

supply a competent person to watch with and nurse the sick; and he shall report the exercise of such power to the lodge at the next regular meeting; whenever expenses are incurred in accordance with the provisions of this Section, a *pro rata* assessment shall be made upon all the members of this lodge.

SEC. 3. The Visiting Committee must perform their duties with promptness and precision, so that the sick may not suffer by their neglect. They must be watchful that the beneficial provisions of the order be not abused, that no members shall receive benefits who is not entitled thereto. They must use their judgment as to whether the sickness originated from immorality, drunkenness or lawlessness, wherein the sick brother was the aggressor. In doubtful cases they shall be authorized to consult the physician of the lodge, whose decision they shall report to the lodge.

SEC. 4. Members reporting a brother as sick, should be careful to ascertain that the brother so reported is actually disabled, and not suffering from some slight ailment of a temporary nature. They should also endeavor to ascertain the brother's correct address.

SEC. 5. If a member is sick, and employ other than the regular lodge physician, he shall submit to an examination by the lodge physician at such time or times as the lodge deem proper.

SEC. 6. Any member receiving sick benefits from this lodge, whose sickness or disability does not confine him to his residence, shall report each week to the C. C., and, at least, one other member of the Visiting Committee; and failing to do so, he shall be entitled to receive only one-half of the regular benefits for that week.

SEC. 7. The C. C., as Chairman of the Visiting Committee, shall report to the lodge, at each regular meeting, the condition of all sick brothers, and the amount of