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Pro. No. 31

State Entry into Delhi.

Reception Tent, and also whether Udaipur has to be included in procession. I conclude you have instructed Nawab of Rampur that he should be in Chief's procession at State Entry into Delhi.

Telegram No. 314-D., dated the 4th December 1911.

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From—The HON'BLE LIEUTENANT-COLONEL SIR HENRY MACMAHON, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.,  
Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department,  
Coronation Durbar,

To—The Military Secretary to His Majesty the King-Emperor, King-Emperor's  
Camp.

314-D. Your 32—102. Udaipur and the Honorary Indian Aide-de-Camp Chiefs should I think occupy positions. You and I agreed upon in the procession from Selimgarh to Chiefs' tents. Nawab of Rampur instructed to go in Chiefs' procession from Fort in State Entry.

Pro. No. 32. *Programme of the State Entry of Their Imperial Majesties the King-Emperor and Queen-Empress into Delhi on the 7th December 1911.*

Their Imperial Majesties the King-Emperor and Queen-Empress will arrive by train at the Selimgarh bastion of the Delhi Fort at 10 A.M. on Thursday, the 7th December 1911, and will proceed from the railway station to Their Camp by the route and in the order of procession hereinafter indicated.

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2. They will be received on alighting from the train by Their Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Hardinge, and conducted to the Reception Pavilion on the platform opposite the Royal Saloon.

The Guard of Honour will salute and the band will play the National Anthem.

At the same moment, a salute of 101 guns will be commenced from the ramparts of the Fort.

This salute will be divided into three portions, of 34, 33 and 34 guns respectively, at the end of each of which a *feu de joie* will be fired by the troops lining the route from the Fort to the Ridge.

3. His Excellency the Governor-General, after introducing to Their Imperial Majesties the members of their Indian Staff, will then present the following High Officials, who will be assembled on the platform :—

The Governor of Bombay.	The Chief of the General Staff.
The Governor of Madras.	The General Officer Commanding the Northern Army.
The Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab.	The Resident in Mysore.
The Commander-in-Chief.	The Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana.
The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	The Resident in Kashmir.
The Lieutenant-Governor of Burma.	The Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.
The Lieutenant-Governor of Eastern Bengal and Assam.	The Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor-General in the North-West Frontier Province.
The Lieutenant-Governor of the United Provinces.	The Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.
The Chief Justice of Bengal.	The Agent to the Governor-General and Chief Commissioner in Baluchistan.
The Metropolitan of India.	The Resident at Hyderabad.
The Governor-General's Executive Council :—	The General Officer Commanding the 7th (Meerut) Division.
(1) The Hon'ble Sir Guy Fleetwood Wilson.	The President of the Railway Board.
(2) The Hon'ble Mr. J. L. Jenkins.	The Adjutant-General in India.
(3) The Hon'ble Mr. R. W. Carlyle.	The Quartermaster-General in India.
(4) The Hon'ble Mr. S. H. Butler.	The Commissioner of Delhi.
(5) The Hon'ble Saiyid Ali Imam.	
(6) The Hon'ble Mr. W. H. Clark.	
The Naval Commander in-Chief.	
The General Officer Commanding the Southern Army.	

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While these presentations are being made, the members of the household in waiting will take up their places outside the station to form a procession to the Chief's Reception Tent as follows—

<p>Trumpeter.</p> <p>A.-D.-C. to H. E. the Governor-General.</p> <p>Extra A.-D.-C. Extra A.-D.-C.</p> <p>A. M. S.</p> <p>Private Secy. to H. E. the Governor-General.</p> <p>A.-D.-C. A.-D.-C.</p> <p>Equerry. Equerry.</p> <p>Sir James Dunlop-Smith.</p> <p>Sir Edward Henry.</p> <p>Sir John Hewett. The Lord Chamberlain to the Queen-Empress. The Queen-Empress. Attendants.</p> <p>H. E. Lady Hardinge. H. H. The Duke of Teek.</p> <p>The Hon'ble Venetia Bearing.</p> <p>Br.-Genl. R. E. Grimston.</p> <p>Trumpeter.</p>	<p>Delhi Herald.</p> <p>A. M. S.</p> <p>Lieut.-Col. R. Bird. A.-D.-C.</p> <p>A.-D.-C. Lieut.-Col.</p> <p>Sir Havelock Charles. Equerry. Equerry.</p> <p>Major-General. Sir Stuart Beatson. A.-D.-C. General.</p> <p>The Lord-in-Waiting.</p> <p>The Mistress of the Robes.</p> <p>A.-D.-C.-General</p> <p>Assistant Herald.</p>	<p>Trumpeter.</p> <p>A.-D.-C. to H. E. the Governor-General.</p> <p>Extra A.-D.-C. Extra A.-D.-C.</p> <p>A. M. S. A.-D.-C.</p> <p>A.-D.-C.</p> <p>H. H. Prince George of Battenberg. Equerry. Equerry.</p> <p>Rear-Admiral Sir Colin Keppel. Lieut.-Genl. Sir Horace Smith-Dorrien. The Lord Stamfordham. The Lord High Steward.</p> <p>The King-Emperor. Attendants.</p> <p>H. E. the Governor-General. The Minister in attendance.</p> <p>The Countess of Shaftesbury.</p> <p>Sir Henry McMahon.</p> <p>Trumpeter.</p>
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4. After the presentations, Their Imperial Majesties will leave the station and will again be saluted by the Guard of Honour of British Infantry drawn up at the foot of the steps.

