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(Subject to the nomination of the Whig National Convention.)

WHIG NOMINATIONS.

(EXECUTIVE, MONDAY, 22D MARCH.)

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3d District—John Lafayette, L. Cuzieres.
4th District—

ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.
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*Fourth Ward*—J. W. Andrews, J. M. Reid, A. Hermann.
*Fifth Ward*—J. Lanata, P. Devergès, Dr. Vincent.
*Sixth Ward*—Anthony Fernandez, J. L. Wasson.
*Seventh Ward*—L. Burthe, A. Leto.
*Eighth Ward*—J. B. Lapie, S. P. Labarre.
*Ninth Ward*—J. B. Dubonde.

The Northern Mail came through yesterday with the latest dates.

THE WHIG STATE CONVENTION.—We devote a considerable portion of our editorial space to the official report of the proceedings of the Whig Convention. We commend it to the attention of our readers. It will be seen that the most entire and gratifying unanimity prevailed in the assemblage, that the nominations of President and Vice President were made without a dissenting voice, and that the resolutions adopted, embrace a recognition of the time-honored principles of the party.—Among them we perceive with pleasure an enlargement of State Rights, and an expression of unmated reverence for the Union, a distinct affirmation of the right and duty of the General Government to foster and protect the great interests of commerce, agriculture and manufactures, a repudiation of the doctrine of intervention, a strong and unequivocal support of the compromise measures, and the expression of an abiding confidence that the National Convention will nominate none but men who are sound in the Union and Compromise questions. These resolutions are the embodiment of Whig sentiment in Louisiana, and will be received as such by the Republicans throughout the State.

The illustrious statesman and patriot, Henry Clay, was made the subject of a touching and sentiment resolution, presented by Mr. Jos. Soso, in which reference was made to the wise counsels and priceless public services of the great Commoner. A second resolution, by the same delegate, awards a just and eloquent tribute to the merits of Daniel Webster, while a third pledges the Whig party of Louisiana to the continuance of the National Compromise measures.

We have lost sight, for a time, the action of the Convention was generally frank and manly. Resolutions were approved in favor of a rigid constitutional and effective judiciary, a strict accountability of public officers, a reduction of the system of public education, a sound and wisely regulated system of banking, and the establishment of railroads and other works of internal improvement. Thus in the Convention, as in the canvass which we stand last November, and fought and conquered the political battle of Southern, and on which the Whig party stands, ready to do battle with its opponents.

Knavery.—We do not often take the trouble to correct typographical errors, unless they alter or obscure the sense. In yesterday's leading article we spoke of the independent ticket of the Third Municipality as being the same as that *designated* by the Reform Association of Concordia. For "designated", the types substituted "*organized*." There are other errors in the article, but the intelligent reader can easily correct them by the context.

### Telegraph Items.

WASHINGTON, March 11.

*Methodist Protestant Conference—Gen. Jessup—Cushman and Douglas, &c.*—The Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church assembled to day in Georgetown, composed of Delegates from the Maryland District. Dr. Beese presided, and there is a large attendance ministers and lay delegates.

Quartermaster General Jessup will receive a severe handling next week by members of the House, for excessive expenditures in the department over the appropriations for the fiscal year.

Mr Marshall's California speech, in favor of Douglas, and defending the Democratic Review creates much excitement among the politicians.

Nothing positive is yet known with regard to the ultimate action of the President as to filling land, office in the District, Judgship of Mary. The impression needs death of Judge Heath, will receive the appointment, but Mr John Glenn that it is only a surmise.

PITTSBURGH, March 11.

*Extension of the Pennsylvania Rail Road—Great Celebration.*—The Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad, which has been completed to Massillon, Ohio, 107 miles from this city, was formally opened to day. About one thousand of our citizens have gone out to participate in the festivities. The Mayor, City Council, and many of our most influential men, are among those who join in the celebration. The cars, with the party, left our depot at 8 o'clock, this morning. They expect to reach Canton, Ohio, at 2 P. M., where the guests will dine and then proceed to Massillon, which point they expect to reach at 4½ P. M. The evening will be devoted to festivities in honor of the event, and the visitors will return to Pittsburgh to-morrow. The occasion seems to be one of great interest.

The weather here is pleasant, business is unusually active. The boats from below and cars from Cleveland came in crowded with passengers. The river has nine feet water in the channel. No special change to notice in our markets.

NORFOLK, March 11.

