

ARTICLE X.

The Corresponding Secretary shall write all letters in the name of the Society and conduct its correspondence; shall keep copies of the same in a book to be provided for the purpose, which shall be open to the inspection of the members at any regular meeting; shall report to the Board of Direction the receipt of all donations of scions, seeds, plants, books, or specimens, which shall be distributed in such manner as shall be deemed best (the recipient, from time to time, making report of their success). In the absence of the Secretary-Treasurer the Corresponding Secretary shall perform his duties; and, in the absence of both Secretaries, the President shall appoint a Secretary *pro tempore*.

ARTICLE XI.

There shall be an Annual Exhibition of Fruits, Plants, Flowers, Vegetables, Horticultural Designs, &c., on such day or days (in the month of September), and subject to such rules and regulations as the Board of Direction may approve. There shall also be Exhibitions at such other times and seasons as may be by them deemed expedient. All Exhibitions shall be held in Montreal.

ARTICLE XII.

Any person residing in the Province of Quebec may become a member of this Society upon paying an annual fee of two dollars, which shall entitle him to the privilege of competing for prizes at all Exhibitions of the Society, and shall be eligible to any office or appointment of the Society.

ARTICLE XIII.

All persons residing outside of the limits of the Island of Montreal, but in the Province of Quebec, shall, upon the payment of one dollar annually, be entitled to the privileges of membership, so far as admission to the Exhibition, competition for prizes, together with copies of reports that may be published during the year by the Society.

SECTION 2.—Any person residing outside the limits of the Province of Quebec shall, upon the payment of one dollar annually, be entitled to the privileges of membership, so far as admission to Exhibition, together with copies of reports that may be published during the year by the Society. Such persons shall not, by this act, be entitled to any of the elective or controlling privileges of the Association.

ARTICLE XIV.

The financial year shall end on the 30th November, and no one shall be entitled to vote at the annual meeting who has not been a member the preceding year, and has paid his subscription for the current year.

ARTICLE XV.

Any person residing within the Province of Quebec, on payment of twenty dollars, will be entitled to a life membership which will entitle him to all the privileges of the Society.

ARTICLE XVI.

All funds derived from life membership fees shall be permanently invested for the benefit of the Society, and the interest alone shall be used for the current expenses.