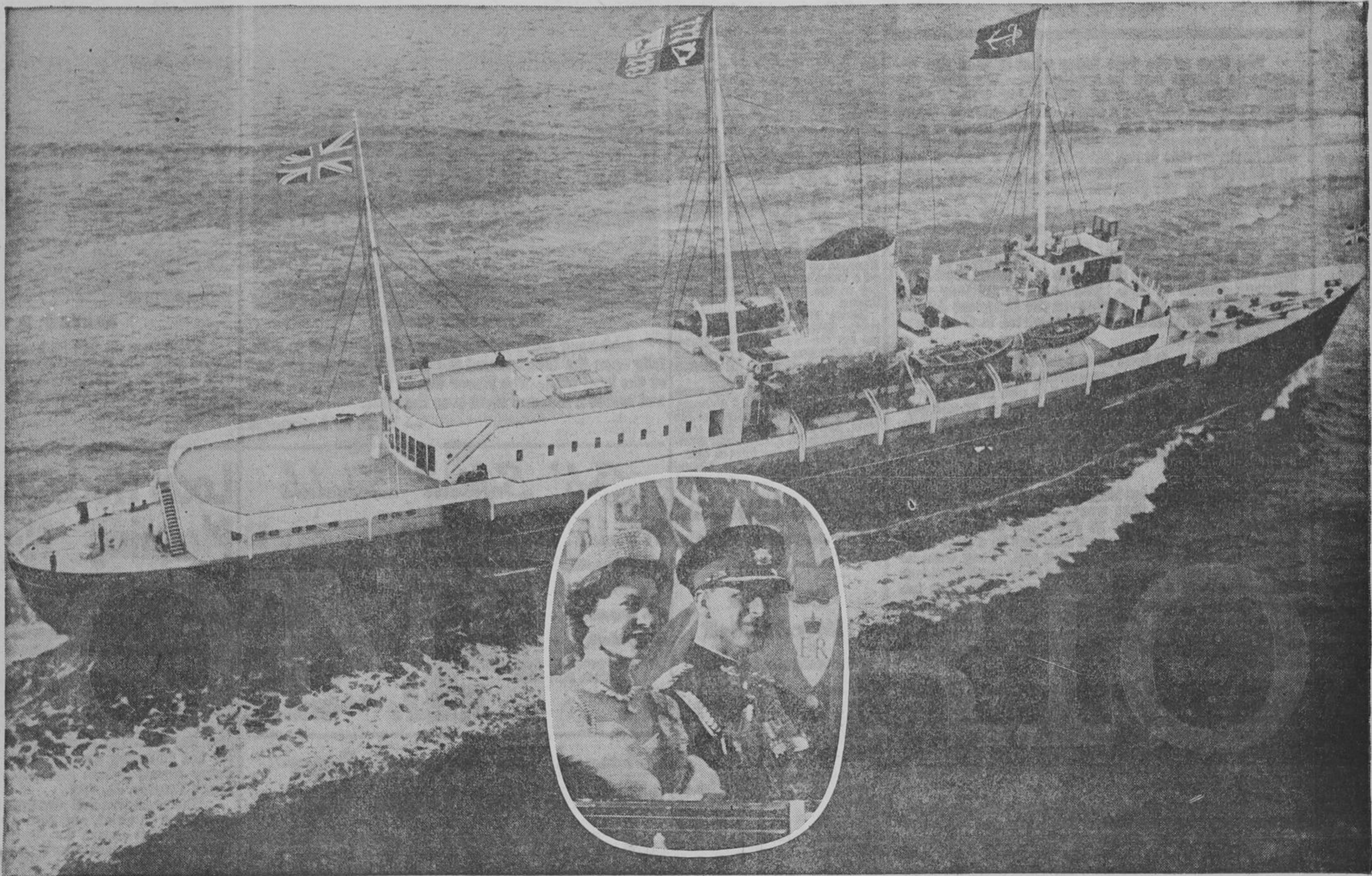


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H.M.Y. BRITANNIA on which Queen Elizabeth II and the Prince Philip will visit the Seaway area and Ontario Lake ports

welcomes Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II
and His Royal Highness the Prince Philip for the opening of the

ST. LAWRENCE SEAWAY



The Government and the people of Ontario welcome Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, and His Royal Highness the Prince Philip, to our great Province.

With the official opening of The St. Lawrence Seaway by Her Gracious Majesty, the worthy dream of years becomes a reality. Now open to deep-water shipping of the world, our Lake Ports will provide access to the heartland of the Continent—and from them, as ocean ports, will go forward, into world trade channels, Canada's and Ontario's raw materials and manufactured goods.

Out of this Development has also come the great Provincial power project—in which Ontario has made a vast financial investment—providing additional power resources which can be used to increase our industrial, agricultural and economic strength.

Proud to be a partner in the British Commonwealth of Nations, our Canadian Nation rejoices in and looks forward to the Royal visit. It will be marked by many memorable events. They will be of great historic significance, providing opportunity as well to show to the Queen of Canada the unfailing loyalty, devotion and affection of her Canadian people.

May the visit to Ontario of our Gracious Sovereign be a pleasant one, as we pay her due homage.

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