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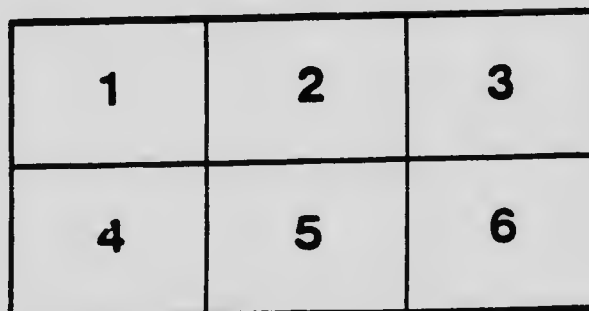
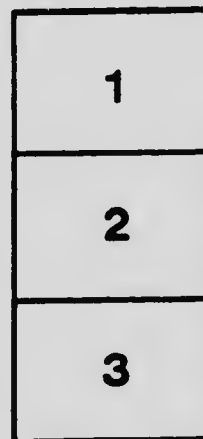
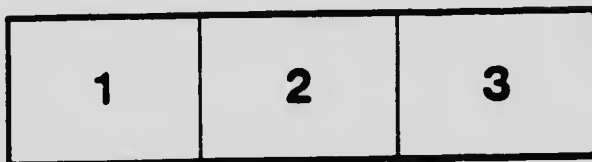
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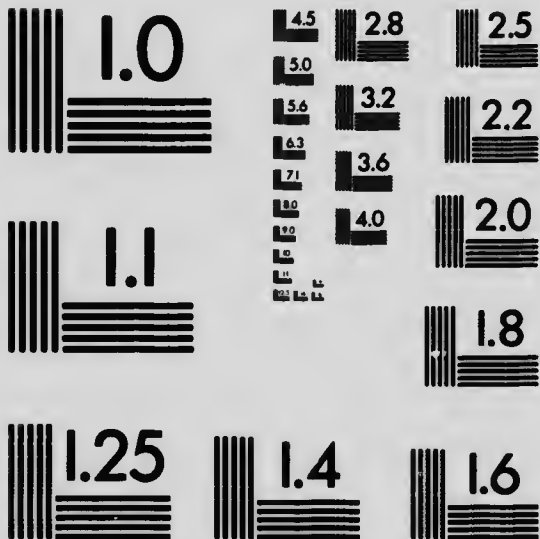
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Amateur Oarsmen.



