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Two thousand troops from all branches of the service, stood to attention in Whitehall for the ceremony of unveiling the monument to Britain's Commander in the Field during the Great War. The Duke of Gloucester was present to perform the unveiling and those who listened to his speech included the present Earl Haig and members of the family.

A wreath was laid at the foot of the statue --- and thus in Whitehall near the Cenotaph stands the visible emblem of a nation's gratitude to a great commander --- ~~whose work was not ended with the coming of peace.~~