

Constitution  
of  
Christchurch young Men's Literary Association

- (1) That the name of the society be the Christchurch men's Literary Association.
- (2) That all young men present (at the second meeting of the society) whether married or single giving in their names to the secretary and paying the first quarters subscription be members of the society.
- (3) That all future candidates be nominated at one meeting and balloted for at the next when a majority of votes in favour of the candidate, shall carry the election; Candidates not to be eligible under 16 years of age.—
- (4) That the nomination of candidates may be either in writing or viva voce by two members but in either case without discussion.