After the King-Emperor has inspected the Guard of Honour, Their Imperial Majesties will walk through the Selimgarh bastion into the Fort to the Reception Tent, in which the Ruling Chiefs will await them.

The Royal standard will be hoisted as they enter the Fort, and a Guard of Honour of Indian Infantry in front of the Reception Tent will salute as they approach.

After the Guard of Honour has been inspected,\* they will enter the Reception Tent and the Ruling Chiefs will be presented, one by one, by the Master of the Ceremonies assisted by the local Political Officers.

5. Immediately after their presentation at the Railway Station, the Governors, Lieutenant-Governors, etc., who will take part in Procession A, will retire and with their escort will take the places assigned to them in Procession A, which will forthwith proceed to the Ridge. Those not included in the procession will proceed by another route to their seats in the Pavilion on the Ridge.

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6. When the Chiefs have been presented, Their Imperial Majesties will proceed in procession by the following route, which will be lined throughout by troops :—

Delhi Gate of the Fort. Khas Road. Round the Jumma Musjid. Esplanade Road. Chandni Chowk. Fattehpur Bazar.		Queen's Road. Dufferin Bridge. Mori Gate. Boulevard Road. Rajpur Road. Chauburja Road.
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Through the Pavilion on the Ridge to the King-Emperor's Camp.

7. The procession will be formed in three parts in the following order :—

*A—Procession of High Officials.*

A Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Punjab. The Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces with his escort. The Lieutenant-Governor of the United Provinces with escort. The Lieutenant-Governor of Eastern Bengal and Assam with his escort. The Lieutenant-Governor of Burma with his escort.		The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal with his escort. The Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab with his escort. The Governor of Madras with his Staff and Body-Guard. The Governor of Bombay with his Staff and Body-Guard.
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*B—The Royal Procession.*

The Inspector-General of Police, Punjab. An Officer of Army Head-Quarters. A Regiment of British Cavalry. A Battery of Royal Horse Artillery. The Escort Staff. The Army Head-Quarters Staff. His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief's Staff.		Indian Trumpeters. The Assistant Herald. British Trumpeters. Delhi Herald. The Body-Guard. The Governor-General's Staff.
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The Guard of Honour was inspected after the reception by the Chiefs.

The King-Emperor's Staff and Household, as follows :—

Extra A.-D.-C.		
Extra A.-D.-C.	A.M.S.	Extra A.-D.-C.
A.M.S.	Hony. Indian	Extra A.-D.-C.
Hony. Indian	A.-D.-C.	A.M.S.
A.-D.-C.	A.-D.-C.	A.-D.-C.
A.-D.-C.	A.-D.-C.	A.-D.-C.
Equerry	Equerry.	H. H. Prince George of Battenburg.
Br.-Genl. R. E. Grimston.	Equerry.	Equerry.
Sir Henry McMahon.	A.-D.-C.-General.	Lt.-Genl. Sir Horace Smith-Dorrien.
His Highness the Maharaja of Bikaner.	The Lord-in-waiting.	The Lord Stamfordham.
		His Highness the Maharaja of Gwalior.

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The Body-Guard.

Household Cavalry Orderlies.

The Commander-in-Chief.	H. H. The Duke of Teck.
Equerry-in-waiting.	Equerry-in waiting.

THE KING-EMPEROR.

The Minister in attendance.	H. E. the Governor-General.
Royal Groom.	Royal Groom.

THE QUEEN-EMPRESS.

(In a carriage with Mistress of the Robes and the Lord High Steward.)

Lt.-Col. H. D. Watson.	Maj.-Genl. Sir Stuart Beatson.
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The Commandant of the Body-Guard will ride on the right and the  
Honorary Commandant of the Imperial Cadet Corps on the left of the carriage.

