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NEW AIR SERVICE - Automobile Association introduces special weather broadcasts for airms, at Heston Airport.

-Middlesex-

Picture :- If you wireless fans tune in to 835 metres, you will-

-hear what the man seated at this hand microphone mays.

He is broadcasting the A.A. weather forecast-

-- for airmen and air travellers. This service is a valuable contribution to air travel and safety,--

--information being supplied by the meteorological department of the Air Ministry. Most--

--accidents are caused by incomplete knowledge--

--of weather conditions. Such accidents will now be minimised. This information is broadcast--

--eight times every day, and can be received on--

-the journey. The pilot hears the call sign of the-

--station picked up by this asrial and listens--

-to the latest weather developments. He is told--

-- of fog in his way, and is able to avoid it.

He is told cloud heights and is able to-

--nearly tell his passengers whether they need take mackintoshs and umbrellas--

--or silk frocks and sunshades, which I think ladies will agree, would be almost enough to make air travel popular.