

BYE-LAWS.**Subscriptions.**

Foundation Fellows shall pay an annual subscription of two guineas. Foundation Members shall pay an annual subscription of one guinea. After the "Period of Grace" such entrance fees, examination fees, and annual subscriptions, shall be paid by Fellows and Members of the College as the Bye-Laws shall from time to time define.

If any subscription is unpaid for three months after it becomes due, the Fellow or Member thus in arrear shall be notified by the Council that her subscription is overdue. If the subscription remains unpaid for six months after it becomes due the Council shall give notice to the Fellow or Member in arrear that her name will be removed from the College Roll, unless a satisfactory reason for the delay is given. Failing such explanation and payment, the name of the Fellow or Member shall, one month after such notice, be removed from the Roll of the College, and she shall be required to, and shall forthwith, return her Diploma to the Secretary of the College.

General Meetings.

A General Meeting of the Fellows and Members of the College shall be held in July of each year, and shall be summoned by notice given and published in the Journal of the College.

A Special General Meeting may at any time be summoned, either by the order of the President, or by a resolution passed by a majority of the Council, or upon a request in writing for such Special General Meeting, signed by at least fifty Fellows or Members of the College, then entitled to be present and vote at such meetings. Such request shall state the purpose for which the meeting is to be held, and the resolution or resolutions to be proposed thereat, and no other business shall be transacted except that so specified. Notice of every special General Meeting shall be given and published in the Journal of the College at least fourteen days before the date of the Meeting. No Resolution shall be proposed at any General Meeting unless the full text of the Resolution shall have been sent to the Secretary at least twenty-one days previous to the date of the Meeting by a registered letter, and shall have been inserted upon the Agenda of the said Meeting.

Meetings of the Council shall be held at such times and upon such notice, as may from time to time be arranged by the Council.

If any point of Order shall be raised at any Meeting, and the Chairman shall feel unable to rule upon it, reference shall be made to Sir Reginald Palgrave's "Chairman's Handbook," and any ruling therein laid down on the matter shall be given by the Chairman as her ruling thereon. If the Handbook does not give a ruling on the point of Order raised, the Chairman may reserve her ruling until a future Meeting, in order that she may take advice thereon, and the business of the Meeting shall proceed as if the point of Order had not been raised.

The President and Vice-Presidents shall be ex-officio Members of all Committees of the Council. The President, if present, shall take the Chair at all Meetings of the College and of the Council, or in her absence, one of the Vice-Presidents, or in their absence, a Member

of Council elected at the meeting shall take the Chair. In all divisions, the Chairman shall have a vote, and in the case of an equality of votes on any matter, the Chairman shall have a second or casting vote.

Standing Committees.

At the first meeting of the Council after the Annual Meeting in July, the Council shall elect from its number certain Members to form Standing Committees.

The Chairmen of the Standing Committees shall be elected by the Council at the same meeting, and they shall preside at meetings of such Committees.

The Standing Committees shall be as follows:—

(1) Finance and House Committee, of which the Treasurer shall be the permanent Chairman.

(2) Education and Examinations Committee.

(3) Political, Economic, and Legal Protection Committee.

(4) Social Schemes Committee.

(5) Public Health Committee.

The Council may, from time to time, appoint further temporary or permanent Committees of its Members, to consider and report upon or to deal with, any other matters which may come before the Council for decision, or which may in future be undertaken by the Council on behalf of the College.

Expenditure.

All new expenditure above the sum of ten pounds shall be recommended by the Finance Committee, and adopted by the Council at an Ordinary Meeting. If the expenditure be above one hundred pounds, it must also be sanctioned by the Trustees of the Endowment Fund before it is incurred.

Suspension or Removal from the Roll of the College.

If any charge of serious personal or professional misconduct be brought publicly against any Fellow or Member of the College, or be brought privately but officially before the Council of the College, it shall be considered first *in camera* by a Meeting of the Council. If it be then considered advisable to deal further with the matter, a Special Meeting of the Council shall be summoned to consider the matter; and if it appear likely to involve a Resolution for the censure, suspension or removal of the Fellow or Member in question from the Roll of the College, such Fellow or Member shall be permitted and requested by registered letter, from the Secretary, to appear in person, and also by proxy if she shall wish to do so, at the Special Meeting of the Council so called, and shall be permitted to give any explanation she desires before the decision of the Council is made on the matter in question, and before any Resolution for censure, suspension, or removal of her name from the Roll of the College shall be officially passed by the Council and carried into effect.

The Press shall be admitted to the hearing of the case, if the Fellow or Member concerned shall make a written request to the Secretary to that effect.

Council.

Any Officer or Member of the Council of the College, or any Officer of the College appointed by the Council, shall vacate her respective office *ipso facto*—

(1) If she become bankrupt, or be found lunatic or of unsound mind.

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