

ITU Supports Chieftain In Policy Issue

OAKLAND Calif. Aug. 17 (AP)—Leaders of the International Typographical union proposed today to tighten its work contract policy.

Target of the prospective action at the current 91st convention was the so-called "memorandum contract." Some ITU locals recently signed such agreements with employers. They drew rebukes by the ITU executive council.

President Woodruff Randolph referred to contract deviations in floor debate yesterday as an attempt to knock over the union's basic policy for dealing with employers.

Delegates drowned out a St. Louis resolution for a policy change with a resounding vote. There were no dissenting votes to adoption of a committee report spiking the resolution. The action backed Randolph's two-year fight against certain employers and the Taft-Hartley act.

St. Louis members called for outright repeal of the bargaining formula as outdated and unsuccessful in maintaining harmony. Randolph, after referring to the 21-month ITU strike against Chicago newspapers and disputes elsewhere warned that to abandon it would mean "complete surrender."

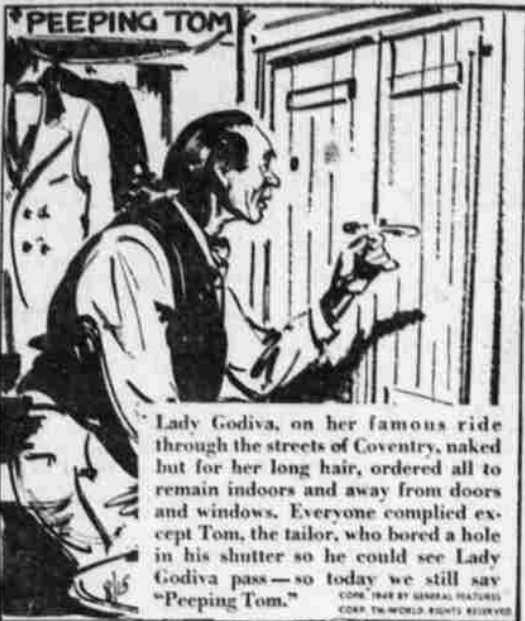
Randolph told the delegates that two big locals—San Francisco and Philadelphia—had yielded fundamental union rights in signing memorandum agreements for wages only.

From 13 Northern California delegates came a resolution accusing the San Francisco local of violating ITU laws by signing the memorandum agreement. It said the San Francisco officers misrepresented that they negotiated contracts for other locals in the area.

Delegates heard a proposal to build up a \$200,000 war chest to put into campaigns to defeat congressmen who voted for the Taft-Hartley act and to help recruit members friendly to labor.

WHY WE SAY

By Lloyd J. Stinson



Lady Godiva, on her famous ride through the streets of Coventry, naked but for her long hair, ordered all to remain indoors and away from doors and windows. Everyone complied except Tom, the tailor, who bored a hole in his shutter so he could see Lady Godiva pass—so today we still say "Peeping Tom."

The Chinese have special fans for spring, summer and autumn.

Chemical May Erase Color Line, Says Negro Leader

NEW YORK, Aug. 17 (AP)—Walter White, prominent white-skinned Negro leader, said today the color line may be ended by a chemical which sometimes turns skin from black to white.

White, secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, made the prediction in an article in Look magazine.

The chemical now is dangerous to use, but White wrote "It's almost a certainty that a safe form will be on sale within two to ten years."

Negroes then could have white or light skin if they wished, he said, and "the racial, social, economic and political consequences would be tremendous."

White, 56 years old and estimated to be only 1-84th Negro, was married to a white woman on July 6 and they now are on a round-the-world trip. His bride is the former Poppy Cannon, 42, food editor of Mademoiselle magazine.

A New York skin specialist told the Associated Press that "nobody can turn white from using the drug at present," and attempts to change the color of Negro skin have not succeeded.

Their hands and arms were turning white. The writer said the whitening was traced to a chemical which had been used to treat their rubber gloves. The article said that white co-workers wearing the gloves reported that their arms would not tan from the sun.

