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Official Programme
of the
VICTORY
CELEBRATIONS
8th June
1946

BRUNNEN

HIS MAJESTY'S PROCESSION

The King, accompanied by the Queen, the Princess Elizabeth and the Princess Margaret, will drive in a State Landau. The Royal Carriage will be escorted by a Captain's Escort of the Household Cavalry with Standard.

ROUTE

	a.m.
Buckingham Palace	10.10
Marble Arch	10.25
Oxford Street	
Charing Cross Road	10.35
Northumberland Avenue	10.40
Bridge Street	10.46
Whitehall	
The Mall (Saluting Base)	10.57

CHIEFS OF STAFF'S PROCESSION

The Chiefs of Staff at VE Day and VJ Day, together with the Supreme Allied Commanders, will precede the Mechanised Column, leaving the Clarence Gate in Regent's Park at 9.15 a.m. and arriving at the Saluting Base at 10.20 a.m.

MARCH PAST

The Mechanised and Marching Columns will follow the routes given below, joining at Parliament Square and passing together up Whitehall, the Mechanised Column leading. Between the arrival of His Majesty at the Saluting Base and the commencement of the March Past, the Massed Pipers of Scottish and Irish Regiments will march and counter-march in the Mall. The head of the joint Column will pass the Saluting Base at 11.20 a.m. At the conclusion of the March Past, Squadrons of the Royal Air Force, together with Squadrons of the Naval Air Arm, will fly past the Base.

MECHANISED COLUMN

ROUTE

	a.m.
Regent's Park (Clarence Gate)	9.18

Park Square West	
Marylebone Road	
Euston Road	9.28
Pentonville Road	
City Road	
Old Street	9.45
Hackney Road	
Cambridge Heath Road	
Whitechapel Road	10.04
Whitechapel High Street	
Aldgate High Street	
Mansell Street	10.11
Royal Mint Street	
Shorter Street	
Tower Hill	10.14
Eastcheap	
King William Street	
London Bridge	10.19
Borough High Street	
Newington Causeway	
Newington Butts	10.31
Kennington Park Road	
Harleyford Road	
Upper Kennington Lane	
Vauxhall Bridge	10.43
Millbank	
Abingdon Street	
Parliament Square	10.52
Whitehall	
Admiralty Arch	
The Mall (Saluting Base)	11.20
Constitution Hill	
Hyde Park Corner	11.26
Hamilton Place	
Park Lane	
Edgware Road	
Marylebone Road	
Regent's Park	11.50

ORDER OF MARCH

COMMANDERS:

Police Motor Cycle Patrols

ALLIED

Despatch Riders of the Royal Navy
ROYAL NAVY

Despatch Riders of the Army
ARMY

Despatch Riders of the Royal Air Force
AIR FORCE

Despatch Riders of the National Fire Service

ROYAL NAVY

Amphibious Jeeps
Weasels
DUKW's
Mobile Wireless Telegraphy Units
Aircraft Refuellers
Mobile Sick Bays

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Reconnaissance Cars
Light Ambulance - Special Ambulance
Radar Vehicle
Despatch Rider Letter Service Van – Signals Van
Recruiting Van - Pre-heater Van
Freighter – Aircraft Refueller mounted on 10-ton Tender
Fire Tenders
Breakdown Tender - Fire Crash Tender
Dental Caravan towed by Air Traffic Control Towing Car
Mechanical Horse
Bomb Tenders (Loaded)
Cooking Tender - Mobile Canteen
Radar Vehicles
3-ton Tender with Propeller Transporter
Educational, and Vocational Training Van - Office Tender
Parachute Drying Tender - Parachute Servicing Vehicle
Tipping Tender - Trucktor
Water Tender (1,000 Gallons) - Petrol Tender (1,000 Gallons)
Aircraft Transporter
Airfield Floodlight – Oxygen Plant
Landmark Beacon towed by 3-ton Tender - Aerial Lighthouse towed
by 3-ton Tender
Mobile Workshop - Power Plant 20 K.V.A.

