

At Lancaster House Colonial Secretary Lennox Boyd  
opened the first session of the Singapore Constitutional  
Conference. The dynamic Chief Minister of Singapore,  
20 David Marshall, heads ~~the Singapore~~<sup>the</sup> Delegation.  
He and his colleagues want all possible authority but  
agree that Britain shall control external defence.

Windsor Castle was the inspiring background at the St.  
George 's Day parade of <sup>nearly a thousand</sup> Queen's Scouts

and holders of Scout gallantry awards. ~~The boys came~~  
35 from all parts of ~~Britain~~. The present year will see  
the fortieth anniversary of the Wolf Cub branch. ■  
Fifty of them, from London and the Home Counties, took  
part in the parade. The Queen had a kindly word with  
some of the crippled scouts before she watched the  
march past.