

Following the custom which she established when Duchess of York, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth visited the Textile Section of the British Industries Fair on its opening day. Received by Lord Derby and Mr Walter Runciman, her Majesty examined much of Britain's textile work --- including Lancashire cloths made specially to sell abroad. The Springtime of Love was the title given to the Bridal Procession in the Fashion Parade which her Majesty watched with great interest. And of course Coronation robes formed an important part this year. This is the correct wear for a Viscountess. For the rest, the show followed its usual lines of distinction and good taste. On the following day the King and Queen arrived to open the show proper at Olympia --- giving a royal send-off to the greatest shop-window of British Industry. With their Majesties were the Duke and Duchess of Kent. Our cameras secured these informal pictures of the exhaustive tour of the exhibition made by the Royal Party. Queen Mary again showed great interest in all she saw --- and again this year Her Majesty seemed to be quite tireless as she walked from stand to stand. ~~It was an appropriate opening to Britain's greatest Industrial Show.~~