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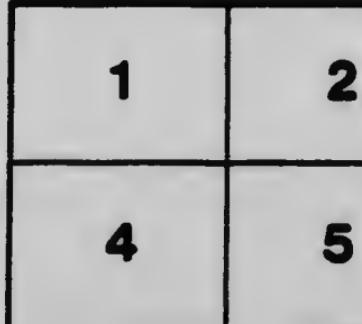
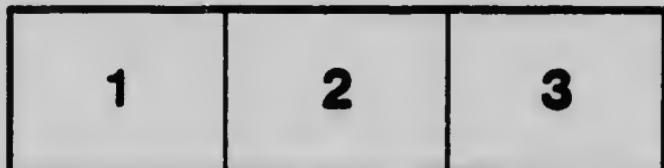
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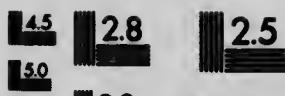
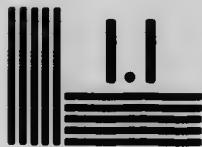
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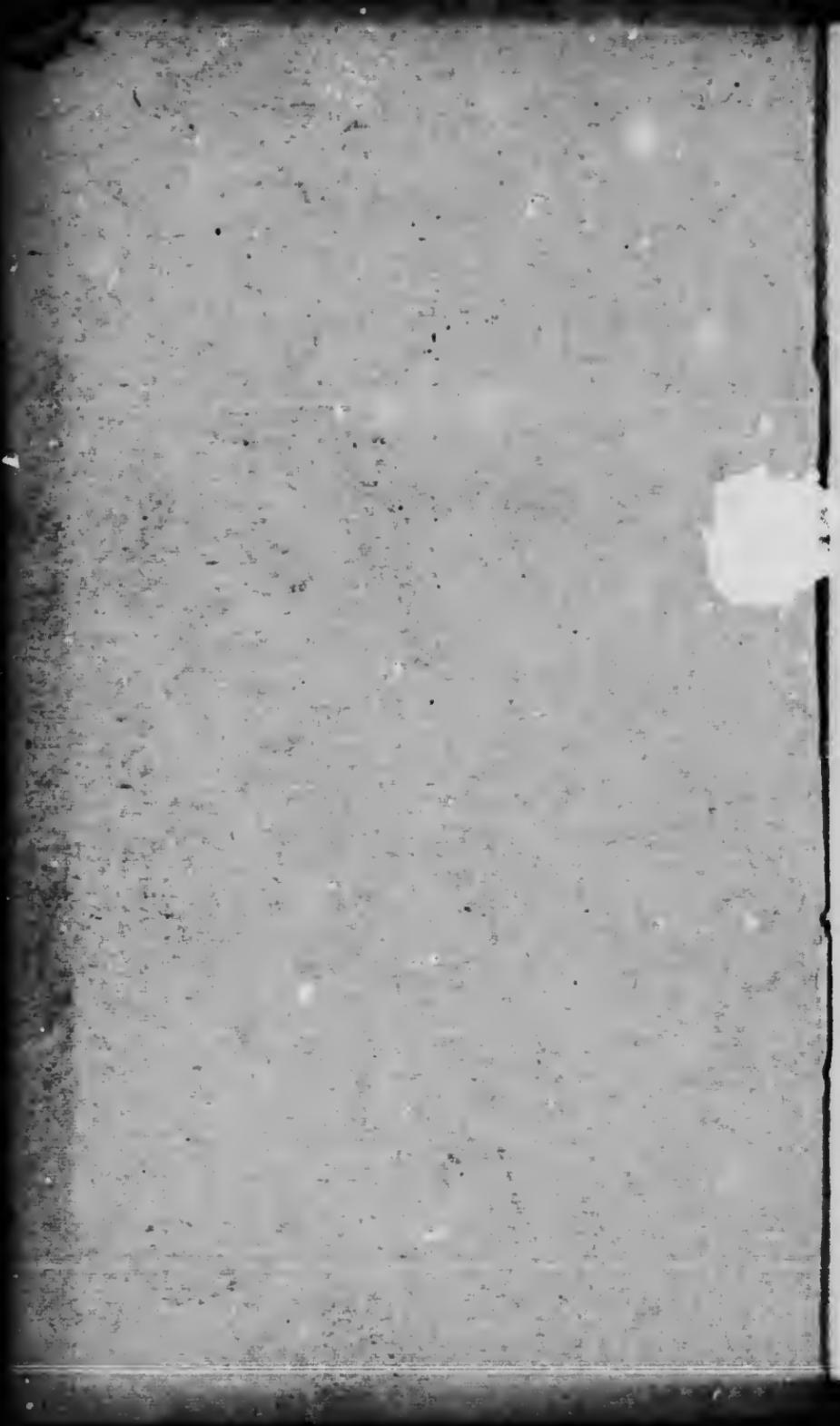
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# BY-LAWS

## CLAUSE 1

### *Name*

Citizens' League of West Fort  
William.

