

country where the lodge is located," and instead thereof insert the following: "No person shall be initiated into a lodge of this order under the age of eighteen years."

4. By the Supreme Representatives of Maryland (p. 4554): Amend Art. viii., Sec. 2, par. 8, by striking out the words, "No person shall be initiated into a lodge of this order who has not reached the legal age of majority in the country where the lodge is located," and insert, "All persons nineteen (19) years of age, otherwise qualified under Pythian law to become members of the Knights of Pythias, are eligible to membership in the rank of Page, and entitled to the same amount of sick and funeral benefits as provided by the Supreme Lodge, or may hereafter be by the Grand and Subordinate lodges; and at the age of twenty they shall be eligible to the Esquire rank and entitled to the benefits, as aforesaid; provided all business appertaining to the ranks of Page and Esquire shall be conducted in their respective ranks."

5. By the Supreme Representatives of Nebraska (p. 4545): *Resolved*, That subdivision 8 of Sec. 2 of Art. viii. Supreme Lodge Constitution, be amended by adding after the word "being," in the fourth line, the following: "Provided, that all persons occupied in retailing intoxicating liquors, generally known as saloon-keepers, and their employees, generally known as bar-tenders, etc., are hereby declared to be [not] of good moral character' while engaged in such occupation."

6. By Supreme Representative Elser of Texas (p. 4569): Amend Art. viii., Sec. 2, par. 8, Supreme Lodge Constitution, so that it will read as follows: "No person shall be initiated into a lodge of this order who has not reached the legal age of majority in the country where the lodge is located, and unless he be a white male of good moral character, sound in health and a believer in a Supreme Being. Every application for membership must be accompanied with the initiation fee, the amount of which shall be fixed by each Grand Lodge; *provided*, that in no case shall the three ranks of the order be conferred in North America for a less sum than ten dollars."

7. By the Supreme Representatives of Kentucky (p. 4605): Under instructions of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, and in harmony with a sentiment which we heartily endorse, we beg to amend clause 8, Sec. 2, Art. viii. of the Supreme Lodge Constitution, so as to read as follows: "No person shall be initiated into a lodge of this order who has not reached the legal age of majority in the country where the lodge is located, nor unless he be a white male, of good moral character, sound in health, and a believer in a Supreme Being. Every application must be accompanied with the initiation fee, the amount of which shall be fixed by each Grand Lodge; *provided*, that in no case shall the three ranks be conferred [in North America for a less amount than fifteen dollars; *provided, further*, that the Supreme Chancellor be, and is hereby, authorized and empowered, upon the application of a