

tion to the resolution, all further proceedings shall be stayed, subject to appeal.*

Sec. 7.—If two-thirds of those voting are in favor of reinstating a member who has been found guilty of violating Article 2d, such member shall be restored to membership by re-signing the Constitution. The power to reinstate shall not, however, extend over the term of one month from the time of receipt of notice by the offending member that the charge has been proved. But if a member neglect to come forward to sign the Constitution for one month after receiving notice of reinstatement, or if a member is not reinstated, the W.P. shall declare such member expelled.

Sec. 8.—The forfeiture of membership under this Article shall involve the forfeiture of all honors possessed by the member when the name was erased from the Constitution.

Sec. 9.—If a member come forward and acknowledge a violation of Article 2d, the Division, after erasure of his name, may at their option reinstate the member on the same evening, in the manner prescribed in Sec. 7.

Sec. 10.—No member against whom a charge has been brought under this Article shall be present when any vote is taken in the case, either in Committee or in Division.

The following Resolution was passed.—p. 40.

Resolved, That permission be granted to Subordinate Divisions to omit such portions of the New Ritual as they may think proper, except the forms for examining candidates, and administering the obligations of the Order.

It was resolved.—p. 41.

Resolved, That Sec. 2, Art. V., Constitution of Subordinate Divisions be amended by adding thereto the following words:—The amount of initiatory fees and weekly dues shall be regulated by each Division.

The Committee on Constitutions submitted the following Resolution, which was agreed to.—p. 46.

Resolved, That Sec. 1, of Art. IX., be amended by striking out the words "unless he has served a regular quarterly term as W.A., nor shall any brother be eligible to the office of W.A."

* Erasure of name for violation of Article II, as per Article X., Sec. 6, is not expulsion.—An expelled member cannot be reinstated. M.W.S.