*Shipping Intelligence.*—The ship Courier, which put back to Hampton Roads yesterday, was from City Point, with a cargo of flour, bound to Rio de Janeiro. She will remain in the Roads for orders, and if it is found necessary to discharge her cargo, will probably go to Baltimore or New York. The captain is hopeful of finding the leak in her upper works, and be able to stop it without discharging more than a small part of her cargo.

The schooner Pacletus, a wrecker, arrived from the wreck of the Philena, ashore at Cape Henry, with a portion of her cargo and materials. The captain thinks they will be able to save the greater part of her cargo, if no storm arises to bend up the ship. She has not changed her position, but gradually sinks.

The schr J. R. Jackson, 20 days from Attakapas has arrived.

READING, Pa., March 11.

*Celebration &c.*—The Centennial Anniversary of old Berks County was celebrated here to-day with great spirit. A salute of 100 guns was fired by the Minggold Artillery.

A man named Sailer was run over on the railroad to-day, and had his leg cut off.

CONCORD, March 11.

*New Hampshire Election.*—Returns from nearly the whole State are in and show the election of Martin, Democrat, for Governor, by about 1,500 majority. The democrats will have nearly every member of the State Senate, and 53 majority in the House, thus securing a U. S. Senator in place of John P. Hale.

DEATH OF AN OLD MUSICIAN.—The oldest of pianists, M. Elie Kurkenkeer, has just died at Prague, in the hundreth year of his age. He was born at Koenigsberg, in Prussia, and passed the greater portion of his life at Berlin. He was one of the first magnetisers to Meyerbeer.

## CONGRESS.

In the Senate on the 11th, Mr. McRae presented the credentials of the Hon. Walter Brooks Senator chosen by the Legislature of Mississippi to fill the unexpired term of the Hon H. S. Foote, of Mississippi. Mr. B., appeared and took the oath to support the Constitution of the United States.

After the presentation of petitions, Mr. Mason reported a bill making an appropriation of $3,000 to complete the cemetery near the city of Mexico, and the burial therein of the American officers and soldiers who died in that vicinity, and the bill was ordered to be engrossed.

The resolution offered some time since by Mr. Seward, directing the payment out of the contingent fund of the Senate, the expenses incurred, (the Hotel bill,) in the reception of Louis Kossuth, while in this city, provided the same does not exceed the sum of $5,000, was taken up. A motion to postpone it was rejected. A long debate ensued, in which all who spoke, admitted the bill ought to be paid, but many considered it ought not to be paid out of the contingent fund, but should be paid by a regular appropriation out of the treasury.

Mr Cass submitted a motion to amend the resolution by changing it to a joint resolution, and directing the payment of it out of the treasury.

Messrs. Mason, Cass, Borland, Pratt, Upham, Rusk and Clark, advocated the amendment, and Messrs, Badger, Mangum, Seward, Shields, Atchison, Soule and Underwood, opposed it—and the question being taken, the amendment was rejected—yeas 16, nays 21, as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Bayard, Borland, Bradbury, Brodhead, Cass, Clarke, Davis, Downs, Geyer, King, McRae, Mason, Morton, Pratt, Rusk, Upham—16.

Nays Messrs. Atchison, Badger, Bell, Brooke, Clay, Dodge of Wisconsin, Dodge of Iowa, Fish, Hamlin, James, Jones, of Iowa, Jones of Tennessee, Mangum, Seward, Shields, Smith, Soule, Stockton, Sumner, Underwood, and Wade—21.

The resolution was then agreed to—yeas 30, nays 6. The nays being Borland, Cass, Clark, Mason, Morton, Pratt.

The Senate then proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, and then adjourned.

In the House, Mr. Ficklin of Illinois, proposed with the unanimous consent of the House, that the special order, being the consideration of the Homestead bill, be deferred till Tuesday week, which was objected to, and the clerk proceeded to call the roll, the yeas and nays having been ordered yesterday on a motion to lay on the table, the question that all debate shall cease to day, which was carried—yeas 121, nays 27.

Mr. Ficklin then renewed his proposition to defer debate after to day, and on the special order, to Tuesday week, and the objection having been withdrawn, it was unanimously agreed to, and the House again went into Committee on the state of the Union.

Mr Marshall, of Kentucky, had the floor, when, after alluding to the importance of the bill before the House, replied to the speech of Mr. Breckenridge, of Kentucky, alluding to Judge Douglas, from which he dissented, and he would not be discharging his duty to his constituents, he said, were he to allow the insinuations thus conveyed against a gentleman who had the unanimous support of his State which he represented, to go abroad with his negative support.

