

# Selling the War to the American Public

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**Image** "Work or Go to Jail"

**WORK OR  
GO TO JAIL**

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**Farmers Cry For Help  
Mills Need Men**

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Law defines loafers and  
idlers as vagrants

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Sheriff and Police instructed  
to arrest all idlers

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**Penalty---3 months at hard labor**

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**Langlade County Council of Defense**

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