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GOOD EVENING EVERYBODY:

The tri-color of france is waving brightly tonight on the tennis courts, but some people think it is not fluttering quite as bravely and as confidently as usual.

France won the Davis Cup, and again, but the tennis expert of the New York Evening Post is of the opinion that the power of France in tennis is weakening.

The championship matches were held in Paris yesterday, It was a cloudy, wet day with a drizzling rain. A couple of times a downpour held up proceedings, but the battle for the Davis Cup was fought out to the bitter end. The French won two matches out of three. Borotra polished off his English antagonist, but only after a bitter fight. The Britisher was giving him a shellacing. But in the end the Frenchman summoned all his grit and won out. Although Borotra won, they say he looked bad, and some think he's at the end of his magnificent tennis

career.

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Those disorders we have been hearing about in Chile have come to a dramatic and successful conclusion.

Tonight a new government is in power in the South American Republic, and Carlos Ibanez who was president and dictator of Chile for five years, has resigned and fled.

The Associated Press cables that the week-end in Chile was one of general rioting and disturbance. On all sides the people rose against the dictator, xand finally Ibanez, who had called himself the Man of Destiny, realized that the country was too hot to hold him. He handed in his resignation to the parliament of the nation, and then got out.

The feeling against him is intensely bitter. He ruled with the iron hand of military force, and that provoked an increasing amount of discontent. It was the women of the country who greased the toboggan for him. A mass meeting of women who

1 denounced the dictator, was the 2 first revolutionary act. #And the students of the country played a large part in the revolt. I told the other night how they kad rose in rebellion and seized the buildings of the University of Chile and fought a battle.

There are clamors among the people that Ibanez should be punished for his acts while ruler of Chile. The new government waxh to whom he handed over the presidential power; promised him that they would see to it that he got safely out of the country.

Tresident today - and in exile tomorrow, and so it goes in South 15 16

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In Mexico the dispute between the Civil and Religious leaders in the State of Vera Cruz is dragging on. The Papal Nuncio today instructed the priests of the State of Vera Cruz to use their own s judgment as to whether they should obey 7 the law or leave the State.

The law in question is one which ollimits the number of priests in the State 10 to eighteen. It decrees that only 18 n priests shall carry on their religious 12 duties. The Church leaders are fighting 13 against that law and for weeks have 14 been carrying on in defiance of the 15 Governor of the State. But now the 16 representative of the Pope tells the 17 Priests to keep on attending to their 18 churches, or to leave, just as they please.

The Associated Press reports a riot 19 20 in which several people were injured. 21 There was a fight between the friends and 22 enemies of religion. And then there was 23 an attempt on the life of a Bishop. Two 24 men entered his house and tried to kill 25 him. but he escaped.

A visitor left the capital of Germany today just about the same time two other visitors arrived.

Secretary Stimson of the United States, took a plane for London after a couple of busy days, during which he held long discussions with the German ministers.

The International News Service
names the visitors who have just arrived
in Berlin as Prime Minister MacDonald,
and Foreign Minister Henderson of
Great Britain. And they are there for
that same purpose of discussing
financial and political matters with the
heads of the Berlin government. And
so the leaders of Europe are still busy
on that problem of the financial
situation of Central Europe.

The Berlin correspondent of the New York Evening Post sends word that in spite of all the diplomatic activity, the leading business men of Germany are not any too optimistic.

Well, there are plenty of people in this country who are always ready to throw a brick at the President. Mr. Hoover is has plenty of critics. But here's a new kind of brick thrown the the President.

A United Press dispatch tells us how Communist political experts interpret President Hoover's moves in the attempt to save Germany from financial disaster. The Bolshevists xxx say it's an international plot. One Soviet writer declares that the Hoover Plan represents the most important step in the preparation of and soviet Union.

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From the skies of the Arctic North wireless messages have come flashing at various intervals today. Germany's big dirigible, the Graf Zeppelin, has been sending word of the progress of her flight above the Polar seas.

