

FUNDAMENTAL RULES.



SOCIETY AND PROPERTY.

I. This Society shall be composed of **NATIVES** of this Province, and be called the *Nova-Scotia Philanthropic Society*.

II. This Society shall have a *Copper Seal*, with a *Tree descending in Glory on joined hands*, and the *Motto* "LOVE AND FRIENDSHIP," engraven thereon, within a circle formed by the Society's name.

MEMBERS.

III. Persons desiring admittance into this Society, shall be proposed by Members at any General Meeting, before proceeding with any other business, and their Election decided on by two thirds of the Society, by Ballot, on the same Evening, at the conclusion of the other business, provided such persons are neither Apprentices, nor are under the age of Nineteen Years.

IV. No Person shall be Ballotted for as a Member of this Society, agreeable to the provisions of *Rule Third*, unless such Person is a Nova-Scotian by Birth, the said Society having been originally instituted by Nova-Scotians, as will appear by reference to its Title and Constitution.

V. Every Person thus elected a Member, at the time of his admission, shall subscribe to the Rules of the Society, and pay the sum of _____ to the