

ARTICLE XI.

PENALTIES.

1. Members absent from regular annual election shall be fined fifty cents unless a sufficient excuse is given either in person or in writing within thirty days after said election.

2. Should any member disregard the authority of the presiding officer by persisting in using improper language or conducting himself in a disorderly manner the presiding officer may fine such member, or the Society may inflict such punishment as the nature of the offence may require.

3. Any member who shall knowingly propose an unworthy candidate, or who shall be guilty of habitual drunkenness, or of wilfully deceiving a member of the Society, or who shall divulge (except to a member) any of the proceedings of the Society required of him to be kept private, or the name of any person who opposes the admission of a candidate, or who shall violate his obligation, shall be fined, reprimanded, suspended, or expelled as a two-third's majority of the members present at a special meeting of the Society held for that purpose may determine.

4. Any member accepting appointment on a committee and failing to attend to the duties of the same shall be fined fifty cents, unless sufficient excuse is given.

5. Any officer absenting himself for three consecutive regular meetings (except in case of sickness