Farm Tractor and Binder

TRANSPORT SERVICES

London Buses
Provincial Buses
6-8-ton Articulated Vehicles
Cruiser Cranes
6-ton Mechanical Horses
Mechanised Transport Corps Cars
Insulated Meat Vans

PUBLIC UTILITIES

Mobile Coast Radio Station - Mobile Telegraph Office
Mobile Gas Compressor - Gas Lorry and Purging Machine
Trailer
Standard Electricity Repair Units
Tractors with Trailer Mounting Electrically-Driven Water
Pumps

GENERAL SERVICES

Y.M.C.A. Mobile Canteens
Church Army Mobile Canteens
Salvation Army Mobile Canteens
National Savings Vans

ARMY

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS

Comet Command Tank
Scout Cars
Armoured Cars
Chaffee (Light) Tanks
Cromwells
Comets
Churchills
Shermans
Crocodiles
Flails
Bridge Laying Tanks

ROYAL ARTILLERY

Jeep

Self-propelled 25-pdrs
Towed 25-pdrs
Towed 5.5-in. Guns
Towed 7.2-in. Howitzer
Self-propelled 17-pdrs
Towed 3.7-in Anti-Aircraft Guns
Bofors Guns
Searchlight Lorries
77-mm Howitzer (Air Transportable)

ROYAL ENGINEERS

Jeep
Armoured Vehicles, Royal Engineers
Centaur Dozers
Arks
Class I Angledozer on Trailers
Tournapuls (Super C) with 12-yard Scrapers
Motor Graders
Excavators RB19 with Face Shovel Equipment on Trailers
towed by Matador Tractor
Bomb Disposal Lorries with Trepanning and Steaming Out
Apparatus
Unicraft on Trailer
153-h.p. Diesel Tank Engines on Trailers
Survey Printing Lorries

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

Jeep
Cars drawing Signals Trailers
3-ton Wireless Lorries
3-ton Cable Laying Lorries
Command Vehicles
Half Tracks
Armoured Command Vehicles
Tractors drawing Signals Equipment Trailers
3-ton Lorries towing Beam Wireless Trailers
15-ton Cable Lorries

INFANTRY AND ARMY AIR CORPS AND SPECIAL FORCES

Half Tracks
M.M.G. Carriers
Universal Carriers
Windsor Carriers
Jeeps of the Special Air Service
Jeeps with Trailers (Air Transportable)
Jeeps of the Special Forces

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS (including Royal Army Medical Corps)

- Jeep
- Jeeps with Trailers
- Weasels
- Troop Carrying Lorries
- Water Lorries
- Bulk Petrol Lorries
- Machinery Lorries
- 3-ton Lorries towing Generator Trailers
- 10-ton Lorries towing Bakery Equipment Trailers
- DUKW's
- Folding Boat Equipments
- Pontoon Lorries
- Matador Tractors towing Pontoon Trailers
- Diamond "T" Tank Transporters carrying LVT's
- Armoured Personnel Carriers
- Stretcher Ambulances

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS (including Army Film and Photographic Unit)

- Jeep
- Binned Stores Trailer and Boot Repair Trailer
- Mobile Crane and Breakdown Lorry
- Water Trucks
- Mobile Oxygen Plant and Mobile Inert Gas Plant
- Clothing Repair Trailer and Mobile Laundry Boiler Trailer
- Mobile Acetylene Plants
- Mobile Laundry Washing Machine Trailers
- Boot Repair Plants (Air Transportable)
- Jeeps of the Army Film and Photographic Unit

