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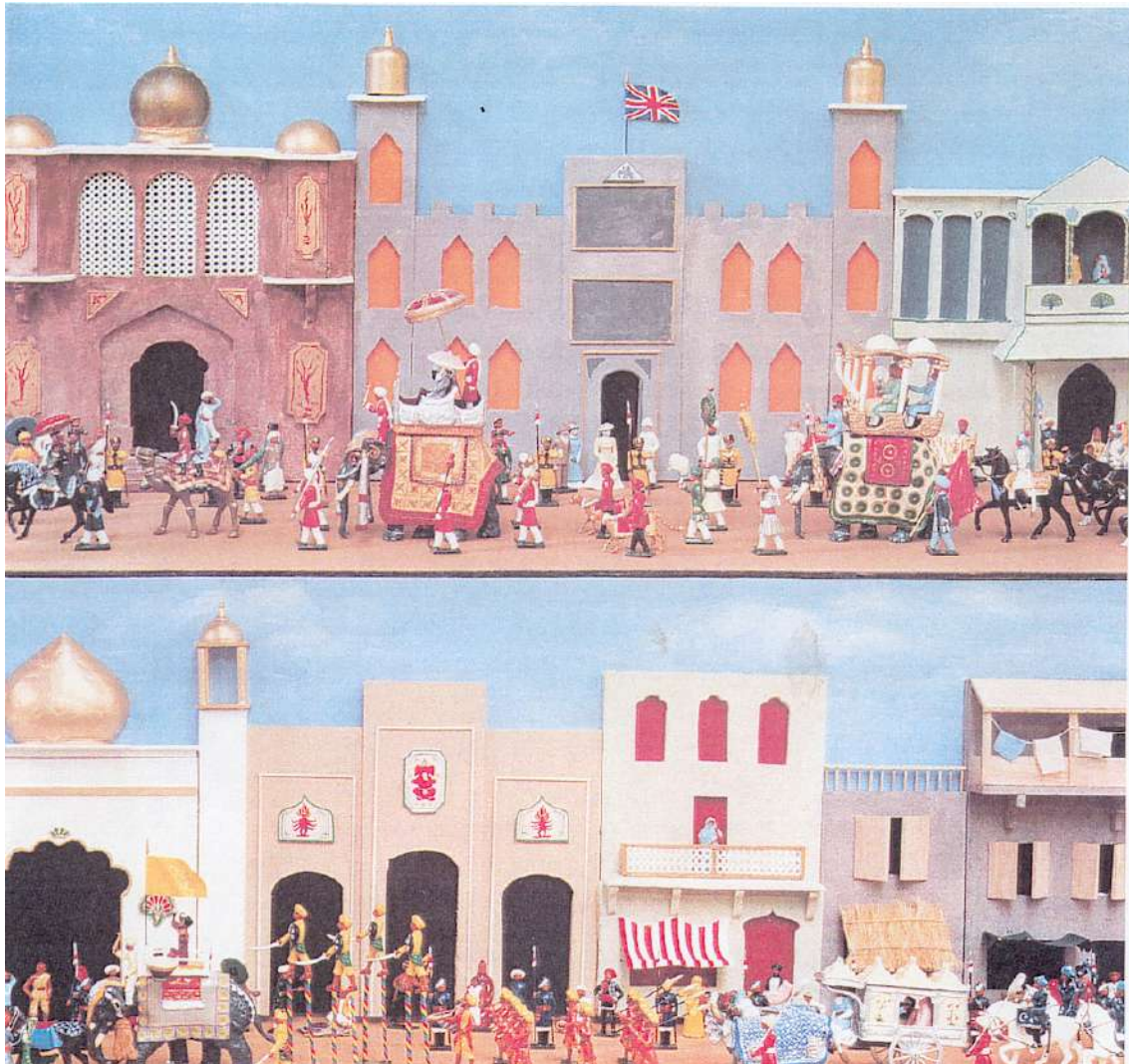


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British Imperial India reached a peak of pomp, spectacle and pageantry in the magnificence of the Durbars – official receptions – held in the late Victorian era. The most lavish of all was the one organised by the Viceroy, Lord Curzon, to celebrate the coronation of Edward VII. The Durbar began in Delhi on 29th December 1902, and lasted for 10 full days into the New Year.

