

## LAWS AND REGULATIONS

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#### HALIFAX POOR MAN'S FRIEND SOCIETY.

I. This institution shall be designated, the Halifax Poor Man's Friend Society, a General Meeting of which shall be held *annually*, on the first Tuesday in December.

II. Twenty persons shall be annually chosen as a Committee, also a Treasurer and Secretary, from among the Members of this Society, to conduct its business, and 5 of its members shall constitute a quorum.

III. The Committee shall name four of its members as a Sub-Committee, which shall be under its control and report to it monthly or oftener if required.

IV. The Committee shall meet monthly—it shall be furnished with a Map of the Town to be divided into Wards, and shall appoint from time to time as many and such persons as visitors in those Wards, as it may judge expedient.

V. The acting visitors, donors of 20s. or subscribers of 12s. annually *paid in advance*, shall be considered the Members of the Society, and entitled to vote at the General Meeting.

VI. It shall be the duty of the visitors to ascertain what cases of distress exist in the several Wards to which they are appointed, to receive in their books the name of any person becoming a subscriber and report the same to the Sub-Committee.