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IMMIGRATION.

North Louisiana Editors Formulate a Plan
To Secure Desirable Settlers for This Section.

The North Louisiana Editorial Immigration Convention met Saturday, June 17, pursuant to call. The meeting was held in Judge C. D. Hicks' office.

The following newspapers were represented: The Logansport News, the Sabine Banner, the Lecompte Messenger, the Louisiana Mentor, the Alexandria Town Talk, the Ruston Progressive Age, the Shreveport Progress, the Caucasian, and the Nacogdoches Chronicle by invitation.

Judge C. D. Hicks, of The PROGRESS, was made temporary chairman and Colonel J. E. Johnston, of the Louisiana Mentor, secretary.

The purpose of the gathering was to formulate a plan to stimulate an interest in immigration. What is best for the editors of newspapers published in North Louisiana to bring about a movement, to secure desirable home-seekers and induce capitalists to invest in this section was freely discussed.

Mr. F. M. Welsch, of Alexandria, presented forcible suggestions. He is largely interested in real estate in Alexandria, and has considerable practical experience in immigration. He was confident people in the Northwest could be persuaded to come and settle permanently in Louisiana, and offered to subscribe \$100 or more to start the ball a rolling in Shreveport or Caddo parish. He favored the concentration of efforts in one locality. He thought the people had waited long enough for something to turn up, and must awake to action before the opportunities within their reach are lost.

Colonel Johnston said that a practical movement was being inaugurated to secure home seekers in Bossier parish, and the railroad companies have promised all encouragement necessary.

After an expression of views the following report was adopted:

Whereas, Louisiana is one of the greatest agricultural States in the world, her lands being adapted to the tillage of almost every plant indigenous to a Southern climate, whether it be agricultural, horticultural or floral, and while strange as it may appear, more than 60 per cent of her lands are yet in their wild primal state; and,

Whereas, her forests abound in valuable woods and whose quality and quantity considered for cabinet and building purposes are excelled by few places on the globe.

Whereas, the great desideratum recognized from one end of the State to the other by all patriotic public-spirited citizens is a greater number of thrifty, intelligent white inhabitants to cut away and manufacture our surplus timber and bring our lands into that high state of cultivation of which they are as remarkably susceptible; and,

Whereas, it is the object and aim of this convention to suggest to the people of the various parishes here represented the most practical plan to secure a desirable kind of immigration, and further, as it is a well-known principle of political economy that no

scheme whose consummation requires the exercise of the brain and muscle can reasonably expect success unless the promoters are financially interested; therefore be it

Resolved, that this convention urges the people to incorporate one large land company in each parish, controlling all the surplus lands therein and whose main object will be to secure thrifty white people from abroad and settle thereon.

Resolved, that this convention suggests that every citizen who owns more land than he can cultivate use his surplus land in purchasing stock in the company, and therefore become a stockholder, enjoying all the benefits of the increase in the price and value of all real estate, the natural consequence resulting from an influx of immigration.

Resolved, that we suggest to these prospective land companies, as the most practicable preliminary step to secure success, that a catalogue containing a true agricultural, horticultural and forest history of each parish, and illustrated as far as possible, be prepared and put into the hands of agents, who should be sent abroad to canvass the desirable home-seekers and capitalists, show their catalogues and invite the settlers in Louisiana.

Resolved, that all newspapers in the State approving the plans herein suggested be requested to publish these resolutions.

Resolved, that a committee of three be appointed by the chair to correspond with the various railroads from all points North and West running into Louisiana to secure round trip rates for home-seekers, and this committee report to this body at its next meeting.

That every parish corporation that may be formed during this and our next meeting be requested to make to that meeting a report of their work done.

Resolved, that all real estate agents and land owners be invited to attend the meeting of the North and Central Louisiana Immigration Association to be held at Shreveport, Saturday, July 3, at 12 m.

JOS. E. JOHNSTON,
For the Louisiana Mentor;
CHAS. A. TAYLOR,
For the Lecompte Messenger;
F. M. WELSCH,
For the Alexandria Town Talk;
C. D. HICKS,
For the Shreveport Progress;
Messrs. F. M. Welsch, J. E. Johnston, and V. Grosjean, was appointed the committee to confer with the railroads in reference to rates.
C. D. HICKS, Chairman.
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On July 3 and 4, account of the July excursions, the Cotton Belt Railway will sell round trip tickets to all stations on their line at rate of one and one-third fares for round trip, good for return until July 5.

For the international convention of Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, to be held at Montreal, Quebec, July 5 to 9, 1893, the Texas and Pacific Railway will sell tickets to that point at a rate of one fare for the round trip, via St. Louis and Detroit direct; via Chicago tickets will be sold at a rate of \$18 over World's Fair rate, or \$53 10 for round trip. Selling dates July 1 to 4, inclusive. Good for return September 15.

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