

dollars, the sum of five dollars per week, as long as the Board of Trustees shall deem it expedient, but in no case longer than *twelve* weeks, unless by a two-third vote of the members of the Association who may be present at a regular or special meeting. When the funds of the Association amount to five hundred dollars, the weekly indemnity to be paid to the member shall be eight dollars per week, and subject to the same conditions as in this section are previously expressed. Provided always, that should any member of the Association, being a member of the Fire Department, meet with an *accident while not in the exercise of his duty* as a member of the Fire Department, as aforesaid, he shall be entitled to receive the sum of five dollars per week, as mentioned in this Section.

In all cases the member claiming benefits is to produce to the Trustees, if so required, a certificate of the Physician appointed by the Association stating the cause of accident or sickness, and the time when such accident occurred or sickness began, and in case of the neglect or refusal of said member to comply with this rule he shall not be entitled to receive any benefits without the order of the Association, on his appeal being brought before the Association at a regular or special meeting thereof, subject to the same rules as are hereinafter expressed.

In case the Trustees decide under the certificate of said Physician that the member is not entitled to benefits, the member on giving to the Trustees, or to one of them, one week's previous notice in writing of his intention of appealing to the Association, and of the time when