

EASTERN, NORTH EASTERN AND SCOTTISH OPERATING AREAS

NOTICE OF ROYAL TRAIN

ON
FRIDAY, 9th JANUARY, 1953

LEADENHAM TO EDINBURGH WAVERLEY

AND

EDINBURGH WAVERLEY TO WOLFERTON

ON

SATURDAY, 10th/SUNDAY, 11th JANUARY, 1953

This notice must be acknowledged immediately on receipt by telegram in the Eastern and North Eastern Operating Areas to the District Operating Superintendent and in the Scottish Operating Area to "Operating Superintendent, T., Glasgow," by use of code word "GROVE" and Notice No. EG. 54.



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THE INSTRUCTIONS CONTAINED IN CIRCULAR O/R.R. DATED DECEMBER, 1950, UNDER THE HEADING "INSTRUCTIONS TO BE OBSERVED IN CONNECTION WITH THE WORKING OF TRAINS DESIGNATED BY THE CODE WORD 'GROVE'" AND THE AMENDMENTS SHOWN IN SCOTTISH REGION SUPPLEMENTARY OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS BOOKLETS DATED 29TH MARCH, 1952, MUST BE APPLIED TO THE TRAINS IN THIS NOTICE WHICH ARE MARKED "GROVE."

FRIDAY, 9th JANUARY, 1953

Light Engine. (To work 10.15 a.m. Empty Stock ex Peterborough East).

March to Peterborough East

Class	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •	G
						am
March						9 5
Peterborough	East					9 30

Empty Stock

Wolverton (L.M.R.) to Wolferton

Class .							A	
						a	.m	
Wolverton (L.M.	R.)	• •	••	••	• •	7	40	
Peterborough Ea	ıst					10		Change
Peterborough Ea	ıst					10	15 🐧	Engines
March West Ic.						10	35	
Wisbech East .						10	47	
Emneth						10	52	
Middle Drove .						10	58	
Magdalen Road						11	6	
King's Lynn .			• •	••		П	16	
						PI	м_	
King's Lynn .						8	30	
\A/alfansan						8	42	

Two Light Engines. (To work 10.0 p.m. "GROVE" Special Train Wolferton to King's Lynn.)

Class	••	••	••	• •	Two L.E.'s PM
King's Lynn Wolferton	• •				8 15 8 27

Two Light Engines. (To work 10.17 p.m. "GROVE" Special Train King's Lynn to Peterborough North.)

Class	 			Two L.E.'s	
				PM	
Cambridge	 			6 30	
Ely	 	• •		6 55	
Downham	 		• •	7 20	
Harbour Jc.	 			7 35	
Harbour Jc.	 	• •		7 37	
South Lynn	 			7 40 \	_To
South Lynn	 	• •		9 05	Turn
King's Lynn	 			9 5	

Guards

Wolverton to Peterborough East—L.M. Region will arrange.

Peterborough East to Wolferton—Divisional Operating Supt. (E.), Liverpool Street, to arrange.

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"GROVE" Special Train

Wolferton to Leadenham

M. C.				PM
_	Wolferton		 	10 0
6 16	King's Lynn		 	10 10
	King's Lynn		 	10 17
10 63	Downham		 	10 31
14 22	Ely North Jc		 	10 49
1 0	Ely West Jc		 	10 53
13 36	March		 	11 11
14 6	Peterborough Eas	t	 	11 30
0 68	Peterborough No		 	11 35 \ Change
	Peterborough No		 	II 41 Engines
	J			(I0th)
29 7등	Grantham		 	12 16 (10th)
4 18	Barkston South Ic.		 	12 21
2 14	Honington		 	12 25
6 4	Leadenham		 	12 33

Speed of "GROVE" Special Train must not exceed 30 miles per hour between March South Junction and March West Junction.

