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PROGRAMME FOR VISIT OF THEIR MAJESTIES THE KING AND QUEEN JULY 1945.

TUESDAY, JULY 3rd.

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- 5.30 (approx.) Arrive Jurby. Inspect Guard and Pipe Band.
- 5.35. Proceed by car to R.A.F Officers' Mess for tea.
- 6.00 Inspect Jurby and Andreas R.A.F. personnel on Jurby parade ground.
- 6.15 Leave for Government House via Tholt-y-Will.
- 7.00 Arrive Government House.

(If travel by air is impracticable, arrival will be at Douglas, by sea during the night, the Royal Party remaining on board until the morning.)

WEDNESDAY, July 4th.

MORNING. - Carolane 91K Setton

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Government House via Bucks Road and Victoria Street to Villa Marina 9.55 a.m. Representatives of British Legion assembled before the War Memorial. School-9.45 children assembled at Villa Marina.

> (If arrival is by sea, disembarkation at King Edward VIII Pier 9.45 a.m. thence by Promenade to Villa Marina, arriving 9.55 a.m.)

- Villa Marina depart 10.15 a.m. via Promenade and Royal Avenue to Onchan.
- Arrive Onchan 10.20 a.m. Schoolchildren assembled in Onchan Village below the Cinema. Leave 10.30 a.m.
- Arrive Laxey 10.45 a.m. Schoolchildren assembled by Manx Electric Railway Station.
- Depart Laxey 10.55 a.m. Pass Dhoon School en route and enter Ramsey by Ascog Hall, Walpole Drive, Promenade, turn left at Dale Street, Market Square and Parliament Street.

Arrive Town Hall, Parliament Square at 11,15 a.m. Schoolchildren assembled in Parliament Square.

Tea.

- Depart Town Hall, Ramsey, at 11.35 a.m. for R.A.F. Training Flying Control Centre, Lezayre Road.
- Arrive at 11.40 a.m. Training Flying Control Centre. Inspect Personnel and Control Rooms.
- Depart Training Flying Control Centre at 11.55 a.m. for Government House, passing through Sulby and Ballaugh to Bishopscourt, then passing through Kirk Michael, Glen Helen, Ballacraine, Crosby, Union Mills, Strang Road, Abbeylands, arriving Government House at 1 p.m. (approximately).

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AFTERNOON

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Leave Government House at 2.30 p.m. for Pecl via Glencrutchery Road, Quarter Bridge, Cooil, Plains of Heaven, Foxdale, St. John's (Schoolchildren assembled), Albany Road, Church Street, Stanley Road to Promenade arriving 2.56 p.m. Schoolchildren assembled on Promenade.

Leave Peel 3.10 p.m. for Port Erin via East Quay, Crown Street, Castle Street, (Stopping to view Curtis' kippering establishment), Market Square, Patrick (Members of the Women's Land Army assembled at the entrance to the drive at Knockaloe) Glenmaye, Dalby Round Table, Ronague, joining main road to Port Erin at Ballaher. Thence passing Arbory School, Colby, at Ballabeg. Thence passing Arbory School, Colby,
Ballafesson Road, arriving at the Biological Station WATTERSON at 3.45 p.m. (Port Erin Commissioners assembled).

Leave Port Erin at 4.0 p.m. Via main Road to Four Ruads, (Rushen schoolchildren assembled), turn right at Four Roads and arrive at Town Hall, Port St Mary, at 4.5 p.m. (Commissioners assembled). Cars turning short of Ballaqueeney before stopping at Town Hall. Tea with 208th O.C.T.U., R.A.P.C.

Leave Port St Mary at 4.35 p.m. for Castletown via Smelt and Coast Road, Arbory Street, arriving at Parade (Square) 4.45 p.m. (Schoolchildren assembled in Square).

Walk to Castle Rushen, arriving 4.55 p.m.

