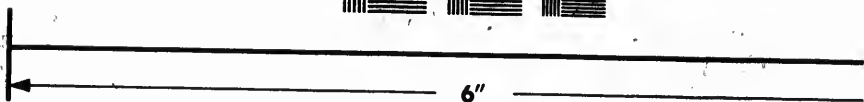
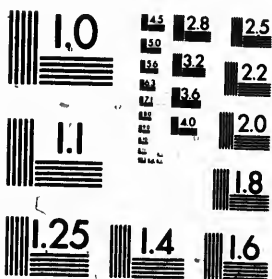


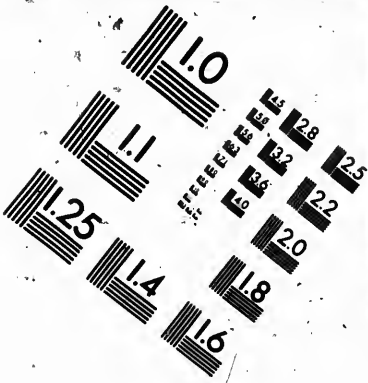
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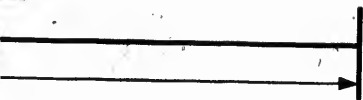
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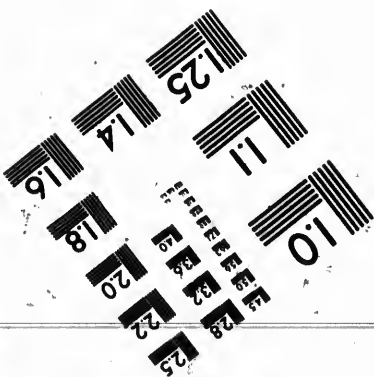


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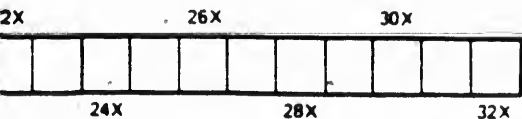
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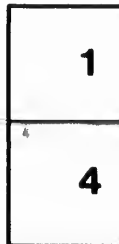
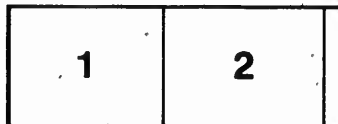
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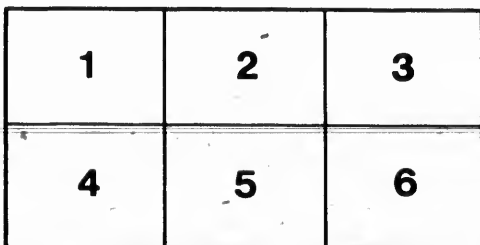
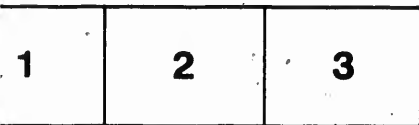
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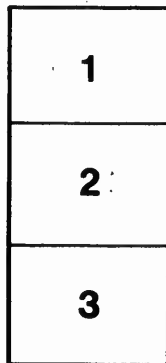
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**BY-LAWS  
RULES AND REGULATIONS**

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**ASSOCIATION**

OF

**THE CITY OF HAMILTON**

**FOR THE YEAR 1878.**

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# BY-LAWS.

## ORGANIZATION.

SEC. 1.—“The Liberal-Conservative Association” for the City of Hamilton shall consist of all persons favorable to the Liberal-Conservative party, who express their willingness to become members by signing the roll.

SEC. 2.—The basis of organization of the Association shall be as follows:—

The electors of each Polling-Division, acting in unison with this Association, shall elect a Committee of not less than five persons, and the Committee so elected shall elect a Chairman and Secretary.

The several Polling-Division Committees in each Ward of the City, shall, at a meeting called by the Secretary of the Association for that purpose, elect one Vice-President of the Association.

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The Chairmen of the several Polling-Divisions, the Vice-President of each Ward, together with the Executive Committee of members already chosen, shall form the *Central Committee*.

The following members of "THE YOUNG MEN'S LIBERAL-CONSERVATIVE ASSOCIATION" shall be *ex-officio* members of the Central Committee, and, as such, have the right to vote on all questions coming before the Committee, namely: the President, the Vice-Presidents, the Chairman of the Ward Committees, and the Secretary.

### OFFICERS

SEC. 3.—The Central Committee shall, at its first meeting in each year, or so soon thereafter as may be decided upon at any regular meeting, elect the following officers, viz.: President, 1st Vice-President, Treasurer, and Secretary.