More than 1,000,000 people lined the streets of Delhi on New Years Day, 1903, shouting and jostling for a sight of the opulent procession of Maharajas, ambassadors, sheikhs and government officials who led the grand state entry to the Durbar arena. It was a sight worth seeing – painted and tasselled elephants, gilded howdahs, sleek horses and rich carriages, soldiers, bands and hundreds of functionaries – all paraded the streets that New Years day.

**D1 MAHARAJA OF BARODA ON
STATE ELEPHANT**



**D8C SILK
MERCHANT**



**D3 THE VICEREGAL
PARTY**



D2 PRINCES AND FALCONER



D6 INDIAN CIVILIANS, D6A IN DIFFERENT COLOURS.



**D4 ESCORT TO THE
VICEREGAL PARTY SET 1**



D8A SNAKE CHARMER.



**D5 ESCORT TO THE
VICEREGAL PARTY SET**



**D7 EUROPEAN CIVILIANS, D7A DIFFERENT
COLOURS.**



D72 SHAN PRINCE ON STATE ELEPHANT



**D53 PEACOCKS AND
MONKEYS**



D32 BRITISH INFANTRY



D41 ALWAR LANCERS TROOPERS.
D42 ALWAR OFFICIER AND TWO
TROOPERS.



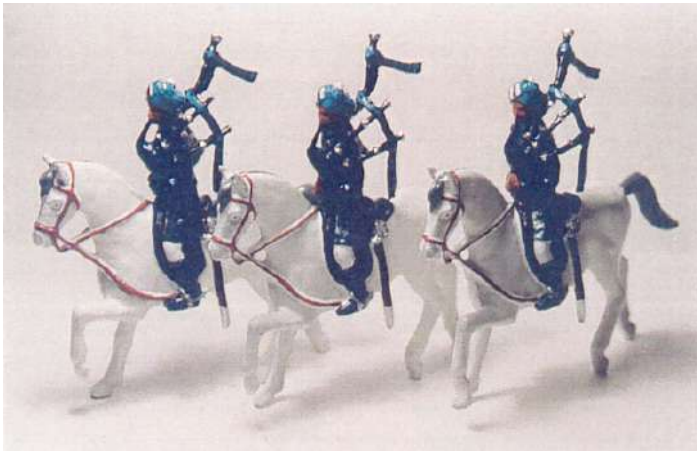
D70 SKINNERS HORSE. TROOPERS.
D71 OFFICIER AND TWO TROOPERS.



D23 17TH BENGAL LANCERS TROOPERS.
D22 17TH BENGAL OFFICER AND TROOPERS.



D19 17TH BENGAL LANCERS, BAND DUFFARDER
AND KETTLE DRUMMER.



D20 17TH BENGAL LANCERS, 3
PIPERS
D21 17TH BENGAL LANCERS, 2
PIPERS



***D87 MAHARAJA OF
CHATTAPUR ON STATE
ELEPHANT.
D88 COURT HERALD ON HORSE***



***D62 MAHARAJA OF ORCHA ON
STATE ELEPHANT***



D13 15TH LUDHIANA SIKH COLOUR PARTY.
D12 15TH LUDHIANA SIKHS AT THE SLOPE (NOT ILLS)



D91 ALWAR COLOUR PARTY.
D90 ALWAR AT SLOPE (NOT ILLS)
D92 ALWAR 12 PCE BAND.(NOT ILLS)



D89 THE FLOWER SELLER.



D117 RICKSHAW RIDE.

D107 THE
PEACOCK
MAN



***D116 GOVERNMENT
OFFICIAL IN RICKSHAW***



D135 LADIES AND LETTERS.



