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NAVAL COLLEGE'S 50TH BIRTHDAY.

The Mayor of Dartmouth, Mrs. Dorothy Habill, presides at the presentation of the freedom of the borough to Britannia Royal Naval College, to mark the college's fiftieth birthday. Many members of our seafaring Royal Family were trained at Dartmouth and this Devon town was in fact a naval training base long before the college was built.

Now the future leaders of Britain's Navy have the privilege "of marching through the streets of the Borough of Clifton Dartmouth Hardness on all ceremonial occasions with bayonets fixed, drums beating and bands playing".