

3. Mathematical, Chemical and Physical Sciences.

4. Geological and Biological Sciences.

The sections may meet separately for the reading and discussion of papers, and for business, at such times and places as may be fixed by the sections under the control of the Council.

5.—*Officers.*

The officers of the Society shall be a President and Vice-President, with an Honourary Secretary and a Treasurer, to be elected by the whole Society; besides a President, Vice-President and Secretary of each section, to be elected by the section. The elections shall be annual.

The officers so elected shall constitute the Council of the Society, together with all retired or retiring Presidents who will be members of the Council during three years from the date of their retirement.

6.—*Members.*

The Fellows shall be persons resident in the Dominion of Canada, or in Newfoundland, who have published original works or memoirs of merit, or have rendered eminent services to Literature or to Science.

The number of members in each Section shall be limited to twenty. Nominations to fill vacancies in any Section may be made at any time in writing by any three members of that Section, and the nomination papers shall be lodged with the Honourary Secretary, who shall make a record of them. When the vacancy occurs, the Honourary Secretary shall notify the members of the Section in which it has taken place, and transmit to each a printed list of the candidates nominated, together with the reasons in writing for such nomination, at least four months before the annual or any general meeting of the Society. Each member may then place a mark (+) opposite the name of the candidate for whom he votes and return the voting paper to the Honourary Secretary, who shall report to the Council at a meeting to be held at least two months before the annual meeting, the number of votes obtained by each candidate. Should any of these have obtained two-thirds of the votes of the whole Section, the Council shall so report to the Society. Should this result not be attained, then the Council may select one or more of the candidates obtaining the highest number of votes of the Section, and cause the members of the Society to be advised of the