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The crowd that turned out to see her do the perp walk easily outnumbered the reception that the city had held to welcome President Coolidge that same morning. Once Celia was finally arrested, the public learned about her grueling childhood and negligent mother.

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It is fascinating to learn how the various newspapers of differing political persuasions presented this story to their readers.

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According to the authors, she stood in for the era's anxieties about changing gender roles, her bob a symbol of liberated women.

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The real story to me is one of triumph over adversity.

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Savvy newspaper editors knew the story of a girl with a gun would sell; they christened Celia the Bobbed Hair Bandit and made her a star. Though they tried to flee, they were caught and returned to New York for a triumphant homecoming.

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The pled guilty, were sentenced to 10-20 years, served seven, and went straight afterwards.

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Almost as remarkable as the bravery of a desperate young woman is the fear and force with which the American class system defended itself and its contradictions. About the Author: Stephen Duncombe teaches politics and history of media and culture at the Gallatin School of New York University. The Bobbed Haired Bandit brings to life a world of great wealth and poverty, of Prohibition and class conflict.

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To progressives, she was an example of what happens when a community doesn't protect its children.

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