

or voting at elections &c.

2<sup>d</sup> Demand a strict account of all transactions of money received and expended, and that the books shall be open at suitable times to the inspection of members.

In short make the Society a real, practical, "live" American institution, and it cannot fail to be successful.

I have but to add that, despairing of getting these people to meet the views of our people I have been, for months past, trying to arrange with London parties to form an international company to do a part of the work I have long been trying to get the M. S. Society to undertake. In this I have succeeded, and am now in conjunction with Mr. Squary Esq. forming a company for the exclusive purpose of lending money on real estate. Our design is to have the Head Office in London with one Branch only in each State. The Branches may have Agencies in their respective States &c. This project will be an undoubted success. It will be expected, of course, that the M. S. Society, having so long refused to engage in this business, will not now interfere with the prosecution of it by Mr. Squary and myself. I am, dear Sir, faithfully yours

Wm. L. G. T. Jr.