

# ROOF GARDEN

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**WANTS TO KNOW**

**ABOUT LEGION**

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consider that he cannot be a loyal member of each at the same time. In joining the American Legion he is not obligated to take up arms at any time. The legion is composed of ex-service men, and is in no sense organized for military service of any kind. No officer of the legion has the right to "order out" any legionnaire, and he'd get the horse-laugh if he tried it.

As a private citizen, a member of the American legion may also be a deputy sheriff, a constable, a chief of police or other officer of the law. He cannot be an army officer and a member of the legion at the same time. As individuals, members of the Legion have the same rights as members of labor unions.

What the Legion stands for may best be seen in the preamble to the constitution of the organization:

"For God and Country, we associate ourselves together for the following purposes: To uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America; to maintain law and order; to foster and perpetuate a one hundred per cent Americanism; to preserve the memories and incidents of our association in the Great World War; to inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation; to combat the autocracy of both the classes and the masses; to make right the master of might; to promote peace and good will on earth; to safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy; to conserve and sanctify our comradeship by our devotion to mutual helpfulness."

It is regrettable, but true, that there are some fool legionnaires, just as some union men are chumps.

Some legionnaires fly off the handle and go wild, just as in time of strike some union men may resort to dynamite when their comrades are against it. The Legion as a whole can hardly be held responsible for the acts of a few irresponsible members or posts, or the unions for the mouthings or actions of a few ultra-radicals.

In this connection, the American Legion Weekly has the following to say:

"Several months ago wide circulation was given news dispatches chronicling the activities of a few scattered Legion Posts, or groups of men acting in the name of the Legion, which had overstepped the grounds of proper conduct in the treatment of so-called radicals. There were a scant half score of Posts involved, yet for the time being they commanded as much space in the newspapers, probably, and attracted as much attention as all the rest of the 9,000 odd Posts of the Legion combined. It was inevitable that the circulation of these dispatches should leave in the minds of the public, and in the minds of some newspaper editors, the impression that The American Legion was an organization which had taken upon itself the censorship of speech and social activity and would if necessary resort to militancy to enforce its policy. It was inevitable that thereafter the name of the Legion should be linked with further similar instances. And it was inevitable that the enemies of The American Legion should seize the golden opportunity and systematically spread the propaganda that the Legion was a hide-bound, conservative organization intolerant of new or progressive social ideas of any sort. The Legion still is suffering from the impression thus created.

"National headquarters of the

Legion tried strenuously to counteract the effect of this wave of publicity. It explained that the much heralded acts of the few offending Posts did not represent the attitude of the entire Legion and that these acts were disapproved and regretted by the organization as a whole. But explanations never entirely accomplished their purpose. The harm had been done, and it could not be immediately repaired. Since then

the Legion has been doing penance for the many-times-magnified sins of a few of its members."

As life becomes more complicated

the need of self-insuring garments becomes increasingly apparent.

It is reported that four of the emperor's nephews have gone to work.

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