

APPEAL TO PEOPLE OF UNITED STATES

Made by National Conservation Association for Concerted Action to Preserve Resources.

PRES. TAFT ENDORSES IT.

Association Believes Human Efficiency, Health and Happiness as Important as Forests.

New York, Oct. 27.—Nation-wide in scope and backed with the enthusiastic endorsement of President Taft, a systematic movement to appeal to the people of the United States for concerted action in preserving the natural resources of the country was launched today.

The National Conservation association, with offices here and in Washington, will carry on the proposed vigorous campaign under the leadership of Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard university.

This association is to advocate administrative measures by the states and by the federal government for the conservation principles adopted at the conference with President Roosevelt at the White House in May, 1908.

The association includes among its officers and membership some of the most prominent men of affairs in the country.

General offices were opened today in the Fifth Avenue building in this city, where it was announced that the association already had its organization well under way, and applications for membership were pouring in from all parts of the country. It is understood that as the work of the organization advances branch offices will be established in different sections.

Dr. Eliot is personally directing the work of the association. The officers are:

President—Dr. Charles W. Eliot of Cambridge, Mass.

Vice President—Walter L. Fisher of Chicago.

Secretary—Thomas R. Shipp of Indianapolis, Ind., who was secretary of the White House conference of the governors and secretary of the national conservation commission.

The chairman of the executive committee is John F. Bass of Chicago.

TAFT'S LETTER.

President Taft in a letter made public yesterday said:

"We cannot do a more useful thing for ourselves and posterity than to give personal consideration to the great issues involved in what we have come to call the conservation movement. It is of the greatest importance that this movement should proceed both wisely and effectively and the National Conservation Association is available instrumentality for securing this result. I would like to have you enroll my name in its membership."

Among the most important measures advocated by the association in the general conservation scheme which includes the forests, waters, lands and mineral wealth is that relating to water power rights.

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"Capital owes a duty to labor," he continued. "It must offer a rising wage until middle life. Capital should prolong the period of saving power. Competition is essential to the development of the nation and it is a cheerful sign that capital is recognizing that monopoly is not a legitimate object in business."

Dr. Eliot called for publicity in handling accounts of public utility and fiduciary corporations.

"The time has come," he said, "for capital to accept publicity for all its works. A system of uniform accounting should show the public the profits, the dividends, salaries and wages of each corporation."

Dr. Eliot declared that democracy is coming to demand that capital shall do its full duty and mentioned among the duties of capital the improvement of workingmen's conditions, both of labor and housing and social life.

"A democracy," he continued, "has no tendency to work equality of possessions. Indeed, a state of freedom in activity, education and industry is an extreme inequality of possessions. But capital has in its election the rich man. It enjoys the sight of them if their wealth is used in any intelligent and honorable way. His tendency to evade just taxation is the thing most held against the rich man. The rich must recognize the right of a fair distribution of taxation whether income or inheritance taxes."

THREE INFORMATIONS
FILED AGAINST MCMAHON

Kansas City, Oct. 27.—James McMahon, the self-confessed triple murderer, was today charged in three informations filed in the city court in Kansas City, Kan., by County Prosecutor Taggart, with having killed Margaret Van Royen and Rose McMahon his sisters, and Alonso R. Van Royen, his brother.

Following this action, Under Sheriff Brady started for Lansing, Kan., with the warrant for the man's arrest. McMahon will be removed temporarily from the immediate precincts of the state penitentiary, to which he was hurried last night to prevent his being lynched and the warrant formally served upon him. The man's wife will be returned to the penitentiary for safe keeping pending his return to Kansas City for a preliminary hearing which probably will be set for late this week.

According to the prosecutor, no charge will be preferred against Patrick McMahons, James' brothers, from all blame on against Patrick Lamb, the hired man, whose services to the authorities led to the arrest of the McMahons.

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SEVEN INSTEAD OF TWENTY-THREE MEN STARTING OUT TO GUARD TAXPAYERS' INTERESTS AND PROPERTY.

BUILDINGS TORN DOWN.

When the afternoon police shift went on duty yesterday only seven guardians of the peace and safety of the lives and property of the residents of Salt Lake City, out of 24 patrolmen, answered to their names. The other 17 were marked up for "special duty." The nature of "special duty" could not be learned at police headquarters further than that the opposition was the men had been registered by Gus Holmes and Frank Knox. The regular register books of the State Seal, Corp. Bogart, two men in the names of O'Neill and another woman. There are 50 persons registered from places of Franklin avenue where the buildings were torn down months ago. These people have no residence and their vote will probably be challenged.

BIGGEST LIST YET.

When Mrs. Nellie Edwards, the registrar agent in the Fifty-third district, was asked about the registration she said:

"Each canvass brings in new voters. Last year there were 630 registered on Tuesday, Oct. 12, there were 193 new registrations and today there are 194. I suppose new ones will come in until election day if they could register. A total of 847 registrations is the highest mark that has ever been registered."

POLICE TACTICS.

During the day 7,000 voters registered. It is the heaviest registration which has ever been registered in Salt Lake in one day. Two weeks ago Tuesday there were 4,500 registered which makes a total of 11,500 new registrations this year. In Salt Lake City. In the county election last year there were 27,000 votes cast. It is estimated by the various parties that there will be about 29,000 cast this election.

The following table shows a partial list of the districts and the number of persons who registered yesterday.

REGISTRATION BY DISTRICTS.

District.	District.
1	134-27
2	146-28
3	151-29
4	152-30
5	153-31
6	155-33
7	159-35
8	206-36
9	285-37
10	123-41
11	362-42
12	97-43
13	101-44
14	92-45
15	129-47
16	55-48
17	140-49
18	115-50
19	169-51
20	152-52
21	128-53
22	106-54
23	364

INCREASE IN DISTRICTS.

In the Fifty-fourth district, the normal vote is 366. The total number of registrations this year in that district is 1,952 votes. The Fifty-third district normally polls about 680 votes. The registration books this year show a total of 874.

The increase in the other districts is slight. The registration shows that the growth of Salt Lake is steady with the exception of the two tenderloin districts where the transients have been herded to the registry offices.

But that doesn't make any difference, I'll send a carriage around for you in a little while," the organizer said, and then proceeded to the next room where he aroused a Mr. Clark.

Mr. Hamilton occupies room No. 16 and the register in the Orpheum hotel does not show that Mr. Martin ever did live in room 16.

Similar circumstances are reported from different roominghouses. In the Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth districts the roominghouses were canvassed several times during the day by policemen in plain clothes.

REGISTERED AFTER HOURS.

About 8:55 o'clock last night the police rushed eight or 10 men and women to the registry office in the Fifty-fourth district. Before Mrs. Mary G. Moore completed the registration of two men and a woman who had been previously sworn the 9 o'clock whistle blew, and the registry office closed.

TOM IS CONGRAT