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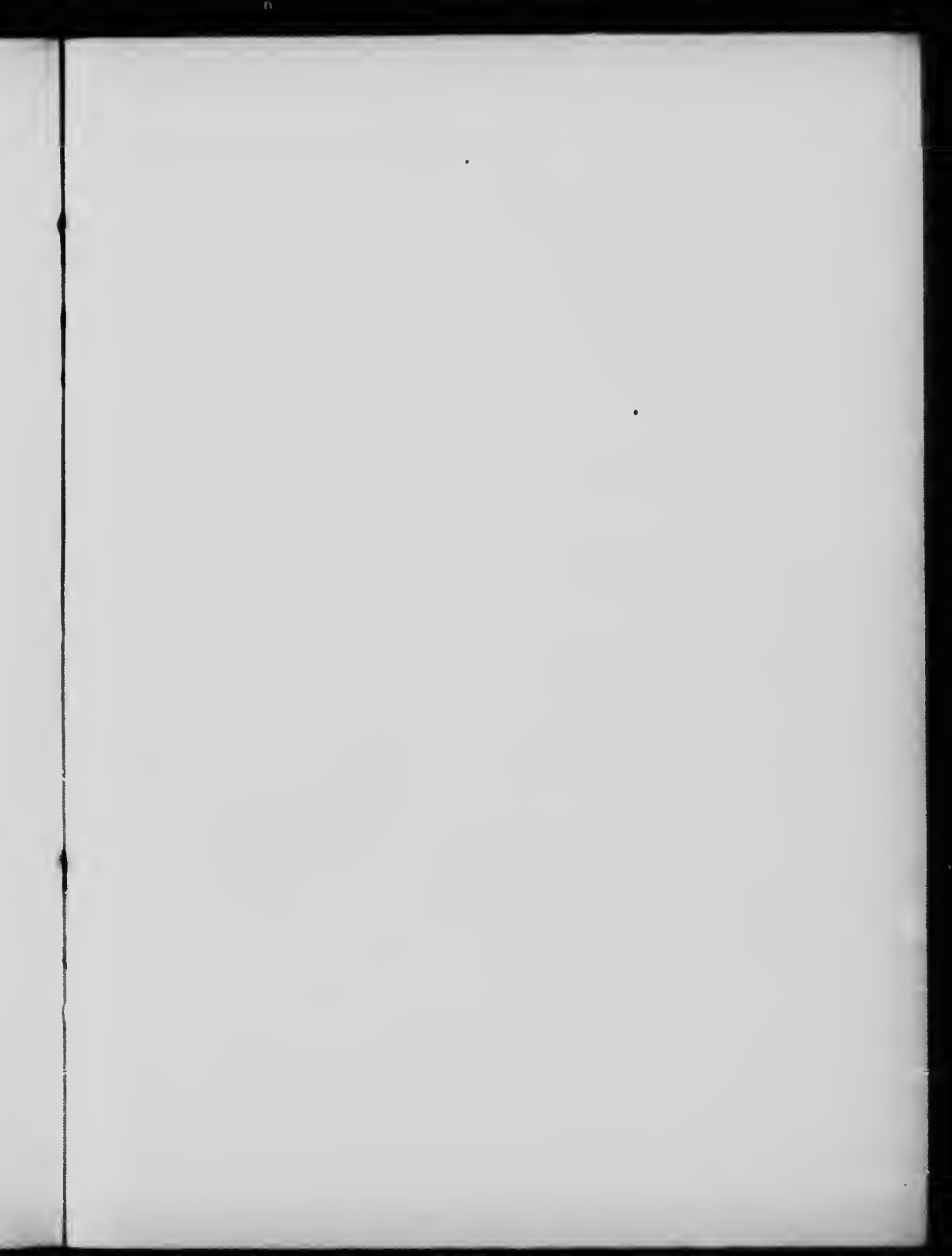
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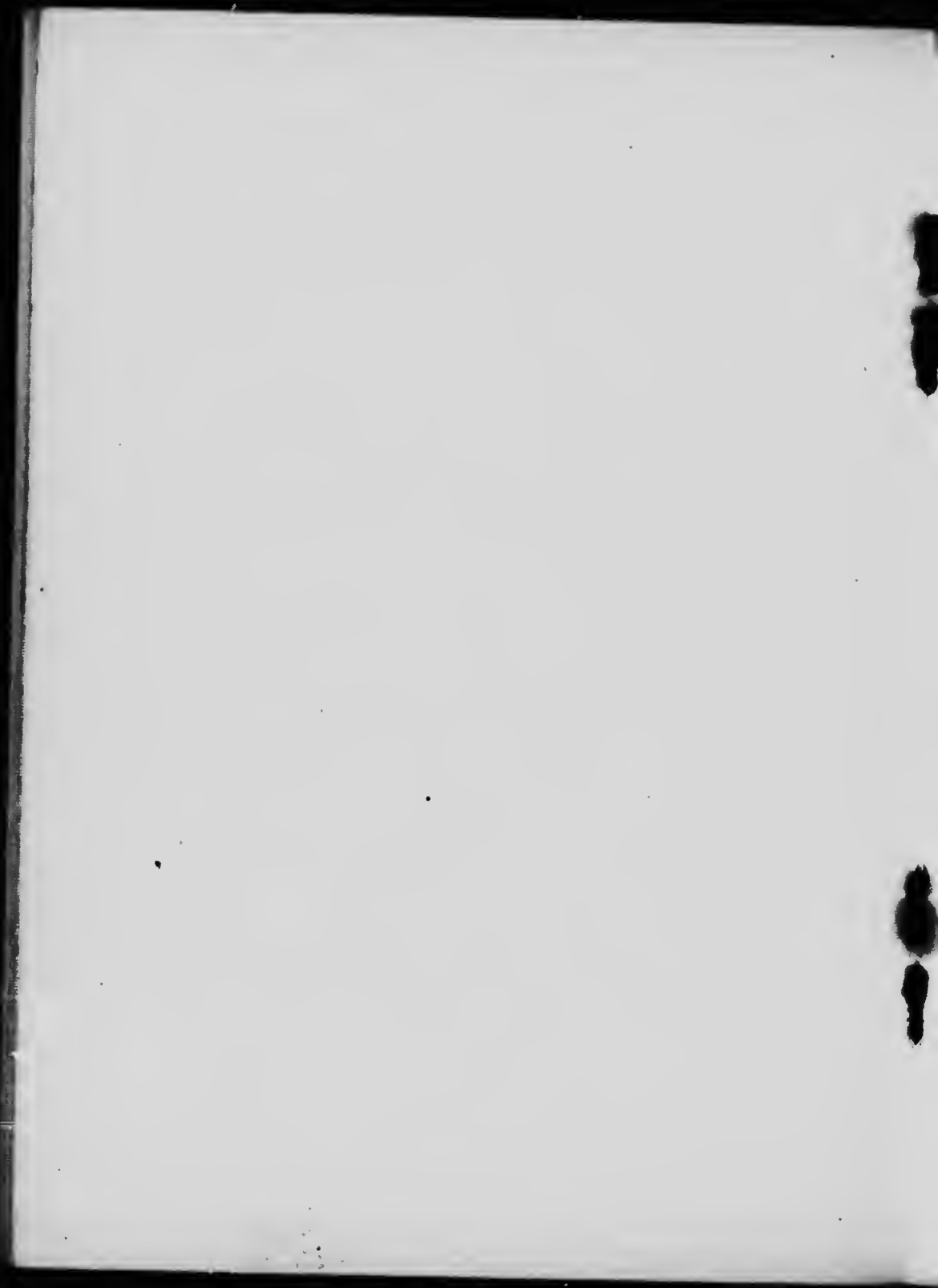
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NORTH PACIFIC ASSOCIATION

