

Ill. Daily Journal - 1849 Sep 7
Friday

H. meeting on 6-th, Monday
Large meeting, many leaders
call to order S. Francis
Hon. David Davis elected chairman
Judge of 9th Jud. circuit

Charles Arnold, Sec'y (Jeffz)

On motion, chairman appointed
citizens John Todd, Ab'l. Linc., E. H.
Merriam, Thomas Lewis and
David B. Campbell, committee
to draw resolutions to express
sentiments on war now
progressing in H.

Council retired meanwhile
Col. Hon. E. D. Baker, Galena, Ill.
6th inst, Ill - addressed the meeting,
one hour, referred to his &
H. compact preventing Turk
and Saracen from carrying
arms into this - spirit of
freedom and equality, devoted
Patriotism, heroic achievements
and man's desperation,
without int'lkay of ~~and~~ and
Russians

belief that at this moment
was a free and indep. nation
but if not, if K and his
colleg. crushed, the spirit
mole prin circle, concentration
will be felt ~~even~~ even if their
heads will be placed at gates of
cities, will live on.

Meeting: mart @ enthus.



Committee through the Hon A.
1849 Sept - Thursday Lincoln reported

Resolved, That in their present
glorious struggle for liberty, the
slaves, command our highest
admiration and have our
warmest sympathy.

Res. That they have our most
ardent prayers for their speedy
triumph and final success

Res., that the Govt of the US
should acknowledge the independ.
of all as a Nation of freemen,
at the very earliest moment
consistent with our amicable
relations with the Govt against
which they are contending.

Res, that in the opinion of
this meeting, the immediate
acknowledgment of the indep.
of all by our Govt, is due from
their freemen, to their
struggling brethren, to the
general cause of Republican
liberty, and not a violation
of the just rights of any
Nation or people.

The resolutions were read
and adopted by an unanimous
vote.

on motion of S. Francis, Esq

Resolved, That the Officers of this
meeting transmit a copy of its
proceedings signed by themselves
to Mr Clayton, the Am. Secy of
State with a request that
he will present them to the
Agent of the flying and any
people in the U.S. Count
W A A S, that they may have
placed in the hands of Comtly
the Pres of the A Republic.

The meeting ordered the proceedings
to be published in the city papers, and
a dinner giving three chec's
in K and H

Charles Arnold
Selly

David Davis
Pres

