

persons,) the Committee shall report to the Society, at their next quarterly meeting, the case of such individual or individuals, and point out to the Society the means of relief, as the Society will receive no application for its extraordinary interposition until the Committee shall have first reported thereon.

The Committee of Collection and Examination shall consist of four members, two of whom [the senior members] shall retire from office annually, and the majority of the Society shall elect two others in their place. This Committee shall apply to the Secretary, from time to time, for an account of all sums due from members who have been absent for any time from the Society, and shall proceed to collect the same from such absentees, and shall also urge such persons to attend the meetings of the Society more punctually in future, and shall render an account of their proceedings quarterly to the Society, with a report of the causes of such members' absence; which account and report, after it shall have passed the Society, shall be entered in the Secretary's book with the resolutions of the Society thereon; and the absent members shall be credited by the Secretary with the sums by them paid to such Committee.

This Committee shall also explain to the benevolent and well-disposed, the nature of the Society and the objects which it has in view, and shall solicit contributions from such persons to support the funds of the Society.

All monies which the Committee shall receive shall be immediately paid to the Treasurer. This Committee shall also carefully examine into the character and qualifications of every person who shall be proposed as a member of the Society, and shall certify and report thereon in the manner directed in the 3rd Section of these Constitutions.

On all public occasions the Officers of the Society are to wear a green Sash, with such motto thereon as the Society shall from time to time decide on: and the members of the Committees of Charity and Collection are to wear plain green Sashes.