

Nominations for the office of G. Marshal:—Bros. Keith and Losee were nominated.

Result of ballot:—Bro. Keith received 15 votes, Losee 5. Bro. Keith having received a majority of all votes cast was declared duly elected G. Marshal for the ensuing year.

Nominations for the office of G. S. J. Temples:—Bro. S. F. Holt was the only nominee.

On motion the G. Secretary was directed to cast the ballot of the Lodge, which was done and Bro. S. F. Holt was declared duly elected G. S. J. Temples for the ensuing year.

The G. C. Templar stated that the following questions had been submitted to him, and that he proposed to answer them in open Lodge.

Question 1.—Can a Lodge make a law to fine all members for violating Article 2 of our Constitution.

Answer.—No; see Art. VII., Sections 1, 2 and 5.

Question 2.—Is it legal to request suspended members to pay dues that they are in arrears with fines charged against them previous to suspension.

Answer.—Yes.

Question 3.—A member violating Article 2 and found guilty and a fine imposed, would it be legal to ask him to pay dues and fines even if it was six months before he was reinstated?

Answer.—No; by referring to Art. VII., Sec. 6, of our Constitution, it will be seen that a member found guilty shall be declared expelled unless he takes the obligation within four weeks from the date of such finding. And of course an expelled member cannot be reinstated.

Motion moved by Bro. Myers seconded by Bro. Keith that the amount of the bonds of the G. Treasurer and G. Secretary be \$300 each.

Amendment moved by Bro. Moffat seconded by Bro. Benson that the bonds be fixed at \$500 each.

The motion was carried.

Bros. Bauman and Losee were named as the Bondsmen of the G. Treasurer, and Bros. Myers and Moffat as the Bondsmen of the G. Secretary.

Motion moved by Bro. Bryant seconded by Bro. Pike that the bonds of the G. Treasurer and G. Secretary be approved. Carried.

The G. C. Templar appointed Bro. A. Bell, G. Messenger.

The G. V. Templar appointed Bro. W. E. Losee, G. Guard and Bro. R. G. Pike, G. Sentinel.

The G. Marshal appointed Bro. A. H. King, G. D. Marshal.

The G. Secretary appointed Bro. A. Godfrey, G. A. Secretary.

On motion the installation of officers was proceeded with by P. G. C. Templar L. F. Bauman, Bro. Moffat acting as Grand Marshal:

Rev. J. A. Wood.....G. C. T.

S. H. Myers.....G. Counselor.

Miss S. M. Cummings.....G. V. T.

S. F. Holt.....G. S. J. T.

S. Gough.....G. Secretary.

A. Godfrey.....G. A. Secretary.

Miss A. S. Bailey.....G. Treasurer.

Rev. C. Bryant.....G. Chaplain.

C. S. Keith.....G. Marshal.

A. H. King.....G. D. Marshal.

W. E. Losee.....G. Guard.

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