

3. Moreover, the connection that this subject has with the Ministry of our Church, as well as with our College and Academies at Mount Allison, necessarily invest the operations of the Educational Society with an interest which calls for practical sympathy and regard.

4. The Conference regrets that in the first year of the existence of this Society, as a distinct organization, it has not generally secured that recognition, at the hands of the friends of our Church, that its promoters anticipated, and whilst it is expected that the Ministers should faithfully observe the requirements of the Constitution of the Society, it is likewise hoped that our people will more largely and generally co-operate with them.

For Reports, &c., see Appendix B.

CONSTITUTION.

Art. I. The Society shall be known as the Education Society of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of Eastern British America.

II. The payment of an Annual Subscription of not less than three dollars shall constitute a member; and the sum of such annual subscriptions, together with the amount of the annual collections to be made throughout the Connexion, and the interest of the Permanent Fund, or Capital Stock, shall constitute the Current Income of the Society.

III. The payment of fifty dollars at any one time shall constitute a person a life member; and the sum of such payments, together with the amount of all bequests, and special donations of fifty or more dollars, shall be carefully invested from time to time, to constitute a permanent fund, to be regarded as the capital stock of the Society.

IV. The current income of the Society shall be appropriated annually in manner following, viz.:

One-third part to aid in the maintenance of the Mount Allison Wesleyan College, as an agency necessary for the suitable educational training of candidates for the Christian ministry; one-third part to secure Scholarships of the annual value of not more than seventy-five dollars each, for persons authorized by the Conference to attend the Institution, at Sackville, as Theological Students, who

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