

## ONE-TWENTIETH OF LABOR ALIEN, WOOD DECLARES

'Pull Together as in War,' General Advises in Closing Speech in City.

### TRIBUTE PAID LEGION

Ninety-five per cent of American labor is loyal and the other five per cent is under alien leadership, Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, candidate for the republican nomination for the presidency, said in a speech before the Society of Actual Past Grand Masters, Free and Accepted Masons, at the Scottish Rite temple last night.

The speech before the Masonic organization was the third made by Gen. Wood during his one-day visit here. He had previously spoken at the Columbia club and at the Claypool hotel.

Charles J. Orban was toastmaster. J. E. Makin had charge of the banquet and seating arrangements.

"Labor must receive a living wage," Gen. Wood said, "a wage which, with thrift and industry, will enable him to lay aside something for a stormy day, to marry, to have a family and to give his children a chance in the world."

### USERS CO-OPERATION

FOR AMERICA FIRST.

"We have no serious difficulties," he continued. "There are a number of things to be considered. We want to pull together, we want the same kind of democracy that we had during the war, when the son of the millionaire and the son of the laborer, newcomer and native born, Jew and gentile, stood shoulder to shoulder stripped of all distinctions other than those which came from character, education, and physique, all animated by a common purpose—and that spirit now, a spirit of co-operation, a spirit to win, to put America first. We have got it. We simply want to get together and put things over."

"We want to get the strangle-hold of the excess profit tax and certain other taxes off the throat of business, because those taxes are paralyzing initiative at a time when we need it. We want to spread our business abroad over the world—our commerce and our trade."

"The great producing nations of central Europe are producing very little at the present time. We must protect American business when the time of production comes, protect all business which needs protecting; but now we have very little competition. We never had such an opportunity in all our national life to spread abroad our commerce as we have today. We have a singularly good opportunity to acquire a fine merchant fleet."

"I think as you look ahead you want to make up your mind about some kind of a military system which is purely



American, absolutely without any suggestion of German methods or Prussian methods. It wants to be an American system conducted on American lines, and it must be fairly effective.

"In other words, build up the army with the idea of maintaining the smallest possible number of men, living under arms as professional soldiers, and back of it the largest possible number of men who can become a potential army on short notice."

Gen. Wood reiterated Col. Roosevelt's policy to "Speak softly, but carry a big stick."

"We must protect Americans wherever they live, whether it be in Mexico or China; protect them against any oppression when they maintain themselves within the law of the land in which they reside," he said. "The world must understand that it can not injure American citizens with impunity. To permit it injures the standing of our government at home and abroad and gives the impression of timidity. A firm and dignified policy will prevent any actions which may lead to serious difficulty."

"President Roosevelt's statement in regard to our foreign policy was a good one—'Speak softly, but carry a big stick.' Be ready to defend our people and our interests against injustice. Not a dollar for ransom, but millions for rescue."

### ECONOMY IN BUDGET SYSTEM.

"We want a budget system in this country. It will tend to national economy, to a more efficient expenditure of the public funds. It is a rather important thing. We have got to economize and rigidly economize in national administration now, to try and get back on our feet again financially, to get this burden of taxation off."

"Then again we have our schools. We have all got to take more interest in them. Our teachers in colleges and schools are underpaid from one end of the country to the other. This teaching force in our universities and schools is doing a work second in importance to none that is being done in this country. Our country rests largely upon its public school system. We want to keep it up to the highest possible level of efficiency. These men and women who today are teaching the youth of this country, the children of our land, are forming the characters of the men and women of tomorrow. As they are taught today will they be thinking and acting tomorrow."

MOTION PICTURES.



The Bonniest Lassie of them all—

## MARY MACLAREN

In the Delightful Dramatic Novelty

## 'BONNIE-BONNIE LASSIE'

SUCH a thing as having some one offer you \$20,000,000 for stopping work seems beyond belief and you think they do it only in the "movies," but when you see bewitching Mary MacLaren in "BONNIE, BONNIE LASSIE" you'll not only agree it was worth every cent of \$20,000,000 to get the "Lassie," but more besides. Anyway you're in for a great evening when you see this play! It's slick, quick, happy, refined, highly entertaining—what more could you possibly ask for? Yes—

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In Bronson Howard's Dramatic Success

## Young Mrs. Winthrop

HANK MANN COMEDY  
TAD DOLAN'S ENTERTAINERS

It is a most dangerous situation to fall to give proper attention to the school system.

### IMPORTANCE OF NATION'S SCHOOLS.

"Our teaching force is fighting that silent battle against ignorance and prejudice upon the outcome of which depends in no small measure the stability of this republic. They know they are underpaid, and we know it. They are unhappy and discontented and a great many of the best men and women in the teaching force are leaving. They are going into other lines of endeavor. They feel they have a right to make the best use of their talents and to find a position where they can earn a reasonable return for their labors, where they can afford to have a little bit of pleasure, to marry, to raise a family and to give their children a reasonable opportunity."

Gen. Wood paid a compliment to the American legion, characterizing it as a great power for good government.

### PAYS TRIBUTE TO AMERICAN LEGION.

"And right in connection with all this trouble I want to say a good word for the American legion," he said. "I want to say a great many good words for it. It is the finest upstanding organization you can imagine: loyal American men who have offered their lives in the service of their country; respecters of law and order; a great force for good government; well worthy of your support. Every man who is eligible ought to go into it. It is a loyal organization."

