

and in the said instrument of security it shall be declared that the same is made in trust for the Society, and the President and Vice-President shall be parties to, and shall execute the same in the presence of two witnesses, and the said security shall be lodged with the Treasurer for the time being, and the mortgage, if any, to be duly recorded. Provided always, that said President and Vice-President, or either of them, their heirs, executors, or administrators, shall at all times subsequent (on being required by the Society at a general meeting so to do) execute an assignment or assignments of the said instrument, to their successors in office.

The charity of the Society shall be applied in the following manner, viz., the President, Vice-President, with the other officers of the Society, or the Committee of Charity, shall have the power to draw orders on the Treasurer for the time being, in favor of such poor or distressed persons as they shall judge fit objects of the Society's bounty, which orders the Treasurer shall immediately pay, *provided always*, that none but those who have the same qualifications in regard to country and parentage as is stated in the rule respecting admission of members, their widows and children, shall ever be entitled to any part of this charity. *Provided also*, that the sum so drawn for does not exceed \$20 to any one person, and when \$20 are drawn by order on the Treasurer, the said order must be signed by every member of said Committee of Charity; and, to prevent impositions on said Committee of Charity in future, all orders on the Treasurer shall be signed by at least three of said Committee of Charity, when under \$20.

As a stated provision is made for the resident poor by the municipal laws of the city, to which the members of this Society contribute their portion in their private capacity as citizens, the fund of charity shall be rather applied to the relief and assistance of persons who have met with sudden misfortune, or who suffer by occasional