

Firefighting appliance

Australia: From "Down Under" comes a new approach to the problem of ~~xxx~~ saving trapped passengers from a burning plane - a rescue-tender that moves swiftly towards the wreck - spraying a blanket of foam.

But that's not all. Just watch ~~the~~ ^{that} rotating object on the front.

It's a circular saw that quickly cuts through the fuselage - making an entry for airport firemen to ~~effect a rescue~~.

carry out rescue work.

Christening

France: In the Church of Vaucresson, (a suburb of Paris) - a descendant of the former Royal Family of Austria-Hungary is christened by the Papal Nuncio - Monseigneur Marella. (3)

The baby, ~~is~~ the second child of the Archduke Robert von Hapsburg and Archduchess Marguerite, ~~and the wife~~ takes a poor view of a winter baptism.

Visit of Grotewohl

Peking: From the capital of Red China come pictures of the recent visit by the East German President, Otto Grotewohl - who was welcomed by Foreign Minister ~~En~~ ^{Tchou} En Lai.

Described as "a visit of friendship" - no "smiles" were spared to ensure a picture of happy co-operation.

During their stay - the East German delegation was received by ~~the~~.

Mao Tse Tung - Chairman of the People's Republic...

Eisenhower

America: In the best of spirits, President Eisenhower waves a friendly greeting to well-wishers, as he arrives at Key West, Florida, accompanied by his brother and personal physician, for a fortnight's holiday in the sunny South.

America's Chief Executive ~~is~~ is much refreshed by memories of a happy festive season - spent with his family in the White House.