

one member, and an additional member for every additional one thousand dollars of annual income in any way accruing for purposes of the Association.

- (c) The Canadian Medical Association shall appoint two members; and
- (d) Each Provincial Medical Association shall appoint one member.

4. The Board of Governors may appoint an Executive Council and may from time to time define its numbers and powers.

5. The objects of the Order are:—

- (a) To supply nurses, thoroughly trained in Hospital and District nursing, and subject to one Central Authority, for the nursing of the sick who are otherwise unable to obtain trained nursing in their own homes, both in town and country districts.
- (b) To bring Local Associations for supplying District nurses into association by affiliation with the Order which bears Her Majesty's Name, and to afford pecuniary or other assistance to such Local Associations;
- (c) To maintain, as a first necessity, a high standard of efficiency for all District nursing;
- (d) To assist in providing small Cottage Hospitals or Homes.

6. The Board of Governors may establish a Local Association of the Order at any place in Canada, and may from time to time prescribe the territorial limits within which the work of such Local Association shall in general be carried on.

7. Each Local Board of Management may appoint the officers and servants of the Association, define their duties and fix the amount of their compensation; and may from time to time make general rules and regulations for the management of the affairs of the Association; provided always that no rule or regulation defining the duty of any officer or servant of the Association, or making provision for the management of the affairs of the Association, shall be valid if it conflict with any rule, regulation or by-law enacted by the Board of Governors of the Order, or if the Board of Governors, by resolution, should disallow the same.

8. A copy of every by-law made by the Board of Governors for the government of the Order and the management of its affairs shall immediately after the same is made be sent to one of Our Principal Secretaries of State, and if We should think fit to disallow such by-law, the same shall become void and of no effect from and after the day when Our disallowance thereof shall be signified to the Board of Governors.