

mended that with the amendments suggested it pass. Adopted.

The committee on memorials, through Nebeker, chairman, called up H. M. 4, and recommended its adoption. (This is the memorial asking Congress to pass the Caine Faulkner bill.)

Ferry was on his feet in a moment. He objected to its adoption because he was absent on Saturday and had no time for action. There is no reason for such haste. It is an important measure and should not, for the sake of all the people, be hurried through. Let us take a little time. I don't ask this as a courtesy, because it seems that courtesies are not extended to minorities of committees here; I demand it as a right.

Nebeker explained the action of the committee.

Marshall offered an amendment to refer the memorial back to the committee and thus give Ferry an opportunity to make a minority report.

Arnett objected to recommitment. He spoke quite vigorously on the subject, and claimed that the efforts of the minority were to thwart the will of the people. I demand its passage.

W. H. Irvine hoped that common decency would prevail and the usual courtesies be extended. We can't afford under the peculiar circumstances to ignore them.

Arnett said it was not a matter of courtesy, it was a matter affecting the best interests of this Territory. The gentleman represents a small minority. He cannot observe all of the conventionalities, because this is a matter affecting the welfare of a slandered people.

Ferry explained how difficult it is to obtain direct information from Salt Lake in Park City, and how uncertain transportation is, and all circumstances considered he had a right to the time asked.

Cunningham turned the current of sympathy that was manifestly setting in favor of Ferry by reading from Saturday's Journal, showing that the latter gentleman was here when the memorial was presented; whereupon Ferry subsided and his request collapsed, the vote on resubmission being rejected. The report of the committee was then adopted.

The committee on municipal corporations and towns reported back C. F. 19, amending Section 1755, Compiled Laws, and recommended its passage. Adopted.

Arnett presented H. F. 62, relating to branding and misbranding animals and fraudulent branding. Committee on live stock.

The municipal charters bill (the special order, a voluminous document) was then taken up.

## THE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The Republicans of this city met in the Federal courtroom at noon today for the purpose of effecting a temporary organization tending to a permanent one for the purpose of nominating a mayor, recorder, treasurer, assessor and collector and marshal.

Heber M. Wells was elected temporary chairman and Hoyt Sherman Jr., secretary. The following committees were appointed:

### ON CREDENTIALS.

John Lynch, John D. Spencer, William Spry, John G. Robinson.

### PERMANENT ORGANIZATION.

On permanent organization and order of business: Joseph Geoghan, Harmel Pratt, L. G. Hardy, G. D. Lewis and W. J. Beatty.

### ON RESOLUTIONS:

Judge Benuett, Judge Bartch, A. W. Carlson, James Devine and Kenyon.

An adjournment was then taken until 3 o'clock.

The adjourned session of the Republican city convention was called to order at 3:30 Monday, February 1st. Delegate W. L. Brown said that he had been requested by the committee on resolutions to ask for an adjournment until 7:30 p. m. The motion was withdrawn until the committee on credentials reported that the following delegates were entitled to seats in the convention:

First Precinct—W. L. Brown, N. C. Christensen, L. G. Hardy, Jas. Eager, Wm. Everett, E. M. Gleason, C. O. Whittemore, Fred McGurrie, J. G. McAllister, C. G. Wilkinson, E. B. Critchlow, S. Crown, F. Thorpe, S. J. Kenyon by proxy.

Second Precinct—George W. Bartch, J. E. Button, G. B. Morton, John Malquist, Edward Callister, J. D. Lewis, T. E. Gill, Wm. Bigby, F. H. Grice, Harrison Sperry, Barlow Ferguson, John G. Robinson, J. S. Norgan, Nephi L. Morris, H. G. Button, A. F. Phillips, J. M. Fullmer, A. S. Reiser. Alternates—Thomas Darcey, William N. Anderson, John Self, William O. Leary.

