The meeting was called to order at 3 P. M. pursuant to adjournment.

Ministers of the previous meeting were present and addressed. Mr. Burch moved that the chair assure himself that all the Congressional Districts are represented.

The Senate Chamber being too small to accommodate all present, Lieutenant Governor Pinchback moved to adjourn to the Hall of the House of Representatives. Carried.

House of Representatives.

The chair, upon motion of Mr. Ingraham, appointed six Senators-at-large to preserve order and decorum.

Mr. Murray went into nominations for delegates to represent the State at large.

Lieutenant Gov. P. B. S. Pinchback and Messrs. Lewis James, C. C. Antoine and James H. Ingraham were duly nominated.

A recess of fifteen minutes was taken to enable the meeting to prepare their ballots; after which the convention was called to order and the members proceeded to cast their votes.

The following is the result of the ballot:

P. B. S. Pinchback, 107; C. C. Antoine, 45; James H. Ingraham, 65; James Lewis, 78; R. H. Isabelle, 11; O. Fernandez, 1; Thos. Isabelle, 41; J. H. Burch, 10; F. C. Antoine, 3; J. H. Wigers, 1; Thos. Murray, 1; Blank, 1.

Of number votes cast, 419.

The Chair declared Lieutenant Governor Pinchback and Hon. James Lewis to be the delegates to represent the State at large.

The meeting sub-divided itself into District Conventions and elected delegates to said conventions.

A recess of fifteen minutes was taken to enable the delegates to select their committees to give the necessary reports:

1st Sec., H. J. Ingraham
2nd Sec., George Deveney
3rd Sec., J. H. Burch
4th Sec., Harry Lott
5th Sec., David Young.

Lieutenant Governor Pinchback in designating the Clerk of the District Governor said:

Be notified, that the following gentlemen shall be declared alternates.

For the State at large—R. J. Cornwall.

For the District of the 1st Congressional District—J. H. McHenry.

For the District of the 2nd Congressional District—J. Thomas Isabelle.

For the District of the 3rd Congressional District—J. C. Antoine.

For the District of the 4th Congressional District—J. R. Scott.

Mr. J. Lewis moved by the members to cut out Thos. Isabelle for the 2nd Congressional District and insert Mr. F. C. Antoine in his stead, the District Convention having chosen him to fill the above position.

Mr. Gov. Pinchback accepted the amendment and the resolution was adopted.

On objection of Mr. Burch the following gentlemen were appointed to serve as a committee on reception and accommodation:

Chairman, James Lewis; P. B. S. Pinchback; C. C. Antoine; W. G. Elliott; James H. Ingraham; A. E. Barbier and W. B. Boudreau.

There being no further business, the Convention adjourned sine die.

JOHN PARBSONS
CHAMBERLAIN.