He deprecated the debate which had taken place, and thought it should not have occurred, as having a tendency to realize the predictions of an active foreign war, that the time would arrive when Congress would cease to discharge its legitimate functions, and would become a discordant caucus of Presidential electors. He contended that the nomination of California as a more important State than any other, and a more disinterested, Had the gentleman from Kentucky, he said, contented himself with his defence of Gen Butler he should not have replied. He then alluded to the political course of Mr. Breckenridge, as to which that gentleman explained himself.

He then proceeded to reply to that gentleman's speech—not, he said, to its letter, but to its spirit, which was calculated to produce distrust on the democratic party, and to defeat Gen. Butler, which he, Mr. M., was desirous of preventing. He then remarked upon the progressive character of the United States, condemned the non progressive course of which that gentleman and his adherents were the advocates, he eulogized the popular changes that have taken place since the revolution, in favor dance with public opinion—several of which he enumerated and concluded with a brief history of Judge Douglas, in which a cabinet maker is seen passing through the routine of the bar, until he becomes a judge and senator and now comes, as he considered, before the country, as its favorite candidate for the Presidency.

Mr. Bell, of Ohio, followed, and he should speak of the bill before the committee, previous to which he alluded to the various subjects that had been introduced during debate, to the compromise measure and Kossuth humbugs to the last proposition, which would take from the National Treasury half a million of dollars, for the support of the Union paper. He then went on to refer to the several objects which the bill proposes to promote, and denounced those free trade principles that are injurious to the manufacturing interests, and to the revenue and prosperity of the country, expressed himself in favor of a tariff that would have the effect of protecting all parties, and contribute to the promotion of internal improvements, and would give to new States the public lands for the promotion of railways, and concluded with an examination of the bill, to which he suggested various modifications.

Mr Cable, of Ohio, attributed to a misapprehension of the nature of some votes said dissatisfaction this and other causes put together. He contended that the right of the soil in this country was vested in the sovereign people, attributed the misfortunes and misery of Ireland to the circumstance of the land being in the hands of a few great landholders as well back to the Garden of Eden, and even to creation itself, when Adam delved and Eve spun, in support of his views, and insisted that, if the bill passed, it would be an advantage to poor men and mechanics, who would enjoy the security the benefit resulting from their toil, and enable all classes to provide for themselves a home of their own—it would prevent much of that crime which terminates in the penitentiary or on the gallows, and afford to parents the means of educating their children for usefulness in future life, and inspire them with a love of country of which they could not be divested, and which would accompany them throughout their path to the tomb. In fact, he regarded the bill as a remedy for "all the ills that flesh is heir to."

The committee then rose, and the House adjourned.

## WHIG STATE CONVENTION.

STATE HOUSE, *Baton Rouge*, March 16, 1852.

The Convention met at 1 o'clock in the Hall of the House of the Representatives.

On motion of Mr Benjamin

Hon Joshua Baker of St Mary, was called to the chair.

On motion of Hon M. S. M. D. Clark, of West Baton Rouge, John E. Layet, of East Baton Rouge, and J. B. Walton, of Orleans were appointed Secretaries.

The call by parishes having been ordered, the following parishes were ascertained to be represented as follows:

ASCENSION.

Hon D F Kenner, V Landry, Sr. John S Minor John Dominique, Oct Terrio, Ed Gaudin, Sr. W Hutkinson, Hon R W Boyd, A F Rich tor, esq, H A Maurin, V H Lamar, Antoine Vickner, H Gothreaux A J Powell, Valery Leblanc, J L Marcuacy, Louis Bourdier, Elphege Gaudin, Joseph Parks, Adrien Chiasson, Edward Bourdier, Ferd Terio, Prosper Landry, John C Elder, F G Dauneguin, Clement Bondreau, H Duffel, W C Lawes, J B Mollere, Ernest Pedescleaux, Wm Winchester, Victor St. Martin, J R Decoteaux, Dr Bingey, Camille Leblanc, P H Hutkinson, Valentin Hebert, Richard McCall, M D Bringier, J Adelard Braud, Jean Bie Rodriguez, Jean Lunier, D Smith, E Pourtaine, J N Terio, Theodule Cire.

ASSUMPTION

A F Pach, John Dalferes, R C Martin

CATAHOULA.

J G Taliaferro, Jonh T Alexander, Joseph Geys, Henry Holstein, J B Ballew, J R Liddell, J J Dearing, E Williams, H Tresler

CONCORDIA.

