

CONSTITUTION.

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4. No brother, having been less than one month in membership, shall be eligible for Degrees; and not more than three Degrees shall be conferred on any brother at one and the same meeting.

SECTION III.—CLEARANCE.

1. Any brother desiring to withdraw from this Lodge may signify such desire, either personally or in open Lodge, or by letter addressed to the Secretary, and shall thereupon be entitled to his Card of Clearance, provided he be in good standing, and clear of the books.

2. Should any brother, receiving a Card of Clearance from this Lodge, apply within twelve months thereafter to be again admitted a member of this Lodge and be accepted, the Lodge may remit in his favor the Entrance Fee, or such proportion thereof as it may think fit.

ARTICLE III.—OFFICERS.

SECTION I.—ELECTIVE OFFICERS.

1. The elective officers of this Lodge shall be Noble Grand, Vice Grand, Secretary, P. Secretary and Treasurer; and the Lodge may also provide by its By-laws for the election of a Degree Master and a Physician.

2. Any brother to be nominated for the office of D. M. must be a P. G., having the three P. O. Degrees; for the office of N. G., a V. G., or P. V. G.; for the office of V. G., a Secretary, Past Secretary, or a brother who has completed, or is then serving, a second term in some inferior office or offices in this Lodge; and no brother shall be eligible to any of the other elective offices unless he shall have served at least two terms in some appointed office, and shall have attained the Scarlet Degree.

3. No officer except the P. S. Treasurer, or Physician, shall be proposed for re-election to the same office, if any other qualified brother be in nomination therefor, until two terms after passing through the chair in question.

4. Nominations for the elective offices shall be made only at the two meetings next preceding that fixed for the