WAR CORRESPONDENTS

- Jeeps

NAVY ARMY AND AIR FORCE INSTITUTES AND FIRST AID NURSING
YEOMANRY

- Mobile Canteens

ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

- Jeep
- 20-ton Tank Transporters carrying Crawler Tractors
- Heavy Breakdown Tractors
- 3-ton Machinery Lorries
- Jeeps
- 40-ton Tank Transporter carrying Cromwell
- Armoured Recovery Vehicles

Beach Armoured Recovery Vehicles
ARMY FIRE SERVICES
Fire Tender Lorries towing Trailer Fire Pumps
Fire Engines

MARCHING COLUMN

ROUTE

	a.m.
Marble Arch	10.35
Oxford Street	10.45
Charing Cross Road	10.58
Trafalgar Square	11.08
Northumberland Avenue	11.11
Embankment	11.16
Parliament Square	11.25
Halt	
Whitehall	11.55
	p.m.
The Mall (Saluting Base)	12.01
Constitution Hill	12.05
Hyde Park Corner	12.13

ORDER OF MARCH

ALLIED FORCES

Bands
United States of America
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
China
France

Belgium
Brazil
Czechoslovakia
Denmark
Egypt
Ethiopia
Greece
Iran
Iraq
Luxembourg

Mexico
Nepal
Netherlands
Norway
Poland
Transjordan
Yugoslavia

ANGLO-EGYPTIAN SUDAN BRITISH EMPIRE DOMINIONS

BRITISH EMPIRE DOMINIONS

Bands
Canada
Commonwealth of Australia
New Zealand
Union of South Africa
Southern Rhodesia

Newfoundland

INDIA

Royal Indian Navy
Indian Armoured Corps
Royal Indian Artillery
Royal Indian Engineers
Indian Signal Corps
Band of Royal Garhwal Rifles
Indian Infantry
Gurkha Rifles
Indian State Forces
Royal Indian Air Force

BURMA

Burma Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve
Burma Army
Burma Volunteer Air Force

THE COLONIAL EMPIRE

WEST AFRICA Nigeria, Gold Coast, Sierra Leone, Gambia
Royal West African Frontier Force
West African Artillery
West African Engineers
West African Signals
West African Army Service Corps

West African Medical Corps
West African Ordnance Corps
West African Electrical and Mechanical Engineers
Corps of West African Military Police
West African Auxiliary Pioneer Corps

EAST AND CENTRAL AFRICA Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika, Nyasaland, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, British Somaliland

Kenya Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve
Tanganyika Naval Volunteer Force
East Africa Reconnaissance Regiment
East Africa Armoured Car Regiment
King's African Rifles
Northern Rhodesia Regiment
Somaliland Scouts
East Africa Artillery
East Africa Engineers
East Africa Corps of Signals
East Africa Chaplains Department
East Africa Army Service Corps
East Africa Army Medical Corps
East Africa Army Ordnance Corps
East Africa Army Electrical and Mechanical Engineers
East Africa Army Educational Corps
East Africa Military Police
East Africa Army Pioneer Corps
East Africa Army Labour Service
The Kenya Regiment
East Africa Military Nursing Service
Women's Territorial Service
Kenya Police
Tanganyika Police
Uganda Police

ADEN

Aden Protectorate Levies

BERMUDA

Bermuda Militia Artillery
Bermuda Volunteer Rifle Corps
Bermuda Volunteer Engineers

CEYLON

Ceylon Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve
Royal Artillery

Royal Engineers
Royal Army Service Corps
Ceylon Garrison Artillery
Ceylon Engineers
Ceylon Light Infantry
Ceylon Signal Corps
Ceylon Army Service Corps
Ceylon Medical Corps
Ceylon Railway Engineer Corps
Ceylon Corps of Military Police
Ceylon Electrical and Mechanical Corps
Ceylon Pioneers
Auxiliary Territorial Service

CYPRUS

Cyprus Regiment
Cyprus Volunteer Force
Royal Air Force

FALKLAND ISLANDS

Falklands Islands Defence Force

GIBRALTAR

Gibraltar Defence Force

HONG KONG

Hong Kong Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve
Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps
Hong Kong Volunteer Company
Hong Kong Pioneer Company
Civilian Services