D L Rivers, R R Barker

DE SOTO.

W J Hamilton

EAST BATON ROUGE.

F D Conrad, Col P Hickey, G O Hall, John Garvin, A L H Duncan, N K Knox, Lucas Florence, Geo Skipwith, R G Desbarres, J A Delaroderie, J W Quin, jun, Jas M Brunot, Wm Markham, James Brown, Jas M Elam, Jas C Gayle, Jno W Seymour, J H Boatner, Gen C H Davis, F M Young, J J Freeman, J F McCan, Jos Hirsd, J M McCutchen, Gen Jos Berand, W B Walker, J R Kleinpeter, George Kleinpeter, John Tobin, Wm Kitchen, Henry Graham, R R Rickets, R R Thomas, Wm L Thomas, J E Layet, H M Young, A D Alexander, Thos Devall, James Welch, Geo W Roberts, F Arbour, jr, Paul Chappin, Dr G W Deanne, H W Sheberhorn, J H Matta, Jordan Holt, T R Pullen, J R Dufrocq, P Wantrez, jr, A Montan, sr, S M Hart, Wm Rhodus, J S Barrow, D D Avery, Eugene Lanaux, W F Tunnard, Geo V Trudeau, Anthony Pino, Thos G Morgan, Jos C Charrotte, N Dalsheimer, E M Brooks, Jas S Morgan H B Wild, W H Severe Thos B Thorpe, P H Morgan Green Brad)

EAST FELICIANA.

Richard Flower, W D Carter, W D S Merlin, Benjamin Clarke, James Barnett, Josiah Knighton, Thomas Woolly, Lewis Perkins, Alexander Norwood, B Doughty, L D Smith, Wm East, A J Norwood, John Beatner, John Jeter, R H Lewis, R Skipwath, jr W D J Warner, Noel Norwood, S A Rutledge, Henry Marston, D D Hardee, P Ford, jr, S Story, J B Powers Richardson Roberts, D Pipes, Jared Farrell, S B Kent.

IBERVILLE.

Dr C Clement, N J Dupuy, Gervais Schlater, C Adams, jr, Gustave Lange, R C Gaudin, A S Robertson, R L Watson, Col R A Stewart, Jas H Johnson, H F Delhieux, Zenon Labauve John A Durdenne, Joachim Comeau, John H Randolph, Zenon Bloom, Dr Towles, Eugene Babin, Chas A Slack, D L R Orillon, George Mitchelitree.

JEFFERSON.

F Gardere, V Burthe, N Commander, D S Dewees

LAFOURCHE INTERIOR.

J C White, J L Cole, L O Moreau, T Harang.

MORGANZA.

Judge Scarborough

CLAIBORNE.

C T Scarborough, J T Ludeling, J H Dinkgrave, T Sparks, H A Wilson.

ORLEANS.

First District—A T Pickerell, proxy Rusk E T Parker, proxy Chamberlaine H M Summers, W S Campbell, J O Pierson, W M Goodrich, Chamberlain

Second Representative District—I A Kelly, C C Lathrop, A P Simpson, N R Jennings, J R Pike, R Turner, J O Nixon, Wm Brown, J P Coulon, G W Shaw, Edw Rawle, J H Maddox, E Bivery

Third Representative District—A P simpson, John Hawthorn, J W Price, H J Ramsey, C M Waterman, Story, L Sheaffe, James Saul, J Worrel, J M Burley, W Christy, J M Forcey, C Bolt, W Dunbar, S G Risk, D S Brown

FOURTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT.

H C Foster, J W Duncan, J M Reil, M C Edwards, J W Andrews.

5TH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT.

E M Michel, L'a Meyliger, Jas Lilly, P Devergès, J B Sompurio, P Williamson, P Pelinnes, W Andry, substitute, L'a Castera

6TH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT.

C G Dufrocheley, Jr, A Lacoste, O de Fleeh Jos. Duplantier, Louis Sarpy

7TH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT.

John Eustace, G De Feriet, M R Chew Thos B Heartt

PLAQUEMINE.

Antoine Toer

POINTE COUPEE.

A Prouosty, A Leroy, C D Stewart, L J Hopkins, W D V Downing, J J Cavanaugh Lucien Labry.

RAPIDES.

J K Elder, Wm M Sosser, G W Compton, R Hine, L Zeno, L Bailey, O N Guion, H M Hyams, J T Flint, S W Heinrie, G F Kelso, J N Lewis, S C Cuny, J A Naville.

