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AUSTRALIA

HE people of New South Wales will joyously welcome Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II, and His Royal Highness, The Duke of Edinburgh, to the Commonwealth of Australia. We, like other Australians, will take joy in doing proud homage to the Throne and in greeting the young Monarch whom we already regard with so much affection and loyalty.

Queen Elizabeth is at once a supreme symbol unity and a living expression of that family spirit is revered by her subjects. As a Queen, she brings grace and imperial dignity to her throne which is the cornerstone of the British Commonwealth; as a mother, together with her noble husband and their two children, she forms the kind of family circle that is the strength of any Commonwealth.

On February 3, 1954, the Royal Couple will land at Farm Cove, the historic shore on which Her Majesty's parents landed 27 years ago. The Duke of Edinburgh will bring with him memories of his war service in Australia, but Her Majesty's impressions of this, her southern realm, will be novel.

May their progress through New South Wales, and through the States beyond, bring as much pleasure to these two welcome visitors as their own presence will bring to the people of Australia. God Save Queen Elizabeth!











ARRIVAL

On Wednesday, 3rd February, at 8.0 a.m., Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will enter Sydney Heads in S.S. "Gothic". The liner will move down the harbour, being saluted with 21 guns from North Head. H.M.A. saluting ships will repeat the salute and "Gothic" will anchor in Athol Bight.





THE ROYAL

WEDNESDAY, 3rd FEBRUARY

8.00 a.m.—S.S. "Gothic" will enter Sydney Heads.

8.30 a.m.—S.S. "Gothic" will anchor in Athol Bight.

9.30 a.m.—His Excellency the Governor-General will wait on Her Majesty.

9.40 a.m.—His Excellency the Covernor will wait on Her Majesty.

9.50 a.m.—The Prime Minister will wait on Her Majesty.

10.00 a.m.—The Premier will wait on Her Majesty.

10.20 a.m.—Her Majesty will embark in the Royal Barge.

10.30 a.m.—Her Majesty will land in Farm Cove. Field Artillery Salute. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will be received by their Excellencies the Governor-General and the Governor of New South Wales, the Prime Minister and the Premier. Presentation of—Federal Executive Councillors; Lieutenant-Governor of New South Wales; State Executive Councillors; Anglican and Roman Catholic Archbishops; President of the Legislative Council; Speaker of the Legislative Assembly; Leader of the Opposition; Judges of the Supreme Court and Industrial Commission; Chairman of the Public Service Board; Commonwealth Director-General; General Officer Commanding Eastern Command; Flag Officer Commanding Australian Fleet; Flag Officer in Charge Eastern Area; Air Officer Commanding Home Command; President of the Maritime Services Board; Commissioner of Police; State Director. Address of Welcome by Lord Mayor of Sydney. Presentation of Aldermen and Town Clerk.

11.00 a.m.—Royal Progress will commence.

12.05 p.m.—Her Majesty will place a wreath on the Cenotaph.

12.20 p.m.—Royal Progress will end at Government House.

4.30 p.m.—Her Majesty will meet members of Commonwealth Accredited Press.

5.15 p.m.—Her Majesty will meet New South Wales and Commonwealth Tour Officials.

Evening.—Fireworks Display on Sydney Harbour will be viewed from Government House.

THURSDAY, 4th FEBRUARY

10.30 a.m.—Her Majesty will open Parliament.

10.55 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Government House.

 $11.45 \ a.m.$ —Presentation of Members of Parliament and their wives.

12.30 p.m.—Her Majesty will attend a meeting of the Executive Council at Government House.

 $1.00 \ p.m.$ —His Royal Highness will depart Government House for the Sydney University.

1.15 p.m.—His Royal Highness will arrive at Sydney University. His Royal Highness will lunch with the Senate of the Sydney University and the Council of the New South Wales University of Technology.

1.30 p.m.—Her Majesty will arrive at the Trocadero. Received by Mrs J. J. Cahill (wife of the Premier of N.S.W.). Luncheon with representatives of Women's Organisations.

8.00 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at David Jones' Restaurant for the State Banquet. At the conclusion of the dinner the Premier will deliver an Address of Welcome and will be supported by the Leader of the Opposition. Her Majesty will then speak.

FRIDAY, 5th FEBRUARY

11.05 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Government House for Hyde Park.