Light Engine (for heating train)

Grantham to Leadenham

Class	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •	G PM
Grantham						11 30
Barkston South	Jc.					11 38
Honington						11 42
Leadenham						11 54

Light Engine. (Off "GROVE" Special arriving Leadenham 12.33 a.m. 10th)

Leadenham to New England

Class	 	 G
		am
Leadenham	 	 12 50 (10th)
Honington	 	 / 2
Barkston South Jc.	 	 16
Barkston South Jc.	 	 1 20
Grantham	 	 1 35
New England Loco	 	 2 20

Working Notes

- 9.30 p.m. Ely to King's Lynn to be held at Magdalen Road until "Grove" special has left King's
- 9.45 p.m. Leicester L.M.R. to Peterborough East to be kept clear at Westwood Junction.
- 7.25 p.m. Newcastle to King's Cross to be kept clear at Barkston South Junction.

Formation Leaving Wolferton

Two Engines	
First Brake	5154
Dining Saloon	77
Saloon	806
Saloon	495
Saloon	807
Dining Saloon	76
Saloon	798
Saloon	799
Saloon	45005
First Brake	5155

FRIDAY, 9th JANUARY, 1953

Guards

Peterborough North to Leadenham — Divisional Operating Superintendent (W) Liverpool Street to arrange.

General Notes

Working of Automatic Brake.

At the undermentioned place when the engines have been coupled to the train and the brake tested by the Guard, the Driver of the leading engine must release the automatic brake and must keep the hand-brake hard on until he receives the Guard's signal to start:—

Wolferton.

Light Engine. (To work "GROVE" Special 7.3 a.m. ex Leadenham.)

New England to Leadenham

Class		٠.	 	 G
				am
New England			 	 5 20
Grantham			 	 62
Barkston South	Jc.		 	 6 8
Honington	٠		 	 6 12
Leadenham			 	 6 24

" GROVE " Special Train

Leadenham to Edinburgh Waverley

M. C.					am
	Leadenham				7 3
12 17	Lincoln Central				7 20
7 44	Sykes Jc				7 32
85	Gainsborough Lea Road				7 43 \ Engine to
_	Gainsborough Lea Road				7 48 Stake water.
21 13	Doncaster				8 14
4 19	Shaftholme Jc				8 19
14 9	Selby				8 34
13 66	York (No. 9 platform)				8 52 \ Change
_	York				8 57 Crews
i 49	Skelton				9 1
9 45	Alne				9 12
11 2	Thirsk				9 24
7 60	Northallerton				9 32
8 79	Eryholme				9 40
5 15	Darlington				9 45
12 68	Ferryhill				9 59
9 15	Durham				10 9
13 35	King Edward Bridge				10 27
0 48	Newcastle (No. 8 platform	1)			10 30 \ Change
	Newcastle				10 42 Engines
16 50	Morpeth				11 5
18 19	Alnmouth	• •	• • •		11 23
16 63	Belford	• •	• •		11 41
15 28	Berwick	• •			11 58
1 2	Marshall Meadows	• •	• •		12 0
10 20	Reston Jc	• •	• •		12 20
5 0	Granthouse	••	••	• •	12 30
12 0	Dunbar	• •	• •	• •	12 49
11 40	_	• •	• •	• •	1 7
4 40	1:	• •	• •	• •	i 15
7 8		• •	• •	• •	1 29
3 2	Donate Incitio	• •	• •	• •	1 37
3 0		• •	• •	• •	1 45
3 U	Edinburgh Waverley (Nos. 10 and 11 platforms)		• •	••	1 43

In the event of the "GROVE" Special Train having to run via No. 7 or No. 8 platform Line at Lincoln Central Station the opposite Line must be kept clear.

No train must pass the "Grove" Special Train on the immediate adjoining line at Dunbar Station in the event of the "Grove" train having to be run via the platform line.

Light Engine. (To work "GROVE" Special 10.42 a.m. ex Newcastle.)