The Imperial Cadet Corps.

*2nd carriage.*

Her Excellency Lady Hardinge with the Lord Chamberlain to the Queen-  
Empress and A.-D.-C.-in-waiting.

*3rd arriage.*

The Countess of Shaftesbury.	Mr. J. H. Du Boulay.
The Hon'ble Venetia Baring.	

*4th carriage.*

Mr. F. H. Lucas.	Rear-Admiral Sir Colin Keppel.
Sir James Dunlop Smith.	

*5th carriage.*

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Bird.	Sir R. Havelock Charles.
The Hon'ble J. Fortescue.	Indian Cavalry Regiment of the Escort.

*C.—Procession of Ruling Chiefs.\**

- A Deputy Inspector-General of Police.
- His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad with the Resident at Hyderabad and His Highness's escort.
- His Highness the Gaekwar of Baroda with the Resident and His Highness's escort.
- His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore with the Resident in Mysore and His Highness's escort.
- His Highness the Maharaja of Kashmir with the Resident and His Highness's escort.
- The Rajputana Chiefs with their Political Officers and escorts, the Agent to the Governor-General accompanying the leading Chiefs.
- The Central India Chiefs with their Political Officers and escorts, the Agent to the Governor-General accompanying the leading Chief.
- The Madras Chiefs with their Political Officers and escort.
- The Bombay Chiefs with thier Political Officers and escorts.
- The Punjab Chiefs with their Political Officers and escorts.
- The Baluchistan Chiefs with their Political Officers and escorts, the Agent to the Governor-General and Chief Commissioner accompanying the leading Chief.
- The Maharajas of Bhutan and Sikkim with their Political Officers and escorts.
- North-West Frontier Province Chiefs with their escorts, the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor-General leading.
- The United Provinces Chiefs with their Political Officers and escorts.
- The Bengal Chiefs with their Political Officers and escorts.
- Eastern Bengal and Assam Chiefs with their Political Officers and escorts.

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\* Chiefs who are Honorary A.-D.-C.s to the King-Emperor will ride with the Staff.

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The Central Provinces Chiefs with their Political Officers and escorts.

The Burma Chiefs with their Political Officers and escorts.

A Regiment of Indian Cavalry.

8. The first procession A will start while the presentation of the Ruling Chiefs is taking place.

On reaching the Ridge Pavilion the Governors and others will alight and take their seats among the Representatives of British India assembled there to welcome Their Imperial Majesties.

9. As the Royal Procession leaves the Fort a salute of 101 guns will be fired by salvoes of batteries from the Ridge to announce that it has started. The Chiefs will then take up the places assigned to them in Procession C. which will advance on a given signal after the last Regiment of the Royal Escort has passed through the Delhi Gate of the Fort.

10. When Their Imperial Majesties reach the Pavilion on the Ridge, the Representatives of British India there assembled will rise and remain standing.

The Queen-Empress's carriage will draw up alongside the King-Emperor on his left and the Vice-President of the Governor-General's Legislative Council will approach on the right and read a short address of loyal welcome and devotion to Their Imperial Majesties on behalf of British India.

The King-Emperor will acknowledge the address and the progress to the Royal Camp will be continued as before. Those assembled in the Pavilion will then resume their seats and will remain in the Pavilion until the Chiefs' Procession has passed.

11. As Their Imperial Majesties arrive at the Camp the Royal Standard will be hoisted. A Guard of Honour drawn up in front of the Royal Tents will present arms.

12. After passing the Pavilion on the Ridge, the Chiefs will proceed to their own camps by the Ridge Road. The Representatives of British India in the Pavilion on the Ridge will stay in their places until the Governors, Lieutenant-Governors, and the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, with their escorts and the Members of His Excellency the Governor-General's Executive Council have left by the Chauburja Road.

*Full dress \* will be worn. Gentlemen not entitled to wear uniform will appear in Court or Morning Dress.*

A. H. McMAHON.

*Positions of Suite when formed facing inwards preparatory to forming the procession when moving to and leaving the Reception Tent.*

	Herald.	
Royal Archer.		Royal Archer.
Gentlemen-at-Arms.		The Earl of Mar and Kellie.
A.-D.-C. to H. E. The Governor-General.		Gentlemen-at-Arms.
Capt. R. B. C. Raban.		A.-D.-C. to H. E. The Governor-General.
Capt. L. F. Ashburner.		Capt. H. Hill.
Major the Hon'ble W. Cadogan.		Capt. R. E. T. Hogg.
Major H. R. Stockly.		Lt.-Col. R. Bird.

\* With trousers and not knee breeches.