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**ARRIVAL INFORMATION CONCERNING REV. BILLY GRAHAM;
PRESS CONFERENCE AND LUNCHEON SCHEDULED**

The following information relates to the arrival in London of the American Evangelist, Rev. Billy Graham, who commences the Greater London Crusade at Haringay Arena on Monday, 1 March, at 7.30 p.m.

ARRIVES SOUTHAMPTON on board the Liner United States on Tuesday, 23 February, approximately 3.00 p.m. Tickets for boarding are available upon application to Publicity Department, United States Lines, 50 Pall Mall. (Mr. Graham will be staying the night with friends in Southampton)

ARRIVES LONDON Wednesday, 24th February, Waterloo Station, by train at 1.19 p.m. (Probably Track 9; to be confirmed later). Many London area friends are expected to greet Mr. Graham upon his arrival at Waterloo Station.

PRESS CONFERENCE in the Assembly Room, The Central Hall, Westminster, at 11.00 a.m. Thursday, 25th February. Coffee at 10.45; buffet luncheon for Press representatives at 12.00 noon. (Use main entrance to Central Hall, please.)

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION in advance, or at any of the above events, please contact Public Relations Staff:

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Mr. Beavan will be with Mr. Graham on the United States; both Mr. Beavan and Miss Lowry will be at Waterloo Station.

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HARRINGAY ARENA
GREEN LANES, N.4

NOTE: The information provided herein has been carefully checked for accuracy and is correct at the time of release according to the best knowledge and belief of the London Crusade Committee

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CHOIR DIRECTOR FOR BILLY GRAHAM LONDON CRUSADE
ARRIVES IN LONDON; FAMED AMERICAN FOOTBALLER DONN MOOMAW
HERE TO SHARE IN EVANGELISTIC CRUSADE

Newest arrivals to share in the advance preparation for the Billy Graham Greater London Crusade, (scheduled to begin on 1 March at Harringay Arena), are Mr. Cliff Barrows, who will be in charge of the music and direct the 1,000 voice choir at the Crusade, Mr. Carlton Booth, tenor soloist, and Mr. Donn Moomaw, rated by American sports authorities as the No. 1 All American Footballer. The new members of the American Evangelistic Team will arrive at London Airport on Friday morning, 19th February via Pan American World Airways.

This is no new visit to England for Mr. Barrows. Accompanying Billy Graham in earlier visits, he spent more than six months in 1946 and 1947 in evangelistic meetings throughout Great Britain. Currently he has more than 3,000 volunteer singers from which to recruit his 1,000 voice choir for each night during the Harringay meetings.

It is a first arrival for Donn Moomaw, former University of California football player, who earned a place on every All American Team in the year 1952, and is rated as one of the world's ten greatest athletes. Moomaw has declined lucrative offers to play professional football, choosing rather to enter full-time evangelistic service. The Santa Ana (California) Register reported recently on his football prowess, remarking, ". . . Moomaw never was penalized for rule infractions."

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IMMEDIATELY.

S.S. "UNITED STATES" ARRIVING AT SOUTHAMPTON.BILLY GRAHAM AMONG THOSE ON BOARD.

The United States Lines' flagship s.s. "UNITED STATES", (Commodore John W. Anderson) is scheduled to arrive at Berth 107/8, Southampton, at 3.00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 23rd, from New York via Le Havre.

Amongst passengers disembarking at Southampton, are:-

- U 90 DR. WILLIAM F. GRAHAM. (Billy Graham, world-famous Evangelist) who is visiting the United Kingdom at the invitation of the Evangelical Alliance and co-operating Churches, and will be holding meetings at the Harringay Arena every night at 7.30, beginning March 1st. Dr. Graham's voice is known throughout the United States where he has a network programme covering 800 Stations and also covering 84% of Europe. He is accompanied by:-
- U 157 DR. & MRS. CLIFFORD W. FREEMAN.
- U 92 DR. GRADY WILSON.
- U 40 DR. PAUL J. MADDOX.
- U 39 DR. PAUL S. REESE.
- U 38 MR. DAWSON TROTMAN.
- M 59 MR. HERBERT J. YATES. President Republic Pictures Corp., and Mrs. Yates (Vera Ralston) Motion Picture Actress.
- MR. HENRY SHEREK. Noted British Impresario, and Mrs. Sherek, Sister of Lord Falmouth.
- U 67 RT. HON VISCOUNT FURNESS.
- M 53 MR. WILLIAM MARTIN SAAL. Vice President Republic Pictures Corp.
- S 89 RT. HON ALFRED ROBENS. Member of Parliament for Blythe, Northumberland.
- REV. RAYMOND HALL. Director of the Seamen's Church Institute, New York, who is coming on a 3½ month world tour to survey facilities for seamen ashore in principal port cities.
- M 65 MR. JOHN A. COSMAS. Prominent Greek Steamship owner.
- U 169 DR. SIEGFRIED F. STERNE. Advisor to industries in Western Germany.
- U 49 MR. NORVAL E. BAKER. Chief Geologist for the Iraq Petroleum Co.