Gateshead Shed to Newcastle

Class		 	• •	G am
Gateshead Shed		 		10 12
High Level Bridge		 	• •	10 15
Newcastle	. ,	 		10 18

Two Light Engines

Haymarket Loco. Sheds to Edinburgh (Waverley)

Class	 	• •			Tv	vo L.E.'s
Haymar Edinbur			 . 8 Mid	 Road		18 14

Leading Engine (tender leading) will uncouple at Edinburgh Waverley on arrival and proceed direct to Craigentinny Carriage Sidings to steam heat the "GROVE" Special Train Carriages, and will work the "Grove" Special Train Empty Carriages from Craigentinny Carriage Sidings to Edinburgh Waverley.

Second Engine (chimney leading) to work Empty Carriages of "GROVE" Special Train, Edinburgh Waverley to Craigentinny Carriage Sidings, and couple to and assist "GROVE" Special Train Empty Carriages from Craigentinny Carriage Sidings to Edinburgh Waverley.

Light Engine. (Off "GROVE" Special arriving Edinburgh Waverley 1.45 p.m.)

Edinburgh Waverley to Haymarket Shed

Class	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •	G PM
Edinburgh Wa						1 55
Haymarket Lo	co. She	d				2 1

Empty Stock

Edinburgh Waverley to Craigentinny Carriage Sidings

Class	• •	• •	٠.	• •	• •	A PM
Edinburgh Wave			s 10 and	d II)		2 5
Craigentinny Car	riage Si	aings				2 15

Stock to be steam heated on journey from Edinburgh to Craigentinny and whilst at Craigentinny also from Craigentinny to Edinburgh (see page 7).

The undernoted speed restrictions must be observed in the working of the "GROVE" Special Train through bridges detailed hereunder:—

Bridge No.	Location	1			Speed estrictions es per hour	
144	Reston Jc Ayton		 	 	 20	
121	Grantshouse		 	 	 10	
79	East Linton-Dunbar		 	 	 20	
34	Wallyford Tunnel		 	 	 20	

Working Notes

- 7.28 a.m. Leeds Central to King's Cross to be kept clear at Doncaster.
- 8.15 a.m. Doncaster to York to depart Doncaster at 8.25 a.m. and run forward 10 minutes later than booked.
- 8.23 a.m. Harrogate to York to be held at Poppleton until "Grove" special clears Skelton.
- 8. 8 a.m. Leeds City to York and 6.58 a.m. Sheffield Mid. to York to follow from Chaloners Whin.
- 9. 5 a.m. Leeds City to Glasgow to pass Northallerton 10/12½ a.m., Eryholme 10/20 a.m., thence as booked to Newcastle depart 11.20 a.m. then B2 to Morpeth 11/43 a.m., B3, Alnmouth 12/3 p.m. Belford 12/20 p.m., B2, Berwick 12/36 p.m., Marshall Meadows 12/38 p.m., Reston Jc. 12/55, Grantshouse 1/4, Dunbar 1/18, Drum 1/29, Monktonhall Jc. 1/43, Portobello 1/49, Edinburgh Waverley arr. 1.55, dep. 2.5, Haymarket dep. 2.9, thence 15 minutes later to Cowlairs West Jc. pass 3/5, call Cowlairs 3.6—3.12 (change engines) and arrive Glasgow, Queen Street, 3.18 p.m.

