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THE CHAMPS RETURN:

The flags are out at Chadwell Heath, Essex, to welcome home Jim Peters. Holding his two-months old daughter, Jennifer, Jim stands with his wife Freda. He calls to his team-mate Roger Bannister to come and pose for the cameras with him. Bannister, a fully qualified doctor helped to look after Peters on the journey home from the Empire Games in Vancouver. Peters, who collapsed near the finishing line after the 26 mile marathon, says he now feels as fit as ever. Later, crowds turn out in Harrow and surround Bannister's home. With a wave and a smile, the Miracle Miler, hurries to greet his family.

Cameras click as Bannister poses with his sister and his parents. Bannister, who says he may give up running almost entirely to concentrate on his medical studies, is interviewed by our reporter. Speaking of the success of the Empire Games, he says this: