

MOUNTIES HERE FOR CORONATION

The s.s. Beaverburn arrives at the Royal Albert Docks to a warm welcome from men of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. Ten more mounties have come to join them in Britain and to ride in the great Coronation procession. Now come their horses - forty-six splendid animals, all eager to get on dry land again after their nine day voyage.

Some of the horses aren't so keen to be boxed in for the journey ashore by crane. Although it's a secret no longer that high-speed cars have replaced most of the Mounties' horses they're still used for ceremonial parades. And there wasn't a finer sight in all London when a detachment of Mounties rode in procession at the last Coronation.

Already the Mounties have started rigorous training to reach perfection when they ride on Coronation Day.