

of Cincinnati, as Secretary, H. C. Monk, of Montreal, as Vice-Chairman for Canada, and A. T. Minard, of Boston, as Vice-Chairman for the United States. Dr. J. D. Wilson, of London, was Secretary for Canada, and Gordon F. Matthews, of Buffalo, Secretary for the United States. For some unexplained reason the Toronto Club took slight interest in the gathering and only two or three representatives were present out of its membership of over a thousand.

It may be added here that the most active organizations in the United States are those of New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Pittsburg. Under Dr. Neil McPhatter and the active efforts of Mr. W. T. Robson, now of Montreal, the Club in New York did good service in promoting international friendship—especially by its annual banquets. Amongst them were Sir Charles Tupper, Senator J. V. Ellis, the Hon. G. E. Foster, Sir F. Borden, C. G. D. Roberts, the Hon. Clifford Sifton, Charles Marcell and the Hon. R. Lemieux. Its Presidents included Dr. R. H. Upham, 1900 and 1901; H. W. Patterson, 1902 and 1903; J. F. Masters, 1904 and 1905; C. H. McIntyre, 1906 and 1907. The Canadian Society of Philadelphia was organized in 1901 with Mr. Thomas Martindale as President during that and the four succeeding years. Mr. W. A. Higginbotham was elected in 1906 and 1907. Mr. W. T. Rolph was Secretary of the Club in 1907 and had been so for six years. In Pittsburg the President of the Canadian Society for 1907 was Dr. J. Holton Robinson and the Secretary W. M. Thompson. A Canadian Club was formed at Houston, Texas, on Feb. 21, 1906, with W. W. Anderson as President and J. S. C. Adamson as Secretary. An interesting organization was the Canadian Club of Harvard University with a large membership composed of British-born students from any part of the Empire and with Mr. Varley B. Fullerton, B.A., as President in 1907. In the far-away capital of Mexico a Canadian Commercial Club was formed in 1904 with J. H. McLeod as President. He was succeeded by C. T. Ambridge in 1906 and by A. R. Dobson in 1907—with A. D. W. Leach as Secretary. In all the American organizations, the primary object was to keep alive memories of the Canadian home country and to improve its relations with the United States through an extension of knowledge there as to Canadian conditions. In London, England, it may be added, a Canadian Society was formed some years ago with 400 members and a Committee under the chairmanship of Mr. Barlow Cumberland, who was then living in London. It has since done excellent service in keeping Canada before the British public. The first of all such organizations in London, or elsewhere indeed, was the Canada Club, now nearly a century old. The Hon. Secretary of its Managing Committee since 1901 has been Mr. J. G. Colmer, C.M.G., and the other members of that body in 1907 were Messrs. Ion Hamilton Benn, Donald Macmaster, K.C., Frederick