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REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY, 1954

Her Majesty The Queen accompanied by Their Royal Highnesses the Duke of Edinburgh and the Duke of Gloucester was present at the Remembrance Sunday Service in Whitehall this morning.

Her Royal Highness The Princess Margaret, Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Gloucester accompanied by His Royal Highness Prince William and Her Highness Princess Marie Louise, witnessed the ceremony from a window overlooking the Cenotaph.

The Lord Chancellor, the Speaker, members of the Cabinet; the Service Ministers, the Minister of Transport, Mr. Attlee and Mr. Clement Davies attended: representatives of the Commonwealth countries, the Navy, Army, Air Force, the Civil Defence Services, the Merchant Navy and Fishing Fleets, the Merchant Air Service and Religious Denominations were also present.

Immediately after the Two Minutes' Silence Her Majesty laid a wreath on the Cenotaph. The Duke of Edinburgh and the Duke of Gloucester also laid wreaths; and a wreath was laid on behalf of Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother by Sir Arthur Penn, Treasurer to Her Majesty. Wreaths were subsequently laid by the Prime Minister on behalf of the Cabinet; by Mr. Attlee; by Mr. Clement Davies; by Mr. Lennox-Boyd, Secretary of State for the Colonies on behalf of the Colonies and Protectorates; and by the following representatives of Commonwealth countries: Mr. Norman Robertson on behalf of Canada; Sir Thomas White on hehalf of Australia; Mr. R.M. Campbell on behalf of New Zealand; Mr. G.P. Jooste on behalf of South Africa; Mr. B.N. Chakravarty on behalf of India; Mr. S. Hyder on behalf of Pakistan; Mr. T.D. Perera on behalf of Ceylon; and by Sir Gilbert Rennie on behalf of Rhodesia and Nyasaland. Wreaths were also laid on behalf of the Navy, Army, Air Force, Merchant Navy and Fishing Fleets, Merchant Air Service and Civil Defence Services respectively by Admiral The Hon. Sir Guy Russell, Field Marshal Sir John Harding, Marshal of the Royal Air Force Sir William Dickson, Captain R.B. Stannard, Captain O.P. Jones and by the Home Secretary, Major Lloyd-George.