

12. That twenty-five Shareholders may procure a General Meeting, by forwarding to the President a written requisition, with their names attached. The Meeting shall not be held until six days after such notice.

13. That any person in arrears to the Library shall be deprived of the privilege of voting at General Meetings of the Society.

**Fines.**

14. That the members of the Committee be fined one shilling and three pence, for non-attendance on regular nights of meeting.

15. That any Shareholder absent at any of the Annual Meetings, be fined one shilling and three pence, unless a sufficient excuse be given to the Committee.

**Shareholders and Transfer of Shares.**

16. That any person wishing to become a Shareholder, shall leave his name with the Secretary, to be laid before the Committee at their next meeting, for approval.

17. That whenever a Shareholder shall be in arrears to the amount of his share, he shall forfeit his interests in the Library, provided the Librarian shall give him one month's notice thereof.

18. That if a Shareholder, wishing to sell out, procure a purchaser for his share, he shall inform the committee of such wish, and of the name of the proposed purchaser. The committee may object to purchasers until a suitable person offer, or they may purchase the share at a fair price, and dispose of it themselves, if they think such a course advisable.

**Books.**

19. That books of an immoral character, shall not be admitted into the Library, or if there by accident, shall be removed by the Committee, when reported to them.

20. That a nomination list be kept, on which Shareholders may place the names of books which they wish to have purchased; the list to be subject to the discretion of the Committee, and the books on it, if approved of, to get the precedence of other books.

21. That books on the list be chosen or rejected by the Committee, according to the order in which they stand.

**Funds of the Library.**

22. That the Treasurer shall not pay any money without a written order from the President.

23. That all monies received by the Treasurer, be appropriated to the purchase of books, except such sums as may be necessary for contingent expenses for a period of five years.

24. That these Rules may be amended, or added to, by the consent of two thirds of a General Meeting of Shareholders.

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