

PREAMBLE.

AS every institution calculated for the charitable relief and assistance of our fellow-creatures in distress is commendable, and as people falling into want and misfortune in any part of the world remote from the place of their nativity are naturally ready to apply for aid to those originally from the same country, the natives of Scotland and their descendants in the City of Saint John have agreed to form themselves into a Society, the principal design of which is to keep in readiness a sum of money for the above laudable purpose; and the more effectually to carry this design into execution they have established the following Rules for their regulation and government.

SAINT JOHN, N. B.,
8th March, 1798.