

## End of a great day— but all too short!

WHEN Her Majesty entered the Managing Director's office she was welcomed by our Directors, to whom she expressed sincere thanks for an instructive tour and opportunity to meet so many people. By this time the morning visit had overrun itself, but even so Her Majesty seemed reluctant to conclude her visit. Again there was a rousing cheer as she made her way downstairs to the Royal car. By this time the rain was almost off, but, even so, umbrella man-in-chief, Jim Campbell, was at the ready. And before saying good-bye to Mr. Stewart and entering her car she had a smiling "thank you" for the umbrella man.

So ended a wonderful occasion, leaving with us the memory of a radiant and noble lady, whose sheer charm and friendliness captivated everyone. All who met the Queen Mother are grateful for a memorable experience.

### Big Press and TV coverage

ST. ANDREW HOUSE, responsible for planning Press coverage on Royal visits, used a rota system to keep the number of Pressmen to manageable proportions. In addition to Press photographers and TV. cameramen with the official party, other photographers were placed strategically at special points to ensure good coverage. The result was a grand series of reproductions in the Press and on B.B.C. and S.T.V. newsreels.

### Choosing Gaytees

BEFORE leaving the Hose Factory, and with the rain still heavy, Mr. Stewart invited Her Majesty to select protective footwear. She chose a pair of red Ruski and black Slimline.

At the Gatehouse the Queen Mother had a word with Pamela McDonald, who earlier had so charmingly presented the bouquet, as well as her parents.

### Cheers from the School Children

As the Royal car passed along Gilmore Place on its way to the City Chambers the



The historic moment preserved for all time of Her Majesty signing the parchment, which in due course will take its place among the other framed records of previous Royal visits. Below we produce the signatures of the official party and our Directors in attendance. On left is Mr. Johnston and on right Mr. Stewart.

pupils of Darroch School were out in force to cheer Her Majesty—a gesture which was responded to by the car slowing down.

### ... and thanks to the planners

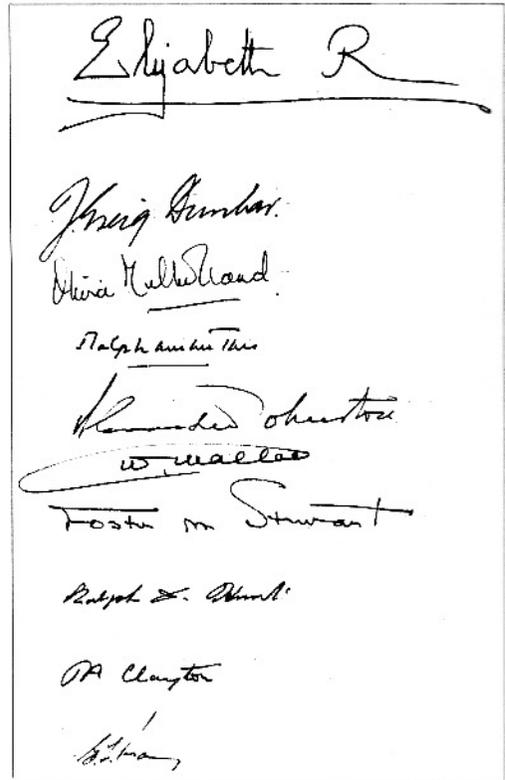
It would be invidious to mention names for fear of missing anyone, but all those who were of the group responsible for the organising of the Royal visit, as well as those who assisted in any capacity at all, must derive every satisfaction from a job well done.

The success of 2nd November was due

The royal car leaving Castle Mills to a rousing cheer and farewell waves—and the rain was off at last!



in no small measure to the considerable behind-the-scenes activities over many weeks. That everything went smoothly is the best possible reward.



... and this was the opening sentence of that evening's Court Circular—

### THE COURT

Clarence House, November 2

Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother, visited Edinburgh today, and in the morning paid a visit to The North British Rubber Company's new factory.