of

AMATEUR OARSMEN

**CONSTITUTION
BY-LAWS AND RULES**

1903

MEMBERS

PORTLAND ROWING CLUB

Portland, Ore.

JAMES BAY ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Victoria, B. C.

VANCOUVER ROWING CLUB

Vancouver, B. C.

NELSON BOAT CLUB

Nelson, B. C.

CONSTITUTION.

Revised 1903.

ARTICLE I.

NAME.

The name of this Association shall be "North Pacific Association of Amateur Oarsmen."

ARTICLE II.

OBJECT.

The object of this Association shall be the advancement and improvement of rowing among amateurs, and is now composed of the Portland Rowing Club, the Vancouver Rowing Club, the James Bay Athletic Association, Nelson Boat Club, and such other clubs as shall be elected as hereinafter provided.

ARTICLE III.

DEFINING AN AMATEUR.

This Association defines an Amateur to be one who does not compete for stakes, ad-

mission money, entrance fee, or other pecuniary benefit; who has never competed with, or against a professional of any class for a prize; never engaged in athletics in any way as a means of livelihood; who has never been employed in any occupation involving the use of the oar or paddle, who receives no pecuniary benefit from his rowing connection, and whose membership of any rowing or athletic club was not brought about, or does not continue, because of any mutual agreement or understanding expressed or implied, whereby his becoming or continuing a member of such club would be of any pecuniary benefit to him whatever, direct or indirect.

ARTICLE IV.

MEMBERSHIP.

SECTION 1. The representative body of this Association shall be composed of two delegates from each Club, with alternates, assembled in an Annual Convention, or if necessary at more frequent periods.

SEC. 2. Any Club desiring to join this Association shall make written application to the Secretary of this Association enclosing a membership fee of \$15 (to be returned if

the application be rejected) at least sixty days prior to the Annual Convention, whereupon the Secretary of the Association shall at once submit such application by letter to the Secretary of each of the clubs then forming the Association, who shall in turn submit it to the ruling power in each club, and shall within thirty days after the receipt of such letter advise the Secretary of this Association of the approval or disapproval of such application. If such application is objected to by any one club, such application shall be considered as declined by the Association. Provided, if any club fails to respond within said thirty days, said club shall be taken as having voted in the affirmative on such application for admission.

