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GOOD EVENING EVERYBODY:

Vice-President Nixon, almost became the center of a demonstration - in Lima, Peru. He rode into Lima today amid cries of "Viva Nixon!" and "Viva America!" But when he came out of his hotel, to go to the presidential palace - a group of Communist students were standing there. The students shouting, in English, "Go away, Noxon!" The police, moving in - arresting three of them. Bystanders in the area - objecting. A big crowd gathering - threatening to start a riot. But enough police rushed up to keep order.

Vice-President Nixon saw the beginning of the demonstration. Then his motorcade passed through the crowd without incident and he went directly to the presidential palace - where he was the guest of President Prado at lunch.

During the day, Mrs. Nixon, asked how she felt after such a change of altitude, dropping twelve thousand feet - from LaPaz to Lima, said she had been breathless and light-headed in Boliva - but that they both feel fine. Don, if you're not out of breath - or even if you are - tells your message.

JUDGE

At today's meeting of the Tennessee Legislature in Nashville - a judge listened to himself being condemned. Judge Raulston Schoolfield - sitting in the balcony during the session.

*At*  
It's a special session - called to consider Judge Schoolfield. Today's evidence included - photostatic copies of his court records - and around a thousand pieces of evidence.

*The evidence*  
gathered after the Senate Rackets Committee charged that Schoolfield accepted bribes. - *for* ~~then~~ quashing criminal indictments against members of the Teamsters Union.

Judge Schoolfield heard A<sup>T</sup>torney Jack Norman say - he dismissed over three hundred felony cases. The legislature, demanding to know - just why. Judge Schoolfield, to get his day in court - instead of presiding over the court as he used to.



## SEABURY

*4.20.35*  
An old man of eighty-five died in East Hampton, New York today. Samuel Seabury, whose name was *so often* in the headlines back in nineteen thirty-two -- when he was counsel to the state committee investigating the Mayor of New York City.

Jimmy Walker, the fun-loving Mayor -- accused of dereliction of duty. The Committee spotlight, focussed on his administration. Remember Counsel Seabury firing questions -- with Jimmy Walker tugging at his collar as he tried to think up the answers? The Walker replies, so feeble *that* -- Governor Franklin Roosevelt interrupted his Presidential campaign to order a full investigation.

Walker resigned *ing* soon after that. LaGuardia *coming* into office as a reform Mayor -- giving New York City one of its *most colorful* best administrations. Walker, passing from the scene. Now, followed more than a quarter of a century later -- by the man who did so much to expose him -- Samuel Seabury.



ALABAMA

The result of yesterday's election in Alabama -- they'll have to hold a run-off between the two leading candidates. John Patterson and George Wallace easily distanced the field of twelve opponents. Patterson, getting eighty-one thousand votes -- Wallace, sixty-five thousand. But Patterson's total -- is only one-third of the total vote. By Alabama law the man who becomes Governor -- must have an absolute majority. Hence the run-off between Patterson and Wallace -- scheduled for next June.

MILITARY

A couple of stories about military affairs --  
from Australia. In Melbourne, our commander of the  
army ~~in~~ in the Pacific -- told an Australian audience that  
the west is prepared to fight any kind of war. General  
Isaac White, at a lunch commemorating the Battle of the  
Coral Sea -- one of the critical naval battles of World  
War Two, when American forces turned back the Japanese  
thrust. General White, refusing to predict an atomic  
war -- but adding, *that we are* we're ready for it if it comes -- just  
as we're ready for brush-fire wars with traditional weapons.

In Brisbane, Australian Colonel Kenneth McKay ~~is~~  
criticizes his own service for being top-heavy. Colonel  
McCay revealing that the Aussies have one officer to every  
two privates. *And* They have more non-commissioned officers  
than privates. Colonel McKay reporting -- a lot of en-  
listed men think there are too many people giving orders  
in the Australian army -- too few taking them. Colonel  
McCay -- agreeing with them.

## GERMANY

West Germany promises technical aid -- to the United Arab Republic of Egypt and Syria. The agreement, signed in Bonn -- calling for German marks equivalent to eighty-three million dollars.

West Germany, to establish training centers in both Egypt and Syria -- the training centers, to be staffed by German experts. The facilities of Port Said and Suez, to be enlarged. The Damascus air field, to be extended -- with new buildings and more runways.

In return, the United Arab Republic agrees to restore German property seized during World War Two.

Western officials in Bonn say the new agreement *indicates that* shows -- Nasser wants to show that he still favors economic ties with the west. The dictator of the Nile, allowing it to be signed -- while he is in the middle of his state visit to Russia. A warning to Khrushchev that Egypt is not a member of the Soviet bloc -- also a hint that he might cough up a few more rubles. *Russia*



ATOMIC

The Atomic Energy <sup>Commission</sup> announces - we fired our first atomic blast of Nineteen Fifty-Eight - nine days ago. The place - Eniwetok Atoll, in the South Pacific.

Why the delay in the announcement? According to the A.E.C. - if the Russians had known about this <sup>one in advance</sup> blast - they would have been able to test their detection instruments. Hence - the silence.

But Congressman Charles Porter of Oregon - denounces the A.E.C. Porter, just ~~back~~ back from Eniwetok - was the first to reveal that our nuclear test series had already begun. He says the A.E.C. has been "arrogant" - <sup>in</sup> by denying the right of the American people to know what's going on. <sup>What about</sup> letting the Russians know?

