

profession of such friend to the Committee at their weekly meeting, for their sanction; or he must obtain by request, the signatures of ten members of the Committee to his application as approving of it. The application thus signed must then be handed to the Secretary who will notify the person named therein that he has been admitted to the Club, for fourteen days, beyond which period the privilege shall in no case be extended; nor shall it be extended to more than one friend to each member at one time. Every member to whom this permission may be accorded will be held responsible for the eligibility of his nominee, as well as for his observance of all the rules of the Club. Captains and Ward Room Officers of the men-of-war visiting this port, and Officers of the Army on joining the Staff or Regiments stationed in this garrison, or on returning from general leave of absence, may be admitted by the committee under this rule, for fourteen days, or if they signify their wish to become privileged members and have been duly proposed and seconded, until they can be ballotted for; but any officer before taking advantage of this last proviso will be required to pay to the Treasurer his subscription in advance, which, however, will be returned to him in the event of the ballot proving adverse. The name of every honorary mem-