Leave Castle Rushen at 5.15 p.m. (Stopping at Castletown Brewery) via Victoria Road, Douglas Road, College Road, arriving at King William's College at 5.20 p.m.

Leave King William's College at 5.30 p.m. for Government House via College Road, Main Road to Ballasalla, turn right at Blackboards and along Old Castletown Road to South Quay, Douglas, then via Peel Road and Bray Hill to Government House, arriving 5.50 p.m.

(If arrival has been by sea, return to Government House will be via North Quay, Peveril Square, Victoria Street, Buck's Road, Woodbourne Road, Glencrutchery Road.)

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Leave Government House for Tynwald at St. John's.
An Investiture will be held on Tynwald Hill. 10.35 Direct route to and from St. John's. from for affe 12 20

2. 30 km H.M.S. St. George and R.N. School of Music, Parade on Glencrutchery Playing Field. check pist.

Garden Party at Government House.

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A. M. Carles 9.30

- 9.56 Leave Government House via Blackberry Lane and Summer Hill.
- 10.00 Arrive Palace Camp. Inspect Royal Corps of Signals.
- 10.07 Leave Palace Camp.
- 10.10 Arrive H. M. S. Valkyrie.
- 10.12 Inspect Guard. Presentation of Officers of Commander's rank and O.C's Foreign Detachments.
- 10.16 March Past by units.
- 10.35 Leave H.M.S. Valkyrie.
- 10.43 Arrive Douglas Head. Inspect Radar School.
- 11.13 Leave Douglas Head.
- 11.20 Arrive Harbour approach. Inspect 166th O.C.T.U.
- 11.40 Leave Parade.
- 11.45 Arrive Crown Welding Company's factory for aeroplane parts.
- NOON Return Government House.

P.M. 5.10 Leave Government House.

5.30 Arrive Ronaldsway. Inspect personnel of H. M. S. Urley.

5.50 Depart from Ronaldsway.

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ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMMES FOR THE VISIT OF THEIR MAJESTIES THE KING AND QUEEN.

WEDNESDAY, 4th JULY, 1945.

A. - LAND AT RAMSEY.

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0945 Leave H.M.S. Dido.

0950 Land at Pier. Received by His Excellency and Heads of Services.

1000 Arrive Ramsey Town Hall via Promenade, etc.

1015 Depart Ramsey.

1018 Arrive R.A.F., T.F.C.C.

1033 Depart R.A.F., T.F.C.C. via Sulby.

1050 Arrive Jurby Parade Ground inspect R.A.F. personnel of Jurby and Andreas.

1105 Leave Jurby via Old Ballaugh.

1120 Arrive Bishopscourt. Tea.

1135 Leave Bishopscourt via Kirk Michael, Glen Helen,
Ballacraine, Crosby, Union Mills, Kirk Bradda,
Quarterbridge, North Quay, Walpole Avenue,
Promenade.

1220 Arrive Villa Marina.

1240 Leave Promenade.

1245 Arrive Onchan.

1255 Leave Onchan.

1.0 Arrive Government House.

P.M. Programme as previously arranged.

ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMMES FOR THE VISIT OF THEIR MAJESTIES THE KING AND QUEEN.

WEDNESDAY. 4th JULY. 1945.

B. - LAND AT PEEL.

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- 0950 Land at steps. Received by His Excellency and Heads of Services.
- 1015 Leave Curtis's for Port Erin via Knockaloe, etc.
- 1050 Arrive Biological Station, Port Erin.
- 1110 Leave Biological Station.
- 1120 Arrive Port St Mary. Tea.
- 1140 Leave Port St Mary.
- 1150 Arrive Castletown.
- 1215 Leave Castle Rushen.
- 1220 Leave Castletown Brewery.
- 1225 Arrive King William's College.
- 1235 Leave King William's College via Ballasalla and direct route.
- 1.0 Arrive Government House.
- 2.30 Leave Government House via Victoria Road and Broadway.
- 2.35 Arrive Villa Marina.
- 3.0 Leave Promenade.
- 3.5 Arrive Onchan.
- 3.15 Leave Onchan.
- 3.30 Arrive Laxey.
- 3.40 Leave Laxey.
- 3.55 Arrive Ramsey. Tea.
- 4.20 Leave Ramsey.
- 4.25 T.F.C.C.
- 4.40 Leave T.F.C.C. via Sulby.
- 4.55 Arrive Jurby.
- 5.10 Leave Jurby via Old Ballaugh.
- 5.25 Arrive Bishopscourt.
- 5.40 Leave Bishopscourt via Kirk Michael and Glen Helen.
- 6.10 Arrive Government House.

ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMMES FOR THE VISIT OF THEIR MAJESTIES THE KING AND QUEEN.

WEDNESDAY Lth JULY 1945.

C. - LAND AT PORT ST MARY.

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0950 Arrive Harbour steps. Received by His Excellency and Heads of Services.

1000 Arrive Port St Mary Town Hall.

1010 Leave Port St Mary.

1018 Arrive Biological Station, Port Erin.

1035 Leave Port Erin.

1045 Arrive Castletown.

1110 Leave Castle Rushen.

1115 Leave Castletown Brewery.

1120 Arrive King William's College. Tea.

1140 Leave King William's College, Old Road to Douglas,
North Quay, Promenade.

1205 Arrive Villa Marina.

1225 Leave Promenade.

1230 Arrive Onchan.

1240 Leave Onchan.

1245 Arrive Government House.

2.30 Leave Government House.

2.45 Arrive Laxey.

2.55 Leave Laxey.

3.15 Arrive Ramsey.

3.30 Leave Ramsey.

3.35 R.A.F. T.F.C.C.

3.50 Leave T.F.C.C. via Sulby.

4.09 Arrive Jurby.

4.20 Leave Jurby via Old Ballaugh.

4.35 Arrive Bishopscourt. Tea.

5.0 Leave Bishopscourt via Kirk Michael.

5.15 Arrive Peel.

5.30 Leave Peel via Knockaloe, Plains of Heaven.

6.0 Arrive Government House.

PRESS

POYAL VISIT. TOUR PROGRAMME WEDNESDAY MORNING.

At Douglas War Memorial outside Villa Marina (10 a.m.) expected presentation to His Majesty of

James McHarrie, 4 Mona Terrace, Douglas, who was in the same P.T.class at Cranwell as His Majesty in 1917, and came into daily contact with His Majesty for a period of some weeks. There were 13 altogether in the class. Mr. McHarrie went to Cranwell for training from 46 Squadron R.F.C. and after passing out as P.T.I., was posted to 120 Squadron R.A.F.

He was an instructor at the Gymnasium, Douglas, for the Manx Athletic Association before the last war, and was at one time Champion Wrestler and Weight Lifter of the Island. He is also keen on model yacht racing, and local wins include the Christian Cup in 1942, 1943 and 1945, the Pollard Trophy 1929, the Cowell Cup, and the Watterson Cap, Port St. Mary.

In 1924 he won the Open Baritone Solo Class at the Manx Music Festival, with 55 marks out of 60. There were 14 competitors.

He is now employed as a blacksmith at Gelling's Foundry, South Quay, Douglas.

He lost a son in the R.A.F. in this war on an operational flight to the Balkans.

He is a Manxman.

PRESS.

ROYAL VISIT. TOUR PROGRAMME WEDNESDAY.

PEEL.

The King and Queen will stop outside Grainger's Cafe where they will meet the Commissioners. There will also be local schoolchildren, members of the British Legion and Prisoners of War. The King, it is hoped, will be presented to the Admiral and Vice Admiral of the Herring Fleet.

CASTLETOWN.

