

JAMES ROBERTSON JUSTICE - RECTOR:

Prince Philip, as Chancellor of Edinburgh University, installs that popular actor James Robertson Justice as the university's new Rector. Edinburgh students have their own way (with perforated paper, tomatoes and what-have-you) of greeting the rector they themselves elected - and the presence of Royalty is not considered a reason for tearing it down. Tradition demands the election of an outstanding public figure for the honour of wearing the Rector's robes. Tradition also demands that he should make a speech, and that the audience should make this an ordeal for him; but Dr. Robertson Justice is not so easily cowed.