MALAYA

Royal Navy
Malay Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve
Royal Artillery
Royal Engineers
Royal Corps of Signals
Royal Army Medical Corps
Royal Army Ordnance Corps
Royal Army Service Corps
Malay Regiment
Straits Settlements Volunteer Force
Federated Malay States Volunteer Force
Johore Military Forces

Kedah Volunteer Force
Kelantan Volunteer Force
Johore Volunteer Force
Royal Air Force
Malay Volunteer Air Force
Local Defence Corps
Police and Guerilla Forces
Civilian Services

WEST INDIES Bahamas, Barbados, British Guiana, British Honduras, Jamaica,
Leeward Islands, Trinidad and Tobago, Windward Islands

West Indian Detachment
Royal Air Force

FIJI AND WESTERN PACIFIC

Fiji Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve
Fiji Infantry Regiment
Fiji Medical Corps
Tonga Defence Force
British Solomon Islands Protectorate Defence Force
Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony Defence Force

MAURITIUS

Mauritius Pioneer Corps
Mauritius Women's Volunteer Corps

NORTH BORNEO, BRUNEI, LABUAN AND SARAWAK

Police and Guerilla Forces

PALESTINE

Trans-Jordan Frontier Force
Palestine Regiment
Palestine Police

ST. HELENA

St. Helena Regiment
Merchant Navy

SEYCHELLES

Seychelles Pioneer Corps

SOUTH AFRICAN HIGH COMMISSION TERRITORIES Basutoland,
Bechuanaland, Swaziland

South African High Commission Territories Corps

MALTA

Royal Navy
Royal Malta Artillery
Royal Engineers
Corps of Signals
King's Own Malta Regiment
Army Service Corps
Army Medical Corps
Army Ordnance Corps
Electrical and Mechanical Engineers
Army Pay Corps
Malta Pioneer Group
Royal Air Force
Malta Police
Civilian Services

NAVAL FORCES

ROYAL NAVY

Seamen
Engine Room Department
Band
Miscellaneous Branches and Reserves
Royal Marines
Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service and
V.A.D's
Women's Royal Naval Service

Civilian

MERCHANT NAVY

FISHING FLEETS

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICES

COASTGUARDS

PILOTS

ROYAL NATIONAL LIFEBOAT INSTITUTION

CIVILIAN SERVICES (FIRST CONTINGENTS)

POLICE

Metropolitan Police Central Band
Civil Police
Admiralty Civil Police

War Department Constabulary
Air Ministry Constabulary
Railway and Docks Police

FIRE SERVICE

National fire service
Salvage Corps

CIVIL DEFENCE SERVICE (FIRST PART)

Rescue Dog Handlers and Dogs
Civil Defence Reserve
Wardens
Rescue Service
Report and Control Service

CIVIL DEFENCE SERVICES (SECOND PART)

American Gift Ambulances (Great Britain)
Ambulance Service
First Aid Posts
Civil Nursing Reserve
Nurses in Voluntary and Public Hospitals
Midwives and District Nurses
War-time Nurseries
Lay Staffs of Hospitals
Medical Auxiliaries

NURSING SERVICES

Joint War Organisation of British Red Cross Society and
Order of St. John of Jerusalem
St. Andrew's Ambulance Association

