

jurisdiction of the member from the Order, and shall not be re-admitted until they comply with the said resolutions or decisions.

ARTICLE XVI.

DUTY OF OFFICERS AND DELEGATES.

SEC. 1.—In order to make every officer and delegate responsible to his constituents for the becoming and faithful discharge of their trust, and more readily to check insolent demeanor or to prevent any abuse of power, and remedy any other effect arising from an erroneous choice, where the continuance of an officer in office until the expiration of the term of his election would be adverse to the well-being of his constituents or the Order generally, it is enacted that the assembled High Court, Executive Council, or any Subordinate Court, shall have the power of impeaching any of its officers for misdemeanor at any regular or special meeting, and if he or they be found guilty, after due trial by the Arbitration Committee, immediately deposing him or them, or may call upon him or them to resign immediately, and upon such request being made and the compliance therewith refused, the High Court, Executive Council, or Subordinate Court may, by a two-thirds votes of the members present at the time of such refusal, remove such officer or officers from his or their respective office or offices and declare his or their office vacant, and shall as soon thereafter as practicable proceed to the election of another officer or officers to fill such vacant position or positions.

SEC. 2.—No High Chief Ranger, District Chief Ranger, or Chief Ranger shall put or suffer to be put to the vote any motion which can be decided by law, under the penalty of one dollar for each and every offence, without mitigation, to the High Court Fund.

ARTICLE XVII.

FINES.

Any Court, or member of the Order, violating any Rule for which there is no penalty specified, shall be fined not less than one dollar nor more than five dollars, and that all fines inflicted for violation of laws shall be paid into the Court by which the fine was inflicted.

ARTICLE XVIII.

BUSINESS ON SUNDAYS NOT ALLOWED.

No Court shall be allowed to transact any business whatever connected with the Order on Sunday, except attendance at funerals and Divine service. Any Court violating this law shall be fined \$20, to be paid to the High Court Fund.