason only that the member so applying has entered upon the prohibited occupation mentioned in such permission.