

CHEQUE RUN TO AID CHURCHES.

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St. Martins in the Fields, London plays its part in the "Save the Churches" campaign which aims to assist more than 2,000 churches in all parts of England in urgent need of repair. As part of the campaign, the fund's Trustee, Sir Winston Churchill meets Roger Bannister, the four-minute-mile, Chris Chatsway and Chris Brasher who helped Bannister make his run, and Gordon Pirie, another record-breaker. These four speed-merchants will each carry £500 cheques on the first lap of a journey to four churches in London. With the flag of St. George, Sir Winston gets them going.

Up Downing Street, and into Whitehall. Just as well these four champions are honest - there'd be on-ones to catch them if they suddenly took to their heels! But there's little chance of any new records on this run - there's a heap of traffic all the way to Trafalgar Square.

And so to St. Martins where three M.P.'s and a former M.P. wait to take over. Britain's top athletes do their bit towards the Trust's target of £600,000.

