

# CLEARANCE SALE

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e find ourselves overstocked owing to the lateness of the season and desire to unload, and in order to do so in the least possible time, will sell all goods in the line of Star Brand Shoes, Courtney's Famous Full Vamp Shoes, Clover Brand Shoes, Clothing, Dry Goods, Hosiery and Underwear, Staple and Fancy Groceries, Canned Goods, (all these goods are fresh) in fact, everything in the store at a great reduction.

Special--Two National Cash Registers; one single-drawer and one four-drawer, both as good as new, one computing scale, in good condition, all of which will be disposed of at a great sacrifice.

## AUCTION

Until our stock is reduced we will sell any of these goods at auction beginning at 11 a.m. every Saturday. A money-saving opportunity. A fine line of first-class sewing machines at and below cost. Also a complete line of Saddles and Saddlery at all prices.

# A. T. SANDOZ & BROTHER

### DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

To Meet in Baton Rouge June 3d to Select Delegates to National Convention.

The new Democratic State Central Committee met in New Orleans on the 19th, and organized by the election of Gen. A. J. Estopinal as chairman; Edmond McCollom, vice-chairman; Robert S. Landry, secretary; A. R. Beary, assistant secretary; J. A. Lautenschlaeger, treasurer, and Thos. Ryan, sergeant-at-arms.

As provision for the election of committeemen where vacancies may exist, the new committee authorized an election at the time of the State election in April, candidates to forward their entries to the Secretary of State by April 10th.

In addition to instructing the chairman to name an executive committee of twenty-five members of which he shall be chairman ex-officio, the appointments to be announced within fifteen days, the committee adopted the following resolution:

Whereas, the primary election law, Act No. 49 of 1906, does not provide a direct primary for the nomination and election of delegates to the national Democratic convention; therefore, be it

Resolved, That a State convention be held in the city of Baton Rouge on Wednesday, June 3, 1908, in the hall of the House of Representatives, at 7:30 p. m., to elect delegates and their alternates to the next national Democratic convention to be held in the city of Denver, and to nominate Democratic presidential electors and their alternates. Representation in this State convention to be based on population, as per Art. 200 of the Constitution of the State, said representation to be based as follows:

Each country parish and every ward of the parish of Orleans to be entitled to one vote for every 25,000 of its population, with one additional vote for every 1,250

inhabitants in fractional excess, to be based on the United States census for the year 1900. On this basis representation in said State convention will be as follows:

Acadia 9, Ascension 10, Assumption 9, Avoyelles 12, Bienville 7, Bossier 10, Caddo 20, Calcasieu 12, Caldwell 3, Cameron 2, Catahoula 7, Claiborne 9, Concordia 5, DeSoto 10, East Baton Rouge 12, East Carroll 5, East Feliciana 8, Franklin 4, Grant 5, Iberia 12, Iberville 11, Jackson 4, Jefferson 6, Lafayette 9, Lafourche 12, Lincoln 6, Livingston 3, Madison 5, Morehouse 7, Natchitoches 13, Orleans, First Ward 6, Second Ward 7, Third Ward 13, Fourth Ward 6, Fifth Ward 9, Sixth Ward 6, Seventh Ward 11, Eighth Ward 5, Ninth Ward 9, Tenth Ward 9, Eleventh Ward 10, Twelfth Ward 7, Thirteenth Ward 5, Fourteenth Ward 4, Fifteenth Ward 6, Sixteenth Ward 2, Seventeenth Ward 2; Ouachita 8, Plaquemines 5, Pointe Coupee 10, Rapides 16, Red River 5, Richland 4, Sabine 6, St. Bernard 2, St. Charles 4, St. Helena 3, St. James 8, St. John 5, St. Landry 21, St. Martin 8, St. Mary 14, St. Tammany 5, Tangipahoa 7, Tensas 8, Terrebonne 10, Union 7, Vermillion 8, Vernon 4, Webster 6, West Baton Rouge 4, West Carroll 1, West Feliciana 6, Winn 4. Total, 557.

Be it further resolved, That the manner of selecting delegates to cast votes as above enumerated for the several parishes shall be left to the discretion of the Democratic parish committee of each parish, they to have full power to call a primary, mass meeting or otherwise provide for the selection of delegates.

The list of the new committee is as follows:

Acadia—George K. Bradford, Rayne.  
Ascension—C. C. Weber, Donaldsonville.  
Assumption—Phillip H. Gilbert, Napoleonville.  
Avoyelles—G. H. Couvillon, Marksville.

Bienville—W. H. Lazarus, Arcadia.  
Bossier—B. A. Kelly, Benton.  
Caddo—W. L. Dickson, Shreveport.  
Calcasieu—P. O. Moss, Lake Charles.  
Caldwell—J. J. Meredith, Columbia.  
Cameron—J. A. Wakefield, Cameron.  
Catahoula—N. R. Cotton, Harrisonburg.  
Claiborne—John A. Richardson, Homer.  
Concordia—J. L. Dagg, Vidalia.  
East Baton Rouge—Eugene Cazedessus, Baton Rouge.  
East Carroll—Dr. F. R. Bernard, Lake Providence.  
East Feliciana—J. B. Dudley, Clinton.  
Franklin—W. R. Osborn, Winnsboro.  
Grant—John Randolph, Montgomery.  
Iberia—L. T. Dulany, New Iberia.  
Iberville—James A. Ware, White Castle.  
Jackson—W. C. McDonald, Vernon.  
Jefferson—L. H. Marrero, Sr., Amesville.  
Lafayette—Dr. A. O. Clark, Ridge.  
Lafourche—H. N. Coulon, Thibodaux.  
Lincoln—A. A. Barksdale, Ruston.  
Livingston—V. P. Guitrou, Springfield.  
Madison—J. T. McClellan, Talulah.  
Morehouse—John F. Watson, Bastrop.  
Natchitoches—D. C. Scarborough, Natchitoches.  
Orleans—First Ward, J. J. Fogarty; Second Ward, Robert C. Davey; Third Ward, W. J. Kane; Fourth Ward, Vic Mauberret; Fifth Ward, Maurice Pichaloup; Sixth Ward, Chas. R. Kennedy; Seventh Ward, Louis Knop; Eighth Ward, William McCue; Ninth Ward, E. J. Ryan; Tenth Ward, E. K. Skinner; Eleventh