D133 STATE STANDARD JAIPUR

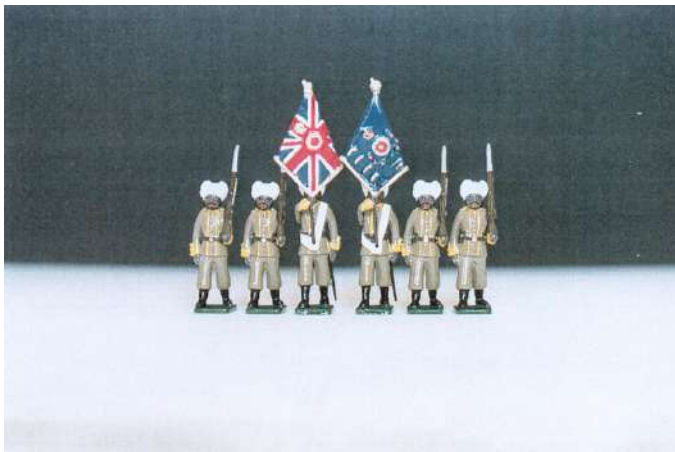
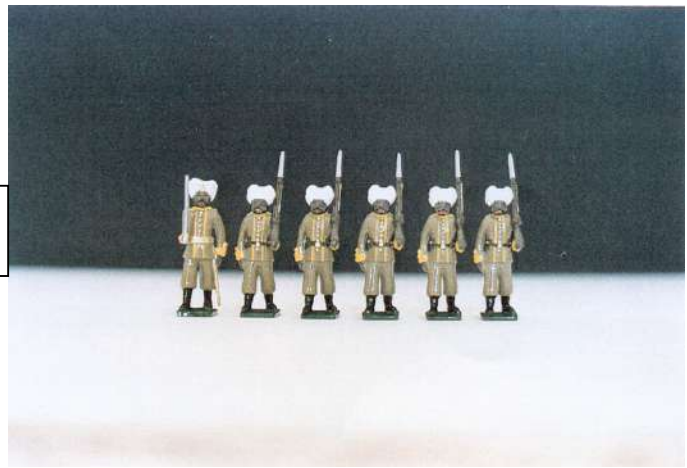


D144 NOBLEMAN OF CAMBAY IN PALANQUIN.



D139 12 PIECE BAND OF THE 3RD
KASHMIRE INFANTRY.

D140 3RD KASHMIRE INFANTRY AT
THE SLOPE.



D141 3RD KASHMIRE INFANTRY
COLOUR PARTY.

D142 DANCING HORSE ALWAR STATE.





D131 DHRANGADHRA REGIMENT COLOUR PARTY.



D136 THE TOY SELLER.



D129 KUTCH FLAG BEARER ON HORSE.



D134 THE OLIVE OIL SELLER.



D125 STREET ENTERTAINER.



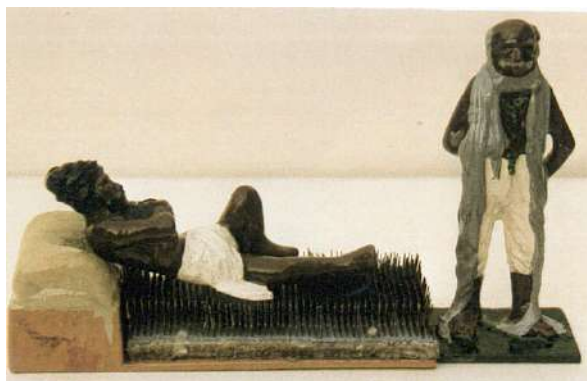
D126 SITAR PLAYER AND DANCER.



D124 PRINCE OF THE SHAN STATES ON HIS ELEPHANT.

DESPITE HIS REGAL BEARING AND COSTUME, THIS GENTLEMAN IS PERHAPS A SLIGHTLY LESSER MORTAL THAN THAT FEATURED IN D72. HE CERTAINLY NEEDS A STRONG STOMACH AS HIS CUP SHAPED HOWDAH CANNOT HAVE BEEN VERY STABLE. HIS UNFORTUNATE ATTENDANT BALANCING ON THE HIND QUARTERS OF THE ELEPHANT, AS WAS THE PRACTISE IN THE SHAN STATES, MUST HAVE HAD AN EQUALLY ROUGH RIDE.

THE LADDER WAS USED TO ASCEND THE ELEPHANT THUS AVOIDING DAMAGE TO THE CAPARISONING IF THE ELEPHANT HAD TO KNEEL FOR THIS PURPOSE. THIS ELEPHANT IS SHOWN PASSING THE VICEREGAL PARTY WITH THE MAHOUT COMMANDING HIS CHARGE TO RAISE HIS TRUNK IN SALUTE.



D123 THE FAKIRS.

*D127 SITAR PLAYER, DANCER
UNDER A BLOSSOM TREE.*



D128 ASSORTED CIVILIANS.