- 8.35 a.m. York to Newcastle to run slow line Thirsk to Northallerton arrive 9.37 a.m., depart 9.41 a.m. and 15 minutes later forward.
- 7.24 a.m. Leeds City to West Hartlepool to depart Northallerton 9.43 a.m. and run 15 minutes later forward.
- 8.50 a.m. Newcastle to Liverpool Lime Street to arrive Darlington 9.50 a.m., depart 9.53 a.m. and run 4 minutes later forward.
- 8.30 a.m. Saltburn to Darlington to be held at Geneva Box until "Grove" special has cleared.
- 10.35 a.m. Newcastle to Newcastle via Wallsend to run 10 minutes later throughout.
- 10.35 a.m. Newbiggin to Manors to depart Backworth 11.23 a.m., Manors arrive 11.38 a.m.
- 9.45 a.m. Newcastle to Newcastle via Benton to run as booked to Heaton arrive 10.32 a.m., depart 10.40 a.m., Manors 10.43 a.m., Newcastle 10.46 a.m.
- 0 a.m. Sunderland to Newcastle to run as booked to Gateshead arrive 10.32 a.m., depart 10.42 a.m., Newcastle 10.45 a.m.
- 10.45 a.m. Newcastle to Sunderland to depart 10.50 a.m. and run 5 minutes later forward.
- 9.47 a.m. South Shields to Newcastle to terminate at Gateshead East at 10.14 a.m.
- 10.30 a.m. Newcastle to South Shields to start from Gateshead East at 10.32 a.m. and run forward as booked.
 - 8 p.m. North Berwick to Edinburgh Waverley to leave at 1.26 p.m. and run forward 18 minutes later than booked.
 - 1.18 p.m. Edinburgh Waverley to Galashiels to leave at 1.27 p.m. and remain at Portobello Station until the "Grove" special has passed Portobello West Junction.

Formation leaving Leadenham

Engine	
First Brake	5155
Saloon	45005
Saloon	799
Saloon	798
Dining Saloon	76
Saloon	807
Saloon	495
Saloon	806
Dining Saloon	77
First Brake	5154

Guards

Leadenham to York—Divisional Operating Supt. (W.), Liverpool Street, to arrange. York to Edinburgh Waverley—Divisional Operating Supt., York, to arrange.

General Notes. (Outward Train)

Stopping Points.

At the undermentioned place the "GROVE" train must be brought to a stand with the centre of the engine rear cab window opposite a point at which a Hand Signalman will be stationed to indicate the place at which the train must stop. In cases where the train is double-headed the train should come to a stand with the centre of the leading engine rear cab window opposite to the Hand Signalman:—

Edinburgh Waverley.

Light Engine. (To work "GROVE" Special 4.30 p.m. ex Edinburgh Waverley.)

Haymarket Shed to Edinburgh Waverley

Class	••	• •	• •	• •	• •	G PM
Haymarket Lo	co. Sh	ed				3 35
Edinburgh Wa	verley	/ No. 8	Mid. F	Road		3 43

Empty Stock

Craigentinny to Edinburgh Waverley

Clas	s	 			Α.
Craigentin Edinburgh) and I	 I)	PM 3 40 3 50

"GROVE" Special Train

Edinburgh Waverley to Wolferton

M. C.							PM
	Edinburgh Wav	erley	(Nos.	10 and	i II P	lat-	
	forms)	'					4 30
3 0	Portobello						4 39
3 12	Monktonhall Jc.						4 48
78	Lawrence Labour 1 a						5 0
4 40	Drem Jc						5 7
11 40	Dunbar						5 23
12 0							5 45
5 0	n .				• •		5 54
10 20	Marshall Meadov					• • •	6 12
1 2	B			••	••	••	6 14
15 28	Belford		• •		• • •	• •	6 33
16 63	Alnmouth					• •	6 51
18 19	Morpeth		• •	• •	• •	• •	7 12
16 50	Newcastle (No.	in Pla		• •	• •	• •	7 38 \ Change
10 30	Newcastle (140.	10 1 14		• •	• •	٠.	7 50 (Engines.
0 48	King Edward Bri	daa	• •	• •	• •	• •	7 50 ∫ Engines. 7 53
13 35	_ ~	•	• •	••	• •	• •	
9 15	Durham Ferryhill		• •	• •	• •	• •	–
12 68		• •	• •	••	• •	• •	8 26
5 15	Darlington	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •	8 42
	Eryholme	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •	8 49
8 79	Northallerton		• •	• •	• •	• •	9 0
7 60	Thirsk	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •	9 9
11 2	Alne	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •	9 19
9 45	Skelton	::	• •	• •		• •	9 27
I 49	York (No. 8 Pla	tform))			• •	9 31 Change
	York	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •	9 34 ∫ Crews
13 66	Selby	• •	• •	• •		• •	9 51
14 9	Shaftholme Jc.	• •		• •	• •		i0 7
4 19	Doncaster		• •				10 12
$17\ 27\frac{3}{4}$	Retford						10 30
18 41	Newark North						10 50
10 33≩	Barkston South J	с.			• •		11 2
4 18	Grantham						11 7
29 7½	Peterborough N	lorth					II 42 Change
	Peterborough N	lorth					II 48 Engines
0 68	Peterborough E	ast					11 53
14 6	March						12 12 (th)
13 36	Ely West Jc.						12 29 ` ′
1 0	Ely North Jc.						12 33
14 22	Downham						12 51
10 63	King's Lynn						i 4
_	King's Lynn	••					i ii
6 6	Wolferton						i 22
			-	-			

