

# Young Canada Welcomes Elizabeth And Philip

## Vivacious Young Matron And Gallant Consort Will Come Calling on us Next Week

A vivacious young matron comes calling on Canada next week.

For Princess Elizabeth, it will be her first look at the country she some day may rule, by sentiment if not in fact. For Canadians at home, it will be their first glimpse of the 25-year-old woman with the softly-waved brown hair and grey-blue eyes who has won a place in their affections.

With her will be a tall, blond man of 30, her husband, the Duke of Edinburgh. Some time in the future he may become consort to a Queen, a difficult and delicate role last exercised in Britain by Prince Albert, consort to Queen Victoria.

They are due in Montreal from London by air next Monday, but their month-long tour of the oldest dominion will not begin officially until the following morning from Quebec City, just a week after the date originally set.

The tour through a countryside clothed in the golden dress of autumn will be the first by a member of the Royal Family since King George VI and Queen Elizabeth came in the spring of 1939. There will be fewer official functions, perhaps more informality, than in 1939. But it will follow much the same route.

There have been many changes in the 12 years since

Quebec City by train to open the tour officially at 9:45 a.m. October 9. From then on, Canada will be theirs.

The schedule is stiff.

In one full day in Quebec they will visit the Legislature, Laval University, the city hall, the Citadel that overlooks the St. Lawrence River, the Plains of Abraham where Wolfe's victory was won, and Bois de Coulange, residence of the Quebec lieutenant-governor. A state dinner tendered by the Quebec government will close the 12-hour visit. Premier Duplessis will propose the toast to the couple and the Princess will reply briefly.

Quebec's 20,000 school children will put on a demonstration in Quebec Coliseum.

From Quebec, the royal couple go directly to Ottawa in their 10-car royal train, arriving in the capital at 10 a.m. Wednesday. The train will stay at a siding in picturesque Island Park driveway.

From there they drive to Lansdowne Park where Ottawa school children will be assembled, then to the National War Memorial for the placing of a wreath, then to Government House—their residence while in the capital—for a press reception. Following a luncheon with Mr. and Mrs. St. Laurent at the prime minister's residence, they swing across the Ottawa River to Hull, Quebec, for an official welcome at Hull city hall.

At 4 p.m. in the Railway Committee room of the Parliament Buildings, Princess Elizabeth, on behalf of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, will present Queen Mary's carpet to the National Gallery. The needlepoint carpet, made by the Queen Mother to earn dollars for Britain, was purchased through public donations of more than \$100,000.

Canada's state dinner will be tendered the royal couple at eight o'clock that night. At that dinner Her Royal Highness, in replying to the Governor-General's toast, will speak briefly to the country in a broadcast address, then she and the Duke will hasten to an official reception at 10 p.m. Members of Parliament and senators will attend.

On the following day, the Prince and Princess, after a civic luncheon at the Hotel Chateau

Laurier, will view the magnificent sweep of the Gatineau Hills from the deck of a boat in the afternoon. The royal couple then must hasten back for a government reception at 5 p.m. and a buffet supper later at Government House. They leave by train at 1:05 a.m. Friday to open the Ontario section of their tour.

### AT CORNWALL OCT. 12

First stop in Ontario after Ottawa is Friday, October 12, at Cornwall—from 8:45 a.m. EST to 9 a.m.—then on to Brockville for a 10-minute pause at 10:20 a.m. At Kingston during a visit of almost two hours the royal couple will inspect the Royal Military College and receive the city's welcome, then go on to Belleville for a 15-minute stop. Trenton, a few miles west, will see the visitors for two hours during which period they will inspect the RCAF's central command air station outside the town.

The Princess and the Duke will fly from Trenton to Milton, outside Toronto. Thousands of Peel county children—county authorities plan to hire 125 buses to carry 8000—will feature Ontario's official welcome at the airport.

From Milton to Toronto is some 10 miles. This distance will be covered by motor-car over the Queen Elizabeth Way, to be kept clear of motorists. Police also have ordered that two parallel highways be kept clear. "Utter chaos" has been the comment of some officers in their forecast of what traffic conditions are likely to be.

Once in Toronto itself, the Royal Highnesses face one of the stiffest portions of the tour. They will be met at the city hall at 5:40 p.m. by Mayor Hiram McCallum and other civic dignitaries, then at 6:15 p.m. to take a short drive through the streets.

By 6:35 p.m. they will be in the royal train, their headquarters during their stay in Toronto, in the Front Street Railway yards where the view of Lake Ontario, to the south, is obscured by factories and other industrial buildings. That night they dine privately with the lieutenant-governor, Hon. Ray Lawson, and Mrs. Lawson.

Saturday, October 13, will be a crowded day. At 10 a.m. the Royal Highnesses will drive slowly westward along Lake Shore Drive to the Canadian National Exhibition ground. Thirty-five thousand schoolchildren will be packed into the CNE grandstand, built to accommodate 23,000 adults. Seven holders of the Victoria Cross will be presented.

