

shall be entitled to receive the same or to vote in respect of any shares, an affidavit containing a copy of the register of such marriage shall be made and sworn to by some credible person, before any one of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace or before the Mayor or Chief Magistrate of any city, borough or town corporate, in any foreign country, and shall be transmitted to the Secretary of the said Company, who shall file the same, and make an entry thereof in a book kept for the entry of the transfer of the shares as aforesaid, and before any person claiming by virtue of any bequest or will, or in the course of administration, shall be entitled to any part of such profits or to vote as aforesaid, the said will or the probate thereof, or the letters of administration shall be produced and shewn to the said Secretary, or a copy of so much of the said will as relates to the said shares shall be sworn to, and shall also be transmitted to the said Secretary, who shall file and enter the same as before mentioned, and in all cases where the right to any such shares passes from the proprietor by any legal means, other than a transfer and assignment thereof as aforesaid, an affidavit shall be made and sworn to, stating the manner in which such share has passed to such other person, and the same shall be transmitted to the Secretary, who shall thereupon enter and register the name of such new proprietor, and the production of such register shall be *prima facie* evidence in all courts of law and equity of the persons whose names shall appear therein being such shareholder, and of the number and amount of his share.

Yearly statement to be submitted.

XXVIII. And be it enacted; That the Directors shall cause to be yearly prepared and submitted to the stockholders at the ordinary meeting a full and correct statement of the accounts of the said Company; the receipts and expenditure of the past year; the number of the Policies issued; the amount