mechanics union association.

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Table of Rates, No. 1.

Those drawing for the first week's Sickness, by paying

\$2 00	per year	draw	-	\$2	00	per week.	\$7.0	00 pe	er year	draw	-			per week.
	- 66	66	-	3	00	66	8 0	00	66	66	-	8	00	66
4 00	66	66	-	4	00	66	9 0	00	66	66	-	9	00	66
5 00	66	66	-	5	00	66	10 0	00	66	66	-	10	00	66
6 00	66	66	-	6	00	66								

Table of Rates, No. 2.

Those not drawing for the first week's Sickness, by paying

\$2	00	per year	draw.	-	\$3	00 per	week.	1	\$5	00 1	per year	draw	-	\$7	50 per	week.
	00	- 66	66	-	4	50	66		6	00	66	66	-	8	75	66
4	00	. 66	66	-	6	00	66		7	00	66	66	-	10	00	66

Those over fifty years of age will be charged twenty-five per cent. extra. \$1 50 admission fee will be charged, in addition to the above, the first year, and must be paid at the time of application, and the first year's deposit within thirty days.

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During the months of November and December, 1851, the Association paid to its sick and disabled members, \$9,662. This sum was dispensed in small amounts, to laboring men and women, and relieved an incalculable amount of want, and in many instances saved them from becoming objects of public charity. This fact, of itself, should commend the Association to the notice of municipal bodies throughout the country. After paying this large sum out of the receipts of the two months mentioned, \$3,473 was added to the surplus fund during the same two months—all of which is safely invested, with real estate or preferred stock security. No member of the Association, to obtain his benefits, has ever employed a lawyer, or appealed to a court of justice: his demands have been cheerfully and promptly met, when presented with the required evidence of their justness.

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