SEC. 3. Delegates, upon election, must forward their credentials to the Secretary of the Association.

SEC. 4. The term of office of delegates shall commence with the next Annual Convention after their election.

ARTICLE V.

CONVENTIONS.

SECTION 1. The Annual Convention shall be held at 11 o'clock a.m. on the day of the

Annual Regatta. Other meetings may be held by general request, or by order of the President, of which ten days' notice shall be given to each club by the Secretary.

SEC. 2. At all conventions a majority of all legally enrolled delegates shall constitute a quorum.

SEC. 3. Order of business.

Roll Call.

Reading, Correction and Adoption of Minutes.

Reports and Communications.

Unfinished Business.

Election of Officers.

New Business.

Adjournment.

SEC. 4. "Roberts' Rules of Order" are selected as the parliamentary guide of the Association.

ARTICLE VI.

INITIATIONS AND DUES.

SECTION 1. The initiation fee shall be \$15, which sum each club desiring to join this Association shall send to the Secretary with

its application; to be returned to said club on failure of election.

SEC. 2. Each club shall pay \$15 annually as dues to the Association, remitting the same to the Treasurer at least ten days prior to the Annual Convention. No Club can be represented in Conventions unless all dues are paid.

ARTICLE VII.

OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The Officers of this Association shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, Commodore, Vice-Commodore and Ensign, who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Convention, the last three of whom shall be elected from the district where the Annual Regatta is to be held, and in all cases a majority vote shall be required to elect.

SEC. 2. The term of officers and executive committees shall begin on the first day of the month following their election, and continue to the first day of the month following the next Annual Regatta, or until their successors are duly qualified.

ARTICLE VIII.**ELECTION OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.**

SECTION 1. At each Annual Convention there shall be elected an Executive Committee, which shall be composed of two members from each club a member of this Association. The President and Secretary shall be *ex-officio* members of said committee. The President shall be *ex-officio* chairman of said committee, but shall have no voice or vote on any matter except in case of a tie vote.

SEC. 2. The Executive Committee shall have general control and management of the affairs of the Association, under the directions of the Conventions, and carry out their instructions. They shall also fill all offices becoming vacant until the next Convention.

ARTICLE IX.**SUSPENSION OR EXPULSION.**

SECTION 1. Any violation of the rules of this Association, or any conduct prejudicial to honor, morality, or the general interests of the Association, shall render a club liable to suspension by the Executive Committee, and expulsion by a two-thirds vote of the

delegates present at the next Annual Convention.

ARTICLE X.

STATUS COMMITTEE.

SECTION 1. The Status Committee shall be composed of one member from each club, who shall continue to be a member of said committee until he resigns from the club of which he is a member or until he resigns his position in this committee, or until the club of which he is a member shall request his removal and appoint one in his stead to represent said club.

SEC. 2. In case of a vacancy on this committee it shall be filled at the next Convention from the club in which the vacancy has occurred.

SEC. 3. Said committee shall have full power to interpret and construe the definition herein given of an amateur, and disbar any man or crew or member thereof, without assigning any reason therefor, and their decision in all cases shall be final, and such disqualified crew or man shall at once be notified by the Secretary of his or their disbarment.

SEC. 4. Upon the filing of any petition by any club a member of the Association asking for removal of any member of this committee, stating the reason therefor, the Secretary shall immediately transmit to said member a copy of said petition, with a notification that the petition will be considered at the next Annual Convention of the Association.

SEC. 5. This Association at the next Annual Convention following the receipt of this petition, shall proceed to consider the same, and take such testimony and receive such evidence as they deem proper in support of or against said petition, and the accused shall then be given full opportunity to be heard in his own behalf. After said hearing the Convention may remove said member by a vote of two-thirds of all the delegates present.

SEC. 6. In case said member does not appear before said Convention, or assign a sufficient reason for his absence, the Convention shall have full power to proceed the same as if he were present.


SEC. 7. All protests of whatever nature, made against crews or members thereof must be accompanied by a fee of \$20, to be forfeited if protest be held frivolous and

absurd. Ten dollars to be forefeited if protest is not sustained, and entire fee returned if protest is established.

ARTICLE XI.

AMENDMENTS.

