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This is the day we twisted the lion's [[strikeout]]tale[[/strikout]] tail! Banzai!

Paul Riés, the Americanized Frenchman, got up a little party, - six or seven of us, - to fittingly commemorate the happy day. We certainly did have all kinds of a time. Riés climbed down into the ring and did a little stunt himself in his enthusiasm. We unanimously awarded him the cake. The meeting broke up on Smith's roof tomorrow morning.

"Put me somewhere East of Suez ----"

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Damfino what we did today except to read mail, and play a little tennis. I've got behind in this record of me young and innocent life and me memory is forgetful. Let us stow it.



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