They shall also elect the following Standing Committees, each committee to consist of not less than five members, viz.: a Finance Committee, and a Committee on General Organization and Management.

SEC. 4.—Select Committees may be appointed by the President or Presiding Officer, whenever required for any special business.

SEC. 5.—The officers shall be chosen by ballot in all cases where more than one candidate is in nomination for the same office.

### MEETINGS.

SEC. 6.—The regular meetings of the Central Committee shall be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ in each month, but other meetings may be held at any time on the call of the President or Vice-President of the Association.

SEC. 7.—Stated meetings of the committees in each *Ward* shall be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ in each month, but other meetings may be held by adjournment, or on call of the Vice-President of the Ward.

### ORDER OF BUSINESS.

#### CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

SEC. 8.—\_\_\_\_\_ members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

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the President, or in his absence the 1st Vice-President, or in the absence of both of the said officers, then a Vice-President of one of the Wards shall call the Committee to order, and business shall be proceeded with as follows: (1) Calling the Roll of Members, (2) Minutes of the previous Meeting, (3) Communications, (4) Report of Committees, (5) Resolutions, (6) Unfinished Business.

SEC. 10.—No person, unless a member of the Committee, shall be present at any of its meetings, without the consent of a majority of the members present.

#### GENERALLY.

SEC. 11.—The Finance Committee shall have control of all expenditure of the Association, and shall examine and certify as to the correctness of all accounts presented for payment, and no account shall be paid by the Treasurer until after the same shall have been audited and allowed.

SEC. 12.—No indebtedness on behalf of the *Association* shall be incurred, except on the written order of the Chairman of the Finance Committee, or the President or Secretary of the Central Committee.

SEC. 13.—The Polling-Division Committees shall have power to make all calls and attend to all business within their several Polling-Divisions not provided for by the Central Committee.

SEC. 14.—The Committee of any Polling-Division may, in its discretion, at any time, add to its numbers by electing new members.

SEC. 15.—If any member of the Executive Committee shall decline to act, (and his omitting to attend any three successive regular meetings of the Central Committee shall be taken as a refusal to act) the Central Committee may declare his seat vacant, and elect a person to fill the vacancy.

SEC. 16.—The *Candidates* of the *Party* shall be selected by the Central Committee, together with the Secretary and Delegate from each Polling-Division. The delegates to be elected so soon as directed by the Central Committee, at meetings to be called for that purpose, in each Polling-Division.

SEC. 17.—These By-Laws shall not be changed or rescinded, unless notice of a motion to that effect is given at a regular

meeting, and the amendment proposed is adopted at a future meeting by the votes of a majority of the whole number of the members of the Committee.

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TREASURER:

JAMES WALKER.

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JAMES, WALKER.

JOHN BARRY.

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CHAIRMEN  
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1. JAMES WYLLIE ..... James Street N.
2. J. H. WILLSON ..... 115 King St. E.
3. MATTHEW FOSTER ..... 111 Walnut St.

WARD NO. 2.

4. ALEX. TURNER ..... Hughson St.
5. W. McDONALD ..... 43 Jackson St. E.
6. J. E. O'REILLY ..... 10 King St. West.
7. WM. PELL ..... 16 James St.

WARD NO. 3.

8. E. VANALLEN ..... 5 Bay St. S.
9. E. WILDE ..... 16 Merrick St.
10. J. W. BLASDELL, Cor. Locke & Robinson Sts.

WARD NO. 4.

11. JAMES STEVENSON ..... 241 York St.
12. WM. HORNBY ..... 155 Locke St. N.
13. WM. AMOR ..... 9 Queen St.
14. F. EGENER ..... Cor. Bay and Stuart Sts.

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18. R. B. CRONIN ..... 327 James St. N.
19. CHAS. LEE ..... 373 Hughson St. N.
20. STEPHEN CLEARY ..... 284 James St. N.

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21. JOHN MUIR ..... 38 King St. E.
22. JOHN BARR ..... 4 1/2 James St. S.
23. WM. BURROWS, Cor. John and Cannon Sts.
24. P. HARTE ..... 174 John St. N.
25. JOHN DILLON ..... 261 John St. N.

WARD NO. 7.

26. G. C. HOLDEN ..... 11 Victoria Avenue N.
27. R. L. ASHBAUGH ..... 10 King St. W.
28. J. RONAN ..... 158 Cannon St. E.
29. J. Y. BURKHOLDER, Cor. Vine & James Sts.

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