

*Amendments to the By-Laws*

The following Article was added to the By-Laws on January 7, 1943:

**ARTICLE VIII. WITMER STONE PRIZE FOR ORNITHOLOGICAL RESEARCH**

A prize of twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars, to be known as the Witmer Stone Prize for Ornithological Research, shall be awarded annually at the discretion of the Council to that member of the Club who submits the best paper which embodies the results of ornithological research not previously published and not undertaken in the course of professional duties. The Council shall fix the conditions of the prize, shall act as final judge, and shall announce such awards as are made at the annual meeting of the Club.

On February 4, 1943, Article IV, Section 2, was amended to read:

Nominations to Active Membership shall be made in writing, shall state the qualifications of the candidates, and shall be presented to the Secretary at least two weeks prior to the Club meeting at which the balloting is to occur. A candidate shall be entitled to have his name presented for election provided that he shall have received the endorsement of at least two-thirds of the Members of the Council present at a Council meeting attended by a quorum. Elections to Active Membership may take place at any regular stated meeting of the Club. The affirmative vote of at least three-fourths of the Fellows and Active Members present at the balloting shall be necessary for election.

On February 4, 1943, Article V, Section 1, was amended to read:

The annual membership fee for Fellows and Active Members shall be two dollars. The fee shall be due and payable at the annual meeting, except in the case of a new Active Member elected after the annual meeting and prior to June, who shall pay the first annual membership fee at the time of his entrance into Active Membership. Active Members elected in October, November and December shall not be liable for the annual membership fee for the calendar year in which they are elected.