

at Washington City to consider certain duties of the hour. Out of this meeting grew a temporary organization called "National Board for Historical Service." James T. Shotwell is chairman; Charles H. Hull, vice chairman; Waldo G. Leland, secretary-treasurer; the others on the board are Victor S. Clark, Robert D. W. Connor, Carl Russell Fish, Charles D. Hazen, Baillard Hunt and Frederick J. Turner.

They are representative men in the field of history. The only object in view by this prompt action is to prepare for any service possible for the historians to render in the crisis of war.

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*Launching the Sanwan*

Many pioneers were included in the more than four hundred guests of Mr. Robert Moran, who travelled on his chartered steamer Indianapolis to his beautiful home at Rosario on Orcas Island to witness the launching of his power yacht Sanwan. The enjoyment of the occasion was not lessened by the knowledge of the fact that Mr. Moran had tendered the new boat to the nation for service in the war.