ST. BERNARD.
ST. CHARLES.

D Fourner.

ST. LANDRY.

C D Tatman, J D Gardiner, John E King, Jas Morgan, Francois Robin.

ST. MARY.

Walter Brashear, H T Cook, F D Richardson, J Baker, J B Lee, H H Day.

WEST BATON ROUGE

S M D Clark, T W Chinn, D Hickey, W White, J B Labauve, W W Bennison, J Duvall, C G Johnson, Col Nolan Stewart, J W Pipes, H Berjeron, B Peyronin, H Favrot, A Barrow, W J Lyle, M Barrow, V Herbert, L Favrot, J L Liddell, C S Smith, R R Chinn, Dr Lobdell, F A Woods, C L Pitt, W Broussard, O Bernard

WEST FELICIANA.

Wm H Gloss, Richard Donnelly, Hugh C Stanard, Inmer C Ball, Gen Robt J Barrow, John N Evans, Col M Courtney, Wm Stirling, W R Wambish, J B Stirling, Jas Howell, John Lombard, Col R H Haile, Cabell B Chinn, P C Smith, Lewis G Stirling jr, N B Riddle, Dr Henry Perkins, Henry Cobb, C G Haile, Wm B Ratliff Joseph Purl.

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| 1 Ascension, | 7 | 15 Orleans, | 4th rep dist. |
| 2 Assumption, | 10 | 16 " | 5th " |
| 3 Catahoula, | 17 | 17 " | 6th " |
| 4 Concordia, | 16 | 18 " | 9th " |
| 5 East Baton Rouge, | 19 | 19 Rapides, | 20 (proxy) |
| 6 East Feliciana, | 20 | 20 Point Coupee, | |
| 7 Iberville, | 21 | 21 Rapides, | |
| 8 Jefferson, | 22 | 22 Bernard, | |
| 9 Lafourche Interior, | 23 | St Charles, | |
| 10 Morehouse, (proxy.) | 24 | St Landry, | |
| 11 Ouachita, | 25 | St Martin, | |
| 12 Orleans, 1st rep dist. | 26 | St Mary, | |
| 13 " 2d " | 27 | West Baton Rouge, | |
| 14 " 3d " | 28 | West Feliciana, | |

following resolution was adopted:

Be it *Resolved*, That West Baton Rouge, offered the following resolution which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Delegates to this convention have sent delegates to this convention, Also be represented by the Whig Members of the Legislature, if any there be from said parishes, and the said Members of the Legislature will be entitled to cast the vote of their respective parishes.

On motion of the same delegate, the President appointed a committee of five, to nominate officers of the convention viz:

Messrs Benjamin, of Orleans; Clark, of West Baton Rouge; Declonet, of St Martin; Kenner, of Ascension; Carr, of Union.

The committee, after having retired, reported to the convention the following named officers,

For President—Hon Walter Brashear, of St Mary.

For Vice Presidents—Hon Thos W Chinn, of West Baton Rouge; Hon ——— Morgan, of Carroll; Hon T Vaughn, of Claiborne; Mr James Lilly, of Orleans; Col Wm Christy, of Orleans.

FOR SECRETARIES.

Col John E Layet of East Baton Rouge, Col J B Walton of Orleans, who were elected by acclamation.

The President upon taking the Chair addressed the Convention as follows:

The President said he beheld before him a highly respectable meeting of the whigs of Louisiana, who had done him the honor to place him as their presiding officer, not that he was competent to reward this confidence for which he returned his humble and sincere thanks. He could discharge the duties to the best of his ability, and he hoped order and good feeling would prevail in all their deliberations.

He said, We are assembled upon an occasion, and in an epoch in our history calculated to excite the deepest feelings of interest and the energy of every human faculty necessary to the advancement of the best interests of our country. We are about to send delegates to a convention to select a candidate for the Presidency, on an existed election.

We have high and prominent men before us, having pre-eminent claims to our patriotic exertions, which may produce diversity of opinion and division in the whig ranks. They all possess high claims for their talents and patriotic exertion for the country. He hoped we would all harmonize and unite upon the appointment of such delegates as would fairly represent us in the convention. He meant no disrespect to our opponents, for he wished always to treat them with respect, regarding them as equally conscientious with the whigs in their opinions and sincere in their wish to avoid defeat upon them.

He would conclude by expressing the hope that the convention would proceed in order and unity; that no unpleasant feeling should be generated, and upon adjourning the chair would thank for the position he occupied at their hands.