WOMEN'S VOLUNTARY SERVICES

AGRICULTURE

Women's Land Army and Timber Corps
Farm Workers

ARMY

Household Cavalry
Band
Life Guards and Royal Horse Guards

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS

Band
1st King's Dragoon Guards

The Queen's Bays
3rd Carabineers
4th/7th Dragoon Guards
5th Royal Inniskilling Dragoon Guards
The Royal Dragoons
The Scots Greys
3rd Hussars
4th Hussars
7th Hussars
8th Hussars
9th Lancers
10th Hussars
11th Hussars
12th Lancers
13th/18th Hussars
14th/20th Hussars
15th/19th Hussars
16th/5th Lancers
17th/21st Lancers
1st Royal Tank Regiment
2nd Royal Tank Regiment
3rd Royal Tank Regiment
4th Royal Tank Regiment
5th Royal Tank Regiment
6th Royal Tank Regiment
7th Royal Tank Regiment
8th Royal Tank Regiment
Royal Armoured Corps
North Irish Horse
Royal Wiltshire Yeomanry
Warwickshire Yeomanry
Yorkshire Hussars
Nottinghamshire Yeomanry
Staffordshire Yeomanry
1st and 2nd Derbyshire Yeomanry
1st and 2nd Royal Gloucestershire Hussars
1st and 2nd Lothians and Border Horse Yeomanry
1st and 2nd Fife and Forfar Yeomanry
Westminster Dragoons
3rd and 4th County of London Yeomanry
1st and 2nd Northamptonshire Yeomanry
1st East Riding of Yorkshire Yeomanry
The Inns of Court Regiment
40th and 46th Royal Tank Regiment
41st and 47th Royal Tank Regiment
42nd and 48th Royal Tank Regiment

43rd and 49th Royal Tank Regiment
44th and 50th Royal Tank Regiment
45th and 51st Royal Tank Regiment
107th Regiment Royal Armoured Corps (King's Own)
116th Regiment Royal Armoured Corps (Gordon
Highlanders)
3rd Reconnaissance Regiment
43rd Reconnaissance Regiment

ROYAL ARTILLERY, ROYAL ENGINEERS AND ROYAL SIGNALS

Royal Horse Artillery
Royal Artillery
Royal Artillery Band
Royal Engineers and Royal Signals Band
Royal Engineers
Royal Corps of Signals

BRIGADE OF GUARDS

Band of the Brigade of Guards
Corps of Drums of the Brigade of Guards
Grenadier Guards
Coldstream Guards
Scots Guards
Irish Guards
Welsh Guards

INFANTRY OF THE LINE, ARMY AIR CORPS AND COMMANDOS

Band
The Queen's Royal Regiment
The Buffs
The King's Own Royal Regiment
The Royal Northumberland Fusiliers
The Royal Warwickshire Regiment
The Royal Fusiliers
The King's Regiment
The Royal Norfolk Regiment
The Lincolnshire Regiment
The Devonshire Regiment
The Suffolk Regiment
The West Yorkshire Regiment
The East Yorkshire Regiment
The Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire Regiment
The Leicestershire Regiment
The Green Howards
The Lancashire Fusiliers
The Cheshire Regiment

The Gloucestershire Regiment
The Worcestershire Regiment
The East Lancashire Regiment
The East Surrey Regiment
The Duke of Wellington's Regiment
The Border Regiment
The Royal Sussex Regiment
The Hampshire Regiment
The South Staffordshire Regiment
The Dorsetshire Regiment
The South Lancashire Regiment
The Essex Regiment
Honourable Artillery Company
The Cambridgeshire Regiment
10th London Regiment
The Hertfordshire Regiment
The Herefordshire Regiment
Band
The Sherwood Foresters
The Loyal Regiment
The Northamptonshire Regiment
The Royal Berkshire Regiment
The Queens Own Royal West Kent Regiment
The Middlesex Regiment
The Wiltshire Regiment
The Manchester Regiment
The North Staffordshire Regiment
The York and Lancaster Regiment
The Somerset Light Infantry
The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry
The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry
The King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry
The King's Shropshire Light Infantry
The Durham Light Infantry
The Kings Royal Rifle Corps
The Rifle Brigade
The Artists Rifles
Pipes and Drum Band
The Royal Scots
The Royal Scots Fusiliers
The King's Own Scottish Borderers
The Cameronians
The Black Watch
The Highland Light Infantry
The Seaforth Highlanders
The Gordon Highlanders

