

FRANKNESS, A MEASURE OF FRIENDSHIP

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"Finally, there is no cause to be surprised or disturbed to discover that occasionally differences arise between us. The distinguishing character of the peoples of the free world lies in the fact that differences between them can develop, be expressed and amicably resolved.

"We in the United States have no more desire than you to seek in our relations with others the silent, sullen unity that elsewhere has been purchased or imposed. The hallmark of freedom is the right to differ as well as the right to agree."

In concluding his address, the President said:

"I have spoken to you today in the knowledge that through you I address a nation strong in the tradition of freedom and vigilant in its defense. You and we are alike convinced, by our history, our religious faith and our common heritage of freedom, that economic well-being and political liberty both depend upon the efforts of individuals and on their willingness to accept the responsibilities of freedom. Today, I assure you once more of the pride and gratification that we of the United States feel in our long and friendly association with you, our sturdy Northern neighbor.

"We stand together at a pivotal point in history. All that we Canadians and Americans, and those who went before us, have built, all that we believe in, is challenged as it has never been challenged before. The new horizons of competition range from the polar areas, and extend to the infinity of outer space.

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REMINDERS OF PAST

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ceremony was the band of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Upon the departure of President Eisenhower from Canada July 11, a 100-man Guard of Honour from the RCAF formed up at Ottawa's Uplands Airport, along with the RCAF Central Band.

During both his arrival and departure a 21-gun salute was fired by Ottawa's 30th Field Regiment, Royal Canadian Artillery.

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PRINCESS ARRIVES

HRH Princess Margaret arrived in Vancouver July 12 to open a visit which will take her across Canada from the West Coast to Halifax, where her stay in Canada will end August 11.

"It is for us to bring to the challenge a response worthy of ourselves and our nations."

"As we do, we shall know the satisfaction of having built, in friendship, a safer and ampler home here on earth for this generation and those that shall come after us."

In his address of welcome to the President, Prime Minister Diefenbaker said, in part:

"...Mr. President, our two lands have a glory of their own - the glory of two peoples moving forward together, not complacently, but with a humble pride, and joined in fraternal association extending through a century of tragedy and storm.

"We may thank God that our nations know nothing of ancestral animosities or fears and above all desire that the peaceful and cooperative relations between us will become the portion of all mankind..

"The peoples of other nations ask what is the secret of the dedication of these two nations to neighbourliness and mutual respect? The answer, we know, is that we trust each other in a union of hearts based on common ideals and resting upon the abiding principles of freedom and the rights of men. Our peoples are North Americans, the children of geography, products of the same hopes, faith and dreams -- the forms of expression nurtured and enriched in the traditions and common heritage of Magna Charta, the Bill of Rights and Habeas Corpus...

"I salute you as the wartime commander under whose leadership the legions of freedom marched when liberty was under seige and no man knew where salvation lay. I greet you as one whose wisdom, humanitarianism and prestige are once more humanity's hope for freedom and peace."

In British Columbia the Princess was scheduled to open bridges across the Peace River and Lake Okanagan, and to review about 30 warships from Canada, the United Kingdom, the United States, Japan, and Mexico. On July 25 she will receive an honorary degree from the University of British Columbia.

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ROYAL INSPECTION

Outstanding Army cadets from coast to coast attending a National Cadet Camp at Banff, Alberta, from July 20 to August 9 will be inspected by HRH Princess Margaret.

A total of 235 Royal Canadian Army Cadets have been selected by the Army's five commands across Canada to attend the special camp near Cascade Mountain, in world-renowned Banff National Park.