## CLAUSE 2

### *Object*

For the advancement of Fort  
William ~~district and Ward IV.~~  
Also to look after the social interests of its membership.

## CLAUSE 3

### *Meetings*

Monthly, First Monday of each month, emergent meetings at call of the President.

## CLAUSE 4

### *Officers*

Sec. 1. Officers shall consist of :

President.

Vice-President.  
Secretary.  
Treasurer.  
Executive, ~~and~~ including  
officers.

**Sec. 2. Committees shall comprise:**

Membership.  
Civic.  
Transportation.  
Industrial.  
Workmen's  
Housing.  
Entertainment.  
Agriculture.

**Sec. 3. Election of Officers :**

Shall be held annually, First  
Monday in February.

**Sec. 4. Duties of Officers :**

President shall preside at all  
general meetings and attend all  
committee meetings, ex officio.  
Countersign all cheques.

Vice President, shall preside in absence of President.

**Sec. 5.      Secretary..**

Keep accurate record of all meetings, receive all monies and pay them to the treasurer and obtain receipt from Treasurer for same, and do all other work pertaining to office of Secretary.

**Treasurer: -** Keep an account of all monies received and issue cheques in payment of all accounts passed by order of General meeting.

**Sec. 6.      Executive.**

Pass on all accounts, deal with all matters needing immediate attention, draft and submit any matters of importance for General meeting.

**Sec. 7.      Committees.**

**Membership :—** To endeavor at

all times to increase the membership.

**Civic:**—To deal with all matters pertaining to Civic advancement and report to Executive.

**Transportation:**—To deal with all matters pertaining to Freight rates, express and cartage charges and general transportation.

**Industrial:**—~~To co-operate with present industries and endeavor to locate new ones.~~

**Workmen's:**—To promote harmony between Labor and Capital.

**Housing:**—To keep a keen lookout on housing requirements, location, condition and enforcement of building by-laws.

**Entertainment:**—To deal with all matters pertaining to property of the League, accommodation for

all meetings and social functions.

Agricultural:— To encourage production, and promote harmony between agriculturists and citizens.

### **CLAUSE 5**

~~\$2.50 per year payable at time of becoming member. All memberships cease January 31st, previous to Annual Meeting.~~

### **CLAUSE 6**

~~Withdrawal of Members  
No fees refunded upon withdrawal from League.~~

### **CLAUSE 7**

~~Disposal of Funds  
All monies to be deposited in chartered bank, and if League becomes defunct for period of six months, all funds on hand to be paid over to Children's Shelter.~~

## **CLAUSE 8**

*Business conducted on following rules :*

1. Reading and confirming minutes of previous meeting.
2. Reading of correspondence.
3. Receiving petitions and reports of committees.
4. General Business.  
~~(a) No motion received unless in writing.~~  
~~(b) All motions to be decided on a majority vote. In case of tie, President to have casting vote.~~  
~~(c) No member shall speak more than once on motion unless in explanation or by permission of the chair.~~  
~~(d) In the case of an amendment the amendment must first be submitted to meeting, if a majority decided by a standing vote, motion shall be declared lost.~~

(e) Any supporter of a motion can move the ~~rescinding~~ of same.

### **CLAUSE 9**

#### *Rules of Order*

(a) Every member desirous of speaking, shall stand and address himself to the President.

(b) When two or more arise the President shall decide who shall speak first.

(c) Abusive remarks or improper language shall not be used.

(d) If the President indicates a desire to speak while a member is on the floor, the member shall sit down while the President shall make himself heard.

### **CLAUSE 10**

#### *Place and Hour of Meeting.*

## **CLAUSE 11**

### *Quorum*

Seven members shall constitute a quorum.

## **CLAUSE 12**

### *Vacancy in Office*

Will be elected at first regular meeting after vacancy occurs.

## **CLAUSE 13**

### *Eligibility for Office*

Any member of the League in good standing is eligible for office, who shall be elected by the majority vote, in case of further ballot the lowest man drops out. X Any property owner or resident of Ward IV. may become a member.

## **CLAUSE 14**

### *Amending By-Laws*

These By-Laws can only be amended by a notice of motion read at two regular meetings and sanctioned by a majority vote.



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