The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders
The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders
Lovat Scouts
London Scottish
Liverpool Scottish
The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers
The Royal Ulster Rifles
The Royal Irish Fusiliers
London Irish Rifles
The Royal Welch Fusiliers
The South Wales Borderers
The Welch Regiment
The Monmouthshire Regiment
Glider Pilot Regiment
Parachute Regiment
Special Air Service Regiment
Commandos
Jewish Brigade

CORPS AND SERVICES

Royal Army Chaplains Department
Band of the Royal Army Service Corps
Royal Army Service Corps
Band of the Royal Army Medical Corps
Royal Army Medical Corps
Royal Army Ordnance Corps
Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers
Royal Army Pay Corps
Royal Army Veterinary Corps
Army Education Corps
Army Dental Corps
Corps of Military Police and Military Provost Staff Corps
Pioneer Corps
Intelligence Corps
Army Physical Training Corps
Army Catering Corps
Army Welfare Service

HOME GUARD

Band
Detachment of Home Guard.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE AND VOLUNTARY AID DETACHMENTS

Band

AUXILIARY TERRITORIAL SERVICE

FIRST AID NURSING YEOMANRY

CIVILIAN SERVICES (SECOND CONTINGENT)

Band of the National Fire Service

TRANSPORT SERVICES

Railways
Tramways
Omnibuses
Road Haulage
Air Transport Auxiliary
Docks
Canals

CIVIL DEFENCE, SERVICES (THIRD PART)

Industrial Civil Defence Services
Fire Guard and Raid Spotters

POST-RAID SERVICES

Administrative and Information Centres
Emergency Information
Rest Centres
Mortuary Service
Emergency Food Service
Londoners' Meals Service
Port of London Authority River Emergency Service
Clyde River Service
Voluntary Stretcher Bearers (Hospital)
Orderlies in Casualty Evacuation Trains
Inter-Hospital Transport
Billeting Service

PUBLIC UTILITY SERVICES

Post Office
Gas, Electricity and Water Undertakings
Road Repairs

INDUSTRIAL WORKERS (FIRST PART)

Aircraft Industry
Boot and Shoe Trades
Brickmaking
Building Trades

Canteens and Catering
Chemicals Manufacture
Clerical Staff
Clothing Workers
Distributive Trades
Constructional Engineers
Electrical Engineers
General Engineers
Marine Engineers
Explosives Manufacture

INDUSTRIAL WORKERS (SECOND PART)

Coalminers
Fishing
Food, Drink and Tobacco Manufacture
Glass and Pottery
Hosiery Workers
Laundry Workers
Hospital Domestic Staff
Iron and Steel Workers
Non-Ferrous Metal Workers
Paper and Printing Trades
Rubber Workers
Shipbuilding
Cotton Operatives
Jute Workers
Rayon Manufacture
Woollen Industry
Woodworking and Furnishing Industry

GENERAL SERVICES

Y.M.C.A.
Y.W.C.A.
Church Army
Salvation Army
Toc H
Church of Scotland Huts
Methodist and United Board Churches
Catholic Women's League
Army Scripture Readers
Soldiers', Sailors' and Airmen's Families Association
Soldiers', Sailors' and Airmen's Help Society
Women's Institutes
National Savings Workers

CHANNEL ISLANDS AND ISLE OF MAN

AIR FORCES

ALLIED

Central Band Of the Royal Air Force
United States of America (Army and Naval)
France
Belgium
Czechoslovakia
Greece
Netherlands
Norway
Poland
Yugoslavia