~~Flemming~~  
FLEMMING

The change in President Eisenhower's Cabinet -- was expected. Yesterday we had the story -- without confirmation. Now -- it's official. Marion Folsom, stepping out as Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare. Replacing him -- Doctor Arthur Flemming, President of Ohio Wesleyan University.

Doctor Flemming was testifying before a Congressional Committee when the White House announced his nomination to the post. Later, he told newsmen <sup>that</sup> he'll resign from Ohio Wesleyan -- but he turned aside all questions about how he intends to run his department. Around Washington it's being taken for granted that Flemming will be approved by the Senate.

## TRADE

President Eisenhower's trade policy - running into roadblocks in Congress. Speaker Sam Rayburn saying - the President will have to compromise, if he expects the Administration bill to get through the House. Rayburn warning, protectionist Congressmen will try to hold the line on tariffs - if they don't get concessions. ~~At the same time~~, Congressman Boggs of Louisiana - is even gloomier. Boggs predicting - the Eisenhower bill may have to be scuttled - as the only way of preventing Congress - from raising tariffs.

Speaker Rayburn says - he warned Mr. Eisenhower almost two weeks ago - about the need for concession. So far - the President is standing by his original policy. He still wants a five-year extension of the Reciprocal Trade Law - with presidential authority to make more tariff reductions of up to twenty-five per cent. Last night, President Eisenhower defended his policy vigorously - in launching the Nineteen Fifty-Eight Republican campaign for Congress.



## BALLOON

Two Navy scientists, landing near Dubuque, Iowa -- after a balloon ride eight miles into the stratosphere. Doctors Malcolm Ross and Alfred Mikesell, of Washington, D.C. -- the first astronomers ever to look at the stars through a telescope <sup>mounted</sup> stationed that high above the surface of the earth.

Ross and Mikesell took off last night from the open pit of an iron mine near Crosby, Minnesota. An hour later they reached an altitude of forty-two thousand feet. They say they've never seen the stars so brilliant -- the air too thin to make them twinkle. The scientists, taking photos at various altitudes on their way down. Then hovering at eleven thousand feet, until daybreak -- and landing near Dubuque <sup>above</sup> with a lot of new data for the astronomers to work with.

## INDONESIA

In Indonesia - mention of a famous outfit of World War Two. Chennault's "Flying Tigers". The "Flying Tigers", you will recall, were fighting the Japanese in China - before World War Two began. Then during the war, these same American pilots - many of them - shot down more than their share of enemy planes.

Well, the Jakarta press claims that some of Claire Chennault's men are now working for the rebels. Old "Flying Tigers" piloting some of the planes taking part in the bombardment of Nationalist targets.

A few days ago, President Eisenhower pointed out that American soldiers of fortune might - conceivably - be taking part in the Indonesian civil war. There are soldiers of fortune in every war. Jakarta is now saying Americans definitely are involved. The Jakarta newspapers, identifying the Americans, as Chennault's Flying Tigers.

## VOICE

The voice of America warns - Russia may soon - in fact may now have another Stalin. Khrushchev, scrapping "collective leadership" - emerging as the man without a rival.

We've heard this before from Allen Dulles - head of our Central intelligence Agency. But Allen Dulles never spelled out his meaning as clearly as the Voice of America did today when it said that Khrushchev is now so powerful he can start what the broadcast calls - "despotic and capricious action." Meaning - no one in the Soviet Union can stop him - no matter what he decides to do. Khrushchev, a second Stalin - after getting rid of his opponents.

The Voice of America points out one big difference. Stalin got rid of his enemies - permanently. Khrushchev, letting his enemies remain alive; and, they might trip him up some day.



## BIG THREE

After the last session in Copenhagen today - the Big Three issued a statement of their own. Britain, France, and the United States - suggesting that more Western nations be invited to a summit meeting. Italy, for instance. The three great powers of the West giving their reply - to Khrushchev's demand for Poland and Czechoslovakia. ~~to be given seats.~~ The West answering - there are other nations that have a better right to sit in. Nations, on this side of the Iron Curtain.

## NATO

The three-day Nato conference in Copenhagen - breaking up. The fifteen members - issuing their formal communique.

The communique approving a summit conference with the Russians - but warning, <sup>that</sup> Moscow <sup>may</sup> might prevent any real settlement at such a conference. The Nato members accusing the Soviets of deliberately aggravating international tension. They express, "disappointment and doubt" - over the conduct of the Kremlin. <sup>Not</sup> Adding, Nato intends to go along as it always has - hoping for a real agreement between East and West.

During the Copenhagen meeting - the Moscow press has been running stories about - "disharmony". The Red editors crowing over - a split among the nations of the Western alliance. The Copenhagen communique, flatly denies the charge.- saying, "This is becoming a true community of free nations."

## SPACE

Here's a question for the space age:- will the government have the right to tax - a man in an artificial satellite? The House Space Committee, asking Loftus Becker, legal advisor to the State Department. Becker answering - an American space man will be taxable - if his satellite happens to be within an area claimed by the United States. Otherwise, the space man would come under the general law about taxing American citizens outside American territory.

In other words - Uncle Sam will have a right to tax a man in a space satellite. Whereupon one committeeman retorted: - "Question: - how will he collect it?" As the man in the space satellite says to Uncle Sam what I am saying now: - so long - until - tomorrow!