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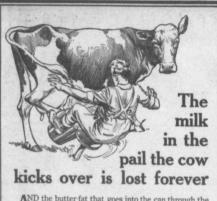
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Proposed Constitutional Amendments by the United Farmers

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constitution, so as to admit of 0 de ing the annual convention at an earl-ier date. The constitution requires that all reports shall be mailed to the branch associations not later than one montu-prior to the opening of the conven-tion and shall show a detailed state-ment of the state state at the state of found practically into. It has been found practically into. It has been on the flash of December. It requires time to get the books in shape to be audited and more time still for them to be audited. If this rule is to be carried out if will make the annual meeting so late in the year that it will be inconvenient both to the as-quire only two weeks notice instead of a month. These are points that will have to be discussed. Date of Convention Notice is given by Mr. W. C. Good that he will move that section so the constitution be amended. Section of the central association shall be that he state that the annual convention of the central association shall be that he will move that section so that he sith the annual convention of the central association shall be that he will make the late and the the association shall be that he will be the section to the constitution be amended. Section is requires that the annual convention of the central association shall be that he will be association shall be the convention shall always be held as card in the winter as possible it may sometime happen that the date set to the convention of the western farmer "signification on the date set to the convention of the western farmer signification on the date set to the convention of the western farmer signification on the date set to the convention of the western farmer signification on the site possible it in my sometime happen that the date set to the convention on the western farmer signification on the date set to the convention on the western farmer signification on this heappen the the date set to the convention on the th the Ontario convention a little later to fit in with the arrangements of the western organizations. Such an amendment as this would give the di amendment as this would give the di-rectors of the association an oppor-tunity to arrange the date of the con-vention accordingly, although it is probable that the convention would almost invariably be held early in the winter. This amendment will need to be considered earefully however, as it be considered earefully however, as it to avoid the second the second the members in the second the second the the members in the second the second the about a certain date, as it enables the locals to plan their arrangements acabout a certain date, as it enables the locals to plan their arrangements ac-cordingly. The directors are aware of this fact and all the convention will have to decide is whether or not it will be safe to trust the directors with this additional power. Mr. Good intends to move that the

"Ball record the yoits for a signate "prospective candidates on a segarate "any sheet and select as nominee for "airther balloting the following num-"ber of those standing highest in the "lists: Three for president, two for "list yitce-president, two for 2nd vice-president, seven for directors, and "had for auditors. "Beac candidates "the for auditors. "Beac candidates "the for auditors. These candidates "the for auditors of the seven "drawals shall be made good by the "addition of the required number" tanding next in the lists on the "tanding next in the lists on the "ally sheet, and definite announce-ment made of the above mentioned "number of candidates for election. "These names shall be written plain-"be to be withboard or otherwise ao "to be written plain-"tand vice-president shall them be dis-"tributed and the delegates shall be "instructed to fill in one and only one "name of those nominated, in each "space. Those three receiving the "lighest votes in their respective "didates for the position of president "and first and second vice-president and first and second vice-mand first and second vice-ment and first and second vice-ment and first and second vice-ment and second vice-president "and first and second vice-ment taken (schedue C) on <text><text><text><text>



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to restrict the number of delegates that can be sent to the convention by the locals. Section 4 of the constitu-tion at present provides as follows: "The central association shall be "governed by the annual convention," "composed of delegates from each "branch not in arrears to the associ-tion, elected thus: One delegate for "inche check and an additional dele-gate to reventy, over the final wenty "members. All delegates shall be ap-"pointed annually."

Mr. Reynolds feels that there is a danger that the expense of bringing so many deligates to the canteral con-vention, especially should there be many locals formed at points distant from Toronto, might be so great as to far more than offset the returns to the association from membership fees and thus put the central associ-tion heavily in debt. At present, lo-cals, whether they are near or far from Toronto, pay the central fifty cents a member and the central fifty (Concluded on page 16.)