

Mr. Robert Herrmann or Mr. Emmanuel Hess of Belleville is here, please stand up. They are not present.

So now we have six of these highest honor cheese makers. May their tribe increase.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

THE CHAIRMAN: The Nominations Committee has tried hard not to show any partiality and we have tried to select men of intelligence that we believe will serve the association to the best interests of all concerned. The nomination for president is Earl B. Whiting of Gillette.

THE PRESIDENT: Are there any other nominations?

MR. MALCZEWSKI: Mr. President, I want to say that Mr. Whiting has been a factor in our organization for many, many years. He has been one of the most faithful workers we have had and I would like to at this time second the nomination.

MR. MALLOY: Mr. Chairman, in view of the fact we have only one candidate for president, I move the rules be suspended and the secretary instructed to cast the unanimous ballot for Mr. Whiting as president.

Motion seconded and carried.

MR. WHITING: Gentlemen, I have worked with this association for quite a few years as a director and will try and do the best I can for its success, but we need your cooperation, and any time that we can do anything why we would like to hear from any of you. Thank you.

CHAIRMAN: For vice president we have selected Mr. L. E. Kopitzke of Marion, Wisconsin.

THE PRESIDENT: Are there any other nominations?

MR. MALLOY: If there are no other nominations, Mr. Chairman, I move the rules be suspended and Mr. Kopitzke be declared elected as vice president.

Motion seconded and carried.

CHAIRMAN: For secretary we have Prof. Sammis and C. J. Ebert of Gleason, Wisconsin.

THE PRESIDENT: Are there any other nominations? If not, I will declare the nominations closed.

Result of the ballot cast for secretary: 112 votes for Mr. Sammis, and 34 votes for Mr. Ebert. Mr. Sammis is declared elected for the ensuing year as Secretary.

THE SECRETARY: Well now boys, this means a continuation of what we have been doing. This year let's try and do it a little better, and a little more of it, and let's all stick to the job and we will all work together.

CHAIRMAN: The next nomination is for treasurer. We have nominated Walter Schmidt of Sheboygan Falls.

THE PRESIDENT: Are there any other nominations?

A VOICE: Move the nominations be closed and Mr. Schmidt be elected by acclamation.

THE PRESIDENT: All in favor of this motion say aye.
Motion carried.

CHAIRMAN: For director, M. M. Schaetzel of Athens, Wisconsin, and John Peters of Plymouth.

THE PRESIDENT: There are two directors whose terms of office have expired, Mr. Schaetzel and Mr. Peters. Are there any other nominations?

MR. SCHWANTES: I move that we suspend the rules and that the secretary be instructed to cast the unanimous ballot for Mr. Peters and Mr. Schaetzel for director for the ensuing three years. Motion seconded and carried.

CHAIRMAN: We have one more nomination for director and that is Steve Suidzinski from Denmark.

THE PRESIDENT: Are there any other nominations?

A MEMBER: I move that the rules be suspended and the secretary cast the unanimous ballot for Mr. Suidzinski of Denmark as director to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Whiting. Motion seconded and carried.

COMMITTEE ON CODE

MR. MALLOY: I was wondering whether we shouldn't make it a special order of business to see what the convention wants to do about a committee to work on the new code.

THE PRESIDENT: If the convention feels a committee should be appointed, I feel it is proper to vote on it at this time, and that the board be instructed to appoint a committee to work with the National Cheese Industry, to act on the cheese code.

MR. MALLOY: Mr. President, I make a motion that the president appoint a committee of three.

Motion seconded.

THE SECRETARY: Mr. Chairman, this proposition came along through Mr. Mooney from Washington as a request for a committee, so that if they want to ask the cheese makers something they would have a way and place to send a question and they hope to get a prompt answer. They thought we were organized well enough to give them a prompt answer when they asked for it and so if some question or other comes along that a small committee can answer, I suppose they will answer it, but if they feel in doubt about it they will probably want to have the question put in one of these news letters and sent out very promptly to all the branches of the state and with the hope they will hold a meeting right away and express their views on the matter. At any rate, I think something ought to be done about it in response to the request that has come through Mr. Mooney from Washington.

MR. DAVIS: Mr. Chairman, in the event Mr. Mooney will get a communication from the headquarters at Washington for an answer to certain questions—he at once gets on the telephone with the vari-