11.15 a.m.—After driving slowly past assembled Ex-Servicemen and Women, War Widows and Wards of Legacy, Her Majesty will arrive at the Anzac Memorial. Address of Welcome by the President. Reply by His Royal Highness. Inspection of Victoria Cross and George Cross winners.

11.35 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Anzac Memorial for Sydney Cricket Ground.

11.40 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will drive among the school children assembled in the Sydney Cricket Ground and will then drive to the Showground where Her Majesty will address the assembled school children. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will then proceed to Centennial Park and drive through the assembled children.

2.15 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Government House for Repatriation General Hospital. En route Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will drive through school children assembled in Concord Park

3.00 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Repatriation General Hospital.

4.40 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will each plant a tree in Macquarie Place.

5.35 p.m.—His Royal Highness will depart Government House for Man-O'-War Steps, from whence he will travel by barge to the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron.

5.45 p.m.—His Royal Highness will disembark at Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron wharf. Presentation of Trophies. Flag Officers and Committee of the Squadron will be presented.

 ${f 6.45~p.m...}$ His Royal Highness will depart by barge for Government House.

9.25 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Government House for Sydney Town Hall.

9.30 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Sydney Town Hall to attend a Civic Ball and will be welcomed by the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress.

SATURDAY, 6th FEBRUARY

10.30 a.m.—Her Majesty will hold an Investiture at Government House.

11.25 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Government House.

11.30 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Legacy House.

12 noon.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Legacy House for Randwick Racecourse.

12.15 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Randwick Racecourse and will drive along the track to the Members Ladies' Stand. Before the Queen Elizabeth Stakes Race is run Her Majesty will walk to the Committee Stand and after the running of the race will present the trophy to the winning owner in the Weighing Enclosure.

3.15 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Randwick Racecourse for Bondi Beach.

3.35 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Bondi Beach. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will view a surf life saving display.

4.05 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Bondi Beach for Government House.

8.58 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at the Tivoli Theatre to attend a Royal Gala Performance. During interval members of the Concert Organising Committee and artists may be presented to Her Majesty.

10.30 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for Government House.

ITINERARY

SUNDAY, 7th FEBRUARY

10.58 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at the Cathedral Church of St. Andrew where they will be received by the Archbishop of Sydney and the Dean of Sydney. During the Service His Royal Highness may read the Lesson.

MONDAY, 8th FEBRUARY

No Official engagements.

TUESDAY, 9th FEBRUARY

10.05 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Central Railway Station.

The Royal Train will depart for Newcastle. Lunch will be served on the train. The train will slowdown passing through Gosford and Wyong. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness may appear on the Observation Platform.

1.10 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Newcastle. Royal Progress.

1.30 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at the City Hall. Address of Welcome by the Lord Mayor. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness may appear on the balcony of the City Hall.

1.50 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for National Park Sports Ground where they will drive amongst assembled ex-servicemen and women. His Royal Highness may address the assembly.

2.15 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for the Showground where they will drive amongst assembled school children. Her Majesty may address the school children.

2.50 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for the Broken Hill Pty. Limited Steelworks to view processes within the Steelworks.

3.55 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will embark on a launch and will proceed to Stockton Passenger Ferry wharf and will then proceed by car to Williamtown Aerodrome.

4.35 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive R.A.A.F. Station, Williamtown and depart for Evans Head.

6.00 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Evans Head and will depart for Lismore.

Evening—No official engagements.

WEDNESDAY, 10th FEBRUARY

10.00 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for Lismore Council Chambers.

Address of Welcome. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will walk past representative groups and through an assembly of ex-servicemen and women. Royal Progress.

10.45 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for Casino. 11.25 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Casino Council Chambers where the Visitors Book will be signed. The Royal Progress will then continue to Carrington Park for a civic welcome by the Mayor of Casino. Her Majesty will be conducted past representative groups assembled in the vicinity.

12.00 noon—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for the Evans Head Aerodrome to emplane for Dubbo.

1.30 p.m.—The Royal Aircraft will depart for Dubbo.

3.30 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Dubbo Aerodrome. Royal Progress to Victoria Park.

3.50 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive Victoria Park. Address of Welcome. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will walk past representative groups and ex-servicemen and women. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will drive among assembled school children.

4.20 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Victoria Park for the Showground.

