## Constitution

## ARTICLE I.

This Association shall be called THE CANA-DIAN ASSOCIATION OF AMATEUR OARSMEN.

## ARTICLE II.

The object of this Association shall be the advancement and improvement of rowing among Amateurs.

## ARTICLE III.

It shall consist of Clubs which adopt the definition of an Amateur, viz., to be "one who has not entered into an open competition; or for either a stake, public or admission money, or entrance fee; or competed with or against a professional for any prize since January 1st, 1876; who has never taught, pursued or assisted in the pursuit of athletic exercises as a means of livelihood\*; whose membership of any rowing or other athletic Club was not brought about, or does not continue, because of any mutual agreement or understanding, expressed or implied, whereby his becoming or continuing a member of such Club would be of any pecuniary benefit to him whatever, direct or indirect, who has never been

<sup>\*</sup>Note.—This clause is intended especially to prevent any so-called Amateur Oarsmen being surreptitiously compensated for rowing, as for instance, by being furnished lucrative employemnt in sinecure positions,