White said scientists found the chemical removes a skin pigment, melanin, which Negroes have in much more abundance than white people. Melanin is a factor in the sun-tanning of white skin.

The chemical as now known, White said, may cause pain, anemia, convulsions or even death. He said its effect on the skin is only temporary, changing the color for six months to a year.

Commenting on White's report, the skin specialist said most of the workers who wore the rubber gloves did not have even changes of color, but showed patchy whiteness on hands and arms. Skin specialists, he said, are not yet agreed whether skin pigmentation is controlled by melanin or some chemical from which it is made, or some change in melanin.

White said the chemical was discovered when some Negro and Mexican workers in a tannery shortly before the war found that

New Horse Car Affords Luxury

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County Grange Picnic To Be Held Sunday

A county grange picnic will be held at Malin park next Sunday.

This will be a potluck affair. The grange will furnish ice cream and light drinks. Festivities will start about noon.

Afternoon events will include contests and special features traditional to picnics. Mrs. Wilbur Relling is chairman of the food committee, and other grangers will help make arrangements. Harry Wilson of Malin heads the local committee.

The affair is for all Klamath county grangers and their families and friends.

Tuna Deliveries Reaching Peak

ASTORIA, Aug. 17 (AP)—Heavy tuna deliveries were being handled by canneries here Tuesday but pilchard landings were absent.

Two of the season's biggest tuna deliveries were made yesterday—Skipper Louis Peterson of the Alletta B. having about 50 tons and the boat Sunset landing 35,219 pounds.

Meanwhile the pilchard fleet reported no luck and aerial search failed to locate schools. Harold See of the Van Camp cannery at Warrenton said this was the worst season for sardines he could recall and Edward David, manager of the Del Mar cannery at Warrenton said this was the first season since 1935 the cannery had been without sardines at this time.

Indian Fire Crews On Job

The fire control division at the Klamath Indian reservation have participated in battling 57 blazes on the reservation this year, according to Clyde Peick, fire control chief.

The agency fire department, whose area of jurisdiction covers an area of approximately 2500 square miles, employs one airplane, nine lookouts and 30 fighters.

The largest fire on the reservation occurred in April and burned off about 50 acres.

Fire dispatcher is Vic Sisson. The agency works in cooperation with the Klamath Forest Protective association, but sometimes handles an agency fire with no other help.

Second Twins In Year Delivered

JASPER, Tenn., Aug. 17 (AP)—Mrs. Raymond Hix of Whitwell, Tenn., has given birth to her fourth child in less than a year.

The stork made only two trips—twins each time. A boy and a girl, both reported doing fine, were born Sunday. The first set, also a boy and a girl, was born Sept. 10, 1948.

Hix, a packing house employe, and his wife have two other children, one two years old and the other four.

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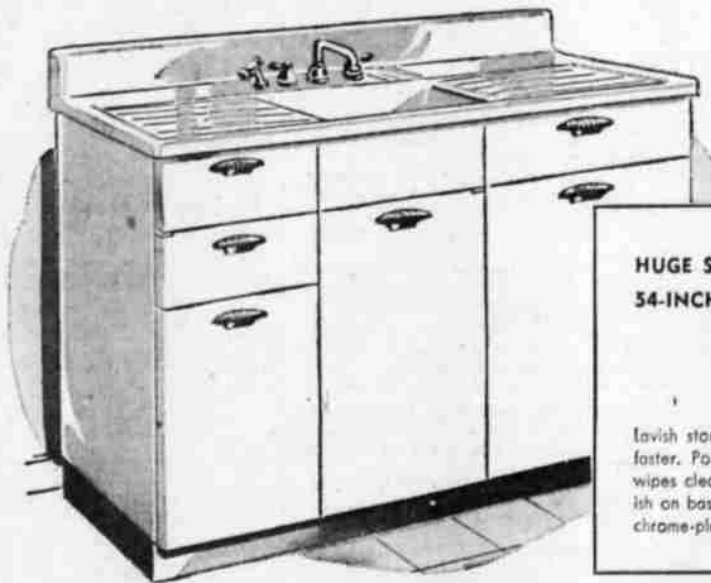


