

17. All motions and notices of motion shall be in writing, except votes of thanks, and motions to reconsider, to adjourn, to take the previous question, to close the debate, to lay on the table, to postpone the discussion to some future meeting, to divide (when the sense will admit of it), or to refer.

18. A motion to adjourn shall be in order at any time, except when a member is speaking, during a division or election, or immediately after a motion, or the adoption of the previous question. A motion to adjourn simply shall be decided without debate.

19. The previous question shall precede, and, until decided, preclude all amendments to the main motion, and shall be in this form : " Shall the main motion be now put ?"

20. On the adoption of a motion to close the debate, the main motion and all amendments already moved shall be put in the usual order, without further discussion.

21. Only one amendment to an amendment shall be in order, and no irrelevant amendment shall be permitted.

22. One week's notice in writing shall be given of motions for the appointment of Committees, the suspension, expulsion, re-election, or censuring of a member, the reconsideration or discussion of any question or resolution, to amend the Laws or Rules of Order, or for a return from any officer or committee ; and the President may, subject to an appeal to the Society, direct any motion made to stand as a notice.

23. A motion to reconsider the decision of the Society on any question must be made by a member who voted in favor of such decision.

24. A vote of two-thirds of the members present at a regular meeting shall be required to alter, add, strike out or suspend a