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The Queen has reigned for five years. A fulfilment of Royal Service that began in Kenya, during a Commonwealth Tour, and so set the pattern for the years ahead.

Returning home, stricken with grief at the death of her father, the young Queen received the homage of her Ministers and began a new life of unceasing toil and care.

~~SaxthexxaxxendxElizabethian~~

So the new era was proclaimed throughout Britain, ~~and the~~
~~bread~~

And in the Great Abbey of Westminster, a Queen is Crowned - dedicating herself anew to a life of service.

~~Her~~, ^{Ceremony of Coronation} ~~uplifted by the sacred~~, Her Majesty received the loyal acclaim of all her subjects.

Now, by tradition bound, the Queen undertook the many great pageants of ^{her Realm.} ~~State~~. Among them, Trooping the Colour and the Order of the Garter ceremonial adding to her arduous round of ~~Outy~~ ^{Duty}.

Yet, even during her annual Scottish holiday, Her Majesty found time - (with eager young helpers) to raise funds at a Church bazaar.

~~And~~ Her ~~selfless~~ devotion to the cause of Commonwealth was later rewarded by the ~~Wipok~~ greetings of Queen Salote and her island kingdom during the first World Tour.

~~And the Queen had kept faith with her people during the tour - so~~
~~the~~

Journeying on - to New Zealand - the Queen and the Duke received a tremendous welcome as they brought encouragement to a young Nation - ^{and loyal} ~~in~~ in one of the farthest corners of the Commonwealth.

Then, only last year, the Duke set out from London Airport to make his first major tour alone - visiting, with typical thoughtfulness - the ^{many} tiny outposts off the beaten track.

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During this 36,000 mile tour, the Duke journeyed to desolate Antarctic wastes, where men dedicated to the search for scientific knowledge share a lonely existence with the local inhabitants.

~~... the Duke had grown a beard - AS THE ROYAL~~

~~During the voyage~~ The Duke had grown a beard - ~~stressing the~~
YACHT CONTINUED HER LONG VOYAGE. ~~importance of~~
~~informality of the tour~~ ~~getting around to see the~~
~~the~~ ~~AT THIS REMOTE spot,~~

~~people who actually do the job,~~ ~~the~~ ~~elephants insisted on making~~
THERE WERE ONLY SEA ELEPHANTS TO GREET THE ROYAL VISITOR
~~at a formal occasion.~~ AND SEALS

And, of course, the penguins seemed anxious to make friends.

During Nearing the Falkland Islands, the "Britannia" met a whaling fleet, and using a sperm-whale as a fender, the "Songra" came alongside...

Taking full advantage of ~~THE~~ opportunity, the Duke was taken off Britannia in a basket - for ~~like~~ a visit to the ~~factory~~ ship ~~the~~
~~Southern~~

~~factory~~ The Duke was shown a modern harpoon - and ~~inspected the factory~~
INSPECTED A GIANT WHALE RECENTLY BROUGHT ASHORE
~~by products) during~~

On arrival at the Falklands - ~~there was a welcome~~ A SHEEP FARM HOUSE WAS THE DUKE'S
MOUNT ~~home~~ - in the "Sailors' Race" at the Stanley Meeting.

And the Duke won by a head ~~in a photo finish~~

~~So as this great Commonwealth Tour nears its end - bringing nearer a~~
S. AS A HAPPY REUNION DRAWS NEAR,
~~happy reunion~~ - we recall the Queen's Christmas message. SOUND.