

# LABOR DRAFTS PLANK SEEKING 30-HOUR WEEK

Protection of Bargaining  
Right Listed Among  
Objectives.

By United Press  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2.—Against the militant background laid down by its leadership, organized labor today mapped its major objectives—the thirty-hour working week and the protection of its right of collective bargaining—in the second day of the American Federation of Labor convention.

Most of the work was being done in committee as the leaders probed the sentiment of the 433 delegates regarding the fighting program offered by President William F. Green in the opening session.

The convention itself set an example it hopes industry will follow by putting its sessions on the basis of a six-hour day and a five-day week.

Spotlight of today's session centered on the important resolutions committee, headed by Matthew Woll, vice-president, and including the powerful miners' leader, John L. Lewis.

From his committee will flow the resolutions which will be labor's pledges and labor's chart for the coming year. With the deadline on submission of resolutions set for midnight tonight the committee was flooded with proposals, some from the conservative elements, many from the "left wing" group which is organizing with the federation.

While the routine work of reports and speeches proceeded in the flag-draped auditorium the leadership sought to patch the one main dispute within the organization—the schism in the building trades department.

"The problem is not insurmountable," said Frank Morrison, federation secretary.

Another internal problem fronting the leadership was the activity of the "rank and file" group. In a well-attended meeting last night the so-called "left wing" formulated a program, particularly condemning President Green's attitude toward the San Francisco general strike and condemning also the use of injunctions, the use of troops in labor disturbances, war, Fascism and labor racketeering.

**POISON SENT TO JAIL KILLS INNOCENT VICTIM**

Two Others in Critical Condition After Eating Sandwiches.

By United Press  
CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—Poison took the underworld's toll for a "double cross" today, but it was an innocent man who died. The intended victim was safe, though ill, in a county jail cell.

Two other jail prisoners were in critical condition.

The poison was sent in a package of sandwiches, ostensibly from his sister, to Harold Clifford, one of four men indicted for the shooting six weeks ago of Constable John Griffin of Bellwood.

No hungry himself, Clifford passed the food to three cellmates. Two hours later Nick Ginarsi, Fred Woods and Rocco Pisano became violently ill. Pisano died in the county hospital early today.

**GROCERS WILL CHARGE FOR CASHING CHECKS**

Fee System Is Adopted by Retail Association Members.

A fee system for cashing checks has been adopted by members of Indianapolis Retail Meat and Grocers Association, it was disclosed today by Fred W. Steinberger, president.

Checks from \$1 to \$50 will cost five cents; \$50 to \$100, ten cents and more than \$100, fifteen cents.

All grocers have been invited to meet the state association directors to prepare plans for the annual convention of the National Association of Retail Grocers to be held here next spring.

**JORDAN CONSERVATORY TO OPEN EXTENSION**

Classes to Be Conducted in Louisville by City Instructors.

Opening of an extension center by the Arthur Jordan Conservatory of Music at Louisville, Ky., has been announced by Max T. Krone, director, and Mrs. Blanche Harrington, business executive. The center will offer class work and private lessons in organ and piano in Louisville each Saturday.

Staff members who will go to Louisville for the classes are Donald C. Gilley, head of the organ department, and Mr. Krone. Frederick Cowles, Louisville pianist, will have charge of piano classes.

**Gone, but Not Forgotten**

Automobiles reported to police as stolen belong to:  
A. Meister, Anderson, Ind. Studebaker sedan, 375-695, from Anderson.  
R. W. Cook, 323 South Audubon road, Fort coach, 337-715, from driver at home.  
George C. Baile, R. 3, Box 8, Winton, Ohio, 1317, from 1830 East Washington street.  
Jessie L. Lemire, 40 North New Jersey street, sedan, 47-815, from in front of home.  
Ben L. Linn, 1129 East Nineteenth street, Buick sedan, 3-884, from Nineteenth street and Martindale avenue.  
Charles D. Dabbs, 1116 Calhoun street, Chevrolet coach, 24-984, from 1000 Shelby street.

