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NEW ORLEANS:

TUESDAY MORNING, APRIL 23, 1872.

Amusements This Evening.

OPERA HOUSE—"Charles VI."
ACADEMY OF MUSIC—"Black Crook"
ST. CHARLES THEATRE—"Chimney Sweet."
VARIETIES THEATRE—Shakespeare Club.

THE LIBERAL REPUBLICAN MOVEMENT.

The *Times* informs its readers the *Bee* had asserted that "the Democracy of Louisiana had determined to detach itself from the National Democracy and to discourage the Liberal Republican movement, and calls for the proofs of any such purpose, intent or spirit." We might content ourselves by declining to answer this call on the ground that the *Times* is not a fair antagonist. Its method of controversy reminds us of the prize-fighter who, after he has challenged his opponent, refuses to come up to the ropes, evading the blows and retiring to his corner, coming out only when he sees an opportunity to gain a mean advantage. The *Bee* has not asserted that the Democracy of Louisiana had determined to detach itself from the National Democracy and to discourage the Liberal Republican movement. What it said was this: that "we thought the Democracy of this State had come to the fixed determination not to be tied to the tail of the Northern Democratic kite," which is a very different method of stating what we believed to be the attitude of the Democrats of this State toward their Northern friends from that employed by the *Times*. We are not aware that the Democracy of the Northern States have so far taken any stock in the Cincinnati movement, and it seems to be quite doubtful if they will endorse the nominations that may be made there. The probability is that a straight Democratic ticket will be put before the people, and we understand the determination of the Louisiana Democracy to be this: that they will concur in whatever is done in this regard by their party friends in the Northern States, believing them to be better judges of the situation than we here possibly can be. If the National Democratic Convention should decide to put forward no ticket, but to support that made up at Cincinnati, the Democrats of this and the other States of the South will doubtless accept the decision. But that does not involve submitting to the dictation of the Democratic leaders of the North in our State affairs, or suffering ourselves to be tied to their kite. We owe the Northern Democracy nothing, and do not therefore recognize their right to intermeddle in Louisiana politics. This is the extent of the detachment which we advocated.

Minutes of the Proceedings of the Democratic State Convention of Louisiana, Assembled in the National Theatre, at New Orleans, Thursday, April 18th, 1872.

The Convention was called to order by Judge H. E. Ogden, President Democratic Central Committee, at 12 o'clock M., by the nomination of the Hon. Alex. Declouet, as temporary Chairman. The nomination being carried without opposition, the gentleman was conducted to his seat by Messrs. A. Voorhies and F. Fuseller, and, having returned thanks to the Convention in a few eloquent and patriotic remarks, took his seat.

Messrs. Oscar Arroyo and A. J. Lewis were then elected temporary Secretaries to the Convention.

Mr. E. H. McCaleb, Third Ward of Orleans, moved for the appointment of a committee of two on credentials. Adopted.

Dr. Wilkinson, of Plaquemines, asked for the call of the roll of parishes. The result showed that eight parishes are unrepresented.

The Chairman then appointed Hon. E. H. McCaleb, Hon. J. R. Head, P. S. Wiltz, E. J. Ellis, Maj. J. S. Ashton, Judge Thos. H. Overton and G. H. Brigham the Committee on Credentials.

On motion, the members of the Executive Committee be invited to seat on the stage.

The Committee on Credentials then retired to a room in rear of the stage for deliberation.

On motion, a recess of a half hour was ordered.

At a quarter to two the temporary Chairman called the Convention to order, stating that the Committee on Credentials was not yet ready to report.

At half-past two the Chairman of the Committee on Credentials reported in behalf of the committee the following resolution and report:

RESOLUTION.

Resolved, That no proxies be admitted from any ward or parish who are not residents of the ward or parish they are delegated to represent.

REPORT.

Jefferson—Three votes. Joseph Gomez, S. F. Claverie, J. J. Claverie.

Alternates—Felix Rosadel, Henry Dreffel, Elphere Gandier.

Assumption—Five votes. Amandée Tête, Leroy Hingel, W. W. Pugh, Wm. B. Rascall, F. M. Melancon, Walter Guion.

Ascension—Four votes. John Ewell, L. A. Jeffries.

Proxies—Felix Voorhies, L. F. Regues, T. J. Edwards.

East Baton Rouge—Five votes. A. S. Herron, Tom Bynum, D. C. Montan, T. J. Reid, Wm. Pratt, J. O. Fuqua.

West Baton Rouge—One vote. Jas. L. Lobdell.

Iberville—Five votes. J. R. Head, D. Brown, H. K. Cabinass—proxies, C. Q. Bush, C. Henry Gray.

Iberia—Five votes. J. A. N. Lowry.

Caddo—Ten votes. H. J. Headley, Alve Boarman, A. J. Pickens, A. H. Leonard—per proxy, N. Bennett, Dr. M. H. Jones, J. S. Ashton, W. B. Eagan, C. W. Lewis—per proxy, C. N. Pegues.

Concordia—One vote. Wm. A. Wells.

Calcasieu—Three votes. Wm. Bryan, W. H. Kirkman and A. B. Moss.

Caldwell—Two votes. F. W. Cole, E. V. Forsyth, Thos. Sorrells, Jacob Humble, (G. W. McCranie—proxy.)

Carroll—Three votes. Hiram R. Lott.

Claiborne—Three votes. S. S. Bowman, J. G. Hamlin.

Cherbourg—10 votes. Napier Bartlette, Jno. S. Young, Rines Mitchell, W. F. Lowry, W. T. Hemphey, J. H. Simmons, L. Grigby, W. T. Hemphey.

Delhi—4 votes. J. R. Elam, C. M. Pegues, Phil.

