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Round the World--

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American H.A.C. in London-

London-- 140 visiting members of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston, Massachusetts, (the oldest chartered military organisation in the Western Hemisphere), were welcomed ~~by~~ at Armoury House, by Maj-General Sir Julian Gascoigne- Colonel-Commandant of the H.A.C. ^{OUR OWN}

After ^{being inspected,} ~~an inspection,~~ the U.S. veterans marched to St Botolph's Church for a commemoration service. /

Queen Juliana flies by helicopter-

Holland--- Arriving on the shores of the Ijssel Lake by naval helicopter, Queen Juliana of the Netherlands honoured the famous Dutch engineer, Dr Cornelis Lely. ^{This great national figure} ~~who~~ first planned the reclamation of the Zuyder Zee (over 100 years ago), ^{now Holland's Queen unveils} ~~by unveiling~~ a statue to his memory. /

Fire at Mount Pleasant-

London--- Over 2000 postal workers- mostly women- were ^{safely} ~~quickly evacuated~~ evacuated when flames roared through the upper ~~sixth~~ floors of the G.P.O premises at Mount Pleasant, Clerkenwell, which deals with three million letters a day.

More than 150 firemen fought for three hours to control a blaze which threatened tons of mail at the world's largest sorting office.

The fire, which burnt out the top storey, is believed to have started in a lift in the supply department. /

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