Mr Kenner of Ascension offered the following resolution which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Convention adopt, as the rule of proceeding on this occasion, the rule of the House of Representatives of the United States, and that the President be authorized to appoint the Committee on Resolutions, and the Committee on Nominations.

Mr Campbell, of Orleans, offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That a committee of nine members be appointed by the President, with instructions to report to this Convention, at an adjourned meeting to be held this evening, resolutions defining the position of the Whigs of Louisiana, with reference to State and national policy.

The President appointed on said committee: Messrs W. S. Campbell, of Orleans, J. P. Benjamin, do do, S. G. Risk, do do, Joshua Baker, of St Mary, T. W. Chinn, of W. B. Rouge, C. Adams, Jr. of Iberville, Alex Declouet, of St Martin, D. F. Kenner, of Ascension.

On motion of Mr Campbell, the President of the Convention was added to the above Committee to act as Chairman.

Mr Saul, of Orleans, presented the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That a committee of ten members from different parts of the State be appointed to nominate Delegates to attend the National Whig Convention, to make nominations for President and Vice President

Which being read, Mr Martin, of Assumption, offered the following as a substitute, which, on motion, was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the delegates to this convention from each electoral district select the delegates to the whig national convention, and that they be authorized to appoint electors and substitutes for their districts, and report the same for the approval of this convention.

Mr. Benit, of Orleans, offered the following resolution which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the rules of the House of Representatives be adopted by this convention to govern its proceedings

Mr Martin offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That each electoral district may appoint twenty delegates to the whig national convention, and this convention appoint twenty delegates for the State at large.

On motion the convention adjourned to meet this evening at half past 7 o'clock.

WALTER BRASHEAR, Pres't.
JOHN E. LAYET, } Secy's
J. B. WALTON, }

EVENING SESSION.
TUESDAY, March 16th, 1852.

The Convention met pursuant to adjournment.

The proceedings of the afternoon session were read and approved.

Mr Blanc of Chinn of West Baton Rouge, offered the following resolution which was adopted.

*Resolved*, That any whig present from a Parish or Representative District, not represented in this Convention shall be authorized to cast the vote of said Parish or Representative District in this Convention.

The reports from Electoral Districts being then in order, were read and adopted as follows

ELECTORS FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT.

First District—Jacques Toutant St Bernard, substitute, J B Wilkinson, jr, of Plaquemines.

Second District—Christian Roselius of Orleans—substitute, Capten Dubost of Orleans.

Third District—Duncan F Kenner of Ascension—substitute Fergus Gardere of Jefferson.

Fourth District—Gen W W Watterson of Livingston, substitute, H J Barrow of West Feliciana.

Fifth District—Alexander De Clouet of St Martin—substitute, J K Elder of Rapides.

Sixth District—Isaac Garrett, of Ouachita substitute, W S Parham, of Madison.

DELEGATES TO ELECTORAL DISTRICTS.

First District—Louis Sarpy, A Tocsin, F Moutery, John Landreau, Henry Foster, Alexander Grant, jr, Pierre Soulé, Charles Gayarre, A Fack, W Walz, James Lilly, J B Sompurio, W C Raymond, Edward Vallery, F Valtavoss, George Johnson, Dr Alpuente, A Fernandez, Isaac Ingood, G DeBoys, T A Boldt.

Second District—J Boulin, Jas Saul, Chas C Lathrop, N R Jennings, John L Spont, A J Wedderburn, Thos G Hunt, Jules Brent, H M Summers, John Conway, Felix Labatut, Joel G Sewer, D S Bryan, Jas H Maskell, J S Holden, C M Waterman, F A Hamden, J N Hawthorn, Jas M Burbonnais, H J Hunter.

Third District—Orleans Right Bank, A B Seger, Jefferson, Thos Allen Clark, Alfred Concad, C P Bobb, St Charles, Richard Taylor, Gustave Foucher, St John Baptiste, Antoine Boudousquie, John Richards, S Jones, Sam Roman, Theodule Lorenzo, Ascension, A J Powell, W C Lawes, Assumption, G W Jones, Thomas Pugh, Valery Le Blanc, Lafourche Interior, Jas L Cole, J C White, R G Durden Terrebonne, G F Coulon, Dr A Pollard.

