

BRITISH LEGION AND LORD DERBY - Thousands of north-western legionaries honour their president when he visits the home of his ancestors.

-Isle of Man.-

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Picture:- Lord Derby starts on a journey to the Isle of Man--

--sailing under the flag of the British Legion.

As local president he goes to visit Legion members of--

--the ancient Island home of his family. Lord Derby's--

--forebears were kings of Man. His title of Lord of Man--

--was adopted when the British bought the sovereignty in order to put down the--

--numerous smugglers who infested its shores. The Lord Bishop--

--blesses these standards which are proudly carried by five thousand massed legionaries of the Island.

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Lord Derby/the Lieutenant Governor Lord Claude--

--Hill take the salute near the Douglas War Memorial.

A thrilling day for the Island and its patriots.