

as a medium of communication and a means of prosecuting any work of common interest.

ARTICLE III.—MEMBERS.

Sec. 1. Any Society of Women, the nature of whose work is satisfactory to the Executive Committee of a Local Council, may become members of said Local Council by its own vote:

SEC. II. The women of any organization composed of both men and women may associate themselves by their own vote and join said Local Councils.

ARTICLE IV.—OFFICERS

The Officers of a Local Council shall consist of a President, Vice Presidents at large, ex-officio Vice-Presidents (Presidents of all Societies federating in a local Council), a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary and a Treasurer.

These officers shall comprise the Executive Committee, whose business it shall be to control and provide for the general interests of the Council. Five members shall constitute a quorum of this Committee.

ARTICLE V.—MEETINGS.

Sec. 1. A Local Council shall hold Annual Meetings for the election of officers and other business.

Sec. 2. The Committee of Arrangements shall consist of the Executive Committee together with one Delegate from each Society belonging to the Council.

Sec. 3. At the Annual Meeting each Society belonging to the Council shall have three votes (exclusive of that cast by the President).

Sec. 4. All other members of any Society belonging to the Council may have the privilege of participating in all discussions that may arise at the Annual Meeting, but may not vote.

Sec. 5. Other meetings of a Local Council may be held from time to time as may best promote the interests of said Council.

Sec. 6. All new business to be brought before the Annual Meeting of a Local Council must first be submitted to the Executive Committee as notice of motion.

ARTICLE VI.—FEES.

Each Society federating in a Local Council shall pay an annual fee of \$ towards the expense fund of the said Council.

ARTICLE VII.—PATRONS.

Sec. 1. Any person whose name is acceptable to the Executive Committee may become a Patron of a Local Council upon the payment of \$5.00 annually, or \$50.00 at one time.

Sec. 3.—The names of Patrons shall be placed after those of the Executive Committee on all printed documents.

Sec. 3.—Any person whose name is acceptable to the Executive Committee, and who is not connected with any affiliated Society, may become a Member of the Local Council on payment of \$1 annually, and may take part in the proceedings and discussions of the public meetings of the Council, but is not entitled to a vote. Such members shall receive free all literature published by the Council.

ARTICLE VIII.—AMENDMENTS.

This constitution may be altered or amended by a two-third vote of a Local Council at any annual meeting, provided that such alteration be in harmony with the constitution of the National Council, notice of the proposed change having been sent to the Executive of the National Council two months, and to each Society belonging to the Council at least on month prior to such meeting.