

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I.

This Society shall be called "THE MONTREAL YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION AND CITY MISSION."

ARTICLE II.

Its objects shall be, the *religious* and *mental* improvement of its Members, especially in connection with the study of the Scriptures; the union of young men of various Churches in this and other plans of usefulness; and the providing of means by which young men, coming as strangers into the city, may be brought under the religious influences among their own class.

ARTICLE III.

This Association adopts, as the basis of all its proceedings those fundamental principles of Evangelical Christianity on which all Orthodox Protestant Churches are agreed, and will never admit any intermeddling with those matters of Faith and Polity on which such Churches differ.

ARTICLE IV.

Any young man, who is a member in good standing of an Evangelical Church in this city, may become an *Active Member*. *Active Members* only have the right to vote, and be eligible to office; and it shall be their particular duty to carry out the object of this Association. Any young man, of good moral character, may become an *Associate Member*; and shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Association, except that of voting and being eligible to office. Any *Associate Member*, who shall unite with an Evangelical Church, becomes thereby an active member of this Association, due notice thereof being given to the Secretary. Members may be proposed and elected at any meeting of the Association or of the Committee. All elections shall be by ballot. Any person, who is a Member in good standing of an Evangelical Church in this City may become a *Life-Member* of this Association on the payment of \$25 to the general funds of the Association at any one time. Any person who is a member in good standing of an Evangelical Church in this City may become a *Life-Director* of this Association on the payment of \$100 to the general funds of the Association at any one time. Persons may become *Honorary Members*. The Association shall have power to expel Members.

It shall at any time be competent for the Association to engage a person as Assistant to the Secretary, who shall fulfil the duties of Missionary to young men.

ARTICLE V.

The annual subscription to this Association shall be One Dollar per annum, to be paid on being received into membership, and during the month of November in each subsequent year.