

# RECIPROcity CONCLAVE

Will Be Held at Washington Early in November.

EFFECTS WILL BE FAR-REACHING

More Intimate Commercial Relations Between This Country and Other Nations Desired—Matter of Importance to Our Business Interests.

Philadelphia, Oct. 19.—The committee on arrangements of the National Association of Manufacturers met here yesterday to perfect arrangements for the holding of a National Reciprocity Convention, which was first proposed at the annual meeting of the National Association in Detroit. It was decided to hold the convention at Washington, D. C., beginning November 19. The convention will probably last for three days.

President Theodore C. Search, of the National Association of Manufacturers, presided at the meeting, which was attended by 30 prominent manufacturers from various parts of the country. Mr. Search addressed the committee at some length, referring to the widespread interest in the proposed convention and emphasized the necessity of preventing its diversion to purposes other than those originally intended. He made it very clear at the start that it was not to be a promiscuous or disorganized mass meeting, but a thoroughly organized convention of properly accredited delegates representing exclusively the manufacturing interests of the country.

Following Mr. Search's address there was a general discussion regarding the details of the convention, at the conclusion of which the following call was adopted by the committee and will be sent broadcast over the country:

"In pursuance of a suggestion advanced by the National Association of Manufacturers at its annual convention in Detroit in June, 1901, and subsequent action by the executive committee of the association, arrangements have been made for the holding of a National Reciprocity Conference in Washington, November 19. The sole purpose of this conference is to discuss the expediency and practicability of the broader application of the principles of the commercial reciprocity as a means of expanding foreign markets for American products, without sacrificing the interests of any of our industries. The object of this convention is to ascertain accurately the views of representative manufacturers on this subject and to formulate, if possible, some practical suggestions for such legislation or diplomatic negotiations as may be necessary to establish more intimate commercial relations between the United States and some nations.

"This matter is of such vital importance to the entire business interests of the country that it is hoped that you will give your earnest aid in making this movement a success and to that end appoint as delegates men who are thoroughly interested in the matter and willing to attend the convention and participate in its deliberations."

The rules which accompany the call provide that organizations with a membership of 100 or less shall be entitled to appoint five delegates and five alternates. For each additional 100 members, up to 500, one additional delegate may be appointed. Organizations having over 500 members may appoint 10 delegates and 10 alternates. Only those actively engaged as principals or executive officers in a manufacturing firm or corporation shall be eligible as delegates. Agents, attorneys or those engaged in purely mercantile or professional pursuits will not be recognized as delegates or alternates.

The committee did not decide just what organizations should be invited to appoint delegates, but after the consideration of a list prepared for this purpose, the entire matter was referred to the officers of the association. The National Association of Manufacturers will be represented in the convention by its general officers and vice presidents and delegates to be named from each state on the basis of membership of the association in those states the same manner as specified for the appointment of delegates by organizations.

A committee on credentials for the convention was appointed as follows: W. L. Saunders, New York; Robert Laidlaw, Cincinnati; Ellison A. Smythe, Pelzer, S. C.; F. S. Flah, South Bend, Ind., and E. B. Pike, Pike's Station, N. H.

After the adjournment of the meeting of the committee of arrangements a subcommittee held a meeting and adopted a set of rules by which the proceedings of the convention will be governed. It was decided not to prepare a form of program until after the receipt of notice from those who intend to present formal papers at the convention.

It is expected that there will be a very large gathering of manufacturers in Washington at the convention, and some of the members of the committee estimated yesterday that there would be an attendance of not less than a thousand actual manufacturers.

Banquet Greets Lipton On Return. London, Oct. 19.—A committee was formed yesterday to give a banquet to Sir Thomas Lipton on his returning from the United States. Among the members of the committee are the lord mayor, Frank Green; Lord Charles Beresford, Lord Langatock, Sir John Monckton, Sir James Thompson and T. P. O'Connor.

# A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Tuesday, October 15.

The small-pox epidemic among the Indian reservations is spreading. Emperor William has returned to Berlin, after a three-weeks' hunting trip.

Mrs. Hannah Powderley, wife of Immigrant Commissioner Powderley, died yesterday.

Rev. N. R. Melhorn, of Philadelphia, refused to take a \$1,500 pastorate offered him by the Grace Lutheran Church of Bethlehem, Pa.

The Rev. Sheldon A. Harris, a Congregational minister of Dwight, Ill., has been elected vice president of the Illinois State Federation of Labor.

Wednesday, October 16.

The American Humane Society convened in Buffalo yesterday.