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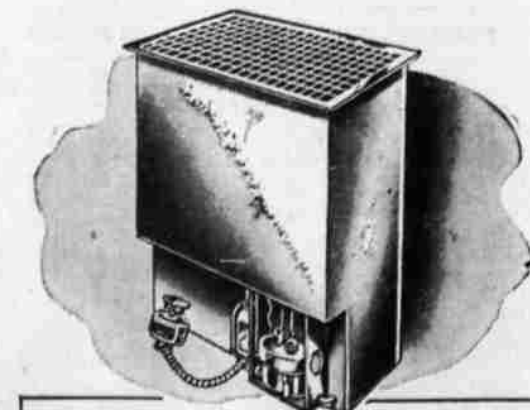
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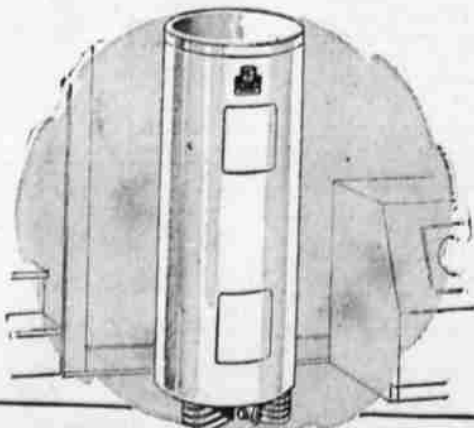
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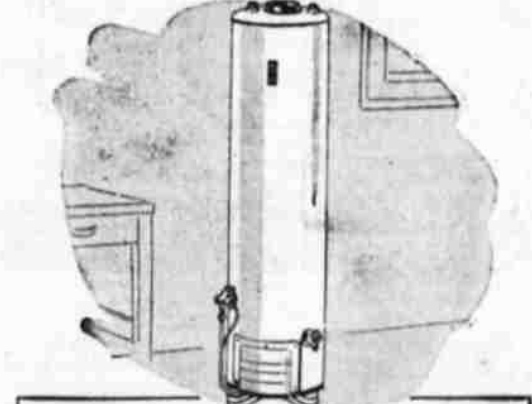
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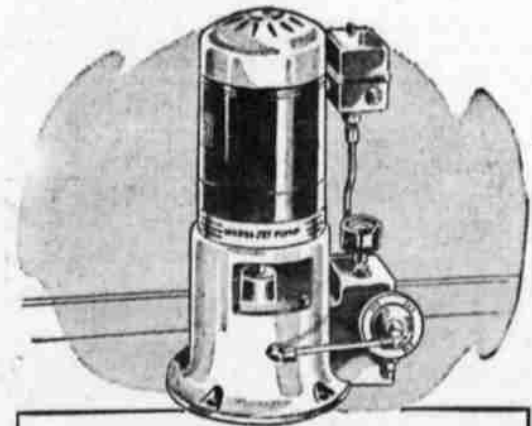
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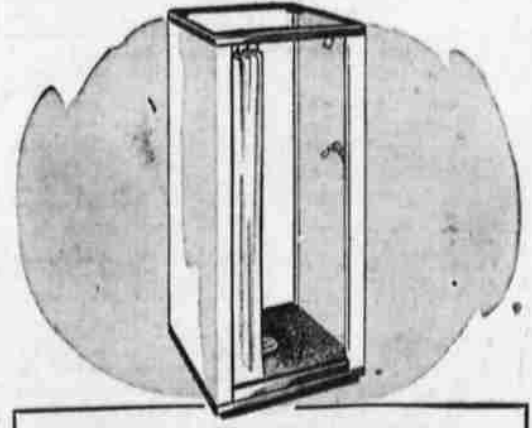


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