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Officers for 1916 are as follows:—Hon. president, Geo. Hinch; president, Chas. Harrison; vice-president, Wm. Perry; auditor, Archie Welsh; directors, Robert McAleer, D. McKenzie, T. Meagher, Jackson Harrison, H. Cane and Percy Paul, and Vernon Meagher.

Secy, East Manitou G.G.A.

ARE DIRECTORS LIABLE?

Central Secretary:—Can you tell me whether the directors of an agricultural co-operative association registered under the Agricultural Cooperative Act, have the same protection as the shareholders as provided in section 12 of the by-laws, or, whether the fact that they are directors makes their liabilities for the debts unlimited? My reason for asking you is that a member of the Retail Merchants' Association and a resident of Kelliker, with an empty store, has stated that the directors, as above, are not exempt.

A. H. PORTER,

Sec. Treas. Horse Lake G.G.A.

Dear Sir:—Answering your question regarding the liabilities of directors of a co-operative association as compared with other shareholders, I have to state that the fact that they are directors has absolutely no effect upon their liability for any indebtedness of the association.

It should be borne in mind, however, that in a corporate body the directors have the responsibility of handling the funds and of carrying on the business of the association. This responsibility means nothing more than a trust, and so long as the directors do not violate the trust under which they handle this business there can be no personal liability. According to the law under which a co-operative association is incorporated there are certain definite provisions regulating the manner in which the business of the association must be carried on. If these regulations are violated with the knowledge and the consent—either active or passive—of the directors, then the directors themselves can be held personally liable by the rest of the shareholders for any loss incurred to the shareholders because of such violation of the corporate powers of the association. The directors also, or any one of them individually, can be held responsible for any debt incurred by the association with their knowledge or consent in violation of the act under which the association is incorporated.

For instance, if the association purchases goods other than for cash from anyone except another co-operative association or the Central Wholesale of the Grain Growers' Association, it is violating Clause 4 of Section 5, Chapter 37, of the amending act, and if this was done with the knowledge of the directors, those directors having knowledge of its being done, will be individually liable for the entire amount of such indebtedness. If it was done entirely on the responsibility of the secretary or manager, then such secretary or manager would be personally responsible. I do not believe that the shareholders of the association could be made to pay any liabilities thus illegally incurred by their officers. On the other hand, if goods of the association are sold other than for spot cash the liability for any loss incurred thereby could be fixed upon the directors assenting to such transaction and, in the absence of such assent, to the secretary or manager actually delivering the goods to the purchaser.

The same rules hold good for directors in a joint stock company. Personal liability attaches to them only if they exceed the charter powers of the body of which they are directors. No personal liability can ever attach to directors except by violation of the act under which they are incorporated, or of the by-laws passed by themselves or by the shareholders in meeting.

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