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Bomber Command
(Groups No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 (Pathfinder), 26 (Signals),
91, 92 (O.T.U.), 93 and 100)
Fighter Command
(Groups No. 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 38, 60 (Signals), 70, 81,
82 and 88, Balloon Groups 31, 32, 33 and 43)
Coastal Command
(Groups No. 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 106, 200 and 247)
British Air Forces of Occupation, Germany
Air Command South East Asia
(Groups No. 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229,
230, 231, 232, 233 and 238)
Mediterranean and Middle East Command
(Groups No. 201, 202, 203, 205, 206, 209, 210, 211, 214,
215, 216, 217, 218, 219 and 242)
Massed Cranwell, Royal Air Force Regiment and No. 1
Regional Bands
Transport Command
(Groups No. 44, 45, 46, 48, 87 and 300)
Flying Training Command
(Groups No. 21, 23, 25, 29, 50, 51 and 54)
Technical Training Command
(Groups No. 20, 22, 24, 27, 28, 71 and 72)
Maintenance Command
(Groups No. 40, 41, 42 and 43)
Iraqi Levies
Royal Air Force Regiment
Royal Observer Corps
Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing Service
Voluntary Aid Detachment

Women's Auxiliary Air Force Band
Women's Auxiliary Air Force

CIVIL AIR TRANSPORT

NAVY, ARMY AND AIR FORCE INSTITUTES

FLY-PAST

Hurricanes
Sunderlands
Lancasters
Mosquitos
Sea Mosquitos
Beaufighters
Firebrands
Seafires
Spitfires
Fireflies
Tempests
Meteors
Vampires

AFTERNOON ENTERTAINMENTS

HYDE PARK (AT THE COCKPIT)

p.m.	
3.0 to 3.10	Nautical Orchestra.
3.10 to 3.30	Display of Folk Dancing by a team of children from London Schools.
4.0 to 4.20	Community Singing accompanied by the Orchestra.
5.0 to 5.20	Children's Ballet.
5.20 to 5.45	Nautical Orchestra.
5.45 to 7.30	Military Band Concert with sessions of Community Singing.
7.0	Scottish Pipers and Dancers.

From 3 to 6 p.m. two Punch and Judy entertainments will play at hourly intervals.

HYDE PARK (BANDSTAND)

3.0 to 5.45 Salvation Army Regent Hall Band, with sessions of
Community Singing

GREEN PARK

p.m.
3.0 to 3.10 Symphony Orchestra
3.10 to 3.30 Children's Ballet.
4.0 to 4.20 Display of Folk Dancing by a team of children from London
Schools.
5.0 to 5.20 Community Singing accompanied by the Orchestra.
5.20 to 5.45 Symphony Orchestra.
5.45 to 7.30 Military Band Concert with sessions of Community Singing.
6.30 Scottish Pipers and Dancers.

From 3 to 6 p.m. two Punch and Judy entertainments will play at hourly intervals.

ST. JAMES'S PARK

p.m.
3.0 to 3.10 Metropolitan Police Central Band.
3.10 to 3.30 Community Singing accompanied by the Orchestra.
4.0 to 4.20 Children's Ballet.
5.0 to 5.20 Display of Folk Dancing by a team of children from London
Schools.
5.20 to 5.45 Metropolitan Police Central Band.
5.45 to 7.30 Military Band Concert with sessions of Community Singing.
6.30 Scottish Pipers and Dancers.

From 3 to 6 p.m. two Punch and Judy entertainments will play at hourly intervals.

REGENT'S PARK

AT THE OPEN AIR THEATRE

3.0 "As You Like It" - (Shakespeare) - presented by Robert Atkins
Bankside Players.
(Admission Free - Chairs 6d.)

ON GLOUCESTER GREEN

5.45 to 7.30 Military Dance Bands for public dancing.

EVENING ENTERTAINMENTS

p.m.

7.30 to 9.30

Dancing in St. James's Park, Green Park, Hyde Park (near the Serpentine Bridge) and Regent's Park to the music of Military Dance Bands.

10.0 to 11.45

Searchlight, aquatic and firework display centred on the stretch of the River Thames between Hungerford and Vauxhall Bridges.

