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AROUND

THE WORLD



Honolulu



Howland Island



New Guinea



Amelia Earhart and Her Plane for the 27,000-Mile Flight

Next month at Oakland, Calif., the famous woman flyer will hop off in her "flying laboratory" on the first round-the-world flight approximating the equator. The initial phase will be a 7,000-mile crossing of the Pacific. Miss Earhart, who is shown inside her plane, will be the first flyer ever to land at Howland Island, which the Department of the Interior is developing for possible future use as a regular air route between the United States and Australia. The "flying laboratory," a Wasp-motored Lockheed Vega, is pictured in flight, and on either side are shown some of the varied scenes which will dot the course of her adventure.

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Natal



Mexico City



Planning Their Course

Miss Earhart and Captain Harry Manning, of the United States Lines, who will act as her navigator as far as Australia. The entire trip of 27,000 miles may take three weeks.

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