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Democratic Convention

The convention which assembled at Leconpton on the 7th inst. in obedience to a call from the Central Committe was well attended considering the short notice given.

When permanently organized its officers were

Wm. G. Mathias of Leavenworth President
J. T. Hereford " Atchison Vice Do
Mesrs Martin & Franklin Secretaries

The whole of the first day was taken up in organizing, appointing committees and other preparatory business.

On Tuesday Morning the Committe on Resolutions Reported and re-iterated the Democratic platform, and also resolutions in opposition to recent acts of Gov. Walker and Secretary Stanton. The extraordinary ~~call~~ summoning of the new Legestature by the latter, was justly denounced and the acting Governor's complicity with the enemies of the Democratic Party fully exposed.

During the after-noon sesion of this day F. J. Marshall of Marshall County was Nominated as the Democratic Candidate for Governor, on the first ballot