

30-HOUR WORK WEEK BILL NEAR PASSAGE IN SENATE; FINAL VOTE LIKELY TODAY

Senator Black Denies Danger of Wage Cuts
if Measure Becomes Law; Pay Control Plan Is Discussed.

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WASHINGTON, April 5.—The senate may adopt the thirty-hour work week bill before night. By unanimous consent debate is limited after 2 o'clock today and Senator Hugo Black (Dem., Ala.) hopes for a final vote before recess or adjournment.

Several amendments will be voted on before then, one to make the legislation permanent instead of a two-year emergency measure, one to exempt newspaper and periodicals from its provisions, and a third to raise the work limit from thirty to thirty-five hours a week.

A companion bill, to prevent reduction of wages when hours are reduced, may be presented as a result of growing alarm among senators that this result will follow.

Senator William E. Borah (Rep., Ida.), who favors the short work week as a permanent measure rather than an emergency one, expressed a belief that congress may bar from interstate commerce goods produced on less than a stipulated wage scale, if it may limit the length of the working week.

Amendment to Constitution
Senator Black, who does not admit the danger of wage reductions as a result of his bill, said, nevertheless, that he would like to have a wage-control measure passed on by the supreme court.

Meanwhile, in the house of representatives, Representative Paul Kvale (F.-L., Minn.) has offered an amendment to the Constitution specifically granting to congress power to regulate the production and marketing of commodities during an emergency, to prescribe minimum wages for labor and maximum hours of labor.

In the absence of such an amendment members of congress are far from confident that the supreme court will find the thirty-hour week constitutional.

Denies Wage Cut Peril
To contentions that the bill will cause wage cuts, Senator Black answers that it will not, since all competitors will be in the same position.

"If it does not cut wages, then it will increase the labor cost of manufactured articles 33 per cent," said Senator David Reed (Rep., Pa.).

"I sincerely hope I will," Black replied. Reed argued that this would cause serious hardship to the farmers whose buying power the administration is trying to revive with the farm bill.

Senator Black believes also that his bill would not limit newspapers to a five-day week, but a number of other senators believe it would do so. An amendment by Senator Millard Tydings (Dem., Md.), to specifically exempt newspapers and periodicals now is pending before the senate, and will be voted on early today.

Miss Perkins Favors Bill
An amendment exempting plants canning perishable foods already has been adopted. Exemption of skilled labor at discretion of the secretary of labor will be proposed today.

With the bill moving so rapidly through the senate, Representative Connery (Dem., Mass.), who sponsored a similar bill last year in the house, hastily reintroduced it this week, and secured a favorable report from his labor committee. However, Speaker Rainey has no plans at present for bringing the measure to the floor of the house for a vote.

Labor Secretary Perkins has declared in favor of the thirty-hour week, but President Roosevelt's views are now known.

LEAPS IN CANAL, THEN DECIDES TO STAY ALIVE

Grabs Bridge Projection, Shouts for Help; He's Rescued.

Life, even without a job, is not so bitter, Edward Hopkins, 37, of 843 North Wallace street, decided Tuesday night after leaping into the canal near the North street bridge.

Swept to the bridge, Hopkins, who could not swim, grabbed a projection and yelled for help. Where he was clinging the clearance between the water and bridge is only six inches.

Roy Whitis, 3652 West Michigan street, was first to hear Hopkins. A police rescue squad, a fire department rescue squad and three police patrol squads appeared.

Hopkins was rescued after a rope had been passed to him by Robert Craig, 24, Negro.

Treatment for shock and exposure was given Hopkins at city hospital. Police said he stated he desired to end his life because he had been without employment for a long period.

Surgeon to Give Lecture

Dr. Crist M. Stoyoff, senior surgeon of St. Mary's hospital, Gary, Ind., will give a lecture on Soviet Russia at the Athenaeum at 8 P. M. Friday under auspices of Indianapolis steamship and tourist agencies. He was a resident of Russia prior to the revolution.

Gone, but Not Forgotten

Automobiles reported to police as stolen belong to:
The Commission Sales Company, 1030 North Pennsylvania street, Ford coupe, M-468, from Pennsylvania and Ohio streets.
Mrs. S. R. Snyder, 3226 East Emerson avenue, Ford coupe, 28-408, from 2522 North Emerson avenue.
Wills Sylvester, R. 5, Noblesville, Ind., Chevrolet coach, from Shelby and Prospect streets.

BACK HOME AGAIN

Stolen automobiles recovered by police belong to:
Emmett Hogle 41, 1126 North Illinois street, De Soto sedan, found on Monument Circle.
H. P. Welland, 2639 Northwestern avenue, Buick sedan, found at Norwood and Meridian streets.

Ernest R. Hadley, 223 North Gray street, Ford coupe, found at 12444 East Washington street.
E. M. Herdin, 526 North LaSalle street, Willys-Knight sedan, found at Ninth and Dearborn streets.

Used Car Exchange, 962 North Meridian street, Cadillac sedan, found in rear of 2716 East Michigan street.
Henry A. White, 529 East Ninth street, Ford coupe, found in front of 529 East Ninth street.

NAZIS WAR ON ATROCITY TALES

Incisive Steps Are Taken to Prevent Further Spread of False Reports.

By United Press
BERLIN, April 5.—The Nazi government, abandoning for the present renewal of the anti-Semitic boycott, took incisive steps today to prevent further spread of false reports of German conditions abroad.

The British consulate investigated the arrest of two British subjects charged with spreading false German news abroad.

The men, Geoffrey Frazer, correspondent of the Transocean News Agency, and T. Corder Catchpool, social worker, were taken to police headquarters while their flat was searched. It was alleged that writings misrepresenting recent German events were found. Catchpool was released Tuesday night, but Frazer remained in custody.

