

# J. S. BRANFORD OVER J. E. LIPPMAN

Present Mayor of Salt Lake  
Leaves His Opponents at  
The Post.

## McMILLAN NEVER STARTED

While Ezra Thompson Captures a  
Lonely Three Isolated Ballots at  
"American" City Convention.

J. S. Branford was nominated to  
lead the "American" ticket at the con-  
vention in the theater this afternoon.  
The ballots cast by delegates showed  
more than double the strength of Joe  
Lippman. Ezra Thompson received  
three votes, while McMILLAN did not ap-  
pear on the ballot at all.

At 3:15 p. m. Branford was nomi-  
nated by acclamation.

The original ballot was:

Branford ..... 329  
Lippman ..... 170  
Thompson ..... 3

## POLITICAL NOTES

Several names have been suggested  
for the mayoralty candidate on the  
Republican ticket but so far it is im-  
possible to state definitely upon whom  
the choice will fall.

The convention meets Wednesday in  
the Salt Lake theater, and up to this  
time the names mentioned for mayor  
are: W. S. McClellan, former Gov.  
Robert W. Wells, George T. Odell,  
James T. Hamilton and Rodney T.  
Baker. Mr. Wells, however, has al-  
ready stated to representative citizens  
that he would not under any circum-  
stances become a candidate, and Mr.  
McClellan is probably ineligible, as a  
director of a corporation having a city  
franchise.

In the different wards last night  
the "patrons" met and selected their  
candidates for city council and there  
was much grief and disappointment  
in the various meeting places. The  
selection of C. H. Reed, a Tribune  
editor, in the Second ward, was quite  
a surprise to many while the choice of  
E. O'Donnell was a foregone con-  
clusion. That there will be a merry  
fight in this ward because of the in-  
fluence of "backdoor" affairs there is no  
doubt and "American" party leaders  
are making in their efforts for votes  
and spoils.

L. D. Martin suddenly saw one word  
in the handwriting on the wall;  
"Fate," and was wise enough to save  
himself from a severe fall and bad lot.  
His name was not presented to the  
long-suffering for better suffering.

F. R. Black also got his "line,"  
the nominees for the "American"  
ticket are as follows:

First Ward—Long term, J. B. More-  
head; short term, W. McKinley.

Second Ward—Long term, E. G.  
Donnell; short term, Capt. C. H.  
Allen.

Third Ward—Long term, William P.  
Davis; short term, Thomas Matthews.

Fourth Ward—Long term, W. Mont  
Fry; short term, W. C. Lyon.

Fifth Ward—Long term, Martin P.  
Malvey; short term, Mark Reedall.

Last evening, in the office of James  
B. Moyle, the Utah Democratic club  
met and held a session. J. B. Moyle,  
president; John Dora, first vice pres-  
ident; W. R. Wallace, second vice pres-  
ident; J. P. Morris, treasurer; G. D.  
Kiger, secretary. The above named  
with H. J. Hayward, W. D. Dale, Ry-  
son Gray, M. P. Cunningham, Ben T.  
Hill, H. J. Henderson, R. C. Weller,  
Joseph Kimball, B. A. King and Jerald  
L. Lister form the board of directors.  
The club will take up campaign work  
tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. A com-  
mittee to select quarters was appoint-  
ed and it will report at a meeting on  
Friday.

A dispatch from Birmingham states that  
of last night's fusion convention to  
nominate city officers against the Re-  
publicans, Democrats, and Socialists  
and to elect a candidate for council-  
man in the Second ward, the common  
element were able to harmonize and unite at  
Birmingham, the pertinent question may  
be asked: Why cannot Republicans and  
Democrats unite in Salt Lake to fight  
the common enemy here, in this case,  
the so-called American party?

The Birmingham fusion ticket is com-  
posed of the following:

For councilman, Harry S. Browne, W. R.  
Waters, C. E. Adderley and Jerome  
Barnett, Jr.

E. H. Wardley, manager of the En-  
dowment company, has announced  
himself as a candidate for councilman  
in the Republican ticket from the Sec-  
ond ward. He is supported  
by a number of friends who are work-  
ing hard for him.

## CLASSMATE URGED PEARY TO HURRY OFF

Brunswick, Me., Sept. 27.—Charles W.  
Albee, who was a classmate of Com-  
modore Peary at Bowdoin, can say "I  
knew him" to the explorer when they  
met again.

Mr. Albee told a number of his old  
friends that he had urged upon Peary  
to put the desirability of an im-  
mediate start for the north and offered  
him the use of a stout ocean-going tug  
which he had. But Peary had made  
his mind up and decided not to accept the  
offer.

"If he had taken that tug," Mr.  
Albee said today, "Peary would have  
made his dash in April, 1905, and fore-  
stalled Cook."

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