D132 DHRANGADHRA REGIMENT
12 PIECE BAND.



D130 DHRANGADHRA REGIMENT
AT THE SLOPE.





D120 SHOE SHINE



D118 PRINCE IN BULLOCK CART.

D119 THE MILK SELLERS.



D121 FLOWERS.

D122 RAJPUT WARRIORS,
SAMTHAR.



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D103 TIGER HUNT SERIES.
LEAD ELEPHANT "TAKE AIM".



D101 TIGER HUNT SERIES
TIGER WALKING THROUGH
GRASSES.

D105 TIGER HUNT SERIES.
THE PROUD HUNTER.



D102 TIGER HUNT SERIES.
CLUMP OF BAMBOO.





D104 TIGER HUNT SERIES
ELEPHANT WITH OFFICIAL
ARTIST
(MR W SIMPSON OF THE
"ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS")



D106 TIGER HUNT SERIES
"TIGER SPOTTED"

SETS YOU MAY HAVE MISSED:
THE ALWAR REGIMENT.
THE NAWANGAR REGIMENT.



D90 THE ALWAR REGIMENT AT THE SLOPE.
D91 THE ALWAR REGIMENT COLOUR PARTY.
D92 THE ALWAR REGIMENT 12 PIECE BAND.

***(THE ALWAR REGIMENT HAVE RED TURBANS WITH
GREEN, WHITE AND GOLD STRIPE, THE JACKET IS A
VERY DEEP ORANGE AND TROUSERS ARE WHITE.)***



D93 THE NAWANGAR REGIMENT AT THE SLOPE.
D94 THE NAWANGAR REGIMENT COLOUR PARTY.
D95 THE NAWANGAR REGIMENT 12 PIECE BAND.

***(THE NAWANGAR REGIMENT HAS BLUE TURBAN
WITH GOLD STRIPES, THE JACKET IS CREAM AND
BLUE AND THE TROUSERS ARE CREAM.)***



D61 THE WELL.

D97 43RD ERINPURA REGIMENT COLOUR
PARTY.
D96 43RD ERINPURA REGIMENT AT THE SLOPE
(NOT ILLUS)
D98 43RD ERINPURA REGIMENT 12 PIECE
BAND (NOT ILLUS)



D59 GENERAL OFFICIERS IN LANDAU

***ALSO AVAILABLE BUT
NOT ILLUSTRATED.....***

D67 / D68 12 PIECE LUDHIANA
SIKH MARCHING BAND.

D29 12TH BENGAL NATIVE
REGIMENT



D11 THE IMPERIAL CADET CORPS.
D10 AS D11 ONLY OFFICER AND 2 TROOPERS.



D9 NIZAM OF HYBERDADS HUNTING CHEETAHS.



D14 COURTIER SET 1.



D17 STATE MUSICIANS, BHOPAL SET 1.



D8D THE GARLAND SELLER.



D8B FRUIT AND VEG SELLER.



D16 PRINCESS IN BULLOCK CART.



D27 THE BANGLE
SELLER.



D31 1ST SKINNERS HORSE 1900 ON FOOT.



D37 STATE HORSE OF PUNJAB.



D33 24TH BOMBAY INFANTRY.



D49 THE POTTER.



D36 THE RAO OF KUTCH'S WARRIORS
ON STILTS.



D34 10TH JAT INFANTRY.



***D38 BERA EKKAN, GWALIOR
2 TROOPERS AND OFFICER.
D39 BERA EKKAN, GWALIOR
3 TROOPERS.***



D35 10TH JAT COLOUR PARTY.



D65 THE CHANDLER.



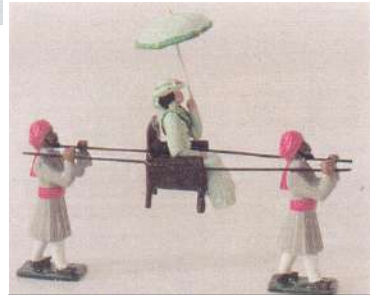
D78 CAMEL KETTLE



D69 AYAH AND PEACOCK



D77A TEA IN THE SHADE.



D76 THE SEDAN CHAIR



D43 GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL IN LANDAU.



D56 SHAN RETAINERS WITH GONG



D45 RETURN OF THE HUNTING PARTY.



D66 DANCING HORSE OF JODHPUR.



