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Washington, D. C., May 13 -- A convention having as its object amity between the races will be held in this city May 19, 20, 21, The men and women who are behind the plans for the meeting declare that half a century ago slavery was abolished in America, but that now need has arisen for another great effort and that correction of the present wrong requires no army, for the field of its action is in the hearts of men. say that when America has not her own house in order then she may be trusted to carry the message of universal peace to all manking.

Among the speakers will be men prominent in official life, Dr. Samuel McComb of Baltimore, Alfred Martin, president of the Ethical Culture Society of New York; C. Lee Cook of Louisville, Ky., and the eminent scholar and philosopher, Jenabe Fazel Mazandarani of Persia, who is associated with the great Bahai movement

Mrs. Coralie F. Cook, a member of the Board of Education of this city. will speak on "Colored Poets and Their Poetry." Other speakers will be Mrs. Gabrielle Pelham, Dr. A. L. Locke, Howard University, and Louis G. Gregory.

The difference in arrangement and scope of this convention is expected to make a strong appeal to thinking people in all parts of the United States.