

Clause 4.—No Brother shall be re-instated, until he shall have paid any arrearages against him at the time of his suspension, and all dues that may have accrued since then.

Clause 5.—Notice of every suspension, expulsion, or re-instatement, shall forthwith be transmitted to every Subordinate Lodge within this Province.

Clause 6.—No Brother who has been legally expelled shall be again admitted to Membership, until after the same procedure as is prescribed by Clause 3 of this Section, and the obtaining of the consent of the Grand Lodge.

SECTION II.—TRIALS.

Clause 1.—No Member of this Lodge shall be put on trial, unless charges duly specifying his alleged offence shall first be submitted to the Lodge in writing, by one or more Brothers of the Order in good standing.

Clause 2.—Any charge or charges, so preferred, shall be referred to a Committee of five Members, of whom three shall be quorum, to be chosen by ballot; which Committee shall, with as little delay as the case will admit, summon the parties, and examine and determine the matter in question.

Clause 3.—Should the decision of the Committee not involve the suspension or expulsion of a Member, and should no appeal be made therefrom, it shall be final, without further action from the Lodge.

Clause 4.—Should the Committee be convinced of the necessity of suspending or expelling a Member, a motion to that effect shall be submitted to the Lodge by three of their number, in their name.

Clause 5.—Any motion for the suspension or expulsion of a Member shall be announced at the two regular meetings previous to that on which it is to be decided, which last meeting the Brother under charges shall be summoned to attend; and at the time so appointed, whether the implicated Brother be present or not, the Lodge may proceed to consider and determine the question.

Clause 6.—The Lodge shall have the power, at the meeting appointed for the decision, to vary the penalty to one less severe than that contained in the motion submitted by the Committee.