**BACK HOME AGAIN**

Stolen automobiles recovered by police belong to:  
P. Lowe, 24 North Keystone avenue, Dodge coach, found at Reister and Wyoming streets, stripped of an electric fan, rear window, and front door.  
A. W. Kahn, 3310 North Pennsylvania street, DeSoto sedan, found at Mt. Madison.  
E. S. Conner, 3208 North Capital avenue, Plymouth sedan, 1936, from 1830 East Washington street, stripped of five wheels, five tires and top.  
Dallas Sparks, Lapel, Ind. Ford coach, found in front of 710 Daily street.

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## Indiana in Brief

By Times Special

LOOMINGTON, Oct. 2.—Four American Federation of Labor unions today count among their members 7,100 men employed in the Indiana limestone belt, composed of Monroe and Lawrence counties.

This number, stone company officials state, represent 90 per cent of the total of workers employed in normal times.

Thirty-one stone operators and officials of the unions have signed contracts, which among other things, provide for a closed shop throughout the stone belt; hours of work as stipulated in the NRA code for the industry; ban work on Sunday, and on seven specified holidays each year; prevent reduction of wages through shifting of workers and sets up machinery intended to minimize the possibility of strikes.

With the exception of wage scales, which may be subject to negotiations on Feb. 1, 1935, the contract is to remain in force until Feb. 1, 1936.

### College to Celebrate

By Times Special

FRANKLIN, Oct. 2.—Centennial of the founding of Franklin college will be observed the week of Oct. 14 to 20, with the principal program set for Wednesday, Oct. 17.

Fraternities and sororities are planning to hold reunions on Wednesday. There will be a centennial convocation in the chapel at 10 a. m. to open the activities. Another convocation will be held at 1:30. The annual Franklin-Ball State football game also is scheduled for the afternoon. The centennial banquet will be held at 5:45.

### Thieves Husk Corn

By Times Special

SHERIDAN, Oct. 2.—Corn thieves are beginning work early this fall, according to complaints of farmers to Hamilton county officials. Instead of waiting until corn is harvested and placed in cribs, the thieves are invading fields and doing their own husking. Among losers to the thieves have been Mrs. Jane Kercheval and Gerstel Dell.

### Postmaster Sued

By Times Special

BLOOMINGTON, Oct. 2.—Blythe Bowman, Smithville postmaster and merchant, is defendant in a divorce suit filed in Monroe Circuit court here by Mrs. Alice V. Bowman, mother of a son born seven months ago.

Mrs. Bowman alleges her husband failed to provide her with a proper home. She alleges her husband and his mother occupied rooms above his store, but that she was forced to live in a shed attached to the store.

### Industry May Get Aid

By Times Special

KOKOMO, Oct. 2.—Statement by Kokomo Chamber of Commerce spokesmen that an effort is being made to obtain a federal loan for the D. C. Jenkins Glass Company, has resulted in postponement for thirty days of a receivership hearing in Hamilton circuit court at Noblesville.

Announcement of the postponement was made following a conference here attended by a chamber committee and representatives of the company's bondholders. The company has plants here and at Arcadia.

### Faces Assault Charge

By Times Special

MUNCIE, Oct. 2.—Earl Simmerman, 35, Eaton, accused of inflicting a gunshot wound which caused his brother, Ralph, to lose a leg, will go on trial tomorrow in Delaware Circuit court here on a charge of assault and battery with intent to murder.

The accused is said to have ran amuck on July 15 when he became angered because Ralph turned off a radio in the Simmerman home. Besides shooting his brother, Earl is accused of stabbing his father, Jacob Simmerman, and shooting a neighbor, Lorin Haynes.

Petition to have the defendant committed to the state epileptic colony is on file, but Circuit Judge L. A. Guthrie has withheld ruling pending outcome of the trial on the criminal charge.

### Sprees Costs \$100

By Times Special

BLOOMINGTON, Oct. 2.—Convicted on an intoxication charge in city court, Jasper Dixon, former railroad brakeman, was fined \$100 and sentenced to the state penal

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