Moncton Group Arrives In City

Delegates from the Canadian city of Moncton, New Brunswick, began on a whirlwind tour of Lafayette and Acadia today after a journey here to complete twinning ceremonies of the two cities.

A Lafayette delegation went to Moncton earlier this year for which links the two cities and recognizes their common Acadian heritage.

Begins Touring

Members of the Moncton delegation arrived in Lafayette yesterday evening and after a cocktail party and dinner last night, this morning began touring local points of interest. Among those visiting are Deputy Mayor and Mrs. L. J. Cormier; Councilman and Mrs. C. W. Somers; Councilman and Mrs. G. W. Somers; Councilman and Mrs. G. D. Wheeler; Councilman and Mrs. L. F. Belliveau; Councilman and Mrs. E. O. Steeves; Councilman and Mrs. S. C. Campbell; Councilman and Mrs. M. J. Cripion; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Gerth of the Moncton Chamber of Commerce, Dr. and Mrs. Lionel Maillet of the Richelieu Club and Leon Thoiaut, professor of history at the University of Moncton and president of the Academy of Historical Society.

Also accompanying the delegates are two representatives of the Canadian Broadcasting System.

Until then, however, a full agenda has been planned, including tours of the Lafayette Museum, Lafayette Art Center, Lafayette Natural History Museum and Planetarium, luncheons for the men at Oakbourne Country Club and for the women — with accompanying style show — at the Northgate Mall, a cocktail party and official city dinner, all set for today.

Tomorrow's agenda includes a tour of the University of Southwestern Louisiana, a bayou country tour — including a boat ride in the Atchafalaya Basin — and a Cajun barbecue at Bute La Rose.

Thursday is left open for the guest to tour in areas of special interest, followed by a banquet at the municipal auditorium to be hosted by the Louisiana Tourist Commission.