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News Flashes--

Dutch Ship at Portsmouth-

Portsmouth-- Paying a courtesy visit in the Dutch Escort-Destroyer "Zeeland", Vice-Admiral A. de Booy- Commanding the Netherlands Navy- inspected a parade at the Royal Naval Barracks. Later, with the approval of the Navy's mascot, the Admiral presented a 17th century marine painting- as a token of gratitude for British hospitality to Dutch seamen during the war.

Archbishop of Canterbury-

Rhodesia-- The Archbishop of Canterbury- Dr Fisher- made ~~ecclesiastical~~ ecclesiastical history at Salisbury, when he laid the foundation stone of the Cathedral's new Bell Tower. The occasion formed part of the ceremony to inaugurate the new Anglican Province of Central Africa, which will embrace the dioceses of Northern Rhodesia, ^{of} Nyasaland, ^{of} Mashonaland, and Matabeleland.

Duke in Italy

Italy: During his week's tour of Commonwealth War Cemeteries - the Duke of Gloucester paid homage at the grave of Italy's Unknown Soldier, in Rome. He was accompanied by Field Marshal Lord Alexander - who led the Eighth Army ~~in the Italian Campaign~~

Air Hostesses

South Africa: The happiest girl in the ~~University Towns Festival~~ University Towns Festival was Miss Anne Price, a B.O.A.C. Air hostess, of Uxbridge, Middlesex. Miss PRICE was presented with a £2,000 diamond ring - the first prize in a beauty contest.

Anne was crowned "Queen of the Air" ~~and she~~ she brings the ring home it ^{MAY} cost her £1,000 in purchase tax and ~~customs~~ customs duty! ^{BUT IF SHE} ^{a thousand pounds}