

SIXTH DAY.

SIoux FALLS, Dakota, July 9, 1889.

2 o'clock P. M.

Convention called to order by the president.

Prayer by the chaplain, Rev. J. A. Wakefield.

The journal read and approved with correction of line one, page one, to read "fifth day."

The president

Reported the following committees:

CONGRESSIONAL AND LEGISLATIVE APPORTIONMENT.—Van Tassel of Sanborn, Parker of Fall River, O'Brien of Lawrence, Thompson of Lawrence, McCusick of Roberts, Culver of Marshall, Heninger of Brown, Stroupe of Brown, Davies of Edmunds, Lee of Spink, Hall of Sully, Huntley of Jerauld, Willis of Aurora, Matson of Kingsbury, Clough of Codington, Atkinson of Brookings, Lyons of Miner, Williamson of Moody, Coats of Minnehaha, Fowles of Lincoln, Ringsrud of Union, Edgerton of Yankton, Zitka of Bon Homme, Houlton of Douglass, Diefendorf of McCook.

JUDICIARY—Sterling of Spink, Humphrey of Faulk, Williams of Bon Homme, Cooper of Beadle, Ramsey of Sanborn, Corson of Lawrence, Wood of Pennington, Sherwood of Clark, VanBuskirk of Codington, Berdahl of Minnehaha, Eddy of Miner, Harris of Yankton, Fellows of Aurora.

SCHEDULE—Hole of Beadle, Jolley of Clay, Spooner of Kingsbury, Scollard of Meade, Westcott of Deuel, Dickinson of Day, Boucher of McPherson, Stoddard of Brown, Couchman of Walworth, Wood of Spink, Whitlock of Potter, Hartley of Hand, Fellows of Aurora, Jeffries of Clark, Peck of Hamlin, Parker of Fall River, Corson of Lawrence, Berdahl of Minnehaha, VanEps of Minnehaha, Buechler of Hutchinson, Smith of Charles Mix, Ramsey of Sanborn, Murphy of Hanson, McFarland of Lincoln, Eddy of Miner.

NAME, BOUNDARIES AND SEAT OF GOVERNMENT—Stroupe of Brown, Edgerton of Yankton, VanEps of Minnehaha, Kim-

ball of Clay, Murphy of Hanson, Williams of Bon Homme, Wheeler of Butte.

STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS—Sherwood of Clark, Jolley of Clay, VanEps of Minnehaha, Ramsey of Sanborn, Diefendorf of McCook, Lee of Spink, Spooner of Kingsbury, Stroupe of Brown, Clough of Codington.

EXECUTIVE AND ADMINISTRATIVE—Westcott of Deuel, Dickinson of Day, Craig of Campbell, Anderson of Hand, Downing of Brookings, Gifford of Minnehaha, Murphy of Hanson.

LEGISLATIVE—McFarland of Lincoln, Ramsey of Sanborn, Zitka of Bon Homme, Jolley of Clay, Cook of Marshall, Coats of Minnehaha, Lyons of Miner.

BILL OF RIGHTS—Spooner of Kingsbury, VanBuskirk of Codington, Jeffries of Clark, Heninger of Brown, Dickinson of Day.

ELECTION AND SUFFRAGE—Stoddard of Brown, Craig of Campbell, Cook of Marshall, Westcott of Deuel, Scollard of Meade, O'Brien of Lawrence, Whitlock of Potter.

FEDERAL RELATIONS—Murphey of Hanson, Houlton of Douglass, Sherwood of Clark, Harris of Yankton, Kimball of Clay.

EDUCATION AND SCHOOL LANDS—Coats of Minnehaha, Humphrey of Faulk, Williamson of Moody, Young of Lake, Downing of Brookings, Peck of Hamlin, Matson of Kingsbury, Culver of Marshall, Huntley of Jerauld.

MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS—Hall of Sully, Wood of Spink, Atkinson of Brookings, Cooper of Beadle, Fellows of Aurora.

CORPORATIONS OTHER THAN BANKING AND MUNICIPAL—Dickinson of Day, Thompson of Lawrence, Stroupe of Brown, Goddard of McCook, Jolley of Clay, Whitlock of Potter, Van Buskirk of Codington.

COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP ORGANIZATION—Whitlock of Potter, Atkinson of Brookings, Eddy of Miner, Berdahl of Minnehaha, Ramsey of Sanborn, Culver of Marshall, Fellows of Aurora.

REVENUE AND FINANCE—Goddard of McCook, Houlton of Douglass, Zitka of Bon Bomme, Harris of Yankton, Ringsrud of Union, VanEps of Minnehaha, Boucher of McPherson.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AND EXPENDITURES—Ringsrud of Union, Scollard of Meade, Williams of Bon Homme, Williamson of Moody, Heninger of Brown, Davies of Edmunds, Willis of Aurora.

STATE INSTITUTIONS AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS—Young of Lake, VanEps of Minnehaha, Hartley of Hand, Downing of Brookings, Wood of Pennington, Smith of Charles Mix, Wood of Spink, Anderson of Hand, Buechler of Hutchinson.

MINES, MINING AND WATER RIGHTS—O'Brien of Lawrence, Parker of Fall River, Wheeler of Butte, Young of Lake, Jeffries of Clark, Couchman of Walworth, Fowles of Lincoln.