After driving around the arena at the Showground, Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at the Agricultural Pavilion. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will inspect the exhibit in the Pavilion and later view ring events from a dais,

4.40 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Dubbo Showground for the Aerodrome.

5.00 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will emplane and depart for Sydney.

6.15 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive Mascot Aerodrome.

6.40 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive Government House.

THURSDAY, 11th FEBRUARY

10.00 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Government House for Wollongong. En route Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will slow down passing assemblies of school children at Kogarah and Sutherland and at the Waterfall Sanatorium entrance.

12.15 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive Mount Keira Ex-service Convalescent Home.

12.28 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Mount Keira camp for Wollongong.

12.30 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Wollongong. Royal Progress.

12.50 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Wollongong Town Hall. Address of Welcome by the Mayor. Royal Progress will continue to Returned Soldiers Memorial Hall, where Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will walk past assembled ex-servicemen and women to the Soldiers' Memorial Hall, where a Civic Luncheon will be held.

2.30 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for the Showground to attend a school children's gathering. Her Majesty may address the children.

2.47 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for Government House, via Princes Highway and National Park.

 $\bf 5.30~p.m.$ —Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive Government House.

FRIDAY, 12th FEBRUARY

10.00 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for Mascot Aerodrome.

10.30 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will emplane for Bathurst.

11.25 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will deplane at Raglan Aerodrome and will travel by car to Bathurst. Royal Progress.

11.45 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at the Civic Centre. Address of Welcome.

Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will walk among assembled Ex-servicemen and women and will then proceed to the Bathurst Showground.

12.10 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will attend an assembly of school children. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will drive amongst the children and Her Majesty may address the assembly.

12.35 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart the Showground for Bathurst Railway Station.

12.40 p.m.—The Royal Train will depart for Bowenfels.

2.10 p.m.—The Royal Train will arrive at Bowenfels Station. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart by car for Lithgow. Royal Progress.

2.20 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Lithgow Park. Address of Welcome by the Mayor, Royal Progress to Lithgow Station.

2.45 p.m.—Royal Train will depart for Katoomba.

3.40 p.m.—Royal Train will arrive at Katoomba. Royal Progress.

Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Echo Point. Address of Welcome by the Mayor. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will drive along a scenic drive to Leura Railway Station.

4.25 p.m.—Royal Train will depart for Sydney.

6.15 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Central Railway Station.

6.30 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Government House.

SATURDAY, 13th FEBRUARY

11.00 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Government House for Mascot Aerodrome.

11.20 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for Forest Hill Aerodrome. Lunch will be served in the plane.

1.00 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive Forest Hill Aerodrome. Will depart by car for Wagga. Royal Progress.

1.25 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at the Wagga Wagga Council Chambers. Address of Welcome. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will walk past representative groups and among ex-servicemen and women. Royal Progress to Wagga Showground where Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will view rodeo events.

2.27 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for Bolton Park where they will drive among assembled school children. Her Majesty may address the children.

2.50 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for Forest Hill Aerodrome.

3.05 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for Canberra.

THURSDAY, 18th FEBRUARY

11.30 a.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Mascot Aerodrome and will depart for H.M.A.S. "Penguin," Balmoral. En route Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will drive slowly through an assembly of school children at St. Leonard's Park.

12.20 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at H.M.A.S. "Penguin." Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will review a parade.

1.05 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart by barge for Man-O'-War Steps.

1.30 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Government House.

3.30 p.m. to 4.15 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will attend a Garden party in Government House grounds.

5.00 p.m.—Official farewells at Government House.

5.30 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart Government House for West Circular Quay.

5.40 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will embark in S.S. '' Gothic.''

6.00 p.m. S.S. "Gothic" will sail for Hobart.

THURSDAY, 18th MARCH

1.50 (S.A. time).—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at Broken Hill Aerodrome. Royal Progress. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at North Park. Address of Welcome. Her Majesty will walk among ex-servicemen and women. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for the Flying Doctor Base.

3.00 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at the Flying Doctor Base. Inspection of Base. Her Majesty will make a broadcast over the Flying Doctor network.

3.20 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for Zinc Corporation Mine.

3.45 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at the Director's Cottage, Zinc Corporation Mine. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will inspect the surface workings of the mine.

4.05 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for the Aerodrome.

4.20 p.m.—Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will depart for Adelaide.

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