

ARTICLE XIV.

Of the Duty of the Secretary.

The Secretary shall have the custody of all the records and journals of the Society, and shall make a regular entry of all the proceedings at each meeting. He shall keep a list of the members of the Society. He shall summon the resident members to all meetings directed in this Constitution, or called by the presiding officer. He shall, on the order of the Society, erase from the list of members the names of all such persons as, by the terms of this Constitution, shall have forfeited their title to membership, making a report thereof at the next meeting. He shall also have the custody of the seal and badges of the Society.

ARTICLE XV.

Of the Death, Resignation, or Removal of Officers.

In case of the death, resignation, or removal of any of the officers during the year for which they were elected, the Society shall, at the next meeting, choose others in their room to serve for the remaining part of the year.

ARTICLE XVI.

Of the Standing Committee.

The Chaplains, the Physicians, the Board of Managers, the Treasurer, and the Secretary, together with two other resident members of the Society not being officers, who shall be appointed in the same manner as the Committee of Accounts, hereafter mentioned, shall constitute a Standing Committee, whose duty, jointly or severally, it shall be to pay attention to emigrants from Scotland, to assist them with their advice, to inquire into their treatment during the passage and into their circumstances and views, make report thereof to the Society, and to recommend such of them as they think proper to the Board of Managers for pecuniary relief.

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