

handsomely dressed at their own expense. These elected to clothe themselves in "sky-blue jackets." This barge was to be presented to the great man at Haddrel's Point for his conveyance to the city by the Recorder, who, in his official robes, should there await his arrival.

Promptly at the day and hour named, General Moultrie, General Pinckney and the Honorable John B. Holmes, the Recorder, in his official robes, met the President at Haddrel's Point, where they embarked and, accompanied by a flotilla, crowded with cheering passengers and from which two bands were discoursing music, proceeded across the harbor to the foot of Queen Street, where steps had been arranged and where the President was met by the Governor, the Intendant, the City Council and the State Society of the Cincinnati.

However the Governor may have been attired, he must have appeared to the public as a somewhat inconsiderable personage, in contrast with the imposing presence of the Intendant and Wardens, each of whom carried a black varnished wand three-quarters of an inch in diameter and six feet long; those of the Wardens headed in silver and that of the Intendant in gold, on which were inscribed the ciphers C.C.L. What the Governor said, does not appear; but his Honor the Intendant addressed the distinguished guest as follows: "The Intendant and Wardens beg leave, sir, to welcome you to this city. It will be their care to make your stay agreeable — they have provided accommodations for yourself and suite to which they will be happy to conduct you."

The Father of his Country calmly replied that he was ready to attend them and would follow, and the procession moved forward in the following order: —

City Sheriff (with mace).

Messenger and Marshall.

Treasurer and Clerk.