The International News Service passes along a wireless from the Graf Zeppelin which gives her present position as well above the Arctic Circle. The huge dirigible is already within about 800 miles of the North Pole. She was cruising over Barents Sea this afternoon. This body of water, as you will observe on your Literary Digest Atlas, is a part of the Arctic Ocean directly north of the Scandinavian Peninsula. To the west of Barents Sea lies Nova Zembla. To the north is Franz Josef Land, and to the northeast is Spitzbergen. And these are all far northern regions, bare, inhospitable, icebound. A later report has just come in that the Graf Zeppelin has been sighted this evening over Franz Joseph Land. And aboard the Graf are many scientists.

But perhaps the most interesting flying story of the day comes from our own Country. Slim Lindbergh and his wife, Anne took off from Long Island late this afternoon - took off on their 7,100 mile jaunt to Japan. Tonight they are in Washington their first stop. Hardly anyone suspected they were going to start today and only about 200 persons saw them take off.

And then there's another bit of aviation news. A

British woman flier took off today on a flight from England to

Tokio. She is Amy Johnson, of England to Australia fame, and

she intends to make stops at Berlin and Moscow, and then possibly

some place in Siberia.

matters, as there's some party in the studio here who knows a lot more about aviation than I - I'll say he does. He is frank Hawks, the speed demon of the air. But wait a minute.

I'll take that back. Frank Hawks claims he's not a speed demon, not a stunt man. He isn't merely after records. His

purpose is to demonstrate the place of speed in modern transportation. So, he protests, he's not a speed demon. He's a salesman of speed.

I read this in a recent issue of the Literary Digest, which quoted an article by James Hopper in the American Magazine.

Jim Hopper tells us that Frank Hawks frowns on the idea that he is some sort of a superman. He declares that if he makes a record here and there it isn't his fault. He just can't help it if his plane goes faster than any other plane.

We are told by Jim Hopper as quoted in the Literary Digest, that Hawks is not a rarin', tearin' wild man with a crazy glint in his eye and backward streaming hair. No, not at all. He's just a very practical young man who is out to show how practical speed is in aviation.

But, why should I be telling you about this? Here's the speed king in person, the travelling salesman of speed.

Let's see what he has to say about it. What ho? Captain Hawks, why all this dashing thru the skies of Americam and Europe? What's the big idea? What's the hurry?

FOR CAPTAIN HAWKS

Why the speed? Well what else has the airplane to sell. I go fast because I went to have more time on the ground when I get there. Speed to an airplane doesn't necessarily mean any increase in danger. And it's just as easy to do 200 m.p.h. as it is to do 100. So why loaf?

If I could talk like you Lowell I would probably sell my subject of speed with a bang, and probably I would then become a radio speech maker, instead of a would-be flyer. My latest jaunt was that flight down to Havana the other day.

Last Thursday I flew down to Havana, 1400 miles from here, and had a grand lunch with Harry Guggenheim, our flying Ambassador to Cuba. We traded books. I gave him a copy of mine on, Speed, - and he gave me his on, Statistics. We autographed each others copies, all of this time having consumed an hour and a half, and then I took off for New York. Back again over the same 1400 miles at an average of 206 miles per hour and I was home for dinner.

What did I encounter on the trip? I was going too fast to encounter much of anything alarming. The weather was fine going down, but my speed was reduced with head winds. The

return was just the opposite. The winds were more favorable, but the weather had changed -- throwing incessant thunder showers in my path. I had made the round trip at an average speed of 197 miles per hour. 2800 miles had been covered so rapidly on that day that I don't recall of much to mit talk about.

I didn't do it, my friends. All the credit goes to my little ship, Texaco number thirteen, with her staunch and reliable motor. But Lowell, I'll fly, now, you do the talking. How about it?

Well, Frank I wish I could talk like you can fly.

So, that's the reason for all the hurry. Thanks for putting us wise. And now let's fly along - for a bit about Mr. Rose.

Mr. Rose loves roses. He's a man of poetic moods and an artistic temperament. And his soul is captivated by the lovely beauty and declicate fragrance of the white rose, the pink rose, and the red rose.

Well, Mr. Rose has another name, a somewhat more famous name. His real monniker is "Scarface Al" Capone.

He's supposed to go to jail pretty soon, but meanwhile he's spending a sort of vacation at Benton Harbor, Michigan.

