

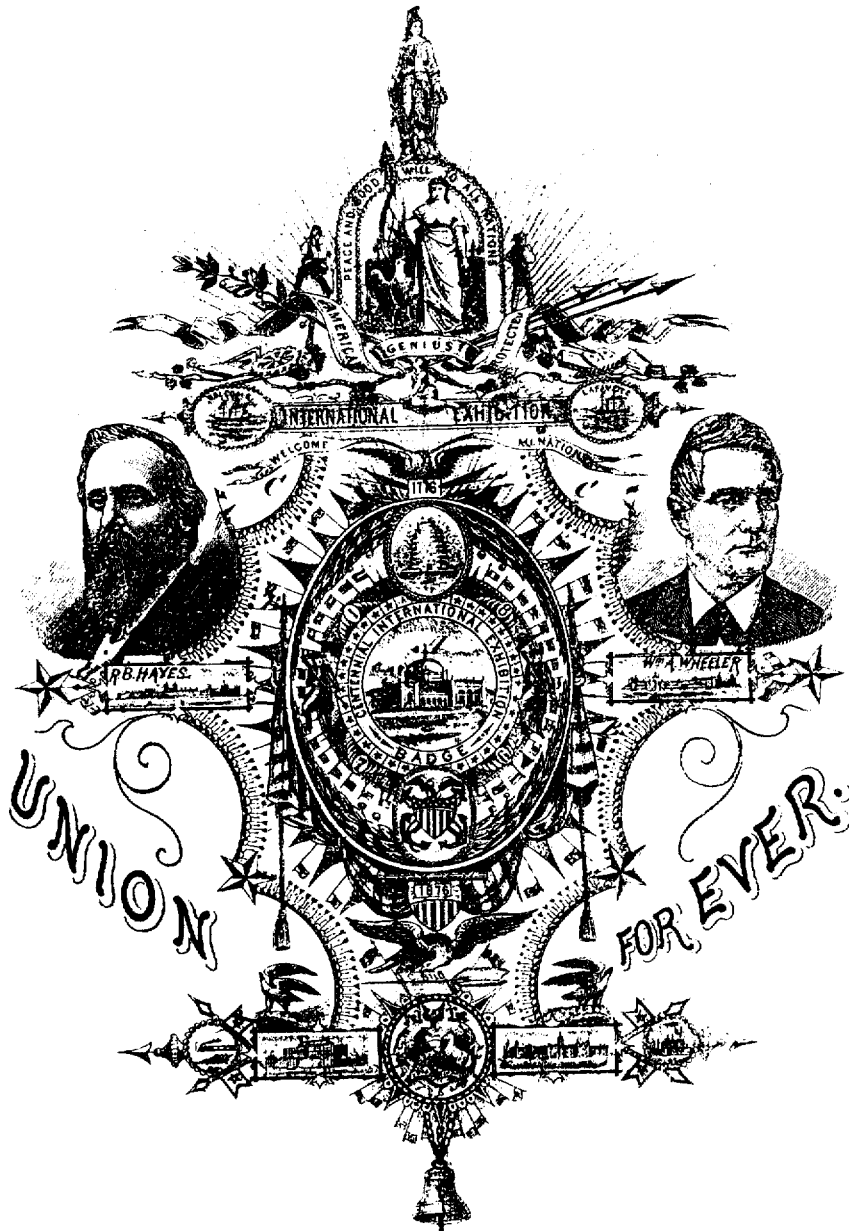
DESIGN.

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ORNAMENTAL SHIRT-FRONTS.

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## DESIGN FOR ORNAMENTAL SHIRT-FRONTS.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, AMAND PLAUT, of the city, county, and State of New York, have invented a new and original Design for a Shirt-Front, of which the following is a specification:

The nature of my design is fully shown in the accompanying illustration, to which reference is made.

The object of my invention is to produce a striking design for a centennial and campaign shirt; and the design consists of a central medallion containing the Art Gallery of the Centennial Exhibition in Philadelphia, surrounded by stars, emblems, and flags, the medallion being inclosed by an oval border, which is again inclosed by a suitably-ornamented border, crowned by an allegorical figure of America and the Goddess of Liberty arranged at the top, together with portraits at the sides, and a State coat of arms, pictures of the centennial buildings, and of the Liberty Bell, at the lower part of the border.

In the drawing, A represents the central medallion, containing a picture of the Art Gallery of the Centennial Exhibition. The medallion is surrounded by a circle of stars and a border, with a bee-hive at the top, continental soldiers at the sides, and a shield with stars and stripes, eagle and anchors at the bottom. This part is inclosed by an oval border, B, from which radiate alternately flags and star-

points, the border being draped at the sides and surmounted by an eagle, and the number "1776" at the top, and an American shield with the number "1876" at the bottom. An ornamental border, C, extends around the oval center part, and supports at the top, in radiating rays of the sun, on suitable scrolls and emblems, an allegoric figure of America, with flag and eagle, and above the same a representation of the statue of the Goddess of Liberty on the Capitol at Washington. The pictures or portraits of distinguished persons may be placed on the sides or middle part of the border C, while the coat of arms of a State of the Union, together with eagles, pictures of the centennial buildings, medallions and the Liberty Bell of Independence Hall, are arranged at the lower part of the border.

Having thus described my invention, what I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

The design for a shirt-front composed essentially of the ornamental figures, pictures, and devices grouped together, substantially as described, and represented in the accompanying illustration.

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