

U DX157

Coronation celebrations in Withernsea

1937

Historical Background:

George VI's coronation took place on 12 May 1937, the date previously intended for his brother Edward's coronation before his abdication on 11 December 1936 to allow him to marry Wallis Simpson

Custodial history:

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Description:

Souvenir programme of celebrations in Withernsea of the coronation of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth

Extent: 1 item

Related material:

Programme: Swanland Coronation celebrations for King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, 12 May 1937 [U DX184/22]

Souvenir edition. Coronation of George VI ('Yorkshire Post Supplement') 28 April 1937 [Ref U DX167/26]

Memento booklet of visit of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth to Hull in August 1941 [Ref C DILN/3/1]

25th Anniversary of Wedding of George VI and Queen Elizabeth [Ref U DMN/7/9]

Access conditions:

Access will be granted to any accredited reader

U DX157/1	Souvenir programme of celebrations in Withernsea of the coronation of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth With a programme for the day that included a pageant procession, sports, tree planting, a Young People's Dance, torchlight procession and a fireworks display. With details of the individuals serving on the various organising committees 1 item	12 May 1937
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