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THE FOUR FOLD GLORY: Thy loving kindness, O Lord, is in the heavens: Thy faithfulness reacheth unto the skies. Thy righteousness is like the mountains of God: Thy judgments are a great deep. O Lord thou preservest man and beast. Psalm 36:5, 6.

"Million Refused by Chaplin' Wife," says a headline. And now if everybody else will follow her example, and refuse money from him in varying amounts, Charlie may regain his faith in humanity.

"Without doubt," says a London hair style arbiter, "American women are the most perfectly groomed." Until they began invading the Paris dress shops, one could always spot a Parisian by her smartness. Now it is American women that are spotted. And they attain such distinction by capitalizing every one of their good features and spending the most of their time on their appearance. There are many kinds of success, and any of them, perhaps, can be attained by people who are willing to work hard enough at it, to the exclusion of other pursuits.

Another state has advanced its child labor legislation another step. Louisiana has enacted a law providing an eight hour day, a 48 hour week and the requirement of a physician's certificate of physical fitness for employed children under 16. It makes no educational requirement for child workers and does not prohibit employment of children in dangerous occupations. Nevertheless it marks genuine progress. Many states are far ahead of Louisiana in caring for their children. Others still lag behind. There are very few in which there is not still room for great improvement. Until every child in the land is saved from toil that injures health, retards education, stunts moral growth, maims and cripples the body, there will be work to do in the prevention of child labor. There are certain rights to which every child is entitled.

### THE COST OF A WELCOME

New York City is nothing if not a lavish host. It was revealed the other day that the metropolis had spent \$70,000 on three recent affairs—the welcome to Lindbergh, the reception to the president of Cuba and that to the United States fleet.

Of these three stirring events, the Lindbergh celebration came highest. It cost \$50,000. The highest single item in that bill, \$13,101, was for the erection of grandstands. There were engraving and florist bills, banquet and hotel bills, and so on. The illuminated scroll presented to Lindbergh cost \$900.

Perhaps it was worth the money. None of us would grudge any expenditure that was necessary to do sincere honor to Charles Lindbergh or his fellow aviators—there were also costly receptions for Byrd's group and for Chamberlin, but those bills have not yet been made public. Yet such large totals inevitably raise a question as to whether the money is most wisely spent.

Public banquets and receptions get to be pretty commonplace affairs because they follow a stereotyped form that becomes a bore to everybody concerned—heroes, celebrities, and admiring throngs alike. We look forward to a day when some enterprising welcoming committee will be original enough to think up something new for this purpose. Elaboration has already gone so far that we suspect any really new and pleasing reception will be surprisingly simple in its nature. And then it will probably cost a whole lot less than \$50,000.

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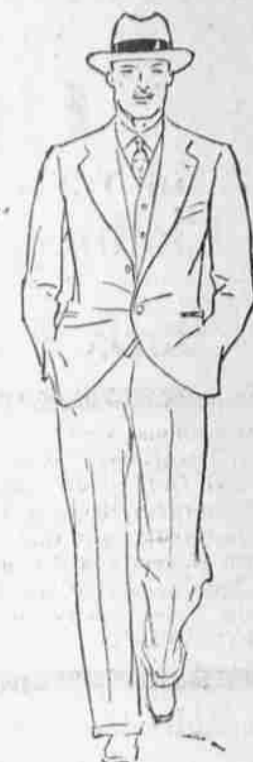
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## WOMEN TO FIGHT WET AMENDMENT

Prohibition Will Not Be Modified If W. C. T. U. Can Prevent It

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., (AP)—Prohibition will not be modified if the "dry" women of the country succeed in the educational campaign they propose launching.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold its 34th annual convention here the week of August 2. At that time several plans will be presented to the delegates for an educational campaign which shall smooth the fall strength of the organization.

It is believed by the W. C. T. U. that agitation for modification has reached the point where it must be met with a complete change of public sentiment. This, it says, can be effected only by the concerted efforts of those who favor total abstinence.

Its efforts will be directed particularly against manufacturers for the return of wine and beer. The results of a two year study of the effects of alcohol on the human system, including 275 per cent. loss of vitality, will be reported by Miss Kate P. Stoddard at Boston, Miss Stoddard is director of the department of scientific investigation and education of the W. C. T. U.

Three thousand women from the United States and from a number of the 43 foreign countries where the "White Ribbon" are expected to attend. Ladies from the South American countries, Canada, and several European countries will furnish delegates.

