




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DUTCH CROWN PRINCESS ROARING WITH LAUGHTER, at launching of
destroyer, WHEN CHAMPAGNE HITS AUDIENCE.

The Royal Dutch Navy ~~is~~ was visited at Flushing by H.R.H. Princess Beatrix, who was accompanied by H.R.H. Prince Bernhard, in his capacity of Inspector of the Royal Navy. In the inner-harbour Princess Beatrix went on board the training-ship "Jacob van Heemskerk". Minister of the Navy, engineer Staf, greeted the high guests on board. There were moreover the commander of the Sea-Forces Vice-Admiral de Booy and the Commander of the Navy in the Netherlands, Vice-Admiral Burghardt. At the honour of this first official visit of the Princess to the Navy, the crew of the "Van Heemskerk" offers to Her Royal Highness a self made Smyrna ~~rug~~ rug, with which the Princess was very pleased. When the Princess and her father had left the ship, the crew brought the tradition honour. SOUND.

At the same day Princess Beatrix launched the destroyer "Limburg" on the shipyard of the company "De Schelde" (= The Scheldt). At the baptism there was a great ~~is~~ hilary when the champagne not only splashed the ship! Sound Beatrix: "I name you Limburg". Just when the Princess took the last hindrances away, she could pronounce the second part of the formula: SOUND: "I wish you God-speed". After this the man-of-war glided into the water. With the "Limburg" the 8th of the 12 submarine for the Royal Navy, being in course of construction, has been committed to his element.

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