Third precinct—William Spry, Arthur Parsons, Heber Player, B. B. Heywood, Isaac Jennings, Walter Beatie, A. W. Winberg, A. W. Carlson, Nicholas Treweek, John F. Lee, Jesse Goodfellow, George W. Walton, William C. Nebeker. Alternates—R. Taylor, John A. Groesbeck, Joseph L. Heywood, A. W. Winberg, Jr., E. B. Tyson, John C. Sandberg.

Fourth precinct—James Sharp, H. G. McMillan, James Devine, Arthur Pratt, H. M. Wells, James E. Jennings, John D. Spencer, A. Hanauer, Jr., W. H. Rowe, L. M. Earl, R. S. Campbell, Jack Bolton, John James.

Fifth precinct—J. M. Zane, O. J. Salisbury, I. Morris, E. H. Parsons, A. Campbell, John T. Lynch, B. M. Ellerbeck, F. B. Platt, E. R. Eldredge, H. M. McCartney, J. Geoghegan, C. W. Bennett, Harmel Pratt, Hoyt Sherman, J. H. Kelson, H. S. Krouse. Alternates—B. T. Nesbitt, T. R. Ellerbeck, D. Evans, M. C. Phillips, Henry Coulam and E. E. Sheppard.

### ORGANIZATION.

The report of the committee on order of business and permanent organization was as follows:

1—Reading of report of committee on credentials.

2—Adoption of report of committee on permanent organization and business.

3—Election of permanent chairman, for which office the committee recommend O. J. Salisbury.

4—Selection of vice-presidents, one from each precinct. First precinct, E. B. Critchlow; Second, G. W. Bartch; Third, Isaac Jennings; Fourth, James Sharp; Fifth, Isadore Morris.

5—Election of permanent and assistant secretary, for which the committee

recommend C. H. Martin, Second precinct; W. G. Nebeker, Third precinct.

6—Election of sergeant-at-arms for which the committee recommends George Walton.

7—Report of the committee on resolutions.

8—Election of chairman of city Republican committee.

9—Election of secretary of city Republican committee.

10—Election of city Republican committee of five members, one from each precinct.

11—Nomination of mayor.

12—Nomination of recorder.

13—Nomination of treasurer.

14—Nomination of assessor and collector.

15—Nomination of marshal.

Your committee recommends that all voting be by ballot, and that a majority of all ballots cast be necessary to a choice. That the voting be by precincts and the result be declared by the chairman of each precinct delegation.

(Signed) JOSEPH GEOGHEGAN,  
Chairman.  
WALTER J. BEATTIE,  
ARTHUR PRATT,  
L. G. HARDY,  
T. D. LEWIS.

### CHAIRMAN SALISBURY

was given a round of applause as he took charge of the meeting. In a neat little speech he thanked the convention for selecting him to preside over them and promised to be always found in the front ranks fighting for Republican principles. (Applause.)

### SECRETARY MARTIN

said: "All eyes are turned towards this convention; our every action is watched with interest. We must be careful in our deliberations and select the best men that we have in our party to represent the people." (Prolonged applause.)

The convention then adjourned until 7:30, on Mr. Brown renewing his motion.

### EVENING SESSION.

In the evening the court room was filled to overflowing. Chairman Salisbury called the convention to order and the committee on resolutions offered the following which were adopted amidst much enthusiasm:

The Republicans of Salt Lake City in convention assembled, congratulate the party in the Territory that we are now a duly recognized political factor and members in good standing of that great party which can point to a history and achievements unequalled in the history of any other political party in the world.

Such recognition being obtained through the adoption by the national Republican committee of the following resolutions, to-wit:

Resolved, That in the committee elected by the convention of delegates at Salt Lake City, Sept 2, 1891, we recognize the Republican Territorial central committee of Utah.

Resolved, That we recommend to all the men of Utah whose ideas of national government and policy are in harmony with the national Republican party, that they now bury their local differences and unite to rescue the Territory from the danger and dishonor of future Democratic control.

We further congratulate the Republicans of Utah, that the time has come when they can publish their allegiance to the party of progress and human liberty and follow its fortunes in the confident belief that it will be firmly and triumphantly established in this Territory.