Miss Anna A. Gordon, president

## RAPID GROWTH OF FASCISM IN ISLE OF JAPAN

TOKYO, (AP)—Fascism in Japan is attaining rapid growth, and may one day be the final bulwark against Bolshevism in Asia, say leaders of the National Spirit Preservation association, formal name of the Japanese Fascists.

Any amount of argument would avail nothing at the time of a national crisis," declared Tokuzumi Fukuda, chairman of the board of directors of the Japanese Fascist organization. "At the supreme moment of national danger, only the strong arm of a Mussolini can save the country. This is our platform. We believe in direct action, should it become necessary in the interests of the country."

The Japanese Fascists are said to number about a million, and the organization has 70 branches in all parts of the empire. At a recent meeting on National Japanese day, the organization adopted a resolution in connection with the Geneva armaments conference to the effect that Japan should refuse to accept any proposition unless it was based on an equal footing for Japan, England and the United States.

## HARVEST WORK IN WALLOWA COUNTY SHOWS PROGRESS

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should give ample breathing room to get the crops taken care of in good season. There appears to be no trouble in securing plenty of help on the farms at this time. The shut-down of considerable work in the region during the past few weeks has made men much more plentiful here than for several years. The second cutting of alfalfa is being cut on some of the farms here and seems to be quite heavy.

## THEY SHALL NOT PARADE



UNSA Service, Boston Bureau. In Boston, the police tolerated no Saeco-Varetti demonstrations as a part of the execution here found sympathizers active everywhere. Among more than forty persons arrested while picketing the state house were Harry Carter, of New York, (left) and Alfred James Lewis, of Boston, here shown on their way to the station house.

## Explosion Wrecks Chicago Stores

CHICAGO, Aug. 21, (AP)—An explosion, attributed to gas from a leaking pipe, wrecked three stores in a one-story building in Taylor street on the West side early today, and fire then destroyed the structure. Firemen found no trace of a body in the ruins although a man in the neighborhood told the proprietor of a dry goods store had been asleep in the store. A grocer and the owner of a bakery in the building and they could not account for the blast.

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## FLOWER SHOW TO BE HELD ON SEPT. 9

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The main-aim weather conditions.

The committee will serve candy and punch to help defray the expense of the show. With Mrs. Williams on the committee are Mrs. Adolph Steiner, Mrs. H. R. Colburn, Mrs. M. K. O'Brien, Mrs. W. H. Carter, Mrs. Earl Hough, Mrs. W. H. Lutzman, Mrs. J. D. Slater, Mrs. Julia Holmes, Mrs. Frank Lilly, Mrs. Grover Grummet, Mrs. Elmer Stoddard, Mrs. G. J. Harrison, Mrs. C. S. Myers, Mrs. V. E. Melville, Mrs. J. W. Knowles, Mrs. F. H. Keady, Mrs. Lynn Holmstrom.

## RADICALS OF WORLD CAUSE MUCH DAMAGE

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They had everything their own way for a time. They wrecked the largest grocery store in Paris, then set a herd of hogs loose and let them loose with which to put the police who rushed up in auto trucks. The rioters soon started the hardware and routed the defenders, who fled smashing more store fronts as they ran.

In Montmartre, most of the cabinet makers were panto stoppers. Proprietors put up their shutters, those who were not quick enough had windows smashed and customers shattered with loots and glasses, accompanied by pills of

"Death to the Bourgeois!" The famous Moulin Rouge, completely demolished. Automobiles parked outside were overturned and their tires cut.

When chased by the police, the mob fled itself to the Arc de Triomphe, where it was joined by many who had been vainly trying to get to the embassy. At the arch, the site of the tomb of the unknown soldier, the newspapers report flowers were trampled upon.

American Replaces Flowers After the mob left this locality, the Bois de Vincennes the flowers were replaced on the tomb by an American who knelt and prayed.

Again scattered by the police, the crowds proceeded down the Champs Elysees smashing windows of one or two cars. Then the storm broke, sending the manifestants home.

Two hundred demonstrators were arrested in the course of the evening, mostly for obstruction and insulting the police. Ten policemen were badly hurt by bullet thrusts

and fifty others received slight injuries. How many manifestants were injured is not known, but the number is believed to be considerable, as the police piled their victims plentifully.

## TO RE-OIL LONE TREE-LAKE ROAD

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during the Pendleton Round-up week, which will be Sept. 12 to 17. Construction work on the La Grande-Wallowa Lake highway about a mile and a half this side of Elgin will be completed by the end of this week and the short stretch there, which has been closed for about a month and a half will be open for traffic.

A detour has been in use for about half year while work has been under way placing a heavy rock base across a section of swampy ground there. Plans are to complete the work Friday and send the section to traffic at that time.

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