

Territory is filled with as patriotic and liberty-loving a people as exist in this country. What has been done thus far was accomplished in spite of that body of officials, and moreover, the work will continue to roll notwithstanding the obstructions which they may place in the way. [Applause.]

A loud cry came from the assembly for Judge Judd. He said: Let me tell you a few things that are happening in this Territory. Not long ago I was invited by a few Democratic friends of Provo to go down there and make a speech. I went and found the theatre packed with Democrats. I was confounded. I spoke for an hour and a half, and a more enthusiastic audience I never saw. I came back and told my Democratic brethren to be up and at work, for we had Democracy in Utah.

The gentlemen of the Utah Commission say to us: "We don't think that you should divide on national party lines." Who are you, anyway? Are we not American citizens? Who asked you to think anything about it? These gentlemen "don't think that Utah is ready for Statehood"—that is until they have fixed it. In the meantime we will do a little of the fixing. Utah is all right, and in due time will be a State that will stand for a hundred years as a terror to that sort of patriotism. [Applause.]

Judge Henderson was called for. He said: I congratulate you that we are about to organize ourselves and take our places in the only national party that exists in the United States. I have noticed within the last few days that our opponents in the east are inclined to shirk the issues. I noticed that President Harrison, in addressing a congregation from his palace car, said that "we wanted an honest dollar." As if there were any body in this country who did not want an honest dollar. They are trying to turn the people's attention from their own work, which is taking two millions from the people, and putting it into their pockets. We propose to hold them to the issues which they themselves have made.

#### PERMANENT ORGANIZATION.

The committee on permanent organization then reported as follows:

Permanent chairman, Judge H. P. Henderson, of Weber; permanent secretary, Elias Smith.

A committee of seven was then appointed on constitution as follows:

Franklin S. Richards of Salt Lake, and C. O. Richards of Weber, John B. Milner of Utah, E. B. Fulmer of Cache, J. S. Watts of Juab, J. E. Bromley of Summit, David Stoker of Davis, J. D. Peters of Box Elder, and J. W. Judd of Salt Lake.

A committee of seven was then appointed on resolutions: F. H. Dyer of Salt Lake, W. N. Dusenberry of Provo, A. H. Snow of Box Elder, N. A. Parks of Salt Lake, and J. L. Rawlins of Salt Lake.

The convention here adjourned till 1 o'clock.

Following are the delegates who took part in the Democratic convention:

Box Elder—John D. Peters, A. H. Snow, H. H. Smith, William Lowe.

Cache—G. W. Thatcher, Fred Turner, Eli Webb, William Haslam, H. Peterson, Jr., J. P. Lowe, C. D. W.

Fulmer, W. H. Maughn, Samuel Oldham, J. M. Bernhisel, P. S. Barson.

Davis—David Stoker, O. P. Hatch, James F. Smith, George Swan, Jr., T. J. Brandon.

Juab—J. S. Watts, Frank Burke.

Morgan—Thomas R. Conde, Samuel Francis.

Millard—J. A. Melville, J. T. Ashman.

Sanpete—L. T. Tuttle, Alex. Tennant, W. K. Reed, James Burnes, Fred Erickson, Peter Graves, S. O. Neilson.

San Juan—F. A. Hammond, J. Sevier—W. H. Seegmiller.

Summit—J. E. Bromley, T. L. Allen, G. W. Young, O. F. Lyon.

Salt Lake—James Rawlins, W. C. A. Smoot, Jr., Rupert Brown, G. L. Adams, J. B. Walden, J. W. Judd, J. H. Moyle, Harry Roberts, F. S. Fernstrom, R. W. Young, F. H. Dyer, George Cullins, C. M. Neilson, H. H. Haldwin, G. L. Scott, M. F. Arnett, A. T. Schroeder, H. C. Lett, J. T. Caine, Wm. Fuller, S. A. Merritt, R. C. Chambers, E. A. Smith, P. L. Williams, J. L. Rawlins, F. Armstrong, T. J. Almy, N. A. Parks, C. G. Johnson, O. P. Miller, J. C. Mackay, C. B. Williamson, Geo. Stringfellow, C. W. West, A. E. Hyde, J. H. Rumell, Jr., F. S. Richards, D. C. Dunbar.