Meanwhile, the ministry of the interior issued regulations for withholding visas from travelers suspected of planning activity abroad detrimental to the reich, or of planning to spread false reports, violate the foreign exchange laws, or evade taxes.

The cabinet adopted a law setting the death penalty for several types of terrorism, including dynamiting or firing of public buildings and damaging railroads.

The cabinet adopted a law prohibiting the slaughter of meat by the kosher method throughout Germany.

The City in Brief

THURSDAY EVENTS

Advertising Club, luncheon, Columbia Club.
Engineering Society, luncheon, Board of Trade.
Sigma Chi, luncheon, Board of Trade.
Shrine Caravan Club, luncheon, Murat temple.
Aradia, luncheon, Harrison.
American Business Club, luncheon, Columbia Club.
Blind Club, luncheon, Columbia Club.
Real Estate Board, luncheon, Washington.
Sigma Xi, luncheon, Washington.
Smoke Abatement League, luncheon, Washington.

Topic of James A. Collins, former county criminal judge, when he addresses the police education committee at a meeting at the Washington Thursday night will be "The Cost of Crime."

Speakers today at the Junior of Commerce luncheon in the Columbia Club were Dr. Edward T. Thompson, administrator of Indiana university hospitals, and Dr. Frederick Henshaw, dean of the university hospitals, and Dr. Frederick Henshaw, dean of the university's dental college.

The United States civil service commission announced today applications will be received until April 25 for the position of transportation rate clerk to fill a vacancy in the bureau of supplies and accounts, navy department, Washington.

Socialite program tonight at the Central Y. M. C. A. will include a play by the "Phantoms of the Drama Club," directed by Miss Betty Jo Kaburick, a dialogue by Miss Kaburick and William G. Thomas, and music by the Centenary Christian church orchestra.

J. W. Martin, Indianapolis contractor, will give an address on "Federal Unemployment Relief" at the weekly luncheon of the Indianapolis Engineering Society in the Board of Trade building Thursday noon.

BARTER AID PROVIDED BY NEW RELIEF BILL

300 Organizations Throughout U. S. May Be Given Help.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Assistance for scrip and barter organizations developed in many states to help the unemployed is contained in the Cogan-La Follette-Wagner direct relief bill adopted by the senate and pending before the house.

The bill provides that the federal emergency relief administrator created by the act may aid in assisting "co-operative and self-help associations for the barter of goods and services."

The desirability of including relief for these groups, where merited, was brought to the attention of the sponsors of the bill by Ernest Chamberlain, organizer of the Self-Help Exchange of Oklahoma City, where work is being supplied to more than 200 people who are paid in scrip redeemable at a community exchange.

Robbed By "Moocher"
Denied money he begged for a "feed," a Negro drew a razor and robbed him of \$4.50 Tuesday night at Capitol avenue and Market street, according to a report to police by Paul Caudell, 34, of 1626 Holliday street.

Suffers Injuries in Fall
Slight hemorrhage and cuts on the head were incurred Tuesday by Joseph E. Bennett, 50, of 1502 East Tabor street, when he fell as he stepped from the curb in the 800 block South East street.

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Women's Spring MILLINERY Values to \$1.50. New spring styles. All headpieces. 49c Second Floor	Only 100 Women's Rayon DRESSES New 1933 spring styles in all sizes— 77c Regular \$1.95 Values Second Floor	Regular \$2.95 New Spring Silk DRESSES Rayon crepes included. Beautiful new spring styles in all sizes. Only while 175 will last. \$1.49 Second Floor	Women's Wash FROCKS Values to 50c. Fast colors. New styles and colors. All sizes 14 to 44. 25c Second Floor	Values to \$10.00 Women's Spring COATS Tweed and crepes in women's and misses' sizes. \$3.97 Second Floor	Women's Full-Fashioned HOSE Sizes 8 1/2 to 19. Thread silk and service weight hose. New spring shades. Irreg. Pair— 29c Main Floor
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Men's Union Suits Nainsooks, broadcloths and bathrigs, in all sizes. Soiled. Values to 79c. Pair 25c Main Floor	Men's Rayon Hose First quality fancy rayon plaited hose. Sizes 10 to 12. 7 1/2c Main Floor	Men's 19c to 29c Neckwear Spring rayons and silks. In new assorted patterns. 9c and 15c Main Floor	Men's Dress Shirts All sizes, 14 to 17. Plain and printed broadcloths. A sensational value. 39c Main Floor	PAINTS "Master Builder" brand. For inside and outside use. All colors and white. Guaranteed. Gallon— 89c Second Floor	WINDOW SHADES "Shadmore" brand. Will not crack or fade. Green, tan and white. While they last, Each— 5c Main Floor
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Men's \$2.49 Dress Oxfords Black calfskin, with oak or composition soles and rubber heels. Goodyear welts. All sizes— \$1.29 Main Floor	Boys' \$1.50 Oxfords Black leather with composition soles and rubber heels. Sizes 1 to 6. 99c Main Floor	Men's, Boys', Girls' Genuine 'Keds' Shoes, Oxfords And other brands included. In black, white and brown. Sizes 11 to 2 1/2. Trimmed to 8. Pair— 29c Main Floor	Values to \$1.95 Women's Shoes Novelty pumps, straps, ties and oxfords. Whoever heard of such a value just before Easter. All sizes, 5 to 8. Pr. 97c Main Floor	\$3.00 Men's POLICE SHOES Composition soles and rubber heels. Built-in steel arch supports. Pair, only— \$1.69 Main Floor	Boys' and Girls' Straps-Oxfords In Smoked Elk, patent leather and zunnmetal. Sizes 8 1/2 to 2. 79c Second Floor

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