No train must pass the "Grove" Special Train on the immediate adjoining line at Dunbar Station in the event of the "Grove" train having to be run via the platform line.

Speed of "Grove" Special Train must not exceed 30 miles per hour between March West Junction and March South Junction.

Light Engine. (To work "GROVE" Special 7.50 p.m. ex Newcastle.)

Class	••	• •	••	••	G PM
Gateshead Shed					7 20
King Edward Bridge					7 23
Newcastle					7 26

Two Light Engines.

(To work 11.48 p.m. "GROVE" Special Train, Peterborough North to King's Lynn.)

Cambridge to Peterborough North

Class	 	••	 Two L.E.'s PM
Cambridge	 		 9 5
St. Ives	 		 9 30
March	 		 9 57
Peterborough East	 		 10 25
Peterborough North	 		 10 30

The undernoted speed restrictions must be observed in the working of the " GROVE" Special Train through bridges detailed hereunder :—

Bridge No.	Location			Speed Restriction Miles per hour
7	St. Margarets Tunnel	 	 	20
134	Grantshouse—Reston Jc.	 	 	20
144	Reston Jc.—Ayton	 	 	20

Working Notes

- 4. 0 p.m. Glasgow to Leeds City is retimed to depart Dunbar 5.53 p.m., Grantshouse 6/9, Reston Jc. 6/15, Marshall Meadows 6/25 p.m., Berwick arrive 6.28, depart 6.32, B3, Belford 6/51, B3, Alnmouth 7/10, B3, Morpeth 7/30, B4, Newcastle 7.53—8.3 p.m., King Edward Bridge 8/6, Durham 8/25, Ferryhill 8/39, Darlington 8.54—8.57, Eryholme 9/2, Northallerton 9/11, Thirsk 9/18, Alne 9/28, Skelton 9/36, York 9.40—9.46, Church Fenton 9/59, Micklefield 10/5, Cross Gates 10/12, Leeds City arrive 10.20 p.m.
- 5.31 p.m. Parcels, Monkseaton to Newcastle via Wallsend to run as booked to Tynemouth, arrive 5.38 p.m., depart 7.20 p.m. North Shields 7.26 p.m. and 20 minutes later forward.
- 6.45 p.m. Newcastle to Newcastle via Benton to run as booked to Walkergate arrive 7.30 p.m., depart 7.36 p.m., Heaton 7.38, Manors 7.41, Newcastle arrive 7.44 p.m.
- 7.35 p.m. Newcastle to Newcastle via Wallsend to depart 7.40 p.m. and run forward 5 minutes later than booked.
- 0 p.m. Sunderland to Newcastle to run as booked to Gateshead arrive 7.34 p.m., depart 7.39 p.m., Newcastle arrive 7.42 p.m.
- 7.45 p.m. Newcastle to Sunderland to run 5 minutes later throughout.
- 7.30 p.m. Newcastle to South Shields to run 10 minutes later throughout.
- 8.38 p.m. Harrogate to York to be held at Poppleton until "GROVE" Special has cleared Skelton.
- 8.42 p.m. Northallerton to Leeds City to depart 9.2 p.m. and run 20 minutes later forward.
- 7.25 p.m. Newcastle to King's Cross to run as booked to Darlington arrive 8.22 p.m., depart 8.50 p.m., Eryholme 8/57, Cowton, 9/8, Northallerton arrive 9.16, depart 9.20. Thirsk arrive 9.32, depart 9.35, Alne 9/48, Skelton 9/58, York arrive 10.2, depart 10.15 and 15 minutes later forward.
- 9.50 p.m. York to Swansea to pass Micklefield 10/12, Cross Gates 10/19, Leeds City arrive 10.25 p.m.
- 9.45 p.m. Leicester L.M.R. to Peterborough East to be kept clear at Westwood Junction.
- 7.30 p.m. Parcels, Wakefield to King's Cross to be shunted at Peterborough North.
- 10.15 p.m. King's Cross to Edinburgh to be kept clear at Peterborough North.
- 10. 5 p.m. Liverpool St. to Norwich Thorpe to be kept clear at Ely.
- 11.15 p.m. Peterborough East to Ely to be retimed to depart March 11.50 p.m. and arrive Ely 12.13 night.

