CONSTITUTION.

(AMENDED FEB. 10, 1885.)

SECTION I .- NAME.

This Society shall be known as the "Fruit Growers' Association and International Show Society of Nova Scotia."

SECTION II.—OBJECTS.

The objects of the Association shall be to encourage and stimulate an adequate oppreciation of the general adaptability of the climate and soils of the Province to the cultivation of fruits. To collect and disseminate reliable information on fruit and fruit culture, on picking, packing, and marketing fruit; on new varieties—native and foreign; on the diseases, insects, and other obstacles to success, and the remedies best calculated to overcome them. The Association will also exhibit fruit and horticultural products, either independently or in connection with Agricultural or Industrial Exhibitions, International, Horticultural, or Pomological Shows, as may be deemed advisable, and also send specimens of fruit to eminent Pomologists for identification and nomenclature.

SECTION III .-- PATRON.

The Lieutenant-Governor, for the time being, shall be invited to become the Patron of the Association.

SECTION IV .- OFFICERS.

The Officers of the Association shall be—a President, a Senior Vice-President and one Vice-President for each County of the Province, as far as shall be necessary and practicable, a Secretary-Treasurer, two Auditors and two Executive officers.

SECTION V.—MEETINGS.

The Association shall hold at least three regular meetings in each year. The Annual Meeting for the election and inauguration of officers, shall take place during the months of January or February.