Resolution for Postponement of the IWW National Convention, by Terre Haute Local Union No. 9 (Late April, 1906)

Whereas, The Moyer-Haywood affair is of absorbing interest to the Industrial Workers of the World, and should have precedence over all others, and

Whereas, The annual convention of the Industrial Workers of the World is to be held about the time that the trial of our brethren will take place, and

Whereas, Many of our Western unions could not be represented under existing circumstances, and the convention would cost a large amount of money which would better be used in this crisis for the defense of our persecuted brothers, therefore be it

Resolved, That the annual convention for this year be postponed until after the trial above referred to has been closed, subject to be called at such time thereafter as may be determined by the General Executive Board; [and be it further]

Resolved, That the foregoing proceeding had by Terre Haute Local Union No. 9, of the Industrial Workers of the World, be submitted to a referendum vote of the membership for decision.

P.K. Reinbold, Chairman,
Theodore Debs,
Eugene V. Debs,
Committee.

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