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ONE MINUTE NEWS

For Lancashire, Cheshire, Derbyshire and North Wales - the first mow of the year. For the youngsters it was too good to be true.

Here's Manchester's Piccadilly.

The mow didn't stay long and Manchester soon get back to normal.

London's underground has a new show piece. Trumsport Minister Alfred Barnes opens the tube extension from Liverpool Street to Stratford. London Transport's Senior passenger driver Harry Marks drove the train. Aboard for the maiden trip were 150 official guests. Four miles long, the extension cost 32 million pounds and employed 2,000 men - siseable figures for nine minutes travel.

Two days after the opening, tragedy put the new line in the news. A crash into an empty train near Stratford Station killed two men and injured three. Tragic send off for the new project.

Reporting from Athens, our Cameraman sends these pictures of Field Marshal Montgemery's visit to Greece. A regiment of Evzenes provided the guard of hemour.

During this visit, the British Fereign Office was receiving reports of renewed fighting in Greek frontier regions. War Minister Dragoumis accompanied Menty through Athens streets. Among subjects for discussion, no doubt, was the position of the various detachments of British treeps still serving in Greece.

With Air Marshal Cochreme, Air Commendant Pelicity Hambury, new head of the WAAF's, attends a display of work made under the WAAF Educational and Vocational scheme. Idea is to give a new slant on peacetime work for service women not yet demobbed.

Most popular course is beauty culture. West End Experts still in uniform, act as instructors. And, to even up the risks, students practice on each other.

WAAF Chief Henbury, youngest of our service heads, takes special interest in the Training Scheme. Results so far provide their own justification.