

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS.

(AMENDED JANUARY 12TH, 1876.

SECTION I.—NAME.

This Society shall be known as the "FRUIT GROWERS' ASSOCIATION AND INTERNATIONAL SHOW SOCIETY OF NOVA SCOTIA."

SECTION II.—PATRON.

The Lieutenant-Governor, for the time being, shall be invited to become the Patron of the Association.

SECTION III.—OFFICERS.

The officers shall consist of President, one Vice-President, from each county represented in the Association, Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, two Auditors, and a Council of twelve or more members, chosen from different counties, to be elected by ballot at the annual meeting. The President, Vice-Presidents, Secretaries, and Auditors, shall be *ex officio* members of Council.

SECTION IV.—PRESIDENT.

The President shall preside at all meetings of the Association; he shall have power to call special meetings when he shall deem it necessary, and he shall do so at any time upon requisition in writing of three members of the Council; he shall sign all orders for the payment of money; he shall name all committees not otherwise provided for; he shall have a casting vote when the votes of those present are equally divided, and shall perform such other duties as usually appertain to the office of President.