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VARIETIES THEATRE.—Opera of the "Bohemian Girl."
ACADEMY OF MUSIC. Foot's Pantomime Troupe.
CRESCENT CITY MUSEUM. Nos. 84 and 86 Charles street, opposite St. Charles Hotel.

THE CONSERVATIVE PRESS CONVENTION.

We published in our issue of yesterday the official proceedings of the Conservative Press Convention, which was in session in this city during the last week. From this report, all persons interested can ascertain what was the object of the callers of the Convention, and what was actually done by the body.

The object of those who called the Convention has been misrepresented. It has been asserted that they had in view the originating of a third party movement in this State, that is, a movement neither Democratic nor Republican, but one which would include the Conservatives of both parties. The terms of the call sufficiently refute this assertion. It distinctly set forth the object of those who signed it. It was stated in the call to be "for the purpose of conferring together upon the various subjects of public interest, political, financial and industrial, with a view of acquainting the people, as well as of coming together upon the platform adopted by the Conservatives of the next political campaign, of a nature and well understood character."

The proposition was, however, in the Convention, that the press should declare its "independence of all political parties." This was not debated with great zeal, and it was finally that proposition was stricken out. It was evident that a very correct opinion has gained ground in the State among