East Feliciana—5 votes. T. J. Pegue, R. H. McLellan, A. J. Norwood, Hy. Shipwith.

West Feliciana—5 votes. J. H. Henshaw, S. Wiel, Pierre Shuttler, J. H. Collins.

Franklin—4 votes. J. S. Corkern, Dr. Rice, T. W. Worth, T. J. Matthews, John Nevitt, L. Hevron, J. W. Willis, W. T. Cheek, L. H. Bowden.

Grant—4 votes. C. A. Brandt, J. A. Pearson, Allen Jones, Ed. Tabbard, C. S. Lewis, R. O. Halsey.

Iberville—4 votes. Jules Tervis, Jr., Triangle, L. F. Bringier, S. Prat, E. B. Kidd, J. H. Embury, J. D. Williams, Robert Colop.

Jefferson—Seven votes. C. W. Bentzon, Emile Cayol, H. Charles la Breton, F. Bonnet, C. Osgood, W. B. Barthand, Capt. Worley.

Lafourche—Five votes. F. Daigle, C. A. Kennedy, A. F. Bringier, H. F. Bernard, per proxy, Colonel de Estelo.

La Fayette—Six votes. E. Bush, C. Knox, John Williams, J. S. Perkins, John Mills, George Sinclair, Charles J. Mills.

Livingston—Two votes. Delegates—T. Colyer, Henry Folder, Sampson Kemp, Jr.

Madison—One vote. W. B. Hamilton, Thomas J. Henry Brigham, C. Newton.

Morehouse—Four votes. Delegates—W. M. Lowry, C. J. Pickett, Jr., Jacob Scott.

Natchitoches—Four votes. G. W. McCranie, Jr., Jno. Cline—one vote. Delegates—J. R. Wilson, Jacob Cooper—Three votes. Hartzeon Ashley.

Orleans—Five votes. F. O. Moore, J. D. Hill, J. Wade, Dr. Ed. Smith, J. Wheeler, Jr., Jas. Madigan.

Ouachita—One vote. C. D. Bullock, J. P. Sandidge.

Plaquemines—One vote. D. R. Pettit, Rufus P. Sandidge.

Pointe Coupee—Three votes. Delegates not yet reported.

Rapides—Two votes. Albert Metoyer, R. W. Taylor.

Red River—Five votes. H. W. Conway, Jr., Dr. Wm. Hall, W. J. Conway, Wm. Guy, C. Rix, Jr., D. Jno. Wilson, R. Lee Hall, J. E. Ryan, R. Lee Hall.

Richland—Two votes. A. J. Bodley, C. Hall, Jr., Charles Hall, Jr.

Sabine—Two votes. J. M. Thompson, E. Hunter.

Tangipahoa—One vote. J. Addison, B. F. Taylor, Wm. Dawson.

Tensas—Two votes. T. Gibson, A. Perrot, George Winder, H. C. Miner, W. R. Kelsha, J. F. Viguerie.

Terrebonne—Five votes.

Union—Five votes, H. E. Mosely, G. H. Tuck, E. S. Flynn, T. B. Thompkins.

Vermilion—Three votes. H. L. Mouton, T. B. Elting.

Vernon—One vote. R. B. Simmons, proxy.

Washington—Two votes.

Webster—One vote.

Wine—Two votes.

Parish of Orleans—First Ward—Seven votes, James F. Clark, Dennis Quirk), Kelly, James Grant, Lloyd R. Collins, Frank Wheaton, L. L. Levy.

Second Ward—Nine votes. H. D. Ogden, Dr. J. M. Felix, James Lingan, John McPhelin, C. A. Mallon, I. Fitzpatrick, John Armbruster, John Farrell, J. E. Atkins.

Third Ward—Twelve votes. M. B. Bradley, A. L. Sands, F. H. McCaleb, M. Grotjan, Jr., Dr. Lanauze, R. L. Gibson, S. Prentiss, D. F. Kenny, E. Richardson, Jr., Sanders, M. Lardner, William Conway.

Fourth Ward — Five votes. — H. F. Sinnott, Charles Kopp, Paul Corolin, T. Aufmkolk, Peter Daniel, Paul Cypderville.

D. Bienvenu, Joseph Machaca, Jr. Carleton Hunt.

Sixth Ward—Six votes. Jules Tervis, George A. Foshick, Theodore L. Pedesaz, Albert Voorhies, M. R. Livaudais, Samuel Barnes.

Seventh Ward—Six votes.—Charles F. Claiborne, P. Malochè, Thomas Furlan, Joseph Schonner, N. H. Larose, H. M. Cenas.

Eighth Ward—Five votes.—James Gibney, John Evans, James Packer, William Maher, Joseph Scather.

Ninth Ward—Six votes.—Louis St. Martin, G. de Pontet, Lewis Lobenard, F. S. White, Charles Murray, Wm. Simpson.

Tenth Ward—Nine votes.—J. R. Cotton, B. F. Jones, Joseph Collins, J. B. Eustis, J. J. O'Brien, N. Theleral, J. G. Haas, W. A. Wells, William De Lacy.

Eleventh Ward—Six votes.—W. Freedman, J. E. Alcée Gauthreaux, J. Campbell, T. G. Hunt, J. O. Landry, J. Brower.

Twelfth Ward—Three votes.—F. J. Ellis, Eugene May, R. Shackleford.

Thirtieth Ward—Three votes.—Ernest Riviere, William Brokenphor, Columbus H. Allen.

Fourteenth Ward—Two votes.—T. J. Beck, F. McGloin.

Fifteenth Ward—Six votes.—T. Gibson, A. Perrot, George Winder, H. C. Miner, W. R. Kelsha, J. F. Viguerie.

Jefferson—Five votes.

Union—Five votes, H. E