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M. W. A. ASSEMBLY.

The M. W. A. assembly held at Columbus was large and enthusiastic and we print the resolutions of that meeting, which were endorsed and adopted by the Hastings meeting, though also adopting a separate set of resolutions in addition, and joined with Columbus assembly in forming a state organization to fight the raise in rates and the big reserve fund. The Hastings meeting was no less enthusiastic and if anything more pronounced in action as if gaining in force with continued deliberations.

Each step was carefully referred to the membership for approval and the manner in which the right of referendum was indulged was the best indication that men were of one accord, though slight changes were expected to suit each idea advanced and no one doubted that every delegate present present was alive to the situation.

It was the spirit of '76, suggests Adam Brede of the Hastings Tribune. 225 M. W. A. marched in a parade at 1:30 and over 500 members were in session during the afternoon to speak and vote.

The feeling was unanimous to fight the raise in rates to the bitter end, by an appeal for a referendum vote by the members, by submitting the rate question to another head camp meeting called for that purpose with delegates duly elected and qualified to vote upon the question, or failing in that, by injunction, restraining the head officers from putting rates into effect until they can be voted upon by the membership. Failing in all these, another state meeting will be called to take such action as may seem appropriate. We are to work in conjunction with the Minneapolis convention as far as practicable.

Some of the delegates representing this section of the country

were C. L. Mayes of Rushville, Max E. Viertel of Crookston, I. M. Rice of Valentine, B. S. Harrington and W. J. Bryant of Ainsworth and Geo. A. Miles and D. H. Cronin of O'Neill.

A photograph was taken of the Woodmen at Columbus before the Y. M. C. A. building; also one of the parade at Hastings.

The following resolutions were endorsed by the Columbus assembly:

RESOLVED, That the action of the special session of the Head camp in raising the rates of the membership was ill-advised and unwarranted by the conditions confronting the society; that such action was not responsive to any demand or desire on part of the membership, and that such action is condemned by every Woodman in Nebraska who is not directly or indirectly connected with the Head camp pay-roll.

RESOLVED, That unreserved condemnation is due the head consul and the board of directors in their present attitude of denying to individual camps, the right to petition and protest against the arbitrary action of the Head camp, and we denounce as cowardly and unfair the attempt of the governing officers of the society to still the voice of protest by threat of excommunicating those who exercise the right of petition and of protest.

RESOLVED, That a special committee of five be appointed or elected by this meeting to join the representatives of any other protesting bodies of Woodmen in this state, or in any other part of the jurisdiction, to personally plead with Head Consul Talbot and the board of directors to call a special meeting of the Head camp for the sole purpose of reconsidering the action taken by the Head camp at Chicago.

RESOLVED, That the governing authority of the society be requested

to immediately refer to the membership in the entire jurisdiction the question of approval or disapproval of the rates adopted at the Chicago head camp, to the end that when the delegates shall assemble in special session they may have for their guidance the referendum vote of the membership.

RESOLVED, That we enter emphatic protest against the lavish waste of the society's money by the governing officers of the order in their mad effort to still the voice of protest which is being raised by every Woodman in Nebraska whose voice of indignation has not been hushed by the muffle of promised salary from the coffers of the head camp. We denounce this use of the society's money as not in harmony with any principle of true fraternity, and regard it as nothing less than an attempted loot of the society's treasury.

RESOLVED, That in the history of states, cities, nations and associations long tenure of office has served almost universally to work harm to the interests represented by the official, however just and honest may have been his purpose. We believe the welfare of the Modern Woodmen society demands the placing of a limit upon the official terms of all Head camp officers, and we pledge the best effort of the membership here represented to the adoption of such a rule in the affairs of our society.

RESOLVED, That the practice of permitting deputies and other appointees of the Head camp to participate in the work of the Head camp in capacity as delegates is out of harmony with the best tenets of our society, calculated to build up an official rule of the order, enabling the governing officers of the society to thereby stand in successful opposition to the will of the vast majority of the membership. We recommend the immediate adoption of legislation

which will deny to all Head camp officials and their appointees a delegate's powers and privileges in any session of the Head camp.

RESOLVED, That if the kindly, loyal protest of this and other protesting bodies of Woodmen shall not serve to lead the governing officers of the society to grant our request for a special head camp meeting to reconsider the action of the Chicago head camp, then, in that event, the representatives of this meeting, working in fraternal relations with representatives of other protesting bodies, be and they are hereby instructed to favor the institution of legal action to prevent the putting in effect of the rates adopted by the Chicago head camp until after the date of the regular Head camp meeting in the year 1914.

RESOLVED, That the paid agencies of old-line insurance companies are unsafe advisors of fraternalists, and not competent to frame legislation for the welfare of fraternal and beneficial organizations. We are unalterably opposed to the so-called "Mobile Bill," or any other form of legislation which seeks to extract the last remnant of fraternalism from this and other kindred beneficial societies, and to the end that the statutes of Nebraska may not be encumbered and disgraced by the presence of any such legislation, we hereby instruct the proper authorities which shall represent this meeting in legislative matters to prepare and submit to all camps in this state a plan to interrogate all legislative candidates, and to unite our membership in opposition to any and all legislation and legislative candidates who shall be known to be in favor of the so-called "Mobile Bill," or any other manner of legislation calculated to work injury and injustice to fraternal and beneficial societies.

RESOLVED, That every member of the society, however much aggrieved by the action of the Chicago Head camp, be earnestly urged to retain his membership for the present. We believe order will soon be built upon the present chaotic foundation laid by the Chicago Head camp, and that in due time the dragon of greed will be overcome and humiliated by the dove of fraternity within our ranks. To the accomplishment of this result we appeal for and expect the hearty assistance of every Woodman who places the love of Right above the fear of arrogant officialdom, rioting in an excess of authority not delegated by the membership of this great society.



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