10.0

Arrival at the Houses of Parliament of His Majesty the King who will travel by water from Chelsea. Salute by 80 searchlights of the Anti-Aircraft Command and 41 aerial maroons, and by the playing of the National Anthem from 500 loud-speakers followed by national music.

10.20

Floodlighting of the surface of the River and Westminster and Lambeth Bridges; coloured water display by 800 jets from 8 firefloats and 20 specially equipped barges, manned by the the National Fire Service, and from special equipment on either side of Westminster and Lambeth Bridges. Commencement of a concert specially arranged in conjunction with the British Broadcasting Corporation, and including excerpts from Handel's Water and Firework Music

10.30

Firework display by Messrs C. T. Brock & Co., opening with the discharge of 200 rockets

10.45

Searchlight display, accompanied by aquatic fireworks and illuminated fire-foam from fireboats

10.55

Arrival of R.A.F. aircraft caught in the beams of searchlights

11.0

Interlude for fireworks, including set pieces from 19 barges moored opposite the Victoria Tower Gardens and the Houses of Parliament.

11.15

Arrival of further aircraft, with running commentary between B.B.C. observers in the aircraft and at the river side. Water display with firework jets from the temporary bridges beyond Westminster and Lambeth Bridges.

11.30

Cascades of fire from the temporary bridges and a Devil's Tattoo, accompanied by the coloured water display. Short concert of popular music on the loudspeakers

11.45

Display ends with the firing of 50 magnesium shells and the playing of the National Anthem.

DECORATIONS AND ILLUMINATIONS

The processional route from Parliament Square to Buckingham Palace will be decorated by the Ministry of Works. Starting from a special feature in Parliament Square, all the public buildings in Whitehall will, be decorated with large flags representing both the Fighting and Civilian Services. Nelson's Column will be decorated with lines of flags. Trafalgar Square, the National Gallery and the Admiralty Arch will also be decorated. The Mall will be decorated with 103 masts bearing the flags of the Services, Dominions, Colonies and Fighting Allies; each mast will bear the name of the Service or country represented. The Saluting Base will be situated opposite Marlborough Gate. From 10 p.m. until midnight, and on successive nights up to and including Saturday, 15th June, the following buildings in the London area, amongst others, will be floodlit:-

Buckingham Palace	War Office
St. James's Palace	Horse Guards
Hampton Court Palace	Somerset House
Windsor Castle	National Gallery
Houses of Parliament	Admiralty Arch
Westminster Abbey	Nelson's Column
St. Paul's Cathedral	Royal Naval College, Greenwich
Lambeth Palace	Royal Mint
Tower of London	Bethnal Green Museum
Mansion House	County Hall, Westminster
Royal Exchange	

Many of the flags forming part of the decorations in Whitehall will be floodlit, and also the lake in St. James's Park and the fountains in Trafalgar Square. The gardens at

Hampton Court will be floodlit and there will be a water display on the River Thames there.

VISITING WARSHIPS

The Admiralty are illuminating some of His Majesty's Ships, which will be berthed as follows at:

Greenwich H.M.S. Diadem and H.M.S. Bellona (Cruisers)

The two cruisers at night

Woolwich H.M.S. Myngs, H.M.S. Zambezi, H.M.S. Zest and H.M.S. Zealous
(Destroyers)

Deptford H.M.S. Stork (Sloop) and H.M.S. Bamborough Castle (Corvette)

London Docks -
Shadwell New Basin H.M.S. Token and H.M.S. Thermopylae (Submarines)

Upper Pool 4 Minesweepers

The public will be able to visit these ships on Whit Sunday, 9th June, and Whit Monday, 10th June, between 12.30 p.m. and 8 p.m.

During the same period, Motor Torpedo Boats will be moored on the River Thames at Chelsea, Vauxhall and Charing Cross and near H.M.S. President.

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