

No. III.

## CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

OF THE

### CANADA BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY,

INCORPORATED BY THE STATUTE OF CANADA,

8 Victoria, Chapter 46,

*For promoting the following objects :—*

First.—The establishment and support of a College for the education of pious young men for the Christian Ministry, and for General Education.

Secondly.—The support of Ministers of the Baptist denomination and others, whilst engaged in preaching the gospel or communicating religious instruction in Canada, under the direction of the Society.

#### I. *Qualification for Membership.*

Every subscriber of ten shillings annually, donors of five pounds, and ministers making annual collections on behalf of the Society, in their respective congregations, shall be considered members thereof, and be entitled to vote at all the meetings of the Society.

#### II. *Government.*

1. The affairs of the Society shall be under the control and direction of a Committee of Management, of not less than ten persons, Members of the Society, (including a Treasurer and Secretaries,) with power to add to their number; five of them shall constitute a quorum, and all shall remain in office until others are appointed.

2. The Committee of Management shall be authorised to constitute a Corresponding Committee, consisting of such members of the Society as they shall select, resident in different parts of the Province, who shall be requested to promote the interests of the Society by obtaining pecuniary aid, co-operating with agents, and otherwise, in their respective districts; the members of the Corresponding Committee being eligible to attend and vote at all meetings of the Committee of Management.

3. The Officers of the Society shall be—  
A Treasurer,  
Two Corresponding Secretaries,  
A Recording Secretary.