

any two members of the Society, or shall pay a fine of five shillings, to be sued for by the Secretary-Treasurer. In default of payment of the fine, the delinquent shall suffer an imprisonment not exceeding three days.

XV. Society shall have power to make Rules and Regulations, to which occupants of houses and lots of ground shall be subject, and which Regulations shall extend to the interior and to the exterior of houses and other buildings. Proviso, that they shall not be contrary to Law, nor have force until examined and published as herein before mentioned, and that no fine shall exceed £5 currency.

XVI. It shall be the duty of each member of the Fire Society to insure the execution of the Regulations in his Ward, and every three months, or oftener, to visit, if he think proper, each house or other building in his Ward. To prosecute all delinquents. Every occupant of a house or other building, refusing admittance to any member of the Society, to incur a penalty of ten shillings: such visits may be made at any hour in the day between eight in the forenoon and six in the evening.

XVII. Any person having served as a member of the Fire Society once, shall not be liable to serve again during the seven years immediately following.

XVIII. The Secretary-Treasurer shall be exempt from Militia duty, (except in case of invasion,) and from serving as a Juror or Peace Officer.

XIX. All monies arising from the sweeping of chimnies in the said Cities, to go to and form part of the funds of the said Societies, and shall be paid over to the Secretary-Treasurer, and be employed pursuant to this Act.

XX. Every proprietor of a house of more than one story high, in the said Cities, shall annually pay two shillings; and every proprietor of a house of one story high, one shilling, in lieu of being obligated to keep in his house buckets of oil-cloth or leather, to be used at Fires.

XXI. The Societies may employ one or more persons to collect their monies, and allow them a reasonable salary for that purpose. The collectors to render a faithful account of the monies collected, and to give security to that effect, to the satisfaction of the President.

XXII. The monies arising from the chimney-sweeping shall be payable monthly on de-