All sides of the square will be roped off with the public on each side of a passage way for the King and Queen. School children, boy scouts, girl guides, members of the British Legion will be assembled. The King will be introduced to the Chairman and Commissioners. A bouquet willbe presented to the Queen by Miss Sheila Condon, aged 7, whose father was taken prisoner by the Japs at Shanghai, imprisoned in Siam, and while being removed to Japan in a prison ship the vessel was sunk with almost all hands.

Later the King will turn on the Victory Brew at the Castletown Brewery.

KNOCKALOE.

The King and Queen will inspect between 60 & 70 land girls at the entrance.

PORT. STMARY.

School children will meet in the Town Hall area together with the Commissioners and a combined choir from the various churches. The girl guides will parade.

KING WILLIAM'S COLLEGE.

The King and Queen will be received at the entrance

PRESS.

ROYAL VISIT. SEE TOUR PROGRAMME WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

The Royal procession will slow down while passing Ballalonna, Dalby, (about 3.45 p.m.), to give Mrs Watterson, who is over 91 years of age, an opportunity of seeing Their Majesties. Mrs Watterson lives with her daughter and son-in-law at Ballalonna Farm.

PRESS.

ROYAL VISIT TO RAMSEY, JULY 4th, 1945.

At 11.15 a.m. the Royal Party will arrive at the Town Hall, Ramsey, where Their Majesties, the King and Queen, will be received by Mr. W.H.Alcock, M.H.K., C.T.C., J.P.

Following the playing of the National Anthem, the members of the Ramsey Town Commissioners, who will be assembled outside the entrance to the Town Hall, will be presented to Their Majesties.

Their Majesties will proceed to Parliament Square where the various organisations will be assembled.

After touring Parliament Square, Their Majesties will return to the Board Room at the Town Hall, where the ladies invited to attend will be presented.

Their Majesties will take tea before departure.

PRESS

ROYAL VISIT. TOUR PROGRAMME WEBNESDAY MORNING.

At Onchan, outside cinema (10.20 a.m.) expected presentation to His Majesty of

R.M.B. 3042 Musician Pearson W.E., Royal School of Music, Douglas. Present address: 3 Clifton Terrace, Main Road, Onchan. Served in H.M.S. Collingwood continuously from 23rd May 1915 until 30th January 1919, except for a few weeks ashore in December 1915 and January 1916.

There were three Captains during Pearson's period of service in the Collingwood, viz., Wilmott Nicholson, C.C. Fowler and F.A. Powlett. Pearson was present at the Battle of Jutland in the same ship as H.M. the King who was, at the time of the action, Pearson thinks, a Midshipman.

Pearson has now been released from H.M. Forces and is at present on leave prior to returning to civil employment. He was recalled for service in January 1940, and was at H.M.S. "St. George" for 4 years and later at the School of Music at Howstrake. (In civil life he is employed by the Ministry of Pensions).

PRESS

ROYAL VISIT. TOUR PROGRAMME WEDNESDAY (Continued)

KING WILLIAM'S COLLEGE.

by the Principal, Mr. S.E. Wilson, and the members of the governing body, including the Governor. Afterwards the Royal Party will go into the quadrangle where the boys, masters, and staff and J.T.C. and A.T.C. will assemble.

It is hoped the King will sign a small vellum recording the honour conferred on the College by his visit.

While the King is on the property of the Trustees the Royal Standard will fly from the College for the first time in history. It will be hauled down as soon as His Majesty has left.

One of the masters, Mr. H. T.N. Christal will be presented to the King. He was blinded in a bomb accident while lecturing on the Mainland. He was a Flight Lieutenant.

ROYAL VISIT.

At a private reception at Government House, the Speaker of the House of Keys, Mr. J.D. Qualtrough, will present to the King an illuminated address from the members of the Manx Society, whose chief interest is the development of the Manx language.

Bearing the crest of the old House of Keys surmounted by

the Crown the address reads:

To His Most Gracious Majesty George VI, King of Britain and the Kingdoms over the Seas.

