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There is no room in America for I. W. Ws, Bolshevists or any other man or organization whose teachings are designed to undermine or overthrow our government. Advocacy of any such doctrine is treason pure and simple and should be dealt with on that basis. Arizona has had her share of trouble from this source in the past and conditions developed to a point where the people of certain localities took the matter for settlement into their own hands, the deportations from Bisbee for which over one hundred citizens are now being prosecuted in Cochise county, being the result. I am not a believer in direct action in the common acceptance of that term feeling that by resort to it any cause, regardless of its merits is thereby weakened. Doubtless innocent men were included in that now famous human drive, resulting in grave injustice in instances, but it had the effect of giving notice to the world that Arizona would not tolerate this kind of human ilk. The evil was not wholly stamped out at that time and neither is it today, the forces of destruction still devoting their misdirected energies to their unholy task.

For four years I have told the people of this State from platform and in the press what my attitude is toward these agents of destruction. An effort to secure the passage of a bill by the Fourth State Legislature defining criminal syndicalism and providing severe penalties for its practice, proved futile. However it had the effect of giving notice to the I. W. W. that Arizona was not a healthy place for the organization or its members while I was governor, and nearly eleven months of this year have passed without scarcely a ripple disturbing the placid surface of the industrial situation. I trust that my views are so well known within the

State, at least, on this question so there could be no doubt as to what my action would be, should occasion require executive initiative. As the wobbly movement is national in scope and strikes at the vitals of our federal government measures for its extermination should have their inception from that source. The government is provided with the necessary machinery and it should be put in motion at once, the States, counties and cities extending co-operation in the fullest measure. In this way a campaign, short but successful, could be inaugurated. The less publicity attendant upon it, the better, as free advertising is meat and drink to these disciples of destruction.

At one time I advocated the deportation of these enemies of society, but later developments have convinced me that such a measure is not sufficiently stringent or effective. The fate of a traitor is none too good for any man who plots treason against our institutions and who aims by violence to destroy the established order of things. Once this policy is put into effect and its meaning made apparent by proper action, I am confident that the canker of Bolshevism will no longer be enumerated among the ills of our body politic.

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