

WHITE COLLAR WORKER TO GO ON SHORT WEEK

Voluntary Plan Is Aimed at Boosting Buying Power of Office Employees.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.—The national recovery administration's plan for a voluntary and blanket agreement of employers to raise wages and shorter working hours is aimed particularly at increasing the purchasing power of the "white collar" classes, it was learned today.

Administrator Hugh S. Johnson has put the plan into virtually final form. Its announcement awaits only formal approval of President Roosevelt. Johnson said he expected to place it before the President today or tomorrow.

Details of the program were closely guarded, but the United Press learned that it proposes:

1. A maximum work week of thirty-five hours, with exemptions where injuries would be done, throughout industry. There would be a minimum wage of 40 cents an hour for unskilled workers except in industries which were paying less than 25¢ in 1929.

2. A maximum work week of forty hours for office workers—the "white collar" classes—with a minimum wage of \$15 a week.

3. That the effective date be set about three weeks ahead, possibly Aug. 14.

4. That the broad aims of the program be directed at restoring 1929 purchasing power.

BRIDGE CONTRACTS LET

40-Foot Paving Job Is Given to Hammond Concern.

Contracts for three bridges and one for road construction were awarded Wednesday by the state highway commission as follows:

Bridge on Road 1 near Cambridge City, to John Benefiel, Versailles, \$2,155.55.

Bridge on Road 36, near Lynn, to E. R. Brown, Bradford, O., \$4,303.25.

Bridge on Road 56, near Brooksburg, to E. R. Campbell, Sandborne, \$11,267.26.

Forty-foot paving of Road 12, from Michigan City northeast three miles, to A. Z. Proudfit Construction Company, Hammond, \$67,659.52.

Radio Dial Twisters

WFBB (1230) Indianapolis (Indianapolis Power and Light Company)

THURSDAY

5:30	Frank Westphal orchestra (CBS).
6:00	Sam and Carl (CBS).
6:15	Music City review (CBS).
6:30	Rhythm Rascals (CBS).
6:45	Ver Van (CBS).
7:00	Wayfaring Men (CBS).
7:15	Music in the Park (CBS).
7:30	Mark Warnow orchestra (CBS).
7:45	Invitation to Worlds Fair (CBS).
8:00	Music in the Park (CBS).
8:15	Tony Guitars (CBS).
8:30	Modern male chorus (CBS).
8:45	Phil Regan (CBS).
9:00	Latin Bebaco orchestra (CBS).
10:00	Ozzie Nelson orchestra (CBS).

Fishing the Air

Mario Cozzi, young baritone, who made his debut in the famous La Scala Concert Foothills program, Thursday at 8:15 p. m. over WENR and an NBC network.

A true story in dramatic form concerning the intrigues which preceded in 1929 the famous "La Scala" concert will be presented by the Road Reporter over the WABC-Columbia network Thursday from 5:30 to 5:45 p. m.

Current popular numbers will occupy the entire program to be presented by the NBC network, originating from the WABC Coast, in her broadcast over WFBM and the Columbia network Thursday at 6:45 p. m.

HIGH SPOTS OF THURSDAY NIGHT'S PROGRAM

5:45—NBC (WJZ)—Tune detective, Sigmar Spaeth.

6:00—NBC (WEAF)—Vallee's orchestra; guests.

6:45—NBC (WJZ)—Floyd Gibbons' radio reporter.

7:00—NBC (WJZ)—Death Valley days drama; NBC (WEAF)—Show boat.

7:15—Columbia—Presenting Mark Warnow.

7:30—NBC (WJZ)—Wayne King and his orchestra.

7:45—Columbia—World's fair invitation.

8:00—NBC (WJZ)—Goldman band concert.

8:15—Columbia—John Henry Black River Giant.

9:15—NBC (WJZ)—Starts of the Summer Planet talk.

9:30—NBC (WJZ)—U. S. Army band.

The true story of a woman hermit who lived in a deserted canyon guarding what she thought to be a rich gold mine will be told in the Death Valley Days program, Thursday at 7 p. m. over WLW and an NBC network.

The famous aria, "Connais-tu le pas?" from Thomas' "Mignon," will be sung by Maude Rooney, operatic contralto, when she appears as soloist with Howard Barlow and the Columbia Symphony orchestra, Thursday, from 8:45 to 9:15 p. m. over WFBM and the Columbia network.

The sensational song hit, "Blue Premium," composed by Joe Bishop, musician with Isham Jones' orchestra, will be sung by Phil Regan, tenor, with the rest of the ensemble over WFBM and the Columbia network, Thursday at 9:15 p. m.

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KOCH—60 Bass		35.00

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BACON—Plectrum	55.00	
BACON—Tenor	\$200.00	110.00
PARAMOUNT—Tenor	60.00	

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	WAS	NOW
EPHPHONE—Brand new	\$35.00	\$27.50
GIBSON—Tenor, with case	32.50	22.50
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• TRUMPETS •

	WAS	NOW
MARTIN—Gold, used	\$185.00	\$90.00
INDIANA—Silver, used	75.00	40.00
CONN—Silver, new	100.00	75.00
CONN—Gold, used	175.00	49.50

• CLARINETS •

	WAS	NOW
BUESCHER—Silver, 17-7, used	\$135.00	\$57.50
SELMER—Wood, 17-7, used	154.00	60.00
PEDLER—17-6, used	50.00	23.50

• TROMBONES •

	WAS	NOW
MARTIN—New, silver	\$110.00	\$62.50
HOLTON—New, silver	125.00	67.50
WALLACE—New, brass	120.00	60.00

• ALTO SAXOPHONES •

	WAS	NOW
MARTIN—Silver	\$150.00	\$75.00
CONN—Gold, new	250.00	137.50
BUESCHER—Silver, used	147.50	62.50
KORIAT—Gold		63.50
BUESCHER—Brass, used	115.00	52.50

• TENOR SAXOPHONES •

	WAS	NOW
BUESCHER—Silver, new	\$178.00	\$112.50
MARTIN—Gold	225.00	98.50

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NEW DRIVE ON 'STRONG DRINK' WAITS REPEAL

Business Men's Prohibition Foundation to Fight Alcoholic Beverages.

By United Press

CHICAGO, July 20.—Repeal of prohibition by thirty-six states will be the signal for a renewed battle against alcoholic beverages, a statement issued here today by the American Business Men's Prohibition Foundation said.

It predicted a revolt against repeal when "pre-prohibition nuisances" return.

The foundation listed three reasons for the repeal victories in eighteen consecutive states:

Extensive propaganda by wet interests.

Action of the administration in endorsing repeal.

Failure of drys to sufficiently stress social aspects of prohibition.

BEER ARRESTS ORDERED

Porter County Sheriff Told by Lutz to Continue Action.