ROADS, BRIDGES AND OTHER INTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS—Smith of Charles Mix, Ringsrud of Union, Berdahl of Minnehaha, Atkinson of Brookings, Anderson of Hand, Couchman of Walworth, Craig of Campbell.

EXEMPTIONS—Buechler of Hutchinson, Fowles of Lincoln, Coats of Minnehaha, Lyons of Lake, Peck of Hamlin, Jeffries of Clark, Cooper of Beadle, Culver of Marshall, Heninger of Brown.

RIGHTS OF MARRIED WOMEN—Willis of Aurora, Hall of Sully, Davies of Edmunds, Craig of Campbell, Wheeler of Butte, Thompson of Lawrence, Diefendorf of McCook.

BANKING AND CURRENCY—Davies of Edmunds, Huntley of Jerauld, McCusick of Roberts, Gifford of Minnehaha, McFarland of Lincoln, Buechler of Hutchinson, Ramsey of Sanborn.

MILITARY AFFAIRS—Clough of Codington, Matson of Kingsbury, Lee of Spink, McCusick of Roberts, Zitka of Bon Homme, Goddard of McCook, Kimball of Clay.

AMENDMENTS AND REVISION OF THE CONSTITUTION—Boucher of McPherson, Stoddard of Brown, Cook of Marshall, O'Brien of Lawrence, Downing of Brookings, Gifford of Minnehaha, Harris of Yankton.

PRINTING—Humphrey of Faulk, Hole of Beadle, Sterling of Spink, Couchman of Walworth, Hall of Sully.

SEAL—Houlton of Douglass, Zitka of Bon Homme, Kimball of Clay, McCusick of Roberts, Scollard of Meade, Humphrey of Faulk, Wood of Spink.

MISCELLANEOUS SUBJECTS—Eddy of Miner, Van Tassel of Sanborn, Hartley of Hand, Cook of Marshall, Stoddard of Brown, Williams of Bon Homme, Parker of Fall River.

COMPENSATION OF PUBLIC OFFICERS—Williamson of Moody, Fowles of Lincoln, McCusick of Roberts, Anderson of Hand, Spooner of Kingsbury, Thompson of Lawrence, Wood of Pennington.

ARRANGEMENT AND PHRASEOLOGY—Corson of Lawrence, Goddard of McCook, Boucher of McPherson, Willis of Aurora,

Cooper of Beadle, Matson of Kingsbury, Vanbuskirk of Codington, Wood of Pennington, Young of Lake.

MANUFACTURES AND AGRICULTURE—Lee of Spink, Whitlock of Potter, Westcott of Deuel, Lyons of Miner, Gifford of Minnehaha, Kimball of Clay, Edgerton of Yankton, Diefendorf of McCook, Smith of Charles Mix.

EXPENSES OF THE CONVENTION—Huntley of Jerauld, Parker of Fall River, Fellow's of Aurora, Jeffries of Clark, Williamson of Moody, McFarland of Lincoln, Sherwood of Clark.

ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT—Hartley of Hand, Peck of Hamlin, Lyons of Miner, Berdahl of Minnehaha, Wheeler of Butte.

PETITIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Williams of Faulk presented

A petition from the society of Mennonites asking to be excused from military duty.

Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Kellam offered the following resolution and moved its adoption.

Motion carried.

WHEREAS, By resolution of this convention authorizing the same, the president of this convention has named and appointed as the members of the joint commission on the part of South Dakota to agree upon an equitable division of the property belonging to the Territory of Dakota; the disposition of all public records, and adjust and agree upon the amount of the debts and liabilities of the territory, which should be assumed and paid by each of the states of North Dakota and South Dakota, the following named members of the convention, to-wit:

A. G. Kellam, V. T. McGillycuddy, Henry Niell, E. W. Caldwell, Wm. Elliott, C. H. Price, S. F. Brott.

Now, be it Resolved, That the aforesaid appointment by the president be, and the same is, by this convention hereby adopted and in all things confirmed.

Mr. Clough moved

A reconsideration of the motion providing the number of the daily journal.

Carried.

On motion of Mr. Clough

The original motion was amended to read 500 copies instead of 200 copies.

Motion as amended carried.

Mr. Zitka moved

That the constitution of 1885 be read in this convention tomorrow, for the purpose of referring different subjects to appropriate committees,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Neill moved

An amendment to rule (33),

Which was referred to the Committee on Rules.

Mr. McGillicuddy introduced

A resolution relating to school lands,

Which was referred to the Committee on School Lands.

Mr. Clough introduced

A communication relative to public seal.

Referred to Committee on Public Seal.

Mr. Jeffries, of Clark,

Was excused till Monday.

Mr. Anderson, of Hand,

Was excused for two days.

Mr. Neill introduced

Resolution authorizing the President to excuse absentees.

Referred to the Committee on Rules.

Mr. Corson introduced

A resolution relating to public indebtedness.

Referred to Committee on State, County and Municipal Indebtedness.

Mr. Neill introduced

A resolution relative to election of clerks of the court.

Referred to Committee on Schedules.

Mr. Smith

Was granted leave of absence for to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Ringsrud

The President was authorized to designate one of the official stenographers to accompany the Commission to Bismarck.

Mr. Coats

Was excused from attendance till Friday.

Mr. VanBuskirk

Was excused from attendance for three days.

Mr. Zitka moved to adjourn.

Carried.