

## PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF THE CONSTITUTION.

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ARTICLE I.—The Society shall be entitled "The Canada Foreign Missionary Society."

### OBJECT.

ARTICLE II.—The sole object is to spread the knowledge of Christ among heathen and other unenlightened nations or peoples.

### MEMBERSHIP.

ARTICLE III.—Persons favourable to the object of the Society, agreeing to its fundamental principle, and in any way aiding its operations, shall be members.

### FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLE.

ARTICLE VII.—As the union of Christians of various denominations, in carrying on this great work, is a most desirable object, so, to prevent, if possible, any cause for future dissension, it is declared to be a *fundamental principle* of the Canada Foreign Missionary Society, that its design is not to send any particular form of Church order and government, about which there may be a difference of opinion among serious persons, but the glorious Gospel of the blessed God to the heathen; and that it shall be left, as it ought to be left, to the minds of those persons, whom God may call from among them into the fellowship of his Son, to assume for themselves such forms of evangelical Church government as to them may appear most agreeable to the Word of God.

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The Business Meeting of 24th May, 1865, was called by the following notice:—

NOTICE.—The Annual Business Meeting of the Canada Foreign Missionary Society will be held in the Lecture Room of Zion Church on Wednesday evening, the 24th inst., at half past eight o'clock.

The friends of the Society and of the Labrador Mission are respectfully invited to attend.

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