Ward, Geo. D. Feldner; Twelfth Ward, Henry W. Bond; Thirteenth Ward, Robt. H. Downing; Fourteenth Ward, William A. Bisso; Fifteenth Ward, John V. Kramme; Sixteenth Ward, A. A. Harmeyer; Seventeenth Ward, Adam Junker.  
Ouachita—Frank P. Stubbs, Jr., Monroe.  
Plaquemines—Bernard Mitchell, Jr., Pilot Town.  
Pointe Coupee—L. B. Claiborne, New Roads.  
Rapides—H. H. White, Alexandria.  
Red River—J. T. S. Thomas, Coushatta.  
Richland—C. P. Balfour, Rayville.  
Sabine—William H. Vandegaer, Many.  
St. Bernard—E. E. Nunez, Arabi.  
St. Charles—Anthony Madere, Hahnville.  
St. Helena—John H. Womack, Greensburg.  
St. James—Louis LeBourgeois, Convent.  
St. John—Paul Berthelot, Lucy.  
St. Landry—M. D. Lewis, Opelousas.  
St. Martin—Dr. L. Fourgaud, Breaux's Bridge.  
St. Mary—A. C. Allen, Franklin.  
St. Tammany—E. F. Perrilloux, Slidel.  
Tangipahoa—John Fisher, Tangipahoa.  
Tensas—A. G. Goldman, Wat-erproof.  
Terrebonne—Edmund McCollom, Ellendale.  
Union—Edward Everett, Farmerville.  
Vermillion—Dr. Jas. D. Aps-shire, Abbeville.  
Vernon—D. H. Turner, Lees-ville.  
Washington—H. E. Goyer, Franklinton.  
Webster—S. J. Harrell, Sr., Minden.  
West Baton Rouge—W. B. Chamberlain, Lobdell.

West Feliciana—Dr. A. F. Barrow, St. Francisville.  
Winn—W. M. Wallace, Winnfield.

AT LARGE  
First Congressional District—Albert Estopinal, Estopinal; Sam. T. Gately, New Orleans; J. A. Lautenschlaeger, New Orleans.  
Second District—J. S. Brady, Amesville; John B. Fisher, New Orleans; Philip Werlein, New Orleans.  
Third District—Robt. F. Brou-sard, New Iberia; Henri L. Guey-dan, Gueydan; W. H. Price, Thi-bodaux.  
Fourth District—B. F. Ed-wards, Bienville; Chas. V. Porter, Natchitoches; L. E. Thomas, Shreveport.  
Fifth District—Henry H. Rus-sell, decaese, C. C. Cordill, St. Joseph; S. H. Cordill, Winnsboro.  
Sixth District—L. Kirkland, Charles Kilbourne, Clinton, C. E. Booksh.  
Seventh District—Thomas H. Lewis, Jr., Opelousas; B. H. Ly-ons, Leesville; W. C. Perrault, Opelousas.

### THE RECENT DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE BLUNDER

The manner in which some people and some papers are endeavoring to shift to the shoulders of Mr. James J. Bailey the blame for attempting to disrupt the Democratic party is unsurpassed as a piece of brazen effrontery. Mr. Bailey is a citizen fighting for his rights. The disrupting power is the Democratic Central Committee of the State of Louisiana. If, when the April election comes, off, the Republicans poll a larger vote than usual in this State, it will not be because Bailey is fighting in the courts for what he thinks is right, but it will be because the State Central Committee winked at fraud in New Orleans and failed to investigate Mr. Bailey's charges. The committee that is charged with the management of Louis-

iana's Democracy will have to answer for the disruption of the party—not Mr. Bailey and not primary law.

As for Mr. Bailey, he has a long road to travel, but it is to be earnestly hoped that he will not turn back. True, he is daily being ing with new difficulties and obstacles. The sneers and jeers of political enemies, and the warning of the knackers that he is waging useless warfare will tend to discourage him. But the friends of fairness and honesty in election over this State should bear in mind that this isn't Bailey's fight alone—it is or should be the fight of those people who believe in fair play. Mr. Bailey should not be alone to do his fighting. He should receive the encouragement and support and financial backing of those who have the true interest of the party at heart. We would see every man given a square deal. If Mr. Dossmann's statement is correct, it may alter our opinion of Mr. Bailey, but it does not remedy the existing situation. Of course those who would run rough-shod over principles for the sake of their candidate, will use every effort to keep down strife with the apparent purpose—to quell the disturbance in the ranks of the party. Let us hope, however, that they may not succeed in beclouding the true issue, and diverting the minds of good Democrats from the real question a stake.—Sug-Planter.

### JAMBALAYA

The girl proposed.  
Her luck was bad.  
The chap referred her  
To his dad.  
—Houston Chronicle

A city that tolerated such political methods as those that prevailed in New Orleans in the second primary can hardly be expected to observe the Sunday law or hardly any other, for that matter.—Southern Sentinel.