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THIS MAN GLENN

The prolonged anxiety is over. America is jubilant and on top of the world. Colonel Glenn has three times orbited the earth, and the United States is truly in the space race. Doubts about the weather, and minor technical hitches up to the last few minutes - Glenn bore them all without a trace of nerves. Beyond question he is a born astronaut.

Once more he donned the space suit, but this time he did not have to get out of it for another postponement. None of the 100 and one things that could stop the enterprise happened now.

All the world heard the news. Three successful orbits; John Glenn in fine fettle, after four hours, 56 minutes in space. The Queen has spoken for all her peoples in sending congratulations upon the superb achievement.