D55 SHAN RETAINERS.



D58 DANCING HORSE OF BOMBAY.



D54 THE REVIEW STAND.



D60 THE GOLDEN GUN OF BARODA.



D74 INDIAN MUSICIANS.



D57 GOVERNOR GENERALS
BODYGUARD.



D75 INDIAN DANCERS.



D73 DELIVERING THE SPICES.



D64 CAMEL STANDARD
BEARERS OF KUTCH.



D63 CHILDREN AND DONKEYS.



D51 MAHARAJA OF MYSORE
ON STATE ELEPHANT.



D28 THE RUG SELLER.

D26
ELEPHANT
KETTLE
DRUMMER,
JAIPUR.



D15
COURTIERS
SET 2.



D18 STATE MUSICIANS, BHOPAL, SET 2



D24 INDIAN CIVILIANS AND HOLY MEN.
D25 AS ABOVE ONLY DIFFERENT COLOURS.



D44
THE
CURIO
SELLER.



D40 INDIAN CIVILIANS.



D30 15th BENGAL LANCERS ON FOOT.



D47 CAMEL GUNNERS OF JAIPUR.



D79 PALM TREE
(LADY NOT INCLUDED).



D48 CAMEL GUNNERS OF JAIPUR.



D80 THE CLOSE SHAVE.



D82 THE CHICKEN SELLER.



D81 BATHTIME.



D83 THE FISH SELLER.

D84 THE LANTERN BEARER.

D85 THE FRUIT PEDLAR.

D86 THE OIL CARRIER.



D137 ELEPHANT CARRIAGE REWA STATE.

REWA WAS A 17 GUN SALUTE STATE AND PART OF THE CENTRAL INDIA AGENCY. IT WAS BASICALLY A RAJPUT STATE WHERE THE MAHARAJA RULED ONLY AS A SERVANT OF THE DEITY, RAMCHANDRAJI. THERE WERE MANY RELIGIOUS FESTIVALS AND PROCESSIONS AND SO THE MAHARAJA COMMISSIONED 2 MAGNIFICENT ELEPHANT CARRIAGES TO TRANSPORT THE ZANANA (LADIES OF THE ROYAL HOUSEHOLD IN STRICT PURDAH), AND THE MARDANA (PRINCES AND NOBLEMEN) TO THESE EVENTS.





D100 INDIAN BAZAAR
"ELEPHANT RIDE".



D88 MOUNTED HERALD OF CHHATAPUR.



D145 Officer Kapurthlala

D146 Indian
Bazaar street



D146 Indian
Bazaar street



**Armoured Horsemen
KISHENGARH (display)**

**D148 Armoured Horsemen
KISHENGARH
One mounted officer
Two mounted troopers**



**D148(a)
Armoured Horsemen
KISHENGARH
Two mounted troopers**



**D149 Armoured Horsemen
KISHENGARH
One mounted Drummer
Two mounted standing
troopers.**



**D149(a)
Armoured Horsemen
KISHENGARH
Two mounted standing troopers.**



D150
Young Prince from Hyderabad
On his Elephant



D151 The Bhisti
(Water Carrier)



D155 Lord Kitchener



*D157 Kapthurlala Lancers
(Three Troopers)*



*D158 Spear-Bearers
from Cutch*



**D159 Tonga Cart with
Mortimer Menpes &
his Wife**



**D160 Welch Regimental
Band**



**D161 2nd Battalion Welch
Regimental Colour Party**



**D162 British Infantry Lining
the Route at Attention**



**D163 British Infantry
Presenting Arms**



D164 24th Bombay Infantry Colour Party



D165 Nobleman from Jodhpur in his Peacock Palanquin



D166 3rd Brahmans Infantry at the Slope



D167 3rd Brahmans Infantry Colour Party



D168 45th Rattray's Sikh Infantry at the Slope



D169 45th Rattray's Sikh Infantry Colour Party



D170 Jind Infantry at the Slope



D171 Jind Infantry Colour Party



D172 15th Bengal Lancers Mounted



D173 Brownlows Punjabis Infantry



D174 Brownlows Punjabis Colour Party



D175 125th Napier Rifles



D176 125th Napier's Rifles Colour Party



D177 45th Mharwara Infantry



D178 45th Mharwara Infantry Colour Party