

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. President:—Your committee on resolutions beg leave to present the following report:

Resolved, That we, to-day, place as high an estimate on the importance of our profession as ever before, and recognize gratefully that the general public regard this association and the dairy interest as among, if not the leading, interests of the times; and we hereby pledge to each other that, in returning to our homes, we will profit by the thoughts and suggestions received here, and endeavor, in all legitimate ways, to elevate and perfect our profession in the year on which we are just entering.

Resolved, That much of the success and pleasure of this convention has been derived from the courtesy, care and kindness of the citizens of Sheboygan, and to them we hereby extend our sincere thanks for the hospitality shown so freely during our entire stay in the city, and especially for the magnificent banquet tendered to the association last evening.

Resolved, That the thanks of this association are hereby expressed to J. G. Lombard, of Chicago, and the Sheboygan Glee Club, for the excellent music furnished for the occasion, which has added so much to our enjoyment.

Resolved, That we recognize the fact that the two great presses of the world are the newspaper press and the cheese press, the former contributing largely to the success of the latter.

Resolved, That our thanks are due to the local papers and to W. C. Thomas, representing the Milwaukee press, and H. B. Humphrey, of the Chicago Times, for their efficient, prompt and correct transmission to their respective papers the proceedings of this convention; as also to the publishers for the space given to the publication of the same.

Resolved, That the thanks of the association are due and are hereby returned to the Chicago & Northwestern, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, the Wisconsin Central, and the Milwaukee, Lake Shore & Western railways, for the recognition of the importance of the dairy interest of Wisconsin, in the generous reduction of fares to all in attendance on the convention.

Resolved, That we congratulate ourselves for having such able

and efficient officers, who have, by their discreet management of the business of the association, contributed so much to its success, and to them our thanks are sincerely expressed.

“Respectfully submitted,

“W. D. HOARD,

“R. D. TORREY,

“C. HAZEN,

“Committee.”

Resolutions adopted.

NATIONAL BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGG ASSOCIATION.

The following resolution was offered by Hon. Hiram Smith, and was adopted:

“WHEREAS, The governor of our state invited the National Butter, Cheese and Egg Association to meet in Madison in 1882, and the invitation has been accepted by that association; therefore

“Resolved, That the president and secretary of our association are authorized and requested to correspond with the authorities at Madison, and with the officers of the Butter, Cheese and Egg Association, for the purpose of determining what action, if any, will be advisable for our association to take in the matter, and report the result to the executive committee.”

W. D. Hoard offered the following amendment to the constitution:

“That article 2 of the constitution be amended by striking out the words ‘two vice-presidents,’ and adding another article: Article 3. The vice-presidents of the association shall consist of all the past presidents.” Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NOMINATION OF OFFICERS.

Mr. President: — Your committee on the nomination of officers for the ensuing year would respectfully recommend:

For President — Chas. R. Beach, Whitewater.

For Secretary — D. W. Curtis, Fort Atkinson.

For Treasurer — H. K. Loomis, Sheboygan Falls.

It is only proper to add that O. P. Clinton refuses to serve longer as treasurer.

HIRAM SMITH,

R. F. McCUTCHEN,

N. W. MORLEY.