

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, May 27, 1954.

The Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization met at 11.00 o'clock a.m. this day. The Chairman, Mr. René N. Jutras, presided.

Members present: Messrs. Argue, Blackmore, Bryson, Byrne, Castleden, Charlton, Clark, Forgie, Gour (*Russell*), Johnson (*Kindersley*), Jutras, Kirk (*Antigonish-Guysborough*), Mang, Massé, McBain, McLeod, Montgomery, Pommer, Purdy, Schneider, Stanton, White (*Middlesex East*), White (*Waterloo South*), and Yuill.

In attendance: Dr. F. Dimmock, Forage Crops Division, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

Dr. Dimmock made a statement on the utilization and future marketing of soybeans. He also presented statistics showing the following:

1. Acreage, production and farm value of soybeans, 1942-1953;
2. Soybean crushings and production of soybean oil and meal;
3. Use of soybean oil in margarine and shortening in 1953.

Agreed,—That the above-mentioned statistics be printed as an Appendix to this day's evidence. (*See Appendix "A"*).

The witness was thanked by the Chairman of the Committee and retired.

At 12.50 o'clock p.m., the Committee adjourned to the call of the Chair.

TUESDAY, June 1, 1954.

The Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization met *in camera* at 10.00 o'clock a.m. this day. The Chairman, Mr. René N. Jutras, presided.

Members present: Messrs. Argue, Batten, Blackmore, Bryson, Cardiff, Castleden, Charlton, Forgie, Gingras, Harkness, Huffman, Jutras, MacKenzie, Massé, McCubbin, McLeod, Michaud, Pommer, Purdy, Roberge, Schneider, Weselak, White (*Middlesex East*), and Yuill.

The Chairman submitted a draft of the "Second Report to the House".

The Committee considered and adopted the above-mentioned Report and instructed the Chairman to present it to the House without amendment. (*For Copy of Report see SECOND REPORT to the House*).

At 10.30 o'clock a.m., the Committee adjourned to the call of the Chair.

E. W. INNES,
Clerk of the Committee.