Fourth District—East Baton Rouge, Wm L Pike, P Hickey Morgan, A L H Duncan West Baton Rouge, Judge Thomas W Chinn, Alex Barrow, Bolins R Carter, Mont Lewis Conway, Col M Courtney, W W Watterson, H S Stirling, Burtelle, Louis Dugery, R A Lipin, Point Coupee, Jacques Vannoy, Jul B Hopkins, Washington, Nicholas T Lafargue East Feliciana, L Hardesty, R W Hall, W L Walker, Pierre Soulé, Jas Brown, Jas Pike, Francis Anna Kent, Livingston J B Dunn.

Fifth District—Alexander De Clouet, H Hopkins, Dr John A Smith, D Walter Brashear, N Herwick David Kelly, P C Bethel, D Richardson, Nicholas Wolntz, T A Kirby James Morgan, Joseph H Gardner, Dr John A Taylor, H Hugh Kline, Jonathan Hatch, Dr D M Murdock, Hugh Kenny, J R Lizer, Hon Henry Boyce, and T J Wells.

Sixth District—S O Scruggs, of Natchitoches W J Davidson, Sabine, W J Hamilton, Dr. So to H M Spofford, Caddo Dr Lozier, Sr Benjamin Andrews Lawson, Bossier S P Gage, Claiborne H McLean Jackson James H Carson Union John Ray, H B Sparks, Ouachita John Temple Morehouse, O J Morrow, Franklin H W Morrow, Madison John Routh, Jesse Boothe, Tensas, General Edward Sparrow, Concordia H W Huntington, Catahoula Thomas Crawford, Caldwell D C Newman, Franklin

The President then announced the nominations by the Convention for delegates to the Whig State Convention, to the National Convention, and the following names were submitted, and after the number proposed had been increased to fifty, by resolution of the Convention, the following named whigs were confirmed and approved as Delegates at large:

Joseph Bernard of East Baton Rouge, Robt C Martin, Assumption, J B Stirling, West Feliciana, Charles Pugh, Point Coupee, John L Lobb, St Landry, O N Ogden, Rapides, J B Walton, Orleans, L P Crain, D L Rivers, Concordia, Joshua Baker, St. Mary, C Adams, jr Iberville A Provosty, Pointe Coupe R N Ogden, Jefferson J B Durel, Orleans, G Villere St Bernard, C Nicholls, St Martin, T S Mott Randolph Hunt, Orleans, H M Hyams, Rapides A C Lawrence, H E Johnson, Jefferson R G Thibodeaux, Terrebonne, D D Avery, East Baton Rouge George S Gunn, Lafourche Int Thos Harry, Orleans J G Campbell, Sr, Catahoula Jacques Anderson, Madison Wm C Carr, Union A S Robertson, Iberville, Jas S Hall, Orleans Jos Lanata, Orleans, F D Conrad, East Baton Rouge, M Edwards, Orleans J M Dupuy, St Bernard, Sid Story, Orleans, A B Roman, St James, John B Armand, St James, Sam J Peters, Orleans, A T Bowie, Tensas, D S Stanley, Concordia, S G Risk, Orleans Lewis Zitz, Rapides, J W Duncan, Orleans, Philip Maher, Madison, L P Lanty, Ouachita, Henry Marston, East Feliciana, Lewis G Perkins, St Helena, E Faulk, Ouachita, R H Caruth, De Soto T H Watts, Caroll.

On motion of R A Upton, of Iberville, presented the following additional resolution, which, on motion, was adopted:

*Resolved*, That we view with deep sorrow, that we learn the still continued ill health of the illustrious Clay who, by his wisdom in the councils of his country, has so often averted the danger which threatened the existence of the institutions of liberty, and it is our earnest prayer, that he may yet be spared for many years, the recipient of the outpouring gratitude of a whole people

Hon Walter Brashear, Chairman of the Committee, then laid before the Convention the following preamble and resolutions on behalf of the committee of nine, which were read and adopted by acclamation

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Whig party of Louisiana, the present State constitution has signally failed in the objects for which it was devised, by its restrictive and anti progressive clauses, it has materially checked the development of the resources of the country, has prevented the increase of the commerce of our city, and has served as a great barrier to the construction of those works of internal improvements, so much required by the wants and necessities of our State.

*Resolved*, therefore, That we urge upon our fellow citizens to vote the polls on the 12th day of April next, and cast their votes for the calling of a convention, to form a new constitution embracing principles more consonant to the wishes and wants of our people

That among those principles, we recognize an elective judiciary, a strict accountability of officers, and a reduction in the fees of all offices

The policy that it is the duty, as it is clearly the interest of a state to educate all the youths within her limits, and the adoption of such a system as will most effectually carry this policy into effect.

