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#### CONSTITUTION.

1. THE SOCIETY shall be called the "SACKVILLE CRICKET CLUB LITERARY SOCIETY."

2. The object of the Society shall be Mutual Improvement, which object shall be promoted by the reading of Essays, by Debates, or otherwise, as shall from time to time be determined by the Society.

3. The Members of the Society shall be gentlemen connected with the Sackville Cricket Club, and such others as the Society shall agree to admit.

4. There shall be Eight Office-Bearers: President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, and Five Directors.

5. An Annual Business Meeting of the Society shall be held on the last Tuesday of September, when Office-Bearers for the ensuing year shall be chosen; and any alterations of, or additions to, the Constitution or Bye-Laws made: two weeks' previous notice, in writing, of such alterations or additions, having been given to the Secretary.

6. Each Member shall contribute (2/6) Two Shillings and Sixpence annually, or such other sum as may be agreed on, to defray the expenses of the Society; and the surplus, if any, shall be applied as the Society shall determine at its Annual Business Meeting.

### BYE-LAWS,

1. The President, or, in his absence, the Vice-President, shall preside at the Meetings of the Society. The Secretary shall take minutes of the proceedings, prepare the Reports, and conduct the ordinary correspondence; and, in his official capacity as Treasurer, collect and keep a correct account of the Subscriptions, and make the necessary disbursements.

2. Five Members shall constitute a quorum for ordinary business.

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and Nine for the election of Office-Bearers. All questions shall be decided by a majority of the respective quorums. The Chairman shall have a deliberative vote, and, in case of an equal division, a casting vote.

3. Gentlemen desirous of becoming Members shall be proposed and seconded a week previous to their being admitted.

4. The Society shall meet in the Religious Institution Rooms every Tuesday Evening, at Eight o'Clock, for Five Months, commencing the First Tuesday of November.

5. No Member shall be allowed to speak twice on the same subject, until the other Members have had an opportunity of expressing their opinions.

6. The Essay or Debate shall follow the approval of the minutes, and take precedence of all other business.

7. The Constitution and Bye-Laws shall be subscribed by all Members of the Society.

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2. Each Member to hand the Magazine to the next Reader on the list which is attached to each Number.