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Miscellaneous.

French should keep out of Italian affairs. Giraud's appeal had a bad psychological effect.

At a Fascist meeting in Rome either Mussolini or Farinacci revealed existence of a secret clause in pact between Italy and Germany for reciprocal aid in the event of civil war.

25,000 workers were on strike at Fiat plant. Mussolini granted workers demands after five hours.

Mussolini making preparations for civil war. Mobilizing "squadri d'azione" (Fascists of the early days). New chief of police recently named, Chierici. Other changes have been made recently in the police.

German Consul at Davos, who escaped to Germany at the time the Swiss made a round-up in Davos, arrested in Germany for having allowed organization to be discovered. Strassmann²⁰⁰ (?), wife committed suicide.