

News Flashes-

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Well Tragedy-

Berkshire-- Sudden tragedy at the ^{quiet} Royal Oak Hotel, Yattendon, where ~~a daily help~~ Mrs Faithfull plunged 60 ft down a ~~disused~~ well, ^{when} ~~at~~ the kitchen floor collapsed.

Rescuers, ^{despite} defying tons of masonry and rubble that fell on top of the unfortunate victim, ~~(a daily help at the ancient hotel)~~, made heroic efforts to recover the body- but without success.

A bus shelter, covering the deepest of the many wells that lie beneath the village homes, was quickly roped off.

Russian Houses-

~~XXXXXXXX~~ In Russia, houses are going up to overcome the acute shortage in Leningrad.

Built on the prefabrication system, the dwellings rise at the rate of a floor a fortnight., as a city makes good the ravages of war.

Dutch Princess-

Holland-- Princess Beatrix cycles to school with her sister Princess Margriet. Yet it's a day destined to be a landmark in ^{PRINCESS BEATRIX'S} ~~her~~ life. ~~FOR~~ IT IS HER 18th BIRTHDAY, AND ~~she~~ at a later ceremony, she was officially created the Crown Princess of the Netherlands.

~~Since the Princess's last term at the village school~~
~~near~~, which is ~~about~~ three miles from the Palace at ~~Soestdijk~~
~~After passing her final examinations, the Heiress to the Dutch~~
~~will enter~~ Leiden University, as a student of sociology.