They grow beautiful roses in those parts, and Scarface Al spends much time in enjoying the perfume and the loveliness of the flowers. In the hotel where he's stopping they have a banquet hall called the Rose room. And that's where the Big Shot loves to throw an occasional party. His devotion to roses is so great that he has adopted as an alias the name of Mr. Rose. In fact, Scarface Al seems to be having a rosy time just now.

Well, the King of the Underworld

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has just staged a big party. It was a farewell entertainment to me celebrate the fact that the Big Shot will soon be on his way to jail. And naturally the potentate of the gang wanted the Rose Room. He appeared with a crowd of guests, but when he started into the Rose Room he found it was already taken. A banquet was in progress there. And a very fancy banquet it was. The Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority was holding a bit of festivity. Now the Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority is quite a swagger organization. At the big banquet table were society ladies who are members of the sorority, and also their husbands -business men, lawyers, bankers, and other leading lights of the community.

It was obviously a bit of a clash and a conflict, when Scarface Al Capone, Chicago's Public Enemy Number One, wanted the Rose Room and its garlands of roses, when in fact the Rose Room was already in the possession of the Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority.

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Well, neither Epsilon, Sigma. Alpha, nor any other letter of the Greek alphabet mean much to the Big Shot. He said he wanted the Rose Room and wanted it right away. They say Capone is broke, but he's spending a lot of money these days for a poverty-stricken individual. He handed the hotel management a large and juicy handful of money. And that was when things began to happen to the banquet of the Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority. They were in formed that the Rose Room was wanted by the Great Capone and that they would have to move. They were just through the first course of the dinner, but they moved all right. The high-society banquet of the Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority was transferred to a much smaller dining room, a bedroom which had been converted into an eating place. The International News Service concludes the story by saying that after the local Michigan aristocrats of the Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority had been moved, the Big Shot and his company of guests took their place in the Rose Room and had one of the gayest farewell parties on record.

There was an attempt in Pittsburgh to assassinate an official of the United Mine Workers of America. This comes as a spectacular indicent in the bitter miner strike that is raging in the coal sections of Pennsylvania. The A.P. tells the stry The Union official is Patrick T. Fagan. His doorbell rang. He answered it. Iwo men were there. One of them pointed a pistol at him and cried:

"I'm here from Kentucky, and I've been sent to get you."

Fagan leaped at the man, wrestled with him, and they rolled off a porch on to the lawn. The mining official wrenched the pistol out of the hand of his assailant and then there was a sound of shots. The Union leader fired three times and killed the man who had come to kill him.

The other man dashed away and jumped into a taxicab, but Just then the police arrived and arrested him.

Fagan is president of District No. 5 of the Mine Workers of

America. He has been a prominent figure in the miner strike and also in recent quarrels between the Mine Workers of America and a rival organization, The National Miners Union.

Another incident in that mining strike came in a meeting of West Virginian miners at Burnwell, West Virginia. Somebody fired a shot and a bullet hit Mrs. Martha Stanley who was attending the meeting. She was injured.

The Associated Press interprets
these events as indicating that the
strike was war in the coal mining section
is growing more bitter and intense.

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Holy Smoke, but they had an exciting time in a big building at Chicago. The Montgomery Ward Memorial Dental and Medical School at Northwestern University is a modern skyscraper. Forty manual wors, in a big cage, and they decided to cut a few monkey shines. One of them managed to lift the latch and open the gate, and then those 40 munkings monkeys went scooting all over the place. especially on the stairways. They found that the endless stairways of the tall building are a magnificent place for monkeys to monkey around. They scampered up and down the steps and perched on the doors.

The employes of the building started to chase monkeys. Pretty soon they were man played out, and the monkeys were still monkeying around. The fire department was called. The firemen may be good at rescueing people from burning buildings, but as monkey anadmentant catchers they're null and void.

Presently the students were called.

And according to the Associated Press story, those students
were a real success at chasing monkeys. Forty undergraduates
swung into action. They chased the monks up stairs and down
stairs and back again, and finally caught every last one of them.

Well, I guess I've monkeyed around with that item long enough, and I'll say what those monkeys said when they left the cage --

SO LONG UNTIL TOMORROW.