The policy of a system of banking surrounded by safeguards and checks as, while such banking facilities are afforded, as the wants of the commercial community may require the public at large will be secured from the evils of a state circulation, and certainly convertible into specie

The policy that will foster the building of such railroads, and such other works of internal improvement as are necessary to develope the resources of our State, and that make Louisiana what nature intended her to be, the commercial depot of the Mississippi valley.

*Resolved*, That we commend the principles we have set forth, as constituting the principles lodged deep by the Whig party.

Mr Wolter, of Lafourche interior, presented the following resolution which was adopted

*Resolved*, That all delegate appointed by this convention to represent Louisiana in the National Whig Convention, shall be and are hereby appointed substitutes in their stead, who may be present, of a write of authorization from said delegate, provided However, that such substitute or substitutes, in casting his or their vote in the National Convention, shall conform to the wishes of the Delegate and Vice Presidency, and conform to the wishes of this convention.

A loud call being then made for Mr Benjamin, this gentleman stepped forward and in a most eloquent and brilliant address. He spoke of the resolutions offered by the committee, and sketched, in a masterly manner, the policy which guided the Whig from the Democratic party, touching briefly, but in a strain which electrified the audience, on the claims of MILLARD FILLMORE and J. CRITTENDEN, to the whole and undivided support of the Whig party and enlightening in a manner which left no doubt and produced applause. He then and in a most appropriate and eloquent strain, wound up with an appeal to the conscientious to stand on their arms and to do battle in the approaching struggle, for the ascendency of Whig principles.

Mr Duncan F Kenner responded in a few minutes all, then stepped down and had left the Convention, observing that he had no leisure to spare on the time and patience of the body, after the eloquent speech which he had just listened to from his friend Mr Benjamin

The Convention with one voice then called upon the Hon Geo W Waterston, of Livingston, for a speech. This gentleman, however, modestly declined to deliver an address, saying inable, as he did, to follow in the eloquent footsteps of his honorable friend from New Orleans. This much he would say, that his services belonged to his party, and that he was prepared to enter upon the approaching struggle with a manful determination to achieve a glorious victory.

Mr Martin, of Assumption, offered the following resolution which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That in order to concentrate and unite the action of the Whig Party throughout the State, this Convention recommends the organization of a Central Executive Committee, which shall hold its meetings in the City of New Orleans monthly, at such time as may be determined the first meeting to take place on the second Monday in April next, and that the Delegacy of this Convention be constituted a committee of five be authorized after the adjournment of this Convention, to appoint one whig from each Parish of the State, and one from each Electoral Representative District of the City of New Orleans, to compose said Executive Committee.

The President appointed on said committee, Messrs Wm C Christy, Fergus Gardere, J B Walton, R C Martin, Jules Benit.

Mr Thorpe, of East Baton Rouge, offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks of this Convention be tendered to C. L. Marshall, Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives, for his attentions to this Convention.

On motion of Mr Martin, the thanks of the Convention were tendered to the venerable President of the Convention, for the efficient manner in which he discharged the onerous duties of the chair.

On motion of Mr. Provosty, the thanks of the Convention were also tendered to the Vice Presidents and Secretaries

On motion of Judge Morgan, of East Baton Rouge, the whig papers throughout the State are requested to publish the proceedings of this Convention.

On motion of Mr Lanaden, the Convention gave tone hearty cheers for the nominees of the Convention.

MILLARD FILLMORE,
For President of the United States.
J. J. CRITTENDEN,
For Vice President of the United States.

Three cheers were then given for "Harry of the West."

And the Convention, on motion, adjourned *sine die*

WALTER BRASHEAR, President.

JOHN E. LAYET, } Secretaries.
J. B. WALTON, }

### City Intelligence.

GIDDON'S PANORAMA OF THE NILE.—This attractive exhibition will be closed tonight, in consequence of the application of Commercial Hall to other purposes, but it will be reopened to-morrow night in the day time and evening.

LEAS DILLON, confined for assaulting battery, to an imprisonment of six month, in the Parish Prison, has been pardoned by the Governor. It was ascertained, after the pardon, that the wounded party, on his own account, had the wrong man, and not for a hotel as a fashionable place. Yet, to the lover of nature and a quiet residence, the house has many attractions inside its Venetian blinds, for nature has indeed been lavish of her gifts on the town, and the walks and drives in the vicinity.

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