

During his continuance in the Lodge he shall be subject to its By-Laws, Rules and Regulations.

#### **Initiation and Joining Fees.**

X.—The Fee upon Initiation shall be Twenty Dollars, which shall be in payment of the three Degrees in Craft Free-masonry, and the Grand Lodge Fees for Registration and Certificate. The Fee for a Joining Member shall be Three Dollars, to include the Fee for Registration; but should he require a Grand Lodge Certificate, he must pay an additional sum of Two Dollars. In every instance the Member who proposes a Candidate is responsible for the whole Fee, which must be paid at the time of Initiation or admission.

#### **Conferring Degrees, &c.**

XI.—Any Brother, who is not a Member of some other Lodge, may be Passed or Raised in this Lodge, after being regularly admitted a Member thereof by ballot, for the sum of Five Dollars for each Degree, provided he produces satisfactory proof of having been Initiated and Passed, as the case may be, in a regular Lodge. The proposer is responsible for the Fee, which must be paid before the Degree is conferred.

#### **The Ballot.**

XII.—No person shall be Initiated in, and no Brother shall be admitted a Member of this Lodge, if on the Ballot being taken Two Black Balls appear against him; but to prevent mistakes, the Master may direct the Ballot to be forthwith retaken a second time, which shall be final. In case of rejection, the Secretary shall apprise the Grand Secretary of such rejection.

#### **Non-Attendance after Ballot.**

XIII.—Should a Candidate, who has been approved for Initiation, not attend for that purpose within Six Months after being notified by the Secretary of the Lodge, he must be again proposed and a fresh Ballot taken before he can be Initiated.

#### **Re-Admission of Members.**

XIV.—Should any Member retire from the Lodge, or cause his name to be erased from the Books, or be excluded for any cause except non-payment of Dues, he shall not be re-admitted without a Ballot and Joining Fee, as fixed by By-Law No. IX.