At 10:55 a.m. they will drive along a circuitous route to Hart House at the University of Toronto in central Toronto, arriving there at noon. At 12:20 o'clock, the Duke will attend a Board of Trade luncheon. His address will be broadcast. At the same time, the Princess will attend a luncheon given by Mrs. Lawson for younger married women.

For the remainder of the crowded day their Royal Highnesses will speed to one point after another, mainly to spots where children will be congregated. High points will be visits to the new hospital for sick children on downtown University Avenue and to Sunnybrook Military Hospital in suburban North York.

That night, they will attend Ontario's state dinner in the Royal York Hotel. Directly after the dinner they leave for their train—almost across the street—and departure at 12:01 a.m. EST Sunday for Niagara Falls.

The royal couple arrive in the city of the world-famous cataract at 10 a.m. Sunday. They will worship that morning in Christ Church, largest of the city's three Anglican churches overlooking the Niagara River gorge. Rt. Rev. E. Walter Bagnall, Bishop of Niagara, will conduct the service.

Then, after participating in the city's program and viewing the 167-foot falls, it's off to St. Catharines at 1:30 p.m. for the royal tourists. After a 10-minute station stop at 2 p.m., they leave for Hamilton where a two-hour visit is scheduled from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30.

Friendships formed at the royal couple's summer home near Balmoral last August will be renewed when the Princess and her husband inspect the

Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders at Hamilton. The Princess is colonel-in-chief of the regiment. Lt.-Col. J. A. Farmer and 26 members of the band met the Princess and her family when the band competed in the Highland games at Stirling Castle.

The remainder of the Ontario schedule calls for an observation-platform appearance at Dundas, a stop in Brantford, 10 minutes at Woodstock, and a train-slowdown appearance in Ingersoll. They arrive in London at 7:55 p.m. for a half-hour stay, go on to Chatham at 10 p.m. for a 10-minute stop, and arrive in Windsor at 11:30 p.m. to spend the night.

They leave that city after meeting Detroit's mayor in the middle of the Ambassador Bridge—for Kapuskasing at 1 p.m. The visitors will spend almost a full day in the northern Ontario pulp and paper town, taking off for the west by RCAF plane at 10 a.m. October 13.

**THROUGH RUGGED COUNTRY**  
Mile upon mile of forest, rugged mining country, lake and stream separate Kapuskasing and Winnipeg.

The 700-odd miles from Kapuskasing to Winnipeg will be covered by Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh in three hours Tuesday, October 16, when they take off in an RCAF plane on the western phase of their month's tour of Canada.

The 25-year-old Princess and her husband will see Winnipeg fully recovered from the effects of the great flood of 1950. And they will see a city greatly expanded in the 12 years since the King and Queen were there. For while Winnipeg still is the West's wheat-trading centre—and its life revolves around the grain trade—much industry has moved there in the last decade.

Greeted on arrival by Lieutenant-Governor R. F. McWilliam, the Princess and the Duke will spend 10½ hours in Winnipeg and in St. Boniface, the city across the Red River that once was largely French-speaking but now is giving way to an influx of English-speaking residents from Winnipeg, where most of them work.

**LEAVE FOR WINNIPEG**  
From Winnipeg, the royal couple will travel west in the special train. At 10 a.m. MST they reach Regina, Saskatchewan's capital on the open prairie, which has prepared a gala welcome for an eight-hour visit. From Regina to Moose Jaw, which they reach at 7:30 p.m. for a half-hour station appearance, is an hour's run. Then it's rolling southwest, for a 20-minute stop at Swift Current through the ute stop at 10:05 p.m.

The royal couple reach Calgary at 10 a.m. Thursday, October 18. A five-hour program there calls for a downtown parade, a civic luncheon and a "chuck-wagon dinner"—with beef stew—at the Calgary Stampede corral—and a ride in an old-time stage coach. For an hour, they will see a miniature stampede.

**IN BRITISH COLUMBIA**  
Leaving Calgary at 3 p.m., they reach Cochrane, Alta., at 3:47 o'clock. From there, they take motor-cars to Banff. They leave Banff at 7:30 p.m. by train for a succession of stops in British Columbia: Revelstoke at 11:50 a.m. PST, October 19, for

20 minutes; Sicamous at 1:45 p.m. for an observation-platform appearance; Salmon Arm at 2:25 p.m. for 10 minutes; Kamloops at 5 p.m. for an hour.

They reach Vancouver at 10 a.m. Saturday, October 20. The Princess and Princess will spend more than 26 hours in Canada's fourth largest city. They will be met on arrival by British Columbia's Lieutenant-Governor Clarence Wallace and will go immediately to the city hall where they will be presented with a silver bowl and an illuminated address.

After a civic luncheon at 12:30 p.m. they drive into Stanley Park to meet Vancouver's North

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