It is the earnest desire of your loyal and humble subjects, the members of the Manx Society, to express their gratitude and delight on the reason of your visit to your Lordship of Main.

Above all it is a great pleasure to them to see you preside over the Annual Court of Tynwald and create a new record in their national story.

They assure you of their great love for you and for the Most Gracious Lady Her Majesty the Queen, and of their reverence for the Throne and the Empire.

> Signed JOSEPH D. QUALTROUGH, (President) FRANCES DAVIDSON, (Secretary).

PRESS

ROYAL VISIT.

ADMIRAL OF HERRING FLEET.
Under Governor Regus in the 13th century, fishing was introduced into the Island.

In 1610 a Commission was appointed and it introduced regulations for the control of the industry. Every farmer or tenant was ordered to provide eight fathoms of nets and ropes and buoys and they had to keep them always in good order.

A proclamation to this effect had to be made at Tynwald.

An Admiral of the Herring Fleet and a Vice-Admiral were appointed. Their ships carried special flags and their duties were if a school of fish was discovered to signal the news to the next boat. The signal was then sent from boat to boat throughout the fleet. The reason for this signalling was to keep the news of the shoal within their narrow circles and thus step intruders from interference with their eateh.

Though this old custom has ceased with the lapse of time, the Admiral and Vice-Admiral are still on the pay roll, The Admiral gets £5 a year and the Vice-Admiral £3.

It is hoped that opportunity will be given to

interview the Admiral who is scheduled to be at Peel.

PRESS

ROYAL VISIT.

CORONERS. In early days the Coroner of Glenfaba sheading was public hangman. Nowadays the duties of the Coroners are to deal with summonses for civil debts, bankruptcies, etc.

PRESS

ROYAL VISIT.

THE INVESTITURE.

The King will present 43 decorations on Tynwald Hill, among them being eight to Manxmen who have gained honours, and the parents of a Manxman who was killed in action in 1943 are to receive a Military Medal.

His Honour Deemster Cowley, the Second Deemster, heads the list. He will receive the insignia as C.B.E. This honour was conferred upon the Deemster as a reward for his services as Chairman of the War Committee of Tynwald. In that capacity he has been principal adviser to the Governor on administrative matters. Deemster Cowley is Grand Master of the Isle of Man Province of Freemasons.

Lieut. Col. J.D.Clague, Royal Artillery, of Onchan, will receive the O.B.E. conferred upon him, and also the Military Cross, which he won for distinguished service in the Far East.

Mr & Mrs Little, parents of C.S.M.Robert H.Little who live at Marown, awarded to their son for gallantry at Sidi Rezegh, in December 1941. He served in the Scots Guards andwas killed in action in November 1943.

PRESS ROYAL VISIT.

They were originally responsible for providing 100 troops for the Manx King in case of invasion.

INVESTITURE.

ISLE OF MAN

on Thursday, the 5th July, 1945.

THE MOST EXCELLENT ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

To be a Commander :- Civil Division :-

His Honour the Deemster COWLEY.

To be an Officer :- Military Division :-

Lieutenant-Colonel John CLAGUE, Royal Artillery, (also to receive the Military Cross).

To be Members :-Military Division :-

Major Sydney CORLETT, Home Guard.

Major Percy KISSACK, Home Guard.

Major William POTTER, Royal Army Pay Corps.

Regimental Sergeant Lojor Evelie MINESS, Grenadier Guards.

Flight Lieutenant William SMITH.

Civil Division :-

Captain John HIGGINS.

THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS AND BAR.

To be decorated :-

Lieutenant Edward GUERITZ, Royal Navy.

THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS.

To be Decorated :-

Lieutenant Henry BROWN, Royal Navy.
Lieutenant Antony HARVEY, Royal Navy.

THE MILITARY CROSS.

To be Decorated :-

Major George DUNLOP, The Royal Scots.

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THE DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS.

To be Decorated :-

Flight Lieutenant Arthur LANCASTER.