George Carter knocked out Joe Walcott in the seventh round at San Francisco last night.

Ex-President Grover Cleveland was elected a member of the board of trustees of Princeton College.

John D. Rockefeller is said to have pledged \$200,000 toward the endowment fund of Barnard College.

The 27th annual convention of the directors of the poor and charities of Pennsylvania is in session at Altoona.

Thursday, October 17.

Booker T. Washington, of Tuskegee, Ala., dined with the President last evening.

Edgewood Inn, a summer hotel on Lower Saranac lake in the Adirondacks, was burned.

All litigation over the will of Jacob S. Rogers, the eccentric Newark millionaire, has been settled.

Somerset will be the next meeting place of the Association of Directors of the Poor of Pennsylvania.

The first annual meeting of the International Missionary Conference of the Christian Church began at Piqua, O., last night and will continue in session four days.

Friday, October 18.

J. H. Van Wormer, of Bradford, Pa., a wealthy oil producer, was killed by a train at Lima, O.

The quarantine at Naples has been abolished, and that city has been officially declared free from the plague.

Officials of Shreveport, La., claim great injustice was done their city by the report of the United States census department regarding the death rate there.

The National Council of Congregationalists adopted a resolution at Portland, Me., favoring the appointment of a committee of seven to consider the plan of publishing a systematic and graded work for Sunday schools.

It was stated in New York upon the authority of his relatives that Edward Stokes, who killed Jim Fisk, is not in a dangerous condition. He is ill, but not seriously, and is able to go out driving.

Saturday, October 19.

A gypsum trust is planned with a capital of \$13,000,000.

The Presbyterian Synod of Pennsylvania, in session at Pittsburg, decided to hold its next meeting at Dubois.

Attorney General Knox, Justice White, of the supreme court, and Hon. Wayne MacVeagh dined with the President last night.

Funeral services over the remains of the Duke of Alva were conducted yesterday at St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church in New York city.

At Wilmington, Del., last night, Jack Bennett, of McKeesport, got the decision over Charles McKeever, of Philadelphia, in a 15-round bout.

Sydney R. Tabor, of Lake Forest, Ill., was elected president of the American Humane association, vice Francis H. Rowley, of Brookline, resigned.

Monday, October 21.

The shortage in cotton at Liverpool is becoming serious.

Senator Hanna starts on a two-weeks campaigning tour of Ohio today.

The 17-day strike on the Chicago & Southwestern Midland railroad is ended.

Dr. B. M. Duggar, department of agriculture expert, goes to France at once to study mushroom raising.

The government breakwater at the Portage Ship Canal, Mich., was completed at a cost of \$325,000.

The Marine Guard at the Pan-American exposition will be transferred to the exposition at Charleston, N. C.

The perjury charge against James Callahan, connected with the Cudahy kidnaping case, will be pushed at Omaha, Neb.

## VENEZUELA OWES US MONEY

Eight Thousand Dollars Due Uncle Sam For Mixed Claims.

Willemstad, Island of Curacao, Oct. 21.—The sum of \$8,000 became due this month to the United States from Venezuela on account of mixed American claims, and it has not been paid. The claims arose out of damages sustained during the revolution of 1892. They were adjudicated between Venezuela and the United States, and the former agreed to pay \$22,000 per year in quarterly payments, with annual interest on the sinking fund, the payments to be divided pro rata among the American claimants.

## Philadelphia Live Stock Markets.

Philadelphia, Oct. 19.—Beef cattle advanced on every grade; best, \$8.12@8.37; choice, \$5.62@5.87; good, \$5.25@5.50; medium, \$4.87@5. Sheep and lambs generally declined; extra, \$3.50@3.75; choice, \$3.25@3.50; medium, \$2.50@3.75; lambs, \$3.50@5.25. Hogs—Prices were firmly maintained under good buying, which kept the supplies well absorbed; western, as to size and selection, \$9@9.25. Fat cows were under better inquiry, bringing \$2.75@3.75; thin cows sold fairly well at \$1.75@2.50; veal calves were steady in the better grades, realizing \$6@6.50; extra choice, \$7.25; common, \$3.50@4.50; milch cows of the finest selection sold for \$40@60 per head; common to fair were held at \$20@35 per head; dressed steers were in good demand, ranging from \$7.50@9.50; dressed cows, according to quality, commanded \$5@6.25.

# ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, by the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania it shall be the duty of the Sheriff of every county at least ten days before any election to be held therein (except for township and borough officers) to give notice of the same by proclamations posted up in the most public places in every election district and by advertisements in at least two newspapers if there be so many published in the county representing so far as practicable the political parties which at the preceding election cast the largest and next largest number of votes and to enumerate the officers to be elected and give a list of all the nominations except for election officers and assessors to be voted for in said county so far as may be in the form in which they shall appear upon the ballot and to designate the places at which the election is to be held.

Therefore, I, H. W. Oslar, High Sheriff of Sullivan county, do hereby make known and proclaim to the qualified electors of Sullivan county that an election will be held in the said county on

**TUESDAY**  
**November 5th,**  
**1901,**

at the several election districts in the county, to wit:

Bernice Precinct, at the Knights of Labor Hall in Bernice.

Cherry Township, at the new township house near Dushore.

Colley Township, at the Colley House.

Davidson Township, at the public house of Ellis Swank, in Sonestown.

Dushore Borough, at the town hall in said borough.

Eagles Mere Borough, at Hotel Eagles Mere.

Elkland Township, at the new election house at Eldredsville.

Forks Township, in rooms known as Council Rooms in said borough.

Fox Township, at the township house at Shunk.

Hills Grove Township, in rooms in house of Mrs. Anna Sadtler, beneath the hall of I. O. G. F. in said village.

Jamison City Precinct, at Kiles Hotel.

Laporte Borough, at the ladies' waiting room in the Court House.

Laporte Township, at the House of Henry Kohensparger.

Lopez Precinct, at public hall known as Lopez Hall.

Mt. Vernon Precinct, at the township house.

Kingdale Precinct, at the house of John Walsh.

Ricketts Precinct, at the school house near Ricketts.

Shrewsbury township, at house of Nelson Bennett.

At which time and place the qualified electors will elect by ballot the following State and County officers, to wit:

One person for Judge of the Supreme Court, one person for State Treasurer, one person for Prothonotary, Register and Recorder and Clerk of the Courts, one person for Associate Judge, one person for Sheriff for said county.

It is further directed that the election polls of the several districts shall be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon and continue open without interruption or adjournment until seven o'clock in the evening, when the polls shall be closed.

Notice is hereby given that every person except Justice of the Peace who shall hold an office or an appointment of profit or trust under the United States of this state or city or incorporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise, a subordinate officer or agent, who is or shall be employed under the Legislative, Executive or Judiciary Department of this State or of the United States or of any city or of any incorporated district and also that every Member of Congress and of the State Legislature and of the select or common council of any city or commissioners of any incorporated district, is by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time the office of appointment of Judge, Inspector or Clerk of an election of this Commonwealth and that no Inspector, Judge or other officer of any such election shall be eligible to be then voted for. The Inspectors and Judge of the election shall meet at the respective places appointed for holding the election in the districts to which they respectively belong, before seven o'clock in the morning and each Inspector shall appoint one Clerk who shall be a qualified voter of such district.

H. W. OSLER, High Sheriff.

Sheriff's office, Laporte, Pa., Oct. 23, 1901.

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Frank Harris.	Elisha A. Corry.	James J. Porter.	James A. McConnell.	Justus Watkins.	Elisha A. Corry, Jr.	Elisha A. Corry, Jr.	Frank G. Harris.	Frank G. Harris.
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W. P. Potter.	Harman Yerkes.	Isaac Mondravan.	Thomas Lawry.	Isaac Mondravan.	Herman Yerkes.	Herman Yerkes.	William P. Potter.	William P. Potter.
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James C. Dehinger.	Thos. E. Kennedy.	Charles E. Woodhead.					J. Mahlon Barnes.	J. Mahlon Barnes.
ASSOCIATE JUDGE.	ASSOCIATE JUDGE.	ASSOCIATE JUDGE.					STATE TREASURER.	STATE TREASURER.
John D. Reeser.	James J. Walsh.	Ass Little.					Charles Heydrick.	Charles Heydrick.
SHERIFF.	SHERIFF.	SHERIFF.					Judge of the Supreme Court.	Judge of the Supreme Court.
Nelson Cox.	Joshua G. Cott.							

A Cross "X" marked in the Square at the right of the names of each Candidate inside the line enclosing the column indicates a vote for each Candidate thus marked. A Cross "X" marked within the Circle at the head of the column it will be equivalent to a mark opposite every name in the column.

The voter may insert in the column below, the name of any person whose name is not printed on the ballot for whom he desires to vote.

This column is for the use of voters desiring to appear for candidates other than those whose names appear printed on this ballot.

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