

SATURDAY, 26th JUNE.

A Royal Review took place to-day of the ships and vessels of Her Majesty's Fleet assembled at Spithead, consisting of twenty-one Line-of-Battle Ships and fifty-three Cruisers, and numerous smaller craft of all classes.

The Queen was not present, but was represented by His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales.

A special train left Victoria Station, London, Brighton and South Coast Railway, at 10.50 o'clock, to convey His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales and The Royal Family, Her Majesty's Royal Guests, The Royal Special Envoys, and The Special Ambassadors of France, Spain, Turkey, the United States, and Belgium, to Portsmouth, arriving there at 1 o'clock.

On arrival at Portsmouth His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales, accompanied by Her Royal Highness The Princess of Wales, and The Royal Family and Her Majesty's Royal Guests, and The Special Ambassadors of France, Spain, Turkey, the United States, and Belgium, went on board the Royal Yacht "Victoria and Albert," on board which also were:—The First Lord of the Admiralty, The Right Hon. G. J. Goschen, The Senior Naval Lord of the Admiralty, Admiral Sir Frederick Richards, G.C.B., The Second Naval Lord of the Admiralty, Vice-Admiral Sir Frederick Bedford, K.C.B., Admiral Sir Frederick Nowell Salmon, K.C.B., R.C., Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels at Portsmouth, Admiral Sir Algernon Lyons, G.C.B., A.D.C., and Admirals of the Fleet Sir Henry Keppel, G.C.B., The Right Hon. Lord John Hay, G.C.B., Sir Edmund Commerell, G.C.B., R.C., The Earl of Clanwilliam, G.C.B., K.C.M.G.

His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales left Portsmouth Harbour in the Royal Yacht "Victoria and Albert" at 2 o'clock p.m., and proceeded between the lines of the Fleet to the eastern end of the columns, and returned to an anchorage abreast of Her Majesty's Ship "Renown."

The order of the Procession between the lines was as follows:—

"Irené," Trinity Yacht.

The Royal Yacht "Victoria and Albert," with His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales, Her Majesty's Royal Guests, The Royal Special Envoys, The Special Ambassadors of France, Spain, Turkey, the United States, and Belgium, The First Lord of the Admiralty, the Senior and Second Naval Lords of the Admiralty, the Commander-in-Chief at Portsmouth, Admiral Sir Algernon Lyons, G.C.B., A.D.C., and the Admirals of the Fleet.

The Royal Yacht, "Alberta," with Royal Households.

Steam Ship "Carthage," specially chartered for the occasion, forming Escort to the Royal Yacht "Victoria and Albert," with Representatives of Foreign States, their Suites, and Royal Households.