SECTION I. No addition, alteration or amendment shall be made to this constitution at any convention except by a two-thirds vote of the clubs represented, nor unless thirty days notice of any such proposed change has been given to the Secretary of this Association, of which due notice shall at once be sent by him to the clubs belonging to this Association.



BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I.

DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The President shall preside at all Conventions of the Association, appoint all committees, the appointment of which is not otherwise provided for, and act as chairman of the Executive Committee.

SEC. 2. The Vice-President shall perform the duties of the President in the absence of that officer.

SEC. 3. The Secretary and Treasurer shall keep the minutes of each Convention of the Association, shall conduct its correspondence, and have charge of and be responsible for all the books and papers of the Executive Committee and Association. He shall also act as Secretary of the Executive Committee and shall make an annual report upon the condition of the Association.

SEC. 4. He shall collect and have charge of all moneys belonging to the Association,

shall pay all bills when properly approved, and submit a report thereof to the Executive Committee whenever called upon by them so to do. He shall if required give a bond to the Executive Committee which shall be satisfactory to them, in the sum of \$500.

SEC. 5. The Commodore shall have local control and management of all Regattas, subject to the orders and instructions of the Executive Committee.

SEC. 6. The Vice-Commodore shall act as assistant, and under the directions of the Commodore, and in the absence of the Commodore shall perform the duties of that officer.

SEC. 7. The Ensign shall act as assistant and under the direction of the Commodore and Vice-Commodore, and in their absence shall perform their duties.

ARTICLE II.

MEETINGS OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

SECTION I. The regular meetings of the Executive Committee shall be held prior to and upon the same day as the Annual Con-

vention, at such place as may be determined as hereinafter provided.

SEC. 2. Special meetings of the Executive Committee shall be called by the Secretary, either at the written request of three members of said Committee, or by written order of the President, and notice of said meeting shall be sent to every member of the Executive Committee ten days prior to said date.

SEC. 3. At every meeting of the Executive Committee, the place for holding the next meeting shall be decided upon prior to adjournment and in the event of a special meeting being called it shall be held at the place chosen for the next meeting, or at such other place as may be agreed upon.

SEC. 4. At all meetings of the Executive Committee a majority of members shall constitute a quorum.

SEC. 5. The Executive Committee may at any meeting, by a majority vote, reconsider the decision of the Status Committee as to the amateur standing of any oarsman, and by such vote repeal the action of the Status Committee. The decision of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen on cases

in the United States, and Canadian Association of Amateur Oarsmen on cases in the Dominion of Canada shall be final.

ARTICLE III.

PAYMENT OF BILLS.

SECTION 1. All bills shall be presented to the Treasurer, who is authorized to approve, audit and pay the same.

SEC. 2. The funds of the Association shall be devoted to Association expenses and not to Regatta expenses, and the mileage of the Executive Officers to attend meetings shall be paid by the Association.

ARTICLE IV.

ANNUAL REGATTA.

SECTION 1. The place at which the next Annual Regatta shall be held shall be decided at the Annual Meeting of the Association, the date to be fixed and published by the Committee, at least two months prior to the holding thereof.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the Status Committee, if they deem any entry at the Regatta a proper subject for investigation,

to entertain the question irrespective of any protest being entered.

ARTICLE V.

DEFINITION.

A Junior Sculler is one who has never pulled in a Senior nor won a Junior sculling race. A Junior Oarsman is one who has never pulled an oar in a Senior race, nor been a winning oarsman in a Junior race. Competition among members of his own club, or a private match will not affect the standing of any Oarsman or Sculler as a Junior. A Junior Oarsman or Sculler shall be qualified to row as a Junior until he wins a final heat.

ARTICLE VI.

MAKING RECORDS.

SECTION 1. The winner or winners of a Junior race may at the option of the Committee be permitted to contest in a Senior Race, provided application be made immediately after the winning of said Junior Race.

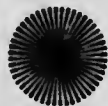
SEC. 2. Records made in Junior Races on any day of any Annual Regatta shall not act

as a bar to entries in Junior Races on the same or following day or days of that Regatta, and no record made by any oarsman in any other Regatta after his entry is made for the current Regatta of this Association shall bar him from filling his engagements in the class in which he has entered.

