

Extracts from Constitution

II.—OBJECTS.

The promotion of Military Art, Science, and Literature, and for social purposes.

III.—MEMBERSHIP

There shall be three classes of members:—

- (a) Ordinary,
- (b) Privileged, and
- (c) Honorary.

(1) Ordinary members may be either resident, or non-resident, and shall be confined to officers and ex-officers of H. M. Regular and Auxiliary Forces and of the Canadian Militia, and only such shall have the right to vote.

(2) A resident member is one whose residence or place of business is within 10 miles of the Toronto post-office.

(4) All officers of the Army and Auxiliary Forces and of the Canadian Militia shall be admissible as privileged members during a period not exceeding two weeks, on being introduced by a member; such privilege not to be repeated within six months.

IV.—SUBSCRIPTIONS.

The annual subscription of resident members shall be \$5.00; of non-resident members, \$2.50, payable in advance on the 1st January of each year.

VII.—ELECTION OF MEMBERS.

(1) All persons desirous of being admitted to the Institute as members must be proposed by a member and seconded by another, and his name posted in the rooms of the Institute for at least two weeks prior to election. The Committee of Management shall elect all members by ballot, five thereof to form a quorum for this purpose, and two black balls shall exclude.

(2) Honorary members must be recommended by the Committee, and their names shall be posted in the rooms for at least one month before a general meeting of the members. The election of Honorary members to be by general ballot of the members at any regular meeting of the Institute, at which twenty members are present, and all candidates must receive a two-thirds vote of those present.

It is confidently anticipated that the Institute, by furnishing information upon military subjects, in the form of Lectures, a Library, Reading Room, etc., and providing as well many of the conveniences of a Club, will be the means of materially increasing the efficiency of the Militia force of Canada.

The Committee looks for a liberal support from those who now are, or have been, connected as Officers with any of the military bodies of the Empire, and would ask for an early application for membership, which may be made to the Secretary, or any of the Committee.