Formation leaving Edinburgh Waverley

Engine	
First Brake	5154
Dining Saloon	77
Saloon	806
Saloon	495
Saloon	807
Dining Saloon	76
Saloon	798
Saloon	799
Saloon	45005
First Brake	5155

Guards

Edinburgh Waverley to York—Divisional Operating Supt., York, to arrange.

York to Peterborough North—Divisional Operating Supt. (W.), Liverpool Street, to arrange.

Peterborough North to Wolferton—Divisional Operating Supt. (E.), Liverpool Street, to arrange.

General Notes. (Return Train).

(i) Stopping points.

At the undermentioned place the "GROVE" train must be brought to a stand with the centre of the engine cab opposite a point at which a Hand Signalman will be stationed to indicate the place at which the train must stop. In cases where the train is double-headed the train should come to a stand with the centre of the cab of the leading engine opposite to the Hand Signalman:—

Wolferton

- (ii) Working of Automatic Brake.
 - (a) At the undermentioned place when the train engine has been coupled to the train and the automatic brake tested by the Guard, the Driver of the train engine must keep the hand-brake hard on until he receives the signal to start:—

Edinburgh Waverley.

(b) At the undermentioned place, after the train has come to a stand at the Up Platform, the vacuum must be entirely destroyed and the brake held on the train until the Driver receives instructions from the Station Master or Officer in charge of the train to re-create the brake:—

Wolferton

SUNDAY, 11th JANUARY, 1953

Special Passenger Train

Wolferton to Wolverton (L.M.R.)

Class					• •	A
Wolferton						am 10 30
King's Lynr		• •	• •	• •		10 41
King's Lynr	١		• •	• •		10 46
Downham	• •	• •	• •	• •		11 1
Ely	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •	11 24
Cambridge	• •	• •	• •	• •		11 43
Cambridge	••	••	• •	• •	••	11 53
Wolverton	(L.M.R.)	- •	••			2 25

Guards

Wolferton to Cambridge—Divisional Operating Supt. (E) Liverpool Street to arrange. Cambridge to Wolverton (L.M.R.)—L.M. Region will arrange.

Train Reporting

Trains shown in this Notice must be reported from the usual reporting points to the District Officer, who in turn must take steps to see that information is passed forward to Headquarters.

E. W. ROSTERN,

Operating Superintendent, Eastern and North Eastern Operating Areas.

J. McCREADIE,

Operating Superintendent, Scottish Operating Area.

Issued at Marylebone Station, 5th January, 1953.