ARTICLE VII.

AMENDMENTS.

SECTION I. These By-Laws may be altered, amended or suspended at any Convention of the Association by a simple majority vote, provided two weeks' notice shall have been given to each Club of the Association of the proposed alteration, amendment or suspension. In the absence of such notice a two-thirds vote of the delegates present shall be required.



REGATTA RULES.

RULE 1. Regattas shall be open to all Clubs of the Association, when not otherwise provided for.

Entries of individuals shall not be required.

2. Any Club intending to compete for any of the prizes must give due notice in writing to the Secretary of the Association on or before the appointed day for closing the entries. Entries shall close two weeks before the date of the Regatta, except entries for Senior Races provided in the By-Laws.

In all entries, except for Single Scullers, a list of names not more than twice the number actually engaging in the crew shall be sent to the Secretary, and from these names the actual crew shall be selected.

The name of the Captain and Secretary of each Crew or Club entering for any Race shall be sent at the time of entrance to the Secretary.

A copy of the entrance list shall be forwarded by the Secretary to the Captain and Secretary of each Crew or Club so duly entered as soon as practicable after the closing of the entries.

3. Colors will be assigned to each Crew or Sculler making an entry, and the bow oarsman may be provided with a cap of the color designated to be worn during the race. This color is not to interfere with the regular colors of the Club, but to assist in identifying the crews when rowing over the course.

4. No assumed name shall be given to the Secretary.

5. No one shall be allowed to enter twice for the same race.

6. The Secretary shall not be permitted to declare any entry, nor to report the state of the entrance list, until such list shall be closed.

7. Objections to any entry shall be made in writing to the Secretary, when the Status Committee shall investigate the grounds of objections, and decide thereon forthwith.

8. Entrance money for each boat shall be paid to the Secretary as follows: Four oars

or more, \$15; pair oar, \$10; double sculls, \$10; single sculls, \$5. To be returned to the boats scoring, or, in case of satisfactory excuse made for not doing so, to the Executive Committee.

9. Each Club of this Association shall send at least one senior four-oared crew to compete in the Annual Regatta.

10. A meeting of the Representatives of each Crew or Club entered, at which the Commodore shall preside, shall be held on the first day of the Regatta, at which the Captain or Secretary of each Club shall deliver to the Secretary of the Association a list containing the names of the actual crew or crews appointed to contest in the ensuing races, to which lists the names of two other members may be added, either of whom may be substituted for any of the crew or crews in event of illness or accident. At the same time the positions in the several races will be drawn for.

11. No member of a club shall be allowed to be substituted for another who has already rowed in a heat; nor shall any member of a club be allowed to row with more than one crew in any of the heats for the same prize.

12. In the event of a dead heat, the same crews shall contest again, after such interval as the Umpire may appoint, or the crew refusing shall be adjudged to have lost the heat.

13. In the event of there being but one boat entered for any prize, or if more than one enter and all withdraw but one, the remaining crew, by rowing over the course, shall be entitled to the prize.

14. An Umpire shall be chosen by the Executive Committee, and his decisions shall be final.

15. The Judge at the winning post shall be appointed by the Umpire, and his decisions shall be final as to the order in which the contestants crossed the winning line.

16. The laws of boat racing adopted by the National Association, so far as not inconsistent with the Constitution, By-Laws and Regatta Rules of the Association, shall govern at the Regattas.

17. The prizes shall be delivered at the conclusion of the Regatta to their respective winners, who, in case of a challenge prize,

shall receipt for the same as may be required by the Executive Committee.

18. Medals for individual shell races must not exceed \$10 in value, and no banquets shall be given by competing Clubs.

19. All questions of interpretation of the Rules shall be referred to the Executive Committee, and their decision shall be final.

20. All races of this Association shall be 1 1-2 miles straightaway.

21. At every Regatta there shall be shell races between senior, intermediate and junior four-oared crews; senior, intermediate and junior singles; senior, intermediate and junior doubles, and such other races as the Committee may decide upon.

22. The winners of the senior and junior four-oared races in each year shall carry the titles of Champions (of their class) of this Association for that year, and shall be entitled to hold the Pennants provided by the Association during that time.