Flying Officer Frederick ABEL.

Flying Officer Thomas COWLEY.

Flying Officer Arthur CUMMINGS.

Flying Officer Sydney ESSAM.

Flying Officer John HODGKINSON.

Flying Officer John JONES.

Flying Officer Roy SMITH, Royal New Zealand Air Force.

Flying Officer Geoffrey WADDINGTON.

THE AIR FORCE CROSS.

To be Decorated :-

Squadron Leader Bertie SMALLMAN. Flight Lieutenant Alfred DUNHILL. Flight Lieutenant Harry NEWTON.

THE MILITARY MEDAL.

To be Decorated :-

Cadet Leslie IRELAND, The Buffs. Cadet William IRVING, Royal Engineers.

THE DISTINGUISHED FLYING MEDAL.

To be Decorated :-

Flying Officer John HOYLAND.

Flying Officer Robert SILK.

Warrant Officer Peter JEZZARD.

Warrant Officer Edward MORONEY.

Flight Sergeant John DUFF.

Flight Sergeant John DUNBAR.

Flight Sergeant Leslie PERRIS.

THE AIR FORCE MEDAL.

To be Decorated :-

Sergeant Harold BRIGHT.

Leading Aircraftman Charles BARNES.

THE BRITISH EMPIRE MEDAL.

To be Decorated :- . Military Division :-

Chief Petty Officer Llewelyn DAWSON, Royal Navy.
Chief Petty Officer William REAY, Royal Navy.
Chief Petty Officer Victor STENT, Royal Navy.
Company Quartermaster-Sergeant Arthur HEASMAN,
Royal Signals.

Sergeant Charles BOULTON, Royal Signals. Sergeant Charles KERRUISH, Home Guard.

Civil Division :-

Lamp Trimmer John CREBBIN, Merchant Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. LITTLE to receive the Military Medal awarded to their son, the late Lance-Corporal Robert LITTLE, Scots Guards.

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PROCEDURE ON TYNNALD HILL ON JULY 5th, 1945.

- (1) When Their Majesties are seated on the Hill and the various officials have taken up their places, the Guard of Honour will give the Royal Salute and the Marine band will play "The King" and the Manx National Anthem, everybody standing.
- (2) The King will resume his seat on the Hill and will say: "Learned Deemster, direct the Court to be fenced".
- (3) The First Deemster will then call upon the Coroner of Glenfaba Sheading to fence the Court.
- (4) The Coroner of Glenfaba will fence the Court.
- (5) The First Deemster will then say:
 "Outgoing coroners, surrender your staves of office to His
 Majesty the King".
- (6) When all the coroners have surrendered their staves, and have returned to their positions at the foot of the Hill, the First Deemster will say:
 "In-coming coroners, take the oath in ancient form to execute your office for the ensuing year, and receive your staves of office from the hands of His Majesty the King".
- (7) The First Deemster will then administer the oaths of office to the six coroners all together. The coroners will receive their respective staves of office from the King immediately after being sworn.
- (8) The King will then say:
 "Learned Deemster and reverend Lhaihder, I exhort you to proclaim to the people, in ancient form, such laws as have been enacted during the past year, and which have received my assent".
- (9) After the laws have been read the Lieutenant Governor will say:

 "Will Your Majesty graciously/invest those gentlemen who have been awarded honours and decorations?"
- (10) His Majesty having signified his assent, the Lieutenant Governor will call out the names and awards one by one.
- (ii) After the investiture, the Guard of Honour will remove headdresses.

 The First Deemster will then say:

 "Freemen of Mann, in your ancient Tynwald assembled, I call upon you, as an expression of your loyalty, to give three cheers for His Most Gracious Majesty the King".
- (12) The First Deemster will then say:
 "Has Your Majesty any further commands?"
- (13) The King, in the event of his having no further commands to give will say:

"The Tynwald will adjourn to the chapel and complete such business as remains to be transacted."