"Out on the western coast when a lot of assassins fired into their, killing some of their number, and wounding others, what did they do? They had the power to have hanged them at once, but they did not. They put them in jail in an orderly manner without unnecessary force, and then they defended the jail against a mob which was trying to take the men out and hang them."

"That is precisely good stuff. That speaks for discipline, a force for law and order. It is going to be a great power for good government."

## INSURANCE TAX TO BE ENFORCED

Sums Long Due Under Reciprocal Law Demanded.

Steps to collect \$65,037.68 in back taxes from thirty-four insurance companies will be taken immediately, it was said at the office of the state board of accounts today. Delinquent companies failed to make payments to the state under the reciprocal insurance law, the board alleges. Some charges date from 1888.

More than \$25,000 in back taxes has been paid to the state since the discovery in 1917 that state auditors had not been enforcing the reciprocal insurance law. Court action will be taken against all delinquents if they do not effect settlements at once, Jesse Eschbach, chief examiner of the board, said.

Only one Indiana company, the Income Guaranty Company of South Bend, is named in the charges. This company owes the state \$381.47, it is charged.

### Enter Ogden Street Home, Seize Still

What the police describe as the best equipped still they have seen is on exhibition at police headquarters today.

Herbert Pipe, 30, negro, 527 Ogden street, is under arrest on the charge of operating a blind tiger. The arrest was made by Sergt. Dean and a squad of police after a raid on the Ogden street house. The police were accompanied by federal officers.

When the officers entered Pipes home they found him making "moonshine." The still included a copper coil, two tanks, a condenser, two crocks of mash and other utensils.

MOTION PICTURES.

The New Art Film Company presents

# DOROTHY GISH

in

## "MARY ELLEN COMES TO TOWN"

RED INK

She was tired of being the only "live one" in a village of sleep-walkers. Tired of watching the trains whiz by with other folks going somewhere to do something—so Mary Ellen came to town—New York—and tried her arts on the Great White Way.

**Alhambra** FIRST HALF NEXT WEEK  
CHRISTY COMEDY—FOX NEWS

## Park Your Coat?

CLEVELAND, March 12.—The question is whether you prefer handing a dime to a pretty girl or slipping a jitney in a slot.

At any rate one of the interesting



devices that will be shown at the hotel men's show at the coliseum here the week of May 10 will be a machine that automatically locks up hats, coats and umbrellas, doing away with the aproned attendant.

## County's World War Veterans Back Bonus

United States Senators Harry S. New and James E. Watson and Representative Merrill Moores were today in receipt of telegrams from Harry C. Bower of the national executive committee of the World War Veterans, urging them to support a measure giving a bonus of \$500 to honorably discharged service men and women.

As a result of a meeting held here last night by representatives of all parts of the World War Veterans in Marion county the following telegram was sent to Indiana representatives at Washington:

"Marion County World War Veterans, representing 1,500 former service men, unanimously pass resolutions in endorsement of \$500 bonus to honorably discharged service men and women at special meeting tonight. Letters containing resolution follow."

## PAPERS PLEASE COPY.

NEWARK, March 13.—A wild cow caused commotion here. The cow roamed Newark streets for twenty-four hours. Police reserves failed in three campaigns to round up bossy. She broke loose

after they had lassoed her with chains on the fourth attempt and was last seen leaving town.

INDIANS, TAKE WARNING.

CHICAGO, March 13.—Two cowboys, Paul Leone, 13, and his brother, Edward, 11, are on their way to Colorado to exterminate redskins. They left the other night with pancake flour and a rifle. The police are looking for them. They forgot to say goodbye to their mother.

MOTION PICTURES.

She Wondered if she had lost his love—and why?

—wondered if Marriage killed Love?

He had wooed and wed her, he a dominant man in body and brain; she a fragile flower in the garden of life. Yet things changed so soon! She wondered if he considered her one of "the inferior sex." If so, why? There were so many kinds and types of men and women in the world—and so often the great strength of the man was ruled by the subtle power of woman—she wondered which was "The Inferior Sex."

A Mighty Interesting Picture—and a Charming Star.

MACK SENNETT'S  
"Satire in Overalls,"  
"GEE WHIZ"

Charlie Murray, Harriett Hammond and other "Sunset" funmakers in a hilarious burlesque.

Singing "My Little Gipsy Sweetheart," and other songs.  
The Favorite Basses.  
GERALD GARDNER.  
Zimmerer Stage Decoration

The Circle of News  
THE CIRCLE ORCHESTRA,  
Ernest Schmidt, Conducting

ALL WEEK, STARTING SUNDAY

The Circle  
SHRINE OF THE SILENT ART

SMITH'S THEATRE

## CHARLIE CHAPLIN

—IN—

## "The Count"

Pauline Frederick

—IN—

## The Palister Case

ALL WEEK Starting Sunday

ZANE GREY'S Great Story

## The BORDER LEGION

Starring  
BLANCHE BATES  
and  
HOBART BOSWORTH

A melodrama of the lawless west in the days of '49

A daring girl tames a man-killer of the plains.

REGENT ALL WEEK

SNUB POLLARD  
in the Gloom Destroyer  
FRESH PAINT

PICK OF THE PICTURES ALL NEXT WEEK

## COLONIAL

MUSIC THAT CHARM

# Bert Lytell

In the Soul-Stirring Romantic Drama of the Canadian Northland,

## The Right of Way

Filmed From the Celebrated Novel by SIR GILBERT PARKER

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The Unusual in Musical Entertainment  
AMERICAN HARMONISTS

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