

two well-known Washington lawyers delegated to look after the guests of the Association, namely, Mr. Commissioner H. G. Macfarland and Mr. George Xavier McLanahan. These gentlemen proved charming hosts and an added pleasure was the company of Mrs. Macfarland during a two hours motor drive about Washington and environs and on the Potomac trip to Mount Vernon. Through the courtesy of the Washingtonians, the Canadians were extended the privileges of The Army and Navy Club, The Chevy Chase Club, The University Club, The Metropolitan Club, Cosmos Club, and National Press Club of Washington. At the luncheon the Canadians were greeted by the excellent hotel orchestra with Britain's Marching Song. "It's a long, long way to Tipperary." Applause and joining in the chorus by those familiar with the words drew an encore from the orchestra with drum effect that must have made every Briton thoroughly at home.

A reception by Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, British Ambassador to Washington, to the Canadians on the morning of the 21st was an interesting and much appreciated function not scheduled on the programme of the Association.

After leaving the Embassy, the Canadians were taken in automobiles from the New Willard Hotel to the Potomac Steamboat Landing where all became the guests of the lawyers of the District of Columbia for the excursion to Mount Vernon, the home of Washington, "The Father of His Country." Over a thousand ladies and gentlemen were of the party, and as each walked down the gang-plank, one of the Committee presented to each man a carnation and to each lady an American Beauty rose. Luncheon was served on the steamboat en route. Arriving at Mt. Vernon Landing several miles up the river, headed by President Taft, followed by the Canadian delegation, the party disembarked and proceeded first to a point in the grounds where an oak tree was planted to commemorate the occasion by Hon. M. Taft, who responded in a happy way to the exceedingly eloquent address of welcome given by ex-Governor Montague of Virginia, to whom the Canadians were presented. Both