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COMBODIA KING CORONATION

All competition, pool coverage
Positive developed: 99 meters ;

65 ft

As the procession reaches the steps of the royal Palace at Phnompenh, for the coronation ceremonies of Cambodian King, the Cambodian maidens and court officials wait to escort the future King and Queen into the throne hall.

The French High Commissioner in Cambodia Mr. GORCE is present and standing at the right of the new King as an honor to France's friendship and help in building up a free state in the frame of Associated states of overseas territories.

Mr. GORCE had a few days earlier awarded the insignia of Knight of the Legion of Honor to the King and Queen.

After going through the traditional obligations of Buddhist and Brahman rites the new King received the insignia of his throne from the hands of his son, Prince NGRODCM SIANOU who resigned a year ago to take the head of Cambodia Government, King NGRODCM SURAMARIT is now according to Cambodia tradition the ruler of the country.