

C.S.O.

ROY/GEN/1#21

1765/2.

1
2
6
5.

(Formerly)

SUBJECT:

VISIT OF H.R.H. THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH

FOX BAY PROGRAMME

CONNECTED FILES.

NUMBER AND YEAR.

1765/2

VISIT OF HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH TO WEST FALKLAND

9th January, 1957.

<u>No.</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Arrangements</u>	<u>Notes.</u>
1.	08.30 hrs.	H.M. Yacht "Britannia" and H.M.S. "Protector" anchor off Fox Bay.	About 120 miles from Stanley. An easy night's steaming. H.M.S. "Protector" will have on board the Colonial Secretary, Colonial Treasurer, Mr. H.C. Harding (the West Falkland Member of Executive Council) Mr. C.H. Robertson, Mr. W.W. Blaks, their wives and Mr. R. Walmsley. All will land forthwith and proceed to Mr. Clement's house. The anchorage is about 15 minutes by boat from Fox Bay East Jetty. Clothing informal. The "Philomel" will be on hand to bring His Royal Highness and the Royal Party ashore if it is too rough for ship's boats.
2.	09.30 hrs.	His Royal Highness lands at Fox Bay East jetty. Presentation of Manager, Fox Bay East and the Government Medical Officer and wives by the Governor.	Standard broken as His Royal Highness steps ashore. The Royal Party will consist of His Royal Highness, personal staff, possibly four guests, the Governor, Colonial Secretary, Colonial Treasurer and A.D.C. After presentations, Mrs. Clement and Mrs. Greenaway will proceed to the Manager's house.
3.	09.40 hrs.	See pens and general set up of the Settlement. Drafting for shearing will be in progress. Visit paid to Settlement's new recreation centre, the Government wireless station,	On arrival at the pens, a pair of rubber boots will be provided for His Royal Highness. Mr. Wickham Clement (former Member of Executive and Legislative Councils) will be generally responsible for the organisation of the visit and he will conduct His Royal Highness.

power station and surgery.

4. 10.45 hrs. "Smoko" at the Manager's house.
5. 11.30 hrs. Visit woolshed to see shearing and baling.
6. 12.15 hrs. Embark from jetty
7. 12.45 hrs. Lunch on H.M. Yacht "Britannia"
8. 14.00 hrs. Guests depart. H.M. Yacht "Britannia" sails
for South Georgia.

Presentation of shepherds and foremen will be made by Mr. Clement who will also present the Wireless Operator.

"Smoko", i.e., the mid-morning break, is quite a feature of Falkland Islands life and is almost a meal. Royal Party as at 2 with Mr. Clement, the other farm managers, the Medical Officer and wives present.

Royal party as at 2. The majority of the men working will be from Fox Bay East. Necessary presentations by Mr. Clement.

Royal Party as at 2.

Guests - The Governor, Mr. & Mrs. Clement, Mr. and Mrs. Denton-Thompson (Colonial Secretary) Mr. & Mrs. Trees (Colonial Treasurer) Mr. & Mrs. Harding, Dr. and Mrs. Greenaway, Mr. & Mrs. Robertson, Mr. & Mrs. Blake, Mr. Walmsley, the A.D.C. , (17 in all)

2

3

VISIT OF HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH TO FOX BAY EAST.

WEDNESDAY, 9TH JANUARY, 1957.

H.M. Yacht Britannia and H.M.S. "Protector" will sail from Stanley at 11.00 p.m. on the 8th January, anchoring off Fox Bay at 8.30 a.m. (Camp time) on the 9th. The Governor and his A.D.C. will travel in the Royal Yacht.

H.M.S. "Protector" will carry the following passengers:-

Mr. & Mrs. A.G. Denton-Thompson

Mr. & Mrs. S.G. Trees

Mr. & Mrs. H.C. Harding

Mr. & Mrs. C.H. Robertson

Mr. & Mrs. W.W. Blake

Mr. R. Walmsley

In addition to the above, who have been invited to lunch on board H.M. Yacht Britannia, H.M.S. "Protector" will also carry Mr. R. Moss and one other cameraman, Mr. V. Harrison and one other broadcasting assistant. The passengers named above will be brought ashore in one of H.M.S. "Protector's" boats immediately the ship anchors and will proceed to Mr. Clement's house.

His Royal Highness, the Governor and other members of the Royal Party (Private Secretary and/or Equerry, A.D.C. and possibly up to four of His Royal Highness' guests) will land at the jetty at 9.30 a.m.

On arrival, Mr. & Mrs. Clement and Dr. and Mrs. Greenaway will be presented. Also at the jetty will be Mr. Denton-Thompson and Mr. Trees, the photographers and the broadcaster. All others will remain in Mr. Clement's house.

The Standard will be broken by a naval rating as His Royal Highness steps ashore.

After presentations Mrs. Clement and Mrs. Greenaway will return to the Manager's house.

Mr. Clement will then escort the Royal Party to the pens where drafting will be in progress. A pair of rubber boots will be provided for His Royal Highness at the entrance to the pens. Mr. Clement will make casual presentations of shepherds and foremen as the opportunity arises.

After seeing drafting, Mr. Clement will escort the Royal Party around the Settlement, showing the recreation hut, the Government wireless station, and power house. Mr. Clement will present the operator. If time permits, Dr. Greenaway will take the Royal Party through his surgery.

At 10.45 a.m. the Royal Party will return to Mr. Clement's house for "Smoko".

At 11.30 a.m. Mr. Clement will suggest a visit to the woolshed to see shearing and baling. The Royal Party (His Royal Highness, the Governor, the Private Secretary, Equerry, A.D.C., His Royal Highness' guests, Mr. Denton-Thompson and Mr. Trees) will then be taken by Mr. Clement to the woolshed. Mr. Clement will make casual presentations in the woolshed as the opportunity arises.

The Royal Party will embark at the jetty for H.M. Yacht "Britannia" at 12.15 p.m. leaving Mr. Clement on shore. The Standard will then be lowered. At 12.30 p.m. Mr. & Mrs. Clement, Dr. and Mrs. Greenaway, Mrs. Denton-Thompson, Mrs. Trees, Mr. & Mrs. Harding, Mr. & Mrs. Robertson, Mr. & Mrs. Blake and Mr. Walmsley will embark in a boat from H.M. Yacht "Britannia" or H.M.S. "Protector" and proceed on board for luncheon. Guests will come ashore at 2 p.m. in a boat from the Royal Yacht which will sail shortly afterwards for South Georgia.

The M.V. "Philomel" will stand by to bring off the Royal Party or passengers travelling in H.M.S. "Protector" should it be too rough to use the Royal Barge or ship's boats.