

MEETING—Wednesday, December 7, 1868

(7 Electoral Votes)

*PARTICIPATING POLITICAL
PARTIES IN MARYLAND*

Democratic (D)
Republican (R)

VICTORS IN MARYLAND

President & Vice President
Horatio Seymour (D) and Francis P. Blair—
7 electoral votes

ELECTORS

John Thomson Mason—At Large
Albert Constable—1st District
Walter T. Allender—2nd District
Henry Clay Dallam—3rd District
Charles B. Roberts—4th District
George Peters—5th District
George M. Gill—Substitute for
R. B. Carmichael

OPPOSING CANDIDATES

President & Vice President
Ulysses S. Grant (R) and Schuyler Colfax

GOVERNOR

Thomas Swann—Union Party

Secretary of State

John M. Carter

MARYLAND ELECTION RETURNS

Seymour and Blair	62,357
Grant and Colfax	30,438
Seymour and Blair	67.2%
Grant and Colfax	32.8%
Seymour and Blair	7 electoral
Grant and Colfax	

NATIONAL ELECTION RETURNS

Grant and Colfax	3,013,421
Seymour and Blair	2,706,829
Grant and Colfax	52.7%
Seymour and Blair	47.3%
Grant and Colfax	214 electoral
Seymour and Blair	80

MISCELLANEA

As a result of his victorious leadership of the Union armies, Grant inherited the presidency almost as a right. At 46 he was the youngest to reach this position. He drank excessively and was not equipped to govern our nation; in spite of this, the Republicans pressed him to try for a second term, which he won. Scandal which touched his first four years flourished in the second term.

MEETING—Wednesday, December 4, 1872

(8 Electoral Votes)

*PARTICIPATING POLITICAL
PARTIES IN MARYLAND*

Democratic (D)
Republican (R)

VICTORS IN MARYLAND

President & Vice President
Horace Greeley (D) and
Benjamin Gratz Brown—8 electoral votes

ELECTORS

Frederick Raine—At Large
Augustus W. Bradford—At Large

Philip D. Laird—1st District
James B. Groome—2nd District
John M. Carter—3rd District
James A. Buchanan—4th District
James T. Brisco—5th District
William Walsh—6th District

OPPOSING CANDIDATES

President & Vice President
Ulysses S. Grant (R) and Henry Wilson

GOVERNOR

William Pinkney Whyte (D)