

SPECIAL TRAIN CONVEYS SCOUTS, GUIDES TODAY

Close to 285 Scouts and Girl Guides Journey To Saint John

To Take Active Part

Demonstration at Saint John Today for Lord, Lady Baden-Powell

About 285 Boy Scouts and Girl Guides, the majority of them from Fredericton, left this morning by special train from the Union Station at 8 o'clock for Saint John, where they will participate this afternoon in the grand jamboree held in that city for Lord Baden-Powell, Chief Scout, and Lady Baden-Powell, Chief Guide. The special train will bring the representatives of central New Brunswick's Scouting back to this city at 11 o'clock tonight.

A party of Rover Scouts together with Scout leaders in this part of the province left yesterday for Saint John, where they officially met the famous Scout leaders. Those who left were: Brig-Gen. F. W. Hill, vice-president of the N. B. Boy Scout Association; Prof. Robert Pugh, provincial field worker, and G. Alvah Good, district Scout commissioner.

The contingent of Boy Scouts and Girl Guides who left by special train were in command of James O. Manchip, district Cubmaster. Besides the city of Fredericton, different places in central New Brunswick, including Devon, the Nashwaak valley, and Woodstock all were represented in the special trainload of Scouts and Guides.

More than 30 Girl Guides of the 2nd Fredericton Company were included in the party leaving here today. These were in charge of Captain Martha O'Neill. Lieutenant Helen Burns was second in command. About thirty guides from St. Anne's Troop also left on the special train. The Girl Guides will put on a physical drill in the demonstrations taking place this afternoon.

Mrs. A. A. James will be in charge of the St. Anne's Troop of Girl Guides. Many were out to the Union Station this morning to see the Scouts and Guides off.

NEWS BRIEFS

KING'S BIRTHDAY

Monday next being King's Birthday and a public holiday, The Daily Mail will not be published.

RETURNS FROM INSPECTION

W. K. Tibert, director of vocational education for New Brunswick, has returned home after completing an inspection of the Edmundston Composite High School this week.

ABLE TO LEAVE HOSPITAL

Friends will be pleased to learn that Mrs. Maurice Allen, who has been ill at the Victoria Hospital in recent weeks, has improved to the extent that she was able to leave for her home yesterday.

WEATHER STATISTICS

The weather statistics for the month of May as furnished by the Dominion Experimental Station are as follows: Maximum temperature, 78; mean, 49.56; minimum 28; rainfall, 1.63 inches; sunshine, 224 hours. The month was characterized by a long period of drought and except for the past week there had been very little warm weather.

REMOVED TO HER HOME

Mrs. H. W. Estabrooks, president of the Fredericton branch of the Women's Institute, who has been undergoing treatment at the Victoria Hospital for the past several months, was removed to her home on Charlotte St. from the hospital yesterday. There is not much change in her condition.

The Conservative party invite the public to meetings on Monday at Lower Hanwell, Tuesday at Kingsclear, Mouth Keswick, Estey's Bridge, Penniac; on Wednesday at Nasonworth. Ladies and gents invited. Good speakers.

SOYBEAN WILL PLAY PART IN N.B. AGRICULTURE

Experimental Station to Develop Two Acres This Season

Has Many Uses

Soybean Cultivated In Upper Provinces On Widespread Scale

The Soybean which Emperor Shen Nung of China mentioned in one of his books in the year 2838 B. C., and which in recent years has been developed extensively in the Upper Canadian provinces, is to play a role in New Brunswick agriculture this season.

Soybean is a crop whose yield includes varied products which can be converted by chemistry into some of the essential products of industry. But besides the soybean produces a meal containing from 40 to 44 per cent protein for all kinds of livestock and poultry feeds, a soybean flour and soybean milk. A company at Hamilton, Ontario is making a delicious food, a chocolate malted soybean milk for use in children's diets and hospitals.

C. F. Bailey, superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Station here, announced today that during the present summer two acres of this soybean will be developed in this province. He said that the station here had been raising this crop for the past five years. However, it had been in the experimental stage. The operations this year are on a wider scale than ever before.

Plan Tried Here

This year one acre has been sown broadcast and the other in drills to be cultivated. In this latter connection, where the bean is cultivated considerable labor is involved. The Experimental Station will keep track of costs, and yields of both the broadcast and cultivation methods and will endeavor to find out which is the most practiced way of developing the new crop.

The soybean is grown grain-like and in the small way it was grown here last year it was shown that cows liked it exceedingly. The crop is very high in protein content. In this province at the present time more hope is held of the new crop as hay. The earlier varieties are grown for food, and the later for hay. Since the climate here is only suitable for the latter crop, the emphasis will be on hay, rather than food for the present. "We have not reached the stage where the soybean can be grown readily as food," commented Mr. Bailey this morning.

Soybeans are easily grown. They can quite readily be produced on New Brunswick soil. Good cornbelt however, is deemed most suitable for their maximum development. The plant may be used as green manure, forage, pasture, hay ensilage or soiling. It enriches the soil on which it is grown by fixing the nitrogen of the air in the soil. The seed is the important part. The crop is harvested the same as wheat. The new combine harvester is the most economical method of harvesting, and the seed or round beans are then converted into meal, oil or food products.

CONDITION IMPROVING

Word has been received here that there is some improvement in the condition of R.C.M.P. Sergeant Jakeman, who is confined to Hotel Dieu Hospital Gaspé, suffering from pneumonia. Sergeant Jakeman's home is now in this city and he was recently transferred to Anticosti Island on special police duty, where he was taken ill. Friends and associates here will be glad to learn of his improved condition.

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COLLECTIONS OF PORT REVENUE ARE INCREASED

National Revenue, Port of Fredericton, Shows Slight Increase

Increase Was \$740.28

Given Out This Morning By F. P. Colter, Collector National Revenue

Canadian National Revenue returns for the port of Fredericton for the month of May show an increase in collections over the preceding month of \$740.28.

Announcement of the May returns was made this morning by F. P. Colter, collector of National Revenue of the Customs and Excise division.

The amount of revenue collected during the month of May, 1934, was \$35,398.42, while the detailed report of collections for May this year is as follows:

Customs Import Duty\$13,165.57
Customs Sales Tax 1,808.72
Customs Excise Tax 260.11
Excise Tax (Domestic) 5,075.74
Excise Duty 15,928.56

\$36,138.70

REVISOR'S COURTS

Major J. S. Scott, secretary treasurer of York county, has returned from conducting revisors' courts throughout York county this week. Yesterday he was at Cross Creek and Napaogen. On Tuesday of next week he will conduct similar courts at McNutt's Mill, and at Woodland.

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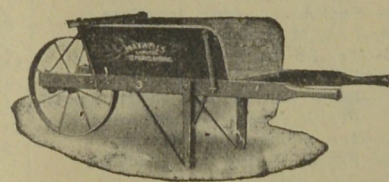
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