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FROM OUR OFFICE WINDOWS WE CAN AT FREQUENT AND REGULAR INTERVALS SEE PAN-AMERICAN CLIPPER SHIPS FLYING BY, GIVING US CONCRETE EVIDENCE OF THE TREMENDOUS ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF JUAN TRIPPE, CORNELIUS WHITNEY AND THEIR ASSOCIATES STOP THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE TRANS-PACIFIC SERVICE UNDER OUR EYES HAVE BEEN A MIRACLE OF EFFICIENCY STOP ONLY TWO DAYS AGO

THE ONE-HUNDREDTH CROSSING WAS COMPLETED AND ON THE SAME DAY THE FIRST AIR MAIL LEFT FOR CHINA STOP YOU NOW GATHERED TOGETHER IN NEWYORK CAN HAVE NO IDEA OF THE PROFOUND ADMIRATION AND RESPECT THE PAN-AMERICAN'S OPERATIONS HAVE IN THIS COMMUNITY STOP WITHOUT FANFARE OR AROUSED BALLYHOO THESE CLIPPER SHIPS FLY TO AND FRO WHILE CAPTAIN MUSICK FLITS DOWN TO NEW ZEALAND AND BACK WITHOUT AN EYE STOP WE REGRET THAT WE CANNOT BE WITH YOU TONIGHT TO PAY OUR RESPECTS TO YOUR HONORED GUESTS STOP TO US IT WOULD BE AN HONOR TO BE THERE=

P H PATCHIN. K R KINGSBURY 654P.