Tooele—J. J. Caldwell.

Utah—W. N. Dusenberry, W. H. Brown, M. M. Kellogg, J. D. Milner, William Greer, C. L. Seebright, R. A. Deal, George Cunningham, O. F. Malmberg, J. Macer, J. E. Hall, J. D. Irvine, A. S. Higham, Roger Farrer, Thomas Beasley, W. R. Pike, W. D. Roberts, H. A. Anderson, Gus Spratley, Edward Partridge.

Washington—A. W. Ivins, T. P. Cottam, J. A. Crosby, W. L. Nil.

Weber—H. P. Henderson, Thomas D. Dee, C. C. Richards, Nat Montgomery, E. W. Exum, J. W. McNutt, W. L. Peyton, W. S. Browning, John Seaman, L. W. Shurtliff, Charles Parker, J. M. Ferron, W. L. McGinnis.

#### PERMANENT OFFICERS.

The permanent officers elected are as follows:

President, H. P. Henderson, Weber. First vice-president, F. S. Richards, Salt Lake.

Second vice-president, G. W. Thatcher, Cache.

Third vice-president, W. H. Klug, Utah.

Secretary, A. T. Schroeder.

Treasurer, E. A. Smith.

#### CONSTITUTION.

When the convention re-assembled in the afternoon the following constitution was reported:

We, the Democrats of Utah Territory, in convention assembled, associate ourselves together under the following constitution:

1—The name of this association shall be The Democratic Society of Utah.

2—The objects of this association are as follows:

To foster the formation of permanent Democratic societies throughout the Territory of Utah, and insure their active co-operation in disseminating Jeffersonian principles of government;

To preserve the Constitution of the United States, autonomy of the States, local self-government and freedom of elections;

To resist revolutionary changes and the centralization of power;

To oppose the imposition of taxes beyond the necessities of the government economically administered;

To promise economy in all branches of the public service;

To oppose unnecessary commercial restrictions for the benefit of the few at the expense of the many;

To oppose class legislation which despoils labor and builds up monopoly;

To maintain inviolate the fundamental principles of Democracy—"Equality before the law;" and

To co-operate with the co-ordinate organizations of the Democratic party in support of Democrats and Democratic measures.

3—All political societies in the Territory of Utah which concur in the objects of this association, are eligible to membership.

4—The officers of this association shall consist of a president, three vice-presidents at large, and also one vice-president from each county in the Territory; a secretary and treasurer, who shall have the usual power of such officers, subject to the regulation of the executive committee.

5—The affairs of this association, when not in convention assembled, shall be managed by an executive committee consisting of nine members, together with the officers of the association, all of whom shall be ex-officio members of the executive committee, which shall have power to designate sub-committees. The members of the executive committee shall be appointed by the president of this association, and three of them shall make a quorum.

6—The officers of this association shall be elected at each regular convention, upon the report of a nominating committee, and there shall also at the same time and place be elected one vice-president for the National Association of Democratic clubs and four members of the general committee for said national association. All officers shall hold their offices until their successors are elected and qualified, unless sooner removed by the executive committee.

7—The executive committee may fill vacancies in their own body and in any of the offices of this association, and are also authorized to admit societies to membership, but a convention shall have power to overrule any action of this committee. The executive committee shall also raise funds to carry out the purposes and objects of this association, and shall have all the powers of the association, unless by special resolution limiting the same. The treasurer shall be custodian of all the funds, and shall disburse the same only on the order of the executive committee, signed by the secretary and countersigned by the president or vice-president at large.

8—There shall also be organized in each county of this Territory an association of societies auxiliary to this association and the vice-presidents of this association selected from each county, shall be the presidents of their respective county association or societies, unless otherwise determined by the respective county associations. There shall be organized in each voting precinct in the respective counties a society auxiliary to the county association. The executive committee of this association shall recommend a uniform system of organization for the respective counties.

9—The regular convention of this association shall be held at a place to be determined at each annual meeting, the time to be fixed by the executive committee. Notice of at least three weeks shall be given by the secretary to every member of this association.

10—The executive committee may, by a two-thirds vote, call a special convention of this association, of which a three weeks' notice shall be given.