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No, My Friend, the way to have a good and safe government is not to trust it all to one, but to divide it among the many.

—Thomas Jefferson

Beautiful Prayer

Robert Louis Stevenson was the author of the prayer beginning "When the day returns." The complete prayer is: "When the day returns, return to us, our sun and comforter, and call us up with morning faces and with morning hearts—eager to labor—eager to be happy, if happiness shall be our portion—and if the day shall be marked for sorrow, strong to endure it."

Personal Mention

Mr. Funk is loading out a car load of dirt used in road building. Mr and Mrs. P. J. Linn and J. W. Howk motored to Arlington, Sunday, for a visit with Mrs. Linn's son, Thomas Griffith.



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SAYS WILL ROGERS

BEVERLY HILLS—Well all I know is just what I read in the papers. But tonight I found out a lot of things without reading em. Bill, our eldest White Hope, had a friend that had just come back from some expedition over in China with some College Boys, from Pomona College, of Pomona, Cal. And say, by the way that is one of the best Colleges in this whole Country, they are constantly grooming it for "The Oxford of America."

Well these boys had taken a lot of Movies of their trip and he just brought em up to the Ranch tonight and run them, and he told us a lot about China. Well China was having some Liqueur Pains, and they decided that the trouble with the Country was that the Officials of the Government was doing too much drinking. So they passed em an Attendance, just exactly the thousands years before Andy Volstead got his brilliant idea. So they passed it to keep the Officials from drinking, then nobody would be an Official, they would rather have the drink than the job.

He showed us Movies of that great Chinese wall. It was a good deal like the ones the Republicans erected last year by the Architects, Hawley and Reed Smoot. China wanted to keep out her enemies, and Smoot and Hawley wanted to keep out our friends, and also keep our stuff in.

We keep out everything, unless it is owned by some rich Americans that want to bring it in, then the tariff don't hold. Take oil for instance. You can't bring in wheat, corn, cotton, or any of those in competition with our own, but Oil, you can. You can bring it in from Venezuela, or any other place, and knock ours out. Why? Well that's because its owned by Americans who are richer and more influential than the ones that have Independent oil Companies over here, but no foreign oil.

Our Alabi is that "It is saving our Oil." That's just like shipping in foreign Autos, saying we want to save the ones we make, they might all wear out. But never mind that. That won't be changed as long as the Republicans stay in there, so we better just let that drop.

This Boy said that China along about two or three hundred A. D. (After Democrats) that China had the first League of Nations, that China was a lot of small Nations, and that they formed an exact League of Nations like the one that had the 14 points, and Lodge didn't like any of em. Well they decided that that would be a good way

to prevent war, they first got the two biggest ones to sign it, saying they wouldn't fight each other. But they didn't say that they wouldn't join together and fight somebody else, so that scared the little ones till they thought they had to join for protection, and they all met and made out a Covenant, and it worked for a little while till they all got back on their feet from the last war and got armed for the next one, then some Lawyer found a flaw in it, and his country, which was one of the original signers, and the big one, they went out and defended their honor against some small ones, till they took em over, and the breaking up of the League of Chinese Nations was the start of the Chinese Empire. The League worked fine till they found out that the only way you can annex more territory is not by purchase, but by war.

Now Morrow has gone over to Europe to tell England and France and Italy that the Treaty they made with each other is Null and void, as far as we are concerned. See a lawyer has found a flaw in it. So from what I hear folks say and what I read, it just looks like China had the original idea of about everything that we had ever done and thought it was now.

Photography was one of theirs, so they are really responsible for Hollywood Printing, Gunpowder, Kimonos, Palamas in the daytime, worn by both men and Women. This Boy says that must all the Revolutionary trouble over there starts in the Colleges among the Students. Well ours over here does too, but one good Cop with a Club can generally quell it.

Its funny how quick a College Boy can find out that the World is wrong. He might go out in the World from High School and live in it, and make a living it for years and thing it wasn't such a bad place, but let him go to College and he will be the first one down on the Square on May Day to shout down with the Government. Course not all of em, but there is getting more and more, but soon as they grow up and go out and if they happen to make anything why they blackslide, and he says it the same over there.

Well one great thing about China they don't bother nobody but themselves, they sure don't go off hunting trouble like all us "Civilized" Nations Commission some time (that goes all over the world to investigate everybody's business) and go see it.

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LEXINGTON NEWS

The Seniors of Lexington High School used last Friday as "Flunk" day at which time they motored to La Grande. These students were accompanied by their class sponsor, Miss Helen Falconer.

Mr and Mrs W. H. Padberg, of Clark's Canyon, were dinner guests in the S. S. Strodman home on Saturday.

A number of Lexington people attended church services in Ione, on Sunday afternoon. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Barnett, Mr. and O. J. Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hunt.

Miss Veda Bundy was up from Portland the first of the week for a short visit with her parents.

Miss Bundy has been taking commercial work at the Benke-Walker Business College in Portland. She returned to the city on Tuesday.

Mrs. Susie Gerring of Hermiston was a guest over the weekend in the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. J. Cox in this city.

On Sunday evening last Lexington citizens were startled by an alarm of fire. Many people rushed toward the spot from which the alarm came but discovered no cause for the siren. It was the work of mischief makers who had ridden in from some nearby section.

While endeavoring to repair his telephone line, Saturday, E. T. Hackett fell from a tree and sustained painful injuries about the back and limbs.

On Monday, R. H. Lane returned from Portland after taking a number of sacks of wool to that city.

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