

chapter opposed admitting the city and county employees.

Mr. DeFrance stated that he felt the organization of city or county chapters might lead to a misunderstanding with labor organizations.

Mr. Query stated that the committee had difficulty preparing the proposal and did not feel that they had a finished plan.

Mr. French stated that there were provisions that would limit the activities of the cities and counties and he felt that we should give it more consideration.

The meeting adjourned until 9:00 a.m. Sunday morning.

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The meeting was called to order by President DeFrance. The roll was called by Mr. White and a quorum was present.

Mr. Chidsey continued his report of the Constitution and By-Laws Committee and the discussion that was incomplete when the meeting adjourned Saturday evening was reopened.

Mr. Ford stated that letting the cities and counties come into our group had possibilities but he felt we should defer action until we can get more information.

There was no further discussion and upon a vote being taken the proposed

amendments were defeated by a unanimous vote.

Mr. J. D. Patterson, chairman of the Insurance Committee reported as follows:

A resolution from The Dalles Chapter No. 9 regarding chiropractic treatments was presented for consideration but did not pass.

The committee recommended further investigation of group insurance and hospital and medical coverage and the General Council authorizing definite favorable action by the Board of Directors. The report of the committee was adopted.

The report of the Retirement Committee was given by L. R. White.

These resolutions dealing with full credit for prior service, and retirement after 30 years service regardless of age were read, discussed and upon recommendation of the committee were not adopted.

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